



HISTORICAL LEAGUE NEWSLETTER

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The mission of Historical League, Inc., is to support the AZ Heritage Center at Papago Park by contributing the services of its members, securing and allocating resources, and conducting informational and promotional activities.

October 2018

Edited by Mary Parker

Family Holiday Party Phoenix Theatre Saturday, December 8, 2018

Please join the Historical League for a Family Holiday Party at Phoenix Theatre on Saturday, December 8, 2018 for a reception and professional production of *Elf: The Musical*.

This fun musical version of the beloved holiday movie *Elf* is a must for any fan of Buddy (the boy raised by elves), Santa Claus and all things Christmas!

Complimentary light refreshments, a no-host bar and raffles for both children and adults.

Festivities begin at **12:30 p.m.** and show starts at **2 p.m.**

Tickets are available for \$60 and \$80.

To purchase tickets, visit www.HistoricalLeague.org and click on the link to the Phoenix Theatre website, or call the Phoenix Theatre box office at 602- 254- 2151. **You must say you are purchasing tickets for the Historical League benefit performance. Tickets will be available until and including Friday, November 16, 2018.**

The League is again providing the opportunity to **donate tickets** to underprivileged children who have little or no experience of live theater. We have partnered with the Audrey Johnson Theatre Foundation to provide theater tickets to local charities focused on helping needy children. To donate tickets, call the Phoenix Theatre box office at 602-254-2151, and tell them you wish to donate tickets for the Historical League benefit matinee performance of *Elf: The Musical*, or tickets may be donated by mailing a check **payable to Phoenix Theatre** to the following address: Historical League Inc. 115 East Country Club Drive, Phoenix AZ 85014.

All proceeds from this Family Holiday Party will help support the important work of the **Arizona Heritage Center at Papago Park** in Tempe.

Many thanks to **Pat Faur** for designing the promotional postcard for this event, **Donna Esposito** for organizing the raffles, and to **Cindy Tidwell Shelton and Claire Nullmeyer** for organizing the reception.



Anne Lupica and Carolyn Mendoza

More "Elf" on page 3



ERMA BOMBECK: AT WIT'S END

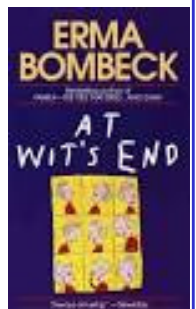
Please join League members and friends on Sunday, November 18, at 2:00 p.m. at the Herberger Theater for Arizona Theatre Company's production of *ERMA BOMBECK: At Wit's End*

Tickets are available for \$40 each, by mailing a check payable to the Historical League, Inc., to:

Claire Nullmeyer, at 45 E. 14th Street, Tempe, AZ 85281.

A loving tribute to one of our own Historymakers, who was a national superstar as a best-selling author and syndicated journalist, lauded for opening up the secret world of the mother and housewife.

Tickets may also be purchased by check, cash or credit card at League meetings. All seats are in the balcony. All ticket sales are non-refundable. The League has 50 tickets available, and seats will be assigned on a first come/first served basis. This is a "Thank You" event for our members (not a fundraiser), as tickets are priced significantly below the price of single tickets available from the theater.



A message from Mary Garbaciak, President



Our fall weather is just around the corner and our many events are just beginning. With these fun happenings comes exciting changes for the Historical League. A new office, new furniture, copy and fax machine and a computer for all of us to use along with a different agenda and format for our monthly meetings. All committees are equal thus the reason we will be having a change in format, drawing names for who speaks first. It's fun and that is what our 2018 - 2019 is all about. In addition it's about working together. For those who have helped out for many years, thank you. For those who could still help,

we need you. Please step up and volunteer to help with the Family Holiday Party and Recognition Luncheon. The ladies who have done these projects in the past are available for guidance and suggestions to assist with your work.

We will be having monthly emails to explain upcoming events, minutes from meetings and anything the members ask from the Board and/or Committee Chairs.

As always, I look forward to seeing all of you at our meetings and events.

Mary

President 2018 - 2019

Twelve sites Six centuries Countless stories

The Summer of 2018 has been a time of change for AHS. We have new mission, vision, and guiding statements: Mission "Connecting people through the power of Arizona's history." / Vision "To be the driving force strengthening Arizona's communities by promoting history through leadership, partnership, and scholarship." / Guiding "Create transformative experiences through history." To fulfill these statements, AHS staff have been busy working on a statewide schedule of exhibitions, programs, and events to thrill audiences in the coming year. And, that's not all!

In August, the first statewide reorganization of the Agency was unveiled to staff. Implementation of the reorganization will be phased in between now and December 2018. We reorganized to create a statewide identity for the Agency, empower staff to put their talents to best use for the Agency, and to create efficiencies to maximize the Agency's limited resources. But, change is never easy.

How will this affect individual AHS sites? If we "got it right," the reorganization will benefit every site, because staff members with the most expertise in a given area will be employing that skill set statewide. Further, staff, boards, and stakeholders will now have an empowering message and be able to speak with one voice.

In pursuit of unity, words that are confusing or divisive have been erased from AHS, including "division" and "director." Site directors have been promoted to Vice Presidents, and they now oversee staff based on functional areas of expertise rather than geographical regions. They now manage teams in cities across the state. Tawn Downs has been promoted to Vice President, Marketing, Communications, and Revenue Enhancement. Bill Peterson is our new Vice President, Collections and Education. Les Roe has returned to his love of exhibitions as Vice President of Exhibitions. David Turpie has taken on curatorial and is now Vice

President of Research and Publications. Yanna Kruse is now spreading the magic she has worked in Yuma as Vice President of the Guest Experience. Susan Irwin, who inspired the reorganization, is Vice President of Library & Archives. Bill Ponder, who steered AHS through an important transition in its history, remains Deputy Director and Chief Operating Officer.



Dr. W. James Burns

The reorganization has been accomplished with very few geographical relocations of staff, with the exception of the membership coordinator's position, which is now based in Tempe, along with two new positions – grants coordinator and communications manager. Each of those positions is part of Tawn's new team.

The remainder of the Tempe team is in place, doing essentially the same job they have been doing, but reporting to a different supervisor. You'll see the same familiar, friendly, faces when you visit any of our twelve sites around the state

Speaking of which, we are piloting a new tagline: Twelve sites, Six Centuries, Countless Stories. That's a lot of ways to engage with AHS across the State. I look forward to seeing you soon, and often, at one of our locations in Douglas, Flagstaff, Strawberry, Tempe, Tucson, or Yuma! Be a part of supporting the Next West.

W. James Burns, Ph.D.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

ARIZONA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Tucson AHS Museum, September 7



John Slaughter's Changing West: Tombstone, Bullets, and Longhorns.

As the John H. Slaughter Ranch historian, Reba was invited last September (2017) to be a guest curator for the Slaughter Exhibit at AHS Museum in Tucson, and was able to share her 30+ years of Slaughter research for this exhibit. Zona donated the Chinese tea set (shown on Zona's left) that was reported to be a wedding gift to Viola and John Slaughter. Viola Slaughter's niece sold the set to an antique store in Tombstone in the 1940s and Zona's great-aunt purchased it. The original design quilt in the background, is a repeating block and has been named "Cochise County."

Zona Lorig and Reba Wells Grandrud

More "Elf":

Family Holiday Party **raffle**

**DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY!
THERE WILL BE SEVERAL WINNERS!!**

Once again, at the Family Holiday Party on December 8, we will be drawing raffle tickets for several items. You may be a lucky winner. Most importantly, you will be supporting the Arizona Heritage Center through our wonderful Historical League.

Besides raffle ticket purchases, we are seeking donations. Cash is always welcome. Perhaps you have an idea of a special item to donate for one of the raffles.

All raffle tickets can be purchased in advance. The tickets will be labeled and distributed to members on the day of the event! If you cannot be present, let Donna Esposito know which raffles you're interested in and your tickets will be placed in the raffle of your preference.

We will have raffles for 2 assorted red and white wine baskets, a specialty beer/ale/lager basket, and 5 or 6 children's items each worth \$100 - \$150, and the above mentioned 50/50 raffle for cash! **Ticket prices are 2 for \$10 – and 10 for \$20!**

There will be Mercedes Benz pedal car, which will be in a separate raffle, with tickets at \$10. We want to give each participant more chances to win.

We are looking for helpers. Are you available to help that day? Please contact **Donna Esposito** if you would be willing to help with this event: desposito1946@gmail.com or 602-862-0780.

Let's all help out so that the donations and contributions are not carried by a few.



A fun basketball game will be offered in the children's raffle

AZ HERITAGE CENTER

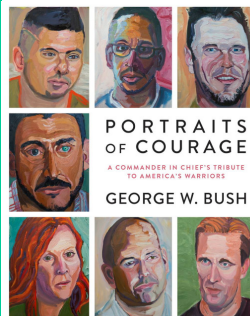


The fall season is underway here at the Arizona Heritage Center, and there is a lot going on. If you haven't seen the news yet, we are so excited to host the **Portraits of Courage: A Commander in Chief's Tribute to America's Warriors** Exhibition! This is a collection of paintings by former President George W. Bush, featuring nearly 100 post 9/11 service men and women. We have partnered with the Sandra Day O'Connor Institute to bring this exhibit to Arizona – we are one of only four venues to host this exhibition this year. We are working on a variety of programming, including:

October 19: 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm – Opening Night Reception. Refreshments and entertainment. No charge, but donations are welcomed to help offset the cost of the exhibition programming. RSVP to azheritagecenter@azhs.gov, or 480.929.0292.

November 17: 10:00 am – 11:30 am – "Artistic Insights" with Sedrick Huckaby, President Bush's Art Instructor. Program followed by a champagne reception from 11:30 – 12:30. Cost: \$20. Pre-purchase tickets. Details to follow soon.

December 1, 2018: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm – Veteran and Military Family Day. Free admission for veterans and active military and their accompanying family members to the museum, including access to the Portraits of Courage exhibition. Fun activities for adults and children, food trucks, entertainment. Open to the public; normal admission applies to non-service members.



December 8, 2018: Evening event – times to be determined. "Fireside Chat" with Medal of Honor recipient, Col. Jay Vargas. More details to follow soon.

I look forward to seeing all of you at the opening, and for many of the exciting events!

Tawn Downs

VICE PRESIDENT

MARKETING, COMMUNICATIONS AND REVENUE ENHANCEMENT

HISTORYMAKER RECEPTION FOR MERRILL MAHAFFEY

September 10

1. Merrill and Jeanne Mahaffey
2. Mark Reckling, Sheila Kollasch, Eileen Bailey
3. Pat Faur, David Smith, Susan Dale



HISTORYMAKER RECEPTION FOR ART DECABOOTER

September 24

1. Dr. DeCabooter with his family
2. Paul Rizzo, Mary DeCabooter, Ginny and Pete Economopoulos
3. Dr. DeCabooter and Lara DeCabooter



MEET THE HISTORICAL LEAGUE'S 2019 HISTORYMAKERS

JOIN US IN HONORING THEM AT OUR FEBRUARY 23 HISTORYMAKERS GALA

BETSEY BAYLESS



A third-generation Arizonan, Betsey Bayless has served as Arizona secretary of state, Maricopa County board supervisor, and president and CEO for Maricopa Integrated Health System. A one-time Valley Leadership Woman of the Year and HOPE honoree, Ms. Bayless maintains memberships on the boards of numerous community, business, nonprofit and political organizations. She also has devoted her time and talents to the Arizona Board of Regents, the Arizona Department of Administration, and the Arizona Department of Revenue. She has worked as an investment banker and a stock broker. Ms. Bayless earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Latin American studies and Spanish from the University of Arizona and a Master of Public Administration degree from Arizona State University. She was awarded an Honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree from the University of Arizona.

DR. ARTHUR DECABOOTER



Dr. Arthur DeCaboooter served as the president of Scottsdale Community College for more than 30 years before retiring in 2008. During his tenure, the enrollment at the college grew to more than 10,000 students. In 2010, the school honored him by naming its athletic facilities the Arthur W. DeCaboooter Athletic Complex. Dr. DeCaboooter presided as the first chairman of the McDowell Sonoran Preserve Commission and chaired it for more than 15 years. This commission spearheaded the conservation of a more-than-30,000-acre city preserve. He also chaired numerous healthcare and education committees and chaired the STARS and Scottsdale Visioning 20/20 initiatives. He holds a doctoral degree in education from Indiana University, which honored him with a distinguished alumni award from the School of Education. The Phi Beta Kappa International Honor Society recognized him with a lifetime achievement award.

MICHAEL J. FOX



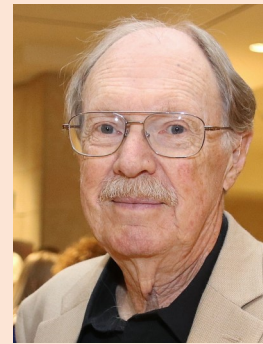
Michael J. Fox, the founding director and CEO of Western Spirit: Scottsdale's Museum of the West, has been a leader in art and cultural institutions for almost his entire career. He and his wife, Jean, moved from Wisconsin to Arizona in 1971. He served with the American Cancer Society in both Wisconsin and Arizona, and he was the founding executive director of the Arizona Diabetes Association before becoming assistant director for development of the Phoenix Art Museum. He then served as director and CEO of the Heard Museum. During his time at the Heard, he played an instrumental role in the passage of the federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act. Mr. Fox also led the Museum of Northern Arizona and its Colton Research Center in Flagstaff, and Butterfly Wonderland on the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community. Outside Arizona, he founded and served as CEO of the Muhammad Ali Center in Louisville, Kentucky.

ALFREDO GUTIERREZ



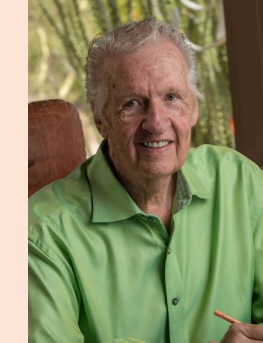
Alfredo Gutierrez founded Arizona State University's Mexican-American Student Organization, which evolved into the Movimiento Estudiantil Chicano de Aztlan. He also played a key role in the founding of Chicanos por la Causa and Valle del Sol in Phoenix, which provide much-needed resources to some of the state's underserved residents. Mr. Gutierrez served in the Arizona State Senate and was both the majority leader and minority leader. He also served as the president of Maricopa County College Governing Board. Professionally, he has worked as a public relations executive, a consultant, a public speaker, a talk radio host, and an educator. Mr. Gutierrez is the author of *To Sin Against Hope: How America Has Failed Its Immigrants* and the founder of the online publication, *La Frontera Times*. He is a Vietnam War veteran and a Robert. F. Kennedy Memorial Fellow. Mr. Gutierrez was awarded a doctoral degree, Honoris Causa, from Arizona State University.

MERRILL MAHAFFEY



An undeniable icon within Arizona and the Southwest arts scene, Merrill Mahaffey has enjoyed more than four decades as a nationally recognized painter. He is known for his ability to emphasize realism and fractal modernism within Southwestern landscapes and for his dedication and expertise as an art educator. His works are exhibited at some of the nation's most respected art institutions, among them the Phoenix Art Museum and the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York. His uniquely Arizona landscapes and art endeavors also are on display at numerous institutional, corporate and public locations nationwide. He continues to lead the way for new generations of artist-explorers who will interpret the western landscape. Mr. Mahaffey holds a bachelor of fine arts degree from Sacramento State University and a master of fine arts degree from Arizona State University.

VERNON D. SWABACK



At the age of 17, Vernon Swaback was the youngest student ever to be invited by Frank Lloyd Wright into the Taliesin Fellowship. His Scottsdale-based firm is responsible for some of the most significant planning projects in Arizona's history, including the award-winning Arizona Biltmore Estates. This 1,040-acre project was considered to be the most difficult and significant rezoning in Arizona history. The Swaback firm has prepared general plans for the town of Fountain Hills and the city of Sedona. Mr. Swaback also is the planner for the 2,600-acre Mountain Park Ranch, the 8,000-acre DC Ranch in Scottsdale, the 5,600-acre Anthem Arizona, and the 5,000-acre town of Kohler, Wisconsin. He is a registered architect in 11 states and has been inducted into the College of Fellows by both the American Institute of Architects and the American Institute of Certified Planners. He has authored several books on design, community planning, and incorporating nature into the design process.

GALA NEWS

Diana Smith, Historymakers Recognition Program Chair, has been working very hard this summer. She kept in touch with the Historymakers, setting times to have **Scott Baxter** photograph them; working with **Carey Pena** to schedule the interviews and oral histories; and gathering family photos to be digitized. This year the oral history interviews were done at the museum, and our interviewers were **Zona Lorig, Norma Jean Coulter, Diane Smith and Diana Smith.**



Diane Smith and Diana Smith

We are in the process of hosting the pre-Gala receptions and gathering names for the

invitations. The save-the-date card went out to about 1,000 homes, and we hope you have received yours. Please mark FEBRUARY 23 on your calendar NOW! We would love to see another great turnout of Historical League members as we did in 2017.

Also hard at work this summer have been **Carolyn Hartman**, silent auction chair, and her co-chair, **Mary Pat Honoy**. She has a wonderful committee who is putting together a great list of auction items.

Pat Faur, chair of the Gala, has been taking care of mostly small, behind-the-scenes details this summer. **Catie Richman**, of Evans Communications, has been a great help in

making sure we are on schedule. Most of the major decisions will be happening this fall as we kick into high gear.

One of the major tasks ahead is gathering sponsorships. If you have any contacts that might be potential sponsors, we have the sponsorship packet available for all levels. Please contact her at patfaur@cox.net if you would like more information about these sponsorships. The individual tickets and tables will come at a later date as we get near sending out the invitations.

Another huge task is promoting the Gala, and we need all Historical League members do their part to help fill tables and promote the League's commitment to honor these

important Arizonans and preserve their individual stories in the Arizona Historical Society archives.

One item was completed, and a huge thank you to **Judi Maher, Julie Moore's** sister-in-law, in San Mateo, CA, who spent many hours sewing our beautiful table toppers at no cost. She is a real treasure! They are really beautiful. Here is a picture of Judi with her husband Bob, Julie's brother. They celebrated their 50th anniversary this summer!





October Tour

November Bus Tour



Because of a 20-person limit, there will be two identical tours in October to the City of Phoenix water intake treatment facility, on October 18 and 25. Meet at 10:45 a.m. at the facility, 6202 N. 24th Street in Phoenix. Signing up will require your name, phone number, and identification. The same identification must be presented at the time of the tour. Lunch will follow at the Parlor Pizzeria (a former beauty parlor!) at 1916 E. Camelback. Your luncheon choices are Roasted Beet Salad, Heirloom Margherita Pizza, or Portobello Parmesan Sandwich. Cost is \$25. For more information, please call **Rene Blain at 602-684-1607**. You may sign up at the October meeting.



The November meeting and bus tour will be on Thursday, November 8. Please note that there will not be a regular meeting the first Monday of November; the meeting will be held on the bus. We will be visiting the Ft. Whipple Museum in Prescott, a former U.S. Army post which served as Arizona's capital prior to the founding of Prescott. In 1863 it was established near Chino Valley, but was later moved to Prescott to better protect the miners. Now the Veterans Administration Medical Center, the complex was rebuilt after World War I as a respiratory hospital for veterans. The museum is one of the officer's houses, and we will have a docent-led tour.

After our tour, we will be served a Mexican buffet luncheon in the Marina Room at the Hassayampa Inn in downtown Prescott, and have some free time for sightseeing and shopping around the Courthouse Plaza.

We will board the bus at 8:30 a.m. from the parking lot at North Phoenix Baptist Church, 5858 N. Central (just south of Bethany Home Road), and a pick up farther north can be arranged if there is a demand. The cost is \$65 for members, and \$70 for guests. We should return to the church about 5:00.

You may sign up at the October meeting, or call **Judy Blackwell, 602-320-3731**. The deadline is November 4.

GALA—13

SILENT AUCTION

Our enthusiastic auction committee met recently, and we'd like to update you on our successes and our needs.

As so many of you probably know, our goal for the Gala in February is to make a sizeable contribution to the Arizona Heritage Center with themes showcasing once-in-a-lifetime experiences, and/or unusual gifts. Starting in January, the committee approached item donors from the 2017 Gala, and solicited the same donation, but with enhancements! We also decided on theme signs to be strategically placed, so as you enter the auction area you'll be instantly attracted to specific areas of your personal interests.

Our themes and secured items are as follows:

The Creative World (Music, Art, Theater and Dance): Tickets to the AZ Opera and Phoenix Symphony; several special experiences with the Arizona Ballet; a painting from the AZ Cowboy Hall of Fame. We're awaiting donations from the Phoenix Art Museum and theater experiences.

Adventures Near and Far (Special encounters within Arizona and intriguing locales beyond): Glider ride in Tucson; WWII bi-plane ride; AZ Highways Photography experience in northern AZ; Wigwam stay and dinner at Litchfield's; Red Door Spa Package; Brophy Ranch lodging and exploration; Sedona Cabin stay with nearby dining and wine tasting; Diamondbacks package. We're awaiting donations of a winter ski package to complement a cabin stay at Munds Park; NASCAR; and golfing.

For Youngsters in Your Life (Equipment, theaters, museums, and interactive children attractions): We're awaiting a donation with a bicycle company for a tandem or child's bike with helmet, etc. If you have some connections and can help us out in this area, please contact us.

Historymakers (Auction Items from the Historymakers): These are in process and will be revealed at a later date.

The Highest End (Fine jewelry, art, and adventures) These items could be coming in the next few months. If you have any ideas to share, please contact us:



Carolyn Hartman - chartman5@cox.net or Mary Pat Honey - mhoney1@cox.net

New Member Mentors Mary McMahon and Julie Moore announce two new members:

Lena Hogdahl and Judy Kittoe. Welcome to the Historical League!



Norma Hinton and Pam Swartz at Lon's

TASTES & TREASURES II

A STORYTELLING COOKBOOK OF HISTORIC ARIZONA



Linda Corderman, Ruth McLeod and Cathy Shumard delivering books

From an online order, "Tastes & Treasures II is a Christmas present for our son who is a history buff and loves to cook as well. We're relatively new to Arizona so the idea of a marriage of history and recipes was a winner! Thank you for writing and we look forward to testing and tasting." Sincerely, Deborah from Chandler, AZ.

Tastes & Treasures II has been available since March 1, and we are so pleased to already be receiving reorders.

Arizona Inn wanted to stock up for the fall season, ordered 20 more books and Linda Corderman delivered them. Rene Blain delivered 10 books to Sunnyslope Historical Society; Norma Jean Coulter delivered 20 books to the Garden Café in Yuma; Norma Hinton delivered reordered books to Lon's; Ruth McLeod delivered 20 books to the AZ Heritage Center; and both the Spicery and Write-Ons reordered books.

New stores include Gingerbread House (thanks to Kay Holcombe) and Mary Maude's Antiques in Pinetop (thanks to Norma Hinton), Grey Goose in Greer (thanks to Linda Fritsch) and Boyce Thompson Arboretum (thanks to Pam Stevenson). If your favorite store has sold out, remind them that you can deliver books to them.

Amazon is a powerhouse for publicity and sales. We are now selling on Amazon, finding that so many people ask, "Is the book for sale on Amazon?" Thanks to Cathy Shumard for mailing Amazon orders. Please go to Amazon and write a short review.

Susan Dale, Public Relations chair, is working with several magazines and radio stations. Look for articles in November and December in *The Red Book Magazine*, *Trends*, *Big Blend's Radio & TV Magazine*, *Parks & Travel Magazine*, *North Scottsdale* and *Paradise Valley Lifestyle Magazines*.



Cathy Shumard at the Payson Book Fest

Even if you don't go to Facebook all the time, it is important, easy and no cost to SHARE info about *Tastes & Treasures II*. Delores Tomasek wins the prize for the most SHARES AND LIKES!! You can also help out by writing a review on our

Facebook page at [Facebook.com/HistoricLeague](https://www.facebook.com/HistoricLeague).

Special Events are a perfect place to promote the book.

Thanks to outstanding sales this summer: July 21 - Cathy Shumard at the Payson Book Festival; July 31 - Barb Ziehler, Delores Tomasek,

Zona Lorig and Jan Hoeschler at the White Mountains Home Tour; August 4, - Linda Corderman, Leslie Christiansen, Ruth McLeod, Bonnie Newhoff and Cathy Shumard at

SchoolConnectaz.org with National History Day co-ordinator Stacy Trepanier helping.

Please contact Cathy Shumard if you would like to have fun with us, helping out this fall at:

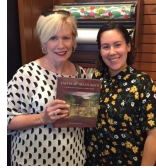
- Nov 3 at Tempe Book Festival
- Nov 5 at Briarwood Country Club, Sun City West
- Nov 9-11 at Fountain Hills Festival
- Nov 17-18 at Scottsdale ArtFest

Our website is getting an upgrade thanks to the wonderful assistance of Chris Corak, Cathy Shumard's son. We have met with him twice and he is so helpful, volunteering his time to make searching for and ordering *Tastes & Treasures II* online an easier experience. Sharon McKinney continues to fill all online orders: 137 to date.

Many League members belong to P.E.O. groups and have found that *Tastes & Treasures II* is an excellent fundraiser for this educational society. 180 books have been sold through them. Contact Linda Corderman for information to raise funds for your group.

Remember that buying a box of ten books will get you a 20% discount and cost only \$240. Contact Ruth McLeod for books. Think about your holiday gift-giving . . .

The hard workers on the right, showed up at the Bindery June 30, to inventory the cookbooks, so that they could give Rebecca Stone, Treasurer, an accurate inventory count for the League's year-end tally: Renee Donnelly, Leslie Christiansen, Nina Filippi, Anne Lupica and Diana Smith.



Linda Corderman delivering books to

Emma at the Arizona Inn



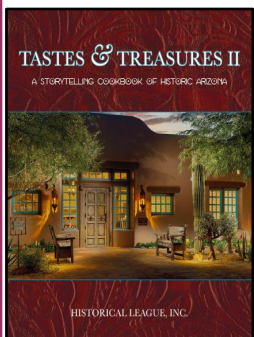
Jan Hoeschler, Gaye Krogh (tour chair), Lyn Lewis, and Barb Ziehler at the White Mountains Home Tour



Linda Corderman and Leslie Christiansen selling books at the SchoolConnectAZ event



National History Day coordinator, Stacey Trepanier, and students go to Washington, D.C., for the nationals. Funds raised from the cookbook help NHD. NHD is one of the recipients of our HL fundraising.



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Annual Meeting/Recognition TBD

*Erma Bombeck Theatre Event Anne Lupica,
Claire Nullmeyer*

Family Holiday Party Donna Esposito, Anne Lupica, Cindy Tidwell Shelton

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C A L E N D A R 2 0 1 8—2 0 1 9

- October 1** General Membership Meeting
- October 18 & 25** Tour, City of Phoenix Water Treatment Facility
- October 19—** Portraits in Courage: Pres. George Bush
- December 19**
- November 3** AHS Annual Meeting, Tucson
- November 8, Thursday** General Membership Meeting on bus to Prescott
- November 18** At Wit's End, Arizona Theatre Company
- Sunday, 2:00**
- December 3** General Membership Meeting, Christmas Party
- December 8** Family Holiday Party "Elf," Phoenix Theatre

~~~~~ **H A P P Y N E W Y E A R** ~~~~~

- January 7** General Membership Meeting  
Sue Eberle, speaker (tentative)
- February 4** General Membership Meeting
- February 23** 2019 Historymakers Gala and Recognition Program
- March 4** General Membership Meeting
- April 1** General Membership Meeting
- April 11-13** History Convention, Prescott
- April 16-18** Overnight tour
- May 6** General Membership Meeting
- May TBD** Annual Meeting & Recognition Luncheon
- June 3** General Membership Meeting

**All monthly meetings start at 10 a.m.**

**Lunch is served at 11:30; Hospitality chair needs your RSVP  
Speaker starts at 12:30**

You have received the Historical League newsletter because you are a League member, a friend, or a member of the Arizona Historical Society. Please take time to read through the newsletter to find out all the wonderful activities that you are invited to participate in. In addition to our monthly meetings, you can listen to fabulous speakers, go on tours, both locally and all over the state, come to luncheons and openings at the museum, and so much more. There will be many opportunities for you to volunteer. We would love for you to join our organization and meet a diverse group of members from Arizona and all over the US who are dedicated to preserving our cultural heritage.

