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OBITUARIES

Richard 'Ricky' Nicholas Molinar

God called Richard "Ricky" Nicholas Molinar home on Nov. 13, 2014.

He was born on Dec. 29, 1984 in Tucson, AZ and resided in San Manuel. He is preceded in death by Luis M. Valencia, grandfather; Lydia T. Molinar, grandmother; and Michael A. Molinar, uncle.

He is survived by his son, Anthony Molinar; grandfather, Mike Molinar, and grandmother, Margie Valencia; parents, Rick and Suzy Molinar; sister, Stephanie Molinar; fiancée, Shannon Dominguez; stepdaughters, Tiana Molina, Jasmine Davila and Kayla Baldwin; many uncles, aunts, cousins and close friends he referred to as brothers.

He graduated from MMI as a Motorcycle Mechanic and worked as a mechanic for nine years. His greatest blessing was the birth of his son and spending time with him.

He had a heart of gold and would give the shirt off his back

for anyone. He is known for his infamous smile and laugh and touched the lives of many. He loved riding and working on quads and street bikes as well as gathering with family and friends. He also enjoyed hunting and fishing. He was planning to work out of his new trailer to fulfill his life dream of working on motorcycles and getting out of mining.

He will be greatly missed by all and loved



by many.

Rosary will be held at St. Bartholomew Parish on Friday, Nov. 21, 2014 at 10 a.m. Mass will follow with interment at Valley View Cemetery in Mammoth. There will be a reception to follow at St. Bartholomew Parish Hall.

Tillie Castro Serna

Tillie Castro Serna, 91, of Mammoth, Ariz. passed away on Thursday, Nov. 13, 2014 in Tucson, Ariz. at Casa De La Luz Hospice.

Tillie was born on Aug. 12, 1923 in Canaia, Mexico the daughter of Cecialio and Maria Arredondo. She grew up in Phoenix, Ariz. and married Alfred Serna and they made their home in Mammoth, Ariz. for over 65 years. Tillie was an energetic person who loved life and loved being around her family and friends. She will be greatly missed.

Tillie is survived by her children: Edward Serna, Oscar Silva and Christine Romero; 11 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren, brother: Saul Arredondo and two sisters: Alice Chavira and Maria Lou Macias. She was preceded in death by four brothers.

Funeral Services were held Tuesday, Nov. 18, 2014, 10 a.m. at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, Mammoth, Ariz. with burial at Mammoth Valley View Cemetery.

Online Guestbook: www.GriffithMortuary.com.



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Troy Smith

Troy Smith, 64, passed away in San Manuel on Nov. 11. He loved being around his many family members and friends, and helping others. Whether it was family, friends or a stranger with a broken down vehicle on the side of the road, he was always ready to lend a helping hand. He loved to work on cars, quail hunting and fishing. Troy worked for ASARCO in Hayden from 1971 - 2004, before moving on to a career in the Fountain Lakes School District in Fountain Lake, Arkansas from 2005- 2010.

Preceding him in death are his parents, Francis (Speedy) Smith, Dovie Smith and Joyce Smith; son, Michael Smith; brothers: James Smith and Danny Stewart. He is survived by his wife, Hope Smith; daughters: Michelle (Richard) Encinas, Melissa Smith (Earle Andrade); son Mark (Christal) Smith; brother, Ron Smith; grandchildren: Courtney, Logan and Matthew Encinas, Alisha, Brittney, Yolanda, Jasmine and Jayden Smith, Rocky and Sakura Andrade; sisters: Theda (Chuck) Tully, Audra Crawford, Kay Stewart and Lucille Dean; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Services will be held at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church on Nov. 22 in Mammoth. Rosary will start at 9 am, followed by a memorial mass. Everyone is welcome to a get together following the mass at the San Manuel Elks Lodge. The family would like to thank all of their friends and family for the outpouring of love and prayers during this difficult time.



OBITUARY

Alta Mae Cline

Alta Mae Cline, age 78, of Belleville, Arkansas, passed away peacefully at home Saturday, Oct. 18. She was born March 5, 1936 in Donaldson, AR to the late Cecil and Elsie Tarkington McDade.

Alta is preceded in death by her husband, Boyd Dale Cline; parents; grandson, Damon Lynn Graves; sister, Martha Jean Matthews; stepbrothers, Tim McKim, Bennie McKim; and stepmother, Birdie McDade.

In 1954, she met the love of her life, Boyd "Arkie" Cline, and after a short monthlong courtship, they married. In 1956, they, along with their daughter Kathy, came to San Manuel, where Boyd worked at Magma Copper Company. A few years later, they had two boys, Dale and John.

She was a strong Christian woman and soon became a member of the Missionary Baptist Church in Little Hollywood in Mammoth. Having been raised on a farm, she was an excellent cook and baker, so she went to work at the San Manuel High School cafeteria and was well known for her many breads, rolls and mini burros. Even at home, she fed countless friends and family. Her cornbread, biscuits, chocolate gravy, coconut cream pies, fried potatoes and sweet iced tea were just a few of the things she was well known for. Her kids didn't believe anyone could make chocolate milk like her.

When she wasn't cooking or baking, you could find Alta sewing on a handmade quilt. Each quilt had special meaning because she would use scraps of clothing that held happy and special memories. She turned each quilt into a story. She loved to quilt and it showed in each stitch she sewed. Her quilts are spread over many states and will be cherished.

She enjoyed her kids and attended many baseball games and events, cheering them on. She was also known to jump in there and skin a coyote or bobcat when they wanted her to. She could do it better than the guys. She was also known to crawl under a car and help to do the mechanical work or stab a transmission without worrying about getting dirty or greasy. She was a woman of many talents.

After 30 years at Magma, Boyd retired and they moved to Belleville, AR, where they enjoyed settling into their brand new home. One of her first priorities was to find a new church home, so she soon became a member of the First Landmark Missionary Baptist Church in Danville. She found retired life too quiet, so, she went to work as supervisor and cook at Chambers Memorial Hospital in Danville, where she worked for the next twenty years before retiring permanently. During the time she worked at Chambers Hospital, she cooked the yearly Thanksgiving meal for the Chambers family. Part of that family included Jerry Jones, who is the owner of the Dallas Cowboys football team. One very big highlight during those meals was when Jerry autographed jackets, hats and other memorabilia for her.

After retiring, she enjoyed another big highlight in her life, and that was her great-granddaughter Gemma. You could find them snuggled up together in the recliner, taking



a little nap, pretty often.

Alta is survived by her three children: daughter, Kathy (Jerry) Gray of Havana, AR, son, Dale (Deborah) Cline of San Manuel and son, John (Johnnie Marie) Cline of Belleville; granddaughters, Krystal Cline of San Manuel, Erin Chappell of Havana, AR; grandsons, Johnathan (Amy) Stone of Dover, AR, Joseph Stone of Belleville; great-granddaughter, Gemma Stone of Belleville; brothers, John Thomas McDade of Malvern, AR, Marvin McDade of Donaldson, AR, James McDade of Midway, AR; sister,

Loraine Swinnea of Birmingham, AL; stepbrothers, Alton McKim of Donaldson, Darren McKim of Donaldson; stepsisters, Hazel Potterfield of Cain, AR, Jen Cotton of Hurst, TX and Kay Flector of Hot Springs, AR.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m., Friday, Oct. 24, at the Danville First Landmark Missionary Baptist Church in Danville. Services officiated by Rev. Kenny Vosburg. Burial was at Upper Spring Creek Cemetery in Belleville. Visitation was held from 12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m., before the services at the church.



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Rios Responds to Sheriff's Account of Assault

Last week, Pinal County Sheriff Paul Babeu released what could be considered a “frightening and disturbing” account of what he thinks is going on at Sycamore Canyon Academy. Let me emphasize the word “thinks.”

Let me hand it to the Sheriff, he can spin a yarn with the best of them. He took a little truth here and there and then added a falsehood here and there - the next thing you know, we have a press release intended to frighten and mislead our residents.

As you might remember, Sycamore Canyon Academy is a state licensed group home outside of Oracle, Arizona. This facility takes in children who are lacking focus, along with discipline, and gives them the tools needed to be successful in their home life and in their schooling. They do a remarkable job. Board of Supervisors Chairman Anthony Smith and myself took a lengthy tour of the grounds earlier this year. We were both impressed at what the staff does for these children in their care.

In June, Sycamore Canyon Academy also became a shelter for unaccompanied minors from Central America. These children are not detainees, nor are they

inmates. They are temporarily housed at the facility until their next of kin are found in the United States, and the federal courts render a decision on their case. These children are not long-term residents of the facility.

You may also recall the protests along the road to Pepper Sauce Canyon. This became a media circus, thanks to some advanced and erroneous publicity by an Oracle resident who did not fully understand the unaccompanied minor process.

As for the Sheriff's latest press release, the truth is YES, there has been a spike in 911 calls from Sycamore Canyon Academy. However, many of these 911 calls were the result of power interruptions and outages at the facility that triggered the 911 frequency. These calls to the dispatcher are recorded as hang-ups. Arizona did have a pretty active monsoon season this year and power interruptions in the rural mountain area are not uncommon.

Our deputies have been sent to the facility to check out these 911 hang ups. I was informed by the staff at Sycamore Canyon Academy that they will escort the officer through the campus to assure them that no

crimes had been perpetrated.

What is particularly troubling about the Sheriff's press release is his account of an incident that happened at the facility.

As a former Child Protective Services Specialist, I can tell you that it is not acceptable to publicly release the name of a youth or ward in your care. What Sheriff Babeu did in his press release was inexcusable and may be in violation of ARS § 8-542, a class 2 misdemeanor. Sycamore Canyon Academy is mandated by State and Federal confidentiality laws not to confirm nor deny the name of a minor individual in their care.

This incident that the Sheriff points to in an effort to make his case about unaccompanied minors, actually involved a minor that is a U.S. citizen, in the care of the facility. The facts are considerably different from the story the Sheriff relayed to the mass media. Although no one should condone any physical confrontations with staff, I am glad to hear that this particular staffer was not seriously hurt.

The Sheriff's role is to maintain the peace, serve and protect the people of Pinal County. His attempt in this case to



FROM THE SUPERVISOR

By Pete Rios
Special to the Miner

play on people's fears and emotions over the immigration debacle is unacceptable. To intentionally attempt to mislead and frighten people based on inaccurate and false information is unforgivable.

I would expect much more from a Constitutionally Elected officer, like the Sheriff.

Sheriff, Leave Those Kids Alone

This week the Pinal County Sheriff's Office sent out a press release about a staff assault and “up spike” in incidents at the Sycamore Canyon Academy. The Sheriff made an attempt to tie the assault and incidents at the academy to the unaccompanied minors from Central America that began arriving there in July. The press release said that the juvenile that assaulted the staff member was from Colombia, leaving out the part about the kid being an American citizen. Carl Shipman, Director of Programs also has stated that there have been no incidents at the academy involving the unaccompanied minors.

In a statement released to the media on Nov. 12, Shipman said:

“Sycamore Canyon Academy wishes to clarify an apparent misunderstanding regarding information provided by the Nov. 11, 2014 Pinal County Sheriff's Office News Release and media statements.

“Sycamore Canyon Academy is both a licensed Group Home and Shelter. Youth who are placed in the Sycamore programs are not ‘detained’ nor are they referred to as ‘inmates.’ There have been no incidents involving unaccompanied minors since the recent opening of the shelter program at



DRY HEAT

By John Hernandez
San Manuel Miner

Sycamore Canyon Academy.”

The timing of the Sheriff's press release seemed odd to me. The staff assault was over a month old (Oct. 8) which made me wonder if the Sheriff did not have a hidden agenda with this announcement. While researching the internet looking for news about the press release information I came

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San Manuel man killed after rollover accident

On Thursday, Nov. 13, 2014, Pinal County Sheriff's Deputies responded to what proved to be a fatal accident after receiving reports of a vehicle that collided with a hillside causing the vehicle to rollover.

Richard Molinar, 30, San Manuel, was heading southbound on Veterans Memorial Blvd., near mile marker 55, when a witness saw his vehicle fail to negotiate a curve. The 2011 Jeep

continued straight, crossed the yellow line and hit the embankment at an angle.

Molinar was ejected from the Jeep and sustained serious injuries. He was airlifted to the University Medical Center in Tucson, where he was pronounced dead.

Deputies do not believe drug or alcohol impairment was a factor at this time. The driver however was not wearing his seatbelt.

This case remains under investigation.



Pinal County Sheriff's Office deputies can be seen in the background investigating the accident on Thursday, Nov. 13.

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ADOT crews spread sand on Highway 77 south of Mammoth to help soak up an oil spill.

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Fire crews, ADOT assist in cleanup on SR 77

By Jennifer Carnes
San Manuel Miner

Traffic was slowed significantly Monday afternoon just south of Mammoth as crews labored to clean up an oil spill.

According to Quentin G. Mehr, Public Information Officer for Arizona Department of Public Safety, at approximately 12:49 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 17, a semi truck struck a guardrail on Hwy. 77 at milepost 113. Debris from the

collision, along with spilled oil, covered about a one-mile stretch of 77 near the intersection of Blue Bonnet St.

Crews from the Arizona Department of Transportation, Pinal Rural Fire Rescue and Mammoth Fire Department worked to clean up the oil spill. Assisting with the call were Mammoth Police Department and Pinal County Sheriff's Office.

There were no injuries associated with this collision, Mehr said, adding that the investigation is ongoing.



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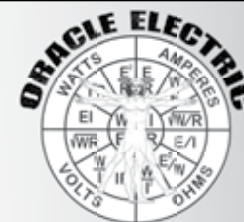
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Mammoth swears in new council members



The newly elected Mammoth Town Council members were sworn into office by Town Clerk Patsy Large during a special meeting held Monday, Nov. 17. Don Jones, Bob Sloan, Gena Medina and Erik Romero took the oath of office. After the swearing in ceremony the council elected Don Jones as mayor and Frances Wickham as vice-mayor. The new mayor appointed Joe Brewer as Public Works Commissioner and Bob Sloan as Police Commissioner.

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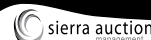
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Oracle State Park gains international dark sky status

(Phoenix, AZ - November 10, 2014) - Between the cities of Phoenix and Tucson, Oracle State Park is a 4,000-acre dark sky oasis in the desert. Now the park's impressive night skies will be protected for future generations. The International Dark-Sky Association (IDA) has named Oracle State Park an International Dark Sky Park. Designated at the "Silver" quality level, the park is the first in the Arizona State Park system to receive the IDA recognition. Other communities in Arizona have also been designated including Flagstaff and Sedona. Today the wonder of the night sky is threatened by the use of artificial light. The IDA works to raise public awareness of the value of the night sky and to garner allies in the efforts to protect the natural night sky. The IDA defines International Dark Sky park sites as "a park or other public land possessing exceptional starry skies and natural nocturnal habitat where light pollution is mitigated and natural darkness is valuable as an important educational, cultural, scenic, and natural resources."

Light pollution comes from lighting that is aimed horizontally or upward, is unshielded, brighter than it needs to be, and/or shines beyond where and when it is needed. Light

pollution not only impacts the science of astronomy (an important business in Arizona), but can cause documented negative impacts on wildlife, the environment and human health. Light pollution wastes over \$2 billion a year in unnecessary energy costs in the United States. The IDA designates the quality of night skies in three tiers. Gold represents the highest award representing the darkest skies, followed by the Silver and Bronze designations. The Silver designation means there are three Point light sources and glary lights do not dominate nighttime scene. In addition, brighter sky phenomena can be regularly viewed, with fainter ones sometimes visible, and the Milky Way is visible in summer and winter. Park Manager Steve Haas said, "The International Dark Sky Park Silver designation fits extremely well with the mission and goals of Oracle State Park as a Center for Environmental Education."

This coveted designation owes much to the efforts of the Oracle Dark Skies Committee (ODSC), whose members include Oracle-area residents, members of the Friends of Oracle State Park, and State Park Rangers. Michael Weasner, a retired former U.S. Air Force pilot



Kannally House patio at the Oracle State Park.

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and aerospace industry manager, chairs the group and spearheaded the effort to obtain the IDA recognition.

"Oracle is proud to have its State Park receive this important designation to help preserve

Arizona's natural resources. The Oracle Dark Skies Committee worked hard to complete the necessary tasks and documentation in record time and is thrilled that Oracle State Park has

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Town of Mammoth retains water system grant

By John Hernandez
San Manuel Miner

The Town of Mammoth will have \$224,013.50 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding held in reserve by the Arizona Department of Housing (ADOH) for the rehabilitation of the water storage tank #2. The 250,000 gallon tank is located in the west end of West Church Street.

The CDBG funding terms include \$40,015 for administration to carry out all required actions to administer activities funded from the fiscal year 2013 CAG Regional Account for the

Town of Mammoth. Actions are to include requisite record keeping, monitoring, reporting and all other actions necessary to comply with CDBG Program requirements.

CDBG funds in the amount of \$183,998.50 are to be used for repairing corrosion damage to water tank #2 and the hydropneumatic tank located at the west end of West Church Street. The project includes the removal and renewal of the interior and exterior finishes of the metal tank and exterior of the hydropneumatic tank. Corroded/damaged components will be repaired or replaced as

needed. If funds allow, the Town of Mammoth will add security elements like fencing, lighting, and modifications to the tank roof access ladder and reconfiguration of the above ground overflow piping/drainage. This funding activity will meet the Low to Moderate Income National Objective and will benefit approximately 470 people of whom 240 (51.06 percent) are low to moderate income.

A letter was received by Town Clerk Patsy Large from the Assistant Deputy Director of Programs Andrew Rael verifying that the grant had not been lost.

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Salute to veterans at San Manuel High School

By John Hernandez
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On Monday, Nov. 10, 2014 at the San Manuel High School auditorium the Mammoth – San Manuel Unified School District presented a program to honor veterans for Veteran's Day. The program was organized by Principal Melissa Joliat and teacher Amanda Trejo. Trejo is a veteran having served in the United States Navy 2004-2008.

The theme of this year's event was a Salute to Women Veterans. Women veterans are probably the least known group of all veterans even though women have served their country in military roles since the Revolutionary War. After the Pledge of Allegiance led by Kadi Monfred, student body president, and the Star Spangled Banner, the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) color guard presented the colors. The VFW color guard was made up of Margarito Bejarano, Sergeant US Army; Sam Robs, third class Shipman US Navy; and Lloyd Bradshaw, first class Hospital Corpsman, US Navy and Marines. Veterans in the audience were asked to stand and were thanked for their service while the audience applauded. A video was shown about the history of women in the military and the roles they have played and continue to perform.

Essays on "What is a Woman's Role in the Military" were written by students in the district. The students who read their essays at the program were: Andy Rodriguez, Mammoth Stem School,

fourth grade; Chastity Maghinay, First Avenue, fourth grade; Mireya Curry, Mammoth Stem, fifth grade; Haylei Lozoya, First Avenue, fifth grade; Victoria Zazueta, Mammoth STEM, sixth grade; Adrian Romero, First Avenue, sixth grade; Celeste Large, SMJH, seventh grade; Olivia Ortega, SMJH, eighth grade; Julia-Cardenas Telles, SMJH, ninth grade; Nicole Encinas, SMHS, 11th grade; and Austin Clark, SMHS, 12th grade. The San Manuel High School Choir led by Dan Miner also performed a musical tribute to all the branches of the military.

The two guest speakers were two retired Air Force Colonels now living in SaddleBrooke, Linda Thomas and Hollace "Holly" Lyon. Linda spent 22 years in the Air Force. Her last post was at Andrews Air Force Base near Washington, DC where Air Force One is based. She is the current president of the Oracle School District #2 School Board. Holly served for 26 years most of her time in the communications and computer career field. She also worked at the Pentagon setting the budget and strategic goals for the Air Force. She recently ran for the House of Representatives in LD-11. The Colonels talked about their service, opportunities for women in the military and how women are contributing and impacting today's military.

Congratulations to those participants and organizers of the Salute to Veterans. It was an excellent program. Thank you veterans for your service and sacrifice!



Victoria Zazueta and dad Frank. Frank serves in the US Air Force.

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Tony Gallego US Army 1969 - 1973.

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Mr. McCormick US Navy Vietnam 1969, Danny Large 1967-70 Vietnam 1969-70, Barry Hoben US Army 25th Infantry 1962-65.

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Projects that will boost economy and jobs in eastern Pinal County outlined at Pinal Partnership meet

Progress reported on Resolution Copper Project, Arizona Sky Casino, CCA prison expansion

By James Hodl
Copper Area News

Economic and job prospects in district one of Pinal County are looking up, according to Pete Rios, who represents the district in the county board of supervisors.

Speaking at the Nov. 14 breakfast meeting of the Pinal Partnership at the Coolidge Center For the Performing Arts, Rios noted that several projects with the potential to create new jobs and boost the economy within the district have been proposed or are nearing conclusion.

District one is the largest of Pinal County's five board of supervisors districts encompassing the sparsely populated eastern section including the towns of Superior, Kearny, Mammoth, Dudleyville, Oracle and San Manuel. It also takes in parts of Florence and Eloy.

"Pinal County has much to offer," Rios said in his opening statements at the meeting which he hosted. "We have lots of open spaces, rivers that actually flow, and a ready and eager workforce. And we have a can-do spirit that gets things done, such as the restoration of the Florence County Courthouse. The proposal that Pinal build a new courthouse and level the old one for use as a parking lot. But the courthouse building is part of our heritage and history, so we renovated it and repurposed its use, leaving in place a structure that also makes Florence a tourist destination."

Among future projects Rios proposed for Pinal County include an upgrading of Central Arizona College into an institution offering four-year degrees. He further proposed an upgrading of Route 77 to make the trip to the White Mountains and Aravaipa Canyon so the people from Tucson and Phoenix can get to the skiing, hunting and horseback riding areas quicker and safer.

Rios turned the podium over to speakers who addressed a major project that could soon have a positive effect on the Pinal County economy and spur job growth.

Work on the Apache Sky Casino on a 230-acre site along Highway 77 near Dudleyville is proceeding on schedule, said Gary Murrey, CEO and general manager of Apache Sky and its sister site, the 20-year-old Apache Gold Casino near Globe. Although a problem was encountered (unstable soil due to a high gypsum content) it was quickly resolved, enabling phase one of the project to open by April 2015, he noted.

Apache Sky will be an actual gaming facility, with up to 600 slot machines, 12 table games, six poker tables, and a full-service restaurant and lounge offering both indoor and outdoor patio seating. Once open, the casino will



Gary Murrey, GM Apache Sky Casino, speaks at the Pinal Partnership meeting. James Hodl | Copper Area News

create 400 jobs for local residents.

In the second phase of the project, a hotel will be built with features that could include a theater, bowling alley and conference center, Murrey said. Both the Apache Star and Apache Gold casinos are operated under an agreement with the San Carlos Apache Tribe.

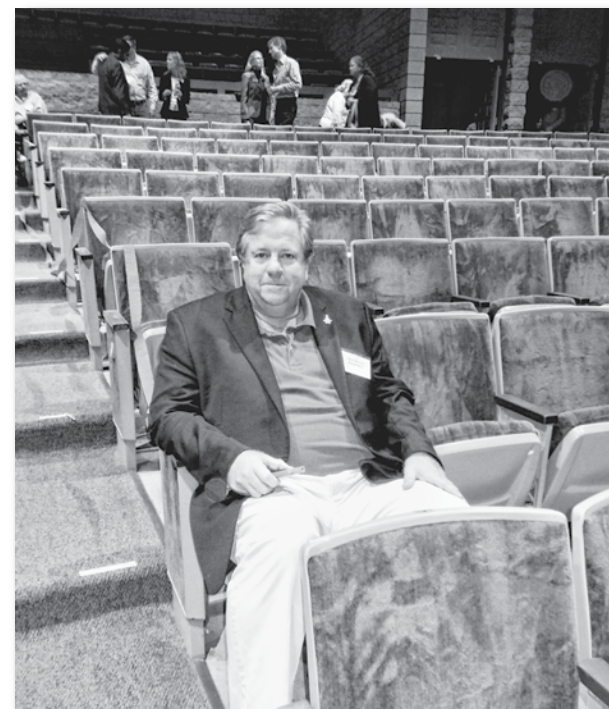
Corrections Corporation of America (CCA), already the largest single employer in Pinal County, will soon add additional jobs as it adds 744 beds to the Eloy Detention Center, said John Glutch, former warden and current consultant to the facility.

A privately owned and operated prison, the Eloy Detention Center already has about 1,600 beds which are used for housing prisoners from within Arizona and from other states, and in housing illegal immigrants earmarked for deportation by the US Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) agency. The additional 744 beds will require building two additional prison blocks, creating temporary construction jobs and later additional full-time prison jobs, Glutch explained.

The additional beds will be used to incarcerate female prisoners and to house illegal immigrant families prior to deportation, he added.

A major milestone in the development of Resolution Copper block cave mining project near Superior was within days of being realized, Dave Richins, Resolution's principal government affairs advisor told the audience.

Work on the No. 10 shaft was nearing the target depth of



Chris Bannon of Biosphere 2 was in attendance at the Pinal Partnership meeting.

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Happy Thanksgiving! Enjoy some original recipes courtesy of Chef Frank Palazzolo of Nonna Maria's in Oracle! Or as Frank says, "Mangia, Mangia!"

Another successful year of Turkey giving brought to you by Copper Corridor businesses! Every year your local businesses participate in a Turkey Drawing to give away a free Turkey. This year 80 turkeys were won by families from Oracle to Superior and everywhere in between!

Winners need to go to the location of where they won to obtain a gift certificate. Turkeys will be distributed at: the Oracle Inn, 305 E. American Ave., Oracle.

Miner Turkey Drawing Winners

- Oracle Arizona Family Denistry Clare Grochocki
- Cricket Avenue..... Melissa Sparks
- Minit Market..... Juanita Salas
- Nonna Maria's Pizzeria & Ristorante..... Joyce Starman
- Apex Repairs..... Reg Ramsey
- Double J's Auto Repair..... Catherine Starks
- Quality Paint & Body Deborah Huerta-Lizarraga
- Farmer's Insurance Michelle Gonzales-Castro..... Louise Krouse
- Dub's Plumbing Frank Zazueta
- Copper Town Days Association..... Sandra Aguilar
- Family Dollar Anna Estrada
- Oracle Patio Cafe Joe Verdugo
- San Manuel Hardware..... Judy Miller
- Mammoth Towing & Service Eleanor Flowers
- Las Michoacanas Violet Blank
- Mountain Health & Wellness Rosa Estrada
- San Pedro Valley Pizza Co. Frank Castro
- Oracle Electric Service, LLC Jennifer Borg
- Oracle Inn Bernice Ortiz
- Oracle Land & Homes Tammy Maestas
- Tri-Com Real Estate Sandra McIntire
- Dale's Auto Collision Center..... Carlos Salazar
- Carquest Oracle Auto Repair..... Ayisha Rodriguez
- Arizona Water Company Jesus Gonzales
- The Lodge Tammy Salcido
- Vantage West Credit Union..... A. Guerrero
- DeMarco's Pizzeria Alice Poss
- Romo's Restaurant Robert Estrada
- Mel's Drive In Olga Sanchez
- Ship-It Worldwide..... Marilyn Chenevert
- Huntington Chiropractic..... Frances Pritchard
- Mammoth Lumber Stella Altamirano
- Sun Life Family Health Center..... Elisha Soto
- Class'e Look's n Oracle JoAnn Aldridge
- Your Broker Connection..... Fredi Christian
- San Manuel Miner Celia Romo



SMOKED TURKEY
Frank Palazzolo
www.nonnamarias.com

- 1 (12 pound) whole turkey
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 2 chopped apples
- 3 tablespoon minced garlic
- 2 tablespoon fresh chopped rosemary
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh basil
- Salt & pepper to taste
- 1 (20 pound) bag high quality charcoal briquettes
- Hickory chips or chunks

Mix the olive oil, garlic, rosemary, basil, Italian seasoning, black pepper and salt. Set aside.

Wash the turkey inside and out; pat dry. Loosen the skin from the breast by slowly working your fingers between the breast and the skin. Work it loose to the end of the drumstick

With hand, spread a generous amount of the rosemary mixture under the breast skin and down the thigh and leg. Rub the remainder of the rosemary mixture over the outside of the breast.

Place chopped apples inside the turkey
Place the turkey in a roasting pan. Add about 1/4 inch of water to the bottom of the pan. Place hickory chips in water around turkey. Place the charcoal into the bottom pan of the smoker. Light the coals and wait for the temperature of the smoker to come to 240°F. Place turkey pan onto the grill grate.

Add 2 handfuls damp chips on the coals at start of cooking, then a handful every couple of hours during the cooking process. Leave the lid on! Continue smoking until the internal temperature of the turkey reaches 180°F or keep going until the coals die out. Approximately 6 hours (30 minutes for every pound).



ZESTY CORN
Frank Palazzolo
www.nonnamarias.com

- 1 package of grated Cotija cheese
- Garlic butter
- Ground Cayenne chili powder
- Lime wedges

There are many methods of grilling corn and you may already have favorite technique. I like to peel of the entire husk and place it on the grill.

Brush the garlic butter on the corn. Sprinkle desired amounts of Cotija cheese and cayenne chili powder. Serve with lime wedges.



CORN & JALAPENO FRITTERS
Frank Palazzolo
www.nonnamarias.com

- 3 cups oil for frying
- 1 cup all purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon sugar
- 1 egg beaten
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 tablespoon shortening
- 12 ounces corn
- 2 tablespoons diced jalapeños

Heat oil in a heavy pot to 365°F. Combine flour, baking powder, salt and sugar. Set aside. Beat together egg, milk, and melted shortening; stir into flour mixture. Mix in the corn kernels and jalapeños. Drop fritter batter by spoonfuls into the hot oil, and fry until golden. Drain on paper towels



CRANBERRY & CHEESE BITES
Frank Palazzolo
www.nonnamarias.com

Pie Crust:

- 2 cups all purpose flour
- 2/3 cup canola oil
- 6 tablespoon COLD water
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt

Filling:

- 1/2 pound Brie cheese
- 1 cup cranberry sauce (purchased or homemade)

Preheat oven to 375°F

Combine flour, salt & sugar. Next, in separate bowl, stir the oil and ice water until creamy, then pour over flour mixture. Mix well. Save dough till needed. Roll dough into a flat sheet.

With a sharp knife cut the sheets into approximately 3 inch x 3 inch squares. Press each square into a muffin tin cavity.

Cube cheese into 3/4 inch cube for each (you may have a little cheese left over). Place a cube of Brie in the center of each puff pastry square. Top the Brie with 2 tsp of cranberry sauce.

Bake about 10 min. or until pastry corners are toasted lightly brown.



SWEET & NUTTY
Frank Palazzolo
www.nonnamarias.com

- 1 egg white
- 1 tablespoon water
- 1 pound pecans
- 1 cup white sugar
- 3/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon Cayenne pepper

Preheat oven to 250°F. Grease baking sheet.

In a mixing bowl, whip together the egg white and water until frothy. In a separate bowl, mix together sugar, salt, and cinnamon and pepper.

Add pecans to egg whites, stir to coat the nuts. Remove the nuts, and toss them in the sugar mixture until coated. Place nuts evenly on the baking sheet. Bake at 250°F for 1 hour. Stir every 15 minutes.

Our compliments to Chef Frank! Grazie!

Robert and Sue Coons celebrate 50th Anniversary

Robert (Bob). and Sue (Sanders) Coons will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on November 25, 2014. They were married in the LDS Mesa Temple a short 50 years ago, on November 25, 1964.

Bob and Sue were raised in Arizona. The couple raised their four kids in San Manuel, where all four graduated from SMHS. Sue was a long time employee of the San Manuel Miner and Chris's True Value. Bob

retired as the Chief of San Manuel Fire Department. They are both enjoying retirement and living close to Sue's father and brothers, as well as other childhood friends in the Benson area.

Bob and Sue's children are: Cody Yeck (Carl) in Highland, UT, Tracy Cluff (Denby) in Casa Grande, Todd Coons (Loreen) in Gilbert, and Kelly Coons in Gilbert. They have also been blessed with 12 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.



They began their life together by sealing it with a kiss. 50 years later they still seal each night with a kiss.



After 50 Years, Bob and Sue Coons have raised 4 children and enjoy 12 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.



Supervisor Rios' Office to participate in countywide diaper drive

FLORENCE – Supervisor Pete Rios is pleased to announce his office will participate in the 2014 Pinal County Christmas Diaper Drive.

The Supervisor's office, located at 118 Catalina Avenue in Mammoth will be accepting the following items: diapers (size four or five), baby wipes and skin cream. Gift cards along with checks made out to "Pinal County Diaper Drive" will be accepted as well. Office hours are from 8:00 AM until 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

"This drive collects diapers and other goods for homeless mothers and mothers in crisis," Supervisor Rios said. "Our donations will go to help the Family First Pregnancy Center and Family Diaper Bank in Oracle and the Hope Women's Center in Coolidge."

This is the third year of the drive said its director Greg Thornberg. As of November 13, the drive has collected over one-fifth of its 10,000 diaper goal.

The website for the diaper drive is: <http://www.christmasdiaperdrive.org>.

Pinal County Sheriff's Report

The Pinal County Sheriff's Report is taken from the daily logs, based on the information provided by deputies. All persons arrested are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Nov. 10

Lisa Marie Sanchez, 40, Mammoth, was arrested in the area of San Pedro Rd. and Owens Pl., Mammoth, on a warrant for failure to appear. She was transported and booked into the Pinal County Jail in Florence.

Violation of a court order was reported in the 39000 block of S. Cinch Strap Pl., SaddleBrooke.

Nov. 11

Violation of a court order was reported in the 900 block of N. Robles Rd., Oracle.

Fire was reported in the 400 block of S. San Carlos St., San Manuel.

Nov. 12

Violation of a court order was reported at the Oracle Justice Court.

Theft was reported in the 39000 block of S. Lago del Oro Pkwy., SaddleBrooke.

Assault was reported in the 900 block of W. First Ave., San Manuel.

Nov. 13

Violation of a court order was reported in the 2100 block of E. American Ave., Oracle.

Assault was reported in the 2100 block of E. American Ave., Oracle.

A fatal accident was reported in the 24000 block of S. Veterans Memorial Blvd., San Manuel. (See related story.)

An accident without injuries was reported in the area of S. Redington Rd., San Manuel.

Nov. 14

Theft was reported in the 4900 block of N. Cholla St.,

Dudleyville.

Criminal damage was reported in the area of E. Old Tiger Mine Rd., Mammoth.

Burglary was reported in the 100 block of W. Fourth Ave., San Manuel.

Nov. 15

Fire was reported in the 37000 block of S. Niblick Dr., SaddleBrooke.

Fire was reported in the area of S. Avenue B, San Manuel. A hit and run accident was reported in the area of S. Hwy. 77 and Veterans Memorial Blvd., San Manuel.

Nov. 16

A narcotics offense was reported in the 76000 block of E. Indian Hills Dr., Dudleyville.

Fire was reported in the 2100 block of W. American Ave., Oracle.

Fire was reported in the 1200 block of W. Neal St., Oracle.

Miners' Castaneda runs at Cross Country Championship

By Andrew Luberda
San Manuel Miner

San Manuel junior cross country runner Andrea Castaneda qualified for the 2014 AIA State Cross Country Championships. The state meet took place on Nov. 8, 2014, at the Cave Creek Golf Course.

Castaneda, who qualified for the state meet after her performance at the sectional meet at Marana High School, competed in her second consecutive state competition. She was the Miners' top female runner throughout the season.

She finished 23rd out of 143 Division IV runners.

Castaneda, the Miners' lone female runner, was joined at the state meet by the Miners boys' team which also qualified for the team championships.

Congratulations to all of the Miners' runners for a great 2014 cross country season.



Andrea Castaneda competes at the Cross Country Championship, finishing 23rd out of 143. Maria Lopez | SMHS

Lady Miners return to court after magical 2013-14 season

By Andrew Luberda
San Manuel Miner

Last season's Lady Miners' basketball team won 22 games and earned a berth in State Championship Tournament. This season's team is hoping for a similar season, but will have to do it after the graduation of some key players.

Shooting guard Kadi Monfred and point guard Angelica Garica are the only returning starters from last season's team. Monfred, a senior, and Garcia, a sophomore, were among the top scorers on the team last year.

Cita Sweeney, Sammy Sampson, Esperanza Carbajal, and Ashly Vargas are returning varsity players.

With only six players with varsity

experience, head coach Dave Jungbluth is concerned about the team's depth heading into the start of this season. The Miners need some of their less-experienced players to step up in order to achieve anything close to last season's success.

Sweeney could make the biggest impact this season. She's replacing one the best players in Division IV and

All-Section selection last year, Angelica Zuniga. Jungbluth figures she's ready to be a difference maker after spending last year as Zuniga's back up.

Monfred and Garcia are also expected to be playmakers, especially considering their positions as guards.

The Miners open their season on Dec. 4, 2014, at Tanque Verde. The game is scheduled for 7 p.m.



Tri-Community and La Casita get 'thumbs up' from Oro Valley cyclists

By John Hernandez
San Manuel Miner

A group of cyclists stopped at La Casita in San Manuel to have breakfast. The dozen cyclists from Oro Valley belong to the Vistoso Cyclists Club. They rode up from Vistoso and were on their way back when this reporter caught up with them.

Roy, the ride leader said they make the ride regularly. "It is one of our favorite stops, the views are beautiful." Roy added that "the food is very good" at La Casita.

More cyclists are visiting the Tri-Community and experiencing the beauty and hospitality of the area.

QUE PASA

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

NOVEMBER



19-21 Holiday Book Fair at First Avenue School

First Avenue Elementary School invites you to its 2014 Holiday Book Fair, Reading Fiesta Book Fair. The book fair will be open Thursday Nov. 20 from 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Nov. 19, 7:30 a.m. - 7 p.m., and Friday, Nov. 21 from 7:30 a.m. - noon.



19 Lions Club Bingo Date to Change for Thanksgiving

The bingo session for Wednesday, Nov. 26, is being changed to Monday, Nov. 24, due to the Thanksgiving holiday. Regular bingo will return to Wednesday nights on Dec. 3. There will be a free drawing for a turkey on Wednesday, Nov. 19 and Monday, Nov. 24. Support your local Lions Club, have some fun, and, get a chance to win a turkey.

21 Copper Corridor Economic Development Coalition to Meet

Copper Corridor Economic Development Coalition meets the third Friday of the month at the Dudleyville Multicultural Center at 8:30 a.m. This month's meeting will be held on Nov. 21. For more information, please email info@coppercorridor.org.

Submit information to miner@minersunbasin.com or call 520-385-2266. Listings are free. The Miner reserves the right to edit or refuse submissions. Submissions are due the Friday before Wednesday publication.



22 Golf Tournament Planned at Hayden Golf Club

On Saturday, Nov. 22, the first of what will be an annual Fall Tournament will be held at the Hayden Golf Course, sponsored by the Hayden Golf Club. Shotgun start will be 10 a.m. Format is 3 Man Scramble with one A player (0-9 HDCP) allowed. Fee is \$40 per player. Special events will be Longest Drive, Closest to the Pin, Longest Putt, Money Hole and Skins. Food and drink will be sold at the clubhouse by Leonor Hambly K-8 Committee for a trip to Washington, D.C. Split the Pot, raffle, Cake Walk, and other activities will also be held. To help or donate, contact Laura Lopez or Ron and Rosie Lopez. For more information, call Bony Cruz at 928-961-0529, Chito Guzman at 520-356-7156 or 520-444-4552, Carlos Garcia at 928-812-0710 or Pee Wee Lorona at 520-331-9236 or 356-6822.

22 Grand Opening of New Tri-Community Visitors Center

The new Tri-Community Visitors Center is located at 1470 W. American Ave., across from the Oracle Fire Station. On Saturday, Nov. 22, from noon - 4 p.m., a Grand Opening celebration will be held, full of fun, food, a nature walk and great music. Oracle's Superior friends, Doc and Bernie, will present "Didgeridoo & Flute Music" from 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Ric Volante and Jennifer Rinio will perform their special style of music, 2-3 p.m.

23 Elks Lodge Free Thanksgiving Dinner

On Nov. 23, the San Manuel Elks Lodge will be hosting its 10th Annual Veterans Tri-Community free Thanksgiving dinner, from 1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend and help honor our veterans, who keep this country free and safe.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Home Alone: The Home Alone Pendant offers peace of mind by being able to call for emergency assistance by simply pressing a button. Units are available in San Manuel through TRIAD, funded by the UNITED WAY. Call Jerry at 385-2835 for details.

ON THE AGENDA

MAMMOTH SENIOR CITIZENS: Mammoth Senior Citizens will meet Tuesday evenings at 5 p.m. for a light dinner, games and activities. They also meet Thursdays at noon for lunch and will deliver a Mexican meal to businesses and individuals for a \$5 donation. Meetings are held at the Charles Clark Community Center in Mammoth. Please call Wednesday if you would like a meal delivered on Thursday. For more information or to order, call Nancy at 487-2666 or 520-240-5289 or Wanda at 487-0248. All seniors in the Tri-Community are invited.

COMMUNITY CENTER LUNCHESES: Lunches at the Oracle Community Center are Mondays at noon. Each Monday a volunteer brings the main dish and others bring side dishes. Fee is \$4 for members and \$5 for guests. Membership cards are available during this time.

BRIDGE: Bridge is played at the Oracle Community Center Tuesdays from 12:30-4 p.m. Call Ethel Amator at 896-2197 or Mary McClure at 896-2604 for more information.

SAN MANUEL ROTARY: The San Manuel Rotary meets on Wednesday mornings from 7-8 a.m. at 210 Ave. A, San Manuel, at the Senior Center. The first Wednesday of every month, the Rotary meets from 7-8 a.m. for breakfast at Romo's.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS 12-STEP: NA meetings are held Wednesdays at 6 p.m. at Sun Life in San Manuel. Rear entrance, south facing door. Open meeting. For more information, call San Pedro Valley BH at 520-896-9240.

BOUNTIFUL BASKETS CO-OP: Looking for ways to eat healthier and save money? Check out Bountiful Baskets food co-op! Fresh, high quality produce baskets, approximately half fruit and half vegetable, are offered every other Saturday, here in San Manuel; Lower Arcade, Elks Lodge Breezeway; 139 West 8th Avenue. There are also items available, such as breads and seasonal cases of produce and organic baskets. Distribution will be Saturday, Nov. 22. For more information, or to participate, go to: www.bountifulbaskets.org or call Alicia Allmendinger at 520-345-7305, Tonya Kellam at 520-591-9596, or Deb Mansager at 384-4663, and they would be happy to help you out.

ORACLE FARMERS MARKET: The Oracle Farmers Market can be found every Wednesday from 4-7 p.m. at Sue and Jerry's Trading Post, 1015 W. American Ave., Oracle. For more information, please call 896-9200.

SAN MANUEL SENIOR CENTER: Come to the San Manuel Senior Center for fun times. At 8 am on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, there is an exercise program at the San Manuel Elks. Canasta is held every Wednesday at noon; we will teach you if you don't know how to play. The Red Hat meetings are held at 1 pm every second Friday of the month, for those 50 years of age or up. A potluck luncheon will take place on the second Thursday of each month, at noon. Bring a dish to share. There is a \$1 fee for utilities. Board meetings are held the first Thursday of each month at 6 pm.

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6,943 feet and will likely be reached before Thanksgiving, Richins said. The current progress was made possible by the installation of state-of-the-art ventilation and cooling equipment that ended the suffocating heat that was slowing work, he explained.

Resolution Copper's Superior operation is using the block cave mining method used at more than 20 countries around the world. This method has environmental, safety and cost advantages that make it suited to mining large, low-grade, deep ore bodies that otherwise would not be feasible or economically viable using alternative methods such as open pit or cut and fill, Richins noted.

Panel caving is more efficient than other underground mining methods for this type of deposit and uses gravity primarily to break the rock. It will allow Resolution Copper to mine the most ore while creating the least amount of waste, he added.

The process begins with an initial round of explosives at the bottom of the ore body to break up the rock. Then rock is funneled downward and removed. The void created in the removal process allows gravity to continue forcing the ore body downward. Automated loaders transfer the ore onto trains, where it is transported, crushed, and then conveyed to the surface for additional processing.

Pre-smelter processing will be performed near Superior, Florence Junction and Magma Junction. Current plans

call for shipping the copper ore to a smelter in Utah, though some smelting could be done in Arizona in the future.

Ultimately the Resolution Copper project could create 3,700 jobs in northern Pinal County, Richins said.

Repurposing of Biosphere II towering over SaddleBrooke into the world's largest earth science laboratory also can add to economy of southern Pinal County, said Chris Bannon, director of economic and enterprise development at the University of Arizona.

Current plans call for improving educational and research facilities (including a landscape evolution observatory) on the Biosphere II property and to build a conference center that can be used not only by scientific organizations but also for corporate events, Bannon said. Once these conferences are over, attendees can couple their trips into vacations taking them into Pinal County's Aravaipa Canyon and the White Mountains for hiking, hunting, bird-watching or simply to relax at one of the area's bed and breakfasts.

Scott Bender, Pinal County engineer, gave a progress report on the creation of a North-South Corridor through the county's rapidly growing areas to provide faster highway travel with a link to I-10. An impact statement listing four possible routes to the Arizona Department of Transportation in mid-October with public hearings on the plans scheduled shortly thereafter.

Tim Kanavel, Pinal County economic development program manager, also reported progress being made on Inland Port Arizona, a large railroad hub planned for Picacho near Coolidge. Located east of Highway 87 between Hume Road and House Road, the 1,637 acre facility will serve as a hub where goods arriving at the port of Long Beach, Calif. will be sent by rail car to be assembled into trains according to the goods' ultimate destination.

In the works for nine years, Kanavel is certain the project will get the go-ahead from the state next year as both candidates for governor made the railroad hub a priority project in their campaigns.

Coolidge Mayor Tom Shope also told of how Coolidge is repurposing an old school building ("where I attended elementary school years ago," Shope said) into an Artisan Village. To be redeveloped in stages, the facility will eventually provide work areas for artisans to create their crafts and galleries in which to sell them; places where entrepreneurs can launch new businesses; and flexible classrooms where educational programs and seminars can be staged. The Coolidge Chamber of Commerce also will relocate its offices into the Artisan Village.

Shope added that the Coolidge Center For the Performing Arts (built in 1977) was in the process of upgrading so that it can finally meet its potential as a venue for plays, concerts and performances.

TRI-COMMUNITY CHURCH DIRECTORY

First Baptist Church

103 W. Galiuro, Mammoth

Pastor Joe Ventimiglia
520-405-0510

Sunday Worship – 10:00 a.m.

"The Church on the Hill"

Assembly of God

1145 Robles Rd., Oracle

Pastor Nathan Hogan
520-896-2408

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.

Oracle Church of Christ

2425 El Paseo, Oracle

Fred Patterson
896-2452 • 896-2067

Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

San Manuel Ward • 101 S. Giffen Ave.

Bishop Will Ramsey
520-385-4866

Sunday Morning Meetings:
Sacrament 10 a.m. • Bible Study 11 a.m.
Priesthood, Relief Society Noon

Living Word Chapel

3941 W. Hwy. 77, Oracle

Pastor James Ruiz
896-2771 • www.lwcoracle.org

Saturday Youth Service 6 p.m. (except 5th Sat.)
Sunday 1st Service 9 a.m. • Fellowship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday 2nd Service 11 a.m.
Children & Youth Classes Available for Both Services

Mammoth Assembly of God MammothAG.org

201 E. Kino (& Catalina)/POB 692
Interim Pastor Jerry Morelan
520-487-2219

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. • Worship Service 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m. • Wednesday 6:30 p.m.
(Adult & Children's Services)

We Offer Help, Healing & Hope

Oracle Union Church

705 E. American Ave., Oracle

Pastor Dr. Ed Nelson
520-784-1868

Sunday Bible Study 9 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study Noon
Thursday Prayer Time 11 a.m. to Noon

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The Potter's House

212 Main St., Mammoth

Pastor Ronnie Lujan
520-896-2438

Sunday School 10 a.m. • Morning Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-Week Service 7 p.m.

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Full Gospel Church of God

301 E. Webb Dr., San Manuel

Pastors Michael & Bea Lucero Sr.
520-385-1250 • 520-385-5017

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. • No Evening Service
Wednesday 6 p.m.
Teen Group 3rd Friday of every month at 6 p.m.

First Baptist Church

1st & Nichols, San Manuel

Pastor Kevin Duncan
385-4655

Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m. • Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Discipleship 5 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6 p.m.

Oracle Seventh-Day Adventist Church

2150 Hwy 77, Oracle

Pastor Rick Roy

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

Community Presbyterian Church

McNab & First Ave., San Manuel

Rev. Jeff Dixon
385-2341

Sunday Adult Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m.
Children's Church (3rd Sunday) 11 a.m.
Joyful Music Celebration 4th Sun. 4 p.m. with potluck

To be included in the weekly church listing, call the San Manuel Miner at 520-385-2266.

Public Notice

Notice To Creditors/Jerry D. Fasching aka Jerry Fasching aka Gerald D. Fasching

Trezza & Associates LLC, Stephen M. Trezza, Esq., 4011 E. Broadway Suite 200, Tucson, AZ 85711, (520) 327-4800, (520) 327-4802 Fax, State Bar No. 014682, Attorney for Personal Representative Arizona Superior Court, Pinal County In the Matter of the Estate of: Jerry D. Fasching aka Jerry Fasching aka Gerald D. Fasching, Date of Birth: May 9, 1938 Deceased. Case No. PB201400319 Notice To Creditors Notice Is Hereby Given that Douglas J. Fasching has been appointed Personal Representative of this Estate. All persons having claims against the Estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented by delivering or mailing a written statement of the claim to Stephen M. Trezza, Esq. Attorney for the Personal Representative at The Arizona Law Group Of Trezza & Associates, 4011 E. Broadway Suite 200, Tucson, AZ 85711. Dated this 7th day of November, 2014. /s/ Stephen M. Trezza, Esq., Attorney for Personal Representative.

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Public Notice

Articles Of Organization

1. Entity Type: Limited Liability Company. 2. Entity Name: AMERICAN SELF STORAGE OF APACHE JUNCTION, LLC. 3. Professional Limited Liability Company Services: 4. Statutory Agent for service of process: Statutory Agent Name Paracorp Incorporated, Address 300 W. Clarendon Ave. #230, City Phoenix, State AZ, Zip 85013. 5. Arizona Known Place Of Business Address: Address 1678 West Superstition Highway, City Apache Junction, State or Province AZ, Zip 85120, Country U.S.A. 6. Duration: The LLC's life period will end on this date: December 31, 2044. 7. Manager-Managed LLC. 9. Organizers and Signature: The person signing below declares and certifies under penalty of perjury that the information contained within this document together with any attachments is true and correct, and is submitted in compliance with Arizona law. Organizer: Bente Goodall Millard Signature /s/ Date October 29, 2014. Manager Structure Attachment 1. Entity Name: American Self Storage of Apache Junction, LLC. 2. A.C.C. File Number: 3. Managers / Members: Name Dennis Peterson, Address 146 E. Carrillo Street, City Santa Barbara, State or Province CA, Zip 93101, Country United States, Manager; Name Darren Peterson, Address 146 E. Carrillo Street, City Santa Barbara, State or Province CA, Zip 93101, Country United States, Manager; Name Dennis Peterson, Address 146 E. Carrillo Street, City Santa Barbara, State or Province CA, Zip 93101, Country United States, 20% or more member. Statutory Agent Acceptance 1. Entity Name: AMERICAN SELF STORAGE OF APACHE JUNCTION, LLC. 2. Statutory Agent Name: Paracorp Incorporated. 3. Statutory Agent Signature: By the signature appearing below, the individual or entity named in number 2 above accepts the appointment as statutory agent for the entity named in number 1 above, and acknowledges that the appointment is effective until the appointing entity replaces the statutory agent or the statutory agent resigns, whichever occurs first. The person signing below declares and certifies under penalty of perjury that the information contained within this document together with any attachments is true and correct, and is submitted in compliance with Arizona law. Signature /s/ Printed Name Mary Carson Crittenden Date 10/30/14 Entity as statutory agent: I am signing on behalf of the entity named as statutory agent, and I am authorized to act for that entity.

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Notice Of Publication

Articles Of Organization Have Been Filed In The Office Of The Arizona Corporation Commission For I Name: Precise Contracting LLC L-19-60433-2. II The address of registered office is: 3732 S Pearl Rd, Casa Grande AZ 85193. The name and address of the Statutory Agent is: Kevin W Clark, 23808 S 150th St Chandler AZ 85249. III Management of limited liability company is reserved to the members. The names and addresses of each person who is a member are: Danny Louis Noland II, 3732 S Pearl Rd, Casa Grande AZ 85193, member;

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NOTICE (for publication) ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION HAVE BEEN FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION FOR I. Name: BODYWISE THERAPEUTICS LLC L-1951080-7 II. The address of the known place of business is: 1075 S. Idaho Rd., Ste. 105A, Apache Junction, AZ 85119 III. The name and street address of the Statutory Agent is: Jonathan Richards, 8419 E. Edgewood Ave., Mesa, AZ 85208 Management of the limited liability company is vested in a manager or managers. The names and addresses of each person who is a manager AND each member who owns a twenty percent or greater interest in the capital or profits of the limited liability company are: Jonathan Richards [manager], 8419 E. Edgewood Ave., Mesa, AZ 85208; Julia Richards [manager], 8419 E. Edgewood Ave., Mesa, AZ 85208

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION NONPROFIT CORPORATION 1. ENTITY NAME International Assoc of Safety Health Environmental Professionals ACC File No. 1957593-7 3. MEMBERS The corporation WILL have members. 4. ARIZONA KNOWN PLACE OF BUSINESS ADDRESS: 4.1. Is the Arizona known place of business address the same as the street address of the statutory agent? Yes. 5. DIRECTORS Peggy Sue Podojil, 42562 W. Hall Dr., Maricopa, Arizona 85138; Kristin Freeman, 42562 W. Hall Dr., Maricopa, Arizona 85138; Ray Enama, 42562 W. Hall Dr., Maricopa, Arizona 85138; Paula Pavfosky, 42562 W. Hall Dr., Maricopa, Arizona 85138. 6. STATUTORY AGENT Peggy Sue Podojil, 42562 W. Hall Dr., Maricopa, Arizona 85138. 7. INCORPORATORS Peggy Sue Podojil, 42562 W. Hall Dr., Maricopa, Arizona 85138. SIGNATURE – By checking the box marked "I accept" below, I acknowledge under penalty of perjury that this document together with any attachments is submitted in compliance with Arizona law. I ACCEPT /s/ Peggy Sue Podojil 10/2/2014 STATUTORY AGENT ACCEPTANCE 1. ENTITY NAME International Assoc of Safety Health Environmental Professionals ACC File No. 1957593-7 3. STATUTORY AGENT NAME Peggy Sue Podojil 3.1. The statutory agent is an Individual (natural person). STATUTORY AGENT SIGNATURE By the signature appearing below, the individual or entity named in number 3 above accepts the appointment as statutory agent for the entity named in number 1 above, and acknowledges that the appointment is effective until the entity replaces the statutory agent or the statutory agent resigns, whichever occurs first. By checking the box marked "I accept" below, I acknowledge under penalty of perjury that this document together with any attachments is submitted in compliance with Arizona law. I ACCEPT /s/ Peggy Sue Podojil 10/2/2014 Individual as statutory agent: I am signing on behalf of myself as the individual Attachment to Articles of Incorporation of INTERNATIONAL ASSOC OF SAFETY HEALTH ENVIRONMENTAL PROFESSIONALS Said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under the section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The business activity for said organization is as follows: To provide consulting and general industry and construction safety/osha training. No part of the net earnings of this organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporations shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth herein. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Upon the dissolution of this corporation, assets remaining shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the organization is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

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Articles Of Organization Have Been Filed In The Office Of The Arizona Corporation Commission For I Name: AJ's Heating & Cooling, LLC. L-19-57176-5. II The address of registered office is: 1063 Sycamore Dr, Oracle AZ 85623. The name and address of the Statutory Agent is: Castulo Alberto Jaramillo, 1063 Sycamore Dr Oracle AZ 85623. III Management of limited liability company is reserved to the members. The names and addresses of each person who is a member are: Angel Blanca Jaramillo, Po Box 5315, Oracle AZ 85623, member; Castulo Alberto Jaramillo, Po Box 5315, Oracle AZ 85623, member.

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NOTICE (for publication) ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION HAVE BEEN FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION FOR I. Name: D & W Holdings LLC L-1952480-1 II. The address of the known place of business is: 1357 S. Idaho Rd. Apache Junction, AZ 85119 III. The name and street address of the Statutory Agent is: Dana Higginbottom 1357 S. Idaho Rd. Apache Junction, AZ 85119 Management of the limited liability company is reserved to the members. The names and addresses of each person who is a member are: Woodrow Higginbottom 1357 S. Idaho Rd., Apache Jct., AZ 85119 member Dana Higginbottom 1357 S. Idaho Rd., Apache Jct., AZ 85119 member

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DARK SKIES

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received the designation,” said Weasner.

The Arizona State Parks department plans to give high priority to dark skies at its 30 State Parks and Natural Areas, and applying lessons learned in the Oracle application toward the goal of many more IDA designations in Arizona.

Executive Director Bryan Martyn said, “Arizona State Parks’ conservation efforts are an important part of the agency’s mission. We are excited to have Oracle State Park designated as a dark sky park and hope to see many more parks added.”

IDA established the International Dark Sky Places conservation program in 2001 to recognize excellent stewardship of the night sky. Designations are based on stringent outdoor lighting standards and innovative community outreach. Since the program began, eight communities, 20 Parks and nine Reserves have received International Dark Sky designations. For more information about the International Dark Sky Places Program, visit

<http://www.darksky.org/international-dark-sky-places/about-ids-places>.

The International Dark Sky Association, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization based in Tucson, Arizona, advocates for the protection of the nighttime environment and dark night skies by educating policymakers and the public about night sky conservation and promoting environmentally responsible outdoor lighting. More information about IDA and its mission may be found at <http://www.darksky.org>. For more information about Oracle State Park call (520) 896-2425 or visit AZStateParks.com/parks/ORAC. For information about all 27 Arizona State Parks, the Trails and Off-Highway Vehicle Programs and State Historic Preservation Office call (602) 542-4174 or visit AZStateParks.com. Campsite reservations can be made online at AZStateParks.com or by calling the Reservation Call Center at (520) 586-2283. Open 7 days a week, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. MST. Follow AZStateParks on Twitter and Facebook.

DRY HEAT

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across a couple of articles which talked about the incidents and the new Oracle Neighborhood Watch group with comments by its chief organizer Ron Thompson. It probably wasn’t a coincidence. Sheriff Babeu wants Oracle to be a pilot program for a new phone App security system tied in with the Neighborhood Watch. The App is known as Ice BlackBox. It is available to the public now and you do not have to be a member of a neighborhood watch. It is an interesting system but has some potential for misuse.

Ron Thompson was one of the organizers of the protest of the unaccompanied Central American minors that Babeu announced were coming by bus to the Sycamore Canyon Academy back on July 15. Oracle and the protesters made the national news.

In the articles Thompson says that he decided to form a watch group that would keep an eye on activities at the Sycamore Canyon facility. He even talked about setting up “Operation Silent Vigil” which would involve an observation point tower where the watch group could observe the Academy 24/7. Thompson also talked about a staff member at the Sycamore Academy telling him there were two members of the gang MS-13 at the school. Nothing like stirring up a little fear and loathing to help increase membership in the local Neighborhood Watch.

I have nothing against a responsible neighborhood watch group but does Oracle

really have that bad of a crime problem and do we need a watch group that is led by individuals with a political? Does Oracle need to be a divided community? How will this impact people and businesses wanting to move to the area? Do we want to be known as a community of compassion and caring or one that promotes fear and hate? **Author’s Note:**

I have been given the opportunity to express my opinion and viewpoints on politics, national, state, and local issues as well as life in general. I hope to inform you as well as entertain you, make you smile or make you mad. I will use humor, sarcasm and occasionally anger to express my views. My intention is to hold politicians accountable sometimes bringing some heat on them and if my views make you angry or hot, remember that like my humor, it is a dry heat. These opinions are entirely my own and do not reflect the views of Copper Area News Publishers.

Editor’s Note:

Mr. Hernandez is a columnist and a reporter. We believe he is bringing more lively editorial content to the San Manuel Miner. In agreement or against, readers are encouraged to respond digitally (Facebook or website) or via letter to the editor. Readers have always had the option to submit Letters to the Editor. We always welcome more viewpoints in the paper.

Public Notice

NOTICE OF THE FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF GEN III FARMS, LLC Pursuant to, and in accordance with, Arizona Revised Statutes Section 29-635(C), notice is hereby given that the Articles of Organization of Gen III Farms, LLC, an Arizona limited liability company have been filed by the Arizona Corporation Commission. The following information is included in such Articles of Organization: 1. The name of the limited liability company is Gen III Farms, LLC L-1960335-1. 2. The address of the registered office of the limited liability company and the name and business address of the agent for service of process are: Registered Office: 2035 N. Overfield Road Casa Grande, AZ 85194 Mailing Address: 2035 N. Overfield Road Casa Grande, AZ 85194 Statutory Agent: Don A. England Jr. 2035 N. Overfield Road Casa Grande, AZ 85194 3. Management of this limited liability company is vested in the members. The name and mailing address of each person who is a member of the limited liability company at the time of its formation is: David S. Dugan 2035 N. Overfield Road Casa Grande, AZ 85194 Don England 8476 W. Klock Road Casa Grande, AZ 85194 Dated this 21 day of October, 2014. /s/ Don England /s/ David S. Dugan

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**File No. WVUCU v Fabian, Norman
Notice Of Trustee's Sale**

For sale information, please contact: www.mkconsultantsinc.com or 877-440-4460 Recorded: 11/5/2014 The following legally described trust property will be sold, pursuant to the power of sale under that certain Deed of Trust dated July 27, 2009 and recorded on July 31, 2009 in Instrument or Sequence Number 2009-078583, in the records of Pinal County, Arizona, at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Main entrance to the Superior Court Building, 971 N Jason Lopez Circle, Building A, Florence, Arizona, on Tuesday, February 10, 2015, at the hour of 11:30 A.M. of said day: See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference is made a part hereof. Tax Parcel Number: 307-07-2160 Original Principal Balance: \$66,800.00 Purported street address: 123 S Ave A San Manuel, AZ 85631 Take note that all interests in the trust property subordinate in priority to said Deed of Trust may be subject to being terminated by the Trustee's Sale. Beneficiary: Vantage West Credit Union PO Box 15115 Tucson AZ 85708-0115 Dated: November 3, 2014 Norman R. Fabian, an unmarried man 10701 N La Reserve Dr Apt. 302 Oro Valley AZ 85737 Norman R. Fabian, an unmarried man 123 S Ave A San Manuel, AZ 85631 Original Trustor The Successor Trustee qualifies as a Trustee of the Trust Deed in the Trustee's capacity as a member of the State Bar of Arizona, as regulated by the State Bar of Arizona, as required by Arizona Revised Statutes Section 33-803, Subsection A. /s/ Howard A. Chorost, a member of the State Bar of Arizona, Successor Trustee 21 East Speedway Boulevard Tucson, Arizona 85705 (520) 792-0011 State Of Arizona } County Of Maricopa } ss. This instrument was acknowledged by Howard A. Chorost, a member of the State Bar of Arizona, Successor Trustee, who executed the foregoing on November 3, 2014, who is personally known to me and has executed aforesaid instrument. /s/ Carter Kyle Notary Public My Commission Expires: March 27, 2018 Exhibit A Lot 4, Block 6 of Amended Plat Of The Original Townsite Of San Manuel, a subdivision of Pinal County, Arizona, according to the plat of record in the office of the County Recorder in Cabinet B, Slide 6; Except all gas, oil, metals and mineral rights as reserved to the State of Arizona in the Patent to said land.
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**Notice To Creditors For Publication/
The Noble Living Trust**

Notice Is Hereby Given that Rhonda Stone, Licensed Fiduciary (#20328) has accepted her appointment as Successor Trustee of The Noble Living Trust, Dated November 22, 1999. All persons having claims against the Trust Estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented by delivering or mailing a written statement of the claim indicating the information prescribed in A.R.S. §14-3804 for the presentation of claims to Rhonda Stone, Licensed Fiduciary (#20328), the Successor Trustee at 4949 E. Placita Alisa, Tucson, Arizona 85718. Dated this 25th day of October, 2014. /s/ Rhonda Stone, Licensed Fiduciary (#20328), 4949 E. Placita Alisa, Tucson, Arizona 85718, Successor Trustee.
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Public Notice

**Trustee Sale No: 14-31106
Notice Of Trustee's Sale**

Recording date: October 29, 2014 The following legally described trust property will be sold, pursuant to the power of sale under that certain Deed of Trust and Assignment of Rents (if applicable) dated February 2, 2010, and recorded on February 10, 2000 in Instrument Number 2000-006250, Records of Pinal County, Arizona at public auction to the highest bidder at the main Entrance of the Pinal County Courthouse, 971 Jason Lopez Circle, Building A, Florence, AZ on January 28, 2015 at 11:00AM of said day: Legal Description As Describ Ed In The Deed Of Trust: Lot 64, Hidden Valley Estates Unit Eleven, according to Book 14 of Maps, Page 131, records of Pinal County, Arizona. Correctly And Properly Described As: Lot 64, Hidden Valley Estates Unit Eleven, according to the plat of record in the Office of the County Recorder of Pinal County, Arizona recorded in Book 14 of Maps, Page 13, records of Pinal County, Arizona. The street address is purported to be: 53669 W. Clearview Road Maricopa, AZ 85122 Tax Parcel Number: 501-46-0640 Original Principal Balance: \$ 10,000.00 Name and address of original Trustor: Alvin Martzolf, an unmarried individual 9738 N. Warren Road Maricopa, AZ 85239 Name and address of the Beneficiary: Fred Patterson, a Widower P.O. Box 16132 Phoenix, AZ 85011 Name and address of Trustee: Western Regional Foreclosures, LLC One West Deer Valley Road Suite 103 Phoenix, AZ 85027 The bidding deposit check must be in the form of a Cashier's Check made payable to Western Regional Foreclosures, LLC. Third party checks will not be accepted. Conveyance of the property shall be without warranty, expressed or implied, and subject to all liens, claims or interest having a priority senior to the Deed of Trust. The Trustee shall not express an opinion as to the condition of title. Trustee's Phone number: 623-581-3262 Sale Information: www.westernregionalforeclosures.com Dated: October 29, 2014 Western Regional Foreclosures, LLC, an Arizona limited liability company, Successor Trustee By: /s/ Susan S. Bouchard, Designated Broker Manner of Trustee Qualification: Real Estate Broker Name of Trustee's Regulator: Arizona Department of Real Estate State Of Arizona } ss. County Of Maricopa } On October 29, 2014, before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Susan S. Bouchard, Designated Broker, Western Regional Foreclosures, LLC personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument. Witness my hand and official seal. My commission expires January 5, 2018 /s/ Tina Biskupiaki Notary Public
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- **3 bedroom, 2 bath** manufactured home on 1.25 acres. \$64,500
- **3 bedroom, 2 bath single wide**, lots of trees, very secluded, views. 1.07 ac. \$71,000
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- **Great views**, 2832 sqft, 3 bedroom, 4 bath, open kitchen with storage island, pantry, 3 stall horse barn with concrete floors with electric and hay storage, tack room, 3.32 ac. \$375,000
- **Beautifully finished custom** Santa Fe, over \$150,000 in upgrades, guest quarters, 12' high ceilings, granite counters, 3 car garage, 1.27 ac. \$415,000
- **Amazing 2223 sqft** 4 bedroom, 2 bath, open floor plan, bonus room off kitchen, screened in porch on 1.37 acres. \$275,000
- **Very cozy home** with two fireplaces and guesthouse on almost half an acre! 3 bdrm, 3 ba. \$160,000
- **Oracle Charmer** on 1.78 acres, 3 bed, 1 bath covered in oaks. \$195,000

- **Nestled among the trees** 1684 sq ft 3 bed, 2 bath, light and bright great room with large dining area, large bonus room can be 4th bedroom. \$182,500
- **Immaculate home** feels like new! Hilltop location, incredible mountain views & sunsets. 1867 sq ft, 3 bed, 2 bath, open floor plan. \$219,900
- **Great views, dream kitchen** with 6 burner professional gas range with electric oven and much more, a cook and entertainers dream, open floorplan with lots of natural light, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1989 sq. ft. with enclosed Arizona Room. \$297,500.
- **Mountain views 4 bed**, 2 1/2 bath, 2,404 sq. ft. plus a 1,244 sq. ft. basement, 34 x 27 detached garage on 6.85 ac. \$449,000.
- **Charming** 3 bed, 2 bath home with 2 car garage on large private lot, new ceramic tile, new stove, microwave & dishwasher. \$145,000
- **3 bedroom, 2 bath** spacious living area, tile floor & fenced backyard. \$132,000

Oracle Listings - Homes

Oracle-Land

- **1.62 ac. on paved road** with utilities at the lot line in homes only location. \$75,000.
- **4 view lots**, nice views, custom home area, boulders and trees, owner may carry. \$72,000.
- **4 beautiful 1 ac home sites**, owner may carry, utilities at lot line. \$62,000.
- **2.5 ac land, borders state land**, build your custom home, utilities at street. \$140,000
- **Three 3.3 ac. off Linda Vista** starting at \$129,900.
- **Best priced 5 AC in Oracle**, beautiful views, electric and water at the lot line, home or mobile, horse property, can be split. \$42,500
- **.49 ac commercial lot on American Ave.** in Oracle, excellent location with good traffic for a business. \$92,000.
- **Choose your own parcel** from 1.25 to 3.75 ac., flat, easy to build on, utilities at street. \$79,900 to \$199,000.
- **.71 ac horse property**, can be split. Great hilltop views. \$89,000
- **Best views in Oracle!** Come check out this 2.5 ac parcel nestled in very desirable custom home area. \$55,000.
- **4 lots**, custom home area, submit offers. 2 at \$32,000, \$45,000 or \$75,000.

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- **Lovely 3 bdrm**, 1 bath with like new cabinets, carpet & upgraded appliances. Must see! \$71,900.
- **DRASTICALLY REDUCED - Charming home** on 40 AC home and well is solar powered, beautiful views, horse property, can be split. \$249,900.

Surrounding Area

- **4 ac in the Redington area**, Mesquite trees, views, private well & septic. \$54,000.
- **Great lot for MH or site built homes**, located 10 mi. from Oracle Jct, 3.34 acres, very affordable with electric at lot line. horses allowed. \$29,900
- **Great mountain views from this 3.75 ac.** south of Mammoth. \$39,000.
- **3 bedroom, 2 bath on corner lot**, fenced \$16,900.
- **2 view lots**, city water, sewer, paved roads, make an offer on both lots, and owner will make you a deal. \$7,000 each.
- **Beautiful views of the Galiuro Mountains**, lots of vegetation & large Saguaro. \$10,000
- **4 lots with great mountain views**, lots range from .34 to .60 ac. Lot 2 is \$12,500, other lots are \$14,500.
- **.84 ac, can be split**, has two building sites, saguaro and view. \$99,000
- **Secluded area** with great views, being sold as is for value of 1.3 acres. \$39,000.
- **2 large buildings**, 6,400 sq. ft., living quarters, office space, bathrooms, enclosed patios. \$75,000
- **3-lots to choose from**. Hill top views shared well, horse property, leveled off areas for home sites. Two lots \$50,000 each & one lot \$70,000.

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- **624 5th Ave.**
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- **304 Avenue B**
3 bedroom, 1 bath w/garage. Fenced yard. Includes appliances. Must see to appreciate the view! \$63,000
- **314 McNab Pkwy.**
2 bedroom, 1 bath. Updated kitchen, all appliances and A/C. \$65,000
- **303 4th St.**
3 bedroom, 1 bath. **Sale Pending** Refinished kitchen, new counters and refrigerator. Chain link fence. Great mountain views. \$86,000
- **219 Avenue B**
3 bedroom, 1 bath. All new kitchen with appliances, flooring, upgraded bathroom, new A/C & furnace. Laundry room. \$74,500
- **202 Douglas Ave.**
3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath. Beautiful home with tile roof on corner lot. Block wall, patio. Family room w/ breakfast bar. New bathrooms. A/C, appliances & much more! ~~\$414,900~~ Reduced \$92,500
- **615 Webb Dr.**
3 bedroom, 1 bath. Enlarged living room with fireplace. Remodeled kitchen and bath. Beautiful lush green yards. Extra storage. Block wall and much more! \$89,900
- **116 Douglas**
3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath on large corner lot. Add'l family room w/ dual fireplaces, 2 car garage, all appliances. Must see! \$90,000
- **237 Avenue B**
2 bedroom, 1 bath. New metal roof, carpet & vinyl flooring. Great view. \$29,900

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Clowns can preach the Gospel too



Sara and Jeff Dixon or, rather their clown personalities, took over the church service Sunday at Community Presbyterian Church in San Manuel.

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On Sunday the Community Presbyterian Church in San Manuel was the scene of a “Children’s Worship” which include balloons, gospel magic, songs, skits and clowns. It is all part of a plan by the church to engage children and make the service entertaining for them while teaching them that “God loves them.”

Young kids often get lost or bored during regular church sermons, explained Pastor Jeff Dixon. “We try to make it fun for them and entertain the kids with a religious message,” he said. “We explain Bible passages in a simple way that kids can understand.”

This week’s sermon was “What Are We Thankful For?” When the Pastor asked that question, one young girl stood up and said, “having a family that loves us.”

Pastor Dixon and his daughter Sara dressed up like clowns. They performed a Thanksgiving skit with the kids, sang songs, and everyone including adults had fun.

Pastor Dixon used balloons to make a large banana and two monkeys to teach the kids about sharing and helping others. He tied it into Thanksgiving and cans of food that had been collected by the church and will be distributed to the local community food bank.

The Children’s Worship is held every third Sunday at 11 a.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. The more kids the merrier. The Community Presbyterian Church is located at 801 McNab Pkwy. in San Manuel.

SERVICE SALUTE

Gordon-Martin completes basic training

SPC Theodore Michael Gordon-Martin of San Tan Valley, AZ completed Army Basic Training and Infantry Training at Fort Benning, GA in May 2013 after graduating with the first graduating class for Combs H.S. in May of 2012. He is now with the 4th Brigade 10th Mountain Division at Fort Polk, Louisiana.

He will continue his education and training with plans to move up in the ranks and re-enlisting in October of 2015.

Theo’s parents are Pete and Tiffani Chavira of San Tan Valley (formerly San Manuel) and he is a great role model to five younger brothers and two younger sisters. He



Theodore Michael Gordon-Martin

recently married the lovely Jennie Valenzuela of Oracle.

Theo’s family is proud of his accomplishments and grateful for his sacrifice and commitment to serving our great country.

