

Total Wine Classroom 7:00-8:30pm
1416 N Litchfield Rd, Goodyear, 85395

February 26 Robert Glenn
African Tribal Art

African tribal art is almost never meant to beautify or decorate. It is used for tribal worship, rituals, magic and communicating with the supernatural. The world of African tribal art is a world of content and form. Robert Glenn's presentation may bring the significance and perfection of that world a little closer to us all.

March 26 Ann Schelflen
Grand Canyon Conservancy

Ann Scheflen brings to GCC more than 15 years of experience in developing successful, effective philanthropy programs. Ann was Director of Advancement at the National Museum of Wildlife Art in Jackson, Wyoming, and Director of Development at the Museum of New Mexico Foundation in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Ann's passion for art, culture, history, and the Southwest come together in her discussion about the conservancy art collection that celebrates the Grand Canyon.

April 30 David Schildkret
Echoes of Eden

Artists of all kinds, from painters and poets to novelists and composers, use gardens as settings. What do these gardens tell us about the characters who inhabit them? How do the gardens enrich the plot and provide nuance to the scene? David Schildkret, Professor of Choral Music and Director of Choral Activities at ASU will explore the meanings of these imaginary gardens, using examples from familiar works of art, music, and literature.

May 28 Tomas Stanton
Power of the Spoken Word

A poet, writer, teaching artist, and community activist, Mr. Stanton is a teaching-artist dedicated to advancing the arts of spoken word and Hip Hop as a platform for youth development and civic engagement. Co-Founder of Phoenix's premiere youth spoken word ensemble, Phonetic Spit, inspires youth to boldly express themselves through poetry, dance, & theatre.

June 25 EMCCPA
Gallery 37 Program

The West Valley Art's award-winning youth arts employment program pairs students 15 to 18 years-old with professional artists in order to design, develop and install a permanent piece of public art for display in the West Valley.

July 30 Kathleen Trott
Costumes for the AZ Opera

Kathleen Trott, resident Costume Designer and Manager of the Marlu Allan and Scott Stallard Costume Shop for Arizona Opera will explain the evolution of costume making, from conception to its final creation.

August 27 Adam Turner
Snow Sculpting

Adam Turner is Goodyear resident and business owner. Adam comes to us from Minnesota where he has been part of a professional snow sculpting team named *Snow Cowboys*. Just this year they placed first at the US National Snow Sculpture Championship! Come get cool as Adam describes his experiences with us.

September 24 Gregory McNamee
Arizona in the Movies

Tyrone Power, Andy Devine, Katy Jurado, Steve McQueen and, of course, John Wayne. From the earliest days of film, Arizona has been a setting and subject for hundreds of films. Some, like *Junior Bonner* and *Red River*, are considered classics, others, such as *Billy Jack* and *Evolution*, surely less so. Some may even be classics in the making, from *Tombstone* to *Near Dark*. In this entertaining talk, Gregory McNamee, a frequent contributor on film to the *Encyclopaedia Britannica* and former columnist for the *Hollywood Reporter*, looks at the Grand Canyon State on the silver screen.

October 29 TBA