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"There are numerous countries in the world where the politicians have seized absolute power and muzzled the press. There is no country in the world where the press has seized absolute power and muzzled the politicians"

—David Brinkley

OBITUARIES**Gladys Mae Martinez**

Gladys Mae Martinez, 78 years old, passed away peacefully on Friday, Jan. 7, 2022, at her home in Kearny, AZ, surrounded by her family. Gladys was born to Jewel and Leona Stephens on Sept. 8, 1943, in Tucson, AZ.

Gladys moved to Springerville, AZ at the age of 13, where she met Antolino T. Ballejos. They were married on May 30, 1959. They lived in St. Johns and Flying C until they moved to Winkelman in 1967. Gladys and Antolino raised 7 kids together until their divorce in 1993.

Gladys remarried in 1999 to Richard M. Martinez for 12 years until his death on Dec. 21, 2011.

Gladys worked for Curtis Jackson for many years before she went to work for Asarco until she retired in August

2005.

Gladys is preceded in death by her mom, dad and her son, Jenaro P. Ballejos. She is survived by her children, Charlotte (Frank) Castro, Arlene Ballejos, Laura (Jesus) Ortega, Veronica (Marty) Rios, Merlinda (Thomas) Cabrera and Antolino A. Ballejos. She also leaves behind 22 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren with one on the way.

A memorial service for Gladys will be announced at a later date.

**Thomas 'Tommy' H. Navarro**

Thomas "Tommy" H. Navarro, a husband, Marine, brother, father, uncle, Tata "Tats", and a lifelong resident of Superior, AZ, went home to his Lord on Jan. 3, 2022.

Thomas "Tommy" was born Aug. 26, 1946, in Ray, AZ to the late Joe S. and Jessie V. Navarro. Tommy was a Ray High School graduate, Class of 1966.

Shortly after graduation, he enlisted to the United States Marine Corps in September 1966, where he became an Aircraft Mechanic. He received the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Campaign Medal w/device, Rifle Sharpshooters Badge, Vietnam Service Medal, and Good Conduct Medal 1st Awd. After his service he married the love of his life Yolanda (Corral) and both began their beautiful journey of life and family by creating a family of five that grew into 22 with the 23rd on her way.

Dad – We will always remember that special smile, that

HUGE caring heart, your warm hugs that you would always give us. You always being there for Mom and us, through good and bad times, no matter what. We will forever remember you Dad because you can never be replaced. We will forever cherish the love you had for us and the love we have for you. We love you DAD, Rest in Paradise!

Tommy is survived by his wife, Yolanda (Corral); his children, John (Melissa), Melissa (Johnny) and Vivian (Eric); 11 grandchildren; six great grandchildren with one on her way; his siblings, Ida Serrano, Anna (Jimmy) Bojorquez and Louis (Carmen) and many nephews and nieces. He is preceded in death by his father Joe S. Navarro, mother Jessie V. Navarro, brother Joe V. Navarro, his In-laws Claudia and Manuel Sandoval and brother-in-law Albert Serrano.

A visitation is scheduled from 10 a.m. to noon on Jan. 14 at Superior Funeral Home followed by a Graveside Service with Military Honors at Fairview Cemetery at 12:30 p.m.

Salvador 'Lole' Perez

Salvador "Lole" Perez, age 86, passed away Dec. 29, 2021, surrounded by loved ones. Salvador was born on Dec. 9, 1935, in Alpine/Terlingua, TX, to Pablo and Josepha Perez. Throughout his life he lived in Texas, California, and Arizona. He worked as a Caterpillar truck driver for 35 years at Asarco Ray and retired. He was skilled in carpentry, plumbing, and electrical. He enjoyed upgrading his houses after work and on his days off.

He believed in education and working hard. He was an avid reader, always educating himself on current affairs. He encouraged his children to further their education and instilled a good work ethic into his children. He was always there when his family needed him. Family was

most important to him.

Salvador was a generous and loving father, brother, and uncle. His presence is greatly missed. He is survived by his wife, Gloria; two sons, Robert (Yvonne) and Andrew; his two daughters, Gina (Jeff) and Rebecca (Billy); grandchildren, great grandchildren, sisters, and brother, along with many nieces and nephews.

Services for Salvador were held Monday, Jan. 10, 2022, at Superior Funeral Home. He was laid to rest in Fairview Cemetery.



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OBITUARIES

Richard 'Dick' Phelps



Richard "Dick" Phelps, a near-lifetime Arizona resident and respected Oracle Ford owner, passed away on Dec. 16, 2021. The cause of his death is unknown, but the family believes he took an early morning

walk, perhaps searching for his cherished, long-lost F-150 truck, and passed peacefully along the way. He was 94 years old.

Dick was born on Jan. 25, 1927, in Obregon, Mexico, to Morris Calvin Phelps and Carmen Tamayo. When Dick was a very young child, his father contacted tuberculosis, so the family moved to Tucson where Morris sought care at the Veteran's Hospital. Shortly after the move, Morris passed away. Dick was just two years old at the time, leaving young Carmen with two young children in her care. Carmen then married Oscar Phelps, Dick's uncle. Together, they had Winnie Phelps, Dick's youngest sister. Tragedy hit again when Carmen passed of appendicitis when Dick was four years old. Oscar was working for the prison in Florence, Arizona and was unable to care for two young children and a 17-month-old baby. So, Dick, Anita, and Winnie were moved to Lehi (Mesa), Arizona to be cared for by relatives. Dick's aunt, Hazel Phelps Menhennet, ended up raising them, along with her own five children. This was a struggle, especially during the Depression.

Dick served in the Army as part of the Post War Army Occupation of World War II in Munich, Germany, and was discharged

honorably in January of 1947. Utilizing the GI bill, he graduated from Arizona State University in 1951 with a degree in English. During college, he stumbled upon the used car business as a way to make a living. This experience led him to many years of working for Read Mullan Ford in Phoenix. Dick decided he would prefer to be the "captain of his ship" and gambled everything he had plus a borrowed sum to become a Ford Dealer in Kearny, Arizona in 1966. Later, in 1979, he purchased San Man Ford in San Manuel, which was relocated to Highway 77 and renamed Oracle Ford, still in operation today. Dick has always been admired as an honorable, passionate, and capable new and used car dealer.

Dick was a man who enjoyed working hard and playing hard with his wife Loy, his children and his friends. Dick loved spending time four-wheeling in Arizona and Mexico, and never shied away from a challenging trail. During his 30 years of living in Kearny, he also enjoyed riding horses and flying his small aircraft. Dick was a strong father figure and a devoted husband, and had many lifelong friends. He was known for his intelligence and command of the English language. His motto was "age is a state of mind." Dick enjoyed his nightly Dewar's Scotch and club soda until the end and attributed this ritual to his longevity. He lived life unafraid, adventurously, and with integrity.

Dick Phelps is survived by his beloved wife and soulmate of 67 years, Loy Phelps; his two children, son Richard Markham Phelps and spouse Jacque Phelps, and daughter Patrice Phelps Ross; his youngest sister, Winnie Phelps; and grandchildren, Rosalind Prather

and spouse Bryan Prather, Raquel Williams and spouse Vlad Williams, Richard Phelps, Matt Phelps and spouse Demi Phelps, and Brooke Gladden and spouse Clint Gladden. In addition, he is survived by four great-granddaughters, Kiley Prather, Brynley Prather, Iris Williams, and Capri Phelps. He was preceded in death by his oldest sister, Anita Phelps Theemling.

Our mother Loy misses you terribly but wants you to know that you were the one and only love of her life, a strong provider, and a fun companion with whom she shared many treasured memories.

Rest in Peace, Dick.

I am the master of my fate; I am the captain of my soul.

William Ernest Henley "Invictus"

The Elks honor the 385th anniversary of the National Guard

Chicago, IL –National Elks President T. Keith Mills recently announced Local Elks Lodges from every state, Guam, Puerto Rico and the Panama Canal Zone congratulates and offers our gratitude on the 385th Anniversary of the National Guard. The local Elks Lodge in Kearny joined in honoring the National Guard.

The National Guard is older than the formation of these United States. They are older than the U.S. Army. They have been called the 'weekend warriors' and 'citizen soldiers', yet they have fought in every major conflict in American history. They are 385 years old, being born on Dec. 10, 1636. In 1636 the Massachusetts Bay colony organized the first units, with males, ages 16 to 60, which were required to join. Then they were called the militia – today they are known as the Army National Guard. In addition to its other duties, the National Guard also works in partnership with 84 other countries training them in military techniques, explosive disposal exercises, medical readiness, and NCO/Officer

development programs. As we celebrate the 385th anniversary of the National Guard, let us give thanks to the men and women who have volunteered to serve their state and their country with courage and dedication, and continue to uphold their motto of, "always ready, always there."

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks has made more than 12 Billion in donations since they first started 154 years ago. Last year alone, the Elks donated approximately \$351 million in cash, gifts and time to make our communities better places to live. The Elks are one of the premier patriotic and charitable organizations in the United States of America.

There are nearly 1,800 Elks Lodges across the country with a total membership of around 800,000. Elk's members must be American citizens who are at least 21 years of age and must believe in God. To learn more and to join us in service, visit www.elks.org. For membership information visit Join.Elks.Org.

Gloria Mae Stambaugh



Gloria Mae Stambaugh passed away peacefully on Dec. 26, 2021, surrounded by family.

Gloria was born to Lawrence Bushell and Irene Payne in Tucson, Arizona on Aug. 6, 1936.

Gloria grew up in Gila Bend, Arizona. She

graduated as the 1954 high school valedictorian. She then attended and graduated from Arizona State University in 1958 from the School of Education. While in college, she met and married William M. Stambaugh, an agronomy major. Gloria followed Bill from farm to farm

until they settled permanently on Aravaipa Creek where they established the San Pedro River farms. They farmed, ranched and raised five children over the next 60 years.

Gloria's teaching career spanned over 20 years in the Mammoth and Kearny elementary and junior high schools.

Gloria is survived by her five children, Debby and husband Dennis DeGraff; Becky and husband Jeff Heller; Billie and husband Gary Deen; Grace and David. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother to 11 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

A graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. on Feb. 11, 2022, at Valley View Cemetery in Mammoth, Arizona.

Kearny Police Report

Items are given to the Copper Basin News by the Kearny Police Department and reflect information available at the time the report is compiled.

Activity listed Dec. 19 – Jan. 1. Dec. 19

Non-injury accident was reported in the area of Alden Rd. and Tilbury Dr.

Dec. 21

Non-injury accident was reported in the 300 block of Greenwich Rd.

Jan. 1

Unlawful flight from the law was reported in the area of MP 145 of Hwy 177.

Calls not listed include: ambulance (27), traffic stop (19), noise disturbance (5), unkempt premises (2), permit violation (1), agency assist (7), citizen assist (12), suspicious subject (1), cattle complaint (2), civil standby (1), suspicious activity (2), 911 hang-up (1), lift assist (1), vacation house check (1), animal complaint (1), domestic disturbance (1) and fireworks (1).

Bearcats post wins over Immaculate Heart, San Miguel; Hayden splits games with Cibecue

By Nathaniel A. Lopez
Copper Basin News

The Bearcats picked up some much needed wins this week and the Lobos had mixed success at their matches. On Jan. 5, the Hayden High School basketball team hosted the Cibecue Wildcats. The Lady Lobos suffered a tough loss from the Wildcats, 8-39. The boys team was

able to close out the night with a victory over Cibecue. The Lobos dominated the Wildcats in the 67-37 point game.

Two days later, the Hayden basketball teams traveled to Tempe Prep to face off against the Knights. The results of the games flip-flopped in comparison to earlier in the week. The boys team was unable to come home victorious, losing to the Knights in a 50-66 final. The girls picked it up, though, and played an extremely close game. The result was a nail biting 31-30 final score, in the Lady Lobos' favor.

The Bearcats and Lady 'Cats had a great week. On Jan. 7, the Ray boys basketball team traveled to Immaculate Heart to take on the Knights. The Bearcats picked it up for this game, coming back from a 1-win-3-loss tournament. The final results of Ray versus Immaculate Heart were close, but the

Bearcats came home with the win, 59-51.

The following day, Jan. 8, both the boys and girls teams hosted the San Miguel Vipers. The day turned out to be a good one for both teams. The Lady Bearcats found

victory over the Lady Vipers in a 32-19 game. The boys team continued their heat from the previous night, resulting in a large win over San Miguel, 61-26.

Up next for Hayden:

On Thursday, Jan. 13, the Lobos will host two teams. The JV and varsity girls' teams will host Lincoln Prep with games at 4 and 5:30 p.m. At 7 p.m., the boys' varsity will host the Miners. On Tuesday, Jan. 18, the teams will be on the road to Superior. JV boys, varsity girls and varsity boys will play against the Panthers at 4, 5:30 and 7 p.m.

Up next for Ray: The 'Cats travel to Superior on Thursday, Jan. 13, to take on the Panthers. JV boys will play at 4 p.m. followed by the girls' varsity at 5:30 and the boys' varsity at 7. On Friday, Jan. 14, all four teams (JV girls/boys and varsity girls/boys) are traveling again, playing Lincoln Prep. Tipoff times are 2:30, 4, 5:30 and 7 p.m. respectively. Tuesday, Jan. 18, they are on the road to San Manuel for 4, 5:30 and 7 p.m. games against the Miners.



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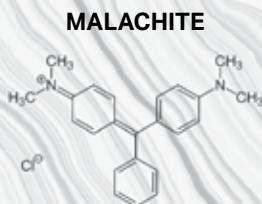
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Mammoth

Carlos Gonzalez
520-487-2219

Domingo: Escuela Dominical 10-10:45 a.m.
Servicio de Alabanza 11 a.m.
Lunes: Servicio de Oracion 6:30 p.m.
Miercoles: Estudio Biblico 6:30 p.m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Kearny Ward
200 Hammond Dr.

Bishop Brian Coleman
Sunday Morning Meetings:
Sacrament 10 a.m.
Scripture Study 11 a.m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

San Manuel Ward • 101 S. Giffin Ave.

Bishop Jim Bingham
520-385-4866

Sunday Morning Meetings:
Sacrament 10 a.m.
Scripture Study 11 a.m.

Church of the Good Shepherd

Bottom of School Hill, Kearny

Pastor Peter Vaught
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www.thegoodshepherd.pbworks.com

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2nd Sunday Miracle Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 6 p.m.

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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.

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First Baptist Church

1st & Nichols, San Manuel

Pastor Kevin Duncan
385-4655

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

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Ministry & Jr. High Youth Groups 10:15 a.m.

Kearny Church of Christ

103 Hammond Dr., Kearny

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Oracle Assembly of God

1145 Robles Rd.
Oracle

Pastor Nathan Hogan

Sunday Prayer 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study for
Adults & Kids 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 Michael Soto

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

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Presbyterian Church of Superior

100 Magma Ave., Superior

520-689-2631

Worship Service Sunday: 10 a.m.
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San Pedro Valley Baptist Church

Dudleyville Road, Dudleyville

Pastor Anthony DaCunha
520-357-7353

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Set Free Church

302 Danbury, Kearny

Pastor Daniel Sostre
480-645-7687

Sunday Service 10 a.m.
Followed by Fellowship Luncheon
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Superior Harvest Church

Hill St. & Stone Ave., Superior

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COPPER CORRIDOR COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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. Desserts by Sissie will also be available for sale. We look forward to seeing you.

Bob Jones Museum Hours

Bob Jones Museum is open on Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from noon - 3 p.m. It will be closed the week of Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's.

Ray Bearcats PTO

Ray Bearcat Parent-Teacher Organization will hold its monthly general meetings on the first Thursday of the month. All meetings will be held at the Ray PTO room at Ray USD, room #604. We are currently seeking new board members for our 2022-2023 fiscal year. Please email us if you would like to become a member, join the board, or have any questions! raybearcatspto@gmail.com. Follow us on facebook for more up to date details!

Hayden Library: At the Movies

Join us at the Hayden Library every Friday at 11 a.m. for a new family movie each week.

COVID-19 Vaccinations Offered at Cobre Valley RMC

Cobre Valley Regional Medical Center is still offering COVID-19 first series and booster vaccinations. Vaccinations will be given on Tuesday and Thursday and you must call 928-402-2888 to make an appointment. The number of unvaccinated COVID-19 patients in the hospital has been on the rise and we encourage everyone, "Choose to be vaccinated." Our Mission is Your Health.

Kearny Magistrate Court Phone Number Change

The Kearny Magistrate Court is upgrading its phone system and the (520) 363-7752 number will be disconnected. The new phone number will be (520) 866-7821 and should be operable by Monday, Dec. 20.

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5 Kearny Senior Citizens Meeting

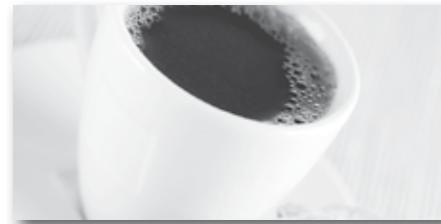
Kearny Senior Citizens is planning to hold a meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 5, at 10 a.m. at the Constitution Hall in Kearny. All Kearny seniors are invited to attend.

12 Fun Van to Visit SM Community Center

Every Wednesday, the Fun Van sponsored by First Things First will be at the San Manuel Community Center 3:15-4:30 p.m. for parents and children ages 1-5.

12 Superior Small Business Meetup

The new year brings excitement and change. The Superior Enterprise Center wants to help you start 2022 in the best possible way. Please join us at our next Superior Small Business Meetup on Wednesday, Jan. 12 from 10 a.m. - noon MST at Superior Town Hall, located at 199 North Lobb Ave. in Superior. You need to register online at <https://content32Fq6Tv> to attend. For more information, contact Arlynn Godinez by email at arlynn@rebuildsuperioraz.org or by phone at 520-827-0433.



15 Mammoth Police: Coffee with a Cop

The Town of Mammoth is proud to present the first of its monthly "Coffee with a Cop" series. Join the Town of Mammoth Police Officers at Las Michoacanas Restaurant at 337 Hwy 77 in Mammoth from 9 a.m. - 10 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 15. Whether you have a concern about something in your neighborhood, want to meet our officers, or just want to say thanks to our officers, please stop by. Coffee is on us (1 cup per person, per visit).

15 Rabies Vaccination/ Licensing Clinic

Pinal County Animal Control will be hosting two Rabies Vaccination and Licensing Clinics on Saturday, Jan. 15. The first will be held in Kearny from 8 a.m. - 10 a.m. at Pioneer Park Ramada, located on N. Emory Rd. and the second will be held in Mammoth from noon - 2 p.m. at Pinal County Bldg., located at 118 S. Catalina St.

16 Evangelist to Preach at SM Church

Evangelist Joe Moreno will be preaching at the San Manuel Assembly of God Sunday morning on Jan. 16, 2022. All are invited. Come and see what God has to say. Service starts at 10 a.m. The church is located on Main Street in San Manuel.

21 Superior Little League Registration

Superior Little League registration for T-Ball, Minors, Majors, Softball and Senior Leagues registrations are scheduled for Friday, Jan. 21, in the High School auditorium from 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. and Wednesday, Jan. 26 at Senior Center from 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. Registration fees are \$55 for the first child, \$45 for second child and \$15 for each additional child in the same household. Make sure to bring birth certificates, medical cards and proof of residency. Visit online at www.facebook.com/Superior-Little-League-AZ-589236317800825/ for more information on registration requirements. Also, coaches and volunteers are needed throughout the season for T-ball, Softball and Baseball. Text Salina at 602-647-0915 for more information.

21 Movie Night in San Manuel: Clifford

Every other Friday is movie night at the San Manuel Community Center. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Movie starts at 7 p.m. A \$2 donation is requested to enter. There will be snacks and drinks available for purchase. The next few movies will be Clifford (PG) on Jan 21, Infinite (PG-13) on Feb. 4 and Sonic the Hedgehog (PG) on Feb. 18.

28 Town of Superior Celebration

Please join us for a celebration to commemorate the Town of Superior's purchase of the original Superior High School and recognition of Mr. Elijah Cardon and our community partners on Friday, Jan. 28 at 98 High School Ave. in Superior, beginning at 10 a.m. Please RSVP by sending an email to: csr@superioraz.gov.

29 Fencing Donation Drive for SM Pet Owners

A donation drive for fencing material to help those in need keep their animals fenced in and safe will be hosted by the San Manuel Revitalization Coalition and Pinal County Animal Control on Saturday, Jan. 29, from noon - 5 p.m. Any fencing or building materials will be appreciated.

29 Community Based Drug Take-Back

The Copper Corridor Community Substance Abuse Coalition in partnership with Superior, Hayden and Mammoth Police Departments and the Pinal County Sheriff's Office, will host a community drug take-back on Saturday, Jan. 29. No needles, inhalers or liquids will be accepted. Times and locations are: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Save Money Market, Superior; Hayden Senior Center; Mammoth Dollar General; and San Manuel Dollar General, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; and Oracle Community Center, 8-11 a.m.

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5 Ray PTO Presents the First Family Feud

Ray PTO presents the first Family Game Event: Family Feud. Survey says: Families will face off on Saturday, Feb. 5, at noon in the Ray Elementary Cafeteria. Minimum group size is 5. Cost is \$30 per group of 5. Prizes will be offered for first, second and third place. Concessions will be available. For more information, email the Ray Bearcats PTO at raybearcatspto@gmail.com.

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DESTANY RAVAE SALAS 407 W. Euclid Ave. Globe, AZ 85501 (928) 723-7890 Pro per Christina Webster, AZCLDP #81598 Arizona Legal EASE, Inc., AZCLDP #80340 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GILA PABLO JESUS SALAS, Deceased. Case No.: PB2021-00158 NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN PROBATE NOTICE IS GIVEN: 1. PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE: DESTANY RAVAE SALAS has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. 2. DEADLINE TO MAKE CLAIMS: 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. A.R.S. §§14-381 through 14-3816. 3. NOTICE OF CLAIMS: To present the claim, claimant must either: a) Deliver or mail a written statement of the claim to the Personal Representative at the following address: DESTANY RAVAE SALAS 407 W. Euclid Ave. Globe, AZ 85501 b) Commence a proceeding against the Personal Representative in the following courts: Superior Court, GILA County, State of Arizona 400 E. Ash Street, Globe, AZ 85501 Dated: 12/29/21 Destany Ravae Salas /s/ DESTANY RAVAE SALAS CBN Legal 1/5/22, 1/12/22, 1/19/22

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FILED DATE AND TIME 12/29/2021 2:45 PM ANITA ESCOBEDO CLERK BY: M. BRANSON Deputy Jared R. Owens, Esq. (27874) THE OWENS LAW FIRM, PLC 200 W. Frontier St., Ste L Payson, AZ 85541 Phone: (928) 472-4303 Fax: (928) 472-1309 info@owenslawfirm.com Attorney for Personal Representative Julie A Barribal SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA FOR THE COUNTY OF GILA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DONALD RAY ZARDENETA, An Adult, Deceased. Case No.: PB2021-00160 NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF INFORMAL APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT: 1. Julie A. Barribal was appointed Personal Representative of this Estate on December 28, 2021, and the notice to the heirs of informal appointment of personal representative was given as required by law. 2. All persons having claims against the Estate who are unknown or known are required to present their claims within (4) months after the first publication of this Notice or after receipt of this Notice by mail or their claims will be forever barred. 3. Claims must be presented by delivering or mailing a written statement of the claim to Julie A. Barribal, Personal Representative, % The Owens Law Firm, 200 W. Frontier St., Ste. L, Payson, Arizona 85541. RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 29th day of December, 2021. THE OWENS LAW FIRM, PLC By /s/ Jared R. Owens Jared R. Owens, Esq. Attorney for Personal Representative CBN Legal 1/5/22, 1/12/22, 1/19/22

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BY THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT AND APPEALS AT 9:00 A.M., ON **JANUARY 27, 2022** AT THE PINAL COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLEX, IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HEARING ROOM, 135 N. PINAL STREET, FLORENCE, ARIZONA, TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION FOR A VARIANCE IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREA OF PINAL COUNTY.
BA-026-21 - PUBLIC HEARING/ACTION: Jeremy Gable, applicant/ landowner, requesting a variance to **Section 2.20.020** of the PCDCS, to allow a reduction in the required rear yard setback from fifty (50) feet to fourteen (14) feet, to accommodate the location of a single family residence due to topography issues, on a 3.39± acre parcel in the (SR) Suburban Ranch Zone, situated in Section 6, Township 10 South, Range 16 East of the G&SRB&M, Tax Parcel 307250160 (legal on file), located about 2 miles south of Arizona State Highway 77, and about half a mile west of East Mount Lemmon Road in the unincorporated Town of Oracle in Pinal County.

Information regarding the case can be found online at: <http://pinalcountyaz.gov/CommunityDevelopment/Planning/Pages/NoticeofHearing.aspx#>

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THIS MATTER MAY APPEAR AT THE HEARING AT THE TIME AND PLACE DESIGNATED ABOVE, AND SHOW CAUSE, IF ANY, WHY THIS PETITION SHOULD NOT BE GRANTED. DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO THIS CASE CAN BE REQUESTED AND ARE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW FROM PINAL COUNTY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT PLEASE CALL (520) 866-6442 FOR MORE INFORMATION. DATED THIS 4th DAY OF **January 2022** /s/ Lester Chow, Community Development Director TO QUALIFY FOR FURTHER NOTIFICATION IN THIS LAND USE MATTER YOU MUST FILE WITH THE PLANNING DEPARTMENT A WRITTEN STATEMENT OF SUPPORT OR OPPOSITION TO THE SUBJECT APPLICATION. YOUR STATEMENT MUST CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- 1) Planning Case Number (see above)
- 2) Your name, address, telephone number and property tax parcel number (Print or type)
- 3) A brief statement of reasons for supporting or opposing the request
- 4) Whether or not you wish to appear and be heard at the hearing WRITTEN STATEMENTS MUST BE FILED WITH: PINAL COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT P.O. BOX 2973 (85 N. Florence St.) FLORENCE, AZ 85132 **NO LATER THAN 5:00 P.M. ON JANUARY 17, 2022** Contact for this matter: Evan Evangelopoulos, Planner e-mail Address: evan.evangelopoulos@pinal.gov Phone: (520) 866-6642 Fax: (520) 866-6530 PUBLISHED ONCE: Florence Reminder/Blade Tribune Copper Basin News San Manuel Miner **MINER, CBN Legal 1/12/22**

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The lockdown continued for nearly two months. When Gov. Ducey finally gave the go ahead to reopen, businesses slowly began the road to recovery. Even those listed as "essential" had a challenge with this economic recovery.

Many small businesses and non-profits in Arizona didn't survive the lockdown. The businesses that did survive are hanging on as best they can. *Copper Area News* wanted to give something back to the local business community as a thank you for supporting us through these troubled times. Our newspapers (*Copper Basin News*, *Superior Sun* and *San Manuel Miner*) have been featuring local businesses and non-profits since the beginning of 2021, encouraging our readers to Shop at Home, stay local and support our local businesses. To date, *Copper Area News* has featured 132 businesses and groups in the Copper Corridor.

The pandemic obviously had a certain impact on everyone and some businesses were affected for a much greater time than others, and many had much more

restrictions. One of those industry sectors was indoor gyms and athletic facilities. For a small town like Kearny, it is a unique community amenity that a private gym exists, let alone survived the pandemic and all of its economic implications.

Terri Gardner is the owner of Terri's Bootcamp, located at 1116 Tilbury, Kearny. Terri has been offering group fitness classes and personal training to the Copper Basin community since October 2019.

"I offer group fitness classes, yoga, and personal training," Terri explained. "Group classes are customized to increase your strength, boost your endurance and shape your body. Personal training allows me to work closely with an individual who has specific goals and maybe even build their confidence to join a group fitness class. My goal as a certified fitness trainer is to meet everyone where they are physically, assist them in accomplishing their goals, ensure they use good form, and doing all this in a fun, positive environment."

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