

Using the Town of Kearny's Ambulance Service

person falls in their driveway. Someone experiences chest pain while working in the yard. In a medical emergency seconds matter. If they go by ambulance, and should their condition change, the ambulance crew can notify the hospital of their condition and the hospital can be ready to help them.

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The Town of Kearny wants to ensure experiences with the ambulance service are beneficial and sustainable for the community. Costs to ensure an ambulance service remains in our town and surrounding areas are calculated into the transportation of a patient. Costs that include state regulated training, equipment, supplies, readiness, mileage, staff and more. In 2016, there were 77 refusals at a total cost to patients of approximately \$91,630. Each year following has increased, with a projected 30% increase in 2019. That is 102 projected refusals at a cost of approximately \$130,458. While you have every right to refuse service, the Town of Kearny wants to prevent high outstanding debts these refused transport patients would be obligated to pay.

When an ambulance is called, the patient will be given paperwork to READ thoroughly and sign. The paperwork states:

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The Town of Kearny's ambulance services from the top of the divide, to Aravaipa and communities in-between, such as, Kelvin, Riverside, Kearny, Hayden, Winkelman, ASARCO (both Ray and Hayden), Piper Springs, Dudleyville, the Apache Sky Casino and Aravaipa. These are great partners and the Town of Kearny ambulance crew is proud to serve such a great area and the residents of Kearny.

Please feel free to call the Kearny Town Hall, at (520) 363-5547, Monday-Thursday from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. if you have any questions.

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--David Brinkley

OBITUARY

Mike Estrada

Mike Estrada, 70, of Kearny, ended a valiant battle with cancer and passed away peacefully in his home on Sunday, Sept. 15, 2019. Mike was born in Ray, Arizona to parents Mike and Adeline (Mendoza) Estrada on Dec. 2, 1948. Mike is preceded in death by his parents, brother Richard and sister Susie.

Mike is survived by his sons, Mike Nikko and Brandon Shane; longtime friend and former wife, Anna Maria; brothers, Robert and Charlie; and sisters, Carol and Sylvia. He also leaves behind 10 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Services for Mike were held at Griffith Mortuary on

Saturday, Sept. 21, 2019. He was laid to rest at Kearny Memorial Cemetery.

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Representatives from the Town of Winkelman, Gila County and the Arizona Department of Transportation last week broke ground to officially signal the start of construction. The bridge is slated to be completed by mid-2021.

Mila Besich I Copper Area News

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REMINDER: Lane restrictions begin Sept. 23 for the SR 77 Gila River Bridge replacement project

Lane restrictions are scheduled to begin Monday, Sept. 23, on State Route 77 in Winkelman as crews install temporary signals for the Gila River Bridge replacement project.

Once the new signals are in place, traffic across the bridge will be restricted to a single lane. The width limit on the bridge during construction will be 15 feet.

Motorists should expect occasional delays, especially during peak traffic hours and during scheduled closures of US 60 west of Miami for the Pinto Creek Bridge replacement project.

In addition to the lane restrictions on SR 77, Quarelli Street will be closed to traffic within the work zone.

The temporary signals will allow crews to rebuild the bridge one lane at a time.

Work is expected to continue into summer 2021.

Drivers should proceed through the work zone with caution, slow down and watch for construction personnel and equipment.

For more information, please visit the project website.

Schedules are subject to change based on weather and other unforeseen factors. For more information, please call the ADOT Bilingual Project Information Line at 855.712.8530 or go to azdot.gov/contact and select Projects from the drop-down menu. For real-time highway conditions statewide, visit ADOT's Traveler Information Site at www.az511.gov, follow ADOT on Twitter (@ArizonaDOT) or call 511, except while driving.

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(Bold Face Denotes Home Games)

Ray 20, Duncan 26

Sept. 27 Hayden

Ray 8, Mogollon 54

Ray 64, El Capitan 26

Ray 54, Lincoln Prep 8

Oct. 4 Arete Prep

Ray 54, NFL YET 20

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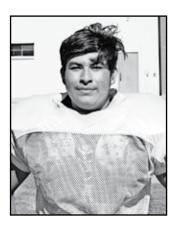
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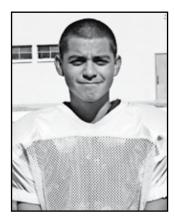
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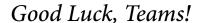
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Hayden wins third-straight, remains undefeated

By Andrew Luberda Copper Basin News

The Hayden football team remained undefeated so far this season after winning its third-straight game, defeating Arete Prep on the road last Friday night, 36 – 30.

"We played well," Lobos head coach

John Estrada told Copper Basin News. "Our team showed a lot of fight and heart. We had to step it up and deal with adversity, which really defined our team. We have a lot of work ahead of us and our kids are up for the challenge."

The Lobos' rushing attack was too much for the Chargers.

Hayden senior running back

Jorge Rodriguez rushed for three touchdowns, including runs of 70, 12 and two yards. Gibby Carmelo, also a senior, added 10 and 13-yard touchdown runs.

"Once again, our line dominated the trenches," Estrada said. "It did one heck of a job."

The Lobos winning streak is on the

line this week, a challenge made more difficult by facing rival Ray in Kearny.

"Rivalry games are always rough," Estrada said. "The better team that night will come out on top. We've work extremely hard for this game. Our boys will be ready."

Up next: At Ray this Friday, Sept. 27. Kickoff is scheduled for 7 p.m.

Short-handed Ray wins third-straight

By Andrew Luberda Copper Basin News

After starting the season with consecutive losses, the Ray football team won its third-straight game by a lopsided margin, defeating El Capitan last Friday night, 64 - 26, despite only 10 players making the trip to Colorado City.

"Our goal was to just get out of El Capitan without any injuries and, of course, the win," Ray assistant coach Jimmy Fessenden told Copper Basin News.

Bearcats' senior quarterback Jayden Lagunas threw for 369 yards and four touchdowns in addition to rushing for 38 yards and a touchdown. Junior Alex Bravo, who finished with seven receptions for 271 yards and four scoring grabs, also threw a touchdown in the win.

Sophomore Tracon Naranjo and senior Erik Manriquez, who also caught four passes for 57 yards and a touchdown, each had a pick-six in the game. The Cats had a total of six interceptions in the game, including a pair by Naranjo and three by junior Johnny Chester. The Ray defense also recovered two fumbles. Bravo, Lagunas, Naranjo, and Johnavon Pace each finished with double-digit tackles.

The Bearcats' winning streak gives them confidence entering their rivalry game with Hayden, the 2019 1A State Runner-

"Our rivalry game with Hayden is always

huge," Fessenden said. "We are fighting to make playoffs, so we are focusing on that rather than the rivalry.

"Hayden has a balanced attack, so we are looking find a way to neutralize that with game-planning. We have the athletes to do just that. We just need to focus and play hard for all four quarters and we will do well."

Up next: Versus rival Hayden this Friday, Sept. 27. Kickoff is scheduled for 7 p.m.



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First hearings held for the Resolution Copper Draft Environmental Impact Statement

The Tonto National Forest conducted the third of five public hearings regarding the Resolution Copper Draft EIS in Kearny on Tuesday, Sept. 17. The fourth hearing was held in Globe on Sept. 19. The public comment period began on Aug. 9, 2019 when the Tonto National Forest released the statement to the public online. This began the 90-day comment period which will end on Nov. 7, 2019.

The hearing started with an hour long sign in period and open house. During the sign in period those wishing to make verbal comments registered and received a number. During the open house members of the Tonto National Forest Staff and SWCA. SWCA is the environmental firm that conducted the the research and studies which are presented in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement.

Following the Open House the Tonto National Forest presented a 15-minute video that explained the process and presented some of the data that was found in the plan. The video can be watched online:http://bit.ly/ResolutionDEIS

The public comment period at the Kearny meeting included comments from young adults from the Town of Queen Creek who asked that the Forest Service consider more regenerative types of growth and to protect the community of Dripping Springs or at least make sure those residents are relocated. Several Superior residents who are members of the Retired Miners and Concerned Citizens coalition spoke on the length of the DEIS. Henry Munoz of Superior asked why the USGS was not consulted in this document. A resident of Dripping Springs expressed his concerns about water in and the the potential losses of water in their area due to the proposed tailings site. One resident of Tucson commented that it was unfair that a public hearing was not held in Tucson regarding the DEIS for Resolution Copper; she is concerned for the loss of sacred land at Oak Flats and other environmental concerns. The hearing in Kearny did not include many comments from the San Carlos Apache Tribal members, however they did attend the public hearing in Globe to express their concerns.

Residents and anyone concerned about the project are encouraged to file their comments to the Tonto National



Folks were encouraged to ask questions at the third hearing on the Resolution Copper Draft Environmental Impact Statement held last week in Kearny.

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Forest. Comments can be mailed in to Resolution EIS Comments, PO Box 34468, Phoenix, AZ 85067-4468 or you may file your comments online at www. ResolutionMineEIS.US. You may also submit your

comments at the final public hearings scheduled for Oct. 8, 2019 at the Queen Valley Recreation Hall, 1478 E. Queen Valley Dr., Queen Valley, AZ. The hearing will begin at 5 p.m. with registration and an open house.

Daily lane closures on the US 60 Pinto Creek Bridge postponed until early October

Daily lane closures on US 60 between Miami and Superior for the Pinto Creek Bridge replacement project have been tentatively rescheduled for Monday, Oct. 7, while pre-construction requirements are completed. The Arizona Department of Transportation will send out an additional lane closure notice before work begins. Full Tuesday/Thursday closures of the Pinto Creek

Bridge are tentatively scheduled to begin in mid-October.

For more information, go to azdot.gov/PintoCreekBridge.

Drivers should proceed with caution, slow down and watch for construction personnel and equipment. Schedules are subject to change based on weather and other unforeseen factors. For more information, please call the ADOT Bilingual Project Information Line at 855.712.8530 or go to azdot.gov/contact and select Projects from the drop-down menu. For real-time highway conditions statewide, visit ADOT's Traveler Information Site at www.az511.gov, follow ADOT on Twitter (@ArizonaDOT) or call 511, except while driving.

THIS 'N THAT

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Hayden Library Open

The Hayden Library has reopened at the Hayden Senior Center. Starting Monday, Sept. 23 Hayden Public Library hours will be 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. on Monday - Thursday. For questions, call Elaine at 928-402-8768.

Reminder for Home Owners

The Town of Kearny would like to remind residents that it's against town code to have an unkempt yard. This also includes open storage on carports or in front of residences, parking or storing inoperable vehicles in other than a fenced rear or side yard, or any other general physical appearance that degrades the beauty of our town. It's time to clean up for the holidays. Thank you for your support.



Food Drive Results

Thank you to all the kind people who supported the food drive at Norm's Grocery Store. 110 bags of food were donated to benefit the Saint Vincent de Paul Society. Your generous support will help families in our community who are going through a difficult time. May God bless you!

OCTOBER

Kearny Fuel Reduction Project

A grant agreement between the Arizona Department of Forestry and Fire Management and the Town of Kearny was entered on Aug. 26. The fuels reduction project will start on Oct. 1 and be completed by Feb. 11, 2020. The project will be completed through mechanical grubbing on Town of Kearny's land parcels. The fuel reduction and treatment plan for this project is the removal and control of the salt cedar. The project is for areas in a high fire danger zone.

5 Help Save Kearny Golf Course

Help save Kearny Golf Course by participating in the 4-Man Scramble format Golf Tournament on Saturday, Oct. 5, at the Kearny Golf Course. Cost is \$45 per person, Skins included Only one A-player per team (handicaps 0-9 = A-player). Shotgun start will be at 8 a.m. Special events are Skins, \$\$\$ Hole, Longest Drive, Longest Putt and Closest to the Pin. Food and drinks will be sold. For more information, contact Vern Karau at 520-827-0938, Bob Lorona at 520-331-9236 or Dave Orzell at 520-904-3327.

5 St. Helen's Fiesta in Oracle

Please stop by on Oct. 5, 2019 for the St. Helen Catholic Parish/Oracle Fall Fiesta. Delicious food, GREAT entertainment, games, raffles, prizes! Visit with people you haven't seen in a while and dance till you drop. We will pick you up! See you there.



6 Lion's Club Breakfast Schedule

The San Pedro Valley Lion's Club will be holding a Sunday Breakfast on Oct. 6, from 7 a.m. - 1 p.m. Then, on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 18 and 19, we will be having our Quail Hunter's Breakfast from 4 a.m. - noon. Everyone can come and have breakfast. The club is located on Main Street in Mammoth.

19 Mammoth Fall Family Fiesta

The Town of Mammoth is hosting its 2019 2nd Annual Fall Family Fiesta, on Saturday, October 19, from noon - midnight at the lower ballfield on Bluebird Ave. and Main St. in downtown Mammoth. Come enjoy spending time with us and your families during this free event.



23 Eagle One Veteran Outreach to Visit

The Eagle One Veteran Outreach Center will be at the Kelly Haddad (Pinal County) Building in Kearny on Wednesday, Oct. 23, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Visit them online at hohp4heroes.org. Eagle One provides veterans a place to learn about and apply for all services available to them.

Submitinformation to CBNSUN@minersunbasin.com or call 520-363-5554. Listings are free. The Copper Basin News reserves the right to edit or refuse submissions. Submissions are due the Friday before Wednesday publication.

ON THE AGENDA

HAYDEN SENIOR CENTER: The Hayden Senior Center, 520 Velasco Ave., is open every weekday, from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., to serve the needs of senior citizens and low-income families. A warm, nutritious lunch is served every day. Call 520-356-7035 for information or to check on the daily meal.

KEARNY SENIOR CITIZENS: The Kearny Senior Citizens group meets every Wednesday at 10 a.m. at Constitution Hall. The group talks about trips to different places in Arizona as well as other subjects. A potluck dinner is held after the social hour on the last Wednesday of the month. New members are needed. Come down and join the group. From May through August, the group meets only on the last Wednesday of the month.

KEARNY LIBRARY HAPPENINGS: Story hour for preschool children is held on Mondays from 10-11:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation for seniors over 50 is held Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30-10 a.m. (use the SW door in the back). Crochet class is held Wednesdays from 1-2:30 p.m. for beginners to advanced (we'll teach you). Ladies Day Out once a month potluck and friendship is held the third Tuesday of the month. Time is noon to 3 p.m. Bring a covered dish to share. There will be activities, games and a craft. The KLAC (Kearny Library Activity Center) is open for kids 8-14 on Fridays from noon to 1 p.m. For more information call 363-5861.

PREGNANCY CARE CENTER HOURS: The Pregnancy Care Center in Winkelman, located at Fourth and Thorne Avenues in Winkelman, is open on Wednesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Men's workshop is held on Thursday from 5-6 p.m. You can call (520) 664-5795 for a confidential appointment.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Kickstarting: Copper Corridor Blight Busters

For the past few years, the communities across the Copper Corridor along with the Copper Corridor Economic Development Coalition and the Southern Gila County Economic Development Corporation have been collaborating on ideas, policies and programs that will help to combat and alleviate blight, abandoned homes and vacancy across the region.

The CCEDC hosted a Rural by Choice Blight Forum that addressed ways to alleviate blight and address policies that actually encourage blight.

A year later the House of Representatives Committee on Land, Agriculture and Rural Affairs met to address some of the issues facing rural communities regarding abandoned properties and tax laws that encourage blight. These forums connected the local governments to the ADEQ Brownfields programs and ACCHES health care property lien division.

The CCEDC has successfully helped many homeowners access USDA 504 home repair grants and loans. Those funds have repaired roofs, installed windows, fixed floors and helped to facilitate over \$150,000 in home repairs across the Copper Corridor. Organizations like Rebuild Superior Inc. have started paint programs for homeowners and each community has

instituted some kind of community clean up program. The synergies have been growing and working together has started to pay off of many of the entities.

The Town of Superior and Gila County have successfully utilized the Brownfields grant program with the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality to clean up properties that have been abandoned. There is a limited amount of Brownfields Funding at the state level and, with great need for blight abatement in the region, the the Towns of Superior, Miami, Kearny, Hayden, Winkelman along with the City of Globe and Pinal and Gila Counties are partnering together to apply for a federal "Regional EPA Brownfields Grant"

The Town of Winkelman hosted the kick off meeting for the Copper Corridor Blight Busters in early September. Each of the entities is expected to sign an agreement letter to join the coalition and sign an MOU. If selected the funding will be used to provide phase one and phase two environmental clean ups on properties throughout the region. Gila County has agreed to the partner agency to manage the grant and administration. The grant will be submitted in December and would be awarded in 2020.



The Blight Busters meet in Winkelman.

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Local church to host special blessing for pets in Kearny, surrounding areas

A special service for the blessing of animals will be held in Kearny on Oct. 4, 4 p.m., next to Old Time Pizza. Good Shepherd United Methodist Church is sponsoring the service for the people of the Copper Basin and the animals they love.

The Rev. Carol Hosler, retired Episcopal priest assisting Jimmy Nelson, pastor of Good Shepherd Church, said, "The Blessing of the Animals is an opportunity for both pets and the people they own to receive God's blessing."

She explained that the date for the event was chosen because Oct. 4 is St. Francis of Assisi Day.

"St. Francis was a 12th century friar in France particularly remembered for his love of God's creation, especially the four-legged creatures, and the birds of the air and the fish of the sea. It is a custom for many people to gather at this time to thank God for the animals who are important in their lives. Good Shepherd is offering this experience as a gift to the people of the Copper Basin and their significant

The citizenry, human and animal, great and small, will gather at 4 p.m. on Alden Street next to Old Time Pizza. There will be a brief time for prayers

pets," Hosler said.

of thanksgiving and then Pastor Carol will bless each animal and its owner.

"The unconditional love we receive from our pets," she said, "is surely something worthy of our thanks as we dedicate ourselves to keep them safe and healthy."

Good Shepherd Church will provide free popcorn to the humans who gather and special treats for the pets.

Public Notice

On February 28, 2019, the Workforce Arizona Council approved the Modification #1 to ARIZONA@WORK Pinal County 2016-2020 Local Workforce Development Plan.

Federal regulations found at 20 CFR § 679.580 outline when a local workforce development plan under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act must be modified. These regulations include the following circumstances:

a. Changes in the financing available to support WIOA title I and partner provided WIOA services; b. Changes to the Local WDB structure

The ARIZONA@WORK Pinal County Local Workforce Development Area Plan 2016-2020 (Local Plan) Modification # 2 is now available for public review and

Reference: Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA), dated July 22, 2014 (P.L. 113-128 Section 108; 20 CFR, Part 603, 651, 652, et. al, Subpart Sections 679.500 and 679.560 of WIOA Final Rules dated August 19, 2016; Workforce Arizona Council Policy 02-2015 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Local Governance dated June 25, 2015.
The Local Plan and Modification #2 may

be reviewed at the following locations: ARIZONA@WORK Pinal County 318 N. Florence Street

Casa Grande, Arizona 85122 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM until 5:00 PM

Pinal County Housing Department 970 N. Eleven Mile Corner Road

Casa Grande, Arizona 85194 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM until 5:00 PM Online Review:

County pinalcountyaz.gov ARIZONA@WORK

County Website: http://www.arizonaatwork.com/

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BY THE PINAL COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION AT 9:00 A.M. ON THE 17th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2019, IN THE PINAL COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER (EOC), BUILDING F, FLORENCE, ARIZONA, TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING REQUESTS FOR MAJOR AMENDMENTS TO AND PEADOPTION AMENDMENTS TO AND READOPTION OF THE 2009 PINAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN: COUNTY

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:
PZ-PA-002-19 – PUBLIC HEARING/
ACTION: Pinal County, pursuant to ARS
11-805, requesting to readopt the 2009
Pinal County Comprehensive Plan,
as amended from time to time & re-title the document the 2019 Pinal County Comprehensive Plan; to include Chapters 1 through 10 and Appendices A through D, for the unincorporated areas

of Pinal County.
PZ-PA-005-19-PUBLIC
ACTION: Pinal County, requesting approval of a Major Comprehensive Plan Amendment to the 2009 Pinal County Comprehensive Plan to amend the text of Chapter 10: Implementation, Plan Amendments "Major Amendments' by adding specific amendment criteria to allow requests for Green Fragge Production Land Use designations, specific to utility scale solar photovoltaic energy production facilities, up to 640 contiguous acres, to be processed as a non-major amendment.

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THIS MATTER MAY APPEAR AT THE PUBLIC HEARING AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE DESIGNATED ABOVE.

DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO THIS CASE CAN BE FOUND ON THE NOTICE OF HEARING PAGE FOR THE P&Z COMMISSION AT:

http://pinalcountyaz.gov/ CommunityDevelopment/Planning/ Pages/NoticeofHearing.aspx#

AT LEAST 24 HOURS PRIOR TO THE HEARING, DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO THESE REQUESTS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION AT THE PINAL COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT. PINAL COUNTY COMPLEX, BUILDING F, 31 N. PINAL STREET FLORENCE. ARIZONA MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY BETWEEN THE HOURS OF AND 4:30PM. 8:00AM

DATED this 18th day of September, 2019. Pinal Development Dept.

Himanshu Patel. Community Development Director FOR FLIRTHER **QUALIFY**

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3) A brief statement of reasons for

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FLORENCE, AZ 85132 NO LATER THAN 5:00 PM ON September 9, 2019.
Contacts for this matter: Steve Abraham

(PZ-PA-002-19)

Sangeeta Deokar (PZ-PA-005-19) Address: steve.abraham@ pinalcountyaz.gov, gilbert.olgin@ Sangeeta.deokar@ pinalcountyaz.gov,

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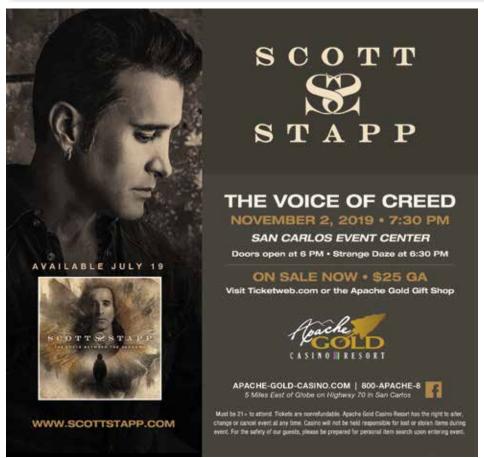
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Cobre Valley Institute of Technology offers programs at CAC Aravaipa Campus for high school students





Students, college officials and CVIT officials are proud of the program now being offered at CAC-Aravaipa.

By John Hernandez

Copper Area News

On Monday, Sept. 9, Central Arizona College Aravaipa Campus held a Start Up reception for the Cobre Valley Institute of Technology (CVIT) Welding program. The three-year welding program offers high school students beginning as sophomores to get a start on becoming certified welders while earning high school and college credits. It is a partnership between local high schools (Superior, Ray, Hayden and San Manuel), CAC Aravaipa and CVIT. Twenty-four students from Ray and Hayden are currently being bused daily to CAC for the class.

Attending the reception were Mike O'Neal, Director of CVIT; Pete Guzman, Superintendent of CVIT; Professor Samuel Colton CAC Aravaipa Campus Faculty; Maria Munoz, CAC Aravaipa Campus Director; James Busch, Workforce Development Director CAC; Jeff Gregorich, Hayden School District Superintendent; Carlos Armendariz,

Principal Ray High School; and the students of the initial CVIT welding program.

The reception included a visit to the welding classroom to meet with students and welding instructor Samuel Colton. Pete Guzman, Superintendent of CIVIT spoke to the students. He told them that when he started the program that he was told they were wasting their time.

"You're the first class. I am commending you. I will be here in the Spring to congratulate you that make it," Guzman

Following the class visit was a tour of the welding shop/lab.

The students in attendance were from Ray High School: Kenny Bailey, Zander Winsor, Alonzo Ruiz-Lopez, Drake Levitt, Christian Day, Nicholas Harmon, Sean Harmon, Eric Manriquez, John Warren, Gilberto Arbizo and Mark Rodriguez.

Hayden High School: Pablo Acuna, Pablo Torrez, Randy Christiansen, Vincente Gallegos, Vincent Cruz, Emiliano Camarena, Diego Rubal, Rene Arbizo and Damion Arbizo.