

Dance performs flashy fall recital



Sam Barnard and Kennedy Boettcher pose for the audience before starting the dance routine with the rest of their class.



Jeneya Boone finishes her solo dance routine with flourish at the fall dance recital.



Mallory Johnson and Carsten Sandvig start off their dance routine sitting in chairs, poised for the moment.



Kennedy Boettcher gives a big smile while dancing in the fall dance recital for the FHHS and FHMS dance program.



Connor Bearer and Jorja Johns clap in sync as part of the fall dance recital's opening number.

Times photos by Joey Postiglione

Town hosts wacky games

The Town of Fountain Hills Parks and Recreation Department is hosting kids ages three to five for Wild and Wacky Games and Sports.

This program puts a spin on traditional sports and games. Kids will learn wacky games and sports while having fun. The focus is on teamwork, socialization and motor skill development.

Parents are welcome and encouraged to participate.

Class will meet at the Community Center from 11 to 11:45 a.m. on Wednesdays through Dec. 12, with no class Nov. 21. The cost is \$45.

Pre-registration is required. Register online at fh.az.gov/recreation, or in person at Town Hall or the Community Center.

For more information contact Bryan Bouk at 480-816-5132 or email bbouk@fh.az.gov

EVITS holds bake sale

Thanksgiving is just around the corner and the ovens of the culinary students at East Valley Institute of Technology (EVIT) are fired up and ready to make favorite holiday treats.

EVIT is currently taking orders for festive food such pecan and apple pie, as well as an assortment of rolls.

Orders made must be picked up Nov. 19-20 at the main EVIT campus.

For a full menu of available goods or to place an order, visit squareup.com/store/evit-bakery.

Dangers of vaping discussed

On Nov. 6, public speaker Rob Holladay stopped by Fountain Hills High School and Middle School to "clear the fog" for students on the risks of using e-cigarettes and vapes.

Both FHHS and FHMS partnered with The Fountain Hills Coalition to have Holladay deliver a presentation not just to students, but also their parents.

Holladay gave his presentation to FHHS students during their lunch break and later that night talked to 115 parents and students at FHMS.

"It was great to have Rob here to address this issue with our teens," Shelly Mowrey, Fountain Hills Coalition Director, said. "E-cigarette aerosol is not harmless water vapor. Many of the products are aimed at children and have flavorings like



(From left) FHMS Consoler Julie Goodell, FHHS principal Cain Jagodzinski, FHMS principal James Carrick, speaker Rob Holladay, Dwight Johnson and Doug Herbert pose for a picture after a Holladay personation at FHMS on Nov. 6.

bubble gum and vanilla. Products labeled zero nicotine have been found to contain nicotine and nicotine is harmful to the teen brain."

Terrific Kids



Fountain Hills Charter School, a public Montessori school, is pleased to honor students who have displayed good character as Kiwanis Terrific Kids. Congratulations to Crew Miller, Alan Vaillancourt and Charles Zemke for the week of Nov. 4.



'A' Celebration

On Oct. 31, Fountain Hills High School teachers and administrators celebrate the school's "A" rating with a pizza party. "The growth is a direct result of our students' hard work and our staff truly caring about our kids," said Principal Cain Jagodzinski. "Together they have created a positive culture and climate on campus that has fostered an expectation of high achievement." Cake was also a big part of the celebration.

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