

Centurions Sentinel

A Newsletter of The New Centurions 501(c)(7)

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In Memorium: Mike McKee



We sadly lost a long-time and dedicated Centurions brother, Mike McKee, on April 20. A Centurions Member for 25 years, Mike [passed away on April 20](#), doing what he loved to do, playing golf. He was 68 years young.

Mike was born in Deming, New Mexico, on September 16, 1952. He joined The Centurions in 1996 and after years of service became a Senior Member.

Mike was owner of [Gilbert Electric Co. Inc.](#), a full service commercial and industrial electrical contracting company.

A Celebration of Life for Mike will be held on Thursday, April 29 at 11:00 a.m., at [IBEW Local union Hall, 750 Tucson Blvd.](#) Arrangements are being made by the Desert Sunset Funeral Home.

Let's Reach \$100K in Raffle Ticket Sales!



If you haven't already, start your sales efforts today! Our goal is to reach \$100K in ticket sales.

We're 20% of the way there with just over \$20,000 in ticket sales!

All Active Members are on a sales team, using the same teams set up for our Event. Check in often with your Sales Team Captain for support and updates.

The winning sales team will be rewarded with a hosted happy hour.

Online sales are now open—and printed tickets are available!

Below are links to use for the sales page. All links lead to same sales page:

Short URL:

<https://bit.ly/2021raffle>

Full URL:

<https://rafflecreator.com/pages/35744/the-centurions-cash-raffle>

Centurions Homepage:
<https://www.thecenturions.com/>

Printed tickets can be mailed to you or picked up at The Centurions office. Please call Cindi Ward at 520.795.1071 to arrange.

Beneficiaries

Literacy Connects, Parent Aid, Youth On Their Own, The Centurions

Three Winners

35% of total sales, 10% of total sales & 5% of total sales

Drawing Date

July 1, 2021

Resuming Social Events: COVID Prep



We hope you and your family have been safe and healthy!

We're working on a schedule for getting back together for monthly social events. Keep an eye out for updates!

If you have not yet already done so, please:

(1.) Sign & send a [Centurions COVID Release/Waiver](mailto:Cindi.Ward@TheCenturions.com) to Cindi.Ward@TheCenturions.com, AND

(2.) Upload your vaccine card to:

<https://www.thecenturions.com/member-cv/>

If you already submitted a signed waiver and uploaded a vaccination card, you are all set and do not need to send it again.

The Membership Board with Social Chairman Kevin Bedient are putting together a plan for the next couple of months that includes a **May Steak Fry** and monthly meetings up until our Event in October: *Rock the 80's, A Big Hair Affair*.

Centurions COVID Vaccine Appointments Available this Sunday, May 2!



A big Thank You! to Dr. Stephanie C. Bravo, MD and her husband and Centurions Member, Paul Beckner, for providing COVID vaccinations to Centurions Members, our families, and employees!

There still are vaccines available and appointments are open for this Sunday, May 2, starting at 9AM!

This is available to you, your family, and employees. The Moderna vaccine will be used.

To make your appointment:

TEXT to Dr. Bravo at 520.990.3222 & INCLUDE:

1. Your preferred appointment time (set in 20-minute intervals starting at 9AM); and
2. How many will be in your party--up to 4 close contacts many be scheduled at the same time

LOCATION:

4721 E 9th Street (near Broadway & Swan)

Please show up on time for your appointment. This opportunity

Dr. Bravo is also very willing to talk with anyone who may be hesitant or has any questions.

Dr. Stephanie C. Bravo, MD specializes in geriatric medicine and internal medicine. Paul is owner of Absolute Power, LLC, a Tucson-based electrical contractor.

COVID Vaccine Info Updates:

More Vaccinated = Getting Past COVID & to 2021 Event!



Local vaccination sites, including hospitals, county health departments, medical centers, urgent care clinics, pharmacies and county vaccination events are now open.

Visit the state's [online Vaccine Finder map](https://www.azdhs.gov/covid19/vaccines/index.php#find-vaccines) to locate providers in each county, see who is eligible at each site and find instructions on how to schedule an appointment. Some providers may direct you to the state's VMS to schedule an appointment. Full URL:

<https://www.azdhs.gov/covid19/vaccines/index.php#find-vaccines>

Retail pharmacy chains—including [Walgreens](#), [Fry's Pharmacy](#), [CVS](#), [Costco](#), [Walmart](#), [Safeway](#), and [Albertsons](#)—have created online COVID-19 vaccine pages where you can search for appointments across their multiple vaccination sites. Many of these are also included in the state's online Vaccine Finder map.

Paradigm Site Services—Robin Winters and Chris Johnson are associated with Paradigm and they have plenty of open slots for first and second vaccine doses at the Kino Event Center, 2805 E. Ajo Way, Tucson, AZ 85713 every day (except Sundays). You can sign up at <https://podvaccine.azdhs.gov/> to make an appointment.

Oldest Rookie Class (Photo)



Our oldest Rookie Class photo on file... Class of 2003!
Do You Have Any to Share? Any older ones?

The current oldest Rookie Class photo that we have in our records is from 2003. Members of this class include: LaMonte Hunley, Steve Shepherd, Jeff Ronstadt, John Fina, and Darrel Delperdang.



Just join the discussion in our private [Centurions Facebook group](#) to share your recollections--and tasteless jokes and tall tales.

Upcoming Membership Events

Here are the upcoming pending social events. Watch your inbox for more information soon!

Steak Fry

May 21 | [Tanque Verde Guest Ranch](#)

More info and Evite coming soon.

Social Chairman, Kevin Bedient, and the Membership Board is working on a social calendar for the remainder of the year. Stay tuned for updates!

Let's also stay in touch through [our private Facebook site!](#)

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