

The Mount Lemmon Echoes

Oh God, He's Going To Propose!

by Lorri Hans

Bill and Mary Lou Piatkiewicz both hail from different Missouri towns. This is the story of how a persistent sister changed both of their lives forever.

One Thanksgiving when she traveled home from Tucson to visit her sister in Dexter MO, Mary Lou's sister arranged a date for her with a guy named Bill. A phone conversation resulted, then a meeting planned, and the rest is history! This persistent fellow traveled from St. Louis to Dexter, on Mary Lou's dare, "Well, put your money where your mouth is, Sport!" Mary Lou got cold feet at first and didn't show up for the planned date, but Bill waited 3 hours for her to come home. Mary Lou watched him looking intently at old photos, when he soon looked up and literally did a double take! She took his breath away! Mary Lou left the room for a minute and thought, "Oh my God! This man is going to propose to me!"

A long walk in the park! Life plans? How many children? Religious beliefs, and on and on. As magical snowflakes began to drift down on the couple, the chill drove them back to the car, and right then and there, Bill turned to her and asked her to marry him. Mary Lou laughed and said, "Well, you haven't even kissed me yet!" Bill seized the moment, leaned over and gave her the most love-filled embrace she had ever experienced! She instantly felt cherished by Bill and his haunting blue eyes. It took less than 2 hours for Bill to receive the answer. Yes!

Returning to her empty Tucson consumed with the blue-eyed man riage. Even 3-year-old daughter and eagerly said, "Oh yes!" about rived every day from the man she for Bill to visit at Christmas time. want to leave without her and asked Guess what? They were married Studios!



condo, Mary Lou's thoughts were who had asked for her hand in marriage. Farah quickly fell for this gentle man Bill becoming her father. Roses are barely knew, and plans were made Soon Bill told Mary Lou he didn't her to return to St. Louis with him. that Christmas Eve at the De Grazia

Sudden panic! She left Bill at the condo. "I just need to think." Mind racing, Mary Lou drove around town, thoughts consumed by conflict. "I'm married to a man I barely know, I'm moving to a town I know nothing about, and all of this has happened in less than a month!" A close friend took her hand and said, "This is more than just fate, see where this takes you or you will regret it." Waiting patiently for her to return, Bill packed up Mary Lou's place. When she came back, Mary Lou smiled at him, looked him in the eyes and said, "I'm okay now, we can go." From Dexter to Tucson to St. Louis to Tucson. What a trip!

This truly amazing love tale captures your heart's attention. As I listened, I found myself smiling continually, still smiling as I write! I'm honored to have shared a walk down memory lane with Bill and Mary Lou Piatkiewicz. Their parting comment: "Before the fire we were a community; after the fire we are family." Nothing more needs to be said about them and their feelings for this mountain we all share and love.

Mount Lemmon Homeowner's Association

by Mike Stanley, president



Howdy All!

I hope all that attended the Annual Homeowners dinner had a great time! There were over 130 members that showed up and from the looks of the food line at least everyone had a good meal. Our next event will be the FireWise Block Party. It is held at the Mount Lemmon Community Center on Saturday, May 28th from 10AM to 2PM. This event includes multiple agencies that have information for the community on fire and fire prevention. Please attend this worthwhile function. You will have a good time and lunch is very reasonable and will be served starting at 11:30AM for \$5.00.

This FireWise Block Party is the kickoff for the summer season. Everyone needs to be very cautious with fire. Our winter El Nino did not produce sufficient moisture to stop wildland fires. **Prevention is our job.** We are the people that need to be always on the lookout for anything that could start a fire. Some of the ignition points are easy to define, but something as small as a trailer chain dragging behind a vehicle can start a wildfire.

Please read about the "One less spark" campaign and become familiar with the ways we can prevent a fire. Make sure there is a buffer around your house and remove all ignition points from the area. Follow the guidelines you learn at the FireWise event. All of us need to be FIREWISE.

Another sign of spring is Cheat Grass sprouting up in places you thought you had cleared last year. All of us need to help control and remove this invasive species anywhere you see it. It has a flash tendency and spreads fire faster than native grasses and ground cover. Please check in this issue or check at the FireWise event to learn about this fire spreading grass. You can check out our web site for information too. The MLHOA address is www.mtlemonhoa.org. If you have not visited the site, check it out. Please contact me if you have any comments on the site. We are working to make it a web page you can use for interaction with our community.

Welcome to spring and get ready to have a GREAT summer!!!

What Is Rabies & How Do I Protect My Family?

by Randy Ogden, Fire Chief

Pima County Health Department recently confirmed that a captured skunk in Summerhaven had tested positive for rabies. Rabies is a fatal disease transmitted from animals to humans, caused by a virus that attacks the central nervous system, causing convulsions, paralysis, and finally death. This virus is present in the saliva of a rabid animal and is transmitted primarily by animal bites and rarely by contamination of open wounds, fresh abrasions or mucous membranes.

All warm blooded animals can be affected by the virus, but it is most often found in wildlife such as raccoons, skunks, foxes, and bats. Dogs and cats may also contract rabies if they are not vaccinated against it.

Symptoms of Animal Rabies:

Marked changes in an animals behavior are symptoms of rabies. A rabid animal may:

- * Be unnaturally withdrawn
- * Be unusually friendly or calm
- * Be very docile
- * Snap at anything in its path
- * Appear in the daytime, (if it's nocturnal)
- * Search for an isolated place to die

Tips to Prevent Rabies

- Vaccinate dogs and cats against rabies as required by law. All dogs and cats more than 4 months of age must be vaccinated against rabies. Keep vaccinations current at all times.
- Keep dogs and cats under control. Roaming pets are more likely to have been exposed to rabies than those supervised by their owners.
- Leave wild animals alone. Avoid wild animals even if they appear friendly. Do not fear wild animals, just respect and stay away from them. Very young children can learn this rule.
- Make your property unattractive to wild animals. Cap chimneys and seal off any openings in your attic, under porches and in basements. Feed your pets indoors and keep trash cans tightly closed.

If YOU are Bitten, Scratched, or have Contact with an Animal:

- Immediately wash the wound thoroughly, cleaning and flushing with plenty of soap and water for several minutes.
- Immediately report all animal bites to your animal control agency, police department or health department for follow-up.
- Identify and continue to observe the animal, (if wild or stray), to aid its eventual capture, but do not risk exposure again.
- Get prompt medical attention. Call your family doctor or go to the nearest emergency room.

If Pets are Bitten, Scratched, or have Contact with a Wild Animal:

- Call your pet away from the animal.
- Confine the wild animal, if possible. (Do not touch it or risk exposing yourself.)
- To prevent exposure of saliva to an open wound, it is recommended that you do not handle pets, touch or examine your dog or cat for at least two hours following the fight.
- If you must handle your pet shortly after a fight, wear heavy gloves and afterwards be sure to thoroughly wash your hands with soap and water. Then contact your doctor or local health department for advice to determine whether or not there may have been any direct exposure to the rabies.
- Contact Pima County Animal Control immediately for advice about testing the wild animal for rabies and follow-up for your pet.



FireWise on Mount Lemmon, Arizona

by Susie Pearce and Glen Schager
Mount Lemmon FireWise co-coordinators

Just when we thought the chance for moisture was over, we are close to mid - April, and it is the beginning of a long dry spring, and what happens? It snows! Not once, but twice! An inch or so of total moisture. Who would have guessed this would happen? Anyway, the moisture is always welcome.

While we love the moisture, the grasses and shrubs do to. They will be putting on a nice spurt of growth and then dry out in May and June, becoming tinder for any fire that happens our way. It would be a good idea when at your cabin to look for the dried out grasses and shrubs that are anywhere near your residence and get rid of them. Also, look for wind blown piles of burnable material often found on the side of buildings and walkways. The same place the wind deposits these small piles of grasses and pine needles, the wind will also deposit burning embers if a fire is nearby. Get rid of these small piles as soon as you notice them.

The area near the fire station to deposit your picked up grasses, needles, and brush is still operational. It is the best method we've ever had for the community to deposit these materials. Let's make good use of it.

Hope to see you all at the Community FireWise party, Saturday May 28th from 10AM to 2PM. The Forest Service will be there to show and answer questions about the Firescape plan for our community and the adjacent forest lands, as well as an enlarged Sky Center presence which should be interesting. All of the agencies that affect Mount Lemmon will be in attendance as well as your neighbors to meet again.

And don't forget, we will have food available. The cost is \$5.00 each and we will start serving at 11:30 til it's gone. Lots of good information will be shared as well as some good food!

To Our Friends And Neighbors on Mount Lemmon

by Lee and Christine Hays

We can't begin to thank you all for the outpouring of love and support for us during the past few weeks. We received yummy cookies, candy, and meals. The box of goodies was amazing!! The gift certificates have really come in handy. The support you have shown us has really touched our hearts. We are so fortunate to be considered part of a community and to have friends as special as all of you!



Thank You All So So Much!

Summer Is A Knocking

by Michael Stanley

Summer is knocking at the village's door and soon you will be making your first trip up the mountain to open your cabin. You probably have followed my advice and have a "Turn on & Shut off" procedure. This list should have a simple way to follow activating the water system for your mountain home. After you have shut off all of the drain valves, turn on the meter. Check for leaks on your side of the meter. It was a very cold winter and there is a possibility of leaks from frozen pipes. Also check your toilet and drain lines to see if there is any damage to them. Please call us if you have a problem or question and need assistance. We may be able to help you or see if you need to call a repair person. There have been times when the owner calls about low water pressure just to find an open drain valve under the house. If you haven't made a procedures list, now you may have a perfect opportunity to make one up.

With summer here you will see us out in the community flushing main lines and doing maintenance work on the system. We are in the process of cleaning customers' meters. Our last month's meter reading was a physical one. This means we went to every customer's meter and opened the box and took a manual reading. Generally getting the read information is done with an automatic reading device and opening the box is not necessary. On the physical read, information is gathered about both sides of the meter. We log any problems we see for future work orders. We also repair items when we are there. The District rules require a shut off valve, a check valve, and a pressure regulating valve on your side of the meter. Sometimes this equipment is out by the meter and sometimes it could be placed under the house. You may be contacted if there are any problems with your equipment.

Please contact us if you see a water problem or have a quality issue. Due to EPA and Arizona State rules, we keep a small amount of chlorine in the water tank to protect all of us from contaminants. There could be a time when you smell chlorine as we flush the lines. This chlorine give us a sign that the water in the main line is fresh from the storage tank. The chlorine dissipates quickly in the water mains and should not cause any aesthetic issues.

All of us at the MLWD hope you have a wonderful summer!

THANKS FOR CARING AWARD

The Mount Lemmon Homeowner's Association honors

Brandon Yost

Sometimes a person comes along that you see everywhere, doing everything, and you wonder what drives them to be so giving. Brandon is just that type of young man. He's out clearing sidewalks in the snow, delivering wood during the fall, pulling people out of the snow on the coldest of days. Brandon does these wonderful acts quietly and without the need for acknowledgment. He personifies "Random Acts of Kindness". Thank you from all of us!

The 4th Of July Parade

by Jennifer Shacter

The Fourth Of July Parade is a much anticipated event by the mountain residents and “city folk” alike. The Mount Lemmon Woman’s Club has proudly sponsored the parade for the past 41 years and will continue to do so for years to come! Now it’s YOUR turn to “Get Patriotic”!

We are already being warned about the fire dangers for spring and summer of 2016, but rest assured..there will be a 4th of July Parade. Do you have any contacts with marching bands, clowns, baton twirlers, veterans groups, scout troops, fiddlers, or has your own family considered a float? Please make copies of the parade entry form and encourage others to be involved. We hope to see kids, dogs, (maybe even mules), and mountain neighbors having fun! The rules are VERY simple and listed above the signature line of the Parade Entry Form. The sooner I receive YOUR Parade Entry Form, the easier it will be to complete parade planning and the better our wonderful parade will be!!

If you have helped in past years, I hope you will help out again this year! To volunteer or offer suggestions please contact Jennifer Shacter at (520) 749-9233, (520) 576-9329, or kksowner@gmail.com.



You Can’t Know Fire

by Herbert Dan Genung

I recently received an envelope full of memories from the 1930’s through the 1990’s written by Herbert Genung. Some are humorous, some sad, but all are a part of the history of Mount Lemmon seen through the eyes of a child then as a man. Enjoy!

If you’re not from Mount Lemmon, you don’t know fire. You can’t know fire. You can feel our loss~our history destroyed~our grandparents’ toil and our legacy ruined.

A flicked cigarette by a careless, arrogant hiker and 80 years of memories combusted. A raging fire. Over 300 cabins, some insured, some were not, but all were loved in the peaceful mountain retreat of Summerhaven.

Five generations. Our babies will never know our forest. Black skeletons now stand where mighty oaks once embraced our cabin. The danger of fire was always present, but we were vigilant. Always vigilant.

A house in the meadow replaced our magical cabin nestled in the woods. The footprint is barren, and remnants of glass and melted iron remind us of our family gatherings. Roasted marshmallows, the nightly ritual of s’mores, and the scratches of bear claws left on the trees the night our dogs were hunted down. Generations of murals in our basement bedroom highlighted the blue ribbons won in the 4th of July parades. Wild raspberries, bubbling brooks, and canopies of oak have all disappeared in a furnace of recklessness.

Life’s lessons: Cherish every moment. Take nothing for granted. Celebrate your surroundings and hold tightly to the ones who stand along side you.

If you’re not from Mount Lemmon, you don’t know fire. You can’t know fire.

MOUNT LEMMON 41st ANNUAL JULY 4TH PARADE
Monday, July 4th, 2016 – 12:00 Noon

It's that time again! Get out your costumes, mules, horses, kids, dogs, fancy vehicles, and instruments and sign up as soon as possible for this year's Mt. Lemmon 4th of July Parade!

Name of Group _____

Main Contact Person for Your Group _____

Complete Mailing Address _____

Telephone Number(s) _____

All the above information is needed in case we need to get in touch with you with questions or last minute updates

CATEGORY: () ORIGINAL () PATRIOTIC () HUMOROUS

TRANSPORTATION: () WALKING () VEHICLE () WALKING with VEHICLE () HORSEBACK

This is an invitation for you and/or your group to join us on cool Mt. Lemmon for our 41st Annual 4th of July Parade. Please remit this form no later than Saturday, June 25th to Jennifer Shacter – 8750 East Bear Place, Tucson, AZ 85749-9158 or e-mail to kksowner@gmail.com. For additional information, call Jennifer at

(520) 749-9233 or (520) 576-9329. The parade line-up begins at 11:15 A.M. at the intersection of Ski Run Road and Loma Linda Extension Road. Check in at the registration table to be given your parade number to display on yourself and/or your entry. Late check-ins and/or non-preregistered entries will not receive a parade number, participation certificate, nor be eligible for parade entry judging.

Please write what you want the announcer to say about your group when you pass by the MLCC (the judging area). If you don't write something, we'll have nothing to say about you or your group.

Who You Are _____

What Do You Call Yourself _____

Where Are You From _____

Any Colorful Background Information You Want the Crowd to Know _____

We need to keep the parade moving, so please listen to instructions and directions when given. Do not throw candy into the crowd. Candy may be handed to children or placed on the ground at their feet along the parade sidelines so they won't run into the parade route. Neither Frisbees nor objects of any type may be thrown into the crowd. Entrants will PAUSE in front of the judges long enough to be announced by the Master of Ceremony and then MOVE ON and keep moving to the end of the parade route. In the interest of safety, we ask for your cooperation in that there is no animal petting, stopping to perform further down the parade route, etc. The parade will end at the school.

Signature _____ Date _____

Guess Who This Is Contest– Second Photo

For those of you who missed last month's Echoes, this is the second of eight photo's where you will try to guess who is in the picture. We got some great guesses last month! All you need to do is send an email to me at mtlemmonpielady@gmail.com with your guess. The first person to guess correctly will win for that month and the person with the most correct answers will get first place. We have first and second place prizes. Good luck and get your guess in as quickly as you can!

Local businesses will be donating the prizes for our contest and are listed below:

First Place: Gift certificate for \$50 at the Sawmill Run Restaurant

Second Place: Gift Card for \$20 from Ski Valley (can be used at restaurant, gift shop, or candy shop)



Mary Lou Piatkiewicz

Here is last month's secret local revealed and the new guess who picture. Winners so far;
1st-Jenni Avram
2nd-Fran Zimmerman
3rd-Pam Winsten
4th-Deb Fagan
5th-Linda Mulay
Get your answers in as fast as you can!!



May secret local

Summit Award Recipient For 2016 Linda Currin

If you attended the MLHOA Annual dinner in April, then you were there to see the complete shock on Linda Currin's face when they called her name for the Summit Award. I was sitting at the same table with Linda during the dinner so as Michael Stanley started describing the person who would receive the award, I saw Linda scanning the room. She was clearly taking in all of the faces and wondering who they were talking about. I even overheard Sally Crawford say to Linda, "I think you're winning this award!" To which Linda replied, "Oh no it's not me!"

But Michael was talking about Linda and listed all of her gracious attendance with many projects and agencies throughout the years. She is truly an amazing woman and we are lucky to have her as a part of our community and part of the Mount Lemmon team!



Mount Lemmon Woman's Club News

by Linda Mulay, president

The slate of officers for the physical years 2016-2018 was presented:

President- Mary Hunter

1st V.P.- Connie Taylor

2nd V.P.- Luann Waldron

Secretary- Anne Skelley-Ross

Treasurer- Carol Niehoff

Linda Mulay will remain on the board as immediate past president in an advisory capacity.



Thank you to everyone who donated to the Miracle Square project for independent living for the elderly and disabled adults. When Luann Waldron and I arrived with all of the donated items, their pantry was almost empty. When we left it was almost full for them! What a great feeling to be able to support these people and allow them to stay independent for as long as they can!

We would also like to thank our member Dorothy Johnson, MD for delivering her informative talk on children's brains and the growth of them from conception to 2 years old.

Next meeting will be Saturday, May 21st at 1PM at the MLCC. Following the meeting will be the installation of officers by Fran Zimmerman. Hope to see you there!

Golden Smoke

by Frank Rose

On April 6, 2016, my friend and I took a walk on the Oracle Ridge. We did not expect to see any flowers in bloom this early in the year, and after such a long dry spell. But in several places we saw this curious flower called "Golden Smoke", (*Corydalis aurea*) and five other species including Lupine and Cinquefoil. Golden Smoke is in the poppy family, (*Papaveraceae*). Notice how the leaf structure is very similar to the Mexican gold poppies that we so much enjoy in the spring time and late in the summer around the Mount Lemmon visitors center.



Santa Catalina Ranger District to Host Indonesian Foresters

by Rachael Biggs, USFS

The Santa Catalina Ranger District will host an exchange between the Forest Service and the Indonesian Ministry of Environment and Forestry in the fall of 2016. The Sky Islands are a fitting analog to the Indonesian Archipelago. Each has innate management challenges related to isolated and unique island ecosystems, such as endemic and invasive species, species migration, and climate change. With over 80 million Indonesians relying on forests for their livelihoods, further learning exchanges include collaborative management and working with partnerships. Landscape-scale, multi-ownership management like that proposed in the Catalina-Rincon FireScape project will also be a topic of discussion.

The Forest Service International Programs work worldwide to foster sustainable natural resource management, biodiversity conservation, climate change migration and adaptation, and disaster preparedness and response. In Indonesia, the Forest Service is collaborating with Indonesian stakeholders to improve scientific understanding and management practices of tropical peat lands and mangroves. These ecosystems, which can contain eight times the carbon density of dry tropical forest, are vulnerable to land conversion for agriculture and development. The Forest Service is also supporting improved geospatial mapping and emergency response within Indonesia. For more information visit the Forest Service International Programs website at <http://www.fs.fed.us/about-agency/international-programs>.

AZ Forestry Cheatgrass Grant Update for May 2016

by Lindy Brigham, Grant Coordinator

Cheatgrass seeds have started to appear. As of mid-April, there are not large patches yet, but we are prepared when they do get to that stage.

Please report any sightings to labrigham@msn.com or on the website at www.mtlemonhoa.org/cheatgrass. The report form is at the bottom of the page.

Make sure you are on the listserv to get updates and information on cheatgrass plus all the other important mountain information. (The sign-up form is on the home page of www.mtlemonhoa.org.)

If you have any questions, please contact Lindy at labrigham@msn.com or 520-955-2599

Summer Church Services

by Larry and Luann Waldron

This is our 9th summer for church services in the Mount Lemmon Community Center. Services start on Sunday, June 5th. Services start at 9AM and have a short time of fellowship after each service. It is our prayer that all entering our services will be blessed and befriended. I am confident God will challenge us through His spoken Word.

We have already had a tremendous response to our call for summer speakers. Several pastors have contacted me to request a date. The next Echoes newsletter should include a list of speakers.

Nearly 60 pastors spent Monday and Tuesday, April 18th and 19th, at a unity and prayer retreat at the Mount Lemmon Community Center. Please join them in praying for our greater Tucson area.

If you have any questions, please call: Larry or Luann Waldron at 520-275-8218. (cell)

Sweet Pea Finds Summerhaven

by Lorri Hans



Sweet Pea went directly home to her nest after being at the Living Rainbow. Her baby siblings were eager to hear about her adventure and to see what she brought home. They sat back and listened to their older sister talk about the treasures she had seen and could hardly wait until they were old enough to go with her. As they closed their eyes for the night, they asked her where she would go the next day. Sweet Pea wasn't sure where her travels would take her, but she knew without a doubt, it would be exciting and new!

Sweet Pea knew the path well that led to the village. She had traveled down that path 2 times so far. She wanted to find out what was on her side of the street this time so she made her way to the main road and made a right turn. Not long after making the turn she came across a parking lot full of cars and visitors talking about the wonderful things they had bought at the store. The sign said, "The General Store" and mentioned home made fudge...Fudge? She wondered what that was! As she approached the stairs to the front door, she found a morsel of food. It was brown, soft, and sweet. Could this be fudge? All she knew was it was the finest sweet thing she had ever tasted! Oh, she just had to get more of that!!

Sweet Pea was daring, brave, and most of all curious, but she wasn't sure about discovering this place by herself so she waited in the shade until she saw a small critter running around. She immediately ran to the critter and extended her paw in friendship, announcing herself as "Sweet Pea the Squirrel". The critter sneered some at the interruption of his walk but held his paw out to her and said, "Hi, my name is Charlie and I'm a chipmunk." Sweet Pea thought he was so cute and so small! Charlie said this store was his favorite because it had almost anything you could think of. There was food, hardware, clothing, souvenirs for visitors, toys for kids, and rocks and minerals for collecting. He told her he would take her on a tour of the store but that they needed to be careful because there were always people shopping. When they made their daring entry, they both headed in different directions. Sweet Pea went scampering towards the back wall, steering clear of the people. She rounded a corner and came skidding to a stop when she saw feet in front of her. She looked up to find a young girl smiling at her. The little girl reached down to pet her, but Sweet Pea was afraid and she took off running. She kept running until she got to the front of the store, and what she saw made her little mouth water! There she found the biggest selection of fudge!! How could she get to it?

Sweet Pea could hear the little girl telling her mom that she had seen a mouse. A MOUSE? Clearly this child had not been taught to tell the difference between a highly intelligent squirrel and a silly field mouse! She wanted so badly to go tell the child of her mistake, but the scent of the fudge kept her mind solely focused on getting some more of that tasty treat. She went behind the counter and found small pieces of fudge just there for the taking. She filled her little cheeks with the soft sweet goodness. Suddenly she felt a whoosh of air and turned just in time to see a broom heading her way. "YIKES" she screamed, "I've been spotted!" Charlie came out of nowhere like a knight on a steed and pulled her away from danger. He told her that he was the smartest animal in all of the land and if she stuck with him, she would learn from the greatest. Sweet Pea liked her new friend Charlie, and he promised to take her to another great place for food the next day.

Charlie walked halfway back to Sweet Pea's nest with her, and they made their plans to meet the next morning. Sweet Pea had had such a wonderful time with him! Her siblings were waiting at the end of the trail, swishing their tails with impatience as she made her way to them. Hurry hurry Sweet Pea! Please tell us about your adventure! So they sat down, and while the kids ate their first fudge, she told them of the General Store and all it had to offer...



May 2016

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Mount Lemmon Homeowner's Association Annual Dues

Voting member (property owner) \$35.00 Non-voting member (renter or friend of the mountain) \$35.00

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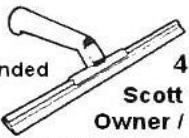
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Mount Lemmon Community Center

The Mount Lemmon Community Center (MLCC) is part of Pima County's Natural Resources Parks Recreation (NRPR) department. The Mount Lemmon Community Center, Inc. is organized exclusively for charitable, social and educational purposes. The facility is dependent upon local volunteers to staff and support the visitor's center. Our mission is to welcome all who visit the facility and promote Summerhaven, Mount Lemmon and Pima County Arizona.

Reservations to use the Community Center can be made by calling Kelly Cheeseman at the Pima County Parks and Recreation phone number: 520.877.6155 or E-mail Kelly.Cheeseman@pima.gov

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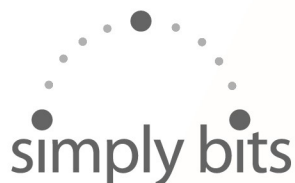
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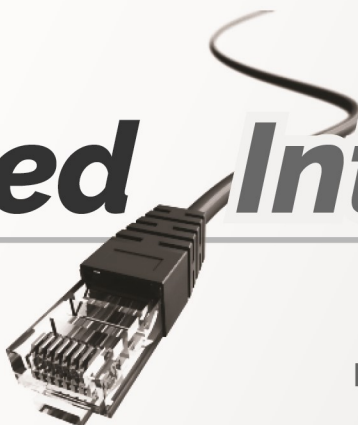




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