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On behalf of our great city, it is my pleasure to welcome you to Mesa! I hope you'll take the opportunity to get to know some of the many things there are to love about my hometown.

Be sure to visit downtown to experience a great mix of history, character and uniquely local

businesses. We just renovated and reopened our historic post office in the city's central corridor. You'll find The Post near the i.d.e.a. Museum and the Arizona Museum of Natural History, two great destinations for curious minds of all ages.

While you're there, take some time to stroll Main Street and visit our award-winning craft beverage makers, great local shops and eateries. Make a point to explore Mesa Arts Center, the architecturally stunning home to the Mesa Contemporary Arts Museum, four state-of-the-art theaters, art studios and more.

Add Mesa's Asian District to your list to find the southwest's most vibrant center to explore Asian cultures, with more than 100 restaurants and shops. Don't miss the new murals that capture the area's vitality.

If you're eager to get outside, you're in luck! With over 300 days of sunshine each year, the weather is great for outdoor adventures or taking in a Spring Training game. We're home to the Chicago Cubs' Sloan Park and the Oakland A's Hohokam Stadium, and Mesa's hiking, biking and walking trails are the perfect place to get in some exercise, spot desert wildlife or get a photo with a saguaro cactus.

I hope you'll stay a while. From the stunning sunsets and desert landscapes to our thriving urban center, there is so much to discover. It truly is Mesa City Limitless®.

John Giles

The Honorable John Giles Mayor, City of Mesa

## MESA BY THE NUMBERS



300+

Sunny Days per Year (on average)



900+

Restaurants



2

Airports including Phoenix-Mesa Gateway Airport and Falcon Field



517,500

Population

(ESRI Community Analyst, 2023)



3RD LARGEST

City in Arizona



30+

Golf Courses in City Limitless®



5.073

Hotel Rooms in Mesa



36<sup>™</sup> LARGEST

City in the U.S.



209

Parks



8 MILES

from Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport



28 MILES

of light rail access from Mesa hotels and Downtown Mesa



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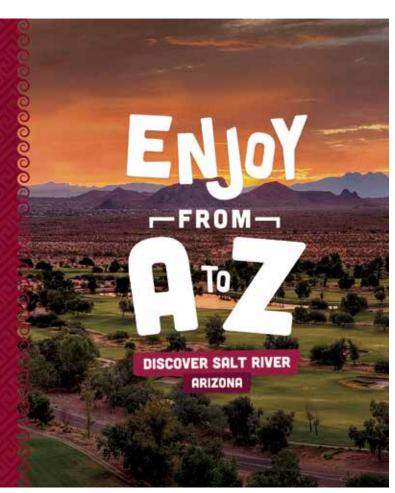
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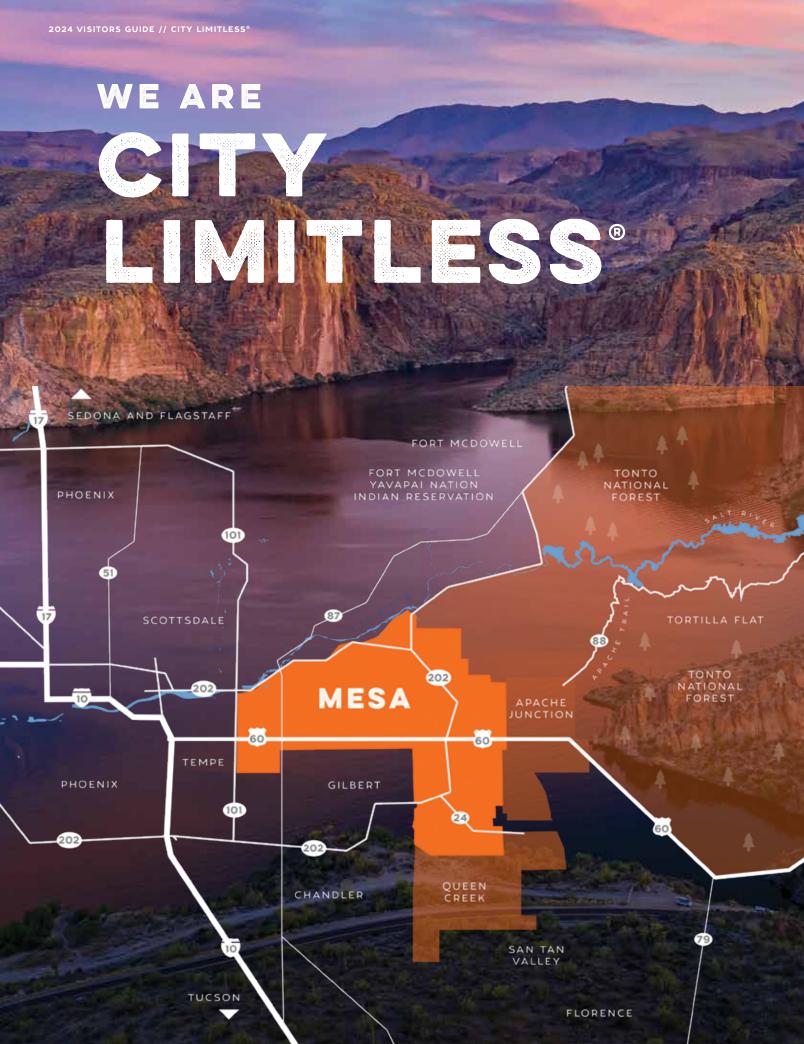
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WELCOME TO MESA, ARIZONA. Known as City Limitless®, it is a place that goes beyond its geographic borders to offer an array of experiences that **GATEWAY TO THE STATE** In Mesa, you are perfectly positioned to enjoy beautiful nature tours and breathtaking hikes as you travel through some of the most scenic destinations in Arizona. Experience these diverse natural wonders by taking a day trip from Mesa to these destinations: **GRAND CANYON NATIONAL PARK** 496 miles round trip FLAGSTAFF AND NORTHERN ARIZONA 360 miles round trip SEDONA 323 miles round trip TUCSON 224 miles round trip

As you explore this vibrant city, you'll discover that Mesa isn't only a fantastic destination in its own right, but also the perfect launchpad for unforgettable adventures throughout the region and the state.

You can see where the Wild West runs into the Wonderful West, where you can just as easily partake in a cattle drive as you can driving a golf ball down the fairway of a championship golf course. From historic to modern, country to cosmopolitan, self-indulgence to self-discovery, the adventures are yours to choose, limited only by your imagination.

#### **EXPLORING THE REGION**

Mesa is situated in the heart of the East Valley and like most major metropolitan areas, the whole is greater than the sum of its parts. City Limitless® encompasses the Tonto National Forest, Superstition Mountains, Apache Junction, the Town of Queen Creek and more. This dynamic region offers a diverse range of experiences, from family-friendly activities and outdoor adventures to cultural attractions and retail excursions.

Nestled just southeast of Mesa, the Town of Queen Creek is known for its authentic hometown atmosphere, quaint charm and agricultural heritage. Cowboys at heart, or visitors that want to simply play the part, can hone their skills at Horseshoe Park and Equestrian Centre, where they have changed the definition of spectator sport with the many rodeos, equine events and riding competitions showcased there.

Northeast of Mesa, within the shadow of the magnificent Superstition Mountains, lies the City of Apache Junction, gateway to the historic Apache Trail, one of the most scenic byways in the Southwest. The area also has a long and colorful past filled with icons of the American Southwest: ancient Indian cultures, Spanish explorers, the lure of rich gold mines and open ranges for the Western cattlemen.

A short drive from Mesa is **Tonto National Forest**, where you can enjoy activities like hiking, camping, fishing and wildlife viewing in a pristine wilderness. One highlight is the Salt River Canyon, offering stunning views and recreational opportunities along the Apache Trail Scenic Byway.

So pack your bags and come to enjoy Mesa City Limitless®, where every day is an adventure and every moment is a chance to create an experience that knows no bounds. Whether you're savoring the local charm, gazing in wonder at the natural landscape or embarking on day trips, Mesa is your ideal starting point for unforgettable experiences in the Grand Canyon State. Welcome to limitless possibilities in Mesa, Arizona!



## FAMILY + FUN = PRICELESS MEMORIES

Family and fun come together in Mesa to give visitors priceless memories to last a lifetime. Whether you're a nature enthusiast, art aficionado or history buff, Mesa offers a variety of affordable attractions and activities to enjoy all year long.







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Enjoy the Rose Garden at Mesa Community College



**AS THE FIRST-EVER** Autism Certified City and Wheel the World's first city to receive the Destination Verified Seal, Mesa has paved the way for travelers to have limitless opportunities to explore a variety of experiences throughout the city. These initiatives and programs ensure that Mesa is a place where diversity isn't only celebrated, but also accommodated.

It all began in 2018 when Marc Garcia, Visit Mesa President and CEO, took his son who has autism on a family vacation and had a less-than-stellar experience. Frustrated by the stares, unsolicited advice and general lack of awareness of his son's needs from hospitality staff, Garcia went home with a new mission: to ensure that the city he represented would always provide a welcoming environment to visitors with autism.

A year later. Mesa became the first city ever to receive an official designation from the International Board of Credentialing and Continuing Education Standards (IBCCES). The training helps participants better recognize Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and service the needs of ASD travelers from the planning stages of their vacation to their arrival at their destination and throughout their stay.

But this has been just the beginning. In 2023, Mesa became the first Verified City by **Wheel the World**, an online marketplace for visitors with disabilities to travel and experience the world in a way best suited for them. Through Wheel the World's website, visitors can create a personalized profile allowing them to recommend accommodations and activities in Mesa that are compatible with their travel aspirations and personal needs.

Beyond these important designations, Mesa has implemented several other accessibility initiatives. The **Hidden Disabilities Sunflower Program** helps those with non-visible disabilities communicate their needs by wearing a bright green lanyard or badge emblazoned with sunflowers. Certified businesses have trained workers to recognize the pattern so that they can provide extra assistance if necessary.

**Aira**, an on-demand visual interpretation service, assists people who are blind or have low vision. Visitors using this service can download the app to their smartphone and get connected with a trained Aira agent who can assist with trip planning, reading restaurant menus and a bevy of other services. While in Mesa's city limits, visitors can access an agent to guide them through public buildings, attractions, restaurants, hotels and more. Customers receive instant access to visual information at the touch of a button, enhancing everyday efficiency, engagement and independence.

With the **Threshold 360** program, Mesa visitors who need accessibility support can experience virtual tours of local hotels, restaurants and activities. They can also review accessible parking, doorway sizes, restroom options and ADA hotel rooms in advance. The virtual tours can help people with mobility issues or visual impairments, as well as those with ASD. There are roughly 50 of these specialty tours currently available in Mesa with many additional hotels, restaurants and cultural facilities coming onboard every month.

With a commitment to accessibility. Mesa offers a travel experience in which every corner of the city becomes an open invitation and experience without constraints. Inclusive accommodations, transportation options and attractions ensure that every visitor, regardless of their abilities, can soak in the sunsets, savor the local flavors and immerse themselves in the unique charm of Mesa City Limitless®.

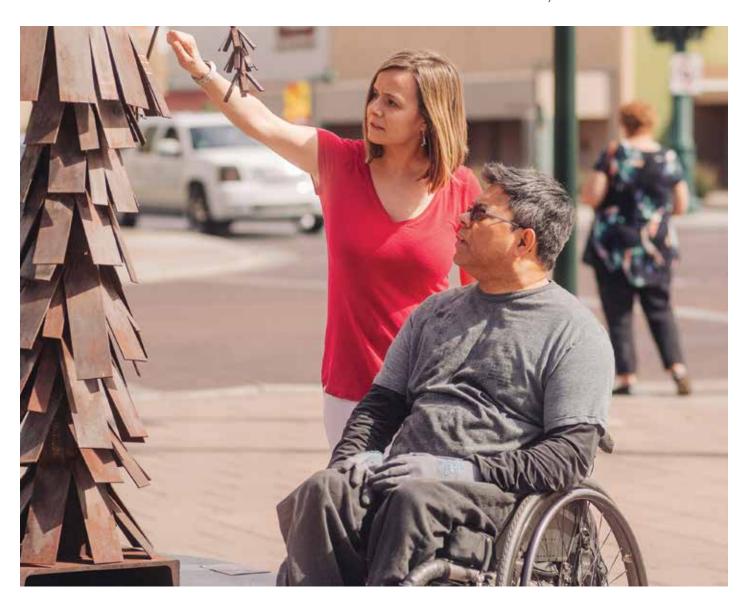
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#### **DESTINATION VERIFIED:**

## LEADING THE WAY FOR ACCESSIBLE TRAVEL

As the first city in the world to receive the Destination Verified Seal from Wheel the World, an online booking platform for travelers with disabilities, Mesa is positioned to be one of the most inclusive and accessible travel destinations in the country.





Wheel the World sends trained "mappers" to visit and assess destinations based on more than 200 accessibility criteria. The organization then provides

recommendations to travel service providers on how to improve their accessibility and offers access to its e-learning platform to expand their knowledge of disabilities.

Visit Mesa partnered with Wheel the World to provide travelers with advanced information on accessible

experiences in Mesa and connect them with suggested itineraries based on their individual needs.

The free service is available through **AccessibleMesa.com** and **WheeltheWorld.com**. Providing this reliable accessibility information ensures that all visitors have a positive and enjoyable experience in Mesa.

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"Our goal is to ensure individuals with autism and their families enjoy their perfect vacation in Mesa."

- Marc Garcia, Visit Mesa President and CEO

AUTISM CERTIFIED CENTERS DIGITAL PASSPORT



Explore businesses committed to welcoming travelers on the autism spectrum.

ACCESS THE PASSPORT HERE





Five years ago, Mesa became the first-ever Autism Certified City in the U.S. designated by the International Board of Credentialing and Continuing Education Standards (IBCCES).

In Mesa City Limitless®, nearly 100 businesses and more than 5,000 community members participated in specialized autism training by IBCCES. The effort behind the designation was launched by Visit Mesa to encourage hospitality businesses to participate in specialized autism training geared toward executives and front-facing service staff. The training helps hospitality staff better recognize Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and service the needs of ASD travelers from the planning stages of a vacation to when they arrive in Mesa and throughout their stay.



Download the Autism Travel Guide, view Sensory Guides and search the most up to date listing of Certified Autism Centers.

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JUST BECAUSE MESA is in the heart of the desert doesn't mean water recreation isn't close by. In fact, Mesa is a gateway to the ultimate water paradise consisting of three lakes and two rivers. Visitors can enjoy a plethora of activities while splashing around in Mother Nature's swimming pools.

#### **ARIZONA'S FLOATING PICNIC**

Ease into your H2O-fueled fun with some tubing down the **Lower Salt River**. Gather your group and head to **Salt River Tubing** to rent a tube, catch a shuttle and enjoy a short float or an all-day experience in the cool water.

#### THREE LAKES, TRIPLE THE FUN

As the Salt River flows from the East to the West it connects three different lakes that offer an oasis for boats, water sports and visitors looking to cool off on the pockets of beach shoreline. Just 30 minutes outside of Mesa, Saguaro Lake is the closest body of water that allows motorized watercraft. Drive a little further and you won't be disappointed by the towering cliffs and scenic views of Canyon Lake and Apache Lake, which are both along the historic Apache Trail.

No boat, no problem. Guests can rent a variety of watercraft ranging from pontoon and fishing boats to personal jet skis and even wakeboarding boats to head out on their own water-filled adventure.

#### **KEEPING IT REEL**

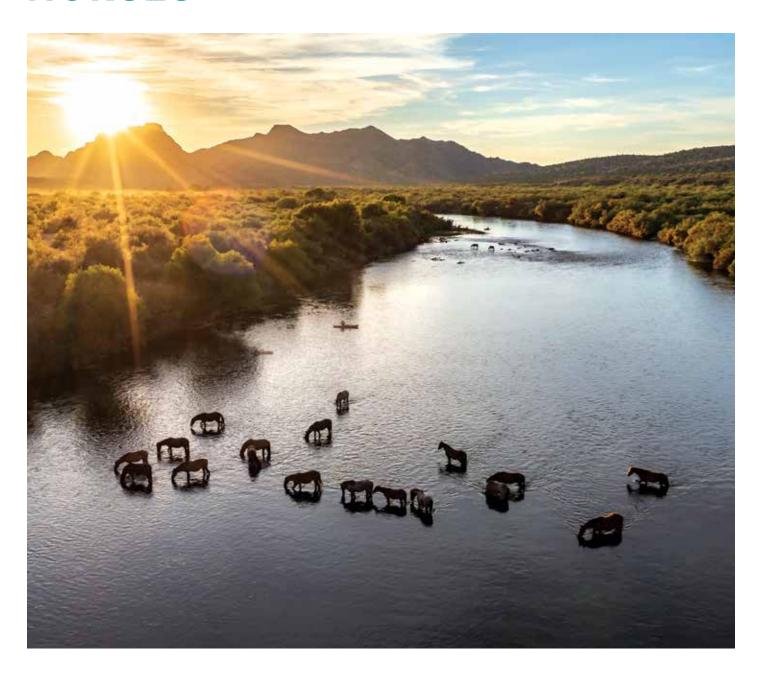
Have the kiddos take a dip in the water while you cast a line in hopes to catch dinner! You can find a variety of species of fish in our waterways and all three lakes have Largemouth Bass. Renting a boat will give you access to all the shoreline and coves for the best chance of reeling in a big catch, but there are plenty of areas to fish from the banks as well. Set up your gear along Butcher Jones Trail, which keeps you right on the water at Saguaro Lake or head to the Acacia Recreation Site at Canyon Lake to fetch a Yellow Bass. You're sure to have luck along the Salt River, as it is continuously stocked with fish. Let the kids paddle out along the river while you hang tight and wait for the fish to bite at Coon Bluff.

Access the WATER RECREATION GUIDE HERE:



## WILD ABOUT HORSES

According to historical records, the horses have been living on the Salt River reservation before the National Forest was created in the early 1900s.



Before sunrise and after sunset, along the waters of the Tonto National Forest and into the adjacent Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Reservation, visitors have a chance at catching a glimpse of wild horses roaming the beautiful desert landscape.

There are as many as 300 of these magnificent animals that can often be seen gathering by the water's edge on the lower Salt River and the shoreline around Saguaro Lake. Their enigmatic presence is a common sight to kayakers, paddle boarders and tubers as they emerge from the surrounding desert forest to cool off in the water and graze on river eelgrass.

The horses are watched over by the Salt River Wild Horse Management Group, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the freedom and humane management of the wild horses, which has allowed them to live and wander peacefully over the years.

If you're lucky enough to spot a horse or herd on your trip to Mesa, remember they are protected, requiring that you are 50 feet from them at all times.

TO READ ON, SCAN HERE



#### TREASURED TRAILS

Hitting the trail by foot offers one of the best ways to experience the stunning Sonoran Desert. Mesa is surrounded by hiking trails for all ages with varying levels of difficulty and distances to choose from. Miles and miles of desert hiking trails are offered at Usery Mountain Regional Park, Lost Dutchman Arizona State Park and throughout the Superstition Wilderness.

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## STARRY SPLENDOR

Designated as an International Dark Sky Park, the **Tonto National Monument** showcases ancient ruins of the Salado people during the day and a celestial spectacle after dark. Recognized for its commitment to preserving natural darkness, the monument provides an unparalleled stargazing experience. Away from urban light pollution, visitors to the monument can get a better look at meteor showers, constellations, the Milky Way, planets and other stellar objects on a clear night. You can also partake in various Night Sky Programs offered typically November through April. As the day transforms into night, the Tonto National Monument becomes a sanctuary for those seeking a profound connection with the universe, making it a must-visit destination for stargazing enthusiasts and nature lovers alike.

LEARN MORE HERE:



# MESA'S MAGNIFICENT MAILE

## REVIVING A BLOWING LEGACY

Before the 1980s. Mesa was illuminated with hundreds of colorful neon signs that lined the roads and welcomed travelers through the doors of their establishments. This mid-century functional art lit the ways to motels, restaurants, bars, repair shops and retail businesses throughout Main Street. From the Floating Lotus Yoga sign to the iconic "diving lady" at the Starlite Motel, these signs added significant character to the city and became attractions of their own.

One iconic sign led travelers to a popular motel that was visited by big-name celebrities in its heyday. Famous for its mineral-rich waters, the Buckhorn Baths Motel welcomed a vast array of guests including sports athletes, movie stars and politicians. For 25 years, the Buckhorn Baths were the New York Giants' (now the San Francisco Giants) home away from home and hosted baseball greats like Willie Mays, Gaylord Perry and Ty Cobb during Cactus League Spring Training season.

AS THE SUN SETS IN DOWNTOWN MESA, and the neon begins to glow, Main Street transforms into a vibrant hub for nighttime activities catering to a variety of tastes. **COMING SOON** Mesa's newest event venue. The Post is soon to house a vintage neon garden. Visitors can view the preserved neon signs that used to line Main Street.

If you find yourself on Main Street on a Friday or Saturday night, catch a show at the Neighborhood Comedy Theatre. Equally hilarious and engaging, their shows are guaranteed to leave you in stitches.

Downtown Mesa boasts an impressive collection of restored vintage video games, making it a haven for gamers. Two standout destinations, Level 1 Arcade Bar and B.R.I. Taproom & Arcade, seamlessly blend craft beer and arcade games, creating the ideal spots to transport yourself back in time and rediscover the joy of your favorite childhood games. Gather your friends, ignite some friendly competition and enjoy good drinks at these Main Street destinations.

If you're looking for some hidden fun, Alchemy 48 is a must-visit. This speakeasy-style bar crafts the perfect cocktail tailored to your particular taste, while providing an intimate ambiance for a memorable experience.

Sip your way through Downtown Mesa's thriving craft beer scene. From hoppy IPAs to smooth stouts, there's a beverage to suit every taste and preference. Stop by the all-new Phantom Fox Beer Co., Chupacabra Taproom, 12 West Brewing, B.R.I. Taproom & Arcade, Oro Brewing, Cider Corps, also home to Myke's Pizza, and Arizona Distilling Co., each offering a unique selection of local flavors.

Culture seekers can head to the Mesa Arts Center. where a variety of concerts, plays, symphonies and dance performances take center stage. The largest arts center in the Southwest serves as a pulsating hub of artistic energy and offers a memorable experience for those who appreciate cultural enrichment.

If rock and roll is more your style, check out the Nile Theater. Established in 1889 and rebuilt after a fire in 1924, this one-time movie theater has since transitioned into a dual venue, capturing a cozy coffee shop scene by day and rocking a vibrant music venue by night.

If your idea of fun borders on the supernatural, **Rydables Ghost Tours** offers a spine-chilling, yet goofy adventure through Mesa's haunted history. Join the tour to hear eerie stories and gain insights into Mesa's paranormal past.

#### SHOP 'TIL YOU DROP

In Downtown Mesa, there is no shortage of shopping opportunities. Charming local boutiques line Main Street. Grab your wallets – here are some of the best places to 'shop 'til you drop' in Downtown.





AT PROOF BAKERY



#### THE PINBALL WIZARD

#### **SCOTT GOLDSMITH**

Mesa native Scott Goldsmith has a deep love of arcade games – a passion that began as a child, when he spent much of his spare time playing games at arcades like Aladdin's Castle and Wunderland Nickel Palace, both in Mesa.

As he got older, Scott began to collect arcade machines. The first game he acquired was Mortal Kombat 1 and, since then, his collection has grown to include over 100 arcade and pinball machines. What's even more impressive is that Scott has restored and fixed every machine in his collection himself.

Scott's collection is no longer just for his own enjoyment, but rather for the patrons of his co-founded arcade bar, Level 1. A self-proclaimed renaissance man, Scott and his three best friends envisioned Level 1 as a place where people of all ages can enjoy the games they grew up with. The bar has a wide variety of arcade and pinball machines, including rare and unique games like Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom, Fish Tales and two '90s-era Dot Matrix Display (DMD) machines.

In addition to his work at Level 1, Scott regularly attends arcade and pinball conventions. He has won awards for his collection and restoration work, including "Best Restored Machines" at ZapCon, an arcade and pinball convention that started in Mesa in 2012. Scott is also a self-taught arcade game repairman and has spent countless hours restoring individual machines. "They are some of the nicest machines you will come across," he says with pride.

Visit Level 1 Arcade Bar to play with Scott's collection of vintage and retro arcade games. while enjoying a selection of craft cocktails and more than 30 draft beers on tap.



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## DINE AROUND THE WORLD

A true melting pot of cultures, nothing reflects Mesa's diversity better than its culinary scene. Filled with restaurants serving food from all over the world, the city offers authentic cuisine from Mexico, South America, Asia and the Navajo Nation, to name just a few.

## VENEZUELA QUE CHEVERE

#### Must Try:

- · Arepa
- · Patacon
- · Chicha
- · Ouesillo

## NAVAJO NATION HOPE'S FRYBREAD

#### Must Try:

- · Navajo Taco
- · Asian Persuasion Taco
- · Classic Sweet: Honey
- & Powdered Sugar

## NORTHWESTERN CHINA SHAANXI GARDEN

#### Must Try:

- · Biang Biang Noodles
- · Steamed Shrimp Dumplings
- · Hand-Wrapped Cabbage
- · Dried Green Beans

## KOREA JIN BBQ

#### Must Try:

- · Boneless Short Rib
- · Seared Pork Belly
- · Hot Stone Bibimbap
- · Steamed Egg Volcano



Here you'll find authentic eateries, from Filipino and Korean, to Chinese, Thai, Vietnamese and more. Whether you're in the mood for a spicy kung pao, a flavorful pho or delightful dim sum, these

Check out this quick list of favorites to get started, but we fully support exploring all that this community has to offer.

local restaurants promise to satisfy your cravings.

#### **MEKONG PLAZA**

Stop by the flagship Mekong Palace Restaurant for dim sum and fresh seafood, or **Unphogettable** for a vast array of pho and Vietnamese dishes. For something sweet, pick up a boba drink at Tea, Snow and Coffee, or try a fun and memorable dessert at Roll Avenue Ice Cream Rolls.

#### MISS DESSEDT

Miss Dessert offers Hong Kong-style desserts and creative boba teas. Don't leave without having a signature "pancake," a delicate dough pocket filled with mango or durian. Gluten-free, dairy-free and caffeine-free items are clearly labeled on the menu, making it easy for those with food allergies to order.

#### **MYUNGRANG HOTDOG**

Myungrang Hotdog is not serving up your typical ballpark snack. This Korean street food is taking center stage as a Mesa favorite. Mix and match flavors like sausage, mozzarella cheese or a vegetarian rice cake topped with a fluffy rice flour dough, sweet potatoes and cheese mustard. For the brave folks, don't leave without sampling the surprisingly delicious squid ink dog.

#### **ORIGINAL CUISINE**

Original Cuisine's casual, modern dining room is comfortable and welcoming, saving the flash for the kitchen. The menu offers a plethora of vibrant Sichuan dishes that are executed with precision. Known for its ma la flavor (a combination of spicy chiles and tingly Sichuan pepper), the restaurant's specialties include everything from Chongging Io mein, spicy duck wings and breaded spareribs to stone pot-braised tofu, black pepper beef and kung pao chicken.

#### **SHOP THE DISTRICT**

You can also take the Asian District home with you thanks to a diverse selection of imported goods and exotic ingredients from several markets and shops, including Asiana Market, AZ International Foods, H Mart, Winglee Exotic Foods and Z & Y Gifts.

#### **GO FRESH. LOCAL AND**

#### TO THE SOURCE

Check out Mesa's award-winning Fresh Foodie Trail®, a linked culinary experience that guides visitors to family farms, mills, wineries, restaurants and craft breweries. Along the trail, you can savor the true flavors of the Southwest at a grass-roots level.

### ARIZONA'S AGRITOURISM GUIDE

To download a guide to this path rich with local goods including seasonal produce, heritage grains, fresh-baked pies, homemade ice cream, farmers markets and so much more, scan the QR code below:

VIEW THE GUIDE:

The self-guided, food-driven experience invites you to dine on locally-sourced menus in charming settings, while learning about sustainable organic farm methods and operations.

Highlights include the Olive 101 Tour at **Queen Creek Olive Mill**, where you'll sample food made from Arizona's only working olive farm and mill. Another fan favorite is **Agritopia**, a thriving, sustainable community centered around an urban farm featuring many farm-to-table dining options all on one property. **True Garden Urban Farm** offers a fresh take on vertical farming, and provides an inspiring message on the future of agriculture. Peaches in summer, citrus in winter and greens in spring – **Schnepf Farms**, **Vertuccio Farms** and **Steadfast Farm** all offer U-Pick experiences year round.

Even in the heart of the city, you can still have the joys of farm-to-table experiences. Destinations like **Proof Bread**, **Inspire Farms**, **Jalapeno Bucks** and **Freeman Farms Corn Patch** all offer locally-grown goods to visitors and locals alike. Come try a bite!







#### A CHEF'S JOURNEY

#### **ROBERTO CENTENO**

Roberto Centeno, a 27-year-old culinary sensation, has taken the industry by storm. His remarkable journey that led him to running his own nationally-recognized restaurant is impressive to say the least. Roberto is the creative mind behind Espiritu, a family-owned restaurant in the heart of Downtown Mesa that offers Latin-inspired cuisine with a little bit of everything.

Roberto's passion for cooking is deeply inspired by his Latin roots. He fondly recalls how his father's cooking-and his keen awareness of flavor-would bring their community together. His father's sense of intentionality and hospitality sparked Roberto's own passion for cooking since a young age.

After graduating from culinary school, Roberto ventured into various roles in the restaurant industry. As he gained more experience, he and his cousin took a leap of faith and opened their own restaurant. With little to no obstacles, this restaurant took off. Now known for its moody and intimate atmosphere, awardwinning menu and speakeasy vibes, Espiritu has made a significant impact on Mesa and the community.

## AS SEEN ON TV FAMOUS BITES

The 36th largest city in the U.S., Mesa has been featured on film more times than most people think. The city's foodie scene is mostly what brings the cameras. Here's a look:

#### DINERS, DRIVE-INS, AND DIVES

#### **JOE'S FARM GRILL**

Season 3, Episode 8

Famous Dishes:

- · Farm Fresh Burger
- · Ahi Tuna Sandwich

#### **REPÚBLICA EMPANADA**

Season 28, Episode 1

Famous Dishes:

- · Arroz Con Pollo
- · Cubana Empanada

#### **TACOS CHIWAS**

Season 28, Episode 3

Famous Dishes:

- · Gorditas Rojas Deshebradas
- · Rajas Con Queso Gordita





#### **CUPCAKE WARS**

Watch Jessica Cuff, owner of

The Coffee Shop at Agritopia compete on:

Season 1, Episode 4

Season 2, Episode 7

Season 5, Episode 12 (Spoiler Alert: She WINS!!)

Famous Cakes:

- · Boston Cream Cupcake
- · Jalapeño Jelly and Bacon Cupcake

#### **CHOPPED**

Espiritu Cocktails & Comida chef-owner Roberto Centeno is "Chopped" Champion

Season 53, Episode 4

Famous Dish:

· Grilled top sirloin taco with grilled peach and tomatillo pico de gallo

#### FOODNATION WITH BOBBY FLAY

Los Dos Molinos

Season 1, Episode 14

Famous Dish:

· Red chili-marinated Carne Adovada

#### SUGAR RUSH

Inspired Sugar (Available at Old Ellsworth Brewing Co.)

Season 1, Episode 1

Famous Cake:

· Snickerdoodle Cupcake



## 12-PACK

There's no doubt that Mesa's micro-breweries continually pour out some of the best local craft beers in the state. To help you enjoy all the city has to offer, here's the perfect 12-pack for barhopping around City Limitless®.

Beginning in Downtown Mesa, enjoy the **Zona**, a crisp and light Pilsner at 12 West Brewery. Then make your way to Oro Brewing for **Café Oro**, a coffee blonde ale that took home the gold at the 2022 Great American Beer Festival. Or opt for **Inside the Park**, the gold medal winner at the 2022 Arizona Craft Beer Awards. For a hoppier option, try the popular **480G IPA** at Beer Research Institute while you play a selection of vintage arcade games.

Bring the party over to Level 1 Arcade Bar and test out the **DK Hefe**, a delicious banana cream Hefeweizen. Then make your way to Chupacabra Taproom for a glass of the **Candy Bar Milk Stout** by Fate Brewing Company. For an even sweeter touch, take home a pack of **POG** (Passionfruit Orange Guava Hard Cider) from Cider Corps, which was named one of the 10 best cideries in the country by USA Today.

Taste a selection of Scottish ales and lagers at Lochiel Brewing. Try their **Fusilier Lager**, a pale lager with an enjoyable malt taste and light hoppiness. Soak in the Arizona sun–and the fun play on words–with **It's a Dry Hop** at Papago Brewing Company. Just outside of Mesa, Old Ellsworth Brewing and Queen Creek Olive Mill collaborate on **Kalamata Kraken**, a unique and refreshing blend of olive leaf and lemon grass tea infused with Hefeweizen.

Finally, try the award-winning **Day Drinker** at Pedal Haus Brewery, coming soon to Downtown Mesa.

For a check-in challenge featuring the best breweries and coffee shops in Mesa, access the **BEERS & BREWS PASSPORT HERE**:





To honor National Autism
Awareness Month, Visit
Mesa, 12 West Brewing and
Chupacabra Taproom created
Spectrum IPA, a blueberry
IPA that releases again in
April. A portion of all profits
support the Mesa Regional
Foundation for Accessibility,
Diversity and Inclusion.





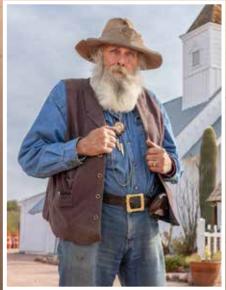
## Queen Creek is your destination for fun, local agritainment experiences!

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## MAKE Memories SHARE Moments







### MAN OF THE MOUNTAINS

#### TETON KEN

Teton Ken. also known as Ken Eddy. is a renowned historian and storyteller who has dedicated his life to preserving the rich history of the Superstition Mountains and the legend of the Lost Dutchman. Having lived in the area for over 20 years, he has become an expert on the subject, regularly giving presentations at museums, schools and community events.

Ken's interest in the Lost Dutchman Mine began in Wyoming, where he worked in the oil fields and raised donkeys and mules. Inspired by his brother who gave him the nickname "Teton," he moved to Arizona and eventually joined the Superstition Mountain Museum, where he gave burro rides and performed reenactments of Jacob Waltz, the Lost Dutchman.

Ken is a true renaissance man who is passionate about history and storytelling. You can find him at the Superstition Mountain Museum every Saturday. And if you're lucky enough, he might even point you in the right direction of finding the Lost Dutchman's gold!



WHETHER YOU'RE PANNING FOR GOLD or navigating your way through an underground mine, the Apache Trail offers an enriching experience for everyone in the family.

Considered one of the most popular day trips from Mesa, the **Apache Trail** (also known as historic Highway 88) winds through the mystic Superstition Mountains and into the foothills of **Tonto National Forest**. Along this scenic drive, you'll encounter an authentic Old West stagecoach stop and ghost town, the famous Elvis Chapel and the majesty of Canyon Lake, all nestled in the beautiful Sonoran Desert.

#### 1. SUPERSTITION MOUNTAIN MUSEUM

At the start of the Apache Trail is the Superstition Mountain Museum, where you'll learn the storied history of the Superstition Mountains, including the legend of the Lost Dutchman and his undiscovered gold stashed in the nearby hills. If you're a film buff, be sure to visit **Apacheland Movie Ranch**, where dozens of famous movies have been filmed.

#### 2. GOLDFIELD GHOST TOWN

Cowboys and cowgirls are sure to rustle up a good meal and a fun time at Goldfield Ghost Town. Take a ride on Arizona's only operating narrow gauge railroad or soar above the town on the **Superstition Zipline**. Witness an Old West gunfight in the public square then stop at **Mother Lode Mercantile** for their famous prickly pear fudge.

#### 3. CANYON LAKE

Enjoy a day on Canyon Lake aboard the **Dolly Steamboat**, a 103-foot replica of a stern-wheeler boat. Cruise the lake's secluded inner waterways and photograph desert bighorn sheep and other wildlife. Or explore the cactus-studded canyon walls via kayak or standup paddleboard with **Yak N Sup Canyon Lake**.

#### 4. TORTILLA FLAT

Treat your hungry brood to cowboy-style grub at the **Superstition Saloon & Restaurant** at Tortilla Flat, the oldest operating stagecoach town in Arizona. Signature dishes include their Killer Chili and The Prospector (pulled pork with prickly pear barbecue sauce). And don't forget to save room for dessert. Stop in the **Original Country Store** for a scoop of prickly pear gelato or sorbet.

For desert insights and outdoor explorer tips, access the ADVENTURE EXPLORER PASSPORT HERE:



## QUEEN CREEK'S

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#### A RODEO LEGACY

#### **JC & JAXTON MORTENSEN**

Two brothers are making their mark on the world of professional bull riding. Jaxton Trujillo-Mortensen (pictured right) and JC Mortensen (pictured left), hailing from Chino Valley and Paulden respectively, are carrying on the legacy of their rodeo family, showcasing exceptional talent and unwavering determination.

Jaxton, the younger of the two brothers, discovered his passion for bull riding after suffering from a football injury. With his fiery spirit and natural athleticism, he quickly rose through the ranks, earning titles such as the PBR Team Series Champion Nashville Stampede, the PBR Prescott Valley Champion and the Corpus Christi WCRA Champion. His love for the sport stems from the adrenaline rush, the intense physical challenge and the unique bond formed between rider and bull.

JC, the elder brother, grew up immersed in the rodeo world, inspired by his father's bull riding career and his grandfather's bucking horse riding. His dedication and resilience have led him to achieve notable rankings of 25th and 22nd in the world standings.

#### **BUCKIN' BLUE FOR AUTISM**

In a show of solidarity for Autism Awareness Month, the PBR event will be held April 18-20, 2024. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Mesa Regional Foundation for Accessibility. Diversity and Inclusion. Furthering the cause, Visit Mesa's very own Spectrum Beer will be available for purchase at the event.

**IN THE HEART** of the Sonoran Desert, where the spirit of the Wild West still runs strong, the Town of Queen Creek is home to Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Centre, a 38-acre facility dedicated to English and Western equestrian events.

This esteemed venue draws riders from across the country, eager to showcase their skills and celebrate the region's rich ranching heritage. Home to several prestigious organizations, including the Arizona Cutting Horse Association, Arizona Reined Cow Horse Association, Arizona Reining Horse Association, Hershberger Performance Horse Sale and Joan Usher Barrel Horse Racing, the facility is a true hub for equestrian excellence.

Rodeo roots in Queen Creek trace back to the early days of the town's settlement when cattle ranching was the backbone of the local economy. Cowboys would gather to test their horsemanship and roping abilities in informal competitions, fostering a sense of camaraderie and community spirit. These gatherings gradually evolved into organized rodeos, attracting spectators and participants from neighboring towns and territories.

In 2010, Queen Creek's rodeo scene took a significant step forward with the opening of the Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Centre. The venue quickly became the place for horse activities and events, including rodeos, barrel racing, team roping, bull riding and calf roping. The center's facilities and reputation have attracted top-tier rodeo competitors, drawing larger crowds every year and further cementing Queen Creek's reputation as a rodeo destination.

Today, Queen Creek's rodeos continue to pay homage to the area's history by providing a glimpse into the town's rich agricultural heritage. Held each March, the annual Roots N' Boots Queen Creek Rodeo is a testament to the town's deep-rooted passion for Western sports. The festival features a family-friendly atmosphere with carnival rides, rodeo performances and attractions that appeal to people of all ages.

For those seeking a more intense rodeo experience, the **Professional Bull Riders (PBR) event** in the spring and the **PRCA Queen Creek Xtreme Bulls competition** in November offer a thrilling spectacle. These events showcase the top bull riders in the world battling some of the toughest bulls in the industry.

Whether you're a seasoned rodeo enthusiast or a newcomer to the Western scene, Queen Creek's rodeos offer an authentic taste of the American West. So grab your cowboy boots and saddle up for an unforgettable experience in City Limitless®, where the rodeo proudly lives on.



alike. As they continue to push the boundaries of the sport,

and their state.

they are also preserving the rich rodeo heritage of their family



## MESA'S UN-FORE-GETABLE COURSES

Graced with stunning views of scenic mountain ranges and sweeping vistas, Mesa's golf courses provide picture-perfect views for players enjoying a friendly game out on the links.

First on your tee sheet should be **Longbow Golf Club**, which has earned its share of praise after being recognized by Golfweek magazine as one of the top 20 courses in Arizona in their Best You Can Play. State by State ranking.

For a challenging round of desert golf, check out membershipbased **Las Sendas Golf Club**, which offers breathtaking views of the Red Mountain and Superstition Mountain ranges. Designed by Robert Trent Jones Jr., the course ranks as one of the top 50 courses in the nation.

Just north of the city is **We-Ko-Pa Golf Club**. With two spectacular 18-hole layouts certain to challenge and inspire golfers of all levels, the golf club is consistently ranked as one of the best courses in Arizona.

Mesa-owned and -operated, **Dobson Ranch Golf Club** has been ranked as the Best Municipal Golf Course in Arizona by Golf Digest. This 18-hole course plays 6,593 yards from the back tees to 5,598 yards from the front at par 72.

The classic-style private course at **Mesa Country Club** offers a parkland 6.900-yard layout and par-72 routing. The course skirts up and down the plateau from which the city got its name, creating dramatic elevation changes throughout the twists and turns of the course.

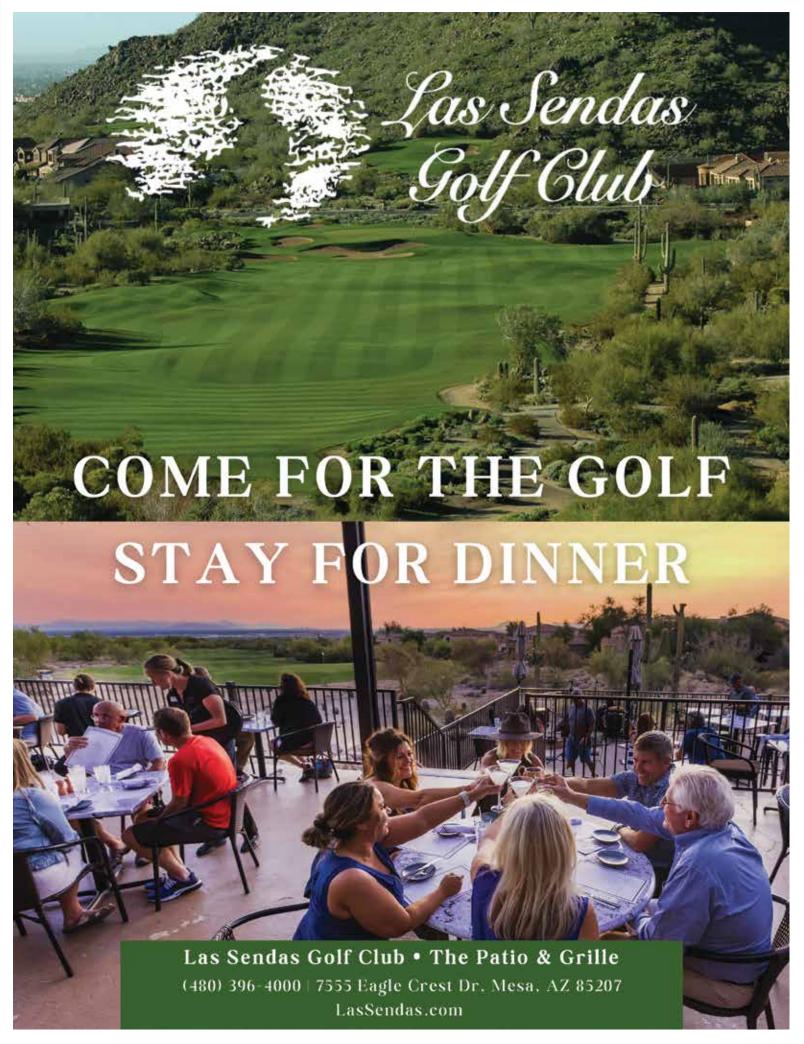
In East Mesa, **Augusta Ranch Golf Club** is the top short course in the state with its par-61 course offering the perfect round for players of all abilities. Augusta Ranch also offers **Toptracer Range**, which has fun, skill-based games on interactive game screens.

Also in the East Valley is **Sunland Springs Golf Club**, which offers 27 holes with views of the Superstition Mountain range in all directions. The full-service pro shop and clubhouse can equip players short on clubs and other must-haves for a round in the desert.

North of Mesa, the Salt River community is home to the **Talking Stick Golf Club**, a traditional links course with long tree-lined fairways. Enhance your skills with a golf coaching session, or for a fun, relaxed take on the game, head to nearby **TopGolf**, also part of the Talking Stick destination.

A second TopGolf location is just south of Mesa in neighboring Gilbert, offering rooftop views and family fun all day long. Evenings feature DJs, drink specials and other non-golf entertainment.





**BATTER UP!** 

#### **MESA'S DOUBLEHEADER**

Mesa has hosted spring training for more than 60 years and is the beloved winter home to the Oakland Athletics, who play at Hohokam Stadium, and the Chicago Cubs, who play at Sloan Park. Loyal baseball fans have been making pilgrimages to this Southwest hot spot every February and March to watch pitchers and catchers warm up on these pristine fields.

Spring training in Arizona is hosted by the Cactus League Association, made up of 15 Major League Baseball teams playing in 10 stadiums throughout the Greater Phoenix area. The league's popularity began decades ago when it began hosting MLB teams in one central area. With gorgeous weather and less than a half-hour car ride between each park, it's no wonder why this league thrives in Arizona's desert.

#### **CHICAGO CUBS**

HOME GAME 2024 SCHEDULE

#### February 23

Chicago White Soxs

#### February 25

February 27

February 29 Colorado Rockies

#### March 1

Chicago White Soxs

#### March 3

Cleveland Guardians

#### March 6

#### March 8

Seattle Mariners

#### March 9

Colorado Rockies

#### March 12

Milwaukee Brewers

#### March 14

Oakland Athletics

#### March 16

Kansas City Royals

#### March 17

Texas Rangers

#### March 19

Arizona Diamondbacks

#### March 22

San Francisco Giants

#### March 23

Milwaukee Brewers

#### March 25

St. Louis Cardinals

#### March 26

St. Louis Cardinals

#### **OAKLAND ATHLETICS**

**HOME GAME 2024 SCHEDULE** 

#### February 24

Colorado Rockies

#### February 26

Arizona Diamondbacks

#### February 28

San Francisco Giants

#### February 29

San Diego Padres

#### March 3

Texas Rangers

#### March 7

Cleveland Guardians

#### March 10

Kansas City Royals

#### March 12

Seattle Mariners

#### March 15

San Francisco Giants

#### March 16

Milwaukee Brewers

#### March 17

Chicago White Sox

#### March 20

Chicago Cubs

#### March 22

Cincinnati Braves

#### March 23

Los Angeles Angels

#### March 25

San Francisco Giants

#### **BASEBALL FOR ALL**

As the nation's first Autism Certified teams in the MLB, the Chicago Cubs and Oakland Athletics have made great efforts to create an accessible space for their fans. For example, in 2019, the A's introduced a sensory room to the Oakland Coliseum. This quiet space is available to fans of all ages with autism, Down syndrome, post-traumatic stress disorder and other similar conditions needing comfort in a soothing atmosphere.



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## CALLING ALL CREATORS!

#### **HEATSYNC LABS**

Inside a nondescript, garage-like workshop nestled between restaurants and stores along Mesa's Main Street, ideas are taking shape.

At HeatSync Labs, a self-proclaimed hackerspace, tables are cluttered with computer chips, pens, pads, fabrics and tools while the room is abuzz with the chatter of engineers, artists, students and hobbyists working on prototypes, art and other creative projects.

If you've got a creative idea brewing, you're welcome to tinker on your own, collaborate with others or attend a class on everything from stamp- and jewelry-making to sewing and 3-D printing. You can even learn to make your own robot!

Located at 108 W. Main Street, HeatSync Labs is a free, community-driven shop that is open to the public from 7 to 10 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays; and from noon to 5 p.m. on Saturdays.



MESA PROUDLY CARRIES the moniker City Limitless®, a name that aptly reflects its boundless creativity, artistic spirit and entrepreneurial mindset. This vibrant community has emerged as a dynamic mix of arts, culture and innovation. Surrounded by the Sonoran Desert and Tonto National Forest, Mesa blends seamlessly with natural beauty, rich culture and vibrant urban life, offering a multitude of experiences to explore for residents and visitors alike.

Downtown Mesa is at the heart of this creative hub and is anchored by the **Mesa Arts Center** (pictured left), the largest arts complex in the Southwest. It's also the only center offering comprehensive professional performing arts, visual arts and arts education on one architecturally stunning campus. With four state-of-the-art theaters and 14 art studios, the center draws artists, performers and audiences from across the globe. Its dynamic calendar offers a year-round line-up of visual and performing arts.

Also housed within the Mesa Arts Center, is the **Mesa Contemporary Arts Museum**, named "Best Art Museum" in 2020 by the Phoenix New Times. At 5,500 square feet, the museum is made up of five exhibition galleries that showcase rotating art exhibitions displaying works by contemporary artists that celebrate the local, national and international arts community.

With performances at the Mesa Arts Center, the **Southwest Shakespeare Company** takes center stage. For three decades, the company has been the torchbearer of classical theatre in Arizona, captivating audiences with timeless Shakespearean masterpieces.

But the artistic energy doesn't stop at the Mesa Arts Center's doors. It flows into the streets, where the **Downtown Art Walk** invites you to take a leisurely stroll on this self-guided tour of nearly 40 captivating art sculptures and a collection of murals that dot Main Street.

Beyond these major attractions, the "City Limitless" name extends to local galleries, shops, exhibits and events. Galleries showcase a rich tapestry of visual arts, local shops offer unique handmade crafts and products, and exhibitions pop up regularly, bringing new perspectives to the community. Special exhibits, performances and events throughout the year keep the creative spirit alive.

Mesa's reputation as a creative city is further cemented by a trilogy of festivals that celebrate the diversity of artistic expression. Each held on select dates throughout the year, the **Mesa Music Festival**, **Mesa International Film Festival** and **Mesa Songwriter Festival** are an annual pilgrimage for those who seek to immerse themselves in the world of music and cinema.

Fueling the city's artistic evolution is Arizona State University's world-class **Media** and Immersive experience (MIX) Center, an institution that not only educates but also acts as a catalyst for innovation. It's where hundreds of students make films, design new virtual worlds and video games, and create other immersive media experiences of all kinds. Their influence reverberates throughout Mesa, shaping a new generation of creators from Arizona who will develop into the media and technology professionals we need in the 21st century.

Mesa is where the desert's beauty converges with the human spirit's endless creativity. Come explore the infinite possibilities of art, culture and innovation in City Limitless®.

# **CITY LIMITLESS®**

# THE PODCAST

Season Three of the Visit Mesa podcast is underway with a new name and format. The interview-style, video-recorded City Limitless® podcast features interactive conversations with notable and interesting folks with ties to Mesa and beyond. Each episode focuses on a different aspect of the City Limitless® experience. You'll hear from an Academy-award winning actor, a professional bull rider, a TikTok music guru and a group of craft beer brewers – and that's just the start! Tune in on our website and subscribe on your preferred podcast platform.





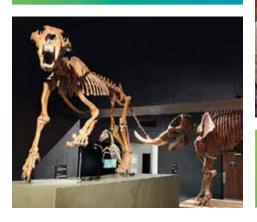






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MESAARTSCENTER.COM



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superstitionmountainmuseum.org 3.5 miles NE of Apache Junction on Hwy. 88



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# SIGNATURE EVENT CALENDAR

FOR ALL EVENTS, SCAN HERE:



# **JANUARY**



**17-21** ART OF THE

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MARCH

RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL

arizona.renfestinfo.com



ROOTS & BOOTS

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# **FEBRUARY**



mesamarathon.com

3-29

RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL

arizona.renfestinfo.com

23-26 **CHICAGO CUBS** SPRING TRAINING

cubs.com/mesa



24-26

OAKLAND ATHLETICS SPRING TRAINING

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# APRIL



18-20 MESA **MUSIC FESTIVAL** mesamusicfest.com

18-20 QUEEN CREEK PBR pbr.com

# MAY



WESTERN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE

**BASEBALL**CHAMPIONSHIP

# JULY

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# **OCTOBER**

# **ALL MONTH** VERTUCCIO FARMS **FALL FESTIVAL**

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23-27





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# 480-582-0018

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480-668-8000

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# mesalongbow.home2suites.com

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# La Quinta Inn & Suites - Mesa Superstition **Springs**

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# Circle RB Lodge & RV Park

6547 E Main St, Mesa 480-985-9923

## Citrus Inn

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# **Del Rio Lodge**

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#### **Hiway Host Motel**

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# Mesa Oasis Inn & Motel

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# **Motel 6 Mesa North**

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480-844-8899

# **Motel 6 Mesa South**

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# Plainsman Motel

1338 W Main St, Mesa

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# **Quality Inn & Suites**

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## Windemere Hotel & Conference Center

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480-454-5628

**Arizona Travel Parks Association** 

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Mesa Regal

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480-830-2821

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3020 E Main St, Mesa

480-832-1770 mesaspirit.com

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#### **Arizona Museum of Natural History**

53 N Macdonald, Mesa 480-644-2230 azmnh.ora

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#### Huhugam Ki Museum

10005 E Osborn Rd, Scottsdale 480-362-6320

# srpmic-nsn.gov/government/ culturalresources/hhkm/

Huhugam Ki, meaning "House of the ancestors," describes the museum, which is constructed of adobe and desert plants. Exhibits share the unique heritage of the Salt River Pima-Maricopa people.

# i.d.e.a. Museum

150 W Pepper Place, Mesa 480-644-2468

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# **Mesa Contemporary Arts Museum**

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## mesaartscenter.com

Free admission. Five-gallery visual arts complex featuring contemporary art from emerging and internationally recognized artists.

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# Kleinman Park

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## tortillaflataz.com

Starting out as a stagecoach stop in 1904. Tortilla Flat is an authentic remnant of an old west town, nestled amid the Tonto National Forest surrounded by the Superstition Mountain Range. Real saddles serve as bar stools at the Tortilla Flat Saloon and the walls are covered in dollar bills from visitors worldwide. Don't miss their killer chili and extensive menu of Southwestern dishes and their outdoor patio featuring live entertainment.

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# GOLF

# Arizona Golf Resort & Event Center

18 holes, par 72, yardage 6601 425 S Power Rd, Mesa 480-832-3202

# arizonagolfresort.com

# **Augusta Ranch Golf Club**

18 holes, par 61, yardage 3846 2401 S Lansing, Mesa 480-531-5882

#### augustaranchgolf.com

#### **Dobson Ranch Golf Course**

18 holes, par 72, yardage 6712 2155 S Dobson Rd, Mesa 480-644-2291

# dobsonranchgolfcourse.com

# Las Sendas Golf Club

18 holes, par 71, yardage 6925 7555 E Eagle Crest Dr. Mesa 480-396-4000

#### lassendas.com

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#### Longbow Golf Club

18 holes, par 71, yardage 7050 5601 E Longbow Pkwy, Mesa 480-807-5400

# longbowgolf.com

#### **Mesa Country Club**

18 holes, par 72, yardage 6900 660 W Fairway Dr, Mesa 480-964-1797

## mesacountryclub.com

## Stripe Show Golf Club

1415 S Westwood, Mesa 480-969-0377

# freedomgolfcourse.com

## **Talking Stick Golf Club**

18/18 holes, par 70/71, yardage 7133/6833 9998 E Talking Stick Way, Scottsdale 480-860-2221

## talkingstickgolfclub.com

# **Topgolf Gilbert**

1689 S Santan Village Pkwy, Gilbert 480-240-1282

# topgolf.com/us/gilbert

# **Topgolf Scottsdale**

9500 Talking Stick Way. Scottsdale 480-240-2402

# topgolf.com/us/riverwalk

# We-Ko-Pa Golf Club

18/18 holes, par 71/72, yardage 6966/7225 18200 Wekopa Way, Fort McDowell 480-836-9000 · 866-660-7700

wekopa.com

# **SHOPPING & SERVICES**

# Barnone Craftsman Community at Agritopia

3000 E Ray Rd, Gilbert 480-988-1238

#### barnoneaz.com

## The Boutique

166 W Main St, Mesa 480-835-2063

#### theboutiquegirls.com

# **Epicenter at Agritopia**

3150 E Ray Rd, Gilbert 602-330-3093

#### epicenteratagritopia.com

- · Bunky Boutique
- $\cdot \ \text{Manor}$
- · urhAna
- · Vintage Home
- · Why I Love Where I Live

# **Just Because Gift Shop**

54 W Main St, Mesa 480-590-0215

#### justbecausegiftshopaz.com

#### Mesa Market Place Swap Meet

10550 E Baseline Rd, Mesa 480-380-5572

mesamarket.com

# **Local Gather**

1916 W Baseline Rd, Mesa 480-256-2259

## localgatheraz.com

#### **Mesa Riverview**

857 N Dobson Rd, Mesa 480-461-0050

#### mesariverview.com

Mesa Riverview is an outdoor shopping and entertainment lifestyle center near loop 202 and Dobson Road. Stores and restaurants include Bass Pro Shops, Cinemark Theatre, Home Depot, Petco, Walmart, Jo-Ann Fabrics, Burlington, Henhouse Cafe, Chick-fil-A and more.

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# **Nash Vintage Collective**

58 W Main St, Mesa 480-297-1096

#### nvcollective.com

# The Pavilions at Talking Stick

9120 E Talking Stick Way, Scottsdale 480-834-8500

thepavilionsattalkingstick.com



## **Rango Honey**

364 S Smith Rd, Tempe 602-803-0648

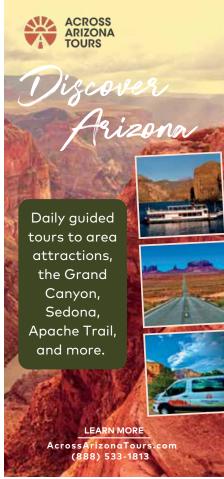
# rangohoney.com

## State Forty Eight Gilbert

325 N Ash St, Gilbert 480-937-8766

statefortyeight.com





# DINING

# **ALLERGY FREE**

# Intentional Foods Café and Market

1837 W Guadalupe Rd, Mesa 460-264-7002

intentionalfoods.org

# **AMERICAN**

#### **AZ Brew**

(Delta Hotels by Marriott Phoenix Mesa) 200 N Centennial Way, Mesa 480-898-8300

#### marriott.com/phxde

#### Chick-Fil-A

905 N Dobson Rd, Mesa 480-834-0573

#### chick-fil-a.com

#### **Dobson's Restaurant**

(Dobson Ranch Golf Course) 2155 S Dobson Rd, Mesa 480-644-2600

#### **Downtown Rendezvous**

20 E Main St, Mesa 480-964-3780

#### downtownrendezvous.com

# Gabby's Bar & Grill

635 N Country Club Dr, Mesa 480-827-9776

## gabbysbar.com

# Joe's Farm Grill at Agritopia

3000 E Ray Rd, Gilbert 480-563-4745

# joesfarmgrill.com

# **Knuckles Sandwiches**

1140 N Higley Rd, Mesa 480-630-4132

# knucklesandwichesaz.com

# **Liberty Market**

230 N Gilbert Rd, Gilbert 480-892-1900

## libertymarket.com

## The Patio and Grille at Las Sendas

7555 E Eagle Crest Dr. Mesa 480-396-4000

# lassendas.com

# **Redstone Restaurant and Lounge**

(Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites) 1600 S Country Club Dr. Mesa 480-964-7000

# The Resident

(DoubleTree by Hilton Phoenix Mesa) 1011 W Holmes Ave, Mesa 480-833-5555

# phoenixmesa.doubletreebyhilton.com

# Rustler's Rooste

8383 S 48th St, Phoenix 602-431-6474

# rustlersrooste.com

# T.C. Eggington's Brunchery

1660 S Alma School Rd, Mesa 480-345-9288

# tcegg.com

#### Tortilla Flat Saloon and Settlement

25 miles northeast of Mesa, Hwy 88 1 Main St, Tortilla Flat 480-984-1776

## Tortillaflataz.com

» See ad on inside front cover

#### What's Crackin' Café

6663 E McDowell Rd, Mesa 480-264-6832

#### whatscrackincafe.com

#### Wide Daddy's

New location coming soon

# widedaddys.com

#### **Worth Takeaway**

218 W Main St, Mesa 480-833-2180 worthtakeaway.com

#### **ASIAN**

#### **Miss Dessert**

1832 W Broadway Rd, Mesa 480-912-3585

#### missdessertus.com

#### **Original Cuisine**

1853 W Broadway Rd, Mesa 602-625-4405

ocmesa.com

## **BAKERY**

## **Nothing Bundt Cakes**

2285 E Baseline Rd, Gilbert 480-892-1667

## nothingbundtcakes.com

# **Outcast Doughnuts**

104 W Main St, Mesa 480-912-1142

# outcastdoughnuts.com

# **Proof Bread**

125 W Main St, Mesa 480-270-8320

# proofbread.com

# Schnepf Farms Bakery

24810 S Rittenhouse Rd, Queen Creek 480-987-3100

# schnepffarms.com

# Wildflour Sugar

wildfloursugar.com

# **BARBECUE**

## Bobby - Q

1610 S Stapley Dr. Mesa 480-361-7470

# bobbyqbbq.com

# Jalapeño Bucks

3434 N Val Vista Dr. Mesa 480-459-3050

jalapenobucks.com

# **BREWERIES & PUBS**

#### 12 West Brewing Co.

12 W Main St, Mesa 480-508-7018

#### 12westbrewing.com

#### **Alchemy 48**

48 W Main St, Mesa 480-656-9140 alchemy48.com

# Chupacabra Taproom

14 N Robson, Mesa 480-751-5566

# chupacabrataproom.com

#### **Cider Corps**

31 S Robson, Mesa 480-993-3164 cidercorpsaz.com

# Level 1 Arcade Bar

48 W Main St, Mesa 480-656-9140

#### level1arcade.bar

# **Lochiel Brewing**

7143 E Southern Ave, Mesa 480-666-0915

lochielbrewing.com

#### **Old Ellsworth Brewing**

22005 S Ellsworth Rd, Queen Creek 480-935-2796

## oldebc.com

Old Ellsworth Brewing Company is a family-owned and operated brewery in Queen Creek, Arizona that uses locally sourced ingredients to make award-winning craft beers. They brew beer inspired by life, free of constraint and impartial to axiom. In addition to their beer, they also have a full menu of food, including award-winning desserts.

# >> See ad on page 25

**Oro Brewing**210 W Main St, Mesa
480-398-8247

orobrewing.com

# Papago Brewing

1033 N Dobson Rd, Mesa 480-219-9922

papagobrew.com

## Phantom Fox Beer Co.

150 W Main St, Mesa 480-687-9607

# instagram.com/phantomfoxbeerco

# UnderTow

3150 E Ray Rd, Gilbert 602-818-7424

drinkundertow.com

# DINING

# **COFFEE HOUSES**

#### Hava Java Mesa

2849 N Power Rd, Mesa 480-912-5282

#### havajavamesa.com

## Jarrod's Coffee, Tea & Gallery

154 W Main St, Mesa 480-822-7146

jarrodscoffeeteaandgallery.com

# Just Love Coffee Café

3745 S Power Rd, Mesa 480-504-2608

justlovecoffeecafe.com

# The Organic Bean Cafe

40 N Macdonald, Mesa 480-776-4974

theobc.net

#### **Pura Vida Grinds**

3820 E Main St, Mesa 480-600-7528

pvgrinds.com

# **Renegade Coffee Company**

1242 W University Dr, Mesa 480-833-1930

renegadecoffeeaz.com

#### **Steadfast Coffee**

5111 S Inspirian Pkwy, Mesa 480-793-1734

steadfast-coffee.com

# **DINNER THEATERS**

# **Medieval Times Dinner & Tournament**

9051 E Via De Ventura, Scottsdale 480-291-7555

medievaltimes.com

# ITALIAN/PIZZA

# The Eatery at Queen Creek Olive Mill

25062 S Meridian Rd, Queen Creek 480-888-9290

queencreekolivemill.com

# Myke's Pizza

31 S Robson, Mesa 480-687-8526

mykespizza.com

# Organ Stop Pizza

1149 E Southern Ave, Mesa 480-813-5700

organstoppizza.com

# **LATIN AMERICAN**

# **Que Chevere**

142 W Main St, Mesa 480-474-4954 quechevereaz.com



# Republica Empanada

204 E 1st Ave, Mesa 480-969-1343

republicaempanada.com

# **MEXICAN/ SOUTHWESTERN**

# Baja Joe's Mexican Cantina

1927 N Gilbert Rd, Mesa 480-655-1828

bajajoescantina.com

# **Los Dos Molinos**

260 S Alma School Rd, Mesa 480-969-7475

losdosmolinosmesa.com

#### Los Sombreros

1976 W Southern Ave, Mesa 480-534-6742

lossombreros.com

# The Original Blue Adobe Grille

144 N Country Club Dr, Mesa 480-962-1000

originalblueadobe.com

#### **Tacos Chiwas**

127 W Main St, Mesa 480-590-7163

tacoschiwas.com

# **NAVAJO**

# Hope's Frybread

144 S Mesa Dr, Mesa 480-465-2666

hopesfrybread.com

# **SEAFOOD**

# **Buck & Rider**

3150 E Ray Rd, Gilbert

480-536-9494

buckandrider.com

# **Espiritu Cocktails and Comida**

123 Main St, Mesa 480-398-8129

espiritumesa.com

# Pete's Fish & Chips

22 S Mesa Dr, Mesa 480-964-7242

petesfishandchips.com

# **WINERIES**

# Garage-East at Agritopia

3000 E Ray Rd, Gilbert 480-493-7151

garage-east.com

# il Vinaio

270 W Main St, Mesa 480-649-6476

ilvinaio.net

## Peacock Wine & Book Bar

1525 N Gilbert Rd, Gilbert 480-590-1586

peacockwinebar.com

# The Windmill Winery

1140 W Butte Ave, Florence 520-858-6050

thewindmillwinery.com

# **DINING CENTERS**

# **Agritopia**

3000 E Ray Rd, Gilbert

# agritopia.com

- · The Coffee Shop
- · Cream of the Crop
- · Fire & Brimstone
- · Joe's Farm Grill
- · The Uprooted Kitchen

# **Epicenter**

3150 E Ray Rd, Mesa

# epicenteratagritopia.com

- · Belly Kitchen
- · Gadzooks
- · Matt's Big Breakfast
- · Source
- $\cdot$  Spinato's Pizzeria and Family Kitchen
- · Beer Barn
- · Peixoto Coffee

# Mesa Riverview

587 N Dobson Rd, Mesa

833-800-4343

# mesariverview.shopkimco.com

- · AZ Chimney Cakes
- · BoSa Donuts Coffee & Smoothies
- · Famous Dave's BBQ
- · Fazoli's
- · Henhouse Café
- · K Pot
- · La Michoacana Natural Fruit
- · Makitto Sushi
- · Mensho Ramen
- · Mountain Mike's Pizza
- · Pier 88 Boiling Seafood & Bar
- · Ritos Mexican Food
- · Xing Fu Tang
- · Yogi's Teriyaki & Grill

# We-Ko-Pa Casino Resort

10438 WeKoPa Way, Fort McDowell 480-789-4957

# wekopacasinoresort.com/dining

- · Ahnala
- · The Buffet
- · Ember
- · WKP Sports & Entertainment

# **VENUES & GROUP SERVICES**

# AUDIO VISUAL / PHOTOGRAPHY

**Amoroma Productions** 

562-335-4828

amoromaproductions.com

**The Creative District** 

501 E Moreland St, Phoenix 860-650-0298

thecreativedistrict.co

**David Orr Photography** 

602-363-8161

davidorrphotography.com

**DJ Nate Summer** 

623-451-2638

**Harkey Media** 

3550 N Central Ave, Phoenix 602-254-5159

harkeymedia.com

**Ivan Martinez Photography** 

165 N Centennial Way, Mesa 602-708-0136

ivanmartinezphotography.com

**Latest Craze Productions** 

4237 E University Dr. Phoenix 480-626-5231

latestcrazeproductions.com

**Notes from Neptune** 

480-275-1818

notesfromneptune.com

On Media

910 E Osborn Rd, Mesa 602-323-9701

onmediaaz.com

The Party Staff Inc.

3627 E Indian School Rd, Phoenix 602-296-2595

partystaff.com

Video West Inc.

1050 N 52nd St Access, Phoenix 480-222-3180

videowestinc.com

# **CATERING**

Bobby - Q

1610 S Stapley Dr. Mesa 480-361-7470

bobbyqbbq.com

Cloth & Flame

480-428-6028

clothandflame.com

The Food Truck League

602-445-7155

foodtruckleague.com

**Liquid Caterers** 

6150 W Gila Springs Pl, Chandler 480-788-8363

liquidcaterers.com

The Liquid Wanderer

480-608-9368

theliquidwanderer.com

Straight to the Plate Catering

500 W Southern Ave, Mesa 602-349-1208

straighttotheplate.com

Wildflour Sugar wildfloursugar.com

# **CONVENTION CENTER**

# Mesa Convention Center & Mesa Amphitheatre

263 N Center St, Mesa 480-644-2178

mesaconventioncenter.com

The Mesa Convention Center features 40,000 sq. ft. of flexible meeting space to include nearly 19,000 sq. ft. of exhibit space, fifteen meeting rooms to offer a wide variety of sizes and configurations and an additional 40,000 sq. ft. of functional outdoor space. Unique venues include a grass-tiered, outdoor Mesa Amphitheatre with a 5,000-person capacity, and The Post, a newly renovated, historic 6,000 sq. ft. flexible event space located in the vibrant Downtown Mesa district. Full-service catering and complete audio-visual services are available on-site. » See ad on inside back cover

# PRINTING/PROMOTIONAL ITEMS

Americopy

1755 S Horne, Mesa 480-632-8100

americopyprinting.com

**Blank Canvas** 

210 W Vaughn St, Tempe 480-831-1544

myblankcanvas.com

**CG Promo Group** 

316 N Stapley Dr, Mesa 480-655-1444

cgpromo.com

**Firefly Graphics** 

734 W Main St, Mesa

480-968-1322

fireflyaz.com

**Snider Custom Apparel** 

219 S William Dillard Dr, Gilbert

480-962-4599

snidercustomapparel.com

# **SERVICES**

**Alliance Nationwide Exposition** 

888-528-2011

alliance-exposition.com

**Arizona Anti-Trafficking Network** 

844-400-2286

aatn.org

#### **Event Rents**

4137 W Adams St, Phoenix

eventrents.com

# **Heritage Nationwide Exposition Services**

2120 S 7th Ave #170, Phoenix 800-360-4323

heritagesvs.com

#### **PRO EM National Event Services**

1450 E Grant St, Phoenix 480-507-0999

proem.org

# **Hastings & Hastings**

1830 S Alma School Rd, Mesa 480-706-1100

hastingsandhastings.com

# **VENUES**

#### **Antique Wedding House**

307 E 1st St, Mesa 480-649-1934

antiqueweddinghouse.com

#### La Puesta del Sol and Rosa's Ranch at Fort McDowell Adventures

14803 N Hiawatha Hood Rd, Fort McDowell 480-789-5302

fortmcdowelladventures.com

# Medieval Times Dinner & Tournament

9051 E Via De Ventura, Scottsdale

medievaltimes.com

# Mesa Amphitheatre

263 N Center St, Mesa 480-644-2560

mesaamp.com

# Queen Creek Horseshoe Park & Equestrian

20464 E Riggs Rd, Queen Creek 480-358-3710

queencreekaz.gov/hpec

**Regency Garden** 

25 N Robson, Mesa 480-668-5908

regencygarden.com

Superstition Manor

1220 N Signal Butte Rd, Mesa 480-286-7806

superstitionmanor.com

The Vistas Pavilion at Las Sendas Golf Club

7555 E Eagle Crest Dr, Mesa 480-396-4000

lassendas.com

# TRIP PLANNING

# MESA VISITOR INFORMATION

#### Visit Mesa

1 N Macdonald, Mesa Lobby featuring digital kiosks and complimentary brochures. 480-827-4700 · 800-283-6372

visitmesa.com

Hours of Operation: Tue-Fri 8AM-5PM

# City of Mesa

20 E Main St, Mesa 480-644-2211

mesaaz.gov

# East Valley Hispanic Chamber of Commerce

245 W 2nd St, Mesa 480-223-0157

evhcc.org

# **East Valley Partnership**

1 N Macdonald, Mesa 480-834-8335

# **Mesa Arizona Temple Visitors Center**

455 E Main St, Mesa 480-964-7164

# mesatemple.org/visitors-center

Hours of Operation: Mon-Sun 10AM-9PM

# **Mesa Chamber of Commerce**

165 N Centennial Way, Mesa 480-969-1307

mesachamber.org

# **MEDICAL SERVICES**

# **Banner Baywood Medical Center**

6644 E Baywood Ave, Mesa 480-321-2000

bannerhealth.com

## **Banner Desert Medical Center**

1400 S Dobson Rd, Mesa 480-412-3000

bannerhealth.com

# **Banner Health Center**

1917 S Crismon Rd, Mesa 480-610-7100

bannerhealth.com

# Banner Children's at Desert

1400 S Dobson Rd, Mesa 480-412-5437

bannerhealth.com

# **Dignity Health General Hospital**

1833 N Power Rd, Mesa 480-398-7340

dignityhealth.org

# Heavens Urgent Care

95 S Idaho Rd, Apache Junction 480-444-1160

heavensurgentcare.com

# **Mountain Vista Medical Center**

1301 S Crismon Rd, Mesa 480-358-6100 **mvmedicalcenter.org** 

# Phoenix Children's Specialty & Urgent Care East Valley Center

5131 E Southern Ave, Mesa 602-933-0002

phoenixchildrens.org

# **LIBRARIES**

(Call for current hours of operation)

# Main Library and THINKspot at the Main Library

64 E 1st St, Mesa 480-644-3100

mesalibrary.org

#### **Dobson Ranch Branch**

2425 S Dobson Rd, Mesa 480-644-3100

mesalibrary.org

# **Mesa Express Library**

7045 E Monterey Ave, Mesa 480-644-3100

mesalibrary.org

# **Queen Creek Library Recreation Annex**

21802 S Ellsworth Rd, Queen Creek (480) 358-3700

queencreekaz.gov/recreation

# Red Mountain Branch and THINKspot at Red Mountain Library Branch

635 N Power Rd, Mesa 480-644-3100

mesalibrary.org

# **COLLEGES / EDUCATION**

# **Arizona College of Allied Health**

163 N Dobson Rd, Mesa 855-706-8382

arizonacollege.edu

# **Arizona State University- MIX Center**

Part of ASU at Mesa City Center 50 N Centennial Way, Mesa 480-965-3502

mix.asu.edu

# Arizona State University- Polytechnic Campus

7001 E Williams Field Rd, Mesa 480-727-1585

campus.asu.edu/polytechnic

## A.T. Still University

5850 E Still Circle, Mesa 480-219-6000

atsu.edu

## **Benedictine University**

225 E Main St, Mesa 602-888-5500

ben.edu/mesa

# **Carrington College**

1001 W Southern Ave, Mesa 480-734-2378

carrington.edu/location/mesa-arizona

# **East Valley Institute of Technology**

1601 W Main St, Mesa 480-461-4000

evit.com



# PHOENIX-MESA GATEWAY ON THE RISE

What once was Williams Air Force Base, **Phoenix-Mesa Gateway Airport** today offers non-stop service to more than 47 destinations and contributes \$1.8 billion annually to the Arizona economy. And the sky's the limit!

As the demand for air travel continues to soar, so does Phoenix-Mesa Gateway with the expansion of its facilities and services currently underway.

A 5-Gate, 30,000 sq. ft. terminal addition and an enclosed pedestrian walkway connecting the airline ticket counters to the TSA security Screening Checkpoint will be complete in early 2024. Several new food and beverage concessions have already opened, and Allegiant Air has added non-stop service to Portland, Oregon.

More than just a gateway to the skies, the airport plays a pivotal role in the economic vitality of the surrounding region. Phoenix-Mesa Gateway is developing as an international aerospace center with aircraft maintenance, modification, testing, and pilot training. In addition to the area's skilled labor force, excellent year-round flying weather, three expansive runways averaging 10,000 feet, and access to international markets, the Airport's assets make it a prime location for global-minded companies. Phoenix-Mesa Gateway has been designated as Foreign Trade Zone #221, as well as a Military Reuse Zone, offering aviation companies a significant financial edge in the global marketplace.

Phoenix-Mesa Gateway
Airport is not just a
transportation hub; it's a
symbol of Mesa's growth,
connectivity and commitment
to providing an exceptional
experience for every visitor.

So, whether you're arriving for business or pleasure, flying through Phoenix-Mesa Gateway Airport is just plane easy.

# TRIP PLANNING

# COLLEGES/EDUCATION (CONT.)

# **Mesa Community College**

1833 W Southern Ave, Mesa

480-461-7000

mesacc.edu

#### **Pima Medical Institute**

957 S Dobson Rd, Mesa 800-477-7462

pmi.edu

# **BUS & RAIL LINES**

# **Valley Metro**

(Bus/Public Transportation) 602-253-5000

valleymetro.org

#### **Valley Metro Light Rail-Mesa Stations**

- · Sycamore/Main St (at Dobson Rd)
- · Alma School Rd/Main St
- · Country Club Dr/Main St
- · Center St/Main St
- · Mesa Dr/Main St
- · Stapley Dr/Main St
- · Gilbert Rd/Main St

602-254-7245

# valleymetro.org

The Central Mesa Light Rail Extension serves the growing transit demand in the region connecting visitors to Downtown Mesa business, arts and entertainment district, Mesa City Plaza, Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport and special events and activities.

# Valley Metro Light Rail to the PHX Sky Train

602-273-3300

# skyharbor.com/PHXSkyTrain

To travel to Mesa from Phoenix Sky Harbor via METRO Light Rail, exit at the 44th St/Washington METRO light rail stop. Then board the PHX Sky Train, offering free airport shuttle to all terminals 3 & 4 and was designed for travelers with luggage. Operates seven days per week.

# **TRANSPORTATION**

## **All Aboard America**

230 S Country Club Dr, Mesa 480-962-6202 · 800-848-4728

allaboardamerica.com

## **Boss Transportation**

480-593-2408

bosstransaz.com

# **Champion Charter Bus Phoenix**

480-257-7734

championcharterbus.com

# **GOGO Charters Phoenix**

480-776-0065

gogocharters.com/phoenix-charter-bus

# **National Charter Bus Phoenix**

480-626-4711

nationalbuscharter.com/phoenix-charter-

#### **Phoenix Charter Bus Company**

480-445-9823

phoenixcharterbuscompany.com

#### Price4Limo

866-265-5479

price4limo.com

# **Royal Coach Tours**

408-279-4801

royal-coach.com

#### **Thomas Transportation**

602-438-0808

thomastransportaz.com

# **Via Trailways**

888-842-5463

viatrailways.com

# **AIRPORTS**

## **Falcon Field Airport**

4800 E Falcon Dr, Mesa 480-644-2450

falconfieldairport.com

#### **Phoenix-Mesa Gateway Airport**

6033 S Sossaman Rd, Mesa 480-988-7600

# gatewayairport.com

Phoenix-Mesa Gateway Airport makes travel just plane easy® with nonstop service to more than 60 destinations! While waiting to depart, passengers will enjoy delicious dining, eclectic shopping, private mother's rooms and sunny outdoor courtyards.

- » See ad on page 33
  - · Allegiant
  - 702-505-8888 · allegiantair.com
  - · Sun Country Airlines
    - 651-905-2737 · suncountry.com

# **Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport**

3400 E Sky Harbor Blvd, Phoenix 602-273-3300

skyharbor.com

# ARIZONA VISITOR INFORMATION

# Apache Junction Chamber of Commerce

567 W Apache Trl, Apache Junction aichamber.com

# Arizona Association for RV Parks and Campgrounds

480-351-7178

# azarvc.org

# **Arizona Game and Fish Department**

7200 E University Dr, Mesa 602-942-3000

azgfd.com

## **Arizona Office of Tourism**

1110 W Washington St, Phoenix 602-364-3700 · 866-275-5816

visitarizona.com

# **Arizona State Parks**

877-697-2757

azstateparks.com

# **Arizona State RV Guide**

480-513-8147

azrvguide.com

## **Asian District**

#### asiandistrictmesa.com

More than 100 Asian-themed restaurants, grocery stores and other service and retail businesses along a two-mile stretch on Dobson Road in west Mesa.

#### **Downtown Mesa Association**

100 N Center St, Mesa 480-890-2613

downtownmesa.com

## Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation

480-789-4957

fortmcdowelldestination.com

# Queen Creek Chamber of Commerce

22246 S Ellsworth Rd, Queen Creek 480-888-1709

queencreekchamber.com

# Discover Salt River

Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community

9120 E Talking Stick Way #E-10, Scottsdale 480-362-2700

# discoversaltriver.com talkingstickarizona.com

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# **Town of Queen Creek**

22350 S Ellsworth Rd, Queen Creek 480-358-3000

## queencreekaz.gov

The Town of Queen Creek is a unique place for visitors offering exceptional climate, natural recreational riches and a relaxed, rural lifestyle making the community one of America's best small towns. Queen Creek is within 10 minutes of Phoenix-Mesa Gateway Airport and 45 minutes of Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport. Queen Creek offers a variety of retail and dining options. The Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Centre provides opportunities for events including Roots 'n' Boots annual rodeo. Queen Creek also boasts a diverse collection of popular farms and the Town has taken great strides to preserve the regions agricultural heritage for future generations.

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# FOOD MARKETS & FOOD EVENTS

# **Downtown Mesa Farmers Market**

Saturdays

June - September: 8AM - 11 AM October - May: 8AM - 12:30PM Inspire Farms, 206 E Main St, Mesa

dtmesafarmersmarket.com

# Eastmark Farmers Market (Seasonal)

Saturdays 9AM - 1PM 5100 S Eastmark Pkwy, Mesa eastmarkfarmersmarket.com

Farm Night at Agritopia (Seasonal)

2nd Wednesdays Sept - May: 5 - 8PM Agritopia, 3000 E Ray Rd, Gilbert agritopiafarm.com/farm-night

The Farm Store at Steadfast Farm

5111 S. Inspirian Pkwy, Mesa

steadfast-farm.com

The Food Truck League

602-316-0108 thefoodtruckleague.com/arizona

The Freeman Corn Patch (Seasonal)

Summer hours: Mon - Sat: 7AM - 6PM

945 N Center St, Mesa

facebook.com/thefreemancornpatch

# Mesa Cars & Coffee (Seasonal)

3rd Saturday Sept - April 7 - 10AM 1744 S Val Vista Dr, Mesa

True Garden Market

Wednesdays & Saturdays 8AM - 12PM

5949 E University Dr. Mesa

truegarden.com

# **U-Pick Organic Gardens at Schnepf**

Thursday - Sunday 7:30AM - 2PM 24810 S Rittenhouse Rd, Queen Creek schnepffarms.com



# **BEE THE CHANGE**

If you'd like to make your visit to Mesa ecosystem friendly, make plans to get up close and personal with the greatest pollinator of all time: the honeybee. Responsible for maintaining the Earth's biodiversity, they pollinate thousands of plants, trees and flower species, and help provide us with multiple food sources.

Visit Mesa sponsors beehives at Freeman Farms, the newest stop along the Fresh Foodie Trail®. The beehives are cared for by Visit Mesa and support the preservation of bee colonies through a partnership with Alvéole.

**WATCH HIVE ACTIVITY HERE:** 



# **GRAND CANYON**

With its breathtaking landscapes and immense geological significance, the Grand Canyon is considered one of the most significant natural wonders of the world. To get the most out of your visit to this iconic Arizona landmark, leave the driving to someone else so you can enjoy the all the Grand Canyon has to offer.

The tour companies listed below offer regularly scheduled and themed tours to the Grand Canyon from Mesa hotels. In addition, some companies accept bookings with 24 hours advance notice or less.

**Grand Canyon Visitors Center** 

928-638-7888

nps.gov/grca

## **Across Arizona Tours**

602-233-1813 888-533-1813

acrossarizonatours.com

# **DETOURS American West** 480-633-9013

866-438-6877

# detoursamericanwest.com **REI Co-op Experiences**

480-945-2881 866-455-1601

destinations.rei.com/Arizona

**Wandering Heart Adventures** 

928-533-3734 wanderingheartadventures.com

# **Free Spirit Vacations**

480-926-5547

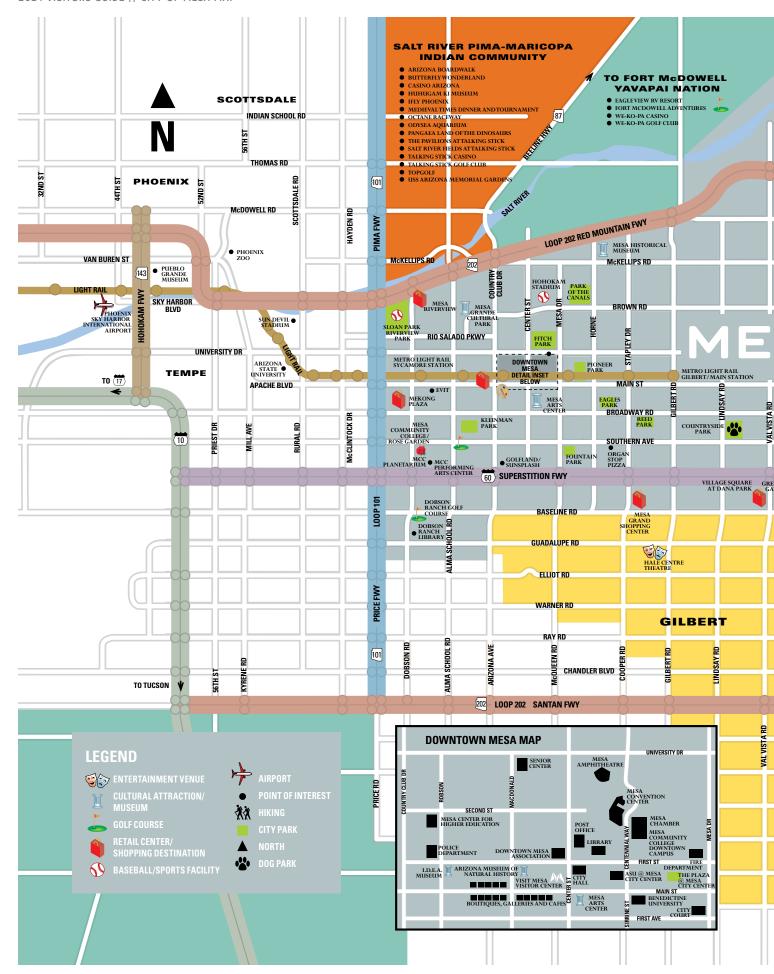
freespiritvacations.com

# **360 Adventures**

480-722-0360

360-adventures.com/grand-canyon

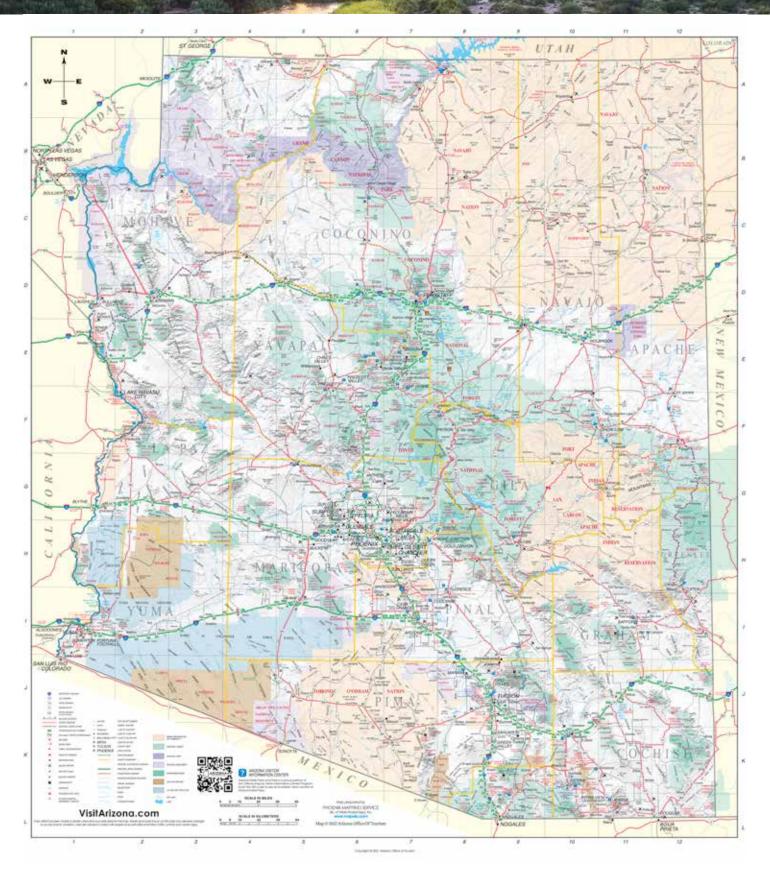








# STATE MAP



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- 274 guestroom Delta Hotels by Marriott Phoenix Mesa
- 30+ restaurants and shops within walking distance
- Marriott Bonvoy points for meeting planners
- Visit Mesa booking incentives available year-round





