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**SouthWest Costumers Guild**

meets generally on the last Sunday of the month, 1:00PM at members homes or someplace fun. The Guild dues for our chapter are \$10 per year, an optional additional \$1 for membership in the International Costumer's Guild, and \$8 to receive the International Costumer's Quarterly. \$8 to receive only our chapter newsletter. Send money to Frances Burns, she will notify the Editor. SWCG Webpage:

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**MEETING: NOV 26, 2000 at 1PM - Photo**

**Shoot Guild Workshop/Picnic** at McCormick Railroad Park in Scottsdale. The park is located at the southeast corner of Scottsdale and Indian Bend Roads in Scottsdale, Arizona. If the parking lot is full, there is overflow parking on the north side of Indian Bend Road. Bring your own favorite lawn chair and maybe foodage to share.

The mission is to do some photography using the railroad cars and other interesting backgrounds in the vicinity. Bring a favorite costume in which to pose and maybe your camera. Plain old conversation is good too. Randall may use this opportunity to generate some digital pictures of hats and other costume pieces to put up on his MoiRandall's site. Care to be a grossly underpaid fashion model? :-)

**CALENDAR**

**NOTE:** Information in this calendar is provided as a service to our guild please contact the individual organizations for verification of information.

**November 18-19, 2000 - Devonshire Renaissance Faire** The annual renaissance fair hosted by Phoenix Parks & Recreation at Los Olivos Park, on 28th Street, one block north of Indian School Road. Food, Music, Merchants, all in an Elizabethan theme. Look for SWCG Member Randall Whitlock's "MoiRandall's" costume pavilion.

**December 17, 2000 - Glendale Glitters\* Guild Walking Tour.** We will see the sights of downtown Glendale, Arizona during their annual "Glendale Glitters" holiday event. Features include a chocolate factory, a doll museum, and antique shops. Should we do this in Victorian attire?

**May 18-20, 2001 - LepreCon 27,** A fan-run convention emphasizing the art of Science Fiction, will be held at the Holiday Inn Sunspree Resort in Scottsdale, Arizona. This year's con's confirmed guests of honor include: Artist Guest of Honor: Stephen Hickman Author Guest of Honor: Michael Stackpole Music Guest: Echo's Children (sponsored by the Phoenix Filk Circle) Local Artist Guest of Honor: Robert Ross Check out [www.leprecon.org](http://www.leprecon.org) for details.

**June 29-July 1, 2001 - DarkCon 2001,** A Science Fiction, Fantasy, and Gaming convention, will be held in central Arizona, location to be announced. Check out [www.darkcones.org](http://www.darkcones.org) for details as they develop. A masquerade will be featured.

**September 7-9, 2001 - CopperCon 21,** A fan-run Science Fiction convention, will be held at the Holiday Inn Sunspree Resort in Scottsdale, Arizona. This year's con features Author Julian May and Musical Guest Heather Alexander. Check out [www.casfs.org/cucon](http://www.casfs.org/cucon) for details. The con features a masquerade directed by SWCG Webdude Randall Whitlock. Randall has put up a masquerade information page at <http://members.aol.com/cumask/>.

\* Indicates a SWCG-sponsored event.