



EMPIRE RANCH HEADQUARTERS

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION ~OF THE COWBOY~

LAS CIENEGAS NATIONAL CONSERVATION AREA

**2011 ROUNDUP
& OPEN HOUSE**

AT

THE HISTORIC EMPIRE RANCH

SATURDAY, NOV 5, 2011, 10AM-4PM

FREE ADMISSION, \$10 DONATION PER VEHICLE REQUESTED

Cowboy Mounted Shooters, B Troop/4th U.S. Cavalry (Mem.), Horse & Cattle
Arena Events, Historic Old West Wagons, Western Skills, Cowboy
Conversations & Storytellers, Author's Pavilion, Kid's Corral, Live Western Music,
Barbeque Lunch and Dutch Oven Desserts, Auction & Much More!

The Roundup & Open House is sponsored by the Empire Ranch Foundation.
The Empire Ranch Headquarters is located about 30 miles southeast of Tucson. Take I-10 east to
exit 281, Scenic Highway 83/Sonoita, go 18 miles to just past milepost 40.
Turn left at the "Empire Ranch Historic Site" sign.

AN OFFICIAL
ARIZONA CENTENNIAL EVENT



SAVE AMERICA'S
TREASURES PROJECT

"CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF THE COWBOY"

AT THE HISTORIC EMPIRE RANCH IN SONOITA, AZ

"Where the Cowboy Spirit Comes Alive"

Sat., Nov. 5, 10am to 4pm, Empire Ranch, Sonoita, AZ
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ENTERTAINMENT FEATURING

Bill Ganz Western Band
Mariachi Apaches
Bruce Andre



~AND~

Historic Wagons from the Tucson Rodeo Parade Museum

Silent Auction & Raffles at the Ranch Store

Barbeque & Fixin's, Dutch Oven Desserts, served by the Cowbelles

Don Collier & complimentary Arbuckles' Coffee - "The Coffee that Won the West"

WESTERN ARENA EVENTS

B Troop, 4th U.S. Cavalry (Mem.) Military Riding
Cowboy Mounted Shooters
California-style Ranch Roping & Cattle Handling
The Magic of the Lippizan Horses
Horsemanship Skills
"Buffalo Bill" Renactment & Roping

WESTERN SKILLS

Packing Mules for the Back Country
Learn to use a Branding Iron
The Art of Horseshoeing
Make your own Adobe Brick
Leather Carving Demonstration
Make your own Reata
& more!

WESTERN ACTIVITIES & EXHIBITS

Kid's Corral featuring small animal displays
Arizona Historical Society & the Traveling Suitcase
Docents
Horse Ownership Skills
Miniature Horses
Arizona Ghostriders, period re-enactors
Walk the Heritage Discovery Trail
& more!

COWBOY CONVERSATIONS & STORYTELLING OF THE OLD WEST

"The Story of Laura "Dusty" Vail - *Glenda Bonin*
"The Empire Ranch - A Prominent Past and a Promising
Future" - *Alison Bunting*
"The Total Wreck Mine & the Empire Ranch" - *Greg
Dowell*
"Reenactment of Walter Vail" - *by Van Fowers*
"The Reel Story of Arizona's Western Movies"
- *Bob Shelton & Don Collier*
"Guns of the Old West" - *John R. Larkin*
"An Empire Cowboy Remembers the Boice Era"
- *Norman Hinman*
"Vail Legacy Vignettes" - *Susan Vail Hoffman*
"Working the Empire Ranch" - *Gerald Korte*
"Arizona Rangers, Rustlers & Ranchers"
- *John R. Larkin*
"A Reata in the Making" - *Dr. Dick Schorr*
& more!

~Western Author's Pavilion~

~Guided Tours of the Empire Ranch~

~Visit the Exhibits of your Non-Profit Partners,
representing land, nature & conservation!~



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