President’s Notes

We were saddened to learn that Heard North will close in April. Those of us who work at North will miss our regular and traveling visitors. Most of all we’ll miss working with and learning from the wonderful and talented staff, currently headed by, Teresa Twiggs.

Rod and I want to assure you that this decision was not undertaken lightly. A Trustee committee, reporting to the full Board, diligently evaluated North’s contributions to the Heard Museum. Rod, representing the Guild on the Executive Committee, confirmed the thoughtfulness & professionalism with which this committee handled this difficult choice. Ultimately, closing was the most prudent of many explored options.

In the months that remain before it closes, make a special effort to enjoy Heard North. Have a delicious lunch on the café patio amidst the wonderful sculptures, spend time viewing the Fashion exhibit, and take advantage of the intimacy of the Shop where so many treasures lie waiting for you!!

See you there!!!
Susan Kolman
President-elect

Guild Meeting

We take extreme pleasure in having Dr. Stephen Lekson speak to a combined meeting of the Heard Museum Guild and Circles.

Stephen is a Curator of Archaeology and Professor of Anthropology at the University of Colorado and the Museum of Natural History in Boulder, Colorado.

He’s a widely published author of many articles and books & editor of a series of books dedicated to the Anasazi (Ancestral Pueblo) of the Southwest. Although much of his time has been devoted to the Hohokam, he wrote “The Chaco Meridian” a study of the meridian that stretches from Casa Grande to Chaco, Aztec and Chimney Rock, detailing migration of the ancient people along the “North Road”.

Along with all who have had the fortune to accompany him on archaeological trips, or who have read his works, you will enjoy the experience of listening to an excellent & exciting speaker so please join us to hear Dr. Lekson.

Welcome to New Guild Members

Rosa Nichols
Joseph Davies
Samantha Goff
Colleen Davies
Ardis Willwerth
Judi Passon
Patricia Williamson

Upcoming Events

February 3rd
Short Course O’odham begins - Continues on the 10th & 17th
Monte Vista Room 9:30 am

February 8th
24th Annual Heard Museum Hoop Dance Championship
Libby Amphitheater 9:30am

February 12th
Guild Board Meeting
Encanto Room 9:30am

February 19th
Guild General Meeting
Steele Auditorium 9:30 am

www.heardguild.org
Three Ways to Help the FAIR

It is only a few weeks before the Fair and we need everyone's help. Please keep in mind that proceeds from the Fair support all aspects of the Museum.

1) E-mail recipients: I hope by now you all have forwarded the Fair Brochure to people in your email address book. It can be found online at Heard.org. Remember to tweet, send selfies, post on Facebook.

2) In the Guild Room are Rack Cards. They aren't doing any good sitting there. Please hand them out to family, neighbors, & friends, leave some at your library, & with your hairdresser, partners in golf and bridge etc. There's a $5.00 coupon for Sunday.

3) And, of course, Fair Chairs always need more money. Please choose the one or ones you like best. Go online or send a check made payable to Heard Museum Guild for Ribbon Award Sponsorship, to me at 15134 W Camino Estrella Drive, Surprise, 85374. Tickets for drawings and events are available online (heard.org/fair) or at Museum Admissions.

Another important way to help is to pay for an artist's dinner. Cost is $30. Our Fair is known for its hospitality among artists. The Guild invites all 600 artists, their significant other and children to the BOS Dinner and Reception for free. We have run a deficit in the BOS Dinner account for a couple of years. Let's close that gap by sending me checks at my address above.

BOOKS BOOKS & MORE BOOKS

Wednesday, January 15, our speaker was Ravae Johnson, Gifted Educational Instructor for the Laveen School division. Ravae was a wonderful speaker, outlining her history, telling of the problems faced by teachers of gifted children, & how she involves the parents in her programs.

The Heard Guild, thru Speakers Bureau, Educational panels, and Library Book Sale, has a long term association with Ravae, whose school has a beautiful library that lacks books. As part of this program, books were solicited to help stock the shelves. To our amazement, 422 books were donated. Saying “thank you” doesn't seem enough. You are all amazing people with hearts of gold.

I hope you are participating in all four ways. Remember to read through www.heard.org/fair to find out all that is being offered at the Fair. The weekend is meant for enjoyment and working is part of that.

See you at the Fair!

Heard Guild Explores

Heard Guild Explores trip to Tucson for the Gem and Mineral Show is February 13th. We will meet at the Museum at 8:30 am and return around 7:00 pm. For further info, contact Barbara Kohout, bekoho@aol.com. Send checks for $24.00 for the bus to Fran Dickman. Plan on a $10.00 admission charge upon arriving, and lunch is on your own at the Tucson Center. This is a chance to meet Guild members. Fran's address: 1810 E. Agusta Ave. Phoenix, Az. 85020.

Heard Guild Explores is planning an exciting event for March 13th. It will be a day trip to Prescott Valley to visit the Bronzesmith Foundry to actually see bronzecasting done. This foundry does the casting for sculptors, some well-known to us, such as Doug Hyde. Bronzesmith also has a sculpture garden and gallery.

Transportation will be by bus with lunch at a Prescott restaurant after the tour. Cost includes transportation, foundry admission, and lunch, estimated to be around $50.00. Only 50 reservations will be taken.

If you're interested in this adventure, please notify Donita Beckham at dbeckham@cox.net or Jackie Kemmer at kemmerinaz@aol.com so finalization of planning and costs can be done. We look forward to hearing from you!
North Scottsdale Guild Book Club

The February meeting of the North Scottsdale branch of the Heard Museum Guild Book Club will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, February 20, at the home of Edna Weinberg in Scottsdale. The book for discussion is, Of Earth & Little Rain, by Bernard L. Fontana. Guild members are invited to join the Book Club. For more information contact Linda Hefter at hefteraz@cox.net.

Shop News - Central

The shop has been welcoming volunteers back, but still need more volunteers to train for the shop. Bookstore Workshop for Volunteers. January 31st @ 10am: Starting with a review from Bruce McGee, continuing with Lance Polingyouma taking volunteers through the galleries & book store to relate books to the exhibits.

Jewelry Workshop February 20th @10:30: Led by Marie Wittwer on identifying various stones & styles of S.W. tribal jewelry in the shop.

Our February coordinators are; Central, Judy Kelley 602/481-2012 jannekelley@q.net North, Judy Pykare 480/488-4088 jpykare@mac.com

We hope many volunteers will attend these workshops & become more knowledgeable.

Gloria Johnson
Shop Chairman, 480/471-7811 glo.jim.johnson@gmail.com

Southwestern Tribes Short Course

There will be 4 sessions in this course, held at Heard North, exploring history, art and cultures of the Southwest & and the first peoples living here. It will be taught by Jaclyn Roessel.

Dates: Sessions 1 through 3 are March 10th, 17th and 24th, at Heard North; the fourth session on March 31st will be at Heard Central & includes a tour of the Museum. Classes meet 9:30am to 12:30pm.

Course Fees
Las Guias - No Charge
Guild Members - $50,
Museum members -$60
General Public - $70.

Checks are payable to Heard Museum Guild and are to be sent to Carol Gunn, 30600 N. Pima Rd. #25; Scottsdale, Az 85266.

For info or to register, contact Carol 480-575-9772, clgunnva@aol.com

New O'odham Short Course:

There's still time to sign up for the new O’odham Short Course set for Mondays, February 3, 10 and 17 in the Monte Vista Room from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The Short Course instructor is senior member of Las Guias, Linda Hefter - 480-471-2190

Come learn about the rich history and traditions of the O’odham; the people who have lived in the Sonoran desert for thousands of years and, today, are our friends and neighbors in Phoenix and Tucson. Learn about the many exciting cultural revitalization projects, many involving young people who are dedicated to creating a culture that is healthy, vital and sustainable.

The Short Course will feature presentations by several members of the O’odham communities. For more information & to register, contact Phyllis Manning at pemanning@hotmail.com or call 480-316-4811.

Course Fees
$25 - LasGuias
$40 - Guild Members
$50 - Museum members
$60 - the general public.

Shop News - North

Sadly, Heard North will be closing the Gallery at the end of March, and the shop and cafe, at the end of April, but there is a lot going on until that time.

Our Fashion Flash sale for members only, will be Sunday January 26th, 1 to 4 p.m. Visit the Fashion Exhibit that day, too, if you have not yet seen it yet. Attend our Nights at North series, through February. The receptions begin at 5:30 p.m. with the programs following at 6:30 p.m.

January 29 with Navajo weavers, Barbara Teller Ornelas and her son, Michael.

Feb. 5th “Stereotypes, Appropriation, and American Indians in Pop Culture”.

February 12 American Indian artists and art-world leaders will talk about the changing Native art scene.

February 19 brings Orlando Dugi, Navajo designer. February 27 a series of movies, “Stylish Women In Film” begins at North with a documentary about Osage ballet dancer, Maria Tallchief.

Beginning Feb.1 the Cafe is open 7 days a week.

Judy Pykare jpykare@mac.com or 480-488-4088
Canyon de Chelly May 2014
Join us for a tour of Canyon de Chelly. Experience the ruins up close with a Navajo guide. We'll stop at Hubbell's rug auction...wide selection of rugs, folk art, jewelry, etc. Native artists will be selling as well. We'll visit a historic trading post with internationally known SW arts expert, Mark Bahti. Flyers with details, as well as our webpage, can be found at the end of the newsletter. Shelley Mowry, mowrydsi@gmail.com

Tour of the Old Pueblo October 2014
Guild Trip Highlights include:
The Amerind Museum and visit to Bisbee with dinner at the highly rated Cafe Roka.
Tour to U of A's world renowned Mirror Lab & night sky viewing program on Mt. Lemmon.
Tour of Tohono Chul Park, featuring its beautiful gardens & art gallery of the works of Mexican and Native American artisans
Tucson Museum of Art located in the historic presidio in downtown Tucson.
Expert guides will share historical and cultural insights to broaden your knowledge of Tucson, highlighting southwest folklore.
A great tour of the Old Pueblo not to be missed!

Santa Fe Guild Trip! Nov. 2014
By popular demand, we are pleased to offer another magical journey to explore the all wonders of Santa Fe. Led by Native American Arts expert, Mark Bahti, we'll visit many artists and galleries in Santa Fe and surrounding Pueblos. Spend six amazing nights at the Inn at Loretto, very close and within walking distance to the Plaza of Santa Fe.
Most of the admissions and meals on the tour are included.
This tour always exceeds expectations and promises to do so again this year!

Copper Canyon Museum Trip
March, 2014
"Come join us as we make a return trip to Copper Canyon and Mata Ortiz! It has been several years since the Guild has traveled south of the border. We will travel with Stephen Bernier, who is our Guild guide for trips and a master in Mexico. Greg Scott and Fernando of Mexico will also return as guides.
We will spend eight nights and nine days traveling, visiting various towns. we will enjoy the spectacular beauty of Copper Canyon as well as meeting local indigenous peoples of the area. Many artists will speak and demonstrate their skills throughout the trip. See flyer at Heardguild.org. It will be a fun and educational time. Email Shelley Mowry, for additional information. mowrydsi@gmail.com

IN MEMORY

Guild member MAXINE APPLEBAUM passed away in November 2013. Maxine was a devoted and proud volunteer who gave her time and expertise to the Billie Jane Library and Archives since 2005. She was a very generous donor of many books and photogravures. Maxine also devoted many hours of service to the Library Book Sales. Curator of Collections Diana Pardue is planning an exhibit in April called "That's The Way I Like It" in which Diana plans to include some of the artwork that Maxine donated. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family.

We would also like to mention that long time Museum and Guild members, Rex & Ellen Nelsen, recently suffered the loss of her mother. Please feel free to call the families as they would appreciate hearing from our Guild members.

STEPHEN A. FIELD passed away on December 22, 2013. Stephen and his wife, Marney, are long time members of the Heard Museum & Guild. Stephen had a passion for Native American Art and Model Railroading. He served on many different committees with many organizations in the Valley. We will miss Steve's volunteer efforts, as well as his distinctive black stetson with it's special hatband. We extend our condolences and sympathies to Marney and the family.

If anyone is interested in making a donation in memory of any of the above individuals, please contact Guild Secretary Sue Snyder.

2013-14 Service Hours
04-01-13 1,016,400
01-15-13 1,046,650
2013-14 YTD 30,250

Record your hours! Contact: Lucille Shanahan
623-556-1430 shanahanle@cox.net
The Heard Museum Guild presents a wonderful four day tour of the fascinating region of northeastern Arizona and northwestern New Mexico.

Don’t miss a great opportunity to acquire stellar weavings and other native works of art at the Hubbell Native Arts Auction.

Led by Native Arts expert Mark Bahti. We’ll meet and interact with native artists.

You’ll enjoy his enthusiasm and vast knowledge of the Southwest. Don’t miss out on this fabulous opportunity.

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**Day 1**

**PHOENIX– GALLUP**

Departure time is 7:00 am from the Heard Museum. We begin our journey driving to Gallup via Show Low, stopping at RB Burnhams’ Trading Post. We finish our day with a marvelous tour of Richardson’s Trading Post & Pawn Shop. Overnight at the famous El Rancho Hotel in Gallup.

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**Day 2**

**CANYON DE CHELLY**

This morning after breakfast at Earls, we’ll visit the historic Toadlena Trading Post. Owners Mark and Linda Winter will share with us their personal experiences of operating a trading post and exhibit their private collection of amazing weavings. Afterwards, we travel to Canyon de Chelly for an afternoon tour of the Canyon. Overnight in Chinle.

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**Day 3**

**HUBBELL AUCTION**

This morning we’ll travel to the Hubbell Trading Post to take part in the Native Crafts Auction. This is an excellent opportunity to acquire amazing weavings, Katsina carvings, jewelry, pottery, and other native crafts direct from the artisan. Afterwards, we’ll make our way to the historic La Posada hotel in Winslow. Dinner at the Turquoise Room. B,D

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**Day 4**

**HOPI MESA - PHX**

Today we’ll spend a fascinating day at the Hopi Mesas. We anticipate a wonderful cultural event on Second Mesa. We’ll then have lunch at the Tsukurshovi Trading Post where we’ll enjoy lectures and demonstrations of native arts. Afterwards we return to the Valley.
Volunteer Form
THE 56th Annual Heard Museum Guild Indian Fair & Market
March 1 & 2, 2014

Name (please print clearly):
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Telephone Number(s):
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Email address: __________________________________
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_____ Volunteer Opportunities for Best of Show, Friday, February 28, 2014, 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm

BOS Security (1 of 3 shifts)
BOS Silent Auction (1 of 2 shifts)

BOS Volunteer Perk: Purchase BOS dinner ticket for $40.00 (reg. $75.00 members). Enjoy Best of Show sights, sounds, and food before or after your shift.

_____ Volunteer Opportunities for Fair Days March 1 and 2, 2014

Circle one or more:
Artist Hospitality
Booth Relief
Raffle Ticket Sales
Water/Soda/Food Pavilion Sales and Distribution Merchandise Sales

Saturday Shifts (Circle One or More) 9:00 – 1:00
Sunday Shifts (Circle One or More) 9:00 - 1:00

Admissions
Parking

10:30 – 2:30 1:00 – 5:00 10:30 – 2:30 1:00 – 5:00

Fair Day Volunteer Perk: Free admission to the Fair on the day or days you volunteer. Come early, stay late, and enjoy the Fair before or after your shift.

Please return this form completed to: Lucille Shanahan, Volunteer Placement Chair or email info to: shanahanle@cox.net