SOUTHERN ARIZONA ARIZONA HISTORY EVENTS Spring 2012

Sat. January 14 10am-3pm

Tucson Presidio Living History Day

Living history reenactment, demonstrations, Spanish Colonial food, stories of old Tucson, at Presidio San Agustin del Tucson, 133 W. Washington, FREE

Sat./Sun. January 14-15 9am-4pm

Gathering of the Gunfighters

Reenactment competition by Old West gunfighters' troupes Yuma Territorial Prison, Yuma

Fri. January 20 12-3pm

Spanish Colonial Living History

Reenactments of the daily lives of Tubac Spanish soldiers and civilians during the Spanish Colonial period (1752-1776); Special display of foods from the Old World, New World and surrounding desert used by Tubac cooks, cooking demos with samples.

Tubac Presidio State Historic Park, Tubac, \$4

Sat. January 21 9am-6pm

Dillinger Days

Reenactments of 1934 capture of John Dillinger gang, tours of the Hotel Congress and downtown walking tours, Memorabilia Museum.

Hotel Congress, Congress Street, downtown Tucson, FREE

Sat. January 21 7:30-8:30pm

The Arizona Radio Hour

UA School of Theatre, Film and Television's musical theatre touring company, Encore!, takes audiences on a poignant journey through Arizona history; part of UA Arizona Centennial Events. Tucson Scottish Rite Cathedral, 160 S. Scott Ave., FREE with tkts in advance from UA Fine Arts Box Office

Thurs. January 26 5-7pm

Sharlot Hall and Hattie Lockett: An Arizona Centennial Exhibition

Opening reception for exhibit of Arizona 1912 poets Sharlot Mabridth Hall and Hattie Greene Lockett; part of UA Arizona Centennial Events.

University of Arizona Poetry Center, Vine & Helen, on campus FREE

Sat./Sun. February 11-12 9am-5pm

Tombstone Wild West Days

Gunfight reenactments on Allen Street; military displays on Fourth Street; Sunday parade at 11am; shooting displays at Tombstone Livery Stable; museum displays at Tombstone Courthouse State Historic Park

Tombstone, mostly FREE with some entrance fees

Sat. February 11 10am-4pm

Fort Lowell Day Celebration

Vintage baseball game; Cavalry reenactments; exhibits; and Old Fort Lowell Neighborhood Walking Tour

Fort Lowell Park, Craycroft/Fort Lowell, FREE

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Sat. February 20 11:30-2pm

Buffalo Soldier Historic Sites Tour

Tour led by the Southwest Association of Buffalo Soldiers; leaves from the City of Sierra Vista's Visitor Center, located in the Oscar Yrun Community Center at 3020 East Tacoma Sierra Vista, Arizona, \$12. Call 520-417-6960 or 1-800-288-3861 for reservation.

Sat./Sun. March 10-11

Civil War in the Southwest

Reenactments of an Arizona Civil War skirmish and the New Mexico battles of Glorieta and Val Verde. http://azstateparks.com/parks/pipe/events.html

Picacho Peak State Park, off I-10

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