

# THE CITY VIEW

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## ATTENTION DOG OWNERS IN SAFFORD

Did you know, per our City Code, all dogs in Safford are to be annually registered through the Clerk's Office? Just bring in your proof of rabies vaccination issued by a veterinarian and payment of \$10.00 for spayed or neutered and \$25.00 if not. Only 3 dogs (older than 6 months) are permitted per residence. Call 928-432-4005 if questions.

## BOYS & GIRLS CLUB RECEIVES NEW ROOF

The Gila Valley Boys and Girls Club's metal roofing is being replaced after issues of leaks, rust and age. The City of Safford's Building Maintenance Division has begun removing the old roof with the assistance of Mayor Kouts' business, Kouts & Sons Construction donating their time.

The new roofing was made possible by the savings the Library sustained on their recent bathroom remodel. Due to the age of the roof, insurance provided only a small amount for replacement.

Depending on the weather, completion of the project is expected by the end of December.

## PUBLIC SAFETY MESSAGE



The Governor's Office of Highway Safety and the Safford Police Department would like to wish everyone the best in 2018. Please remember, always buckle up, drive cautiously and if you drink, don't get behind the wheel. Have a Safe and Happy New Year!

## 2017 HOLIDAY EVENTS A SUCCESS

Thank you to all organizations and volunteers that made this year's holiday events possible and memorable for our whole community!

Starting off the holiday season was the always anticipated Freeport McMoRan Merry Main Street & Tree Lighting Ceremony. There were more games and bounce houses than ever before, along with returning favorites such as the Treasure Hunt, Kid's Karaoke, outdoor movie by the Safford Library, cupcake decorating with Mrs. Claus and visits with Santa himself! New this year was a snow sledding hill. Merry Main Street was brought to you by the Safford Downtown Association, Freeport McMoRan Inc, Country Financial, Tierra Antiqua Realty, Graham County Chamber of Commerce, City of Safford, and many, many generous volunteers.

The first weekend in December saw the 20th Annual Valley Telecom Light Parade, brought to you by the Safford Downtown Association, Valley Telecom, Country Financial, Tierra Antiqua Realty, Graham County Chamber of Commerce, and the City of Safford.

New this year to help get everyone in the holiday spirit was Safford Sparkles, featuring a concert and outdoor movie on the City Hall Lawn, and carolers down Main Street while shoppers completed their holiday shopping. Safford Sparkles was brought to you by the City of Safford, Graham County Chamber of Commerce and the Safford City-Graham County Library.

Event committees are always looking for sponsors, volunteers and vendors for events held all throughout the year. Interested parties may contact the Planning & Community Development office at 928-432-4140.

