

## City of Willcox Newsletter September 2011

### **Cochise County History on the Move!**

Pat McCourt, City Manager

The City of Willcox, in conjunction with the Cochise County Arizona Centennial Committee, is happy to announce that there will be available, free of charge, the Traveling exhibit titled "Cochise County History on the Move". This exhibit features 33 life-sized cut-outs of people who have been influential in the development and history of Cochise County. This exhibit is part of the celebration of the 100-year anniversary of the Statehood of Arizona.

The exhibit will be on display in Keiller park from the end of September through the middle of October (15<sup>th</sup>). The display will be set up along the walking path, and we invite and encourage you to visit the site. There is no cost to view the exhibit, and there is free parking at Keiller Park.

There are several individuals from the Willcox area: Henry Clay Hooker, Brannick Riggs, Rex Allen, and Thomas Jeffords. (If you don't know who these folks are, here is a great chance to find out, and to find out a lot more about the people who helped mold Cochise County into the community it is today).

**Come and join your neighbors for a great family time; bring a picnic lunch and enjoy your park and your history.**

### **101 Great Reasons to Read!**

Tom Miner, Library Director

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^ It's fun ^ You'll know more ^ You'll learn about yourself ^ You'll learn about the World ^ You'll understand people better ^ It will help you grow ^ You'll be inspired ^ It keeps you out of trouble ^ You'll forget your worries ^ It makes time fly by ^ You can do it anywhere ^ You can do it anytime ^ You can do it in any weather ^ You'll impress your parents and friends ^ You'll make your teachers proud ^ It will help you do well in school ^ It doesn't cost much ^ It doesn't require batteries ^ It puts the Universe at your fingertips ^ It doesn't need electricity ^ There are no commercials ^ It reduces stress ^ It's a quiet activity ^ You'll learn other points of view ^ You can live many lives ^ You can see through someone else's eyes ^ It's the cheapest way to travel the World ^ It can make you laugh ^ It can make you cry ^ It can scare your pants off ^ It can make you think ^ It can take you places you never dreamed of ^ You can have the adventure of your lifetime ^ You can learn how to do something new ^ It improves your communication skills ^ You can learn how things work ^ It helps you find solutions to any problem ^ You can experience the past ^ You can dream about the future ^ You can explore new horizons ^ It inspires life-long learning ^ You'll be great at trivia games ^ Once you start, you won't want to stop ^ It

can change your life ^ It can give you great quotes or jokes to share ^ You can experience things you would never do ^ You won't have to judge a book by its cover ^ You can learn how to be better at anything ^ It will increase your vocabulary ^ It sparks your imagination ^ You can learn how to make something new ^ You'll be a better writer ^ It's your link to the rest of the World ^ You'll always have something to look forward to ^ You'll meet interesting characters ^ You can do it by yourself ^ You can do it with your family ^ It makes you smarter ^ You'll always have something to talk about ^ It's always in style ^ It's a good way to challenge yourself ^ It builds your self-esteem ^ You can discover new heroes ^ You can keep up with the latest news ^ You can relive exciting adventures ^ You're more likely to be successful in life ^ It stimulates creativity ^ It helps you relax ^ It improves your concentration ^ It increases your attention span ^ It's a great escape ^ It's energizing ^ Books are full of surprises ^ Information is power ^ It's a rewarding habit ^ It expands your mind ^ Your resources will be limitless ^ It will make you more interesting ^ You can learn why things are the way they are ^ You'll never outgrow it ^ It exercises your brain ^ You don't need any special equipment ^ You'll learn proper grammar ^ It will help you with spelling ^ You'll find out what's so great about classic literature ^ There's something in it for everyone ^ It's a never-ending resource ^ It can make you a better person ^ You'll set a good example ^ It's contagious ^ It satisfies curiosity ^ You can explore great minds ^ You'll find out why Libraries are such cool places ^ There is magic in words ^ It's great entertainment ^ It can bring people closer together ^ Your mind won't go to waste ^ You'll learn why the pen is mightier than the sword ^ The book is always better than the movie ^ A wealth of material awaits you and... ***Books are Friends for Life!***

### **From the Office of the City Clerk...**

Cristina G. Whelan, CMC

### **City Council Meetings**

Monday  
Oct 3, 2010

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Monday  
Oct 17, 2010

7:00 p.m.

City Council Chambers  
***300 W. Rex Allen Drive***