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"We Have a Park?!", Barbara Scott

The Skull Valley Historical Society will sponsor a talk by Monte Crooks on Saturday, March 10th at 2:00 PM in the Community Hall. Monte serves as a shuttle bus driver for the Granite Mountain Hotshots Memorial State Park in Yarnell. Since he is an experienced and long-time member of the National Association of Interpreters, he is honored to prepare and present the informative program "We Have a Park?!" which is about a cause he passionately supports. He will give an overview of the park and will show how all of us can help honor our Fallen 19. Monte became a professional Interpreter at age 9 when the State of California paid him to give interpretive programs to visitors at the historic Wilsonia, California Firehouse. Since his father was the Resident Division of Forestry Fire Captain there, the family lived at the structure built in the late 1800s. At age 35, Monte became a First Person Living History Interpretive Park Ranger at Golden Spike National Historic Site located at Promontory Summit, Utah. His Irish Railworker program "Hit or Myth" was a hit at a previous Skull Valley Historical Society meeting. Monte is a very dynamic speaker, so don't miss his program.

We are happy to announce that Kim Gagnon of Skull Valley is the winner of the quilt raffle.

The annual newsletter will be sent out soon with lots of information about our accomplishments in 2017 and our plans for 2018. If you are not on our mailing list and would like a copy, or if you would like more information about Monte's presentation, please call Josie at 480-221-7424. The Community Hall is located at 3150 Old Skull Valley Rd., on the Skull Valley School grounds. Admission is free, and we gratefully accept donations. There will be an opportunity to join the Society or renew your membership. Refreshments will be served.