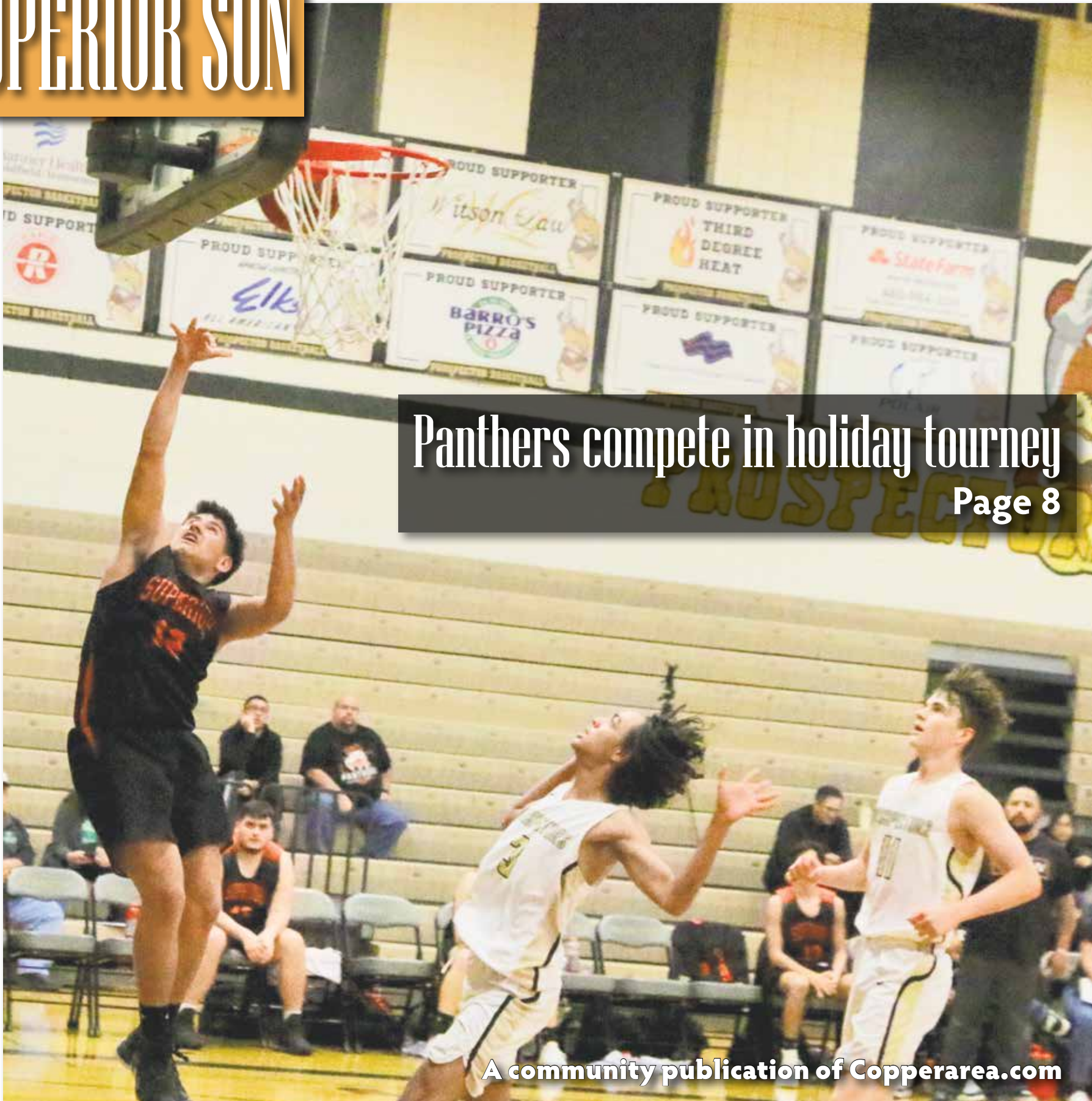


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Panthers compete in holiday tourney

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Superior Police Report

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

**Activity listed Dec. 11-
Dec. 24.**

Dec. 11

Joseph G. Hernandez,
35, Superior, on the report
of unwanted person in the
400 block of Valentine St.,
was charged with failure
to obey court order and
criminal damage. He was

transported and booked
into the Pinal County Jail
in Florence.

Dec. 12

Road rage was reported
in the area of US Highway
60.

Dec. 13

An accident without
injuries was reported in the
800 block of US Highway
60.

Dec. 14

Gabriel A. Robles,
Superior, was charged with
violation of court order in
the 200 block of Magma
Ave. He was transported
and booked into the Pinal
County Jail.

Theft was reported in the
zero block of Pinal Ave.

Dec. 16

Burglary was reported in
the zero block of Pinal Ave.

Accident non-injury
was reported in the area
of Panther Dr. and US
Highway 60

Dec. 18

Violation of court order
was reported in the 1000
block of Western Ave.

Dec. 19

Criminal damage was
reported in the zero block
of Neary Ave.

Attempted break in was
reported in the 300 block
of Neary Ave.

Theft was reported in the
400 block of Main St.

Dec. 20

Daniel R. Alvarado, 57,

Superior, was charged with
burglary in the third degree
in the 400 block of Stone
Ave. He was transported
and booked into the Pinal
County Jail.

Dec. 22

Theft was reported in the
500 block of Porphyry St.
Explosives report made in
the 600 block of Hill St.

Dec. 24

Burglary was reported in
the 200 block of Sunset Dr.
Julie L. Hansen, 46,
Superior, was arrested on
three Superior warrants
in the 1000 block area of
US Highway 60. She was
transported and booked
into the Pinal County Jail
in Florence.

Criminal damage was
reported in the 200 block
of Lobb Ave.

Dec. 11-17 Calls not
listed include traffic (57),
field interview (4), medical
assist (2), agency assist (4),
domestic (1), information
(1), trespassing (2), animal
problem (1), welfare check
(2), motorist assist (1),
unknown emergency (1),
disorderly conduct (1),
abandoned vehicle (1),
attempt to locate (1) and
reckless driving (1).

Dec. 18-24 Calls not
listed include parking
violation (1), traffic (35),
agency assist (5), alarm
(2), attempt to locate (3),
information (4), welfare

check (6), suspicious
vehicle (3), medical assist
(6), neighbor problem
(1), field interview (1),
unwanted person (1), found
property (1), disorderly
conduct (1), missing
person (1), trespassing (1),
suspicious activity (1) and
smoke (1).

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80 Days* in the classic
1956 movie. But Fogg
was a fictional character
and so he didn't make
it into the Guinness
Book of World Records,
recalls the Association
of Mature American
Citizens [AMAC]. But,
recently, Laura Massey-
Pugh and Stevie Massey
circumnavigated the
world in 180 days on
a tandem bicycle and
won Guinness' official
recognition for their
18,000 mile triumph. It
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THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
HEARING ROOM, 135 N. PINAL
STREET, FLORENCE, ARIZONA, TO
CONSIDER THE APPLICATION FOR
A SPECIAL USE PERMIT IN THE
UNINCORPORATED AREA OF PINAL
COUNTY, ARIZONA.**

**SUP-007-22 - PUBLIC HEARING/
ACTION:** Elephant Corporation, owner,
Copper Cactus Resorts LLC, applicant/
lessee, and Iplan Consulting/Greg
Davis, agent, requesting approval of a
Special Use Permit to operate a bed
and breakfast plus twenty (20) camp
sites, on a 20± acre site comprised of
two parcels in the GR (General Rural)
Zone, situated in a portion of Section 24,
Township 1 South, Range 10 East of the
G.R.B. & M., Pinal County, Arizona, Tax
Parcels 104540080 & 10454008E (legal
on file), located about 6 miles northeast
of the intersection of Highway 60 with
Highway 79 and about 2.5 miles north of
the unincorporated area of Queen Valley.
ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THIS
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2022, by Pinal County Community
Development Dept. By: /s/ Brent
Billingsley, Community Development
Director

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OR OPPOSITION TO THE SUBJECT
APPLICATION. YOUR STATEMENT
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- 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

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DEPARTMENT PO BOX 2973 (85 N
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Contact for this matter: Evan
Evangelopoulos, e-mail address: evan.
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Superior's 2022

After what seemed like an ongoing roller coaster of COVID protocols, postponements and changes, 2022 seemed to be the year of the now new normal.

Students returned to school and all of the annual events such as homecoming and graduations, returned as many remembered. The Copper Helmet, the long time football rivalry



Sue Anderson

returned to Superior from the Ray Bearcats and the Girls Softball Team won the 1A State Championship, beating fellow Copper Corridor team the San Manuel Lady Miners.

Town events such as Fourth of July, Trunk or Treat, Magma Royale and all of the festivals returned with great enthusiasm. New events sprang up with the International Female Riders Day, Southwest Helicopter Rodeo, and the Adelante Juntos group hosting several tardeadas and cultural events. Almost every weekend of the year seemed busy when adding in all of the activities and youth summer camps at the Boyce Thompson Arboretum.

At the *Superior Sun*, we continued to follow all of the community activities while still focusing on showcasing many local businesses and organizations. 2022



The Copper Helmet is returned to Superior after the Panthers beat the Bearcats during the annual game.

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saw many new businesses open and some expand. Ribbon cuttings became an almost monthly event with all of these expansions and openings.

The Superior Chamber of Commerce hired its first paid Executive Director, Shayna Beasley. Long time Chamber President Sue Anderson retired as

Chamber President and she and her late husband were recognized for their efforts by the naming the meeting room at the Chamber Building "The Anderson

Room"

The Town of Superior had many important milestones as they celebrated the purchase of the original Superior High School and announced that the Town had received \$4.25 million in Congressionally Appropriated Funds to assist with both the redevelopment of the high school into a multi-gen center and the water restoration to Queen Creek. Both projects were long time goals and milestones for the Town. The Town also swore in incumbent elected officials Mayor Mila Besich, Vice Mayor Michael Alonzo and Councilmember Gilbert Aguilar for additional four-year terms. Amy Byrd who ran was a write-in candidate was also sworn in to fill the seat vacated by former Councilmember Stephen Estatico.

Elections were a hot topic as the election of the

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Year in Review

Superior Mayor and Town Council were affected by serious ballot problems at Pinal County. These

countywide issues forced the resignation of the Pinal County Elections Director and major restructuring of

the elections departments at Pinal County. The Pinal County Regional Transportation Tax was not

approved by the voters of the county.

Supporters of Resolution Copper continued to advocate for the long awaited Final Environmental Impact Statement to be released, and as the year comes to an end, it does not appear the Final Record of Decision will be released in 2022. During the year, Rep. Raul Grijalva continued to try and get his Save Oak Flats bill approved Congress. During the Summer of 2022, the 9th Circuit Court had ruled in favor of Resolution Copper that the project did not impact religious freedoms of the San Carlos Apache Tribe. That ruling was reversed in November and the case is expected to be heard by 11 of the 9th Circuit Judges in January.

Local residents business and clubs were recognized throughout the year. Rebuild Superior

honored Dennis Van Gorp (posthumously) and the Hing Family for their second annual community awards. The Superior Optimist Club named Career Technical Education teachers; Valerie Garcia, Christine Martinez and Terry Villaverde as Spirit of Optimism Community Champions and the Superior Chamber of Commerce also recognized Picket Post Antiques, Save Money Market and Los Hermanos as Spirit of Superior Business Award winners. The Red Bear Outfitters also received an award from Arizona Game and Fish.

Many notable residents also passed away this year and were honored including long time Magma Employee and Town Historian David Lira, Superior's first Town Clerk Mellie Bribescas along with Superior's number one panther fan Ignacio



Dennis Van Gorp

Nacho Villaverde and beloved school bus driver Melissa Perez. Leadership at the Food Bank was rocked at the unexpected passing of Pastor Dennis Van Gorp, who was a tireless volunteer at the Food Bank and Town Chaplain.

While this is a brief highlight of 2022 in Superior, everyone at *Copper Area News - Superior Sun* wishes you a Happy New Year. We look forward to covering the news of 2023!



The historic Superior High School was purchased by the Town of Superior and will become the new multi-gen center.

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COPPER CORRIDOR COMMUNITY CALENDAR

San Manuel Historical Museum

The San Manuel Historical Museum promised you that we would be open every Saturday. We are keeping our promise. We will be open Saturday, Christmas Eve and Saturday, New Year's Eve and every Saturday 10:00 till 2:00. A perfect time for you and your holiday visitors to stop in and see what has changed, learn and share your stories.

Tri-Community Food Bank Open

The Tri-Community Food Bank located at 108 Redwood Drive in Mammoth continues to be in business. We are observing social distancing. Hours are 9 a.m. to noon Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. To be eligible you must show proof of address that you live near or in Mammoth, San Manuel, Oracle or Dudleyville and have an income within the federal poverty guidelines. The thrift shop is closed and is not accepting donations. Call 520-487-2010 for more information.

Superior Farmer's Market

Superior Farm to Fantastic Farmers Market is open every Saturday 10 a.m. to noon at the Food Court on Main Street. Fresh produce baked goods and much more. Follow us on Facebook.

Eagle One Veteran Outreach

Visit Eagle One Veteran Outreach Center online at hohp4heroes.org. Eagle One provides veterans a place to learn about and apply for all services available to them.



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.

Superior Library Hours

Superior Public Library hours of operation are: Monday - Friday, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. There is a one hour time limit on public PCs if others are waiting. Masks are strongly recommended and available upon request. Be sure to like us on Facebook @SuperiorPublicLibrary. Give us a call at (520) 689-2327 if you have any questions.



Wednesday Night Tacos at San Manuel Elks

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

JANUARY

January Superior Food Bank Volunteer Schedule

Superior Food Bank, located at 99 N. Lobb Ave., is seeking volunteers for January. All volunteers will need a mask, comfortable closed-toe shoes and be able to lift 15 lbs and push carts. Please let us know if you can help out. Please call 520-689-2202 or text 520-827-9224. We need a total of nine volunteers to help with receiving between 8:30 a.m.- noon on Wednesday, Jan 4, and Thursday, Jan. 19, and seven volunteers to bag dry items for distribution between 9 a.m.- noon on Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 23 and 24, if needed. Please call before arriving.. On Thursday, Jan. 26, 8:30 a.m.- noon we need three pickup trucks and six volunteers to deliver to Arboretum Apartments. Please be able to lift heavy boxes, bags and push carts. On Friday, Jan. 27, we need 15 volunteers to distribute and clean up from 2:30 p.m.- 5 p.m.

2 Free Exercise Classes in San Manuel

Starting on Monday, Jan. 2, there will be an Exercise Group meeting at the Elks Lodge, 143 8th Ave., San Manuel, on the left side of the main entrance. It will be held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 8-9 a.m. You are invited! Suggested donation for class is \$1.

6 First Friday Social – Superior Seniors

Superior's Senior Center will have its First Friday Social on Jan. 6, 10 a.m. to noon. If you need a ride, please call Carol at 520-689-5182 by Jan. 4. Join them for a nice lunch, a little craft and lots of fun. A donation of \$5 is much appreciated. Call Connie at 602-703-8858 if you have questions.

6 Movie Night at the San Manuel Community Center

Friday, Jan. 6 is the next movie night at San Manuel Community Center. Showing will be 'DC League of Super Pets'. Krypto the Super-Dog and Superman are inseparable best friends, sharing the same superpowers and fighting crime side by side in Metropolis. However, when the Man of Steel and the rest of the Justice League are kidnapped, Krypto must convince a ragtag group of animals to master their own newfound powers for a rescue mission.



11,25 Dr King DVM Availability

Dr. King, DVM, will be scheduled in her Kearny office on Wednesday, Jan. 11, and Wednesday, Jan. 25, for routine pet appointments. To schedule an appointment TEXT her at 1-520-329-5952. She will also be spaying/neutering pet cats/dogs for qualifying low income families through Pets In Need Action League. Spay/neuter applications can be picked up at the Kearny Library or requested by email: thebuddyprojectaz@gmail.com. Applications for free feral TNR (Trap/Neuter/Return) of community (feral) cats may be requested by The Buddy Project email above.

11 Pioneer Days Planning Meeting

Planning for PIONEER DAYS is underway. The dates have been set for Thursday, March 9 thru Sunday, March 12. Copper Basin Chamber of Commerce will be holding a meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 11, at the General Kearny Inn (GKI) to discuss committees and volunteers needed for each. You are all invited to come at 7 p.m. With your help we can all make it a Pioneer Days to remember!

11 Game Day at the Superior Senior Center

Superior Senior Center's game day is set for Jan. 11 10-11:30 a.m. If you need a ride, please call Carol at 520-689-5182 by Jan. 9. A donation of \$5 is much appreciated. Call Connie at 602-703-8858 if you have questions.

14 Pinal County Rabies License Clinic

Pinal County Animal Care and Control will be in Kearny on Saturday, Jan 14, at Pioneer Park Ramada. This is behind the Little League field bleachers. Mammoth will also have the Pinal Rabies Clinic on the same date between noon and 2 p.m. at the Pinal County Building. Services provided will be Rabies vaccines and license, combo vaccines for cats and, combo vaccines for dogs. Also suggested are \$20 pet microchips with coverage. The Buddy Project has a universal scanner chosen to be bought for the Kearny area. All dogs are required to be leashed. Pinal County will work with aggressive dogs and cats. Cash and checks are preferred for payment.

16 Oracle-American Ave. Roadwork Update

The final phase of the American Avenue drainage project in Oracle will begin on Monday, Jan. 16. Work will take place on American Avenue between Linda Vista Road and Calle Futura, mostly on roadway shoulder and is estimated to take 6 weeks.

19 San Manuel Agrihood Seeks Volunteers

Volunteers needed! Join SMRC's Agrihood today! Meetings are currently held at the San Manuel Community Center on the third Thursday of the month at 6 p.m. The next meeting will be Jan. 19.

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Full job description and application may be obtained at the Hayden Town Hall, 520 N. Velasco Avenue Hayden, Arizona 85135 or The Hayden Police Department, 601 N. Hayden Avenue Hayden, Arizona 85135. Hayden Town Hall is open Monday-Thursday 7:00am to 5:30pm.

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Panthers compete in holiday tournament

By Nathaniel A. Lopez
Superior Sun

There is no rest for the wicked and none for high school basketball players.

The Superior boys basketball team competed in the Lost Dutchman tournament in Apache Junction last week, giving up part of their winter holiday break. They started off their first day with a

game against hosts Apache Junction. The Panthers suffered a close loss, with a final score of 36-37. The boys redeemed themselves during their next game against Catalina. The boys played hard and came

out with a 50-42 final score. The following day, they played against San Luis, which resulted in a tough loss of 29-43, closing out their time at the Lost Dutchman tournament.



The Panthers compete against the Prospectors and the Trojans at the Lost Dutchman tournament in Apache Junction.

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