

The Synapse!

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Astounding Tucson Points

Old Tucson Studios

The little make-believe Western town of Old Tucson, in the style of the late 19th century, was reconstructed in 1940 as the setting for numerous Western films. Located out on its own in the desert, with surrounding hills. These sets have been used for decades, with movies like Young Guns, and many films starring John Wayne. There is a concert series and dance hall revue, along with other forms of live entertainment. Visitors can take a guided tour to see which sets were used in various films and learn about the history. You can also wander through the "town" on your own or have lunch.



Mount Lemmon

The Mount Lemmon Highway, which carries traffic from metropolitan Tucson to Summer haven, has undergone a Federal Highway Improvement. This project was started in 1986 and completed in 2003. Mt. Lemmon and Sabino Canyon are Tucson's second most popular tourist attraction. Weekend days with fresh snow on the ground are always a challenge. At times the Mt. Lemmon Highway is too many cars on the facilities to accommodate numbers of people and



closed to traffic due to highway and lack of date these large numbers.

Westin La Paloma

A new level of comfort awaits at The Westin La Paloma Resort & Spa. This iconic resort is nestled on 250 acres in the high Sonoran Desert foothills of the Santa Catalina Mountains with picturesque mountain, city and golf course views amidst stunning desert landscape and wildlife. Not only is this a beautiful resort where you can have a fun weekend with your family. But it is also the location of our Arizona HOSA Spring Leadership Conference. Our AzHOSA team is so excited to see all of our amazing members this March. Make sure you are ready for competition. Get ready for some serious fun!



Past Sate Officer!



Hello HOSA members this month's Past State Officer is Brittany Ebbing

Brittany Ebbing served as a state officer for Arizona HOSA two consecutive years. Her first year she was elected as the Secondary Central Region Vice President. The second year she served as the President of Arizona HOSA.

Brittany joined HOSA her junior year in high school, where she took her Health Science classes at Paradise Valley High School. During that time as a junior, she was a part of the Health Care Pathways, where she then took the Certified Nursing Assisting course her senior year. Her experience in HOSA has provided her a multitude of opportunities that she participated in. As a state officer, she attended several National Leadership Conferences and the Washington Leadership Academy. Brittany's most memorable and greatest experiences as a HOSA member was when she interned for the Office of Surgeon General during the summer of 2012. Since having graduated from Paradise Valley High School in May 2009, she continued her education at Barrett, The Honors College at Arizona State University. Brittany graduated May 2013 where she received her Bachelor of Science in Family and Human Development, with a minor in Biology. She continued her education at the University of Arizona College of Medicine Phoenix, where she is currently a third year medical school student, pursuing a dual MD/MPH degree. Brittany looks forward to her graduation from medical school in May 2017. Be sure to keep your eye out for this young and very intelligent doctor! Who knows maybe the next time you get a checkup at the Arizona HOSA's making sure that status.



doctor's office, it could be very own Brittany Ebbing your health is on a great