FRIDAY, JANUARY 1
Happy New Year! • The Peregrine is open on New Year’s Day • We are grateful for your generous support over the past years and we wish you all a wonderful New 2016!
—The Staff at the Peregrine

SATURDAY, JANUARY 2
11 am • Children’s Story Time • The first 15 minutes will be storytelling for younger children, a longer story for children ages 3-7 will follow.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 9
11 am • Children’s Story Time • See 1/2.

2 pm • Tom Collins: Arizona on Stage • PowerPoint Presentation & Booksigning • Join theater historian Tom Collins for an entertaining look at three great actresses who wowed audiences in the Arizona Territory: Pauline Markham, the notorious burlesque songstress; (Mary) Jeffreys-Lewis, the scandalous stage beauty who excelled at playing wicked women; and Sarah Bernhardt, renowned as the world’s greatest actress and quixotic celebrity. Collins focuses on their sensational off-stage lives and highlights a few of their greatest roles. Starved for dramatic entertainment, Arizona pioneers flocked to the theaters of Prescott, Tombstone, Tucson, and Phoenix and sat spellbound by the charm and charisma of these famous women.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14
5:30 pm • Death Cafe • Discussion Group • What is a Death Cafe, you ask? At a Death Cafe people, often strangers, gather to eat cake, drink tea and discuss death. The objective is ‘to increase awareness of death with a view to helping people make the most of their (finite) lives.’ It’s a group-directed chat about death with no agenda, objectives or themes. It is not intended to be a grief support or counseling session. Host Dani LaVoire will introduce the concept and initiate the conversation. More details will be forthcoming. In the meantime, please visit the DeathCafe.com website.

SATURDAYS, JANUARY 16th & 23rd
11 am • Children’s Story Time • See 1/2.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27
5:30 pm • Open Mic Poetry • Experience the power of the spoken word! Poet Dan Seaman hosts our monthly Open Mic.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30
11 am • Children’s Story Time • See 1/2.

2 pm • Vietnam Veteran Gary Clemmons: War & Memories • Talk, Q&A, Booksigning • Gary Clemmons visits the Peregrine to share hard-won insights gained from his personal battle with Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD). From his tour of duty in the jungles of Vietnam, years of fighting to control the trauma of combat, to a trip to “The Wall” that brought him to his knees and started him on the path to healing, he has survived it all. Clemmons will talk about the effects of combat depression and it’s toll on our returning veterans. He’ll discuss ways for those suffering from PTSD to seek help through counseling and support groups. Clemmons welcomes questions from the audience and offers information on available resources for veterans. His book is available at no cost to combat veterans and their families, and all retail sales are used to maintain a sufficient inventory for this purpose.