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## Calendar

Details on Phoenix.gov/Calendar

- AUGUST 11 City Pools Open**  
Weekends in August  
[Phoenix.gov/Parks/Pool](http://Phoenix.gov/Parks/Pool)
- SEPT 04 Labor Day**  
City Offices Closed\*
- SEPT 08 City Lights Movie Night: E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial**  
CityScape, 7 p.m., Free
- SEPT 09 Paint Sprayer Training**  
3325 W. Flower St., 8 a.m.  
Register: 602-534-4444
- SEPT 09 Don't Be a Victim!**  
Free Self-Defense Class  
Cholla Library, 1 p.m.  
[Phoenix.gov/Defense](http://Phoenix.gov/Defense)
- SEPT 23 Don't Be a Victim!**  
Free Self-Defense Class  
Century Library, 1 p.m.  
[Phoenix.gov/Defense](http://Phoenix.gov/Defense)
- SEPT 23 Free Museum Day!**  
Pueblo Grande Museum  
Call 602-495-0901
- SEPT 28 Water Education 101 Workshop**  
Century Library, 5:30 p.m., Free  
[Phoenix.gov/Water](http://Phoenix.gov/Water)

\*Trash and recycling collection are not affected.



Equipt to Innovate

## Burton Barr Central Library Closed

Due to storm damage and a water leak, Burton Barr Central Library will be closed indefinitely. Visit [phoenixpubliclibrary.org](http://phoenixpubliclibrary.org) to see which events and meetings are being rescheduled at other library locations and which events may be canceled. While the main library is undergoing repairs, the city's other 16 public library locations are open for business. The library's website will continue to offer digital services, including a new "restoration blog" that tracks the progress of the library's repairs.



Phoenix Public Library is grateful for the outpouring of support from its customers and the community, the quick response of the Phoenix Fire Department and fellow city departments, as well as city leadership and Mayor and Council. Thank you!

## Flights to Germany Will Soon Begin

Starting in 2018, Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport will offer nonstop flights between Phoenix and Frankfurt, Germany. Condor Airlines will operate twice a week between May and September. Condor will leave Phoenix on Mondays at around 11 p.m. and Fridays at around 5 p.m. Condor will operate a Boeing 767-300ER with 259 seats on this long-haul flight. All Condor passengers receive complimentary checked baggage, in-flight entertainment, beverages and meals. Visit [skyharbor.com](http://skyharbor.com) for more information and visit [Condor.com](http://Condor.com) to book tickets.



## Notice: August 2017 Council Election

On Tuesday, Aug. 29, Phoenix residents will vote for councilmembers in Districts 2, 4, 6 and 8. Voting is open only to voters in these districts who were registered by Monday, July 31. Please remember that early voting begins and early ballots are mailed out on Aug. 2 and the last day to request an early ballot by mail is Aug. 18. In-person early voting will be available weekdays Aug. 2 – 25, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. on the 15th floor of Phoenix City Hall. Voting devices that allow voters with disabilities to vote independently will be available. In-person voting is available with valid ID at any of the 18 voting centers during the following dates and times:

- Saturday, Aug. 26: 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- Monday, Aug. 28: 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
- Tuesday, Aug. 29: 6 a.m. – 7 p.m.

A map and list of voting centers may be found in the Sample Ballot Pamphlet, mailed in late July, or by using the online Voting Center Locator. Visit [Phoenix.gov/Elections](http://Phoenix.gov/Elections), call 602-261-VOTE (8683) or use the 7-1-1 Relay System.



## Back to School Safety Reminders

### Pedestrian Tips:

- Look left, right and left again before entering roadway
- Use crosswalks whenever possible
- Don't walk and text

### Driver Tips:

- Don't encroach into sidewalks
- No distracted driving
- Look left, right and left again when entering a new roadway

### Biking Tips:

- Wear a helmet and bright clothing
- Use bike lanes with flow of traffic
- Walk your bike in a crosswalk



For more safety tips, visit:

[Phoenix.gov/Streets/BackToSchoolSafety](http://Phoenix.gov/Streets/BackToSchoolSafety)



## Call for Volunteers

The city is looking for volunteers, age 50 and above, to support reading and math tutoring for students in first through third grades. No prior teaching or tutoring experience required. The city of Phoenix Age Friendly Initiative is in partnership with AARP Experience Corps. If this opportunity sounds right for you, contact the Volunteer Phoenix office at [ecphx@phoenix.gov](mailto:ecphx@phoenix.gov) or **602-256-4388**.

Everyone is encouraged to volunteer with our Gallery @ City Hall, Court Connectors and City Hall Connectors programs. If interested: [volunteer@phoenix.gov](mailto:volunteer@phoenix.gov) or **602-495-0313**.

Sign up to also get this **Phoenix At Your Service** Newsletter in your email at [Phoenix.gov/PAYS/SignUp](http://Phoenix.gov/PAYS/SignUp)



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## PHXCityCam is Now Streaming Live



Ever wonder what the nation's fifth largest city looks like from the top of Phoenix City Hall? Check out the new PHXCityCam livestream with a bird's eye view in all directions! Visit [Phoenix.gov/CityCam](http://Phoenix.gov/CityCam) day or night, sunny or stormy, to see what's happening live or to watch time-lapse videos of sunsets and monsoon storms.

## Green Organics Service Expanded

The city of Phoenix is expanding the types of green organics landscapers and residents can divert. Items now include: *tree branches, limbs and stumps not to exceed four feet in length and 24 inches in diameter, Pyracantha, Oleander and Creosote.*

The items are taken to the city's new state-of-the-art compost facility. With a City Services Bill, Phoenix residents can bring up to one ton of materials, including green organics, once per month to either the North Gateway or the 27th Avenue transfer stations for free. Curbside green organics customers can now put these materials in their tan containers. For more details, visit [Phoenix.gov/publicworks/composting](http://Phoenix.gov/publicworks/composting).



## Monsoon Watering Tips

Make sure to adjust your watering frequency to account for the plant-friendly humid weather. During damp days, water grass once every four days and desert-adapted trees, shrubs, and ground cover every 7-21 days. For high-water use trees, water every 7-10 days and shrubs every 5-7 days.



## Sign-Up for After-School Care

Registration is underway for the Parks and Recreation Department's Phoenix Afterschool Center (PAC) for the 2017-18 school year. PAC is a fun, supportive and educational program that provides a place for children ages six to 13 to spend crucial after-school hours. The program is available at 38 school sites throughout Phoenix and is led by experienced recreation staff. Activities include homework help, educational enrichment, physical and social recreation opportunities, art and creative projects and guest presenters. Learn more at [Phoenix.gov/Parks/PAC](http://Phoenix.gov/Parks/PAC).

## Free Equipment

Did you know the city of Phoenix will loan you paint sprayers to keep your neighborhood graffiti free? Just complete a free workshop to get access to a warehouse of tools and supplies to use.

The next training is 8 - 10 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 9 at 3325 W. Flower St. To register, call **602-534-4444**.

## Now Hiring: You!

"First of the First Responders" wanted! The Phoenix Police Department is hiring for the position of communications operator. Become the voice that helps citizens and guides officers. Apply today at [Phoenix.gov/Police](http://Phoenix.gov/Police).

