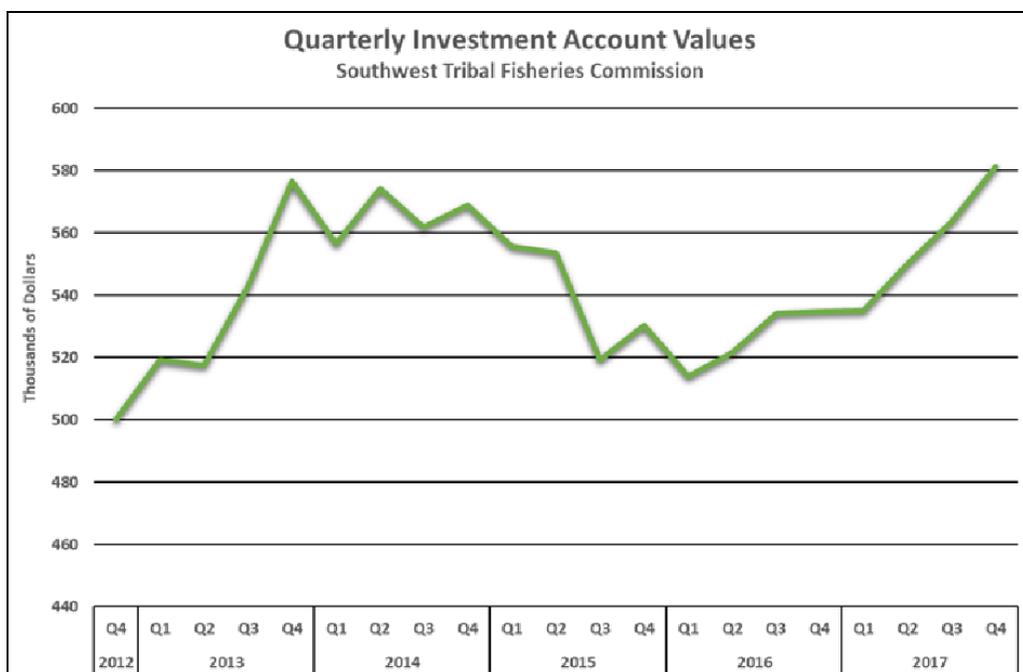


## Mescalero continuing to make strides

*Southwest Tribal Fisheries Commission News Fall 2017*



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**MARCH DEADLINE:  
02/16/18  
BY NOON**

According to the SWTFC seasonal newsletter, the Mescalero Tribal Fish Hatchery will receive top dollar in funds from an ongoing investment fund. Five years ago in May 2012, SWTFC and the tribe’s Natural Resources Committee, developed the idea of building an endow-

ment or income that could entirely finance the operations of the hatchery. Portions of the revenue from the sale of hatchery fish to select tribes were set aside by the Commission. The SWTFC Investment Fund is one of the most important assets of the Commis-

sion. At this time, since the re-opening of the hatchery in 2004, the value of the fund is over \$550,000. Every January, 4% of the fund value is distributed. The tribe receives 95% of the distribution while the 5% stays with the Commission’s operating account.

The fund has in no way surpassed \$580,000 in total value but, since the start of the ongoing 10 year agreement in 2012, the tribe obtains a significant share every year.

Due to the firm economy and stock market, the fund is at a record high. The tribe will receive the highest payment of \$22,089 since 2012, the average is \$21,222.

In 2017 from Septem-

ber to December the hatchery has delivered over 13,000 pounds of rainbow trout, each at 10-13 inches long.

Only select tribes throughout New Mexico and Arizona receive the fish from Mescalero.

Since the hatchery accepted 220,000 rainbow trout eggs from a National Fish Hatchery in Montana, new egg hatching trays were installed.

Also happening last fall at the hatchery,

were new office modifications in the tank house.

In addition, the SWTFC newsletter highlighted and congratulated President elect, Arthur "Butch" Blazer. In a recent phone interview with SWTFC Executive Director Leon, President Blazer expressed his continued willingness to cooperate and strengthen work opportunities with the SWTFC.

## Free Home Repair!

*Mescalero Apache Housing Authority*

### Official Notification

Mescalero Apache Tribe-Housing Department is working in partnership with the Mescalero School and "Group Work Camps" to bring over 200-300 youth from across the country to Mescalero to help elderly, low-income and disabled families with home repairs. Work Camps are intensive one-week trips that help

people grow in Christian faith through service. During the summer of 2018, individuals and youth will spend one week in our community performing hands-on home-repair projects. The work at each home will be done by 5 young people, and at least one adult leader, representing many Christian denominations. Eligi-

ble repair projects may include:

- Deck repair/ construction
- Wheelchair ramp repair/ construction
- Step repair
- Mobile home skirting
- Exterior painting
- Interior painting
- Weatherization

**Both labor and materials are free to**



**qualifying households!**

To learn how your home might be included, please contact the Mescalero

Apache Tribe-Housing Department at 575-464-9238 or 575-464-9245.

Application is available online: mesca-

[leroapachetribe.com/maha](http://leroapachetribe.com/maha)

**Deadline to submit application: March 16, 2018!**

## Notice

### *Education/J.O.M. Program*

The 3rd quarter of Johnson O'Malley school supplies will be distributed January 3rd through March 9th 2018. 4th and final quarter for the school

year will be distributed March 12th through May 2018. Please understand that due to lack of J.O.M. funds, school supplies are limited.

J.O.M. also carries poster board and display boards for school projects. You can call 575-464-4500 ext. 104 for more information.

## Mescalero Dental Clinic

### *Emergency / Walk-In Schedule*

### **SIGN IN @ 745 AM MON-FRI (575)-464-3832**

February 15, 2018 8 am - Emergencies	February 01, 2018 NO EMERGENCIES
February 16, 2018 NO EMERGENCIES	February 02, 2018 NO EMERGENCIES
February 19, 2018 HOLIDAY	February 05, 2018 8 am - Emergencies
February 20, 2018 8 am - Emergencies	February 06, 2018 8 am - Emergencies
February 21, 2018 1 pm - Emergencies	February 07, 2018 1 pm - Emergencies
February 22, 2018 8 am - Emergencies	February 08, 2018 NO EMERGENCIES
February 23, 2018 NO EMERGENCIES	February 09, 2018 NO EMERGENCIES
February 26, 2018 8 am - Emergencies	February 12, 2018 8 am - Emergencies
February 27, 2018 8 am - Emergencies	February 13, 2018 8 am - Emergencies
February 28, 2018 1 pm - Emergencies	February 14, 2018 1 pm - Emergencies

Emergency/Walk-in time is first-come, first-served, so we highly recommend signing-in at 7:45 AM on whatever day you come on.

## Head Start

### Recent News

#### Enrollment Opportunities

Our Head Start program serves children who are between the ages of 3 and 5 years

old, and are income eligible. We currently have a few slots open at both the Mescalero and Carrizo Site. A staff member will give

you more details on what documents are needed when you stop by either site to pick up an Enrollment packet.

## Male Involvement Activity: "Donuts with Dad"

### Head Start

During "Donuts With Dad", male volunteers came in to sit down and eat breakfast with

their Head Start child. After breakfast we all headed up to the Mescalero Hunt

Lodge for a field trip. We are very grateful for all the men that showed up.



## “NFL Pick Ems”

### Head Start

Our Head Start Male Involvement was established to encourage fathers and significant male role models such as uncles, brothers, grandfather, cousins, etc. to become actively involved in the social and educational development of their children, and to continue to be a positive

role model for them. Anytime they come to volunteer, they are able to participate in the weekly NFL Pick Em’ game, which runs through the duration of the NFL season. Congratulations to the following male winners. Thank you for taking time to come volunteer.

Here are the following NFL Pick Em’ winners thus far:

- **Week 11:** Jody Cojo (Father)
- **Week 13:** Joshua Rue (Father)
- **Week 12:** Levi Chino (Father)
- **Week 14:** Bud Vigil (Uncle)

## Mescalero Fire Rescue Visit & Christmas Caroling

### Head Start

We are very fortunate to have many departments in our community who are willing to share information not only with our children and staff, but with our parents/guardians as well. Such as one of our lo-

cal First Responders, the Fire Rescue Department. They came and showed the children a little bit about what their job entails; like the gear they wear when they respond to a fire or to an emergency call re-

quiring medical assistance. The children were amazed to see a real fire truck and overly excited to get to walk through an ambulance. Thank you Mescalero Fire Rescue for taking time to come visit us.



## Office of Head Start Visit

### *Head Start*

Recently, the Office Of Head Start out of Washington D.C. assigned a new Program Specialist to our program his name is Mr. Todd Lertjuntharangool from Laguna, New Mexico.

His first visit to Mescalero was on Tuesday, November 28, 2017. He was accompanied by Mr. Phillip Iwugo, who is a Grants Specialist also out of Washington D.C. They were here to learn more about the program and the wonderful work that takes place within our Head Start program.

While here, they got to visit each classroom and see the children in their daily routine.

They were able to talk about future plans for the Head Start Program with Vice-President, Gabe Aguilar and Council Women, LeClaire Gayton and Pamela Morgan who took time out of their busy schedules to meet with them.

Mr. Lertjuntharangool said that he was impressed with the quality of the program here in Mescalero and looks forward to coming back soon to visit

the program and take the Apache Windrider Zipline tour. They also enjoyed their stay at the Inn of the Mountain Gods Resort and were mesmerized by the beauty of our surrounding lands.

Thank you to all of our staff, tribal governance, and last, but certainly not least; the families and the community for your ongoing support of our Head Start Program. Wishes for all of you and your families for a joyous holiday season and blessed New Year filled with prosperity.

## Upcoming Events

- Male Involvement “Movies w/Dad”
- Krispy Kreme Donut Sale ends February 12th.

## Congratulations!

*Level I of the Mescalero Apache Language and Culture License*

**Caroline Blake**



## Congratulations!

*Level II of the Mescalero Apache Language and Culture License*

**Lenora Shendo & Rena Mendez**



## Language Licensure Committee

*President*

**Donalyn Torres**



# Miss MESCALERO XXXIX



Hello everyone, this is Miss Mescalero XXXIX Autumn Pilcher. I wanted to say Happy New Years! We are already two months into the New Year and I wanted sincerely wish everyone a blessed and safe 2018. May you receive nothing but blessings and good health this upcoming year. Here's an insight to a few events I've attended recently.

Firstly, I wanted to thank everyone for coming out to the Christmas Festival. I know it's a bit late to be speaking on the subject, my apologies, but we had a lovely turnout and I had loads of fun.

I'm glad I was able to take pictures and work alongside Moonie and Tito Hoover. It was definitely a night to remember - thank you to everyone who made it so.



I also attended the Comanche Boyz Sobriety Powwow and it was an amazing way to ring in the New Year. The food was great but the singing and dancing were even better. I got to meet people locally to meeting people from Oklahoma to people even from New York! My favorite part of the night was the children playing musical chairs - they were so energetic and eager to win the prize. But, thank you to Horace Comanche and his family for a really great evening.

Lastly, a HUGE congratulations to our new tribal leaders and tribal council members! It was an honor to speak at our tribe's inauguration to welcome guests and introduce the visiting dignitaries. Needless to say, I was super nervous moments before I had say my speech but I did speak to some guests and my family beforehand who helped give me confidence to deliver one of my best speeches to date. I wish our tribal leaders a blessed and successful term. I look forward to seeing positive changes and tribal prosperity.



# Miss MESCALERO XXXIX



I will work hard to show you a more professional and refreshing side to me. I will work more on speaking better and representing the tribe more exceptionally. I've been learning to dance, speak our language and overall, just learn more about our culture every day. I want to say thank you from the bottom of my heart to everyone who has been supporting me nonstop. I truly do appreciate it. Like I said, I hope everyone has a stupendous year and Happy Valentine's Day from yours truly.





**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**  
OF MESCALERO APACHE  
TRIBE

**February**  
**Birthday's**

- Jaelyn**
- Sheyenne**
- Jake**
- Mason**

**Club Mem-**  
**bers of the**  
**Month for**  
**January**

- KYLENA**
- LARREN**

February Club  
Closings  
February 19

Mescalero School  
Closings  
February 19  
February 26

Tularosa School  
Closings  
February 19

## Mescalero Boys & Girls Club

### Recent News

January was an exciting month! We would like to send a big thank you to the Winter Park, Fish Hatchery, and to Ski Apache for helping us make fun experiences for our youth during the winter break. It was a great time for all kids

that were able to attend. We would also like to thank all staff and team members who have helped with the Men's Basketball League by working and/or inputting a team. Looking forward we

will be having Little League Basketball sign-ups February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup>. We are accepting all youth from grades 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup>. Please contact the Boys and Girls Club for any further information.

Boys and Girls Club Vision for our youth is to provide a world-class Club Experience that assures success is within reach of every young person who enters our doors, with all members on track to graduate from high school with a plan for the future, demonstrating good character and citizenship, and living a healthy lifestyle.

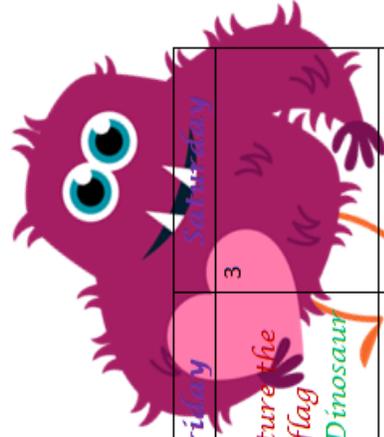
-Boys and Girls Club of America

Through this we are excited to announce our awarded grants that we will be receiving this year to help us accomplish the boys and girls clubs vision.

- ◇ 5,000 national American justice service grant from Boys and Girls Club of America.
- ◇ 20,000 Office of Justice Service Grant for the Carrizo Site (Mentoring Program)
- ◇ 10,000 TRAIL Diabetes's Prevention Grant



# February



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>4</p> <p>☺ Please give us a call if your child will not be attending club for the day. This helps us prepare for snack and activities.</p> <p>☺ Please have your child bring their jacket, its <b>CoLa!</b></p> <p>☺ Calendar is Subject to change</p> <p>☺ We will also be doing winter Olympic activities daily!</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Kickball Glass Butterfly</p>	<p>6</p> <p>DIY Bouncy Ball Valentine's History</p>	<p>7</p> <p>DIY Slime Valentine Science</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Marshmallow Shooter Lady Bug Valentines</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Free Day Sun Catcher Craft</p>	<p>10</p>
<p>11</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Make your own Pizza Heart Crafts</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Triple Play Red Light, Green Light Valentines Cards</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Triple Play Protect the President Valentine Bingo</p>	<p>15</p> <p>President Scavenger Hunt Apache Language Games</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Valentines Dance</p>	<p>17</p>
<p>18</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Club Closed</p>	<p>20</p> <p>DIY Lava Lamps DIY Dream Catcher</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Dodgeball Heart Peacock Craft</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Jeopardy Colorful Jellyfish</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Trash Can B-Ball Flower Pots</p>	<p>24</p>
<p>25</p>	<p>26</p> <p>DIY Sewing Apache Language Games</p>	<p>27</p> <p>DIY Sewing Paper Puppets</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Apache Bingo Birthday Bash</p>	<p><b>You're off to Great Places! Today is your day! Your mountain is waiting! So...get on your way!</b></p> <p>-Dr. Stevens</p>		

If you have any questions or concerns please contact us.

575-464-9212 or 575-464-9204

Email: [mbgc@matisp.net](mailto:mbgc@matisp.net)

# Carrizo Boys & Girls Club

## Recent News



### Friends are forever!

A group of friends find the perfect photo-op and pose in beautiful fall leaves



### Waiting to board...

The photo above is a group of Club kiddos waiting to board their boat on a recent trip to Carlsbad. We are very fortunate to provide such trips for our youth.



### Dashing through the snow

Club Youth took a trip to the Ruidoso Winter Park to take advantage of the recent snow we received.

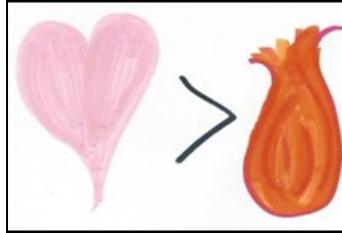


### Tears of joy

Former staff member Jarin Carrillo, stopped by for a visit while home on leave upon his recent graduation from the Marine Corps. The children were overcome with joy, and had tons of questions for him. We are so proud of him.

# BIA—Mescalero Agency

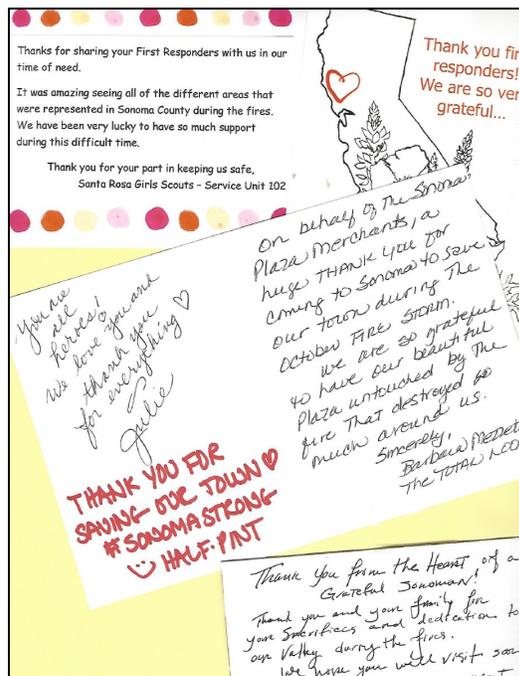
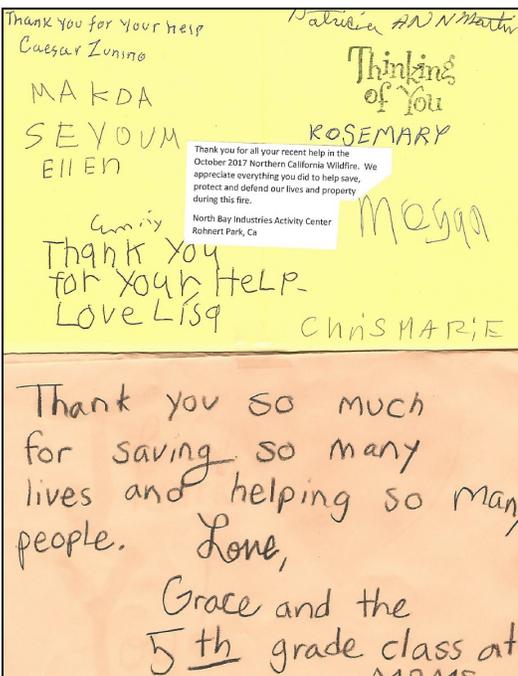
## Recent News



**Welcome to BIA**  
 We would like to welcome Ms. Saffenie Ortega to the BIA-Mescalero Agency administrative support team. She will serve as the Program Assistant for our Branch of Forestry and Fire Management. We are excited to have Ms. Ortega join our team and look forward to working with her.

**Thank you notes poured into our agency fire program from California**  
 “This is to all of you who are not only first responders, but responders of every area and of every expertise who responded in one way or another during the wild fire crisis in Northern California during the month of October 2017. I wish

to convey my deepest appreciation to all of you, each and every one, although I doubt there are words adequate to this task. Thank you from the bottom of my heart.”  
 -Kathleen Respini, Hannah’s Children of Napa, California.





## Mescalero Agency AD/EFF Firefighter



### 2018 Training and Pack Test Schedule

**IMPORTANT!** If you plan to work as an AD/EFF with Mescalero Agency, you are required to complete the physical process as in years past. You may **begin by contacting Jennifer Dolan at 575-464-4410** or wait until the mandatory meeting, January 5<sup>th</sup>.

*\*Note the multiple dates for pack testing and fire refreshers. No additional pack test and fire refreshers will be scheduled. You must attend and pass one of the scheduled sessions to participate in the 2018 fire season. **NO EXCEPTIONS!***

#### January

- January 5, 2018 **Mandatory** AD/EFF Firefighter Meeting at 0900  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit  
**If you plan to fight fire in 2018, you must attend.**
- January 9-11, 2018 Strike Team/Task Force Leader (S-330) at 0830-1630  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit  
**Nominations need to be submitted to Aldon Coriz by December 15, 2017.**

#### February

- February 2, 2018 Pack Test 0900 at Mescalero Football Field and Fire Refresher at 1230  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit
- February 9, 2018 Pack Test 0900 at Mescalero Football Field and Fire Refresher at 1230  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit
- February 11-17, 2018 Sierra Blanca Wildfire Academy
- February 23, 2018 Pack Test 0900 at Mescalero Football Field and Fire Refresher at 1230  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit
- February 26-  
March 2, 2018 Basic Fire School (S-130, S-190, L-180, ICS-100 and IS-700) from  
0830-1630 each day, Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit

#### March

- March 2, 2018 Pack Test 0900 at Mescalero Football Field and Fire Refresher at 1230  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit
- March 9, 2018 Pack Test 0900 at Mescalero Football Field and Fire Refresher at 1230  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit
- March 16, 2018 Pack Test 0900 at Mescalero Football Field and Fire Refresher at 1230  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit

#### April

- April 16-20, 2018 S-270 Air Operations and S-271 Helicopter Crew Member  
Fire Warehouse at Apache Summit  
**Nominations need to be submitted to Aldon Coriz by March 15, 2018**




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**NOTICE: CLASS II – MODERATE FIRE DANGER RESTRICTIONS**  
 Mescalero Apache Indian Reservation

**EFFECTIVE :**           **January 16, 2018** (Until rescinded or superseded)

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**CLASS II - FIRE RESTRICTIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

No restrictions in place for broadcast fires or burning of organic slash piles. A courtesy call to the BIA Branch of Forestry and Mescalero Fire and Rescue is requested prior to ignition.

No restrictions in place for campfires, charcoal grills, and wood-burning stoves. Dwellings with fireplaces or wood burning (cooking or heating) stoves shall have proper screens installed to prevent the escape of burning embers (homeowner’s responsibility).

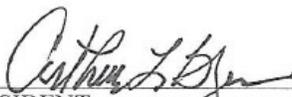
Smoking outdoors permitted, if extinguished in a proper container.

Chainsaws and other internal or external combustion engines must always be equipped with a properly functioning spark arrestor.

Fireworks of any kind are never permitted.

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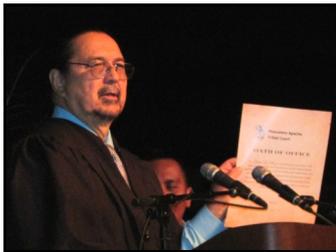
These restrictions are a reflection of current wildland fire hazard conditions on the Mescalero Apache Indian Reservation and are being implemented for public safety. The above restrictions will remain in effect until rescinded under authority of Mescalero Apache Tribal Resolution No. 09-59. Personnel exempt from the above restrictions include Federal and Tribal employees, such as Tribal Resource Managers and Bureau of Indian Affairs Employees while in the performance of their official duties. These restrictions will be enforced by the Branch of Law Enforcement Services and the Tribal Conservation Department under authority Title 18, Sections 1855 and 1856 USC and Tribal Statutes 10-5-4, 10-5-5, 17-12-3 through 17-12-5.

  
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 PRESIDENT,  
 Mescalero Apache Tribe

  
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 SUPERINTENDENT,  
 BIA, Mescalero Agency

# Tribal Inauguration

## Administration



Chief Judge Monteau

The Mescalero Tribal Inauguration was nothing short of monumental. The convention center at the Inn of the Mountain Gods was packed full of eager tribal members and guests wanting to welcome the newly elected tribal leadership.

This year, as a result of the 2017 general election, women are the majority within the tribal council.

General Manager of Mescalero Apache Telecom Inc., Godfrey Enjady, emceed the event. Mr. Enjady helped the program run accordingly in which he did an excep-



Gabe Aguilar, Vice President

tional job. At certain points during the program, he had the chance to share anecdotal stories about some of the elected individuals. The feeling of family and community was in the air. Mescalero's Post 48 started the agenda with posting of the colors and as per usual, doing so with pride.

Miss Mescalero, Autumn Pilcher shared a few encouraging words and announced special guests from across the state who were in attendance.

The youth of Mescalero also helped the event to be special. Turquoise

Garcia, a student at ENMU-Portales, sang the national anthem and the Mescalero boys basketball team said the pledge of allegiance.

Instead of the oath of office being recited one by one, expectation took a back seat. All six individuals stood and repeated the oath of office simultaneously with the help from Chief Judge Monteau.



Arthur "Butch" Blazer, President

New and returning members of the Tribal Council, Vice President and the new President took time to speak about hopes for the tribe’s future. One occurring theme that was mentioned in each speech was unity. Vice President, Gabe Aguilar mentioned working together with surrounding towns and villages like Ruidoso, Tularosa, and Alamogordo. Economically helping one another’s town or village may help our tribe in return.



*Helen Klinekole, Councilwoman*

Some of the speeches were a reminder for tribal members to continue being a contributing member to the tribe in order to improve all aspects of

our future. As councilwoman, Helen Klinekole said, “fulfill your responsibility as a tribal member.”

“We all have something valuable to offer to the team (tribal government and tribal members)” as stated by councilwoman, LeClaire Gayton.

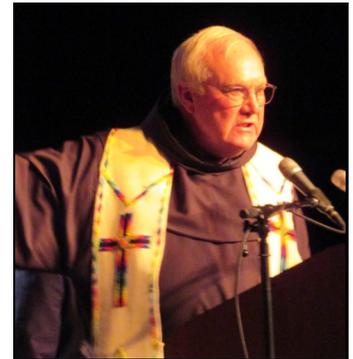
The idea of teamwork was mentioned numerous of times. Council members, Vice President and the President had a collective understanding of what it takes to come together and work for the best interest and welfare of the Mescalero Apache tribal members.



*Fernando Rocha Sr., Councilman*

Like councilman Fernando Rocha Sr. explained, “We will get our tribe back on top of the world. We will

work as a team and communicate with all tribal members - we will work for you. “ When asked why Mr. Blazer competed for the seat as tribal President, he said, “It was for my love and willingness to help my people.” Mr. Blazer joins the office with a great deal of knowledge in natural resources, amongst other things. Not to mention his many business relationships with various distinguished leaders at the tribal, state and government level. “I will use the resources I know to help our tribe.” said Mr. Blazer.



*Father Larry Goslin, OFM gave a blessing for all the tribal officials before lunch was served. Father Larry dedicated more than 20 years of ministry to the Mescalero community.*



*Sandra Platero, Councilwoman*

The Tribal Council, Vice President and President maintain five committees within the tribal government

realm: Butch Blazer is chairman of the Executive Committee, Sandra Platero is chair of the Tribal Programs Committee, LeClaire Gayton will continue being chair for Tribal Community Services Committee, Marilyn Blaylock is chair of the Tribal Resources Committee, and Pascal Enjady is chair of the

Tribal Cultural Committee. Each committee is assigned different responsibilities according to the type of committee they stand in. With exception of executive and cultural, all committees have three members.

With the new term beginning, returning and

new tribal officials are eager to start helping and making decisions for the benefit of all tribal members.



Tammy Torres, Councilwoman

## Mescalero Apache Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act

Has Computers the community is more than welcome to use for the following:

- Resume Writing
- Applying for Jobs
- Looking up Job openings
- First Time Driver's License attainment
  - Food Handlers
  - Letter Writing
- Unemployment Claims

**\*Anything Pertaining to Employment or Education.**

Feel Free to come on by.  
Happy Valentine's Day!  
WIOA Staff



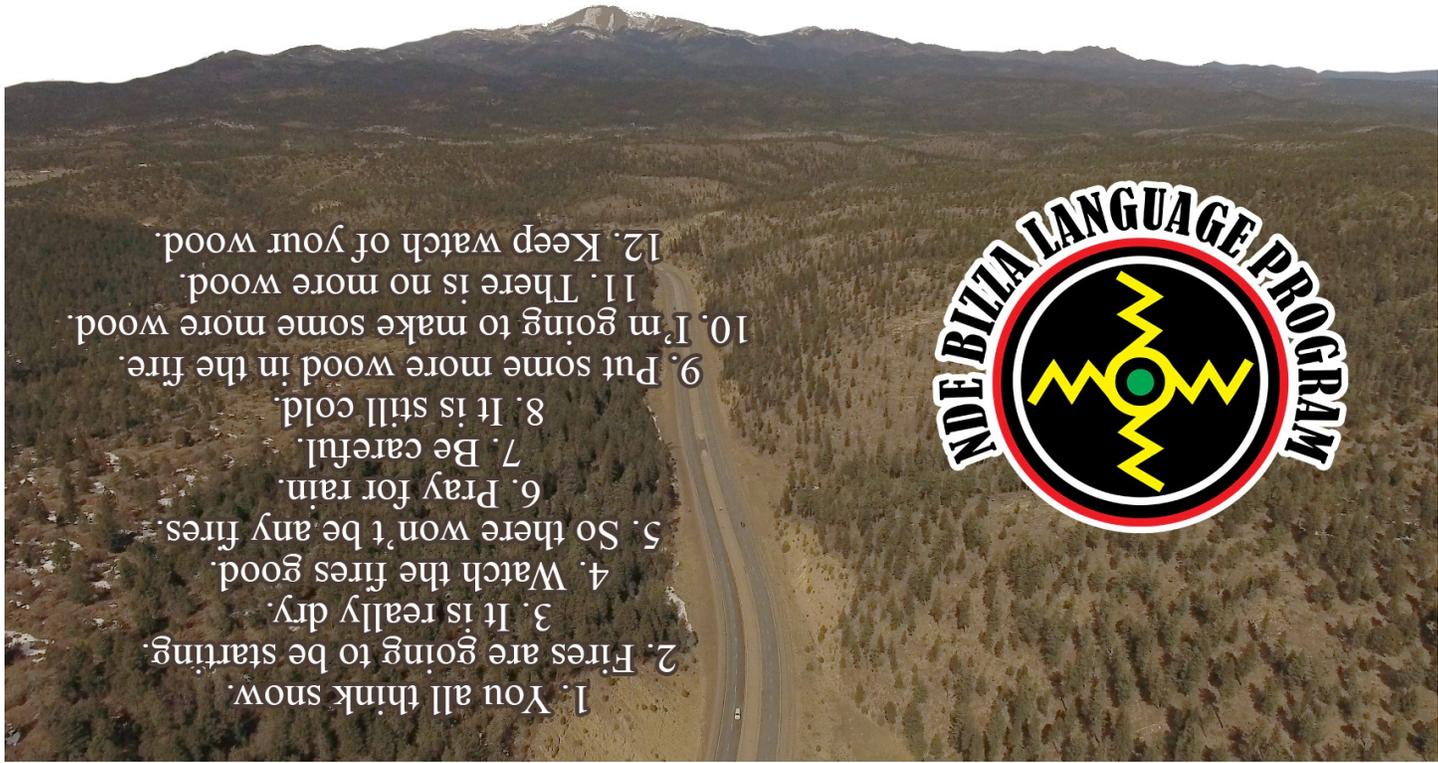
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6. Naagułṭi'í bá'itedaadadli
7. Ba' ádaagunayá
8. 'ít'a guu'k'as
9. Chish łii aká 'inááná'ii'
10. Chish 'ánáá gushdlá
11. Chish ye'úús dii'
12. Chish'í báadaasa si

**NDE BIZAA  
LANGUAGE  
CLASSES**

**WEDNESDAYS**  
5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

**THURSDAYS**  
5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

**EMPOWERMENT BUILDING  
ROOM #303  
WEST HALLWAY**



## Surprise Visit

*The family of Tommy Enjady*



was a great Christmas Eve surprise. Boy, were they glad to see us, they couldn't believe we arrived to their house. Mrs. Huse said, "We didn't even clean

Huse because they aged so much. I was so hurt to see them that way. But, we are all going to age too. The drive to Sanger was really long but, well worth it; 9 hours. We also met Maryland, her husband and two sons and Joan Alice and her son.

My son Talrick, my granddaughter Delia and I went to Sanger, Texas to visit my daughter Ellen and her family. We haven't seen them since 1998. It

the house!" It was so good to see them again! I had the opportunity to meet my great-grandsons for the first time. I just cried when I seen Brother Huse and Mrs.

They send their LOVE and PRAYERS to the people of Mescalero. I didn't want to leave them but, Sanger is their home now.

*-Thank you for reading this!*

*December 2015 cover page*



## Apache Scout

*Administration*

### Apache Scout Cover Page Contest

Deadline: MARCH 19, 2018 BEFORE NOON

Winner will be announced in April edition of the Scout

All artist welcome!

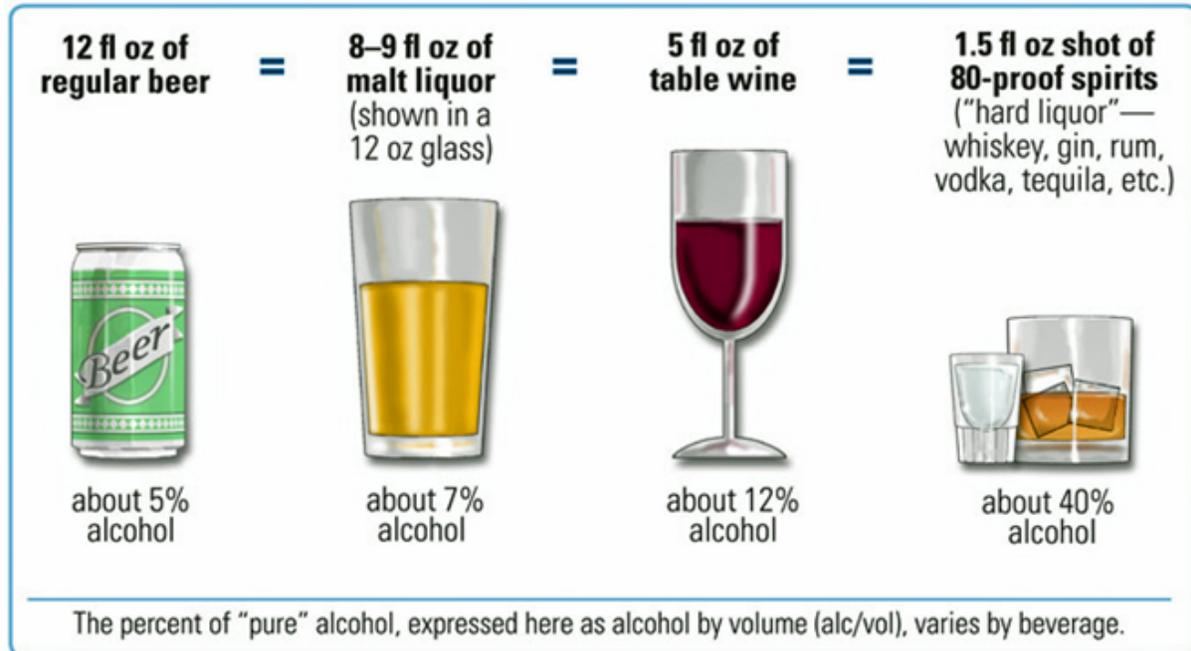
Any format, digital or hand draw

Prize will be announced in next Scout; March edition

Contact Elaina Via at the Tribal Offices for more information

# Something to THINK about

In 2010, alcohol misuse cost the United States \$249.0 billion  
Three-quarters of the total cost of alcohol misuse is related  
to binge drinking



## Binge Drinking:

\*NIAAA defines binge drinking as a pattern of drinking that brings blood alcohol concentration (BAC) levels to 0.08 g/dL. This typically occurs

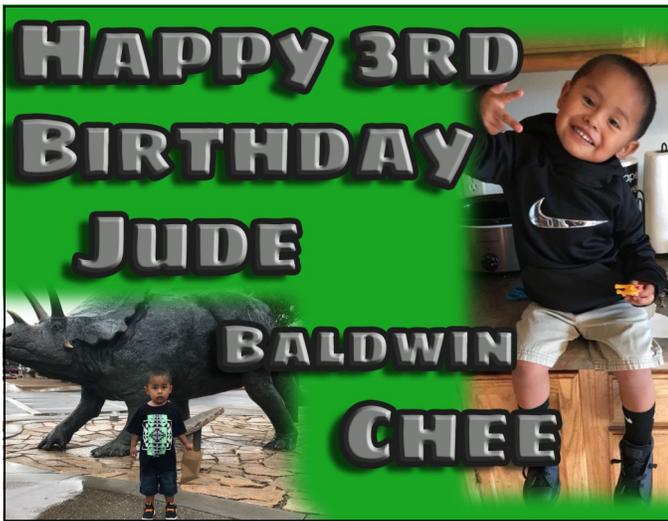
after 4 drinks for women and 5 drinks for men—in about 2 hours.

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), which conducts the annual National Survey on Drug Use and Health (NSDUH), defines binge drinking as 5 or more alcoholic drinks for males or 4 or more alcoholic drinks for females on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past month.

\*National Institute on Alcohol Abuse & Alcoholism

**We may not be immune, but we can be aware.**

Mescalero Prevention Program 464-4516 "Working WITH our Community" to Prevent Adult Binge Drinking



Happy Birthday !!!!!

Sheyenne Casares February 08

May God bless you with many more.

You're the shining star in our lives.

We love and cherish you very much.

Grandma Rena & family, auntie Lozen & EJ, Uncle BBO & family, Sheen & kids,  
Grandpa Maynard & family.

From his abundance we have all received one gracious blessing after another.

John 1:16

*December Birthdays*

Lucinda Flores 6th

Bud Apachito 12th

Jamal Apachito 19th

Kenley Apachito 21st

Jacob Dallas 25th

*January Birthdays*

Irwin Apachito 4th

Joseph Dallas 4th

Troy Blaylock Sr 10th

Jerome Apachito 18th

*February Birthdays*

Auntie Bernadette 3rd

Columbine Treas 16th

Christopher Loretto 16th

We would like to say Happy Birthday to our Family Members. Sorry if we forgot anybody.

From: Irwin & Collette & Fam. (Apachito's)

Trudy Blaylock & Fam.

Ernestina Garcia & Fam.

Trina Dallas & Fam.

Bartolo Garcia & Fam.

*February 9th*

*Happy 82nd Birthday Grandma Norma Adams! We love you very much! From: Charlene, Mike, Damian, David, De-Shawna & Kids*

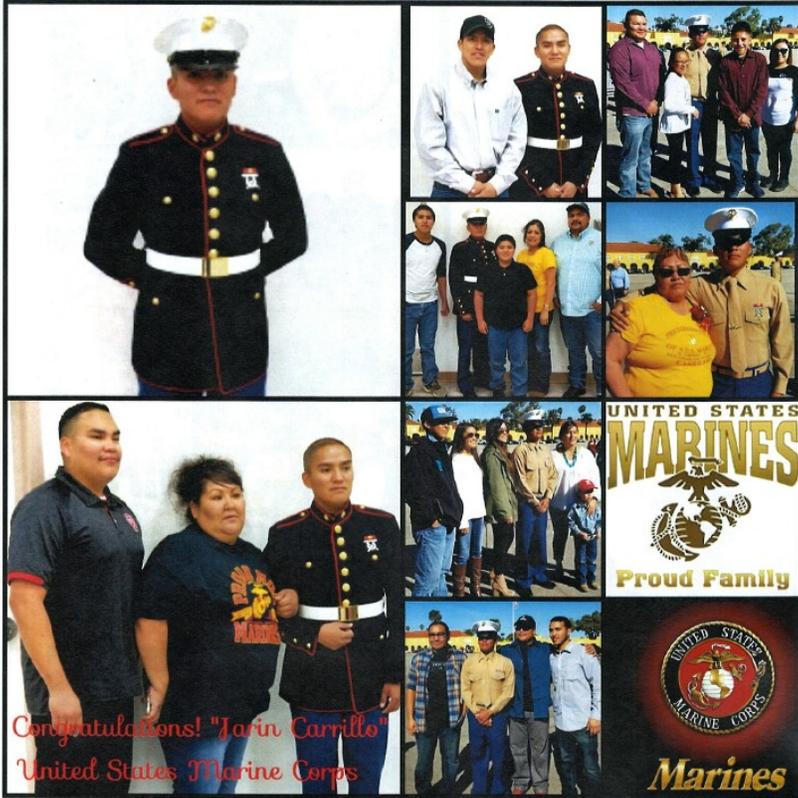
*February 15th*

*Happy 15th Birthday Kayla Mermaid! We love you! We are so proud of you! From: Grandma Char, Auntie Shawna & family*

*February 9th*

*Happy Birthday Delton Treas! 45! From: Brenda Youngman*

*Congratulation's Jarin L. Carrillo*



*We are Proud of you and we all Love you, from  
family & friends.*



Cheryl Toadlena was the winner of the quilt raffled on December 20, 2017. Thanks to everyone for buying a chance.  
~Brenda Lester

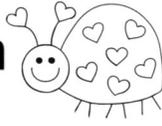
**Happy Birthday** 

**Harry Potter** **Tanner Kinzhuma**

**February 11<sup>th</sup>** 

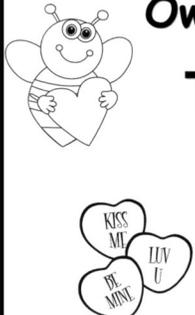
From: Mom, Taylor, Baby Taylor  
& Twins

**Happy Birthday To Our Very Own Little Valentine**

**Taylor Smith** 

**February 14<sup>th</sup>**

Love, Mommy,Daddy  
Tanner & Twins



**Happy Happy Birthday!**



*Class of 2018*

<b>Charolotte</b>	<b>Myron</b>
<b>Mary Naiche</b>	<b>Naiche Kinzhuma</b>
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We Love You!	
From All Your Family & Mom In Heaven	

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