

MARCH 2012

BUSINESS OF THE MONTH

Congratulations Freeman Farms; You are the Chino Valley Area Business of the Month!



Receiving the Chamber's Business of the Month Award at February Luncheon

Freeman Farms has been an active CVArea Chamber member since 2008. Their Pumpkin Festival is attended by thousands annually, making Freeman Farms a wonderful asset to Chino Valley and surrounding communities.

Freeman Farms spearheads several educational programs teaching students responsible and eco-friendly agricultural practices, such as the use of underground watering systems. Raising and selling American Saddlebred and Friesian horses rolls into involvement with local equestrian events as well.

As if Freeman Farms was not notable enough, Norm Freeman, Commissioner of AZ's Fish and Game Department, has been instrumental in bringing the shooting range to Chino Valley. This shooting range which will result in elevated revenues locally.

ARIZONA'S CENTENNIAL @ THE CHINO VALLEY AREA CHAMBER



Celebrating Arizona's Centennial in Chino Valley, Wanda Hinkhouse of the Tea Pot Inn (right of Ab) and Vera Flores, a Member of Chino Valley Quilters (left of Ab), presented an artisan quilt to the Chino Valley Area Chamber of Commerce. The quilt depicts elements of Arizona statehood commemorating the Del Rio Springs monument, including the cement it is anchored in! Wanda chose the Del Rio Springs monument theme, because it marks the first location from which Camp Whipple operated as Arizona's first Territorial Government Jan 22, to May 18, 1864.—marking Arizona's first Territorial Capital.

This quilt will be professionally framed and will hang in our Chino Valley Area Chamber of Commerce office, as a reminder of Chino Valley's less known significance in Arizona history.

On hand for the presentation were Kay Jones, President of the Chino Valley Historical Society; Bobbie Wicks, former CV Post Master, presently with the Historical Society; Chamber Volunteers Smokey and Sally Reiner, Nancy Best and Velma McCall; Chamber staff Deborah Valentine and Beverly Ervin, with President / CEO Ab Jackson. Ab sends out his personal invitation to Chamber Members and the Public to stop in to see Wanda's beautiful tribute to Arizona.



PRESIDENT'S DAY AT THE FEBRUARY 8 LUNCHEON



Past Board President and past Town Councilwoman, Virginia Reid, was recognized by current Board Chair, Leonda Armstrong.



Past Board President and current Prescott Councilman, Charlie Arnold, is recognized by Dr. Leonda Armstrong.



Bonnie Hayes was 2008-2009 Chamber President and 2006 Reid-Kaecker Volunteer of the Year.



Karrie Blum, 2005-2006 Board President receives a President's Day mug.



Ab Jackson thanks current Chairwoman of the Chamber Board, Dr. Leonda Armstrong.

80 ATTEND CHAMBER'S FEBRUARY LUNCHEON



New Town Manager
Robert Smith
Addresses Chamber
Business Luncheon
at Gabby's Restaurant



Norm Freeman Speaking for Freeman Farms
CV Area Chamber Business of the Month



Board Chair, Leonda Armstrong
Welcomes New Member
Wade's Custom Meats & Processing



Great Participation from
February's Luncheon Crowd

FULL HOUSE AT FEBRUARY CHAMBER MIXER



Former Chamber Board
Member, Pastor Eric
Woods, joins Chamber
President and CEO Ab
Jackson at February Mixer



2010 & 2011 Reid-Kaecker Volunteers
of the Year, Susan Tobey (Mike) and
Kay Jones (Harvey).



The Learning Center is
Packed for the Mixer



Karen Rockhold (We Can Help You, LLC)
and Jackie Nance (The Learning Center)
were Co-hosts of the February Mixer

CHINO VALLEY SHOOTING FACILITY

A large crowd attended the February 9th ground-breaking of the Chino Valley Shooting Facility in Old Home Manor master planned vicinity. Chino Valley's Town Council, the Arizona Game and Fish Department, Chino Valley Police Department, and the Prescott Sportsmen's Club officials grabbed shovels to officially christen the site.

Arizona Fish and Game Commissioner, Norm Freeman, thanked the Town for its support in creating the Range. On a sidenote, Freeman Farms was also chosen as the CVArea Chamber's February Business of the Month. Chamber CEO, Ab Jackson, commented on the importance of the facility to Chino Valley's Tourism and Economic Development Programs. Jackson said, "Congratulations to the Town, Chief Chuck Wynn and Commissioner Freeman. Imagine all the guests to our Town and facilities like the future KOA."



Left to right
Councilmen
Dean Echols and
Darryl Croft,
Councilwoman
Linda Hatch,
Councilman
Mike Best and
Mayer Chris Marley



AZ Fish & Game Commissioner,
Norm Freeman (above)



Ground breaking at the
Chino Valley Shooting Facility

Former Vice Mayor Joel Baker (back to camera) chats with Chamber President, Ab Jackson. Also pictured: Chamber Board Members: Kay (and Harvey) Jones, and Rick Nichols. Baker was accompanied by Former Chamber President and Councilwoman, Virginia Reid. Also pictured are Councilmen Echols and Croft, with Supervisor Candidate (and Chamber Member) Craig Brown on the far right.



FEBRUARY WAS A BUSY MONTH FOR THE CV AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

FEBRUARY 22 AT AROMA PIZZA



Chamber Staff, Members and Volunteers Enjoy Good Eats at Aroma Pizza – Ab’s Favorite is Aroma’s Lasagna!

March 22nd Aroma Pizza enjoyed its official Ribbon Cutting with Chamber Staff, Members and Volunteers Celebrating

TIBETAN NEW YEAR CELEBRATED FEBRUARY 25th AT THE GARCHEN INSTITUTE



Panoramic Views from Every Angle

It was a WINDY Day at the Garchen, Where Flags Panoramic Views from Every Angle Blew Decoratively



After a Delicious and Healthy Meal, Trisha Lamb, Garchen Manager, speaks with CV Area Chamber Board Treasurer, Kay Jones and Kay’s Husband Harvey – Volunteer Driver to the Festivities



Colorful offerings in the Temple with Words of Wisdom and Humility

**ATTEND MARCH
CHAMBER ACTIVITIES**

MARCH 14
Business Luncheon

MARCH 21
After Hours Mixer at
Chase Bank, CV

CLOSED: March 9

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*To promote economic
growth, serve as a voice
for the business
community, and
enhance the quality of
life for Chino Valley.*

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Ab Jackson, President & CEO
Deborah Valentine, Office Manager
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NEWS FROM BEV

Bev says there is a good chance EXPO visitors will see BERNIE, Sundog mascot, March 17th, at the Heritage Middle School Gym. See details below.

TIP FROM WANDA TINKHOUSE

Wanda owned a quilting shop in Yuma Arizona before coming to Chino Valley to help her sister, Vera, with the Teapot Inn. Wanda says that each person has a unique slant when using cutting instruments. Therefore it is important to keep a pair of scissors, cutting wheels and other such devises for your own personal use to maintain the sharpest edges.

UPCOMING EVENTS

See Attached Flyers!



**5TH ANNUAL
HEALTH & BUSINESS EXPO
ST. PATRICK'S DAY
MARCH 17, 2012
10 AM - 3 PM**

Saturday morning, March 17th, a HELICOPTER will be landing at Herritage Middle School where this year's **Health & Business EXPO** will be held! Bring family and friends to the EXPO in the Gymnasium at 1076 N. Road 1 West (Road 2 North & Road 1 West intersection).

Kids will enjoy Guidance Aviation's helicopter, Fire and Police Department vehicles, Chino Transit bus, and tractors onsite. Entertainment will include Boots & Bustles Western Heritage Performers in costume, and Body Language representatives doing Tai Chi. Face painting available to the young and young-at-heart. With the luck of the Irish, it will be a beautiful day – in any event, fun and educational.

Over 60 exhibitors providing free medical screenings, freebies and information, with prize drawings all day. Bruce's Loco Dogs will be back with Chino's best hot dogs & drinks.

We'll be seeing you there, sporting our best green duds.

I STAND CORRECTED

Name correction for New Member,
SONORA QUEST LABS.

**THANK YOU
FEBRUARY VOLUNTEERS**

Your assistance is GREATLY appreciated!

Nancy Best
Kay & Harvey Jones
Velma McCall
Rick Nichols
Sally & Smokey Riner
Linda Tenney

FEBRUARY'S SWEETEST MOMENT

On Valentine's Day, Martin sent flowers from Nevada to his wife, Dr. Marie Cannata, School Psychologist with the CV Unified School District, not an easy task in a town that does not have a local florist shop. Marie was ecstatic to receive flowers at her office after hours, about 7pm – she was working late as many dedicated residents do, making Chino Valley the best in the West.



**MARCH
BUSINESS LUNCHEON**

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14
11:30AM - 1:00PM**

ADMISSION: \$15 PER PERSON

*Reservations to the Chamber
By 2pm, Fri., March. 9*

*Because this is a restaurant
Admission will be charged
Whether eating or not.*

Guests Welcome

**LOCATION: GABBY'S RESTAURANT &
BANQUET HALL
2235 S HIGHWAY 89, CHINO VALLEY**

**Business of the Month and New
Member Recognition**

**Promote Your Business at the
Business TO Business Network Tables
Bring Prizes for Business Card Drawing**

50/50 CASH DRAWING

On A Formula For Success

by
Ab Jackson, CEO



You may remember the movie "When We Were Kings". The film won the 1996 Oscar for Best Documentary and is the story of the Heavyweight Championship fight between

George Foreman and Mohammed Ali set in Zaire in 1974. In promoting the fight, Ali claimed that Foreman would eventually punch himself out and that Ali would knock Foreman out and that is in fact what happened as Ali reclaimed the title after losing it several years earlier.

Ali was the greatest self-promoting athlete of all time. He was a master net-worker-the most recognized person on the planet. He worked hard at his craft and invested in the best trainers and handlers in boxing. He also was a student of boxing and learned from each contest.

Earlier this year I introduced a suggested four part formula for your business success. The formula mirrors Ali's pattern for success-Promote, Network, Invest and Learn.

We've had lots of promotion/investment opportunities for you so far this year. In August over forty organizations took advantage of promotion and sponsorship opportunities at our fourth annual Golf Tournament. In September, many of you had an entry in our Territorial Days Parade. Twenty organizations sponsored Tables at Winter Wonder VIII in November. A month later, many of those Organizations were back promoting themselves at Home-Town Chino Christmas. In January and February eleven Organizations took advantage of our best promotion value-the Platinum Sponsorship. And in March, we will have

WOW DISCOUNTED SUNDOG TICKETS FOR CHINO VALLEY AREA CHAMBER MEMBERS!

Sundog's Satish Athelli, affectionately known as "Catfish", offers the remaining Season's Hockey game tickets for \$10 ea. to active CV Chamber Members!

There are three games left and there are special game time events to take note of:

March 21 – Western Wednesday Theme

Dress Western; enjoy Western music while helping Sundogs break the all-time high record for the **LONGEST LINE DANCING on ICE** (no skates)!

March 23 – Friday After-Game Concert w/Drew

You must have tickets to the game to attend concert.

March 24 – Saturday Pre-Game Salute to Heros

Festivities honoring Fire & Police Department Heros.

Contact Catfish at (928) 759-6611 or email sathelli@arizonasundogs.com if needed.

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Sixty Exhibitors at our Fifth Annual Health and Business Expo. Wow!

During this fiscal year the Chamber has provided opportunities for you to Network at eight Business Luncheons and seven after-hours Mixers. Over 1,000 people have attended those functions so far this year.

The Chamber has offered opportunities to Learn about issues at the Business Luncheons, three Business-Educators Breakfasts and our Chino Valley Citizens Academy. In each monthly newsletter, I try to recommend a book for your business library (this month's suggestion is "Know Can Do" by Ken Blanchard and Paul J. Meyer).

Whether you exhibit or not, you don't want to miss the fifth annual Health and Business Expo at Heritage Middle School. This year we have 60 exhibitors. Boots and Bustles is on hand again for their historical re-enactments. And the best news of all-it's free. Come and experience all the fun on St. Patrick's Day in Chino Valley.

NOTES & NEWS

Homecoming, from Warrior to Citizen MATFORCE *See Attached Flyer

April 2, 2012, 9 am – 4:30 pm at the Prescott Resort, MATFORCE is sponsoring a conference on Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and substance abuse amongst Veterans. Low costs of \$25 for individuals and \$30 for families – to encourage family support systems. Seating is limited so call MATFORCE to register early (928) 708-0100.

REPUBLICAN WOMEN OF PRESCOTT OFFER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The Republican Women of Prescott will be awarding three \$1,000 scholarships to seniors graduating in 2012. Scholarship applications are available through the school counselors, or scholarship liaison, to those seniors attending school in the quad-city area of Prescott, Prescott Valley, Chino Valley and Dewey-Humboldt.

Students applying must meet all the criteria on the application and select one of the essay questions to submit to the scholarship committee. Applications must be received no later than April 1, 2012 said Sheryl Robinson, Scholarship Chairwoman. For more information about the Republican Women of Prescott Scholarship email Sheryl Robinson sarobinson@cablone.net or call (928) 899-8177.

HERITAGE PARK ZOOLOGICAL SANCTUARY **2012 Spring ZOO CAMP**



Join Heritage Park Zoological Sanctuary this spring for an exciting and fun experience at **Spring Zoo Camp**. This year's theme is "The Art of Nature: Camouflage, Bright Colors, Frills, Bills, Feathers and Fur!" Hurry now to call for your reservation, limited spots still available! Spring Session is March 12th through the 16th. Camp runs from 8:30am to 3:00pm Monday- Friday. Age groups are 6-8 year olds and 9-12 year olds. The cost per week is \$150/members and \$175/non-members. Children will get hands on experience with the animals, participate in games, and explore wildlife and nature by conducting wild investigations and creating amazing crafts. Don't miss the fun! For registration and more information visit our website at HeritageParkZoo.org or stop by HPZS gift shop for a brochure. Call 928-778-4242 x18. Pre-registration required.

HPZS is a local not-for-profit wildlife sanctuary and conservation triage staging facility for injured wild animals

REMINDERS:

Every Monday 4 - 5 pm Ab Jackson, President and CEO of Chino Valley Area Chamber of Commerce, Hosts *Talk of the Town* on KQNA (AM 1130 or on FM 99.9 or streaming live on kqna.com). Hear the latest news on what's up and what's coming as relates to Chino Valley area residents and business.

Also, the Canyon Radio @ 92.5 & 104.1FM is Now REWIND and you can listen live at <http://player.streamtheworld.com/liveplayer.php?CALLSIGN=KFLXFM>

HOMETOWN CHRISTMAS KICKOFF NEWS

The 2012 Hometown Christmas Kickoff Meeting, March 6th, was well attended. Organizing and scheduling with area organizations has begun for this year's event. For those who were not able to meet, and for those who are interested in volunteering in any capacity, please contact Ron Romley by email at rromley@aol.com. The next meeting will be May 8, 9am at the CV Area Chamber Meeting Rm., 175 E. Road 2 South. Your involvement will be appreciated!

PLEASE NOTE:

New CV Area Members are entitled to one free flyer to be attached to a Newsletter. If you have not utilized this membership benefit, please email an MS Word or PDF one page document to chamber@chinovalle.org.

NEW MEMBERSHIP BENEFIT OFFERED

The Chamber now has a banner on the Chino Valley Review ONLINE news cast, which sponsors the Weather Banner posted at the top right of the Review's front page, see Weather Banner at <http://chinovallereview.com/>

Our CV Area Chamber Banner will be posted by next week. We are offering our members opportunity to sponsor the Weather Banner on a weekly basis, making the cost affordable to small and larger businesses. Participating sponsors will have their name listed as the Weather Banner sponsor for the week. For more details, contact the Chamber office (928) 636-2493.

ONE LAST REQUEST

We are asking all CV Area Chamber Members to please check the CV Chamber website to verify the accuracy of your contact information and all spelling. Thank you.

THANK YOU RENEWING MEMBERS & 110% RENEWING MEMBERS ALL!

New Office Managers asks your apologies for not researching to know who you are. Nevertheless, you are important to our Chamber. Thank you for your contributions to the success of our local Chamber.

NEW & RETURNING CHAMBER MEMBERS

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Aroma Pizza

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Successful owner of two restaurants in Phoenix, 20 years in business, has brought pizza and Italian cuisine to Chino Valley: Homemade pizza, also by the slice, Calzones, Lazagna, Chicken Wings, Sandwiches, Salads.

Charlie Hall, Chino Valley Animal Fund

Circle L Animal Hospital, CV; (928) 636-4421

This 501(c)(3) non-profit established through Circle L Animal Hospital assists senior pet owners on fixed incomes with veterinary bills. Founder Charlie Hall and his wife were longtime residents of Chino Valley.

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Committee to Elect Craig Brown

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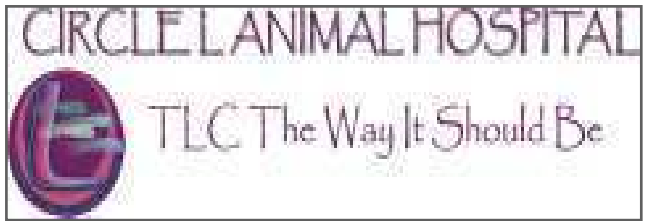
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We invite you to join us for our upcoming annual gala.

Come have a great time while doing great things for our community!

Belinda Gail



EXPERIENCE ARIZONA!

with esteemed Honorary Chair **Elisabeth Ruffner**
at the beautiful **PRESCOTT RESORT**

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 2012 • 5:30 - 9:30 pm

\$100 per person / \$900 per table for 10

This year's event will be our best ever—an experience-laden extravaganza of our beautiful and beloved Arizona, featuring a fabulous dinner show with “*America’s Western Sweetheart*” award-winning **Belinda Gail**, Arizona Culture Keeper **Ted Ramirez**, and Prescott’s own **Gail Steiger**.

- Shmooze with **Bucky O’Neill**, **Big Nose Kate** and other historical figures.
- Play poker in the saloon with **Wyatt Earp** or **Doc Holiday** while being entertained by **Miss Cinnamon** and Prescott’s very own **Little Egypt**.
- Visit our **Wild West Trading Post** for unique and exotic purchases.
- And just wait until you see this year’s **Raffle and Live Auction One-of-a-Kind Experiences . . . and much, much more!**

To make reservations or for more information, please call: **928-445-8382**

email: **ccjgala12@gmail.com**

or visit: **www.yavapaiiccj.org/ccj-gala-2012**

See you there!

EXPERIENCE ARIZONA!

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24 March 2012

CHINO VALLEY
2012 EVENTS CALENDAR

1. March 9th, 2012 - Friday, 6 pm - Chino Valley & Prescott Rotary Clubs “**Cowboy Casino Night**” fundraiser @ the Smoki Museum in Prescott Info: Debra Judy @ Tenderhearts Senior Care 928 / 777-2394
2. March 14-18 - Wed. – Sun. 9am – 5 pm - “**White Tara Teachings**” @ the Garchen Buddhist Institute. www.garchen.net
3. March 16 & 17th -Fri. 10-6 pm. & Sat. 9- noon – “**Cattlemen’s Weekend**” Tradeshow & Livestock Auction site located 5.5 miles east of Hwy 89 on Perkinsville Road. Info: Leslie Hoffman 928 / 713-2658 or email: pla@northlink.Com (2500-3000 attendees)
4. March 17th – Saturday, 10 am – 3 pm. Chamber of Commerce **Health & Business Expo**. Heritage Middle School. www.chinovalley.org
5. March 30 – April 1, 2012 – Fri – Sun. **Yavapai Cup Soccer Tournament** @ CV Community Center Park. www.yavapaisoccer.com/tournaments.html (1500 attendees)
6. April 7, 2012 – Saturday 10 am – Word of Life Church **Easter Egg Hunt**. 10,000 eggs @ CV Community Center Park. Info: Nita @ 636-4224
7. April 14 & 15, 2012, Sat. & Sun. **Jumping Cholla Agility Club** (Dog Trials) CV Community Center Park www.jumpingchollas.com/ShowInfo/shows.html
8. April 21st, 2012 - Saturday, 6-9 pm - Chino Valley Rotary Club **Wine, Beer & Art Festival**, at Gabby’s Kitchen & Banquet Hall. Info: Kim-MDI @ 636-1725
9. April 22, 2012 – Sunday, **Prescott AZ Kennel Club (match)**, @ CV Old Home Manor www.prescottkennelclub.com/events_activities.html
10. May 12 & 13, Sat. & Sun. 11 am- 5 pm. **Mother’s Day Celebration** @ Granite Creek Vineyards, crafts, music, wine tasting, food. www.granitecreekvineyards.com
11. May 19, 2012 – Saturday, 10 am – 4 pm. **SpringFest 2012** @ The Windmill House, 1460 W. Road 4 N., Chino Valley Vendor booths, car show, food, kid stuff, etc. www.windmillhouseaz.com
12. May 19-20, 2012 – Sat. & Sun. **Jumping Cholla Agility Club** (dog trials) CV Community Center Park. www.jumpingchollas.com/ShowInfo/shows.html
13. May 25, 2012 – Friday. **Chino Valley Aquatic Center** opens for the season. www.chinoaz.net

14. May 26 & 27 – Sat. & Sun. 11 am – 5 pm Memorial weekend **Blue Grass Festival** @ Granite Creek Vineyards. www.granitecreekvineyards.com
15. June 3, 2012 – Sunday. **Tri-Family Racing Triathlon** @ CV Aquatics Center. www.chinoaz.net
16. June 9, Saturday, 6 – 9 pm, Chamber of Commerce **Casino Night** @ Gabby's Kitchen & Banquet Hall. www.chinovalley.org
17. June 30 – July 1st, 2012 – Sat. & Sun. 11 am – 5 pm. **JULY 4TH Celebration** @ Granite Creek Vineyards. www.granitecreekvineyards.com
18. July 14, 2012 – Saturday. **Tri-Family Racing Triathlon** @ CV Aquatics Center. www.chinoaz.net
19. July 27- 29, 2012 – Fri. – Sun. **Seneschal Barony of Granite Mountain** (medieval Re-enactment) @ CV Memory Park. www.atenveldt.org/Events/Calendar
20. August 11, 2012 – Saturday 8 am – Chamber of Commerce **Annual Golf Tournament** Antelope Hills Golf Course, @ Prescott Airport. www.chinovalley.org
21. August 25th – Saturday – **Chino Valley Model Aviators 2nd Annual War Birds Fly-In** @ CVMA Airport @ Old Home Manor. chinovalleymodelaviators.com
22. Sept. 1st . 2012 - **Territorial Days**
 ~ Sat. Sept. 1 – Territorial Parade & Lions Club Pancake Breakfast
 ~ TBA – Corn Dinner @ Del Rio School
Equestrian Events, etc. @ Yavapai College, Chino Campus
23. Sept. 1 & 2, 2012 – Sat. & Sun. 11 am -5 pm, **Labor Day Celebration**, @ Granite Creek Vineyards, www.granitecreekvineyards.com
24. Sept. 3, 2012 - Monday. **CV Aquatics Center** Last day of the season!
25. Sept. 8th, 2012 – **Chino Valley Model Aviators Annual Fun Fly-in** - CVMA Airport @ Old Home Manor. chinovalleymodelaviators.com
26. Sept. 14 – 16, 2012 – Fri. – Sun. **Prescott Kennel Club (Match)** @ CV Old Home Manor. www.prescottkennelclub.com/events_activities.html
27. Sept. 29 & 30, 2012, Sat. & Sun. **Turns & Wraps** (Dog agility) @ CV Old Home Manor www.turnsnwraps.com www.nadac.com

28. October 6 thru 28, 2012 - 9 am – 5 pm. Every Sat. & Sun. in October, plus Columbus Day 10/8: **PUMPKIN FESTIVAL; Pumpkins, Food, Equestrian & many other family oriented events** @ Freeman Farms located at Rd. 3 South & Rd. 1 East. www.azpumpkins.com
29. October 20 & 21, 2012 – Sat. & Sun. **Prescott AZ Kennel Club** (agility) @ CV Old Home Manor. www.prescottkennelclub.com/events_activities.html
30. October 31, 2012 – Wednesday – 6 – 9 pm. **Family Friendly Halloween Village** @ CV Community Center Park. www.chinoaz.net
31. November 3, 2012 Saturday 6 pm – 10 pm – Chamber of Commerce **Winter Wonderland** dinner and silent auction at Gabby's Kitchen Catering & Banquet Hall. Windy Plaza Center. www.chinovalley.org
32. December 14 & 15, 2012 - Sat & Sun, From 3 pm – 8 pm. **Hometown Chino Christmas** @ Heritage Middle School - Christmas Tree Displays, Crafts, Entertainment. www.chinovalley.org

Note: Events and schedules subject to change.