



City of Phoenix



Becoming the most Sustainable Desert City on the Planet.

WELCOME TO
WHAT'S HOT / WHAT'S COOL.



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WHAT'S COOL

The **TOP FIVE** coolest things happening this spring:



Happy Earth Day 2022!

Arizona Mayors are again joining together to celebrate **Earth Day AZ** and the many ways their communities support the Earth. Visit earthdayaz.org to embrace the experience!

UPCOMING EVENTS

[City Manager's 2022-23 Proposed Budget meeting](#)

Register to speak at this event!
May 2nd 2:30pm-5pm

The City Manager's 2022-23 Proposed Budget is presented to City Council

[EARTH DAY Cleanup w/ Postino, Senita, Summit Soul Sisters + AZ on the Rocks!](#)

Sat, Apr 23, 9:00 AM
33°42'36.3"N 111°58'22.3"W •
Phoenix, AZ
Free

[Tempe Fashion Week - Spring-Earth Day Fashion Show '22](#)

Sat, Apr 23, 6:00 PM



FABRIC • Tempe, AZ
Starts at \$50.00

Spring Fairy Festival and Earth Day Celebration

Sat, Apr 23, 10:00 AM
Singh Meadows • Tempe, AZ

2nd Annual Earth Day Pixie Dust Picnic

Sat, Apr 23, 3:30 PM
Desert Breeze Park • Chandler, AZ
Starts at \$30.00

Rio Salado Habitat Cleanup with Liberty Wildlife

Sun, Apr 24, 8:00 AM
Liberty Wildlife (Intake window 8-6)
(for Open Hours dates/time visit our website) • Phoenix, AZ
Free



Go Solar With Your Neighbors

Want to learn more about getting solar for your home? Join the **Maricopa County Solar Co-op**, where you can get solar panels with others in your community at a group rate. Check it out [here!](#)



What's Amazing

The Phoenix Zoo welcomes a new Arabian Oryx calf to the herd! The Phoenix Zoo has been a key player in helping the Arabian Oryx go from extinct in the wild in 1972 to more than 1,000 in the wild today. Learn more [here!](#)



Did you know?

Many of our parks are on top of significant cultural resources that are more than a thousand years old. The City of Phoenix recognizes and protects these places because

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Draft Electric Vehicle Roadmap and Survey - Tell Us!

Did you know that by 2030 most local auto dealers will only sell EVs as a new car option? Tell us how we can develop a more sustainable, equitable and resilient EV future. Visit [phoenix.gov/electricvehicles](https://www.phoenix.gov/electricvehicles) by May 31, 2022



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2022 Sustainability Challenge Wrap Up!

The Phoenix Union High School District and City of Phoenix Office of Sustainability wrapped up their 2022 Sustainability Challenge: Fashion for the Future. Over the course of five weeks, 12 schools participated with over 2,500 students engaged! Visit <https://www.phoenix.gov/sustainability/SCSO> to learn more!



they are both ancestral to our local tribal communities and it is our legal requirement. To learn more about the City Archaeology Office go [here](#).



Meet the Green Team!

This edition's employee spotlight is Green Team's newest member, **Lalee Bond**. A Valley native, Lalee works in the curatorial department at the Pueblo Grande Museum and Archaeological Park where she helps maintain and preserve the archaeological collections encountered in the City during construction. She's looking forward to working with the editorial team on coming editions of What's Hot / What's Cool. When she's not at work, Lalee loves to write, hike, and be outdoors.



QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"Earth Day should encourage us to reflect on what we are doing to make our planet a more sustainable and livable place."



Earth Day Extravaganza Expo

Green Living hosts Earth Day Extravaganza to educate, empower and inspire. This year's extravaganza will feature showcase eco-friendly products, chef demonstrations, music, electric vehicles and more.

Sat, Apr 23, 10:00 AM Come join the fun.

[DETAILS](#)

132 E 6th St • Tempe, AZ Starts at \$10.00

Scott Peters



Make every day Earth Day!



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