

# SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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## Welcome to Our August Newsletter!

Welcome to the very first issue of the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community Newsletter! This new monthly email is designed to keep you informed, connected, and involved — from upcoming events and community highlights to resources, safety tips, and more. We're here to share what's happening across Salt River and celebrate our people, programs, and stories that shape our Community each month.

Let us know what you'd like to see in future emails — we're listening!

## Community Highlights



### School is Back in Session -- Let's Keep Our Students Safe!

Throwback to school days past... As we share this old-school photo, we're also looking ahead to a new school year starting across the Community and nearby districts.

Let's all do our part to keep students safe — drive carefully, obey school zone speed limits, and stay alert for crosswalks and bus stops.

Here are the start dates for local schools:

- Noah Webster – July 31
- Mesa Public Schools – July 31
- Salt River Schools – August 1
- Scottsdale Unified School District – August 4
- Scottsdale Community College – August 23

Plan extra time for your commute, respect speed limits in school zones, and watch out for crosswalks and bus stops.

📷 Got a great back-to-school photo? We'd love to feature it! Email it to [Communications@srpmic-nsn.gov](mailto:Communications@srpmic-nsn.gov).



## Celebrating SRPMIC Employees: First Quarterly Recognition Event

We're proud to celebrate the hard work and dedication of SRPMIC staff through the launch of our new Quarterly Employee Recognition Program, hosted by Human Resources.

This program honors employees across departments who go above and beyond in their service to the Community.

👏 The inaugural celebration was held at the Scottsdale Community College Indigenous Cultural Center and included:

- Certificates of recognition
- A small appreciation gift
- A recognition lunch with SRPMIC leadership, including Tribal Council members, the Community Manager, and Assistant Community Managers

## Announcements

### Stay Updated with Community Notices!

Looking for important updates? The SRPMIC Announcements page is your go-to source for notices on public meetings, service closures, health alerts, safety tips, and more.

We keep events on the Community Calendar — so if it's in Announcements, it's something you need to know.

[View the Latest Announcements](#)

### Help Shape the Future of Our Land

The SRPMIC Brownfields Program is asking for **your input** on three potential revitalization sites within the Community. Your ideas will help guide how these areas could be used in the future.

- Take the Survey today!
- Survey closes August 31
- Raffle Prize Giveaway for Participating

Let your voice be part of the solution.

[Take the Brownfields Revitalization Survey](#)

### The Cool Place

NEW! The Cool Place is now open weekends.

Beat the heat at the SRPMIC Wellness Center. Air conditioning, water, fans & safety tips available — free and open to all.

Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm Saturdays & Sundays, 9am-6pm



[More Information](#)

## Scam Alert: Legal Impersonators Targeting SRPMIC Members

Scammers are posing as law firms and process servers in an effort to trick SRPMIC members into sharing personal information. The Legal Services Office has reported a rise in these fraudulent calls.

If you receive one of these calls, do not share any details — hang up immediately. Share this warning with family, friends, and neighbors to help protect others in the Community.

If you're unsure whether a call is legitimate, contact the SRPMIC Legal Services Office by calling 480-362-5670.

Stay alert and help spread the word.

[Read the Full Alert](#)

## Upcoming Events

### Mark Your Calendar!

Here's what's happening across the Community this month — join us for wellness programs, special events, and more.

 [View the Full Calendar of Events](#)

Event Title	Event Date
<a href="#">Piipaash Matasheevm Bingo</a>	August 2
<a href="#">Aqua Fitness Interval Training</a>	August 5, 8, 19, 22
<a href="#">Community Senior Council Meeting</a>	August 11
<a href="#">Thriving with Diabetes</a>	August 12, 14, 19, 21
<a href="#">Christmas Angels Bake Sale</a>	August 15

*\*Dates, times, and locations, are subject to change or cancellations.*

## August District & Council Meetings

**CM Butler | District A**  
SRPMIC Council Chambers  
Thursday, August 28, 2025  
6:00 PM

**CM Antone | District B**  
SRPMIC Council Chambers  
Saturday, August 16, 2025  
9:00 AM

**CM Doka | District C**  
SRPMIC Council Chambers  
Thursday, August 7, 2025  
6:00 PM

**CM Fulwilder | District D**  
ALA, Lecture Hall  
Monday, August 18, 2025  
6:00 PM

**CM Carlos | District E**  
Location TBD  
Monday, August 25, 2025  
6:00 PM

**CM Scabby/CM Dallas  
Lehi District**  
Lehi Community Building  
Thursday, August 19, 2025  
6:00 PM

*District Meeting dates, times, locations, and agenda items are subject to change or cancellations.*

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EXECUTIVE SESSIONS Wednesdays at 3:00 PM	August 6, 13, 20, 27
REGULAR SESSIONS Wednesdays at 5:00 PM	August 6, 13, 20, 27
WORK SESSIONS Thursdays at 10:00 AM	August 7, 14, 21, 28


*Council may enter Executive Session as necessary.*

**Questions can be directed to the Council Secretaries Office at (480) 362-7469.**


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## Stay Connected with SRPMIC Online

We're keeping the Community connected all month long on social media — follow us for reminders, behind-the-scenes photos, live event coverage, and announcements you might not catch elsewhere.

 Follow Us & Stay Informed:

- [Facebook.com/SRPMIC](https://www.facebook.com/SRPMIC)
- [Instagram.com/SaltRiverIndianCommunity](https://www.instagram.com/SaltRiverIndianCommunity)
- [LinkedIn.com/Company/SRPMIC](https://www.linkedin.com/company/SRPMIC)

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