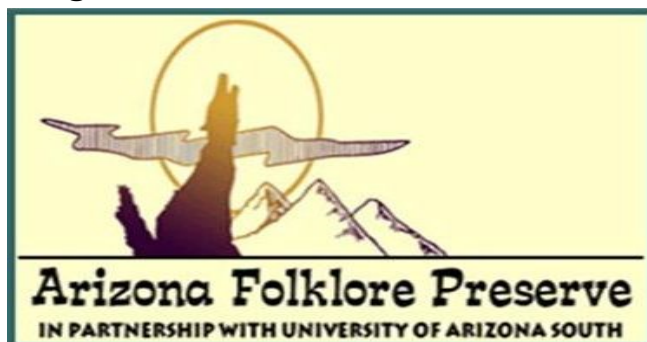


Here's what is happening at . . .



October 2022



Editor's Note:

I have published the performers schedule through 2022 on page 2 of this "News." You'll find old favorites, as well as some exciting new people coming to the AFP. It's going to be a fun year!

The AFP has always depended on its volunteers to run the place. As Dolan says, "The volunteers are the life blood of the AFP." Some years ago friend of the AFP, Jerome Campbell (Call of the West) wrote a song about the AFP volunteers. In 2017 I put it together with photos of the volunteers at that time.

Enjoy it [here](#) and see how many volunteers you remember! The impact and importance of those who volunteer cannot be understated. Thanks everyone - past and present!

If you would be interested in one of the best volunteer jobs, please give us a call at 520-378-6165. We'd love to talk to you!

Your comments are welcome at:

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Look forward to seeing you at the AFP!

- Carolyn G.

Look who's coming this month!

**Saturday & Sunday
October 1 & 2**



The Sonoran Dogs

It's [The Sonoran Dogs Bluegrass Band](#) seen in this YouTube video. Formed in 2011, The Sonoran Dogs have exploded upon the Arizona bluegrass scene, performing at the Sedona, Wickenburg, Tucson, and Tubac bluegrass festivals. The group is made up of seasoned veterans who have come together to enjoy bluegrass music and friendship. They play a collection of traditional bluegrass standards, new-grass, and original compositions. Every concert is different, as they often improvise the set to follow the mood of their audience. It makes for a fun and dynamic show you don't want to miss!



**Saturday & Sunday
October 8 & 9**



[Nancy McCallion & Danny Krieger](#)

This husband/wife team brings us an exciting afternoon of music. Nancy is the daughter of an Irish-Scots immigrant and a Texas farm girl who grew up in Tucson. She heard, and was obviously influenced by, the Norteño sounds of her Southwest Side neighborhood, her older sister's Beatles records, and 1970s and '80s radio rock, mixed with her dad's Irish traditions and her mother's Texas old-time country.

Danny is one of the Southwest's most respected guitarists/slide guitarists. His musical resume includes world-wide tours with British pop band 'Christy' in the early '70s and numerous recording sessions with a variety of artists



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**Saturday & Sunday
October 15 & 16**



The Mule Boys

Scott Muhleman, namesake of this duo, blows a mean harp. He's been bending notes and playing the blues since the sixties, from LA, Waikiki in '68, Alaska, San Francisco, to Bisbee, Arizona. He came to Bisbee the first time while touring with DC Miner and Blues on the Move.

Jon Messenger's story has been a musical journey through the west, the Everglades, and Cornwall-on-Hudson. Now he's had some 25 years of performing at home in Cochise County, Arizona, and points north west and east. Scott met Jon at a camp out at Parker Canyon Lake in 1992. Assembled with like minds in fine surroundings, music was made.

Jon says, "A coupla few years ago the notion of some several collaborations under the moniker *The Mule Boys* could provide for some fine noise in a good room! Of late, the notion progresses. It's a good sound. It's a good life. So we're playing!"



**Saturday & Sunday
October 22 & 23**



Eric Ramsey

Eric Ramsey writes from experience about the human condition - at times sensitive, at times humorous, always thought-provoking. His arrangements and delivery encompass a spectrum of styles, from delicate fingerpicking to raucous, bluesy bottleneck slide. Among his accomplishments:

Winner, 2022 International Blues Challenge Solo/Duo Category

Winner, Memphis Cigar Box Guitar Award for the Outstanding Solo/Duo Guitarist

Winner, "Peoples' Choice" Award, 2022 Wildflower Arts and Music Festival

3x Winner of Arizona Blues Showdown.



AFP SCHEDULE October - December 2022

October 1/2 The Sonoran Dogs
 October 8/9 Nancy McCallion & Danny Krieger
 October 15/16 The Mule Boys
 October 22/23, Eric Ramsey
 October 29/30, Tish Hinojosa
 November 5/6 Peter Dalton Ronstadt
 & The Company
 November 12/13 **IWMA weekend** Michael Grande

November 19/20 The Tirebiters
 November 26/27 The Cowboy Way
 December 3/4 Carra "Mamma Coal" Stasney
 with Alvin Blaine
 December 10/11 Carlson/Wilcox 47
 December 17/18/ Nick McBlaine & Log Train
 December 24/25 **CHRISTMAS**
 Dec. 31/Jan.1 **NEW YEARS**

**Saturday & Sunday
October 29 & 30**



Tish Hinojosa

Tish Hinojosa is a singer-songwriter from Austin, Texas. Hinojosa's blend of folk, country, Latino, and pop has an undeniable far reaching appeal. She has garnered accolades such as a White House concert at the invitation of President and Mrs. Clinton and teaming up with artists such as Joan Baez, Booker T. Jones, Flaco Jimenez, Pete Seeger, and Dwight Yoakam. She has recorded as an independent artist as well as for A&M, Warner Bros, and Rounder Records and has been a featured artist on Austin City Limits, A Prairie Home Companion and other NPR programs. With seventeen CDs to her name, Tish's distinct sound has gained her much critical acclaim. Tish has toured extensively throughout the U.S. and Europe and continues to draw a loyal and growing audience.

"Simply put, Hinojosa is a first class songwriter"
- CHICAGO TRIBUNE

**Balladeer's Blog #40
Campfire Tips**

Desert fall campfire season is just around the corner, and I hope you will take the time to get out and enjoy the ambience of one. As beautiful and as enjoyable as they are, campfires can also be very dangerous, especially for those who are inexperienced and without campfire skills. I would like to share just a few basic campfire suggestions for your enjoyment and safety.

1. Use only dry and dead wood found under big logs, overhangs, and under low trees.
2. When building your fire, first dig a shallow pit and then place a small pile of dry dead grass and weeds in it. Add lots of twigs on top of that. Then add a few small dry branches or small pieces of wood to the very top. Add the larger wood after fire is burning well.
3. Use only igneous rocks (volcanic rocks) for your fire ring. Sedimentary rocks, with strata layers in them, absorb water and will explode like a bomb when heated.
4. Build your fire in a clear and open area. Not under low overhanging tree branches or brush.
5. Set up your camp or picnic area 90° to the current wind direction. This will keep you out of the heavy smoke when the wind will change direction at about 8:00 p.m.
6. **Make sure your campfire is completely out and dead before leaving.** Pour the water from your ice chest on it, or maybe even pour all the left-over pop and beer that's already open, as well. (Of course, if you are among good friends, you guys can also help extinguish it in a "natural sort of way.")
Have fun and be safe.

Moho night scene



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