

ATHS hosts blood drive



Apache Trail High School senior Kevin Hunt gives blood at the school on May 14.

Apache Trail High School, 945 W. Apache Trail, held a successful blood drive on Friday, May 14. The goal was 25 donors and by the end of the day there were 30 who gave blood.

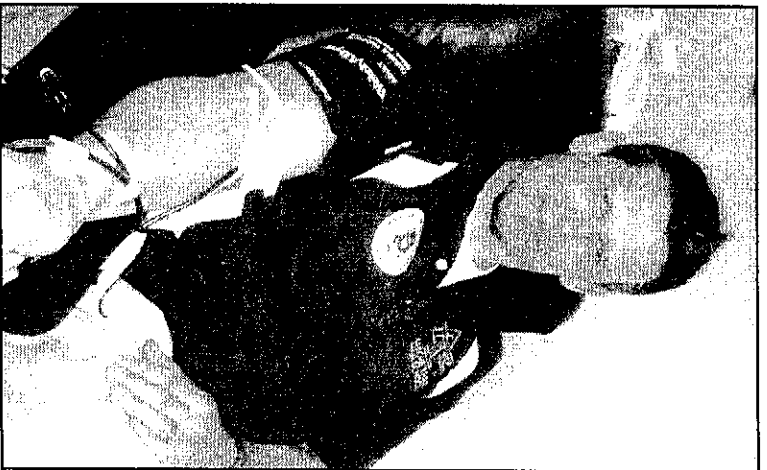
ATHS would like to thank all the members of the community who were able to make it out for this blood drive.

School organizers hope to be able to do another one in August or September, once the new school year starts. By doing this on a regular basis, ATHS hopes to become a

regular donation site for the city of Apache Junction.

The Student Council of ATHS did a great job with recruiting donors and for helping out throughout the day.

School Leader Giles Gilthero gathered students together at the beginning of the day who were either volunteering to help or were signed up to donate blood and fed them a healthy breakfast to prepare them for their donation and to thank them for their generosity and/or volunteerism.



School Leader Giles Gilthero.

A special thanks to the Sonic Drive-in for getting the word out and Mr. Gilthero for all his help. The United Blood Service has many mobile blood drives throughout the East Valley. To find a site near you, go to www.bloodhero.com or call 1-877-448-GIVE. ATHS is a tuition-free NCA accredited pub-

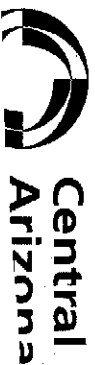


Submitted photos/Giles Gilthero

Sophomore Amanda Schaffer.

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