



Ridin' Herd by Scott Baxter

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#### SEPTEMBER 2011

- 15 **Hassayampa Lecture Series** Noon – 1:00 p.m., guest speaker photographer Tom Brownold, *The Grandest Ride: Mules of the Grand Canyon*, Free, exhibition on view through October 2
- 24 **Smithsonian Museum Day** Free museum admission

#### OCTOBER

- 4 **Volunteer Training** 9:00 – 11:00 a.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays through December 13, Free
- 8 **Cowboy Garage Sale** 7:00 a.m. – noon, 58 S. Tegner St. in downtown Wickenburg
- 8 **The Fisher Legacy** exhibition opens to the public, through January 8, 2012
- 20 **Hassayampa Lecture Series** Noon – 1:00 p.m., guest speaker historian Carol Brooks, *All Roads Led to Yuma*, Free
- 21 **Kenneth M. Freeman: Artist at Work** exhibition opening reception, 5:00-7:00 p.m., members free/\$10 non-members
- 22 **Kenneth M. Freeman: Artist at Work** exhibition opens to the public, through March 4, 2012

#### NOVEMBER

- 5 **Las Señoras 31st Annual Tour of Homes & Holiday Market** 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Wickenburg Community Center, \$20
- 8 **Tuesday Talks** 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. guest speaker photographer Kurt Wenner, *Arizona Ghost Towns*, members free/\$5 non-members, exhibition on view through February 26, 2012
- 13 **Welcome Back Cook-Out Flying E Guest Ranch**, 5:00 – 8:00 p.m., \$40
- 16 **Free Weekly Museum Tours Begin Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. through April**, free with paid admission
- 17 **Hassayampa Lecture Series** Noon – 1:00 p.m., guest speaker Sophie Echeverria, author of *Look Both Ways When You Break the Law*, Free
- 24 **Thanksgiving Day** Museum Closed

# A Brand of Museum Like No Other

### Come on Down the Trail and See Us!

Don't miss one of the best collections of Western art in the country and our blockbuster, ever-changing exhibits including *Cowgirl Up! Art from the Other Half of the West*. Be amazed by the cowboy gear and authentic period clothing in our *Hays' Spirit of the Cowboy Collection*, one of the largest and finest selections of historic cowboy memorabilia ever opened to public view. Peer into miniature scenes that tell the history of the region and the desert frontier. Stroll along a street of old Wickenburg that re-creates life in Arizona circa 1915, complete with a general store and a saloon. Turn the corner to visit a turn-of-the-century Victorian home including a parlor, dining room, kitchen, bedroom and laundry. Then head Out on the Ranch, an exhibition especially designed for the young of all ages. See you soon in Wickenburg!



Images of America, Wickenburg by Lynn Downey & Desert Caballeros Western Museum

### Museum Hours:

Monday – Saturday: 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
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Front images top to bottom: OX Ranch Wildflower Tour, *Calamity and Rusty* by Carrie Fell (detail), *Hard Days Night* by Kenneth Freeman (detail), Culture Path childrens program.

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## DECEMBER

- 1 **Holiday Train Exhibit Opens** On view through January 15, 2012
- 10 **Desert Adventure Tour: Historic Vulture Mine** 8:45 a.m. – Noon, self-drive or carpool, \$35 members/\$45 non-members
- 13 **Tuesday Talks** 4:00 – 5:00 p.m., guest speaker Troy Murray, *The Fisher Legacy*, members free/\$5 non-members, exhibition on view through January 8, 2012
- 15 **Hassayampa Lecture Series** Noon – 1:00 p.m., guest speaker John Langellier, Ph.D., Executive Director, Sharlot Hall Museum, *Remington's Buffalo Soldiers*, Free
- 24 **Museum closes at 1:30 p.m.**
- 25 **Christmas Holiday** Museum Closed
- 31 **Museum Closes at 1:30 p.m.**

## JANUARY 2012

- 1 **New Years Day** Museum Closed
- 10 **Tuesday Talks** guest speaker Bonnie Freeman, *Artist at Work: The Masterworks of Kenneth M. Freeman*, members free/\$5 non-members, Kenneth M. Freeman exhibition on view through March 4, 2012
- 10 **Dinner with special guest Bonnie Freeman** 5:30 – 8:00 p.m., \$100
- 14 **Salon Style: Selections from the Permanent Art Collection** exhibition on view through July 29, 2012
- 19 **Hassayampa Lecture Series** Noon – 1:00 p.m., guest speaker author Leo Banks, *Stalwart Women of Arizona*, Free
- 20 - 22 **Workshop with artist Carrie Fell** 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Three-day painting workshop in the Museum's Cultural Crossroads Learning Center, lunch provided, \$300 members/\$400 non-members
- 20 **Collecting the West: The Laura Ford Legacy** exhibition opening reception, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m., members free/\$10 non-members
- 21 **Collecting the West: The Laura Ford Legacy** exhibition opens to the public, through March 4, 2012
- 21 **Desert Adventure Tour: Constellation Road** 8:45 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., lunch and transportation provided, \$75 members/\$100 non-members
- 26 **Carrie Fell** exhibition at Northern Trust Bank Gainey Ranch Branch, Scottsdale, 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. Exhibition on view through April 2012
- 27 **Elk Hunters Feast** 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., in private home, \$35

## FEBRUARY

- 2 **Desert Adventure Tour: Ghost Towns** 8:45 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., self-drive or carpool, lunch provided at Nichols West Restaurant in Congress, \$65 members/\$90 non-members
- 4 **Cowboy Garage Sale** 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., 58 S. Tegner St. in downtown Wickenburg
- 9 **Harold Lyon** exhibition at Northern Trust Bank Biltmore Branch, Phoenix, 5:00 – 7:00 p.m., exhibition on view through April 2012
- 14 **Arizona State Centennial Day**
- 14 **Tuesday Talks** 4:00 – 5:00 p.m., guest speaker Abe Hays, *Olaf Wieghorst: A Love Affair with the West*, members free/\$5 non-members, *The Laura Ford Legacy* exhibition on view through March 4.

- 16 **Hassayampa Lecture Series** Noon – 1:00 p.m., guest speaker Arizona historian Vincent Murray, *The Creation of a County Called Maricopa*, Free. Program sponsored by the Arizona Humanities Council.
- 16 **Book signing with author Lynn Downey** 1:00 – 2:00 p.m., *Images of America: Wickenburg* published by Arcadia Publishing, Free
- 21 **Desert Adventure Tour: Bagdad Mine** 7:45 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., self-drive or carpool, lunch on your own at Circle Bar Steakhouse in Bagdad, \$35 members/\$50 non-members. The mine tour is free; proceeds help underwrite the Museum's education programs.
- 25 - 26 **Cynthia Rigden Sculpture Workshop** 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Two day workshop located at Rigden Ranch, lunch provided, \$200 members/\$275 non-members

## MARCH

- 3 **Signatures of American Ranching Branding Event at Boyd Ranch**, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. \$60 for lunch and entertainment or \$100 for lunch and the opportunity to brand an aged beam that will be installed in an exhibit at the Museum; \$50 for additional brand. \$100 ticket includes cocktail reception on Friday, March 2, 5:00-7:00 p.m., in the Museum's Cultural Crossroads Learning Center.
- 6 **Desert Adventure Tour: Bagdad Mine** 7:45 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., self-drive or carpool, lunch on your own at Circle Bar Steakhouse in Bagdad, \$35 members/\$50 non-members. The mine tour is free; proceeds help underwrite the Museum's education programs.
- 7 - 11 **Boyd Ranch Mule Ride**. For details, please go to [www.boydranch.org](http://www.boydranch.org)
- 9 **Cowgirls with a Camera** exhibition opening reception, 5:00 – 7:00 p.m., members free/\$10 non-members
- 10 **Cowgirls with a Camera** exhibition opens to the public, through May 27, 2012
- 13 **Tuesday Talks** 4:00 – 5:00 p.m., guest speaker artist Paul VerBurg, *In the Bag – Four Decades of Rodeo Artwork*, members free/\$5 non-members.
- 15 **Hassayampa Lecture Series** Noon – 1:00 p.m., guest speaker University of Arizona Professor Emeritus Ed Williams, *Bridges and Barriers on the Arizona Border: Fraternity, Friendship, Fear, Fantasy*, Free. Program sponsored by the Arizona Humanities Council.
- 20 **Desert Adventure Tour: Wickenburg Guest Ranches** 8:45 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., self-drive or carpool, lunch included at Rancho de los Caballeros, \$75 members/\$100 non-members
- 23 -25 **Cowgirl Up! Exhibition & Sale** opening weekend, Tickets available by calling the Museum or online at [www.westernmuseum.org](http://www.westernmuseum.org). *Cowgirl Up!* exhibition and sale continues through May 6, 2012 during regular Museum hours.

## APRIL

- 7 **Cowboy Garage Sale** 7:00 a.m. – noon, 58 S. Tegner St. in downtown Wickenburg
- 10 **Desert Adventure Tour: OX Ranch - Riparian Habitats** 7:45 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., self-drive or carpool, lunch on your own at Nichols West restaurant in Congress, \$50 members/\$75 non-members
- 10 **Tuesday Talks** 4:00 – 5:00 p.m., *Cowgirl with a Camera*, members free/\$5 non-members, exhibition on view through May 27, 2012
- 14 **Uncorked II Wine Dinner** 6:00 – 9:00 p.m., in private home, \$75
- 16 **Cowgirls & Camaraderie!** 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.: Scottsdale Artists' School sponsors *Cowgirl Up!* artist demonstrations in the Cultural Crossroads Learning Center; 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.: Up close and personal conversations as Executive Director, James Burns interviews *Cowgirl Up!* artists. Experience the rare opportunity to chat one-on-one with the stars of the Western art world as you enjoy hors d'oeuvres, hosted bar, silent auction and lots of fun! \$25
- 18 **Cowgirls Night Out** hosted by Las Señoras de Socorro 5:00 – 7:00 p.m., \$25, A shopping, wining and dining event held in the Museum's Cultural Crossroads Learning Center.
- 19 **Hassayampa Lecture Series** Noon - 1:00 p.m, guest speakers Norman Sandfield and Heard Museum Curator of Collections Diana Pardue, *Native American Bolo Ties, Vintage and Contemporary Artistry*, Free, followed by a book signing by Diana Pardue.

## MAY

- 17 **Desert Caballeros Western Museum Annual Meeting** 5:00 – 6:00 p.m., Free
- 17 **100 Years, 100 Ranchers Centennial Exhibition** opening reception and gallery talk, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., guest speaker photographer Scott Baxter, members free/\$10 non-members
- 18 **International Museum Day**, Free museum admission
- 18 **100 Years, 100 Ranchers Centennial Exhibition** opens to the public, on view through October 7, 2012
- 28 **Memorial Day** Museum Closed



Bagdad Mine Tours