

Evapeology Vapor Lounge Grand Opening

The newest Evapeology Vapor Lounge is located in Mesa at 4210 East Baseline. The phone number is 480-892-8273. I must say that this is the first time I've ever walked into a smoking establishment and thought it smelled like a candy store. {;o) But to clarify, these are definitely '18 & Older' establishments.

The new Mesa store is the largest of the Evapeology Lounges. It is open, airy, with high ceilings & a relaxed atmosphere. In addition to the bar and a sitting area, the lounge offers activities like foosball and various arcade games. There is also a workbench set up with tools for the customizing of vapor pens... to adjust airflow and other features.

When we were there it had been open just 30 days, but it's already being well received. The official Grand Opening of the Mesa lounge, entitled "Evapeology Pre-Valentines Party with 93.3 and Pure Romance!" was held on Friday February 13. Whether you prefer to call it a 'Pre-Valentine Day' or an 'Anti-Cupid' party ~ all were welcome. Kimmer and Kenny's 'Good Eats on the Go' catering truck was on location serving BBQ Pulled Pork Sliders & Chili. Activities included a Mario Kart Competition; CD, movie ticket, and concert giveaways; and a Biggest Cloud Contest....

Vaping is somewhat of a phenomenon... in addition to the expected smokers with a desire to quit the paper cancer sticks, we've met vaping fans who

have never smoked a cigarette in their lives. More than simply a tool to quit traditional smoking, there is now 'hobbyist' and 'competitive' vaping.

Each Evapeology Lounge has a 16' ruler on the wall... to measure 'clouds'. We're told that competitors have blown as large as 14' clouds, under the right conditions.

In addition to offering basic products that you can find from most any vaping supplier; they also carry an exclusive 'Evapeology' branded line of accessories, batteries, atomizers, cases, & juices. With 65 flavors, there is bound to be one there for you.

Brands & accessories available include Ar Mods, Asmodus, Aspire, Atty's, Authentic Mods, Box Mods, Drip Tips, E Cig, Ego, Evod Batteries, Innokin, Juices, Kanger, Limitless, Mods, MVP, Nitocore chargers, Pioneer 4 You, RBA, RjMods, Siglel, Vape Pen, Vaporizers, Vape, and Vaping.

For those who prefer to follow the suggestions of vaping guru RiP Trippers, there is a display case dedicated to his trends.

As this is the newest store, they are still working on some areas and have some excellent ideas coming up to make best use of their space. One very cool idea is to create an outdoor party zone in the back parking lot ~ to bring in bands, food trucks, etc.

One of the cool programs that Evapeology is part of is called 'Vape For A Cause', organized by the e-liquids company BRV ~ Bottles Ready to Vape.

We learned from their website that the primary focus of the project is to help Veterans conquer tobacco habits by providing this healthier alternative, at no cost to them. Numerous Veterans have already been served by this program and, to date, every single one has made the transition successfully.

Each store hosts contests and weekly specials, so watch them via their Facebook pages or call in to see what's happening. Each lounge hosts monthly Vape meets with 98KUPD or 93.3 ALT-AZ radio. Keep watch on the Evapeology Facebook pages, as they are getting ready to do FREE ticket giveaways to 93.3 ALT-AZ's FestivALTAZ on April 10 AND 98 KUPD's UFest on April 11; both held at Quail Run Park in Mesa. Starting in March {that's right ~ now ~ as soon as you finish reading this] start listening to these stations to find out which Evapeology locations their vans will be stopping at, so you'll know where & when to score tickets.

In addition to the Evapeology storefronts, they also host booths at local events including the monthly 'Motorcycles on Main Bike Night' in Mesa and the 'Party on the Patio' gatherings at Chester's Harley-Davidson in Mesa.

Curious about vaping and whether it can help you quite cigarettes? Read this article http://azrider-southwest.com/Archive/Evapeology_0714.pdf and then contact the staff at Evapeology. They can assist you with answers to questions, product suggestions, & more. Visit them online at www.evapeology.com, on Facebook at /evapeology or call 480-917-8273. You can also follow them on Twitter at @evapeology.

AND, if you remember to mention *AriZona Rider*, you'll receive 10% off your order.

Trying to kick the tobacco habit? Unsure how to start? Perhaps it's time for YOU to 'Drop the Paper and Get the Vapor!'

To Your Health ~

Betsy & Bruce

