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The Fant Family's American Dream in Small-Town USA

Celebrating 49 Years of Joy and Prosperity

For 49 years, the Fant family has lived the American dream in the small-town USA. Their journey is a testament to hard work, perseverance, and the unwavering support of their community.

The Beginnings

The Fant family's story began when they moved to this charming town, seeking a peaceful and fulfilling life. They embraced the opportunities that came their way, establishing roots and building a life filled with love and happiness.

Business Endeavors

From Modest Beginnings to Diversified Ventures

The Fant family's entrepreneurial spirit has been a driving force behind the establishment of numer-



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ous businesses over the years. Their commerce journey began with a humble butcher shop next to Besarails Market in Miami. This modest start soon expanded into a convenience market and butcher shop in Wheatfields, showcasing

their ability to identify and meet the needs of their community.

As the Fant family continued to build their presence in Miami, they diversified their offerings with a coin laundry service, catering to the practical needs of daily

life. The cinnamon rolls shop on Latham Blvd captured the locals' hearts and soon evolved into the first Old Mine Shaft Pizza. The shop became a beloved destination, known for its delectable pizza and cinnamon rolls, which drew

in crowds from near and far. Unfortunately, a fire brought an untimely end to this cherished establishment, leaving many residents longing for its return. Even today, the question "When will you do pizza and cinnamon rolls again?" echoes through the community, a testament to the lasting impact of Lorna's culinary creations.

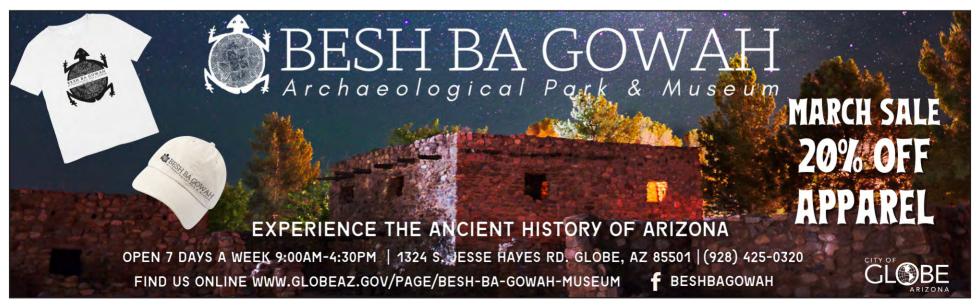
Diversification remained a key strategy for the Fant family as they ventured into new territories. The Old Mine Shaft Pizza, a unique concept, operated in three locations in Miami, each time adapting to their customers' changing tastes and preferences. This ability to innovate and evolve helped cement their reputation as forward-thinking

entrepreneurs.

Their innovative approach extended to agriculture with Miami Indoor Farms. housed in the old Miami Mercantile Store. Here, the Fant family experimented with hemp cultivation, exploring the possibilities of sustainable indoor farming and contributing to the local economy in new and exciting ways. This venture demonstrated their commitment to staying ahead of industry trends and investing in the future.

Many locals still ask, "When will you make cinnamon rolls again?" This repeated query highlights the fond memories of their past ventures and the community's unwavering support and anticipation for

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COMMUNITY

Globe Active Adult Center News & Menu

Hello from the Globe Active Adult Center. Video Exercise Tuesdays and Thursdays 8am. Stretch and Flex 9:30am on Tuesdays and Wednesdays Thursdays. and Fridays Bingo 9am. Wednesday Ceramics at 9am and Friday Crafts at 9am. Wednesday Biscuits & Gravy 7:30am \$ per bowl. PGCSC/SHIP and Ombudsman Education every 2nd Tuesdays of the month. Alzheimer's Support Group every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 11am. Birthday Party every 3rd Thursday of the month. Benefits Assistance Pinal-Gila Council at 1-800-293-9393. Lunch

served Monday thru Friday at 11:45am, 60 and over is \$2.50 per meal, under 60 \$5 per meal, located at 579 S. Broad St. Phone 928-425-9030.

Thursday, March Stretch & Flex 9:30am No CLASS/Birthday Party 11am Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Brussel Sprouts, Wheat Mandarin Oranges

Friday, March 21 Bingo 9am and Crafts 9am

Ham Sandwich, Lettuce/ Tom, Coleslaw, Pea Salad, Wheat Bun, Pineapple

Monday, March 24 Open Activities/THEMA-Presentation11am

Baked Chicken. Ranch Beans, Broccoli, Wheat Bread, Vanilla Wafer, Apri-

Tuesday, March 25 Video Exercise 8am/Stretch & Flex 9:30am

Ham/Lima Beans, Broccoli, Biscuit, Mandarin Or-

Wednesday, March 26 Biscuits/Gravy 7:30am/Bingo 9am/Ceramics 9am

Swiss Steak, Broccoli w/ Cheese Sauce, Mixed Veggies, Wheat Bread, Apple-

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Michael Guerrero Sr., Past Grand Master, Arizona Odd Fellows,

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GLOBE, AZ – Cobre Valley Regional Medical Center (CVRMC) is excited to announce the future opening of its much-anticipated "Highway 60 Clinic," a walk-in clinic located near Cal Ranch and Walmart. This new facility is set to provide essential healthcare services to the community, offering a convenient option for those seeking immediate medical attention without the need for an appointment.

The journey to establish the Highway 60 Clinic has not been without challenges. The initial plans for the clinic encountered an unexpected delay when it was discovered that the proposed location fell within a designated floodway.

Determined to bring this vital service to the community, CVRMC worked with local and federal agencies to reassess the flood maps that impacted the clinic's location. Through extensive modeling, updated maps were drawn to better reflect the actual conditions of the area. CVRMC then submitted a request for a Letter of Map Revision (LOMR) to the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), requesting an official change to the flood designation.

On July 29, FEMA issued a LOMR, paving the way for the new clinic. The new facility will offer extend hours to walk-in patients, providing a convenient, affordable option for healthcare services. While the specific timeline for construction and opening is still being finalized, the team is working diligently to bring the project to completion as swiftly as possible.

CVRMC is committed to keeping the community informed as progress continues. Updates on the clinic's development will be shared regularly, with a focus on ensuring that residents are aware of the new healthcare options that will soon be available.

The opening of the Highway 60 Clinic represents a significant step forward in CVRMC's mission to provide comprehensive, accessible healthcare to the region. The medical center looks forward to welcoming patients to this new facility and continuing its tradition of high-quality care for the community.







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928-425-2340 • 141 N Hill St, Globe (Cedar & Hill) Sunday Service 10:30am Office 9am-12pm Office Mon, Tues 8am - 4pm, Wed 8am - Noon stpaulsumcglobe@gmail.com

Wheatfields Southern Baptist Church Pastor Jimmy Powers

928-425-3601 • 276 E Green Ave, Globe Sun. School 9:45am, Worship 11am Tue. Bible Study 10am

Globe Christian Center Pastor John Gooding, 928-425-7846

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Seventh-Day Adventist Church Pastor David Hakes, 423-314-1686

2407 E Ash St, Globe Sat. Bible Study 9:30am, Worship 11am

Miami Church of Christ Minister Robin Verdugo

928-473-3989 • 735 N Sullivan St, Miami Sun. Worship 10am, Bible Study 6 pm Thu. Ladies' Night Class 6:30pm

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928-425-8345 or 928-358-2612 201 E Yuma St, Globe (by Tri-City) Sun. School 9:45am, Worship 11am Wed. Worship 6:30pm

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928-473-3158 305 W Live Oak St, Miami Sun. Worship 9:30am

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Family Fellowship Church Pastors Kenneth, Dennis & Scott Crick

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928-467-2349

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First Presbyterian Church - PC (USA) Pastor Troy Agema

928-425-5560 318 S Hill St, Globe & PO Box 1362 Sun. School 9:45am, Worship 11am

The Relationship Between Fear and Anger

By Greg S. Baker
Pastor of First Baptist
Church of Miami.

There is a direct correlation between fear and anger. It is common to become angry over what we fear. It is almost an instinctual reaction. But understanding this relationship may help us in controlling our anger.

Our greatest fears are the result of what we do not understand which creates insecurity. Our minds create the worst possible scenario for a given situation. This creates insecurity, which creates fear, and fear can create anger.

UNDERSTANDING FEAR'S RELATIONSHIP WITH ANGER

When we are insecure, we fear we will be robbed of things we hold important. For example, suppose that a strange man calls up wanting to talk to a husband's wife, and he refuses to explain why or to identify himself. The husband will think of the worst possible scenario regarding his wife and this strange man. This will lead to anger.

The reaction of this husband's anger is based on his insecurities. Because he fears the loss of his wife in some capacity—physically,

emotionally, or even that of not being good enough for her—he will react in anger. The Bible says that jealousy is the rage of a man (Proverbs 6:34).

Our internal defenses are not well equipped to deal with fear. It can paralyze you. It can rob you of the ability to think. It can create fear upon fear. For most people, the only effective means of combating fear is with anger.

HOW ANGER COMBATS FEAR

Anger provides us with a weapon to use against the source of our fears and insecurities. We hope to destroy, in some way, the basis of our fears and therefore be freed from our insecurities. In effect, we combat a strong, negative emotion with another strong and often negative emotion—anger. This is a very dangerous combination.

Angry people have many fears and insecurities. They feel vulnerable to others. Their defense is to lash out in anger. Thus insecurity produces fear, and most people combat fear with anger. Indeed, insecure people are the most prone to anger.

Secure individuals, on the other hand, are the least

angry. And in this realization are the keys to controlling fear and therefore anger.

CONTROLLING YOUR FEAR AND YOUR ANGER

Being confident in your identity, especially regarding God, will invariably reduce your fear and anger. Being secure in yourself and in what you have makes you much more accepting of others, their problems, and their own fears. This security means you are less inclined to defend yourself, attack others, or react with anger or fear.

When I see an angry person, I also see a fearful person. They fear something. It could be the loss of prestige, fame, money, relationships, being alone, being disliked, being rejected, or even the loss of more mundane and material goods. Either way, an angry person is also a fearful and insecure person.

But the person who seeks understanding and is secure in who he or she is will invariably be less fearful. Knowing your identity in Christ is a huge step in this. Being secure in God's love is key. After all, perfect love casts out fear (1 John 4:18 and 2 Timothy 1:7).

To learn more, go to fbcmiami.com.

Worship Directory

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928-651-2191 425 N Devereaux St, Globe Sun. Service 10am Tues Service 6:30 pm Wed. Prayer 6:30 pm

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, LCMC Pastor Barry Schwenk, 928-425-6006

750 W Paxton Ave, Miami Sunday School 3:30 - 4:30 p.m Wed. night Adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Sun. Worship 10 am • splcaz.org

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512-635-1910 | 630 N Devereaux St, Globe Sun. School 9am, Worship 10am, Wed. Bible Study 7pm

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928-425-4740 | 1362 S Hagen Rd, Globe Sun. Worship 11am contact@trinitybaptistglobeaz.org trinitybaptistglobeaz.org

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928-200-4358 | 226 Holly Rd., Globe Sun. School 9:45 am Sun. Worship 11 a.m.

Central Heights Baptist Church Pastor Rob Craig,

928-425-5303 | 5468 Apache Ave, Globe Sun. School (all ages) 9:45am Sun. Worship Services & Childrens Church 11am (Nursery available) Sun. Evening Worship Service 6pm Wed. Bible Study/Prayer Meeting 6pm For all other services and events visit: centralheightsbaptistchurch.org

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First Southern Baptist Church, Miami Pastor Gary McPherson

928-473-3311 920 Live Oak St, Miami, AZ Sun. B'fast 9:00am, Sun. School 9:45am Sun Worship 11am & 6pm Wed. Prayer Meeting 6pm



Gila County Community Needs Assessment Survey

Gila County Residents, what are your needs? We would like to hear from you. Please take our anonymous survey and get the chance to win a grocery store gift card!

Share your experiences, thoughts and opinions about employment, health care, housing, and—quality of life or barriers you've experienced obtaining basic needs such as food, utilities or childcare.

Go to the link below to complete an anonymous survey and make your voice heard. Become a part of Gila County Community Services' county-wide needs assessment study, conducted every few years to take the pulse of our community, determine needs and help provide services where they are needed.

Online surveys are anonymous and take less than five minutes:

English survey:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Gila2025eng Spanish survey:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Gila2025esp

This survey is geared towards Gila County residents only and providers who serve our community.

Per our consultants, please do not share the flyers on social media, as this will result in extensive data cleaning.

Lasting Actions for Healthy Mothers and Babies

Free Class Series Starts March 19

Whether you're a new mom. expecting--or planning your pregcomprehensive nancy, new classes are offered AZYP under through the Lasting Actions for Healthy Mothers and Babies program. There is a total of eight classes on healthy pregnancy and childbirth.

Subjects taught in these classes are nutrition while you are pregnant, breathing techniques to help with labor and delivery, breastfeeding and new baby care.

This program offers case management, which follows you through your pregnancy journey and



after for any help you need with your pregnancy and new baby needs. This program is here to help all mothers and families to have healthier outcomes. Classes are every eight weeks, conveniently online via Zoom.

These classes are free and taught by CAPPA Certified Childbirth and Lactation Educator Charlene Becker; call Charlene at 928-812-0555 to enroll, sign-up online at AZYP.org/lahmb, or email Charlene@azyp.org.

Eight women completed the debut class seriesone shared this comment: "I've loved these classes so far; they've been very informative and helpful through my pregnancy. After going through IVF, I've had a lot of questions that have been answered during these classes about both pregnancy and breastfeeding. 10/10 would recommend to all pregnant women in the community!"

This program is made possible thanks to the funding from the Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA). After completing all eight classes, all participants will receive a care package including an infant car seat, pack and play, a breast pump and free diapers. Sign up online at AZYP.org/lahmb

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Globe-Miami's next delivery will be April 5; these are arranged and even loaded into waiting vehicles by staff from Gila County Public Health & Community Services on the First Saturday each month.

Contents to be delivered April 5 remain unknown until the Friday prior to that Saturday morning delivery, when another 50 boxes will be distributed in the Tractor Supply parking lot for one hour from 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

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Southern Gila County 2025 Pre-Fire Season Meeting a "Huge Success"

For nearly a decade, Gila County District 2 Supervisor Tim Humphrey has convened an interagency roundtable of first responders for a pre-fire-season meeting.

Supervisor Humphrey has hosted the fire meetings now for nine years in a row, coordinating with Gila County Emergency Management staff, the Gila County Sheriff's Office and a thorough array of first responders, state and federal agencies.

The Feb. 27 meeting included representatives of the Tonto Basin Fire District; Arizona Water Company; Arizona Public Service; the United States Forest Service—both Tonto National Forest and Globe and the Arizona Department of Transportation, as well as Gila County Public Works; Gila County Public Health



and Deputy County Manager Michael O'Driscoll.

Gila County Emergency Manager Carl Melford called Sup. Humphrey's Fire Wise Meeting "a huge success," bringing together "Gila County officials as well as a large presence of both government and non-government partners that play a role in wildfire response."

"The hot topic of discussion this year was the current drought and its effect on our upcoming wildfire season," Melford explained. "These meetings provide an opportunity for response partners to learn about

the anticipated conditions of the wildfire season and share information about preparedness measures and response strategies/capabilities.

He asks Gila County residents to "remain mindful that the lack of winter moisture puts us at high risk for wildfires."

"Although the risk is high, response agencies are ever vigilant and will rise to the occasion any time disaster strikes," Melford said.

Read more about Fire Wise landscaping and preparation at https://www.ready-gila.com/

Property Tax Reminder

Treasurer Monica Wohlforth would like to remind property taxpayers the second half installment of their 2024 property tax, which was due Saturday, March 1, 2025, becomes delinquent at 5 p.m. Thursday, May 1, 2025.

For more information, visit the Treasurer's Office page on the Gila County website:

https://www.gilacountyaz.gov/government/treasurer/index.php

Public Service Announcement

UPDATE: FRIENDS OF THE NRA (NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION)

Cobre Valley Friends of the NRA are back with a very Special Invite.

Dinner/Auction Fundraiser on April 5, 2024, will be held at the Gila County Fairgrounds. Located on Hwy. 60 (North to Show Low) Globe, Arizona. Doors will open at 4 P.M. No early birds

please. Expect lines
To be long as usual.

Tickets are \$75.00 each, only 150 available left for purchase. Cutoff date for dinner tickets is April 2. unless all are sold. Included will be a Steak Dinner, Potato, Salad, Side Dishes, Desert, and All the Trimmings with your Admission. Dinner to be served at 6 P.M.

Otherwise, latecomers to the Event will pay \$75.00 for the admission and have a fun time at a chance to enjoy all the games, auctions, bucket draws, silent auctions and tons of the best of best prizes.

There will be a No Host Bar

You will be able to buy ticket packages at the Event, you do not have to be an NRA Member to participate.

You may call Scottie at (214)724-3436 or Ashley at (214) 724-3969 or email depash@gmail.com. Chuck Willis at the Globe/Miami Gun Club at (520)284-0193, or you can go online www.friendsofnra.org for more information and purchases. We members will also have dinner tickets and packages for you to purchase as well. If you would like to become a member contact any of the numbers, I have posted for you. Please put us on your calendar, we look forward to seeing our friends and patrons. God Bless America, Our Rights The 2a Amendment. MI post more updates soon. Press Release by Wendy Baughman









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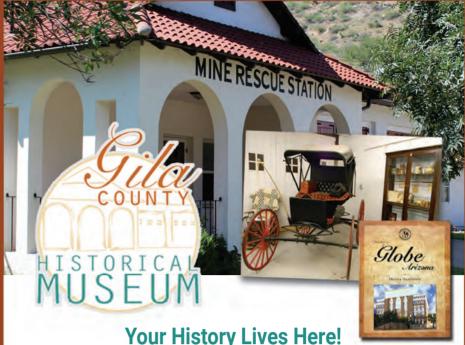
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COMMUNITY

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what the Fant family will do next. Their entrepreneurial journey, marked by resilience, adaptability, and a deep connection to their roots, continues to inspire and shape the business landscape in Miami and beyond.

As we reflect on the Fant family's business endeavors, it is clear that our success is built on a foundation of hard work, innovation, and a genuine passion for serving our community. From the early days of a butcher shop to the diverse businesses established, the Fant family's legacy is one of perseverance and progress. Their story reminds them of the transformative power of entrepreneurship and the enduring impact of family values in business.

One business that has

survived to this day is our twenty-five-year-old Machining, located at 618 & 700 W Sullivan St. This establishment not only houses all the latest hightech equipment but has also recently evolved into an on-the-job training center. It provides graduating high school students and other community members opportunities to explore new career ideas, further showcasing the Fant family's commitment to innovation and community support.

Community Involvement

Over the years, the family has become an integral part of the community. The Fant family has fostered strong connections with their neighbors and friends, from participating in local events to volunteering at charity organizations. Their commitment to the communi-

ty has helped them thrive and feel a deep sense of belonging.

Achievements and Milestones

Throughout their journey, the Fant family has achieved numerous milestones. They have grown businesses, pursued education, and celebrated countless personal accomplishments. Their success reflects the opportunities and support available in the small-town USA.

Family Values

The Fant family values togetherness, respect, and kindness. These principles have guided them through challenges and triumphs, creating a harmonious and loving household. Their dedication to nurturing each other and their community has been the cornerstone of their happiness.

Looking Forward

As the Fant family celebrates their 49th anniversary in small-town USA, they look forward to many more years of joy and prosperity. Their story inspires others, demonstrating the power of community, hard work, and unwavering support.

The Fant family's journey is a beautiful example of the American dream, showcasing the possibilities that arise when one embraces the spirit of small-town life.

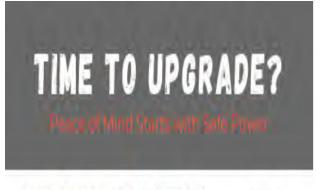
As blessed parents, Lorna and Elvin, of our four children, Elvin Jr., Cardella, Chris, and Joe, we give credit and thanks to the God of the Universe and His Son, Jesus Christ. Their guidance and blessings have been central to our family's journey, providing us strength, wisdom, and unwavering faith.













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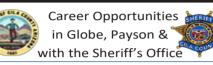
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JOB VACANCY LIST

Casino Resort Human Resource Office or visit our website at www.apache gold-casino.com to see our latest vacancy listing. Applications must be submitted to the Human Resources Office by 4:00 P.M. on/or before the

updated: January 22, 2025						
POSITION TITLE:	LOCATION	DEPARTMENT	WAGE	AGE REQUIREMENT	OPENING DATE	CLOSING DATE
Slot Tech, Full-Time	Apache Sky	Slots	\$16.04 per hour	21 and Over	1/22/2025	Until Filled
Server, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Convention Center	\$11.35 per hour +Tips	19 and Over	1/22/2025	Until Filled
Maintenance Tech, Full-Time (3)	Apache Gold	Facilities	\$15.24 per hour	21 and Over	1/22/2025	2/11/2025
Revenue Auditor, Full-Time	Apache Sky	Finance	\$14.59 per hour	21 and Over	1/22/2025	Until Filled
Surveillance Technician, Full-Time	Apache Sky	Surveillance	DOE	21 and Over	1/21/2025	Until Filled
Maintenance Tech, Full-Time	Apache Sky	Facilities	\$14.59 per hour	21 and Over	1/17/2025	Until Filled
Cage Cashier, Part-Time	Apache Gold	Cage	\$14.35 per hour +Tips	21 and Over	1/17/2025	Until Filled
Bartender, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Point Sports Bar	\$11.35 per hour +Tips	21 and Over	1/16/2025	Until Filled
Players Club CSR, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Players Club	\$14.35 per hour	21 and Over	1/14/2025	Until Filled
Count Team Manager, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Count Team	Starting Salary	21 and Over	1/13/2025	Until Filled
Surveillance Officer, Full-Time	Apache Sky	Surveillance	\$14.59 per hour	21 and Over	1/13/2025	Until Filled
Surveillance Supervisor, Full-Time	Apache Sky	Surveillance	\$17.65 per hour	21 and Over	1/13/2025	Until Filled
Night Auditor, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Hotel	\$14.59 per hour	18 and Over	1/13/2025	2/3/2025
Front Desk Supervisor, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Hotel	\$16.04 per hour	18 and Over	1/10/2025	Until Filled
Housekeeper, Full-time (2)	Apache Sky	Housekeeping	\$14.35 per hour	21 and Over	1/10/2025	1/31/2025
Revenue Auditor, Part-Time	Apache Gold	Finance	\$14.59 per hour	21 and Over	12/26/2024	Until Filled
Busser, Part-Time	Apache Gold	Steakhouse	\$12.59 per hour +Tips	18 and Over	12/19/2024	Until Filled
Supervisor, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Black River Grill	\$16.04 per hour	18 and Over	12/11/2024	Until Filled
Surveillance Officer, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Surveillance	\$14.59 per hour	21 and Over	12/10/2024	12/31/2024
Convention Coordinator, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Convention Center	Starting Salary	21 and Over	12/5/2024	Until Filled
Groundskeeper, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Facilities	\$14.35 per hour	21 and Over	10/24/2024	Until Filled
Sales Clerk, Part-Time (2)	Apache Gold	Cutter Quick Stop	\$14.35 per hour	18 and Over	10/24/2024	Until Filled
Lead Slot Tech, Full-Time	Apache Gold	Slots	DOE	21 and Over	10/15/2024	Until Filled

- Non-Gaming Position

 Continuous vacancies Applications are accepted on a year round basis to be retained on file and will be referred to fill any current and/or future vacancies.
- Until filled vacancies Applications are accepted until the position has been filled
- . Current team members must submit a transfer form along with an application (see Policy 205)

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Your leadership skills will be useful at work as you negotiate a big contract. Additionally, your proactive approach will help you navigate challenges and resolve



You'll need to compromise to achieve harmony at work or home. An exercise of patience will be required as you navigate confusing and amusing situations.



Financial stress may loom over you. Seek guidance from a qualified professional to ease your concerns. Taking this step will help you manage your anxiety.



Your dynamism and enthusiasm will boost your income and help you enjoy life to the fullest. You'll find the resources you need to indulge and unwind. An unforgettable vacation week awaits you.

SCORPIO

Carefully review all your bills to avoid any financial issues. Vigilantly checking for errors can help you sidestep complications and ensure everything adds up

SAGITTARIUS

Take time to reflect before diving into a new adventure that could significantly alter your life. Other opportunities will likely present themselves in the coming days.

CAPRICORN

Prepare for a whirlwind of social activities and new connections at work this week. Remember to carve out some time for vourself to relax and recharge.

AOUARIUS

Whether at work or in your personal life, you'll organize a large-scale event aimed at bringing people together. Your commitment to your community will be called upon, and it will be impossible for you to

PISCES

You'll embark on an enriching spiritual journey that will help your social life flourish and introduce you to interesting individuals. This experience will help cultivate new friendships and improve your overall well-being.

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