Holbrook's 42nd Annual Old West Fest set for June 7-8

Get ready for Holbrook's 42nd Annual Old West Fest, set to take place Friday and Saturday, June 7-8 at the Navajo County Fairgrounds, located at 404 E. Hopi Drive. Plan for a fun filled day that includes a cornhole tournament, battle of the bands, junior rodeo, Bucket of Blood 5K and half marathon, art show and vendors, contests, kids games, and more.

Beginning at 6 p.m. on Friday, an art show will be held in the Open Class Building. The show will include art exhibits, demonstrations and vendors from throughout the Southwest region. The featured artist will be renowned painter Richard Gorman. The entry fee is $2. For more information, contact Kip Woolford at 928-242-7553.

The cornhole tournament will begin at 3 p.m. on Saturday, at the Navajo County Fairgrounds. The cost is $30 per team (bring your own partner), with a 50% payout, plus prizes for first and second place. There will also be a $5 knockout for 100% payout. Register at scorholio.com or in-person no later than 2:30 p.m. at the event. For more information, contact Donna at 928-892-8562.

The Chili & Chile Challenge will be held on Saturday, where contestants can enter bean and/or meat chili, or red or green chile. Entry is free, just email director@holbrookazchamber.org with the subject line "I accept Chili/Chile Challenge." Rules will be emailed.

More details will be included as they are provided. For more information contact the Holbrook Chamber of commerce at director@holbrookazchamber.org.

Win cash in the OWF Battle of the Bands

Holbrook's Old West Fest is fast approaching with the Battle of the Bands planned from 3 to 8 p.m. on Friday, June 7, as part of the celebration. Sign up for free with the chance to win $750 for first place, $300 for second place or $200 for third place. This is open to all genres but must be a family-friendly selection of music. There is a limit of seven songs (a 30-to-40-minute set). Sign up is easy, just send an email to director@holbrookazchamber.org providing the name of the band, a contact person, phone number and address. The deadline to register is June 1.

Little Market opens in Joseph City

Photo by Talaina Kor

Little Market opened its doors last Wednesday in Joseph City next to Mr. G's Pizzeria on Main Street. It's owner, Esther Patterson (center) served her first and possibly favorite customers right away. They included family members (left to right) Liz, Mary, Esther and Mary Ann Patterson, and Maddox, EJ and Kay Lee. The shop's offerings include homemade bread, cookies, fudge, soft serve ice cream and packaged grain-fed beef from Badlands Cattle Co. The market will be open Wednesday-Friday from 3 to 7 p.m.

City logo sought for Route 66 celebration

The City of Holbrook is looking for talented individuals to submit a logo design for use by the City of Holbrook, Chamber of Commerce and local businesses for the 2026 Route 66 centennial celebration. The creator of the selected logo will receive a $150 cash prize and design credit.

The logo must represent the Holbrook area and incorporate the Route 66 shield. It must be submitted in vector format and the creator must sign a release for the logo to be used for any and all purposes, which may include advertisement, promotion, merchandise and media. No claim can be made on use of the logo once submitted. All entries must be submitted by May 30 to director@holbrookazchamber.org., or dropped off at the chamber office at the Historic Navajo County Courthouse, located at 100 E. Arizona St.

Wildcat Roadshow coming to Joseph City

The Second Annual Wildcat Roadshow will by coming to Joseph City, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, June 8, at Joseph City High School, located at 4629 E. 2nd N. in Joseph City. This fundraising event for the JCHS cheerleader includes a great display of cars, trucks, motorcycles and tractors. The entry fee for those wanting to enter a vehicle is $35, with vehicles arriving by 11 a.m. for judging. A burnout contest will be held at 3 p.m. Food vendors cost $150 and craft vendors are $50. There is no cost for the public to attend. For more information contact Jennifer Westover at 928-288-3361 or email jenniferw@jcusd.org.

No-cost classes for business planning to be held in Holbrook

The Small Business Development Center and Northland Pioneer College will be presenting no-cost classes for business in the coming months.

On Thursday, May 21, the class is Small Business Funding, taught by business analyst Laura Singleton.

On June 18, the class is Establishing a Digital Presence/ Marketing, taught by Craig Boston, interim director of the Small Business Development Center.

On July 16, the class is Handling Difficult Customers and Kiva Hub, taught by Marilyn Mott, Director of Community Outreach, Northern Arizona Better Business Bureau.

The classes, hosted by the Holbrook Chamber of Commerce, will be held from 12 to 1:30 p.m. at the Navajo County Historic Courthouse, located at 100 E. Arizona St.

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LCMC to celebrate National Hospital Week May 6-10

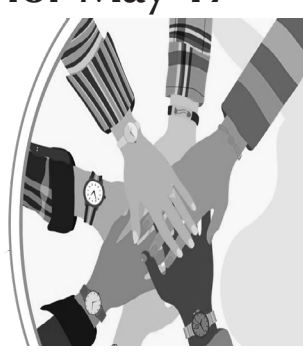
Hospital Week celebrates hope and healing within the hospitals, health systems, and the women and men who support the health and well-being of their communities through dedication and care from the heart. National Hospital Week also recognizes the miracles that these individuals make happen on a day-to-day basis, both large and small.

Celebrating National Hospital Week provides an opportunity to thank all of the dedicated individuals – physicians, nurses, therapists, maintenance workers, food service workers, administrators and so many more – for their contributions.

LCMC hopes that the community and employees of the hospital will attend Community Day, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Friday, May 10, at the Eagle Pavilion behind the Chamber of Commerce in Winslow.

LCMC will also be providing a free cholesterol, lipid profile, and glucose checks at the LCMC lab now through May 10.

13th Annual Victims' Rights Symposium set for May 17



Register now for the 13th Annual Navajo County Victims' Rights Symposium, happening from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, May 17, at the NPC Performing Arts Center, located at 1611 S. Main St. Take part in a full day of learning about crime victim-related issues. Workshop topics will cover domestic violence, child abuse, youth internet safety and stalking.

The keynote speaker, Dominique Roe-Sepowitz, MSW, PhD, will provide updates on the current state of human trafficking in Arizona. The $10 registration fee includes lunch, where we will announce the winners of our Distinguished Victims' Service Awards and our regional youth PSA/poster contest.

To register go to Eventbrite.com and search 13th Navajo County Victims' Rights Symposium.

Birthdays

(Compiled from the Holbrook High School Student Council Community Birthday Calendar and private submissions).

May 8: Cristy Parent and Ariah Johnson.

May 9: Jaggar Buckley.

May 12: Levi Trujillo, Anita Barrera and Hadassah Tsosie.

May 13: Sheri Martinez, Janet Young and Jack W. Vicars Jr.

May 14: Brooke Richards, Lisa Richards and Alexis Gillespie.

Calendar

May 7:

Snowflake Town Council meeting, 7 p.m., town hall, 81 W. First South St.

May 8:

Winslow Friends of the Library meeting, 4 p.m., library, 420 W. Gilmore St.

Holbrook City Council work session (optional), 6 p.m., city hall, 465 First Ave.

Navajo County Fair Board meeting, 7 p.m., fair office at the county fairgrounds, 404 E. Hopi Drive in Holbrook.

May 9:

Snowflake School District Governing Board meeting, 5 p.m., 682 School Bus Lane.

Winslow Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting, 5:30 p.m., chamber office, 523 W. Second St.

Dusty Desert Quilt Guild meeting, 6:30 p.m., Holbrook Public Library, 402 Park St.

Winslow Historic Preservation Commission meeting, 5 p.m., city hall conference room, 21 Williamson Ave.

May 11:

Bucket of Blood Re-Enactors meeting, 2 p.m., Historic Courthouse, 100 E. Arizona St. in Holbrook.

May 14:

Navajo County Board of Supervisors meeting, 9 a.m., county governmental center in Holbrook.

Holbrook School District Governing Board meeting, 6 p.m., district conference room, 1000 N. Eighth Ave.

Joseph City School District Governing Board meeting, 6 p.m., district board room adjacent to the elementary school.

Winslow City Council meeting, 6:30 p.m., Hubbell Building, 523 W. Second St.

May 15:

Winslow School District Governing Board meeting, 6p.m., district board conference room, 800 N. Apache Ave.

May 16:

Winslow Arts Council meeting, 4:30 p.m., city hall conference room, 21 Williamson Ave.

May 21:

Navajo County Community College District Governing Board, 10 a.m., Tiponi Community Center on the Painted Desert Campus of Northland Pioneer College in Holbrook.

May 22:

Holbrook City Council meeting, 6 p.m., city hall, 465 First Ave.

Winslow Unified School District commencement.

May 23:

Holbrook and Joseph City unified school district commencements.

May 24:

Snowflake Unified School District commencement.

May 28:

Navajo County Board of Supervisors meeting, 9 a.m., county governmental center in Holbrook.

Winslow City Council meeting, 6:30 p.m., Hubbell Building, 523 W. Second St.

Silver Creek senior offerings

The Silver Creek Senior Center Thrift shop is now open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays. Following is the menu for the Silver Creek Senior Center. Lunch is served from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

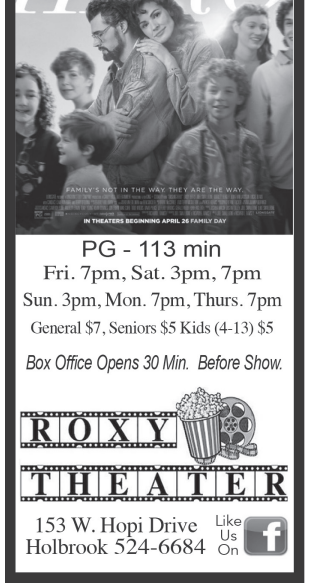
Thursday, May 9: Barbeque ribs, baked beans, coleslaw, California blend vegetables and fruit.

Friday, May 10: Crab patties on croissants, seasoned spinach, mixed vegetables, Mandarin oranges and root beer floats.

Monday, May 13: Taco casserole, pinto beans, fresh tomatoes, shredded lettuce, crinkle carrots and fruit.

Tuesday, May 14: Chef's choice.

Wednesday, May 15: Spaghetti with meat sauce, Italian blend vegetables, green beans, garlic bread and fruit.



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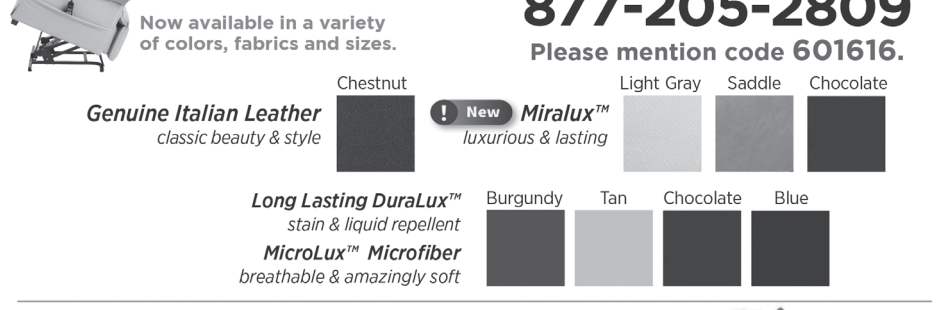

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