



FULL DISCLOSURE

BY GARVEY BIGGERS

Don't be fooled by this wonderful Spring weather!
Summer is about to be upon us!

Stay hydrated! Eight bottles a day for the macho men who think they are tougher than a boot. Listen up! Arizona Diamondbacks ticket Give-Away to the first *three* responders to this Newsletter! You have to be able to answer one question that is answered in the Newsletter to qualify:



What is the Name of the Program designed to restore Arizona's forest health?

***Be one of the first 3 responders with the correct answer and choose your Diamondbacks tickets from available supplies!**

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Listen up one more time, if interested, I will be interviewed by Carol Blonder on KFNX 1100 AM radio at 3:30pm on June 21, 2019. If you have a radio and want to listen in- have at it. She might have a call in opportunity; not sure but her guests are usually interesting. I hope to be interesting. Your feedback is important.

In The News

Summer is here which means that school is out and more teens are on the road. It also means backyard barbecues, pool parties and road trips, which all could lead to an accident or injury.



The period between Memorial Day and Labor Day is considered the 100 Deadliest Days because accidents involving teen drivers increase during this time compared to the rest of the year. Speed and nighttime driving are significant factors contributing toward the number of crashes during the 100 Deadliest Days ([statistics based on 2016 NHTSA FARS data as analyzed by the AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety.](#))

On the good side, according to this data, both crashes and fatalities have decreased over the past 20 years. Researchers found that the number of people injured each year in crashes involving teen drivers declined and the number of people killed each year in teen driver crashes declined. Strong teen driver laws, as well as other factors, are reasons for the drop in overall crash rates for teen drivers. Nevertheless, motor vehicle crashes remain the leading cause of death for teens.

In Arizona, teens with a graduated license, cannot drive between the hours of 12:00 a.m. and 5 a.m. for the first six months of holding their driver's license (with some exceptions).

Parents may be responsible for damages caused by a minor

The parent or legal guardian who signs the minor's license application is jointly and severally liable with the minor for any damage the minor causes by negligence or willful misconduct. If the parent is married, the parent binds his or her spouse to be responsible for damages the minor causes. However, a parent or guardian is not liable for such damages if there is insurance covering the minor in at least the minimum amounts required by law.

<https://www.drivinglaws.org/teen/arizonat.php>

Another interesting survey that recently came out by General Motors shows more teenagers are waiting to get behind the wheel.

Here are some of the top reasons teens said they aren't getting a driver's license:

- Transportation is easily accessible elsewhere or from others
- They are concerned with driving's impact on the environment
- They are able to communicate online instead of needing to be somewhere in person
- Vehicles are too expensive

<https://www.abc15.com/news/national/more-teens-are-waiting-to-drive-heres-why>

According to the survey, twenty-two percent of the respondents went so far as to say they planned to never obtain a driver's license. About 69 percent said they would get a license eventually.

<https://www.consumeraffairs.com/news/todays-teens-seem-to-be-in-no-hurry-to-drive-042319.html>

Here's a doozy...

[The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration](#) is seeking public comment on a "potential" pilot program that would allow drivers between 18 to 20 to operate commercial motor vehicles in interstate commerce. [Read more...](#)

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10 Common Summer Injuries

Summer is a season full of beautiful weather, vacations, sports, and other enjoyable outdoor activities. Unfortunately, summer also means an increase in injuries. There are many ways to prevent the injuries that are most common during the summer months, as you and your family enjoy the warm weather. Here you can find helpful tips and facts to help you have a safe and injury-free summer.



1. BICYCLE INJURIES: Wearing a helmet will reduce the chance of a head injury by 85 percent, according to the Bicycle Helmet Safety Institute. The use of a bicycle helmet also seriously reduces the chance that a bike accident, which often involves a motor vehicle, will be fatal for the cyclist

2. BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL INJURIES: Since baseball is a non-contact

sport, injuries happen with unintentional contact, according to the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons. Warming up and stretching can help prevent common strains and sprains. Coaches are also advised to become very familiar with the conditions of their field, and to be prepared for emergency situations with an on-hand first aid kit along with a medical response plan.

3. PLAYGROUND INJURIES: Studies indicate that roughly 7 out of 10 playground injuries happen because of a fall or an equipment failure. Pediatricians are acutely aware of such hazards.

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