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The much-anticipated **Dave's Electric Brewpub** is scheduled to begin draught on Saturday, Sept 26 in the ground floor restaurant space of the **5C Studios** building, located at the SE corner of College Avenue and Veteran's Way [5th Street]. Head Brewmaster **Dave Harvan** of **Dave's Electric Brewing Company** in Bisbee, AZ has partnered with local family-owned business partners who are big supporters of the Tempe community. They ultimately convinced Dave to choose Tempe as the first-and-only other business location in addition to the original pub in Bisbee. General Manager **Christina Cenzano** explains, "The technical support of other local brewpubs including the **Four Peaks**, **Papago** and the **Sonoran Brewing Company** has been critical in getting us set up. The local brewing community has been great!" Dave's will serve lunch + dinner daily [brunches served Saturdays + Sundays] under the shade of the live oak trees covering the indoor-outdoor beer garden along College Ave. [think Game Day, or any day!]. Beginning with 4 beers on draught [Industrial Pale Ale, Lager, OK Ale, Oatmeal Stout], they expect to have 8 by December. www.daveselectricbrewpub.com



10 BEST TECH

The Greater Phoenix Metropolitan Area was named one of the **10 Best Places for Tech Jobs** this week by **US News and World Report**. According to the article, Metro Phoenix has 4,200 high-tech companies and upwards of 81,000 high-tech jobs. Benefitting the region are major tech corporations with a presence in the area, but Metro Phoenix boasts plenty of smaller—but still familiar—employers, such as domain registrar **GoDaddy**. The community ranks high in overall tech job openings and in the ratios of job openings to employment for several IT jobs. Credit goes, in part, to **Arizona State University**, which nurtures advances at its **College of Technology and Innovation** and **Advanced Technology Innovation Center**.
slideshow: [http://www.usnews.com/](http://www.usnews.com)
www.usnews.com/money/careers/articles/2009/09/15/10-best-places-for-tech-jobs.html

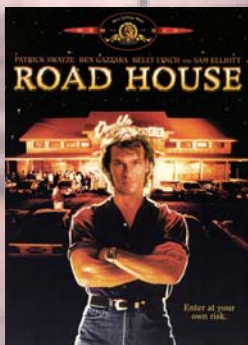
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LUCID AGENCY

Downtown Tempe's reputation as a preferred location for the advanced business service industry has been buttressed by the opening of **Lucid Agency**. The boutique firm is a results-driven interactive marketing firm specializing in search engine optimization, pay-per-click campaigns, rich media, web design and development, as well as strategic online marketing consulting for small to medium sized businesses. "Lucid Agency chose office space on Mill Avenue because of the eclectic and vibrant environment. The Mill Avenue district is home to a growing number of marketing and technology companies, so we knew we would feel at home in that environment," said **Scott Kaufmann**, President. To learn more about Lucid Agency or business location opportunities in Tempe please contact the City of Tempe Economic Development Division at 480.350.8028. www.lucidagency.com

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TIME OF YOUR LIFE

"No one puts Baby in the corner," is a movie line many people remember from "Dirty Dancing". In memory of star **Patrick Swayze** [1952-2009], who died of pancreatic cancer this week, **Harkins Theatres** is hosting a **Patrick Swayze Film Fest** at the **Harkins Valley Art Theatre** on Mill Avenue near Fifth Street beginning Sept. 25. Check out "Dirty Dancing", "Road House", "Red Dawn" and other Swayze classics on the big screen. All proceeds to benefit **Hospice of the Valley**. Visit www.harkinstheatres.com for showtimes.



However fragmented the world, however intense the national rivalries, it is an inexorable fact that we become MORE INTERDEPENDENT every day.



— Jacques Yves Cousteau



NEW CREW

Rob Schweitzer joins the Housing Services Division as Management Accountant. Rob has 15 years experience in Housing working for the City of Glendale and City of Scottsdale where his jobs included: Housing Supervisor, Rehabilitation Coordinator, Housing Quality Standards Inspector, and ADA Coordinator. As Management Accountant, Rob's main duties include preparing, administering and monitoring the Housing Services Division's operating budgets and controls for Section 8, **CDBG**, **HOME**, and Homeless programs. Rob lives in Scottsdale with his wife Theresa, and his 10-month old son Robert. Welcome Rob!

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CHEERS!



Total Wine & More - America's Wine Superstore celebrated its first Tempe location at Emerald Center, I-10 near Warner Road, with a ribbon cutting and a gift to Tempe -- \$10,000 benefiting the Friends of the Tempe Center for the Arts and the Tempe Songwriters' Showcase / Walk-In Wednesdays. Owner David Trone welcomed Mayor Hugh Hallman, Vice-Mayor Shana Ellis, Councilmember Ben Arredondo, former Mayor Neil Giuliano and former councilmembers Barb Carter, Len Coppell and many members of the Friends of TCA. Total Wine is America's largest independent retailer of wine and spirits with 62 stores. It offers wine classes and weekend tastings. www.totalwine.com/



COOKIES FROM HOME



Cookies From Home showed its thanks to those who helped them through a major accident to their business with a gratitude ceremony. The ceremony included an original song from musician/ owner Barry Brooks as well as prayers. In May 2009, a car drove through the shop window, landing where two office workers usually performed their duties. Luckily, neither were at their desks at the time of the accident, though two others were standing just feet away. City of Tempe Police and Fire responded with emergency assistance for not only the driver of the vehicle but for the store owners, Susan and Barry Brooks, as well as their staff. After four months of renovation, the new office area is reopened and improved. Cookies from Home is a 29-year Tempe business. www.cookiesfromhome.com/



MAKE-A-WISH

Head to any Tempe Cold Stone Creamery on Thursday, September 24 from 5-8PM for the World's Largest Ice Cream Social. Cold Stone is giving away 3 oz ice cream treats with a donation to the Make-A-Wish Foundation. Cold Stone has four Tempe locations including Mill Avenue, Tempe Marketplace, ASU and south Tempe. The chain's original location opened on Mill Avenue in 1988.

www.coldstonecreamery.com/promos/makeawish/



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