



Start Times by State *All Events at Geronimo Event Center, Highway 80, Rodeo, NM*
MST (AZ) / MDT (NM) **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

8:30 / 9:30 **MARKET & CRAFTS FAIR OPENS**

9:00 / 10:00 **"Welcome & Logistics"** — Kim Vacariu, *Heritage Days Director*

9:10 / 10:10 **Keynote Address: "Apache Culture and Ancestry"**
 — Dr. Wendsler Nosie, Sr., *Chiricahua*
Former Chairman, San Carlos Apache Tribe

10:00 / 11:00 **BREAK / MARKET / MUSIC with Ziggy Tolman**
 —*Break sponsored by Chiricahua Regional Council*

10:30 / 11:30 **"Opportunities for Long-Term Protection of Your land"**
 —Cameron Becker, *Conservation Director, Arizona Land and Water Trust*
 —Paul Hirt, *President, Chiricahua Land Conservancy*

11:00 / NOON **"Sycamore Ranch History & the Future of Ranching"**
 — Bill McDonald, *Rancher, Malpai Borderlands Group*

11:30 / 12:30 **"Cave Creek Canyon Updates"** — Reed Peters, *President, FOCCC*

11:45 / 12:45 **"Announcements"** — Kim Vacariu

NOON / 1:00 **LUNCH / MARKET / MUSIC with Ziggy Tolman**
 Homemade soups, salad, bread & dessert for all food preferences. **\$10.00**

1:00 / 2:00 **"Hydrogeology in the Chiricahuas and Desert Southwest"**
 — Sharon Minchak, *Professional Geologist / Hydrogeologist*

1:30 / 2:30 **"Water Use Impacts on the San Simon Aquifer"**
 —Christopher Kuzdas, *AZ Water Program Director, Environmental Defense Fund*

2:00 / 3:00 **BREAK / MARKET & CRAFTS FAIR**
Break sponsored by Chiricahua Regional Council

2:30 / 3:30 **"Mexican Wolves: A Survival Story"**
 —Philip Hedrick, *Ullman Professor of Conservation Biology, ASU*

3:00 / 4:00 **"Hog Ranches & Brothels: Our Houses of Ill Repute"**
 — Mike Anderson, *Author and Historian, Bisbee, AZ*

3:30 / 4:30 **"Closing Remarks"** — Kim Vacariu

ARIZONA / NEW MEX **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**

8:00 a.m. / 9:00 **"Cave Creek Geology Walk" with Sharon Minchak**
Meet at Cave Creek Visitors Center

11:00 a.m. / NOON **"Nature Journaling & Old-Growth Forest Network Dedication" with Margaret Wilch, FOCCC, and Sarah Adloo, Old-Growth Forest Network**
Meet at Cave Creek Visitors Center (bring a notebook and pen or pencil)

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