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The Huachuca City Public Library will host their annual Back-To-School Fair on Wednesday, August 1st from 5-7 pm. Backpacks and school supplies will be provided to children living in the Huachuca City/Whetstone area or attending school in the Tombstone School District. Several local businesses as well as Southwest Gas, Northern Pipeline, our local masonic lodge--George W. Prioleau Lodge No. 13 and the Condon Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star—contributed money and supplies to make this event possible.

Huachuca City Library Director Suzanne Harvey expressed her gratitude for the folks who make the event possible. “We are thrilled and extremely grateful for the support of Southwest Gas this year. Their supplier Northern Pipeline bought 300 backpacks for the children of our community. Southwest Gas bought over \$800-worth of school supplies to put in the backpacks. This is truly a blessing for the folks in our community and has made planning for this year’s event so much easier. They are even coming in to help us pack the backpacks on the Saturday prior to the event! We are also very grateful for the support of local businesses and especially the support of George W. Prioleau Lodge No. 13 and the Condon Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. This is the second year they have assisted with our Back-To-School Fair. Their willingness to give back to the local community speaks well of their organizations and is truly appreciated.”

There will also be informational booths on various programs and resources available for children in the area. The Huachuca City Lions Club will be offering popcorn and the Huachuca City Parks and Recreation Committee will be hosting an Ice Cream Social to sweeten up this fun event. Huachuca City Elementary School representatives will be on hand to answer questions about the upcoming school year.

The Huachuca City Police Department will host their second annual National Night Out during the Back-To-School Fair. Static displays will be set up in the parking lot behind the library and local public safety officials will be on hand to meet the public they serve. Children will have the

opportunity to check out a police car and meet some local law enforcement. Smokey the Bear is even planning to stop by and talk to folks about preventing forest fires.

This family event promises to be all kinds of fun and is free to the public. To facilitate planning and to ensure that we have an adequate amount on-hand, you must sign up in advance to receive backpacks and school supplies. You can sign up at the Huachuca City Public Library any time prior to the day of the event. For more information, contact the Huachuca City Public Library at 520-456-1063.