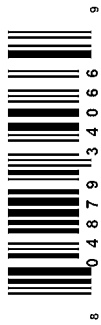


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Great American Cleanup – volunteers wanted

Keep Arizona Beautiful is kicking off the 2024 Great American Cleanup season on Saturday, March 23, 2024, in Superior. The event begins at 9 a.m. and will go through noon. Volunteers are welcome to join the group to clean up sections of Queen Creek.

Those planning to attend the clean up should be prepared for a bit of hiking and rocky terrain in and around the creek to reach the areas that will be cleaned up. This clean up helps to support the Town of Superior's six-phase restoration project that will ultimately restore the perennial flow to Queen Creek. Earlier this year, the Town of Superior conducted an invasive species removal and fire prevention treatment in the Queen Creek watershed; the brush removal uncovered lots of trash and debris that need to be removed.

"We are thankful for the support of Keep Arizona Beautiful and Local First Arizona for selecting Superior as the kick off to the Great American Cleanup season. This event will help us clean up our Queen Creek watershed and improve our local environment," stated Mayor Mila Besich.

AZSTRUT will also be attending the clean up to host

and electronic waste collection during the litter clean up. Please check the items that they are able to receive online: <https://bit.ly/49KUqsG>

Volunteers under 18 years old, must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Those wishing to volunteer for the

clean up are encouraged to pre-register online: <https://bit.ly/3Th9qZT> or by calling 602-956-0909 ext. 71.

The meet up location will likely be the US 60 Park. More information will be released as the rest of the logistics are finalized.

Superior Police Report

Items are given to The Superior Sun by the Superior Police Department and reflect information available at the time the report is compiled.

Activity listed Feb. 18-24.

Feb. 18

Burglary was reported in the 400 block of Heiner Dr.

Feb. 20

Report of narcotics in the 100 block of Panther Dr.
A non-injury accident was reported in the 20000 block of Mineral Creek Rd.

Feb. 22

Theft was reported in the area of Apache Leap Rd.
Stolen vehicle was reported in the 800 block of Wilhoyt St.

Feb. 23

A non-injury accident was reported in the area of Hwy. 177

Feb. 24

A vehicle reported stolen was recovered in the area of Silver King Mine Rd.

Feb. 18-24: calls not listed include information (11), directed patrol (32), suspicious person (1), alarm (3), agency assist (10), welfare check (10), suspicious activity (2), civil matter (4), medical assist (1), trespassing (2), traffic hazard (2), attempt to locate (2), domestic (3), neighbor problem (1), field interview (1), disorderly conduct (3), traffic (9), mental health (1), follow up (1), citizen assist (2), animal problem (1), threatening (1), fight (1) and parking violation (1),

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Public Hearing Notice
Pinal County Notice of Public Hearing

Pinal County, in conjunction with the cities and towns of Eloy, Florence, Mammoth and Maricopa encourage residents, nonprofit and public agencies, subrecipients, and other interested parties to attend the public hearing for the final 5-year HUD Consolidated Plan, and the PY2024 Annual Action Plan.

The 5-year Consolidated Plan covers the period beginning July 1, 2024 and ending June 30, 2029 and summarizes housing, homelessness and community development needs, and the strategies to meet identified needs using Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funding from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. The Annual Action Plan describes the planned uses for CDBG, HOME, and ESG funding for the program year beginning July 1, 2024 and ending June 30, 2025.

| DATE | LOCATION | TIME |
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| Wednesday, April 3, 2024 | Board of Supervisors Hearing Room Administrative Complex 135 North Pinal Street Florence, AZ 85132 | 9:30 am (MST) |

In accordance with the requirement of Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the Pinal County Board of Supervisors and Pinal County Board of Directors do not discriminate against qualified individuals with disabilities admission to public meetings. If you need accommodation, including language translation, for a meeting, please contact the Clerk of the Board Office at (520) 866-6068, at least (3) three business days prior to the meeting (not including weekends or holidays) so that your request may be accommodated.

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El Plan Consolidado de 5 años del HUD (Plan) resume las necesidades en materia de vivienda, personas sin vivienda y desarrollo de la comunidad, y las estrategias para cubrir las necesidades identificadas usando los fondos de la Subvención en Bloque para el Desarrollo de la Comunidad (CDBG), del Programa de Asociaciones de Inversión HOME (HOME Investment Partnerships Program) y de la Subvención para Soluciones de Emergencia (Emergency Solutions Grant, ESG) del Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano de los EE. UU. (US Department of Housing and Urban Development). El Plan cubre el período que comienza el 1 de julio de 2024 y finaliza el 30 de junio de 2029. El Plan de Acción Anual describe los usos planificados de los fondos de la CDBG, del HOME y de la ESG para el año del programa que comienza el 1 de julio de 2024 y finaliza el 30 de junio de 2025.

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COPPER CORRIDOR COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Superior Farmer's Market

Superior Farm-to-Fantastic Farmer's Market will be open October through May at the Food Court on Main St. from about 10 a.m. to about 1 p.m. on Saturdays providing fresh produce, baked goods, desert items, art and gift items. Updates and more info are on our Facebook page.

Wednesday Night Tacos at San Manuel Elks

The San Manuel Elks Lodge will have Wednesday Night Tacos, 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. Orders to-go may be called in after 5:30 pm at 520-385-4041. We look forward to seeing you.

MARCH

Hayden Library March Schedule

Regular Hayden Public Library events continue with Story Time on Mondays from 11 a.m. - noon; Chess Club on Fridays from 1-2 p.m.; Bingo/Loteria on Thursdays from 2-3 p.m. and Senior Movement 4-4:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. For more information call Hayden Library at 928-200-2997.

Art Special Event: Seed Mosaics

Come to Hayden Library and join us for Art from 1 p.m. 2 p.m. on Thursdays. On March 28, the theme will be: Seed Mosaics with participants making a mosaic out of various seeds. For more information call Hayden Public Library at 928-200-2997.

15 Tri-Community Clean Up Event

A free residential and alley clean up event will be held for Oracle, San Manuel, Mammoth and additional areas within District 4 Tri-Community on Friday and Saturday, March 15 and 16, from 7 a.m. - 1 p.m. Bring items to the Old San Manuel Transfer Station, located at 31256 S. Erikson Ave. in San Manuel, 85631. Accepted items are: bagged household trash, green waste (tree trimmings, grass, plants, etc), tires, furniture, appliances, debris from home improvement projects, metal and concrete. Limitations may apply and no commercial loads allowed. Not accepted items are: batteries, oil, paint, anti-freeze, motor oil, gas, biohazards, herbicides, pesticides and commercial wastes (contractor, business waste and debris). Questions? Call Jason Jordan at 520-705-8824.

15 Activities for Youth at Leo's

Join us for Youth Activities on Friday, March 15, and Friday, March 22, from 1-5 p.m. at Leo's Community Development Center, located at 52 N. Pinal Ave. in Superior.



15 Fish Fry Fridays at St. Mary's Center

Fish Fry Friday will be held, Feb. 23, from 5:30 p.m.- 7 p.m., at St. Mary's Center, located at 100 W. Sunset Dr. in Superior. This event is sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 3395 and will happen every Friday until March 22. A \$10 donation will get you a plate that includes tilapia, fries, coleslaw and beverage. For \$3, you can have a bean burro instead or as an addition. Proceeds benefit St. Francis of Assisi Parish and the Superior Community.

19 Water Workshop at Leo's in Superior

A Workshop at Leo's with the theme "Where does our water come from" will be held on Tuesday, March 19, at 6 p.m. at Leo's Community Development Center, located at 52 N. Pinal Ave. in Superior.

20 Study Hall for Superior Students

A youth-led Study Hall will be held on Wednesday, March 20, from 4 p.m.- 6 p.m. at Leo's Community Development Center, located at 52 N. Pinal Ave. in Superior.

20 Superior Seniors Game Day

Superior Senior Citizen's Game day will be held on Wednesday, March 20, from 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. If you need a ride call Carol at 689-5182 before Monday, March 18. There will be games, lunch, snacks and prizes. Any questions, call Connie at 602-703-8858. A \$5 donation is appreciated.

22 Steam: Geology at the Hayden Library

Hayden Library welcomes special presenter Grace Bombulum, USDA Forest Geologist for our special Steam: Geology event, on Friday, March 22, from 11 a.m. - noon to learn about rock types and the processes that formed them. For more information call Hayden Public Library at 928-200-2997.

23 Regen Party at Leo's in Superior

Leo's Community Development Center, located at 52 N. Pinal Ave. in Superior, will be the host of a Regen Party from 4 p.m.- 7 p.m.

23 Birding Walk in Dudleyville

The Parks and Trails Department will host a Birding Walk in Dudleyville on Saturday, March 23, at 8 a.m. Join us to observe and identify wild birds in their natural habitat. We welcome beginning birders! The program will begin at the Dudleyville Multigenerational Center. Registration is required, and space is limited to 30 participants. Sign up by emailing jasmine.guillen@pinal.gov by Friday, March 22.

25 Full Moon Garden Party in Superior

Monday, March 25, starting at 5 p.m. there will be a Full Moon Garden Party at the Community Garden, located at 225 N. Pinal Ave. in Superior.

26 Nutritional Cooking at the Hayden Library

Learn how to make Healthy Greens Smoothies at Hayden Library on Tuesday, March 26 from 4:30 p.m.- 5:30 p.m. For more information call Hayden Public Library at 928-200-2997.

27 Last Wednesday Karaoke at Leo's

Last Wednesday Karaoke at Leo's, co-hosted by AZYP, will be held on March 27 starting at 6 p.m. at Leo's Community Development Center, located at 52 N. Pinal Ave. in Superior.

30 San Manuel Community Meeting

The San Manuel Revitalization Coalition community meeting for May will be held Saturday, March 30, at the San Manuel Community Center, 111 W. 5th Ave. from 10 a.m. to noon. Bring your friends and neighbors!

APRIL

6 Street Market in San Manuel

Join Agrihood at the Phat Flavors parking lot for the San Man Street Market on Saturday, April 6, from 8 a.m. - noon. This event is generously sponsored by Phat Flavors and will be on all first Saturdays until further notice. Local vendor? Our 10 x 20 spaces are only \$10 until March 28. Sign up at LIZEDWARDS1356@gmail.com.

20 South Pinal County Garden Fair

Come to the South Pinal County Master Gardener Garden Fair on Saturday, April 20 at the Mountain View Ballroom, located at 38759 S Mountain View Blvd in SaddleBrooke (85739). This free event will be held from 10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. Master Gardeners will be available to answer your question about plant care, diagnosing plant trouble, irrigation, citrus, veggie gardening, and related topics.

20 Annual Oracle Oaks Festival

Oracle Community Center Oaks Festival will be held on Saturday, April 20. OCC is seeking vendors and parade entries. Visit Oraclecommunitycenter.org for entry and vendor forms. Also seeking volunteers. Call the office at 520-896-9326, or Steve at 520-240-1190 for further information.

20 Oracle Spring Run Car Show

We are revving for the 36th Annual Oracle Spring Run Car Show which will be held on Saturday, April 20, to benefit the Oracle Historical Society. For more information call (520) 896-9609 or email oraclehistoricalsociety@gmail.com. For entry and vendor forms visit online at oraclehistoricalsociety.org.

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OBITUARIES

Joan Carol McCallister

Joan Carol McCallister departed this world on March 7, 2024, at the age of 86 to reunite with her husband, Ernest McCallister, and her eldest son, Mark McCallister. Joan passed away peacefully at home surrounded by four generations of her loving family — a testament to the profound love and care that her family had for her and that she had for her family.

Joan leaves behind a legacy of unconditional love and laughter that will live on in the hearts of those she held dear.

She is survived by her daughter, Pam, and her son, Kevin, along with three grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren. Each of them will remember her tremendous love, delicious

food, unlimited candy and Pepsi, and her quick wit and sassy sense of humor that everyone in town knew her for.

Joan McCallister will be dearly missed, but her legacy of love and laughter will continue to live on with her family. We'll miss you.

Joan said she wanted to be remembered this way: "That I loved my family with all my heart unconditionally and wouldn't have traded any of you for anything in the world!"



John G. Hill Sr.

John G. Hill Sr., 86, lived in Mammoth, AZ and sadly left us on Feb. 29, 2024.

John worked most of his life as a miner at the San Manuel Mine.

He is survived by his wife, Petra Hill; children, John Hill Jr., Eric Hill, Valerie Marinas, Shirlene Estrada, Patricia Monarrez and Marilyn Banwart; 11 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held at Blessed Sacrament Church in Mammoth, AZ on March 16, 2024. Rosary will begin at 9:30 a.m. and the Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Interment and a reception will follow.



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San Manuel students celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday



Dr. Seuss's birthday is celebrated on March 2. In the week leading up to his birthday, students at Mammoth-San Manuel PK-12 School had some special visitors to their classrooms reading some of Dr. Seuss's most famous books. Above, Ms. Annette Aguirre reads to elementary students. Baylie Legrand | SMHS



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show off their projects.

The kids have been working hard for months feeding, raising, and training their animals in anticipation

of their show competition and animal auction.

Kearny Koyotes 4-H would like to invite you to the fair. Come out and

show your support for our hometown kids! Shows begin Wednesday, March 13, continue Thursday, March 14, and auction day is Saturday, March 16.



Ben W. and his Serama chicken.



Jamey W. and his Boer goat.



James M. and his Berkshire pig.



Kassidy W. and her Landrace pig.



Lainey S. and her York Cross pig.



Stacy M. and her Hereford pig.



Lainey S. and her Boer goat.

SPORTS

Superior baseball, softball host Hayden teams

By Nathaniel A. Lopez
Copper Area News

Hayden made the trek north to Superior to face off on the baseball and softball diamonds on March 5.

Both baseball teams were fresh from the 36th Annual Joe Padilla Baseball Tournament in Florence. Hayden made it to the championship game but lost to Florence 2-6.

The baseball game in Superior started with a 0-0 first inning. Both teams kept each other from posting any runs until the third inning, where the Lobos were able to post 4 runs, while the Panthers still searched for the opportunity to score. The fourth inning saw neither team get any runs on the board.

In the fifth inning, Hayden scored 2 runs, while the Panthers finally were able to get on the board with 2 runs. In the sixth inning, the Lobos scored 5 more runs. The

game concluded with a final score of 11-2, giving Hayden the win over Superior.

Meanwhile, over on the softball diamond, both ladies' teams put up a fight, but the Lady Panthers struggled to keep the Lady Lobos from scoring multiple runs. The final score of the game was 22-8, giving Hayden the win for that evening.

Superior will travel to Miami today for games against the Vandals.

It will be a full week for the Hayden

softball team, with a home game against Pima at the beginning of the week, before they head to St. Augustine to compete in the Wolfpack Championship starting on March 15.

The Lobos will have a busy week, starting with a home game against Mogollon, followed by a home game against Morenci on March 13, ending their week with another home game against Coolidge on March 15.



Hayden pitcher JJ Manriquez on the mound.

Debbie Torres | CANP



Hayden's Jordan Rodriguez safe at second.

Debbie Torres | CANP



Superior's Stephanie Lopez safe at second.

Debbie Torres | CANP



Lili Fritz with a hit.

Debbie Torres | CANP



James Vasquez with a hit.

Debbie Torres | CANP

SPORTS



Trinity Collier, Hayden's pitcher, on the mound.

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Superior's pitcher Faith Denogean winds up.

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Superior's Joel Romero pitching. Debbie Torres | CANP



Superior's Kadynce Toner is safe at home.

Debbie Torres | CANP



Pitcher Nicholas Rabago on the mound for Superior.

Debbie Torres | CANP

SPORTS

SM hosts Valley Union – Miners, Lady Miners post wins

By Nathaniel A. Lopez
Copper Area News

It was a great time on the diamond last week for the San Manuel softball team.

On March 5, the girls hosted the Valley Union Blue Devils. The first inning saw the Blue Devils score 2 runs, while the Lady Miners scored 3 runs. In the second inning, the Lady Miners began to create a score gap, with 10 runs. In the third inning, Valley Union scored 6 runs, with San Manuel scoring 11 more runs. In the fourth inning, both teams scored 1 run each. In the fifth inning, Valley Union scored 3 runs.

The game ended with a final score of 25-12, giving the Lady Miners the win.

The Miner baseball team had a great time last week as well. Also hosting Valley Union, the boys played a good game on the diamond. The boys scored 2 runs in the first inning, while keeping the Blue Devils off the board. The second inning saw the Miners score 1 run, while Valley Union didn't score. In the third inning, The Miners posted 9 runs. In the fourth inning, both teams scored 1 run.

The game concluded with a Miner victory, and a final score of 13-1.

It will be a busy week for both teams – they will travel to Duncan at the beginning of the week. They will both host Ray on March 13. The boys will travel to Desert Christian on March 16. The Lady Miners will travel to compete in the Wolfpack Championship starting on March 15, hosted by St. Augustine.



Laila Ruiz at bat.

Alina Lopez | SMHS



Cienna Maghinay getting the out at first base.

Alina Lopez | SMHS



Mariah Villabla on the mound.

Alina Lopez | SMHS

Lady Bearcats score big win over Ft. Thomas; boys beat Patagonia

By Nathaniel A. Lopez
Copper Area News

Last week, the Ray softball team traveled to Fort Thomas to take on the Apaches.

The girls started the game scoring 3 runs in the first inning, while keeping Fort Thomas at bay. In the second inning, the Lady 'Cats scored 10 runs, while the Apaches scored 5 runs. In the third inning, Fort

Thomas scored 1 run. In the fourth inning, the girls scored 1 run. In the fifth inning the Lady 'Cats scored 6 runs.

The game ended with a final score of 20-6, giving the girls the victory.

The boys traveled to Patagonia Union last week. The first inning started out with Patagonia scoring 1 run. In the second inning the Bearcats came back with 3 runs, while the Lobos only scored 1. In the third inning the

boys scored 2 more runs, while Patagonia just scored 1. In the fourth inning, Patagonia scored 1 more run. In the fifth inning, the Bearcats posted 3 runs, followed by 1 run in the sixth inning.

The final score of the game sat at 9-4, giving the boys a victory.

Both teams will host Desert Christian to start their week, followed by an away game in San Manuel on March 13.

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520-548-9172

Local Contact: Tom Herbst 412-888-6792
www.thegoodshepherd.pbworks.com

Sunday Worship 9 a.m.

UMC in cooperation with the Episcopal Church & the
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Family Life Christian Center

56 Kellner Ave., Superior
"When Life Hurts – Only God Heals"

Pastor Sandy Van Gorp
520-689-2202

Sunday Prayer 9:15-9:45 a.m.
Worship 10 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study
& Prayer 6 p.m.

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First Baptist Church

103 W. Galiuro, Mammoth

Pastor Joe Ventimiglia
520-487-0311

Bible Study – 9 a.m.
Sunday Worship – 10 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Tues. – 3 p.m.
Movie Night Last Friday of the Month – 6 p.m.
"Fellowship on the Hill"

Kearny Church of Christ

103 Hammond Dr., Kearny

Minister George Randall
520-363-7711

Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Pastor David Wade
520-356-6718

Sunday Worship Service 9 & 11 a.m.

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Pastor James Ruiz
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Oracle Assembly of God

1145 Robles Rd.
Oracle

Pastor Nathan Hogan

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Kids Ministry 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study for
Adults 6 p.m.

Oracle Church of Christ

2425 El Paseo
Oracle

Richard Ferris
520-818-6554

Sunday Bible Study 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.

Oracle Seventh-Day Adventist Church

2150 Hwy 77
Oracle

Pastor Maweth Zonke
707-515-5259

Saturday Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
Saturday Worship Service 11 a.m.

Oracle Union Church

705 E. American Ave.
Oracle

Pastor Dr. Ed Nelson
520-784-1868

Sunday Service 10 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 11 a.m.
Thursday Prayer Time 11 a.m. to Noon
www.oracleunionchurch.com

Pathway of Hope Foursquare Church

3270 E. Armstrong Ln., Tucson
(Behind Golden Goose)

Pastor Karen Kelly
520-344-4417

Saturday Worship 9 a.m.
A House of Prayer, Healing & Salvation
www.pathwayofhope.net
pastorkaren@pathwayofhope.net

Presbyterian Church of Superior

100 Magma Ave., Superior
520-689-2631

Worship Service Sunday: 10 a.m.
All are welcome.

**Anonymous prayer box located at
Save Money Market. We will pray for you!**

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

11 Church Ave., Superior

Fr. Peter Nwachukwu
520-689-2250

Daily Mass 8 a.m.
Sunday 8 & 10 a.m.

Confession: Sat. 4-4:45 p.m. or by req.
www.stfrancissuperior.org

San Pedro Valley Baptist Church

Dudleyville Road, Dudleyville

Interim Pastor Mat Echols

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Set Free Church

302 Danbury, Kearny

Pastor Daniel Sostre
480-645-7687

Sunday Service 10 a.m.
Followed by Fellowship Luncheon
Food Boxes Upon Request
760-238-0474

Sinners Welcome

Superior Harvest Church

Hill St. & Stone Ave., Superior

Pastor Albert M. Rodriguez
480-354-4499 H
480-329-3647 C

Sunday Morning Service 10 a.m.

Victory in Jesus

Vista United Methodist Church

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Community, Friendship & Faith
Fred Baum, Pastor
520-825-1985

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20. Help Wanted**TOWN OF SUPERIOR
 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

Summer Lifeguards –
 Seasonal Position
 Pay Scale: \$14.35 per hour

Opening Date: March 20, 2024
 Closing Date: May 1, 2024

General Responsibilities:
 Monitors activities at a Town-
 operated swimming pool. Must
 be at least 16 years of age and
 possess or have the ability to
 obtain a valid American Red Cross
 Lifeguard Training Certificate,
 American Red Cross First Aid and
 CPR Certifications and pass a pre-
 employment drug screen.

Full Job Description available at
 the Superior Town Hall Front Desk,
 199 N. Lobb Ave., Superior, AZ
 85173. Town Hall is open Monday-
 Friday from 8:00am to 5:00pm.

Equal Opportunity Employer**20. Help Wanted**

**Town of Hayden
 Job Vacancy Notice**

Full-time Magistrate Clerk/Front Office Back-up**Opening Date:** March 1, 2024**Closing Date:** Until filled**Hours:** 40 hours/week

The Town of Hayden is accepting applications for a full-time
 magistrate clerk/receptionist.

Candidates must be a minimum of 18 years of age, possess a
 valid AZ Driver's license and a high school diploma or GED.

Applications may be obtained at the Hayden Town Hall, 520
 N. Velasco Avenue, Hayden, AZ 85135 Monday – Thursday
 7:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. and 12:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. or on Town
 of Hayden's website: www.townofhaydenaz.gov

Must be able to pass a pre-employment physical and drug
 test.

The Town of Hayden is an Equal Opportunity Employer

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**Go online to [copperarea.com/
 pages/forms](http://copperarea.com/pages/forms).**

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 us a classified ad” to get your
 listing published today!**

The Town of Kearny is accepting applications for the following
 positions. The Town of Kearny is an Equal Opportunity
 Affirmative Action Employer. Applications are available at the
 Town Hall, 374 W. Alden Rd., Kearny, AZ 85137 from
 7:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m M-Th.

**Town of Kearny
 POOL MANAGER**

The Town of Kearny is accepting applications for the position
 of Pool Manager. Applicants must possess/or be able to obtain a
 current lifeguard certification card, first aid and CPR card that
 will be valid for the summer. The Pool Manager is responsible
 for complete management of the pool. Starting wage is TBD.
 This is a seasonal, temporary position.

**Town of Kearny
 LIFEGUARD**

The Town of Kearny is accepting applications for Lifeguard
 positions. Applicants must possess/or be able to obtain a
 current lifeguard certification card, first aid and CPR card that
 will be valid for the summer. Starting wage is \$14.35/hour. This
 is a seasonal, temporary position.

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- **322 Ave B** 2 or 3 bdrm home. Added bedroom or family room and laundry area, You must see this home. Remodeled kitchen and bathroom. Includes all appliances. Great landscaping, low maintenance front and back yards. \$254,000
- **109 Ave I** 3 bdrm 2 bath home. Great property with fenced back yard and workshop. Must see! \$168,000
- **PRICE REDUCED – 1028 Webb Dr.** 3 bdrm 2 bath home. Many extras with block wall, garage, added family room, remodelled kitchen and baths, and ceramic tile flooring. Must see! \$259,000
- **919 W. 5th Ave.** 3 bdrm 1 ba home. Great home with lots of possibilities. Concrete driveway, block wall, extra parking in back. ~~\$144,500~~ **SALE PENDING**
- **PRICE REDUCED – 907 W. Webb Dr.** 3 bdrm 2 ba home. Includes extended family room and side utility area. Update kitchen and bath. extra sheds and fenced back yard, \$205,000
- **308 5th St.** 3 bdrm 2 bath home Must see this great home. Low maintenance front and back yards, extended concrete driveway, laminate and carpet flooring. Garage/ workshop, fenced back yard, remodeled kitchen and bathrooms. \$265,000
- **922 W. 4th Ave.** 3 bdrm 2 ba home with enlarged living room and added family room and utility room. Great home with all appliances and some furnishings available. Lg. workshop and 2 sheds in back. Nice ramada also. Must see! \$207,500

MAMMOTH

- **726 Hwy 77** Commercial Building and Auto Repair Building with car lifts inside. Great location! Great opportunity! \$325,000
- **723 Hwy 77** Large store on Hwy 77. Includes all equipment walk-in refrigerator. Previously a liquor and food store. Great location and great price. \$250,000

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Superior's Apache Leap Mining Festival: celebrating mining, community and fun!

The Superior Chamber of Commerce hosted the 36th Annual Apache Leap Mining Festival. The event was well attended, with a variety of food booths, retail vendors, entertainment and fun for everyone.

One of the cornerstone events is the annual mining competition which honors the tradition of mining technique and skill. Competitions included jack leg drilling, sawing, mucking, and spiking. While most miners today are utilizing modern equipment, the

competition still celebrates the physical labor of miners today. Cash prizes were awarded to the competitors with the best times.

Mining competition winners will be listed in next week's newspaper.

Superior began hosting chihuahua races several years ago during the mining festival, and while each year you often see return competitors, many new chihuahuas and their owners join in the completion to see which four

legged friend is the fastest.

Chihuahua Race winners are: Daisy (first), Dizzy (second) and Taco (third).

The board of directors at the Chamber of Commerce meet and plan throughout the year to execute a stellar event. Dozens of volunteers help keep the event moving from hosting the kids zone, parade, entertainment and the Blasting Zone Bar. This event is one of the primary fundraisers for the organization.



Superior's Apache Leap Mining Festival



Are you caring for someone who has Dementia or Alzheimer's Disease?

You are welcome to attend the
Superior Dementia Support Group

4th Thursday of the month, 1-2:30 p.m.
Superior Chamber of Commerce, 165 Main St.

The Support Group in Superior offers:

- A safe, supportive environment where you can share your experiences and encourage other caregivers in their journey.
- A place where you can grow & develop by learning methods and skills to solve your caregiving problems.
- A place to get information that will help you maintain your personal, physical and emotional health.

For additional information,
contact: Ginger at 1-800-293-9393
or email gingerf@pgcsc.org

Pinal-Gila Council for Senior Citizens
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Under Titles VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Title VI and VII), the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Pinal-Gila Council for Senior Citizens prohibits discrimination in admissions, programs, services, activities, or employment based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, and disability. For additional information please contact Ana Martinez at 520-836-2758 or 1-800-293-9393. Para obtener este documento en Español, o para obtener información adicional, por favor contactar a Ana Martinez al 520-836-2758 o 1-800-293-9393.



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