



desert dominion

NEWS

a pansexual, panfetish educational and social organization

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 5811 E. Speedway

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 300 E. 6th St.

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 7165 E. Speedway

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 351 N. 4th Ave.

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 5150 E. Speedway

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 616 N. 4th Ave.

Miracle Mile Adult Movies
 1881 N. Oracle

November Bar & Grill
 4001 N. Romero Rd.

Wingspan
 300 E. 6th St.

Woody's
 3710 N. Oracle Rd.

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Memberships

Memberships are three months for \$10.00 or \$30.00 per year. Memberships are available at all events EXCEPT Board Meetings, Pre-Party Seminars and Play Parties

email Lists

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 desert_dominion-subscribe@yahoo.com

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this month

The restructuring of play parties was again discussed and voted on at the September 17th board meeting. It was decided that "Loud Time", the portion of the party specifically for those who like to do high-decibel scenes, will be from 8 to 10. This will be concurrent with the mentoring program which takes place during the first half-hour of parties.

It was also clarified that "Loud Time" is for the play area. You may be loud in the social area during this period *only* if it is not disrupting an on-floor scene. Please remember that scening should not be done in the social area. The on-duty DM can not properly supervise this area, and we all want our scenes to be safe, as well as sane and consensual.

about desert dominion

We are a Southern Arizona pan-sexual, pan-fetish BDSM organization based in Tucson and welcome everyone regardless of orientation, age (18 and above), kink (legal activities involving consenting adults), race, creed, religion, etc.

We would like to invite those who are in the lifestyle, new to the scene, or just curious about BDSM to come to our events, meet us, socialize with us, and learn with us.

We are *not* a dating service or sex club. We do *not* find partners for people. We exist to support, educate, and socialize with one another in a safe, sane, and consensual domain.

Our members possess a variety of years of experience, of education in related lifestyle activities, and have widely diverse interests. *dd*

OCTOBER SURPRISE is coming!

This is a special **R.S.V.P. only** event. You **MUST** pre-register on or before October 12th to attend. Information about this unique event can only be obtained at the club by members.

Recurring Events

Munch

Fee: What you order

We meet at a local restaurant to dine and socialize. This is a public meeting so do not dress in Fetish wear. Anyone 18 (because of discussion topics) and older may attend. Currently, munches take place on the first Wednesday of the month and are at the Coco's opposite Park Place Mall, 6095 E. Broadway. Join us.

New Member Orientation

Fee: None

These are usually held at 4 pm on the afternoon of Play Party dates. This is a chance to look at the play space, learn more and sign up for memberships. Anyone 18 or older may attend.

Board Meeting

Fee: None

The Board of Directors meet and cover any issues that have come to the boards attention. All members are highly encouraged to attend. No memberships are sold at the Board Meetings. Only members may attend.

Play Parties

Fee: \$10⁰⁰ per person

Socialize and have fun! Memberships are not sold at parties, but you may renew at the door. Only members and other card-carrying kink members may attend. A current DD membership card or a card from a reciprocal organization, and a picture I.D. is required. There will be no entrance without one. Please bring a share food. Sodas are 50 cents each and water is \$1.

Dominant Discussion Group

Fee: Donation

A roundtable of Dominants meets to discuss topics that are on their minds. Attendees gain ideas, insight and support from other Dominants. Talks cover any issues that attendees may have. Some of the previous topics have been: Dealing with insecurities, self esteem, empowerment, play techniques, training submissives, culture etc. Anyone 18 or older may attend.

Submissive Discussion Group

Fee: Donation

A roundtable of submissives meet to discuss topics that are on their minds. Attendees gain ideas, insight and support from other submissives. Talks cover any issues that attendees may have. Some of the previous topics have been: Dealing with insecurities, self esteem, empowerment, play techniques, pleasing dominants, culture etc. Anyone 18 or older may attend.

Kink Discussion Group

Fee: Donation

A roundtable to discuss a wide range of topics. Discussions in the past have included: Transgender, fantasies, divorce, dealing with work issues, society's preceptions and misconceptions. Anyone 18 or older may attend.

Work Party

Fee: None

Held once a month, to improve the play space. Carpentry, swamp cooler repairs, cleaning and general improvement to the play space. Anyone 18 or older may attend.

Volunteer Party

Fee: Special

Every few months a special play party is held to reward those who donate their time and energy for the benefit of Desert Dominion. This party is closed to all except those that have volunteered ten hours of their time between one Volunteer Party and the next. Unlike other parties, no New Member Orientation, Kink in a Nutshell, or Mentoring will occur. One member may be brought as a guest. Please bring a share food.

From the Education Chair

Costuming

Dictionary.com defines Costuming as: To put a costume on; dress. We in the kinky community know there is far more to it than that. It isn't a simple matter of just coordinating colors and fabrics. There are considerations from the top of a leatherman hat to the bottom of six-inch spike heels that many fashion gurus may never have had to consider. While, in the fetish world, there are no wrong answers, good advice is still often welcome.

Whether you dress for yourself, or you like the idea on being a bit of eye candy for everyone else's enjoyment, this H.O.T. is for you. Trade makeup tips and beauty secrets with some of the sexiest perverts in town. No matter what you know or don't know, how plain or beautiful you are, there will be something you can benefit from and something you can offer that will be a benefit to other attendees. Share the wealth of knowledge.

It isn't all about putting together the perfect ensemble or expertly applying makeup. Equally important is knowing how and where to shop! We're sure you know that high-priced online stores aren't your only option. Let us know where you've found inexpensive kinky clothing and really cool accessories. Everyone loves a bargain!

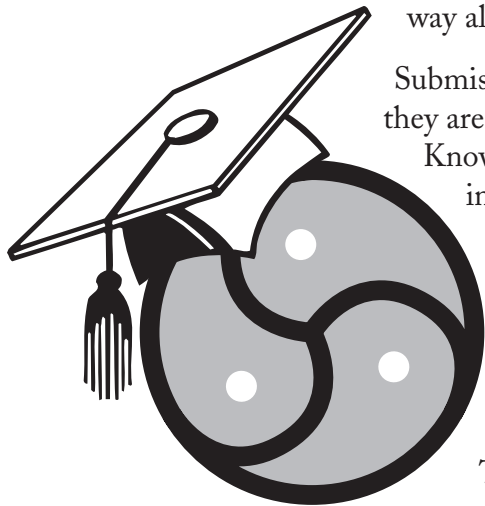
It isn't all about looking pretty, either. Costuming encapsulates all forms of dress. Perhaps your more interested in looking macho or scary. There are some of us that know something about that as well. The sweet and innocent school girl look has a certain appeal to many. Medieval and period clothes are very popular in the lifestyle, too. And a pervert in uniform... Need we say more?

This event is open to the general public. The fee is \$5.00 for Desert Dominion members, and members of reciprocating organizations, and \$8.00 for non-members.



BDSM 101

Are you new to the lifestyle? Do you hear terms like tens unit, violet wand, sub space, TV , transgendered or others that leave you wondering? There is no shame in being a beginner. Even the most experienced among us were newbies at one time. The intelligent admit what they don't know and set out to learn it. Bluffing your way along is a disservice to yourself and a danger to those you play with.



Submissives, don't be misled into thinking that only Tops need to know what they are doing. An ill-informed bottom is as unsafe as a flogger-wielding poser.

Knowing the proper ways of doing your favorite kink is not only safe, but may in fact be a matter of life and death.

This seminar is *not* intended to teach you more advanced forms of BDSM like fire play, needle play, suspension or other types of edge play, but it is the place to start your journey into the world of kink. A good foundation is always needed in order to build upon and that's what BDSM 101 is all about.

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October — November

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	1 7:30 pm: <u>Munch</u> Coco's (All - no fee)	2	3	4
5 3 pm: <u>Dom & Sub Discussion Groups</u> (All - Donation)	6	7 7:30 pm: <u>H.O.T</u> Costuming (All - \$5 members; \$8 non-members)	8	9	10	11 4 pm: <u>New Member Orientation</u> 8 pm: <u>Play Party</u> (Members - \$10)
12 7:30 pm: " <u>October Surprise</u> " briefing A pre-event Dom/sub discussion and the last opportunity to register (Members - Free)	13	14	15 7 pm: <u>Board Meeting</u> (Members - Free)	16	17	18 OCTOBER SURPRISE This is a special "r.s.v.p. required" event. Information is only available at the club.
19	20	21 7:30 pm: <u>Seminar</u> BDSM 101 (All - \$5 members; \$8 non-members)	22	23	24	25 4 pm: <u>New Member Orientation</u> 8 pm: <u>Play Party</u> (Members - \$10)
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Unless otherwise noted, all *dd* sponsored events except the Munch will be held in the *dd* space at 3843 E. 37th St. Seminars, H.O.T.s (Hands On Training), and Workshops are \$5 members/\$8 non-members, 7:30 pm. Seminars are usually in lecture form. H.O.T.s and workshops may involve nudity. If in doubt, ask. ID's will be required.