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WHEN DINOSAURS ROAMED THE PARK

First place in the Halloween Canine Costume Contest went to Kotto, a Chihuahua dressed as a dinosaur and parented by Nicole Trujillo, Saturday at the Las Cruces Dog Park on Hermosa Street.

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Indigent burial service set for Nov. 6 at 10 a.m.

The remains of 24 people whose bodies were not claimed will be buried at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 6, at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Las Cruces, with Jess Williams officiating the non-denominational service.

Each of the bodies has been cremated, and the remains have been in the custody of the Doña Ana County Health and Human Services Department for two years, as required by state law. No family or friends came forward during that period to claim the remains.

Doña Ana County pays for cremation and eventual

burial for the remains of indigent individuals who die within Doña Ana County. Cremains can be claimed by family or friends for a fee of \$600, which covers the cremation costs.

The unclaimed remains of military veterans are buried each year at Santa Fe National Cemetery with full military honors. Non-veterans are interred at St. Joseph Cemetery under a contract with St. Genevieve's Catholic Church.

The names of those who will be interred are: Robert

Timmons, 87; Donald Ettinger, 87; Darlene Mackenzie, 84; Robert T. Baum, Sr., 77; Richard Bousquet, 74; Roberto Gonzalez, 70; Leslie Dodd, 69; Marie Antoinette Delgado, 68; Reynaldo Armendariz, 67; David S. Hastings, 67; Marianna Garcia, 65; Downie J. Scott, 64; Richard J. Latka, 63; George Hall, 62; Bradley R. Dillinger, 61; Curtis Knight, 59; Walter Gerald Minnick, 59; David Valentine, 58; Ernest Parks, 57; Angela R. Reese, 55; James A. Files, 53; Sherri Willis, 53; Nina K. Files, 39; and infant male baby Boggs, 1 day.



NEW FIREFIGHTERS

The Doña Ana County Fire and Emergency Services Department recently graduated 14 new volunteer firefighters from its 21st academy. The new volunteers underwent 88 hours of academic and field training before formally graduating during a Nov. 1 ceremony in the Commission Chambers of the Doña Ana County Government Center.

PHOTO: Celso Enciso

End DST with free batteries

Daylight Saving Time will end at 2 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 4, and the Doña Ana County Fire and Emergency Services Department wants all Doña Ana County residents to replace their smoke-alarm batteries at the same time they reset their household clocks.

To make it easier than ever, volunteers and fire staff from Doña Ana County and other jurisdictions will be deployed today at various locations throughout the county to give away brand new Duracell 9-volt batteries. The limit is nine per household.

The batteries were obtained this summer through a Keep America Beautiful grant.

Two 4x4-foot pallets of 18,400 batteries each were delivered to the Doña Ana County Fire and Emergency Services Department, and one pallet was subsequently transferred to the Las Cruces Fire Department.

The retail value of the two pallets is approximately \$76,500, and the batteries have best-by dates of 2022.

Distribution will occur from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2, at the following locations:

- * The Rotunda of the Doña Ana County Government Center
- * Stires Super Market in Chaparral
- * Doña Ana Village Fire Station
- * Town of Mesilla Fire Station
- * Anthony City Hall
- * Village of Hatch Administrative Complex
- * Both fire stations in the City of Sunland Park
- * Las Cruces Fire Station 1 at 201 E. Picacho Blvd.

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Lujan Grisham opposes wall, favors wage hikes

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

Editor's note: Lujan Grisham's Republican opponent Steve Pearce was profiled in the Oct. 26 Bulletin.

"Be a champion." That's what Democratic gubernatorial candidate Michelle Lujan Grisham said voters across the state are telling her.

"They want a real vision for the state," she said. "People love this state; they're proud of it. But they're frustrated."

New Mexico is "full of power and opportunity," Lujan Grisham said. People want a governor who is "willing to fight for it," she said, and "highlight the things that we do well and that we could do better."

Voters also want to "make sure I'm not going to be a governor that forgets about their community," Lujan Grisham said. Many communities around the state "really feel



U.S. Rep. Michelle Lujan Grisham, D-NM

them again.

As director and secretary of the New Mexico Department of Aging, "I was on the road almost every week," Lujan Grisham said. "I'm going to be that very same governor."

Voters are also "very angry and disappointed about the president's work," she said. New Mexicans are "multicultural," Lujan Grisham said. "We're respectful, we have strong families. We don't like being given information that is discriminatory or negative."

State residents want border issues addressed, she said, but they don't like Trump "describing Las Cruces as a war zone" or that arrests for

isolated," she said, because they see state leaders during campaigns but may not see

serious border-related crime are down 30 percent in his administration. Lujan Grisham said she rejects Trump's border wall and his "disrespect for women."

Trump's efforts to end the Affordable Care Act would devastate New Mexico's health care economy, she said. He is against improving healthcare for children and would turn his back on people living in poverty, which is "appalling to many New Mexicans," Lujan Grisham said.

"I grew up in a household with a very critically ill sibling," she said. "My father worked until he was 83 to pay for health care. I get it. You fight for everyone in the healthcare environment, every single one."

Lujan Grisham said she supports a statewide minimum wage.

"We're going to propose \$10 and we want to get to \$12 in our first year, so it keeps up with inflation," she said. People should "not have

to choose between paying rent and food or between food and childcare."

Lujan Grisham said she also supports raises for New Mexico teachers. The state doesn't have the lowest paid educators in the country, she said, "but we're close. The most important investment we can make is in our children's education."

If elected, Lujan Grisham said one of her first acts as governor will be to withdraw the state's appeal to the ruling in the Yazzie/Martinez consolidated lawsuit which found that the state was not provided with the educational sufficiency mandated by the state constitution.

"I see nothing but the power of incredible potential in places like Doña Ana County," Lujan Grisham said. The state needs to invest more in infrastructure, job training, entrepreneurship and broadband access to boost economic development in the county, she said, keep the port of entry open 24 hours a day, expand trade opportunities and continue to development NMSU as a center of excellence.

Lujan Grisham, 59, was born in Los Alamos and grew up in Santa Fe. She has two daughters, two grandchildren and a dog named Kiwi, and "is the caretaker for her mother, according to www.newmexicansfor-

michelle.com.

She graduated from the University of New Mexico School of Law in 1987 and was secretary of the state departments of Health and of Aging under three governors.

After losing her first bid for New Mexico's District One U.S. House seat in the 2008 Democratic primary, Lujan Grisham was elected to the Bernalillo County Commission in 2010, serving two years before winning the U.S. House seat with 59 percent of the vote in 2012. She was re-elected in 2014 with the same margin, and with 65 percent in 2016.

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Torres Small talks healthcare, education

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

Editor's note: Torres Small's Republican opponent Yvette Herrell was profiled in the Oct. 26 Bulletin.

"People are frustrated that we're not working together," Xochitl Torres Small said last week between campaign stops in Los Lunas and Fort Sumner in her race for the U.S. House of Representatives in New Mexico's second congressional district.

They are concerned "that we're just not talking to each other," she said.

"Getting things done for our communities" is the most important issue in the race, Torres Small said, and that's why she is "reaching out and talking to everyone."



Xochitl Torres Small

"It is about building relationships and solving problems rather than dividing people," Torres Small said.

Growing up in a "tight-knit" Las Cruces family, "you learn to work with everyone," she said.

"It's frustrating to see what's happening in Washington," said Torres Small, who said she wants to "bring our New Mexico values" to the nation's capital.

A Democrat who was registered as declined to state for 10 years, Torres Small said she isn't concerned about running in a district that has elected

Republicans to Congress except for two years since 1980. Those voters "have a strong, independent streak," she said. "They really pride themselves on voting for the person rather than the party."

"Accessibility is a key issue" when it comes to affordable healthcare, she said, especially in rural areas. Torres Small said she talked recently to parents who had just moved to a small town in the district and wanted to get checkups for their children before school started. They struggled to find a local doctor taking new patients, and then had to wait six months for an appointment.

Making sure students "have access to a world-class education" is also a prominent issue, Torres

Small said. Support for early childhood education is vital because "the best way to close the education gap is to keep it from happening in the first place," she said.

"We here in New Mexico value our children and our teachers," said Torres Small, who said her mother is a teacher. "That's why it's so painful" that the state is ranked 50th in education.

Increasing broadband access is also vital to improving education, she said, because most teachers now assign homework that requires internet access. It's also an essential communication tool for ranchers and others along the border, she said, and part of the infrastructure that must be improved to increase jobs and economic development opportunities in the district.

During the campaign, Torres Small said it has been exciting "to go out and talk to people" who haven't always been involved. She recently spoke to a woman who had never voted before but registered on the last day for this year's election and is "now encouraged to make the government work for her," Torres Small said. "I'm seeing a lot of that across the district."

Torres Small said she is "not taking any voters for granted" during the campaign. A "key part of public service," she said, is "showing up, listening and working with people all across the district."

Torres Small said she would like to have had televised debates with her opponent, state Rep. Yvette Herrell, R-Otero, but Herrell "was not available for any of them."

If she's elected, Torres Small said she will seek a seat on the House Appropriations Committee and also would like to be on the House Committee on Natural Resources to help protect New Mexico water, public lands and other natural resources.

A Las Cruces water lawyer, Torres Small graduated cum laude from Georgetown University in three years, according to www.xochforcongress.com. She was a judicial law clerk for federal Judge Robert C. Brack and a field representative for U.S. Sen. Tom Udall, D-NM. She is married to state Rep. (and former Las Cruces city councilor) Nathan Small, D-Doña Ana.

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Early voting continues at high level

BULLETIN REPORT

Almost 23,000 Doña Ana County voters had voted early in the 2018 mid-term election through Monday, Oct. 29, New Mexico Secretary of State's (NMSOS) said.

Those numbers included 13,391 Democrats, 6,980 Republicans, 3,349 who declined to state (DTS) a party preference, 101 Libertarians and 82 listed as other.

The county has approximately 117,000 eligible voters. About 19.5 percent had voted early as of Oct. 29.

Statewide, more than 266,000 people had voted early as of Oct. 29, NMSOS said. That includes 141,409 Democrats, 90,303 Republicans, 31,730 DTS, 1,305 Lib-

ertarians and 1,298 other. The state has 1,261,458 registered voters, NMSOS said, and more than 21 percent had voted early as of Oct. 29.

Early voting at seven locations throughout Doña Ana County, in addition to the county government building, continues through Saturday, Nov. 3. These locations will be open 11 a.m.-7 p.m.:

- Anthony Elementary School, 600 N. Fourth St., Anthony
- Doña Ana Community College Sunland Park, 3365 McNutt Road, Sunland Park
- Delores C. Wright Educational Center, 400 E. Lisa Drive, Chaparral
- Hatch High School, 170

E. Herrera Road, Hatch

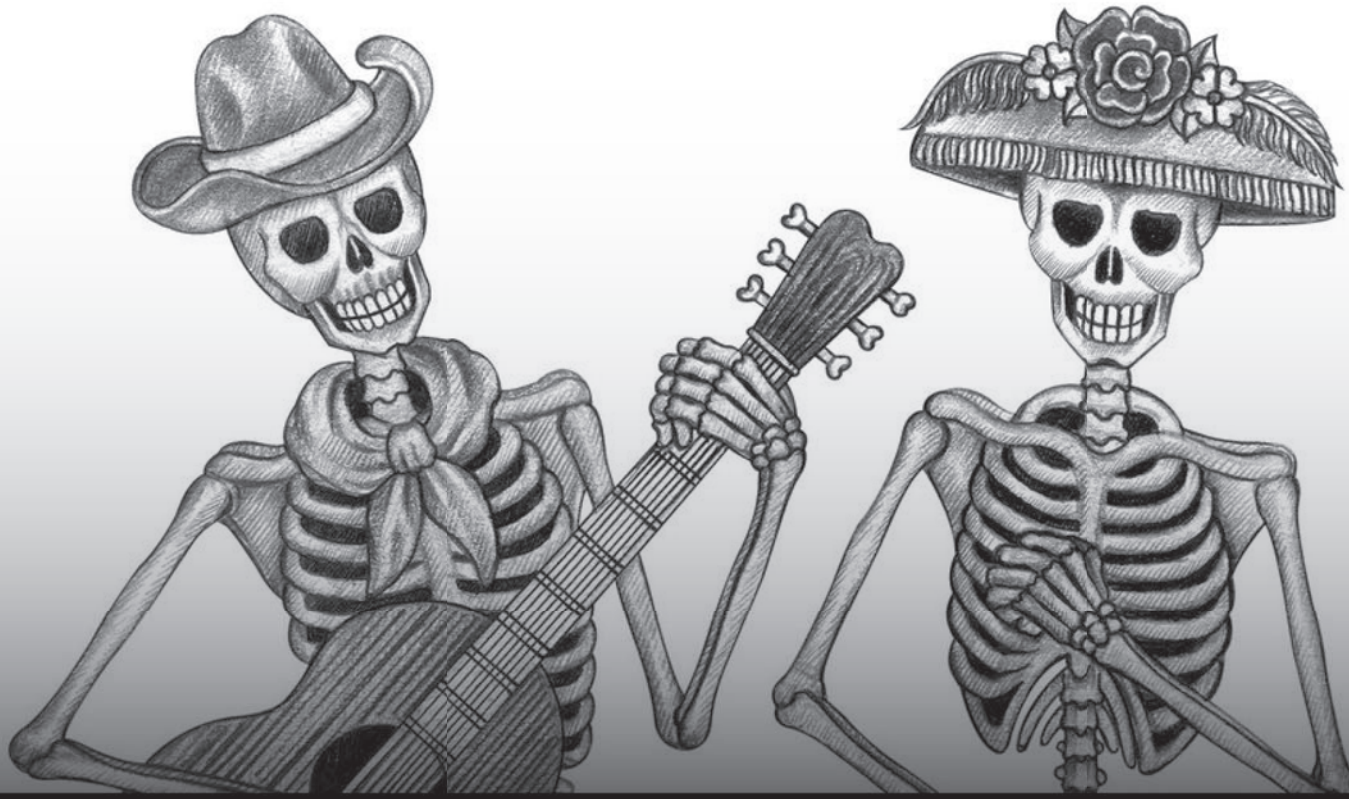
- Sonoma Elementary School, 4201 Northrise Drive, Las Cruces

- Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Pícacho Ave., Las Cruces

- NMSU Corbett Center (new this year), Corbett Center Student Union, NMSU campus

Early voting also continues through Saturday, Nov. 3 at the county government center, 845 N. Motel Blvd. Hours there are 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday, and 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3.

Absentee ballots must be received in the county clerk's office in the county government building no later than 7 p.m. on Election Day.



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Make a difference: Go vote Don't throw rocks at the sun

Last month in Afghanistan, terrorists attacked polling places and voters. More than 28 people died, including a regional police chief. Still, four million people went to the polls, risking violence and death so their voice would be heard. They want to make a difference.



RICHARD COLTHARP

From the Publisher

Far less dramatic, but closer to home, my 15-year-old daughter expressed disappointment and frustration she is too young to vote. She wants to make a difference.

I know the reasons people vote. Many of you have voted in every election you could. You want to make a difference.

I'm curious, though, as to the reasons people do not vote.

In June, in the New Mexico primary, only voters registered to a recognized party were allowed to vote. That number was 950,959. Yet only 262,357 voted.

That means 688,602 decided not to vote. It makes me wonder why they are even registered.

There's been a lot of talk this general election season about a "blue wave," or a "Republican backlash." There's been a lot of talk about this being the most important mid-term election of our lifetimes.

It's a safe bet, though, once again, more registered New Mexicans will sit at home than will take the 12 minutes to go fill in the little ovals with the black pen.

More than 1.25 million New Mexicans are registered right now, and because it's the general election, all are eligible to vote through Nov. 6.

WHERE, WHEN TO VOTE

If you're reading this Thursday, Nov. 1, Friday, Nov. 2, or Saturday, Nov. 3, you can still vote early at the following locations each of those days from 11 a.m.-7 p.m.:

- Anthony Elementary School
- Doña Ana Community College Sunland Park branch
- Delores C. Wright Educational Center in Chaparral
- Hatch High School
- Sonoma Elementary School
- Thomas Branigan Memorial Library
- New Mexico State University Corbett Center

The Doña Ana County Government Center at 845 N. Motel Blvd. will be open for early voting the following days and times:

- 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday, Nov.
 - 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2
 - 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3
- Then, on Tuesday, Nov. 6, all 40 voting convenience centers will be open 7 a.m.-7 p.m. They will be at the above locations and 32 more. For a full listing, see page 12 this issue or visit www.dacelections.com.

A Texan friend of mine who does not vote consistently told me once, "I have about as much chance of throwing a rock and hitting the sun, as I do making a difference with my vote in this election."

I think we have all felt that way a time or two, especially in a big national election. In the past few years, however, we've seen several local and state elections come down to just a few votes. Your vote indeed makes a difference. And who is in office indeed makes a difference in your life.

If you want to be more informed, go online to www.lascrucesbulletin.com and click on the round yellow button to read the archives and check out the Bulletin archives from the past few weeks to read our articles on the election, particularly

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Peasants hunting pheasants

Each fall, the governor of the great state of South Dakota hosts his Invitational Pheasant Hunt. This is meant to be a way to show off South Dakota's state bird, their



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pride and joy, the wily pheasant. It's also a means of attracting some special guests from out-of-state to look into the possibilities of investing money and business into the state. Well, it worked. High-rollers from as far away as New York celebrate and join the hunt.

Now, lots of these fellers were good hunters, but a lot (like yours truly) couldn't hit a slow-moving freight train with a bucket of Pratt & Lambert.

They split us into teams. Mine was called Custer's Last Chance and Bugle Corps. They hauled us out into the beautiful, rollin' grain fields in Tripp County halfway between Dog Ear and Old Lodge Creek.

Very quickly we formed into a cohesive family unit. If you've ever seen a troop of baboons high on bus fumes, you'll be able to picture it. We lined up in a company front at the end of a milo field. It was as straight as a cracked windshield.

At the signal from Wes, our team leader, we invaded the field with the precision and practiced skill of the Houston Oilers backfield coming ashore at the Bay of Pigs!

When we reached the end of the field I caught up with Russ. Russ is a big feller. He had on camouflage pants, a fluorescent hunting jacket, rubber boots and a yellow cap. He looked like a whitewater raft. He was pointing out a Cadillac Limousine parked out in the field. One of the South Dakota hosts had brought a load of celebrity hunters down in it. We had been told that each team had a Fish & Game guide, a paramedic and a radio dispatched helicopter pilot standing by at our immediate service, so I didn't think it unusual for a funeral director to be on call either.

I saw SUPERPHEASANT! Yes, friends, he burst out of the cover and flew directly across our firing line of 12 hunters. Thirteen explosions followed, the last one being the pheasant breaking the sound barrier on his way to North Dakota – untouched by man-made projectiles!

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NOVEMBER EVENTS

NOVEMBER 2

Remember Then & Oldies But Goodies

Rio Grande Theatre, 7pm. \$25. riograndetheatre.org

Downtown Art Ramble

Downtown Main Street, 5-8pm. Free. downtownlasruces.org

NOVEMBER 2 - 4

Dia de los Muertos

Old Mesilla Plaza, November 1st Procession. mesillanm.gov

NOVEMBER 3

Movie: Zootopia

Rio Grande Theatre, Noon. \$1 (cash only). riograndetheatre.org

Cruces Kids Can Business Fair/The Village

Bank of the West, 9am-1pm. cruceskidscan.org

NMSU Aggies Football vs. Alcorn State

New Mexico State University, 2pm. \$10-30. nmstatesports.com

Red, White and Brew Festival

Downtown Plaza de Las Cruces, 5-10pm. \$15. redwhiteandbrewfestival.com

Step Through Time

White Sands National Monument, 45 miles east of Las Cruces on Hwy 70. \$8 (16 years & older); \$4 for children (15 years & under). nps.gov/whsa

NOVEMBER 3 - 4

47th Annual Renaissance ArtsFaire

Young Park, Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm. Tickets \$10

NOVEMBER 6

NMSU Women's Basketball vs. UT Permian Basin

NMSU Pan American Ct. 5pm. \$6-15. nmstatesports.com

NOVEMBER 7

NMSU Climate Change Seminar

Rio Grande Theatre, 7pm. Free. riograndetheatre.org

NOVEMBER 8

Movie: Die Hard - 30th Anniversary

Rio Grande Theatre, 7pm. \$8. 575-541-2290. riograndetheatre.org

Cultures Series: Francisco Bojorquez: The Cowboy Sheriff of Sierra County

New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 7-8pm. Free. frhm.org

NOVEMBER 9

Orchestra Sublime

Rio Grande Theatre, 8pm. \$15. riograndetheatre.org

NMSU Men's Basketball vs. UTEP

NMSU Pan American Ct. 7pm. \$5-30. nmstatesports.com

NOVEMBER 9 - 10

6th Annual Holiday Craft Fair

Centennial High School, Fri 6-9pm, Sat 10am-5pm. chshawks.weebly.com

NOVEMBER 10

International Mariachi Conference

Student Showcase/Competition

Downtown Plaza de Las Cruces, 9am-1pm. lascrucesmariachi.org/schedule

NMSU Volleyball vs. Cal Baptist

New Mexico State University, Pan Am Ctr. 11am. \$5-7. nmstatesports.com

Movie: Nacho Libre

Rio Grande Theatre, 3pm. \$5. riograndetheatre.org

Noche de Nachos

Downtown Plaza de Las Cruces, 5:30-10pm. Tickets at downtownLC.com, at Visit Las Cruces, the Rio Grande Theatre, and Eventbrite. 575-541-2444

Las Cruces Veterans Day Parade

Downtown Main Street, 3pm. Free. lascrucesvetday.org

NOVEMBER 10 - 11

Native American Market

Old Mesilla Plaza, south on Hwy 28. mesillanm.gov

NOVEMBER 11

International Mariachi Mass

Downtown Plaza de Las Cruces, Mass at 9:30-10:30am. Free. 575-525-1735. lascrucesmariachi.org/schedule

Veteran's Day Ceremony in Old Mesilla

The Town of Mesilla hosts an annual Veteran's Day Ceremony honoring Veteran's from Mesilla and around the nation. mesillanm.gov

New Horizons Symphony

NMSU Atkinson Recital Hall, 3pm. Free. nhsocruces.com

NOVEMBER 14

NMSU Men's Basketball Team vs. Saint Mary's

NMSU Pan American Ct. 7pm. \$5-30. nmstatesports.com

NOVEMBER 15

Las Cruces Civic Concert - Twin Kennedy

Rio Grande Theatre, 7:30pm. \$25, students \$5. riograndetheatre.org

NMSU Aggies Volleyball vs. UMCK

New Mexico State University, Pan Am Ctr., 6am. \$5-7. nmstatesports.com

NOVEMBER 16 - 17

Holly Day House

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Fri 10am-5pm, Sat 9am-5pm. Free

Potters' Guild Holiday Sale

Peace Lutheran Church, Fri 2-6pm, Sat 9am-4pm. Free. pottersguildlc.com

NOVEMBER 16 - DECEMBER 2

Play: Inspecting Carol

NMSU Center for the Arts, Sat 7:30pm, Sun 2pm. \$5-18. nmsutheatre.com

NOVEMBER 17

Cruces Kids Can Business Showcase

Downtown Plaza de Las Cruces, 9am-1pm. cruceskidscan.org

Freedom is Ours Now

Rio Grande Theatre, 2pm. Free. riograndetheatre.org

NMSU Aggies Volleyball vs. Chicago State

New Mexico State University, Pan Am Ctr. 2pm. \$5-7. nmstatesports.com

NOVEMBER 17 - 18

HomeGrown: A New Mexico Food Show & Gift Market

Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 9am-5pm. \$5 per vehicle. frhm.org

NOVEMBER 18

Annual Toys for Kids Motorcycle Parade

Mesilla Valley Mall, (JCPenney's southwest corner of mall).

El Tratado de La Mesilla Reenactment

Old Mesilla Plaza, south on Hwy 28. 2pm. Free. mesillanm.gov

NOVEMBER 20

NMSU Women's Basketball vs. Abilene Christian

NMSU Pan American Ct. 6pm. \$6-15. nmstatesports.com

NOVEMBER 20 - DECEMBER 2

28th Annual La Casa Holiday Bazaar

Las Cruces Convention Center, Fri 4:30-7:30pm, Sat 9am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm. \$5-12. lacasainc.org/holiday-bazaar-page

NOVEMBER 20 - JANUARY 12

Birds in Art 2017 Takes Flight and Soars

Museum of Art, Tues-Sat 10am-4:30pm. Free. las-cruces.org/museum

NOVEMBER 21

NMSU Men's Basketball vs. Eastern New Mexico

NMSU Pan American Ct. 6pm. \$5-30. nmstatesports.com

NOVEMBER 24

Lake Lucero Tours

Program fee apply. 575-479-6124, ext. 236. nps.gov/whsa

NOVEMBER 24 - 25

St. Genevieve's Annual Christmas Fair/Antiques, Collectibles, Arts & Crafts Show and Sale

St. Genevieve's Parish Hall, Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm. \$2

NOVEMBER 26

NMSU Women's Basketball vs. Northern New Mexico

NMSU Pan American Ct. 5pm. \$6-15. nmstatesports.com

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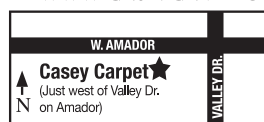
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Wes was an experienced bird hunter and bagged a pheasant, a grouse and a prairie chicken. I was impressed. He said, "Now, if I can jes' git a medda lark I'll have a Minnesota Grand

Slam!"

I asked him how medda lark tasted. "Oh," he said, "bout like a owl."

Baxter Black is a cowboy poet, former large animal veterinarian and enter-tainer of the agricultural masses. Learn more at www.baxterblack.com.

COLTHARP

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the Oct. 5 edition, which includes the League of Women Voters guide, which lists all the races and issues in one section.

Even if you don't feel

like you understand all the issues and all the candidates, and there are only a few you are knowledgeable and passionate about, please go vote on those.

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The rhetoric of politics: negative campaign ads

When I see those nasty political ads on television, and as they clutter up my work email, I think this is the worst it has ever been. But then I think it's always the worst, so I don't really know.

Perhaps the worst was in 1800, when John Adams and Thomas Jefferson squared off in a race for the White House.

If Jefferson won the election "murder, robbery, rape, adultery and incest will be openly be taught and practiced."

And Adams was a "repulsive pedant" and "gross hypocrite" who "behaved neither like a man nor like a woman but instead possessed a hideous hermaphroditical character."

The thing is, they think we are stupid. They think that pounding twisted words into our brains associating the opposition with negativity, we won't vote for that person.

The unfortunate thing is, they are right – partly.

We are not stupid, but brainwashing by use of commercials – distracting and hateful – works.



ELVA K. ÖSTERREICH
Guest Columnist

It's like shampoo, "lather, rinse, repeat." Then do it again.

"Negative campaigning has been around as long as campaigning," Mitchell Lovett, associate professor of marketing

at the Simon Business School has said repeatedly in public forums and on YouTube. "It stays around because it works."

People tend to remember bad things better than good things, Lovett points out. And we give more weight to the negative than we do to the positive. Also, people learn more from the negative ads because they have more facts, even if they are twisted facts.

How do we fight that? One way is to consider the rhetoric and the tactics used and recognize them when we hear them.

Lexington Herald Leader columnist Jim Brutsman writes "It's easy to interpret campaign commercials if you attach labels to the statements. Some of the most popular ploys are easy to spot:

• "Half-truths are where

the candidate only tells part of the story."

• "Out of context is where a few words are plucked from an opponent's previous statement, ignoring the other words that are inconvenient."

• "Diversion is where the message is: Look at her, not at me."

• "Labeling is like sticking a Post-it-Note on the back of an opponent that makes them easy to hate, as in 'too liberal for Kentucky.' This also is used in conjunction with scare tactics: telling the listener 'be afraid, very afraid, only voting for me can save you.'"

So, let's look at a few of the phrases cropping up in our campaign ads.

"Hapless," "the swamp," "not telling the truth," "enemy of the people," "failed attempt," "extreme budget cuts," "hiding from the voters," "out of touch," "shady business dealings," "refusing to invest in New Mexico's kids," "short-changing future generations," "on the wrong side of the law," "downplayed the seriousness" and the "terrible ethical violation."

What all this boils down

to is essentially, "My candidate has a different platform than your candidate."

I am not saying all the candidates are clean and blameless in the world. Clearly, it's not so. There are things done and money passed from hand to hand beyond our ability to find out. And there are those found out as well – and taken to the court system. But the things others are blamed for in campaign ads are usually simply differing points of view.

For example, "refusing to invest in New Mexico's kids," could mean the candidate is against raising taxes, while "shortchanging future generations," could mean the candidate is trying to use certain funds to build schools today instead of saving the

money for the future.

To know what politicians and parties intend and plan, there are excellent places on the internet to explore those answers. For example, at www.youdecidenm.org, you can find where each of the candidates have answered questions posed on a joint website launched by New Mexico Voices for Children and the New Mexico Pediatric Society.

The questions at youdecidenm.org range from issues like child health and well-being to the environment, immigration, education funding, the economy, the 2020 Census and more. Photos and short biographies are also included.

The gubernatorial candidates answered questions at nmpolitics.net/index/2018/10/

gubernatorial candidates differ on plans for nms-troubled-criminal-justice-system about issues relating to the justice system, such as their positions on solitary confinement and private prisons.

Engagement is the answer to the question of who to believe and why. Seeing past and through those words and images, or even just investigating them. Why did so-and-so say this? Where is the evidence?

"The power to question is the basis of all human progress." – Indira Gandhi

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Crafts for Kids: 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays, NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Cost: Free with regular museum admission, \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, \$3 for children 4-17.

• Nov. 3: Children of all ages are welcome to create their own paper rocking horse while learning about how horses have been used in transportation and farming in New Mexico.

• Nov. 10: Make a beaded ear of corn and try a scavenger hunt through museum's ex-

hibits.

• Nov. 17: Children make their own turkey puppets during a Thanksgiving-themed craft.

• Nov. 24: Celebrate the fall season by making a 3-D paper pumpkin.

Geography Club: 10 a.m.-noon Saturdays, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 North Main St. Each week families learn about different U.S. states through free arts and crafts. Fill the Geography Club passport with a stamp for each new state visited. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

org.

• Nov. 3: Mississippi
• Nov. 10: Louisiana
• Nov. 17: Arkansas

Saturday Family Science:

11:45 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 3, Museum of Nature & Science, 411 N. Main St. Daylight Savings Time ends at 2 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 4. Explore why clocks are set differently for the summer and how this time change affects people's lives. Learn how to use the sun to measure time and build a pocket sundial. Cost: Free. Info: 575-522-3120 or museums.las-cruces.org.

Stars-N-Parks: Learn about the night sky at NM state parks. Arrive at sunset to become familiar with surroundings before nightfall. Formal presentation followed by telescope observations. Cost: \$5 park day-use fee. Suggested donation for the program, \$5 per couple, or \$3 per individual. Info: John Gilkison 575-635-0982 or National Public Observatory on Facebook public groups.

• Saturday, Nov. 3: Rockhound State Park. Sunset: 6:15 p.m. Program Start: 7:25 p.m. Program End: 8:55 p.m. Mars is on the meridian. Saturn is setting in the west, while Pleiades is rising in the east. Presenter: Mike Nuss

• Saturday, Nov. 3: Pancho Villa State Park. Sunset: 6:15 p.m. Program Start: 7:25 p.m., Program

End: 8:55 p.m. Mars is on the meridian. Saturn is setting in the west, while Pleiades is rising in the east. Presenter: John Gilkison.

• Saturday, Nov. 10: City of Rocks State Park. Sunset: 5:10 p.m., Program Start: 6:20 p.m. Program End: 7:50 p.m. Mars is on the meridian. Saturn is setting in the west, while Pleiades is rising in the east. Presenter: Bill Nigg.

Archaeology Lecture: 7 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3, Good Samaritan Village Social Center auditorium, 3011 Buena Vida Circle. Dr. Judy Berryman, affiliated faculty, NMSU Department of Anthropology, will speak on "Time, Place, and Function: Ground Stone Recovered from the Cañada Alamosa Project." Free.

Food packing event: Sunday, Nov. 4, Mesilla Park Community Church, 1040 El Paseo Road. Church body is preparing food packs to provide 200,000 meals to children in need worldwide. Event is coordinated with international NGO, Feed My Starving Children. Info: 575-524-7658, info@getrealchurch.org, www.getrealchurch.org.

Roundtable Discussion: 10:30-11:30 a.m. Sundays, University Unitarian Church library, 2000 S. Solano Drive.

• Nov. 4: Don Neidig, scientist and church member, "Implications of recent reports on Climate Change, including UN report." Report says significant advances have been made linking human influences to extreme weather events since the last report in 2014

• Nov. 11: Paul O'Connell, economist, "Myths about the effectiveness of Capitalism." Does greed make markets work; must corporations maximize value to shareholders and CEOs; is there equal opportunity for all to climb the economic ladder; and will making the economy fairer result in a less prosperous economy?

• Nov. 18: Nicole Martinez, executive director at Community of Hope/Adobe Inc. "How the Community of Hope is addressing homelessness in Doña Ana County."

• Nov. 25: Neil Harvey, prof. & Government Department head, NMSU. "Geopolitics, human rights and solidarity: How will the new government in Mexico respond to the Central American



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US Foreign Relations:

10:30 a.m.-noon, Mondays and Wednesdays, Good Samaritan Auditorium, 3011 Buena Vida Circle. The Trump Administration has radically recast key aspects of American foreign relations, in terms of values stated and unstated, policies undertaken or avoided, and the core issue of the role the United States plays in the world. Academy for Learning in Retirement presents a four-part lecture series by Neal M. Rosendorf, associate professor of International Relations, NMSU. Cost: \$4 per day for members, \$5 for non-members, \$5 to become a member. Info: 575-522-10938 or nmsu.alr@gmail.com or dacc.nmsu.edu/alr.

• Monday, Nov. 5: The Postwar Liberal International System: The World America Made.

• Wednesday, Nov. 7: Power: Hard, Soft, Sharp and Alt-Soft.

• Monday, Nov. 12: Immigration: The Other Foreign Relations.

• Wednesday, Nov. 14: Americae et Mundi, Quo Vadis?

Election presentation, debate: NMSU government students explore issues surrounding the upcoming elections. Cost: Free.

• Monday, Nov. 5, 11:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m., Breland Hall Room 179, NMSU. Presentation titled "Migration, Borders and Human Rights: Comparisons from Europe and the US-Mexico Borderlands."

• Wednesday, Nov. 14, 4-5 p.m. Breland Hall Room 333, NMSU. Debate titled "Mid-term elections in the US: Interpreting the Results."

Photo Club awards: 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 6, Southwest Environmental Center, 275 N. Main St. Doña Ana Photo Club's annual awards evening. Both Photographer of the Year and Picture of the Year will be announced along with a showing of all red- and blue-ribbon winner

images submitted for this competition. Due to the holidays, this will be the last meeting until Jan. 15. Cost: Free. Info: www.daphotoclub.org.

Bead Society: 5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 7, Western Traders, 1300 El Paseo Road. Las Cruces Bead Society meets. Info: 527-1470.

Climate Education Seminar: 7 p.m. Wednesday,

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Presented by Neal M. Rosendorf, Ph.D.
Associate Professor of International Relations, NMSU

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- Good Samaritan Social Center, 3011 Buena Vida Circle
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Administrator Mike Bartholomew.

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Fall back

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It's also a good time to change the batteries in your smoke alarm(s).

"The history of standard time in the United States began Nov. 18, 1883, when U.S. and Canadian railroads instituted standard time in time zones," according to Wikipedia.

"Before then, time of day was a local matter, and most cities and towns used some form of local solar time, maintained by some well-known clock (for example, on a church steeple or in a jeweler's window)."

Standard time in time zones was established in federal law with the

Standard Time Act of March 19, 1918, which also established daylight saving time, Wikipedia said.

"Daylight saving time (DST) was repealed in 1919, but standard time in time zones remained in law, with the Interstate Commerce Commission having the authority over time zone boundaries."

Congress enacted the War Time Act, reinstating DST Feb. 9, 1942, to conserve energy resources. The Amendment to the War Time Act ended DST Sept. 30, 1945. It was re-established by the Uniform Time Act of 1967, which mandated that DST start the last Sunday in April and end the last Sunday in October.

Because of the energy crisis due sparked by OPEC's 1973 oil embargo, DST began earlier on the first Sunday in January in 1974 the last Sunday in February in 1975.

Since 2007, DST has begun the second Sunday in March and ended the first Sunday in November. Only the states of Arizona (except for the Navajo Nation) and Hawaii do not use DST.

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Mason named interim provost

New Mexico State University President John Floros has named April C. Mason as the university's new interim provost. She began the position



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Nov. 1 and will serve until the end of the academic year. "Dr. Mason is incredibly knowledgeable and her experience as an academic leader makes her an ideal candidate for this position," Floros said. "I'm delighted she is able to join us at NMSU."

Mason served as provost and senior vice president of Kansas State University from 2010-2018. As the university's chief academic officer, she oversaw the academic dimensions of the university and ensured the university's academic standards.

In cooperation with K-State's president and deans council, she provided leadership in the development, review and operationalization of policies and goals regarding instruction, research and outreach programs.

Mason served as chair of the Association of Public and Land Grant Universities Council on Academic Affairs and was a founding member and chair of the Association of Chief Academic Officers, a group associated with the American Council of Education.

Before joining Kansas State University, Mason held faculty and adminis-

trative positions at Colorado State University and Purdue University.

Mason earned a doctorate degree in nutrition and her master's degree in botany from Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana. Her undergraduate degree is in biology from University of Mount Union in Alliance, Ohio.

— Justin Bannister



Comprehensive plan

The City of Las Cruces wants to know what you think.

The city has begun an 18-month update of its comprehensive plan, which is called Elevate Las Cruces. Gathering public input on that plan through a short online survey and public workshops is an important part of the process, city staff said.

"Survey results are critical," said city Community Development Director Larry Nichols. "That's how we understand what people are wanting.

Elevate Las Cruces is "a mechanism to manage and control development," Assistant City Manager David Dollahon said. "Las Cruces has been discovered. We're going to continue to grow and we're going to continue to develop."

To take the online survey, visit www.surveymonkey.com/r/elevatelc-english or www.surveymonkey.com/r/elevarlc-espanol, or visit

<http://elevatelascruces.com/> and click on "take the survey in English or Spanish."

Paper copies of the survey are also available by calling 575-528-3043 or visiting the city Community Development Department at City Hall, 700 N. Main St., suite 1100.

Public workshops on the comprehensive plan will be held

- 6-8 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 7 at Munson Senior Center, 975 S. Mesquite St.

- 6-8 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 8 in the Doña Ana Community College East Mesa campus commons area, 2800 Sonoma Ranch Blvd.

- 1-3 p.m., Friday, Nov. 9 at the Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave.

- 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 10 in the city public information booth at the Farmers and Crafts Market of Las Cruces downtown.

The workshops will follow an open-house format, according to the city, which means visitors can come at any time.

For more information on the workshops, call the city Community Development Department at 575-528-3043.

The city charter mandates that the comprehensive plan be updated

every 10 years. The plan drives city economic prosperity, community health, community character and the city's sustainable growth, said city Chief Planning Administrator David Weir.

— Mike Cook

Turkey drive

Imagine not having a turkey for Thanksgiving.

That's the dilemma faced by hundreds of families in Las Cruces and throughout Doña Ana County, where more than one in four people lives below the poverty line.

Casa de Peregrinos emergency food bank, La Casa, Inc. domestic violence shelter and Calvary Baptist Church are teaming up for a turkey and food drive and distribution and hope to collect 2,200 turkeys and all the trimmings.

"This collaboration is about much more than just our own missions," said Casa de Peregrinos Executive Director Lorenzo Alba. "It's about coming together during the holidays to bring hope our community.

We want to pull our resources together with the hopeful expectation of serving more people in this time of giving."

Alba said a number of local business and

organizations have already come forward to help with the food drive, including Washington Federal, Citizens Bank, NMSU Rotaract Club and White Sands Test Facility's Fed Feed Families program. We are so grateful," he said.

Alba said pre-registration for the program will continue 9 a.m.-noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays until Thursday, Nov. 15 at Casa de Peregrinos, located at 999 W. Amador Ave., Suite F, inside the Mesilla Valley Community of Hope complex.

The distribution will take place beginning at 8 a.m. Monday, Nov. 19 at Calvary Baptist Church, 1800 S. Locust St.

Here are the donations needed for this year's drive: turkeys, stuffing, canned corn, green beans and yams, chicken broth, cranberry sauce, cream of mushroom soup and

canned evaporated milk.

Food donations can be dropped off at these locations, where you can also take a check (write "turkeys" on the memo line) or cash donation or you can mail it:

- Casa de Peregrinos: 999 W. Amador Ave., Suite F, Las Cruces, NM 88005, 575-523-5542;

- La Casa, Inc., 800 S. Walnut St., Las Cruces, NM 88001, 575-526-2819.



Veterans events

As the 99th anniversary of Veterans Day nears, local events and programs are being offered to veterans.

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Fair, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 8, VFW Post 4384, 1495-1699 N. 4th St., Anthony, N.M. The fair is sponsored by the VFW post, New Mexico Workforce Connections and New Mexico State University.

- Las Cruces Veterans Day Parade, 3 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 10 in downtown Las Cruces. The 24th annual parade has a theme of "A Salute to Women Veterans." Grand marshals are Col. Elsa J. Baker, USAF (ret.), and Capt. Carol J. Gaines, USMC. For more information, visit www.lascrucesvetday.org.

- Veterans Day Baseball Tournament for 12 and under baseball; Saturday-Sunday, Nov. 10-11 in Mesquite, N.M., sponsored by VFW Post 4384.

The entry fee is \$190.

For more information, contact Roy at 575-640-4285 or George at 915-474-1846.

- Veterans in Need Stand Down, 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 16, VFW Post 10124, 709 S. Valley Drive. The event will provide services for homeless veterans in need, including service Officers, housing, VA disability, Social Security, haircuts and more. For more information, call 575-640-4285.

- Free civil and legal advice for veterans and their families, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Friday, Nov. 30, VFW Post 6917, 5845 Bataan Memorial West. Attendance is limited to the first 25 veterans who pre-register. Veterans must contact the Veterans Justice Outreach Program at 915-504-5446 for a brief screening for referral to the clinic.

SAR donation

The Gadsden Chapter of the New Mexico Sons of the American Revolution (SAR) donated \$750 to the Fisher House Foundation earlier this month to help with the construction of a Fisher House in Albuquerque.

Fisher Houses around the country provide lodging for families while members of the military and veterans are receiving medical treatment.

Zachary and Elizabeth M. Fisher began the Fisher House program in 1990, dedicating more than \$20 million to the construction of lodging facilities for families of hospitalized military personnel.

The first Fisher Houses opened in 1991 in Bethesda, Maryland, and Washington, D.C. There are nearly 80 Fisher Houses nationwide, with more under construction.

The Fisher House Foundation has served more than 335,000 families and provided more than eight million days of lodging since 1990, saving military families an estimated \$407 in out-of-pocket expenses for lodging and travel.

SAR was chartered by an Act of Congress in 1906 "to perpetuate the memory of the men who, by their services and sacrifices during the American Revolution, achieved the independence of the American people" and "to foster true patriotism."

It is the largest male lineage organization in the United States, according to www.sar.org, and consists of 50 societies with more than 500 local chapters, several international societies, and more than 34,000 members.

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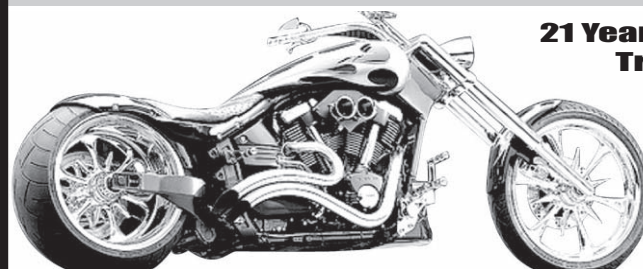
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Approximately 180 people from Las Cruces and El Paso attended Temple Beth-El Sunday, Oct. 28, for a service with local clergy and a reading of remembrance and healing. Attendees were given an opportunity to speak with each other about what they can do promote values that will stand up to hatred and violence.

Stewardship award



COURTESY PHOTO

The Public Land Foundation (PLF) presented its 2018 Landscape Stewardship Award to the Friends of the Organ Mountains-Desert Peaks Oct. 25. The award was presented to the Friends' Executive Director Patrick Nolan (second from left) and Associate Director Brenda Gallegos at a Friends' board meeting in Las Cruces. At left is PLF State representative Jesse Juen. Also pictured: Bureau of Land Management Las Cruces District Manager Bill Childress (back center), PLF Director-at-Large Rosemary Thomas and Friends President Fernando Clemente.

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Air strippers at work at the Griggs and Walnut Joint Superfund Site clearing water of the contaminant perchloroethylene (PCE).

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Public tours Superfund cleanup site

By **CASSIE MCCLURE**
 and **SUZANNE MICHAELS**
 For the Bulletin

Las Cruces Utilities (LCU) has marked the sixth anniversary as part of a multi-agency effort that will likely take 15 to 20 years to remove the chemical perchloroethylene (PCE) from our water at the corner of Griggs and Walnut streets. To stay transparent to the public, LCU hosts an annual “meet and greet” open house for local residents to show how the water is being cleaned.

“This site is considered a major success in cleaning up a contaminant spill,” explains Water Administrator, Adrienne L. Widmer, P.E. “To date more than 530 million gallons of groundwater have been extracted from the PCE plume and more than 46 pounds of PCE have been removed from the extracted groundwater.”

Tours led by LCU staff in late September spoke to members of the community and explained the history of the site and



Frank Kershaw, who attended this year's LCU Superfund Open House, asks questions of LCU Water Production Supervisor, Pascual Rodriguez, about how the affected water is cleaned of PCE.

how involved the cleaning process is: water from the affected wells is pumped into storage tanks and through bubbling air stripping technology machines that treat the water. The Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system monitors all City water wells and booster stations at all times, including the Griggs and Walnut site. Additionally, LCU Water Section staff checks the Superfund site twice a day to make sure operations are running smoothly.

Frank Kershaw, who

lives in the county, decided to come out this year to see what equipment the City uses for this project. “It's been informative to see the process,” he said.

On the day of the tour, area residents went in and out of the site across from the City's Soldados Athletic Complex. They were able to learn the history, that how in 1993, during regularly testing, trace amounts of PCE were first detected in two City water wells near the intersection of Griggs and Walnut Streets. PCE is a man-made chemical com-

monly seen in dry cleaning fabrics and metal degreasing operations.

The wells were taken out of the water distribution system, and in 2001, and the Griggs and Walnut Joint Superfund Site was listed with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). That's when the City coordinated with the County, the New Mexico Environmental Department, and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to determine the extent of PCE plume and the best method to treat the water to put it to beneficial use.

If you missed the tour this year, don't worry! LCU will welcome the public again next year to get an inside look into operations at the Griggs and Walnut Joint Superfund Site.

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LESLIE ANN MCCORMICK

LESLIE ANN MCCORMICK, age 63, of Las Cruces, NM after a brief battle with cancer, passed on October 9th, 2018. She leaves behind her brother Bill, three sons, Kristopher, Michael, and Aaron, three grandchildren, Carmyn, James, and Madeleine, two dogs, Ollie and Hardy, and an independent streak a mile wide. Singing “My Way” from her hospice bed at La Posada, she re-confirmed what her loved ones already knew, she lived and died on her own terms.

Born in Albany, GA at the tender age of zero, she joined the McCormick clan along with her mother Flavia, father William Jr., and brother William III (Bill). Her father, an active duty Air Force officer, kept the family on the move in her youth, bringing them to Alamogordo, New Mexico in 1967. Tragically, her father died in action in the Vietnam conflict in 1969. Her mother, at the time a professor at NMSU, decided to set down roots in Las Cruces, not only allowing Bill and Leslie to graduate from May-

field High School but also turn Las Cruces into Leslie’s hometown. She even began working at La Posta where she met Kery Greiner, a man with whom she would eventually bring three sons lovingly into this world.

A great student when she wanted to be, Leslie tried her hand at college locally at NMSU and then under somewhat dubious circumstances, went to Portland State. While at Portland State, she showed a glimpse of entrepreneurial spirit, quickly turning her educational funds into reliable transportation for herself and her electric bass playing love interest showing up in Las Cruces for Thanksgiving unannounced and married.

After a maternally inspired break-up of the aforementioned marriage, Leslie reunited with Kery, wed, and produced their three boys. While ultimately not as compatible as they may have wanted to be, Kery and Leslie succeeded in raising Kris, Mike, and Aaron with all the love and support they could have ever needed. Leslie also left her mark with other families along her journey, as she joined the Brunson family for a time followed by the Flores family. Her effect on those families was just as significant as the effect those families had on her and remained an important part of her life. She equally embraced new members of her extended family, including Bill’s children, Dan and Ned and their families as well

as Bill’s husband, Mark and his family.

Perhaps most importantly, Leslie cherished her three grandchildren, Carmyn, James, and Madeleine, doling out copious amounts of horse rides and Nana Kisses™. Leslie would travel any distance to see her precious grandkiddos and was seen regularly in Albuquerque and Arlington, Virginia with a smiling child bouncing on her knee.

Professionally, Leslie returned to school, earning her nursing degree from NMSU and becoming a labor and delivery nurse in El Paso, TX. After years of catching babies and shouting bilingual birthing instructions, Leslie turned her professional focus to the opposite end of the life spectrum and became an in-home hospice nurse.

Like the wonderful nurses and doctors at La Posada who helped her pass with comfort and dignity, Leslie helped many more people in the surrounding southern New Mexico area do the same.

Leslie was cantankerous and sharp-tongued, but she loved fully and wholly all her friends and family. Her wit, humor, and melodic, atonal singing voice will be dearly missed.

In lieu of flowers, please donate in Leslie’s name to Pet-A-Bulls Rescue (www.petabulls.com) or your favorite charity. A memorial party will be held on her birthday, December 8, invites to follow.



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Pain And Physical Therapy

Las Cruces (NM)- In the past few weeks, we've written articles focusing on the opioid crisis. You've learned some of the intricacies behind the issues of chronic pain. You've read about multiple factors that play a role in the pain experience. But, how is it that Physical Therapists treat chronic pain differently than another healthcare provider? Physical Therapists are uniquely positioned to transform management of chronic pain in the healthcare system. Read on to learn how!

Physical Therapists use tests and measures to assess function and pain. When pain is present, we identify the key underlying mechanisms that contribute to the pain experience. We look at the intensity, quality, and pattern of pain, as well as other variables that are part of the pain that you feel. We use this information to create a treatment plan.

Physical therapists use a variety of techniques in the management of pain. We use **exercise, manual therapy, and stress management** to reduce your pain. Other important elements that we use in pain reduction are **sleep hygiene** and **pain neuroscience education**.

Chronic pain is often present in people who have poor conditioning, muscle weakness, low endurance and other deficits. Physical Therapists use **exercise** to address these deficits.

Manual therapy is simply the use of hands in treatment. We use our hands to treat soft tissue and joints, reducing pain and inflammation and improving mobility.



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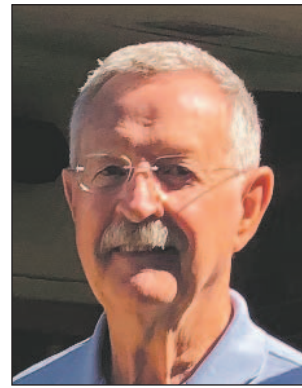
As mentioned in a previous article, **stress** plays a big role in the pain experience. Physical therapists use visualization, relaxation and mindfulness to help you learn to manage stress, resulting in reduced pain and improved function.

Sleep-hygiene is an often overlooked in the management of pain. Simple techniques to decrease exposure to unnatural light and focusing on breathing exercises can decrease sensitivity to pain and improve sleep patterns.

Much of what we have talked about in the past two weeks is "**pain neuroscience education**." The more our patients know about pain, the more they get better, report less pain and improved function. So the phrase "no pain, no gain" is transformed to, "know pain, know gain."



Do you want to know more? We are offering a **FREE** workshop at our clinic, on Saturday, November 3, at 9:00 am. We'll talk some more about how your pain can be reduced and eliminated, and you will learn more about how Physical Therapists treat pain. **We have limited space available.** If you want to attend, please call our office at **575-323-8131** and reserve your spot! Call today!



DAVID FARRELL BOYD

DAVID FARRELL BOYD, 77, long-time resident of the Mesilla Valley, passed away suddenly on Friday, October 19, 2018 in La Mesa, NM

David has been cherished by a loving family, including his daughter Colleen Boyd, son-in-law Jay Chapman and grandson Maxwell; daughter Shannon Garrison, son-in-law Kip Garrison and grandchildren Brice, Brandon, and Brynna.

David is survived by

his siblings Ruth Steusloff (of Arvada, CO), Thomas Gerald Boyd (of Moline, IL), and Billie Jo Brackeen (of San Marcos, TX). David is predeceased by his parents James Sumner Boyd and Annie Moseley Boyd, and brother, Sumner Moseley Boyd.

A memorial to celebrate David's life will be held on Monday the 5th of November, 2018 at Mesilla Valley Bosque State Park starting at at 3:00 PM. The park is located on the Rio Grande near Las Cruces and 1.5 miles from historic Mesilla. A reception will be held at the park after the services.

In lieu of flowers the family has requested that donations be made to the New Mexico State Parks (<http://nmwildlife.org/get-involved/support-nmwf/donate-today/>), National Parks

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EDICA OLIVER

EDICA OLIVER, age 53, of Las Cruces passed away Saturday, October 27, 2018. Services are pending with Baca's Funeral Chapels of Las Cruces, 527-2222.

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THOMAS R. JACOBS, age 65, of Las Cruces passed away Sunday, October 28, 2018. Services are pending with Baca's Funeral Chapels of Las Cruces and Sunset Crematory, 527-2222.

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ELZZA LYNNE CURRIE

ELZZA LYNNE CURRIE, age 61, of Las Cruces passed away on Wednesday, October 24, 2018. Services are pending with Baca's Funeral Chapels of Las Cruces and Sunset Crematory, 527-2222.

CHARLOTTE J. BARTRAM

CHARLOTTE J. BARTRAM, age 77, of Tularosa passed away Tuesday, October 23, 2018. Services are pending with Baca's Funeral Chapels of Las Cruces and Sunset Crematory, 527-2222.

JULIETTA A. GREIS

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RUBEN ORONA

RUBEN ORONA, age 56, of Las Cruces passed away Wednesday, October 24, 2018. Services are pending with Baca's Funeral Chapels of Las Cruces and Sunset Crematory, 527-2222.

SUNNY SANTIAGO "JIMMY" ROMAN, JR.

SUNNY SANTIAGO "JIMMY" ROMAN, JR.,

passed away on Tuesday, October 2, 2018 in Las Cruces at the age of 32. "Jimmy", as he was fondly known to family and friends, was born October 5, 1985 to Norma Jean Hernandez and Sunny Santiago Roman, Sr. He was a "jack of all trades" and could fix anything.

The Funeral Service was held on Thursday, October 25, 2018 at Bacas Funeral Chapel with Interment at Masonic Cemetery, where he was laid to rest alongside his brother, Raymond, in the family plot.

MARIA J. ROJAS

MARIA J. ROJAS, age 92, lifelong resident of Doña Ana passed away Friday, October 26, 2018 at La Posada-Mesilla Valley Hospice. She was born June 11, 1926 to Pabla Esparza and Barbarito Gloria. Maria was a loving homemaker and a devout member of Our Lady of Purification Catholic Church in Dona Ana.

The Funeral Service was held on Wednesday, October 31, 2018 at St. Genevieve Catholic

Church, with Interment in the Doña Ana Cemetery in Doña Ana where she was laid to rest in the family plot.

JOHN N. JARAMILLO

JOHN N. JARAMILLO, 87, of Las Cruces entered eternal life to be with his heavenly Father on Monday, October 22, 2018 at his home. He was born March 18, 1931 in Rincon to Patricio and Gregoria Naranjo Jaramillo. Mr. Jaramillo served his country honorably in

the United States Army and was an Electrical Engineer by trade and a member of the Catholic Church.

The Funeral Service was held on Tuesday, October 30, 2018 at St. Genevieve Catholic Church, with Interment of Remains in St. Genevieve Columbarium with military honors accorded by a New Mexico National Guard Honor Guard and the Marine Corps League - El Perro Diablo Detachment.

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Zombie Walk



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The "Dude" zombie Big Lebowski honoring Alecks Rundell put on a show for spectators at the Zombie Walk Saturday night, Oct. 27, on Main Street.

Grand opening



BULLETIN PHOTO BY STEVE MACINTYRE

FARMesilla grocery clerk Miguel Valade assists Shannon Patrick and her twin daughters Sari and Maya Patrick at FARMesilla, the farm-to-market store on Avenida de Mesilla that held its official grand opening Saturday, Oct. 27.

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Celebs come out for Habitat Build Day

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

A boxing champion, a city councilor, the district attorney, professional musicians and a local business owner were among the celebrity builders Oct. 17 as Mesilla Valley Habitat for Humanity (MVHFH) staff and volunteers continued work on new houses at 4174 Aurora Star Court in Las Cruces.

Participating celebrities included professional boxer Austin Trout, Las Cruces country music artist Frank Ray, Doña Ana County Sheriff's Deputy Jamar Cotton, Guzman Sport Karate & Kickboxing owner Eli Guzman, local musician Chris Baker and Doña Ana County District Attorney Mark D'Antonio.

"Celebrity Build Day was a tremendous success for MVHFH," said Executive Director Candice Butler. "We had an excellent turnout of ce-



COURTESY PHOTO

Left to right at Celebrity Build Day are Omar Uribe of the Frank Ray Band, Frank Ray Las Cruces musician Chris Baker, Doña Ana County District Attorney Mark D'Antonio, Doña Ana County Sheriff's Deputy Jamar Cotton, Guzman Sport Karate & Kickboxing owner Eli Guzman and Las Cruces City Councilor Gabe Vasquez.

lebrities, Care-A-Vanners (volunteer builders from across the United States), local volunteers, past and future homeowners, board of directors and staff."

Guzman provided shirts for the event, Salud! de Mesilla served lunch, Ray and Baker performed and donuts were donated by Albertsons, Butler said.

MVHFH was founded in 1987 and has built

more than 110 homes in Las Cruces. It is funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. It also has individual and corporate sponsors.

For more information, contact Butler at 575-525-0475 or cbutler@lascruceshabitat.org.

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Mayfield High varsity soccer players Jalyn Willis, left, and her sister Charitee Willis stand with Doña Ana County Fire Department Deputy Chief Eric Crespin Saturday afternoon at the Field of Dreams Soccer Complex. Mayfield and Las Cruces High School soccer teams played their final regular season match against each other after the ceremony, in which they linked arms in solidarity. Every year the LCHS soccer team plays one "ribbon game" in honor of a specific cause during which a special uniform is worn. This year it was the First Responders of Doña Ana County.

Tents to Rents



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ZiaVelo Cycling of Las Cruces board member David Rutledge presents a check for the 2018 Tents to Rents campaign to Mesilla Valley Community of Hope (MVCH) Executive Director Nicole Martinez. Tents to Rents is a campaign to support MVCH's Camp Hope tent city, moving people experiencing homelessness into their own apartments. The 2018 campaign raised more than \$50,000 and will move eight people from tents to their own homes, Martinez said.

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Nov. 7, Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. Scott Denning, Monfort professor of atmospheric science at Colorado State Uni-

versity, will outline the dynamics of climate change across the social, economic and environmental landscape, and steps the global community can take to address this crisis. Part of NMSUCCESS series. Cost: Free. Info: nmsuc-

cess1.wordpress.com.

Book talk: 1:30-2:30 Thursday, Nov. 8, Branigan Memorial Library Roadrunner Room, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Eric Norway, former Border Patrol agent, is the author of "Dark Canyons:

Where Mexico and the US Collide," a crime/suspense novel of two agents who become inseparable through adventure, frustration and temptation. Sponsored by The Friends of the Library. Includes light refreshments. Cost: Free.

Culture series: 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 8, NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum theater, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Karl Laumbach will discuss the life and times of Francisco Bojorquez, an early day hero of Sierra County and one of New Mexico's greatest cowboys. Cost: Free.

ing in Ruidoso for the first New Mexico Wood Industry Summit, designed to meet the needs and interests of the New Mexico wood industry. It will include presentations and panel discussions on a variety of topics. Info: Frank Silva at 937-2388.

Contra Dance: 7:30-10:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 16, Mesilla Community Center, 2251 Calle de Santiago. Southern New Mexico Music and Dance presents Rus Bradburd and Dennis Daily as the band and Lonnie Ludeman calling. Cost: Cost \$6 for adults, \$4 for youth, \$15 for family. Info: 575-522-1691 or snmmds.org.

HomeGrown Gift Market: 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 17, and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 18, NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. More than 60 vendors from around the state will sell their products and offer free samples. Award-winning salsas, wine, pies, cookies, sauces, jams, honey, jerky, pecans, pistachios, gift baskets, and more. Crafts using New Mexico resources are also part of the event. Cost: \$5 per vehicle. First 100 vehicles each day receive a free burlap shopping bag.

Moonbow book signing: 2-4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 11, Moonbow Alterations and Gift Shop, 225 E. Idaho No. 32. Meet writers and get books signed. Authors attending are Donnell Ann Bell (Deadly Recall and three more romance novels), Eric Norway (Dark Canyons: Where Mexico and the U.S. Collide, a novel), and Don Quine (The Dream Virgin, a thriller).

Homeless vets resources: 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Friday, Nov. 16, VFW Post 10124, 709 S. Valley Drive. Resource services for homeless veterans in need, including service officers, housing services, VA disability services, Social Security services, haircuts, and more. Info: 575-640-4285.

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Legal Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that on September 25, 2018, Edward DeRuyter, PO Box 10, Mesquite, NM 88048, filed application numbered LRG-953, LRG-3348-A, and LRG-3348-B with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Point of Diversion and Place of Use within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by combining water rights as recorded and on file with the State Engineer in Files LRG-953, LRG-3348-A, and LRG-3348-B for the combined diversion of 709.98 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater (315.63 acre-feet per annum of which is identified under State Engineer File No.: LRG-953; 176.08 acre-feet per annum of which is identified under State Engineer File No.: LRG-3348-A; and 218.27 acre-feet per annum of which is identified under State Engineer File No.: LRG-3348-B) from the following wells described as follows:

Well Location

LRG-953 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 5, Township 25 South, Range 3 East, NMPM Latitude/Longitude: 32° 9' 24.26"N, 106° 39' 35.20"W (WGS84)

LRG-953 POD3 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 5, Township 25 South, Range 3 East, NMPM Latitude/Longitude: 32° 9' 24.80"N, 106° 39' 34.61"W (WGS84)

LRG-3348-A-S NE 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25 South, Range 3 East, NMPM Latitude/Longitude: 32° 5' 18.86"N, 106° 38' 1.84"W (WGS84)

LRG-3348 POD12 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25 South, Range 3 East, NMPM Latitude/Longitude: 32° 5' 18.97"N, 106° 38' 2.01"W (WGS84)

LRG-3348-B SE 1/4 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25 South, Range 3 East, NMPM Latitude/Longitude: 32° 5' 33.21"N, 106° 37' 59.41"W (WGS84)

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Section Township
Range, NMPM

LRG-953
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5
25 South
3 East

LRG-953
SE 1/4
6
25 South
3 East

LRG-3348-A
SPA
33
25 South
3 East

LRG-3348-B
NE 1/4
33
25 South
3 East

Wells LRG-953 and LRG-953 POD3 are located southeast of Mesquite, NM and may be found approximately 0.6 mile northwest of the intersection of Stern Drive and Farmland Road. Wells LRG-3348-A-S and LRG-3348-B are located northwest of Berino, NM and may be found approximately 0.9 mile west of the intersection of Highway 478 and Glens Grove Road. Well LRG-3348-B is located northwest of Berino, NM and may be found approximately 1.0 mile west of the intersection of Highway 478 and Portillo Road.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last

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2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL DIS-
TRICT**

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2017-03844

**JPMORGAN CHASE
BANK, NATIONAL AS-
SOCIATION, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JACOB G LLANEZ, DI-
ANA R SANDOVAL
A/K/A DIANA R LLANEZ
Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF FORECLO-
SURE SALE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 1958 Redwood Street, Las Cruces, NM 88001, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 8, BLOCK 16, UNIT NO. 8 LOMA HEIGHTS SOUTH, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON JUNE 18, 1974 IN BOOK 12 PAGE(S) 1-2 OF PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 10:45 am on December 20, 2018, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on October 10,

2018 in the total amount of \$110,491.98 with interest at the rate of 6.2500% per annum from March 1, 2018 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

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**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

NO. D-307-CV-2018-02082
Judge Beyer

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE PETITION OF LOR-
ENZA MISQUEZ TO
QUIET TITLE TO AND
DETERMINE THE
HEIRS OF ERNEST L.**

**MISQUEZ aka ERNEST
T. MISQUEZ,
DECEASED**

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY
OF SUIT**

**To: ALL UNKNOWN
PERSONS, HEIRS AND
CLAIMANTS TO THE
ESTATE OF ERNEST L.
MISQUEZ, DECEASED**

You are hereby notified that Lorenza Misquez, surviving spouse, has filed a civil action in the above-entitled court and cause, the general object of which is to obtain an Order to Quiet Title and to Determine Heirs of Ernest L. Misquez, aka Ernest T. Misquez, deceased, in and to property described as follows, to wit:

Lot 1 and 2 , Block 57 , of the Original Townsite of Las Cruces, located in the City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico as shown on the plat thereof recorded on September 15, 183 in Plat Book 6 at Page 1, records of Dona Ana County.

This notice will be published once a week for three consecutive weeks. Unless you enter your appearance, and file an answer within 30 days of the last publication of this Notice a Judgment by Default may be entered against you.

/s/ Larry Ramirez
Larry Ramirez, Esq.
Attorney for the Plaintiff
715 E. Amador, Suite B
Las Cruces, NM 88001
575-541-3341

Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 11/16,
2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

CV-2018-2135
JUDGE BEYER

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE PETITION
OF Catheryne Chavarria
FOR CHANGE OF
NAME OF Jeremiah
Chavarria-Lawson**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
TO CHANGE NAME**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN** that Catheryne Chavarria, the biological mother of Jeremiah Chavarria-Lawson, a resident of the

City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Judicial District Court, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her son's name from Jeremiah Chavarria-Lawson to Jeremiah Thomas Chavarria, and that this petition will be heard before the Honorable Marci E. Beyer, District Judge, on the 13th day of December, 2018, at the hour of 2:30 p.m. at the Third Judicial District County Courthouse, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

WITNESS the Honorable Marci E. Beyer Judge of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico and the seal of the District Court of Dona Ana County, this 22nd day of October, 2018.

CLERK OF THE DIS-
TRICT COURT
By: /s/ Cathy Alvarez
DEPUTY

Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

CV-2018-2243
JUDGE BEYER

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE PETITION
OF PRISMA HARSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME OF
IAN MASON BURKE**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
TO CHANGE NAME**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN** that Prisma Harse, the biological mother of Ian Mason Burke, a resident of the City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Judicial District Court, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her son's name from Ian Mason Burke to Ian Mason Harse, and that this petition will be heard before the Honorable Marci E. Beyer, District Judge, on the 13th day of December, 2018, at the hour of 2:30 p.m. at the Third Judicial District County Courthouse, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

WITNESS the Honorable

Marci E. Beyer Judge of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico and the seal of the District Court of Dona Ana County, this 22nd day of October, 2018.

CLERK OF THE DIS-
TRICT COURT
By: /s/ Cathy Alvarez
DEPUTY

Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

NO. CV-2018-2160
MANUEL I. ARRIETA

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE PETITION OF
GENEVIEVE ANGEL
TORRES
FOR CHANGE OF
NAME**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
TO CHANGE NAME**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN** that Genevieve Angel Torres, a resident of the City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her name from Genevieve Angel Torres to Genevieve A. Martinez Rodriguez, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable Manuel I. Arrieta, District Judge on the 16th day of November, 2018, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. at the Third Judicial District Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Genevieve Angel Torres
Genevieve Angel Torres
1800 S. Fairacres Rd.
Las Cruces, NM 88005
575-650-4448

Dates: 10/26, 11/02, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

NO. D-307-CV-2018-02080
JUDGE BEYER

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE PETITION OF THE
HEIRS OF NETTY C.
MILLER TO QUIET TI-**

**TLE
AND FOR DETERMINA-
TION OF HEIR SHIP**

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY
OF SUIT**

**To: ALL UNKNOWN
PERSONS CLAIMING
ANY INTEREST IN THE**

**ESTATE OF NETTY C.
MILLER, DECEASED**

You are hereby notified that Elaine Miller Davis, on behalf of herself, Donna Miller, Michael Miller and Janice Cuaron, has filed a civil action in the above-entitled court and cause, the general object of which is to obtain an Order to Quiet Title and to determine the lawful heirs of Netty C. Miller, deceased, to property described as follows, to wit:

Lot 9, Block 2, of the Val Verde Homesites, Plat #Isituate in Dona Ana County, New Mexico.

This notice will be published once a week for three consecutive weeks. Unless you enter your appearance, and file an answer within 30 days of the last publication date of this Notice a Judgment by Default may be entered against you.

/s/ Larry Ramirez, Esq.
Larry Ramirez, Esq.
Attorney for Plaintiffs
715 E. Amador, Suite B Las
Cruces, NM 88001
575-644-3201

Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 11/16,
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**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
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THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

D-307-PB-2018-00106
Judge Manuel I. Arrieta

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF
GEORGE WINN, a/k/a
GEORGE WINN, JR.,
Deceased.**

**NOTICE TO CRED-
ITORS**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN** that the undersigned **THEODORE E. THEISEN, III**, has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this

Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the Personal Representative c/o The Law Offices of Dana M. Kyle, P.O. Box 2277, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court of Doña Ana County, 201 W. Picacho, Suite A, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

Dated this 15th day of
October, 2018.

/s/ Theodore E. Theisen, III
**THEODORE E. THEISEN,
III,**
Personal Representative of
the Estate of
**GEORGE WINN, a/k/a
GEORGE WINN, JR.,**

deceased.

Prepared by:
The Law Offices of Dana M.
Kyle, P.A.
By/s/ Dana M. Kyle
Dana M. Kyle
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Attorney for Personal Repre-
sentative

Dates: 10/19, 10/26, 11/02,
2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT**

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2016-01522

**U.S. BANK NATIONAL
ASSOCIATION AS IN-
DENTURE TRUSTEE
FOR CSMC TRUST
2014-CIM1
MORTGAGE-BACKED
NOTES, SERIES
2014-CIM1, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**BARBARA MORGAN,
BRUCE D. SNYDER,
PATRICIA E. SNYDER,
OCCUPANTS OF THE
PROPERTY, Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF FORECLO-
SURE SALE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly

known as 650 Hummingbird, Las Cruces, NM 88007, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 3, BLOCK A, COUNTRY ACRE PHASE 1, IN THE COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY AS PLAT NO. 1510 ON 10/07/1986 IN BOOK PAGE(S) 277-278 OF PLAT RECORDS. Also known as: LOT 3, BLOCK A, COUNTRY ACRE PHASE 1, IN THE COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY AS PLAT NO. 1510 ON OCTOBER 7, 1986 IN BOOK PAGE(S) 277 AND 278 OF PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 10:45 am on December 20, 2018, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on October 10, 2018 in the total amount of \$114,161.89 with interest at the rate of 9.1600% per annum from May 16, 2018 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. U.S. Bank National Association as Indenture Trustee for CSMC Trust 2014-CIM1 Mortgage-Backed Notes, Series 2014-CIM1, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to

the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

By: Robert Doyle
c/o Legal Process Network
P.O. Box 51526
Albuquerque, NM 87181
2 NM-15-690038-JUD
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11/2/2018 11/9/2018
11/16/2018 11/23/2018

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2018-00913

WILMINGTON TRUST, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE TO CITIBANK, N.A. AS TRUSTEE TO LEHMAN XS TRUST MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-1, Plaintiff,

vs.

JUNE SCOTT; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 813 Parkview Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88001, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 2 IN BLOCK D OF OSBORN PARK, REPLAT NO. 1, LOCATED IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON APRIL 13, 1979 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 12 AT PAGE 260, PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 2:00 pm on December 6, 2018, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on September 21, 2018 in the total amount of \$156,927.00 with interest at the rate of 3.125% per annum from November 1, 2017 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. Wilmington Trust, National Association, not in its Individual Capacity but Solely as Successor Trustee to Citibank, N.A. as Trustee to Lehman XS Trust Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-1, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1)

month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

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2 NM-18-813599-JUD
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2018-00398

NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC D/B/A CHAMPION MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff,

vs.

NORA F. REYES, DECEASED; UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES OF NORA F. REYES, DECEASED; JOANN RAMIREZ, POSSIBLE HEIR OF NORA F. REYES, DECEASED; VERONICA BERNARD, POSSIBLE HEIR OF NORA F. REYES, DECEASED; LINDA M. SAMPLE, POSSIBLE HEIR OF NORA F. REYES, DECEASED; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 101 Las Flores Circle, San Miguel, NM 88058, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT NUMBERED 1 OF ALTA DE LAS FLORES SUBDIVISION, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF

SAID ALTA DE LAS FLORES SUBDIVISION, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON FEBRUARY 15, 1971 IN PLAT BOOK 10, FOLIO 71.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 2:00 pm on November 15, 2018, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on September 17, 2018 in the total amount of \$109,967.75 with interest at the rate of 3.80999% per annum from August 1, 2018 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. NATIONSTAR Mortgage LLC D/B/A Champion Mortgage Company, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

By: Robert Doyle
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P.O. Box 51526
Albuquerque, NM 87181

2 NM-17-803464-JUD
IDSPub #0145979

10/12/2018 10/19/2018
10/26/2018 11/2/2018

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2017-01166

WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, D/B/A CHRISTIANA TRUST, NOT INDIVIDUALLY BUT AS TRUSTEE FOR PRETIUM MORTGAGE ACQUISITION TRUST, Plaintiff,

vs.

GENA C. CLARK, INDIVIDUALLY AND THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF FRANK E. CLARK, DECEASED, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 3427 Eastridge Pl, Las Cruces, NM 88005, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 82, BLOCK 7, NORTHBRIDGE SUBDIVISION, PHASE IIB, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON PLAT NO. 1428, THEREOF FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON MARCH 26, 1986, AND RECORDED IN BOOK 14, PAGES 166-167, PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 2:00 pm on December 6, 2018, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency

of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on September 27, 2018 in the total amount of \$63,757.28 with interest at the rate of 6.1250% per annum from June 25, 2018 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB, D/B/A Christiana Trust, not Individually but as Trustee for PRETIUM Mortgage Acquisition Trust, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

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Albuquerque, NM 87181

2 NM-16-753276-JUD
IDSPub #0146004

10/12/2018 10/19/2018
10/26/2018 11/2/2018

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

NO. D-307-CV-2018-00928

IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIA-

TION, Plaintiff,

vs.

MIGUEL ARROYO, NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF MIGUEL ARROYO, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the above-named Defendant The Unknown Spouse of Miguel Arroyo,

GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on property located as 1407 Evelyn St., Las Cruces, NM 88001, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, said property being more particularly described as:

LOT 10, BLOCK 19, UNIT NO. 7 LOMA HEIGHTS SOUTH, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON AUGUST 2, 1971, IN BOOK 10 PAGE(S) 84-85 OF PLAT RECORDS.

Unless you file and serve a pleading or motion in response to the complaint in said cause on or before 30 days after the last publication date, judgment by default will be entered against you.

Respectfully Submitted,
WEINSTEIN & RILEY, P.S.

/s/ Elizabeth V. Friedenstein

Elizabeth V. Friedenstein
5801 Osuna Road NE, Suite A-103
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109
Phone: (505) 348 3200
ElizabethF@w-legal.com
Attorney for Plaintiff

Dates: 10/26, 11/02, 11/09, 2018

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

NO. D-307-CV-2017-02775

BOKF, N.A., Plaintiff,

v.

BETTY J. MASON AND NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on November 13, 2018 at 11:45 am, outside the main entrance of the 3rd Judicial District Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title, and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:

LOT NUMBERED 73 OF MI TIERRA SUBDIVISION, LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID MI TIERRA SUBDIVISION, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON APRIL 8, 1999 IN PLAT BOOK 19, FOLIO 258-259.

The address of the real property is 4165 Calle Nuestra, Las Cruces, NM 88005. Plaintiff included the manufactured home, identified as a 1999 CMH Manufacturing, Inc. SF2000 mobile home, VIN number CLW012826TX, as part of the collateral granted by the Mortgage and Plaintiff holds a first equitable lien on said manufactured home. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on August 20, 2018 in the above entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to foreclose a mortgage held by the above Plaintiff and wherein Plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$74,151.35 plus interest from March 1, 2018 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.750% per annum, the costs of sale, including the

Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

At the date and time stated above, the Special Master may postpone the sale to such later date and time as the Special Master may specify.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other condition that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above-described real property subject to rights of redemption.

Margaret Lake Special Master Pro Legal Services, LLC 201 Eubank Blvd. NE, Suite A1 Albuquerque, NM 87123 (505)715-3711

Dates: 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/02, 2018

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Cause No. D-307- CV-2018-01956 Judge: Marci Beyer

MAGNIFICENT GRAY GIRLS, LP, Plaintiff,
v.

GUILLERMO OLIVAS AGUIRRE and, DELIA CECILIA SAENZ QUINTANA, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to: GUILLERMO OLIVAS AGUIRRE and DELIA CECILIA SAENZ QUINTANA.

GREETINGS: You are hereby notified that the above named Plaintiff has brought suit against you in the District Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico under Cause No: D-307-CV-2018-01956, the general object of which is to foreclose on the following described property:

LOT 004, BLOCK 005, VILLA VALENZUELA SUBDIVISION PHASE III, in the city of Sunland Park, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on the Plat thereof, filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on March 9, 2015, in Book 23, Pages 725-729 of Plat Records on mountain terms.

Property's address is commonly known as 5921 Cocabolo St., Sunland Park, New Mexico 88008.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the real property address, the legal description shall control. You are further notified that unless a responsive pleading is filed with the District Court Administrator, Third Judicial District, Dona Ana County, New Mexico at 201 W Picacho Ave, Las Cruces, NM 88005, which responsive pleading is also to be served upon the below named attorney for the Plaintiff within the time required by law, which is 30 days after the date of the third publication of this Notice of Pendency of Suit, a judgment of default will be rendered against the above named Defendants.

Plaintiff's attorney is William L. Lutz of Martin &

Lutz, P.C., P.O. Box 1837 Las Cruces, NM 88004.

Witness my hand and seal this 17th day of October, 2018.

DISTRICT COURT ADMINISTRATOR David S. Borunda By: /s/ Veronica Uribe Veronica Uribe

Dates: 10/26, 11/02, 11/09, 2018

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Cause No.: D-307-CV-2016-02600

NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC D/B/A CHAMPION MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff,

vs.

JULIA ECHEVARRIA; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 215 Palo Verde Drive, Sunland Park, NM 88063, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT NUMBERED 8 IN BLOCK NUMBERED 40 OF MEADOW VISTA SUBDIVISION, PLAT 6, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID MEADOW VISTA SUBDIVISION, PLAT 6, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON JULY 22, 1959 IN PLAT BOOK 8, FOLIO 45.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 2:00 pm on November 15, 2018, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to

the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on August 27, 2018, in the total amount of \$83,247.83 with interest at the rate of 3.539% per annum from January 1, 2018 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. NATIONSTAR Mortgage LLC D/B/A Champion Mortgage Company, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

By: Robert Doyle c/o Legal Process Network P.O. Box 51526 Albuquerque, NM 87181

2 NM-16-754059-JUD IDSPub #0145835

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Cause No. D-307-CV-2018-1011 Judge: Marci Beyer

1120 COMMERCE, LLC, Plaintiff,
v.

COMMERCE BISTRO, LLC, RJK DINING, LLC, RAMON S. SANCHEZ, JOSE G. SANCHEZ and KATHERINE VELASCO Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to: RAMON S. SANCHEZ.

GREETINGS: You are hereby notified that the above named Plaintiff has brought suit against you in the District Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico under Cause No: D-307-CV-2018-1011, the general object of which is to collect unpaid rent on the property located at 1120 Commerce Dr. Ste. A, Las Cruces, NM 88011.

You are further notified that unless a responsive pleading is filed with the District Court Administrator, Third Judicial District, Dona Ana County, New Mexico at 201 W Picacho Ave, Las Cruces, NM 88005, which responsive pleading is also to be served upon the below named attorney for the Plaintiff within the time required by law, which is thirty (30) days after the date of the third publication of this Notice of Pendency of Suit, a judgment of default will be rendered against the above named Defendant.

Plaintiff's attorney is William L. Lutz of Martin & Lutz, P.C., P.O. Box 1837 Las Cruces, NM 88004.

Witness my hand and seal this 4th day of September, 2018.

(seal)

DISTRICT COURT ADMINISTRATOR DAVID S. BORUNDA By: /s/ Veronica Uribe Veronica Uribe

Dates: 10/26, 11/02, 11/09, 2018

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

CV-2018-00968 JUDGE: BEYER

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel.,

CITY OF LAS CRUCES, on behalf of the LAS CRUCES POLICE DEPARTMENT, Petitioner,

vs.

RUBEN C. GARCIA CF NEW MEXICO LLC DBA THE CASH STORE 2000 FORD TAURUS, WHITE; VIN: 1FAFP56S2YG131421; NEW MEXICO LICENSE PLATE NO. 782 TXX, Respondents.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

To: Respondent **RUBEN C. GARCIA:**

1. The City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, seeks to forfeit all interest you may have in the following described motor vehicle: 2000 FORD TAURUS, WHITE; VIN: 1FAFP56S2YG131421; NEW MEXICO LICENSE PLATE NO. 782 TXX.

2. You are the named Respondent for whom this service by publication is sought.

3. A default judgement may be entered if a response is not filed by you or your attorney.

Respectfully submitted, CITY OF LAS CRUCES By: /s/ Robert A. Cabello Robert A. Cabello Interim Deputy City Attorney P.O. Box 20000 (575) 541-2128 (575) 541-2017 Fax Attorney for Petitioner

WITNESS the Honorable Beyer, Marci, District Judge of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico and the seal of the District Court of Doña Ana County, this 19 day of October, 2018.

(seal)

COURT EXECUTIVE OFFICER /s/ Lindsey Saiz DEPUTY Lindsey Saiz-Judicial Specialist Leadworker

Dates: 10/26, 11/02, 11/09, 2018

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Cause No.: D-307-CV-2017-03897

LOANDEPOT.COM,

LLC, Plaintiff,
vs.

JIMMY MATHIS; LAVETTIE L. MATHIS; GILBERT LUJAN; LAURA LUJAN, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 1822 Bentley Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88001, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT NUMBERED 12 IN BLOCK NUMBERED B OF COUNTRY CLUB HEIGHTS UNIT NO. 5, LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID COUNTRY CLUB HEIGHTS UNIT NO. 5, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON FEBRUARY 12, 2002 IN PLAT BOOK 20, FOLIO 22-23, and also described as: LOT 12 IN BLOCK B OF COUNTRY CLUB HEIGHTS UNIT NO. 5, LOCATED IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, NM 88007, DOÑA ANA, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA, NEW MEXICO OF FEBRUARY 12, 2002 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 20 AT PAGES 22-23, PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 2:00 pm on December 6, 2018, at the Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on September 7, 2018 in the total amount of \$176,229.43, with interest at the rate of 4.50% per annum from April 1, 2018 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this

Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. Loandepot.Com, LLC, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Cause No.: D-307-CV-2017-01202

GUILD MORTGAGE COMPANY, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION, Plaintiff,

vs.

STEVEN JAMES PHILLIPS, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with

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the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 5844 Baywood Street, Sunland Park, NM 88008, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 13, BLOCK 12, VIL-LA VALENCIA SUBDIVISION PHASE II, CITY OF SUNLAND PARK, DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY, ON MAY 17, 2013, IN BOOK 23, PAGE(S) 453 THROUGH 456, PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 10:45 am on December 20, 2018, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on October 10, 2018 in the total amount of \$165,457.07 with interest at the rate of 3.75% per annum from June 30, 2018 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. Guild Mortgage Company, A California Corporation, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

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property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

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**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT**

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2018-00937

**WELLS FARGO BANK
N.A., Plaintiff,**

vs.

**ADRIAN CHAVEZ AKA
ADRIAN M. CHAVEZ
AKA ADRIAN MARIO
CHAVEZ; LORENA
CHAVEZ, Defendants.**

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 2999 Fountain Ave, Las Cruces, NM 88007, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 135, LEGENDS WEST SUBDIVISION, PHASE IV, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2005, IN BOOK 21 PAGE(S) 344 346 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The real property is also described as follows:

LOT 135 OF LEGENDS WEST SUBDIVISION, PHASE IV, LOCATED IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON

THE PLAT THEREOF FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2005 IN BOOK 21 AT PAGES 344-346, PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 2:00 P.M. on December 6, 2018, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on August 20, 2018 in the total amount of \$134,729.45 with interest at the rate of 3.875% per annum from June 13, 2018 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. Wells Fargo Bank N.A., its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

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**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

CV-2018-01200
JUDGE: BEYER

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel.,
CITY OF LAS CRUCES,
on behalf of the
LAS CRUCES POLICE
DEPARTMENT,
Petitioner,**

vs.

**CLAUDE COGBURN
One (1) 1990 TOYOTA
CAMRY, GRAY;
VIN:
4TISV21E0LU131597;
NEW MEXICO LICENSE
PLATE NO. 474 SXA,
Respondents.**

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY
OF ACTION**

To: Respondent **CLAUDE COGBURN**:

1. The City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, seeks to forfeit all interest you may have in the following described motor vehicle: 1990 TOYOTA, G R E Y ; V I N : 4TISV21E0LU131597; NEW MEXICO LICENSE PLATE NO. 474 SXA

2. You are the named Respondent for whom this service by publication is sought.

3. A default judgement may be entered if a response is not filed by you or your attorney.

Respectfully submitted,
CITY OF LAS CRUCES
By: /s/ Robert A. Cabello
Robert A. Cabello
Interim Deputy City Attorney
P.O. Box 20000
(575) 541-2128
(575) 541-2017 Fax
Attorney for Petitioner

WITNESS the Honorable Beyer, Marci, District Judge of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico and the seal of the District Court of Doña Ana County, this 22nd day of October, 2018.

(seal)

COURT EXECUTIVE OFFICER
/s/ Denika Sherman
DEPUTY

Dates: 10/26, 11/02, 11/09, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
IN THE
PROBATE COURT
DOÑA ANA COUNTY**

No. 18-0277
Judge Diana A. Bustamante,
PhD

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE
ESTATE OF:
ARMANDO PARRA
(a/k/a Armando Parra
Hernandez),
DECEASED.**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that OLIVIA PARRA has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of any published notice to creditors or sixty (60) days after the date of mailing of this notice, whichever is later, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico, located at 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88007.

DATED this 29th day of October, 2018.

KEITHLY & ENGLISH, LLC
/s/ Shane A. English

SHANE A. ENGLISH
Attorney for Olivia Parra,
Personal Representative
N.M. State Bar No. 4854
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Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 11/16, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
THE PROBATE COURT
DOÑA ANA COUNTY**

No. 18-0291

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF
THOMAS D. WELCH,
A.K.A. THOMAS DAVID
WELCH,
DECEASED**

NOTICE TO KNOWN CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MARK W. WELCH has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of any published notice to creditors or sixty (60) days after the date of mailing of this notice, whichever is later, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico, located at 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88007.

Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 11/16, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
IN THE
PROBATE COURT
DOÑA ANA COUNTY**

No. 18-0276
Judge Diana A. Bustamante,
PhD

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE
ESTATE OF:
MARGARITA PARRA,
DECEASED.**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that OLIVIA PARRA has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of any published notice to creditors or sixty (60) days after the date of mailing of this notice, whichever is later, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico, located at 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88007.

Dated: October 23, 2018.

/s/ Mark W. Welch
Mark W. Welch
735 Walnut Ave.
Ukiah, CA 95482
707-489-2307

**THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
STATE OF
NEW MEXICO**

No. PB-18-14
Judge MARTIN

**In the Matter of the Estate
of
RAYMUNDO CARDONA
ORONA, Deceased.**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at 715 E. Amador, Suite B, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, 201 West Picacho, Suite A, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

DATED: OCTOBER 11, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
THE PROBATE COURT
DOÑA ANA COUNTY**

No. 18-0291

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF
THOMAS D. WELCH,
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WELCH,
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Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 11/16, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
IN THE
PROBATE COURT
DOÑA ANA COUNTY**

No. 18-0276
Judge Diana A. Bustamante,
PhD

Friday, November 2, 2018

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Dated: October 23, 2018.

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Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 11/16, 2018

**THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
STATE OF
NEW MEXICO**

No. PB-18-14
Judge MARTIN

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ORONA, Deceased.**

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DATED: OCTOBER 11, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
THE PROBATE COURT
DOÑA ANA COUNTY**

No. 18-0291

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**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
IN THE
PROBATE COURT
DOÑA ANA COUNTY**

No. 18-0276
Judge Diana A. Bustamante,
PhD

/s/ Larry Ramirez
Larry Ramirez, Esq.
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Las Cruces, NM 88001
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Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 11/16, 2018

**THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF
DOÑA ANA
STATE OF
NEW MEXICO**

No. PB-18-38
Judge MARTIN

**In the Matter of the Estate
of
OPAL BONITA STONE,
Deceased.**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at 715 E. Amador, Suite B, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, 201 West Picacho, Suite A, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

DATED: OCTOBER 11, 2018

/s/ Larry Ramirez
Larry Ramirez, Esq.
Attorney for the Estate
715 E. Amador, Suite B
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Dates: 11/02, 11/09, 11/16, 2018

**STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
THE PROBATE COURT
DOÑA ANA COUNTY**

No. 18-0291

**IN THE MATTER OF
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November regents meeting hits milestone

BULLETIN REPORT

When the New Mexico State University board of regents meet in November, it will mark 129 years since the very first meeting of the board.

New Mexico Territorial Gov. L. Bradford Prince appointed the first board of regents of New Mexico Agricultural College (later NMSU) in September 1889, according to <https://advancing.nmsu.edu/alumni/traditions-history>. Regents, John R. McFie, William L. Ryner-son, Robert Black, Jayno A. Whitmore and Numa Reymond, held their first meeting Nov. 13, 1889.

McFie, a Las Cruces judge, was the first board of regents' president. McFie Hall, named in his honor, was the first building constructed on the new campus, according to the website.

The building's 1,000-pound cornerstone, "hand-hewn from the Organ Mountains" and laid Sept. 9, 1890, remains on the NMSU Horseshoe in front of Hadley Hall, according to an NMSU news article written by Darrell J. Pehr. The building opened Feb. 9, 1891. Prior to that, classes were held in an adobe building in downtown Las Cruces.

Ryner-son of Las Cruces was the board of regents' secretary-treasurer and Reymond of Las Cruces, Black of Silver City and Whitmore of San Marcial were board members, according to Pehr's article.

The NMSU regents today are Chair Debra Hicks, Vice-Chair Kari Mitchell, Secretary-Treasurer Jerean Hutchinson

and members Christopher T. Saucedo and Margie Vela.

Here are some other dates in the NMSU timeline, from <https://webcomm.nmsu.edu/panorama/2013/08/11/383/>:

- July 2, 1862: President Abraham Lincoln signed the Morrill Act, which allows states and territories to establish land-grant colleges.

(The first land-grant institution created by the act was Kansas State University, established on Feb. 16, 1863 and opened Sept. 2 that same year. NMSU President John Floros came to Las Cruces from K State.)

- Sept. 17, 1888 – Las Cruces College opens for its first school year. Hiram Hadley is the first president.

- 1889 – Foundation for the College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences established

- Feb. 28, 1889 – The New Mexico Territorial Legislature passes the Rodey Act establishing an agricultural college in Las Cruces

- April 13, 1889 – Initial campus land acquired from Jacob Schaublin

- Sept. 1889 – First Board of Regents appointed by New Mexico Territorial Gov. L. Bradford Prince

- Nov. 13, 1889 – First meeting of the Board of Regents

- 1890: Fabian Garcia, a native of Chihuahua, Mexico who became a U.S. citizen in 1889, enrolled at New Mexico Agricultural College. He was the college's first Hispanic graduate and part of the college's first



NMSU PHOTO

Goddard Hall and Miller Field Gates when NMSU was known as New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts.

graduating class in 1894. Garcia received a master's degree from the college in 1906 and became director of the college's Agricultural Experiment Station in 1913 – the first Hispanic in the nation to lead such a post.

- 1890 – New Mexico Agricultural College becomes known as New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts

- Feb. 9, 1891 – The first library opened at New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts in McFie Hall

- Feb. 15, 1893 – The New Mexico Collegian, the college's first paper begins publication. The



Miller Field Gates as they look today, framing Skeen Hall as it appears from Espina Street. Joe Skeen, a Picacho, New Mexico rancher, was elected by write-in to the U.S. House of Representatives district two seat in 1980 and held it until his retirement in 2002. He was chair of two House appropriations subcommittees. Skeen served longer in the U.S. House than anyone else in New Mexico history.

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paper was replaced by the Round-Up in 1907

- March 1893 – Samuel Steel was one of the first to enroll at the college. In March 1893, he was the only member of the senior class and was set to become the first graduate of the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts. Just months before commencement, Steel was shot during a “hold-up killing” by an “intoxicated cowboy.” A column in the school newspaper read: “We can only trust that the human fiend who committed the crime, and who is now secure in jail, will meet, by the process of law, the fate he so richly deserves.” Today, the NMSU College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences publishes a regular alumni newsletter named for Steel. Sam Steel Way is also the name of a busy street along the southeast corner of the university.

- 1893 – Aggie football team established. The team included a number of the college’s first graduates, including Fabian Garcia. The rivalry with the University of New Mexico began with the first football game between the two schools on Jan. 1, 1894. UNM won 18-6.

- June 1, 1894 – New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts holds its first commencement ceremony. There were five graduates in the class of 1894, including Ralph R. Larkin, Oscar C. Snow, Fabian Garcia, Kate Agnes Williams and valedictorian Lemuel C. McGrath. It was the first college

graduation ceremony in New Mexico history.

- 1894 – Crimson chosen as the school color

- 1897 – Alfred Moss Holt, the college’s first graduate student, completes his master’s degree

- May 24, 1898 – NMSU Alumni Association founded

- 1903 – The college had a women’s basketball team that year. Unfortunately, most of their games were relatively low scoring because of the black dresses and bows the team wore as part of their uniforms.

- February 1906 – The Old Seed House is the oldest building on campus and actually predates the university itself. Throughout the early part of the 1900s it was a popular gathering place for many student events, including the Carnival Ball in February 1906. It’s unknown when the building was constructed, but it was already in existence on the original land deeded to the university. The Old Seed House still stands on the east end of College Avenue and is the only building from the 1800s that remains at NMSU.

- Sept. 12, 1910 – Fire destroys McFie Hall, also known as Old Main

- Oct. 31, 1914 – UTEP rivalry starts, when the Aggie football team defeated the Miners 19-0. Since 1955, the winner of the football game between NMSU and UTEP has received the Silver Spade, a replica prospector’s shovel. A second traveling trophy, the Brass Spittoon, came into existence in 1982.

- March 31, 1920 – In 1920, students stood on the tower of Goddard Hall to survey and layout the letter “A” on Tortu-

gas Mountain. The “A” was originally painted on April 1 of each year by students who formed a bucket brigade to carry whitewash up the mountain. The “A” is three miles east of campus, stands 300 feet tall by 80 feet wide, and forms a perfect east-west line with the International Mall, the NMSU Horseshoe and College Avenue.

- March 1924 – Miller Field gates built

- 1933 – Quesenberry field opens. The field was named for Capt. Joseph Quesenberry played football for the Aggies and was the first Aggie to be killed in action during war. He died April 29, 1918, fighting on the Western Front in World War I. In 1933, the newly constructed Aggie football field was named in honor of Quesenberry. On Sept. 16, 1950, Quesenberry field officially became known as Aggie Memorial, in honor of other Aggie veterans who had served in war, while the playing surface continued to be called Quesenberry Field. The only remnant of the original stadium that remains today is Memorial Tower, which was used as a press box for media on game days. The tower is now part of the College of Health and Social Services building and still holds photos and tributes to Aggies who have given their lives to serving the country.

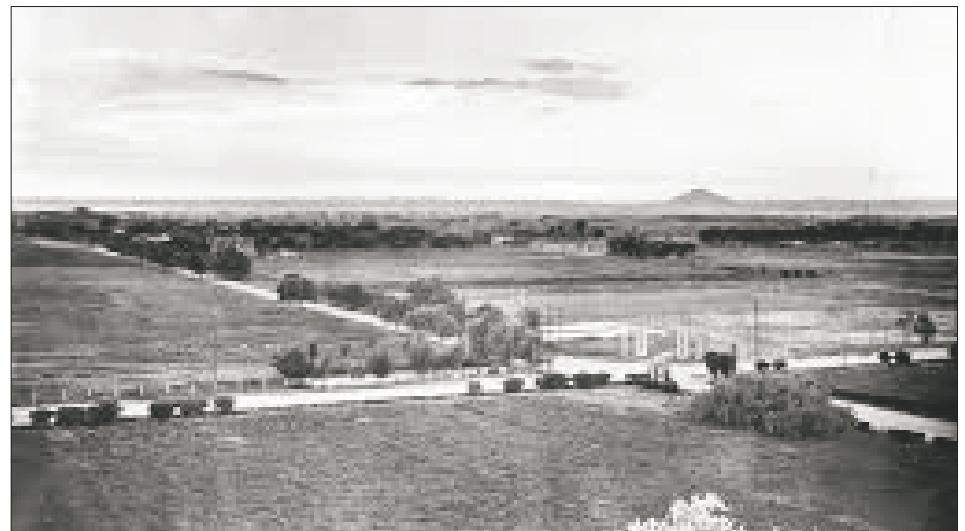
- 1937 – Clara Belle Williams becomes the college’s first African-American graduate.

- Dec. 17, 1958 – New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts becomes known as New Mexico State University of Agriculture, Engineering and Science



BULLETIN PHOTOS BY MIKE COOK

This plaque on the NMSU Miller Field Gates shows the 118-acre ranch of agriculturalist Jacob Schaublin, which he donated to establish what would become New Mexico State University. The university “organized football and other field sports dating back to the 1890s, according to <https://webcomm.nmsu.edu/panorama>,” held on what was simply called the Athletic Field through 1908. That year, the field, which actually comprised football, baseball, tennis and other venues, officially became Miller Field, named for the university registrar and volunteer football coach John Oliver Miller, who coached numerous successful football teams 1901-08. The Miller Field gates were built in 1924 and though the fields are gone, the gates still stand today between Skeen Hall and Espina Street.” Football moved to the old Aggie Memorial Stadium near the NMSU business complex in 1950 and to the current stadium site in 1978, according to a Miller Field Gate plaque.



NMSU LIBRARY PHOTO

Looking west, Miller Field with gates. 1925.

- 1960 – The campus police department hires its first officer

- November 1960 – New Mexico State University of Agriculture, Engineering and Science shortens its name, officially be-

coming New Mexico State University

- 1973 – Pistol Pete becomes the NMSU mascot, making his first public appearance in 1973 at NMSU’s home football game against Utah State.

The pistol-toting cowboy is named for Francis “Frank” Boardman Eaton who avenged his father’s murder in 1881 in Albuquerque. Eaton earned his nickname for his quick draw.



Las Cruces artist and performer Bob Diven will again portray Robert the Ratcatcher at the Renaissance Arts Faire.



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The artwork of Romy Saenz Hawkins will be featured in the Renaissance Arts Faire's Artistas del Camino Real area, and the artist will be demonstrating her work on both days of the RenFaire from noon-1:30 p.m.

RenFaire ■ Calling all lords and ladies to the realm

BULLETIN REPORT

It wouldn't be November without the Doña Ana Arts Council's Renaissance ArtFaire – or RenFaire, as it has come to be known.

There are the lords and ladies, the children's realm, juried arts and crafts, outstanding food, beer and wine, jousting on horseback, the Ped-

dler's Market, Robert the Ratcatcher, and, organizers are very hopeful that Magellan, the fire-breathing dragon, will be in the lake.

This year's RenFaire, the 47th annual, is 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3 and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 4 at Young Park, 850 S. Walnut St.

Tickets are \$10 for adults at the gate, with

children ages 12 and under admitted free. Buy advance tickets, two for \$15, at Pic Quik convenience store locations, the Doña Ana Arts Council office, 1740 Calle de Mercado and online at www.daarts.org.

A VIP pass is available for \$80 which provides one-day, all-access to the RenFaire for two adults,

preferred parking near the entrance and access to two VIP areas: one adjacent to the main stage with complimentary food and beverages and the second with a royal view of jousting with the RenFaire queen.

Each day of the RenFaire will feature a royal procession at 1 p.m.

There will also be juggling and acrobatics,

trained hawk demonstrations, live historical stage productions, brave knights engaging in combat and medieval singing and dancing throughout the park, along with tours of the realm and authentic medieval village and a scavenger hunt.

There will be an adult quick art competition Saturday, Nov. 3.

To help with traffic around Young Park, there will be a free Royal Shuttle departing the southwest parking lot of Mesilla Valley Mall beginning at 9 a.m. each day of the faire.

The last shuttle leaves the park at 6 p.m. Saturday, and 5 p.m. Sunday.

For more information, call 575-523-6403 and visit www.daarts.org

A&E EVENTS

Private collections sale: November-December, Blue Gate Gallery, 4901 Chagar Court. Art from private collections including works by Robert Bateman, Bill Rakocy, Nona Church, Flo Hosa Dougherty. Info: 575-523-2950.

Art Association members: 5-8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2, Southwest Environmental Center Cottonwood Gallery, 275 N. Main St. The 80-plus members of the Las Cruces Arts Association will exhibit their new two- and three-dimensional art in their choice of media at the annual Members Show.

Quick Art Competition: 11 a.m.-noon, Saturday, Nov. 3, west end of the pond at Young Park. During the Renaissance ArtsFaire, each artist will start with a blank canvas and create a completed work of art, painting a scene at the faire. Prizes will be awarded by popular vote. Cost: \$25 fee for established artists, \$5 for emerging artists. Download registration form at daarts.org/renaissance-artsfaire. Info: 575-523-6403 or admin@daarts.org.

New Horizons Band: 3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3, Atkinson Music Hall, NMSU. New Horizons Band at NMSU will present its fall concert. In addition to a variety of music, The Cactus Chords, a barbershop quartet, will perform. Cost: Free.

Red, White & Brew: 5-10 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3, Plaza de Las Cruces. Popular wineries and breweries will be present. The Justin Kemp band will provide live music. Cost: \$15 online in advance and at the door, under 21 free. All guests must have a valid photo ID regardless of age. Info and

tickets: redwhiteandbrew-festival.com.

USA Dance: 2-5:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 4, Mesilla Community Center, 2251 Calle de Santiago. Free Cha-Cha dance lesson at 2 p.m., general dancing at 2:45. Cost: \$5 for members, \$10 for non-members. Info: Jerry Carson 575-639-3993 or geraldcarolcarson@gmail.com.

Feed Your Mind: 5:30-7 p.m. Mondays, Nov. 5-Dec. 3 (no class Nov. 26), Doña Ana Arts Council's Arts & Cultural Center, 1740 Calle de Mercado. Kathleen Key, art historian who has taught for more than 30 years, presents a six-part course on Post-Impressionism, exploring the art and artists who followed Impressionism and preceded Modernism. Cost: \$70 for the full six-part course or \$20 to drop in to an individual class. Info and registration: 575-523-6403, www.daarts.org.

Dance Las Cruces: 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 8, NMSU Golf Course Clubhouse, 3000 Herb Wimberly Drive. Dance to ballroom, swing, Latin, and country music by Luigi's Rhythms. Beginners, singles and couples welcome. Dance Partner not necessary. Lessons begin at 6:45 p.m. Cost: \$10 for members, \$12 for non-members, \$5 for students with student ID. Info: 575-2761.

Holiday Craft Fair: 6-9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 9, and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 10, Centennial High School Auxiliary Gym, 1950 S. Sonoma Ranch Blvd. next to the tennis courts. Centennial High School Marching Band holds its annual Holiday Craft Fair – The Shoppes at Centennial – with more than 60 vendors participat-

ing. Cost: \$3 per person, free for veterans. Info: 575-202-4133 or centennialholiday-fair@gmail.com.

Natural Dye Workshop: Day-long workshop Saturday, Nov. 10, NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Ric Rao, museum volunteer, will be dyeing natural fibers with seven dyes during this workshop. Space is limited. Info and registration: 575-496-7678 or ricrao615@yahoo.com.

Holiday Open House: Noon-5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 10, Debra Vance's Art Studio, 2200 W. Union Ave. Six artists in all, live music by Alison Reynolds, tapas and beverages. Please no children or pets. Info: 970-405-5784.

Georgia O'Keeffe: 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 10, Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. A sampling of O'Keeffe's works and a sense of the woman who created them, with Chautauqua performer Deborah Blanche's "O'Keeffe: Close Up and Faraway in 12 Paintings." Info: 575-528-4005 or library.reference@las-cruces.org.

Noche de Nachos: 5:30-10 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 10, Plaza de Las Cruces. Las Cruces chases the Guinness World Record for the World's Largest Nachos, now held by Lawrence, Kansas, for its 4,689-pound creation. Top performers from the Las Cruces International Mariachi Conference Student Showcase Competition, along with others, will be perform. Cost: \$15 for adults, free for children 12 and younger. Info: www.DowntownLC.com.

GALLERIES & OPENINGS

Border Artists

Through Nov. 3

Participating artists select works in a variety of media that are special or meaningful for them in a theme of "What We Love." Border Artists Dialogues will be held 11 a.m. each Saturday during the duration of the show. Info: daarts.org

- Saturday, Nov. 3: Winfrey Hearst, Rosemary McLoughlin, Storm Sermay and Jo-an Smith.

'Dia de Los Muertos'

Through Nov. 24

With "Recollection Reconnection," Day of the Dead is recognized and celebrated with a multi-artist show and a colorful, positive twist at Rokoko Art Gallery, 1785 Avenida de Mercado. Info: 575-522-5553.

Museo Nacional del Prado

Through Nov. 28

Traveling exhibition from the national museum in Madrid, Spain, featuring 100 iconic representations by European masters like Rembrandt, Rubens and Goya at Plaza Place next to the Plaza de Las Cruces.

'The Language of Tapestry'

Through Nov. 28

Tombaugh Gallery, 2000 S. Solano Drive in the Unitarian Universalist Church, by Las Arañas, weavers from New Mexico. It opens Sunday, Nov. 4 with a reception and talk. A presentation on tapestry weaving will be held 11:30 a.m. Nov. 18. Info: 575-636-4516, uuchurchlc.org/gallery@uuchurchlc.org.

Homecoming exhibit

Through November

(See page 43 this issue.)

'Jacob Pfeiffer's Long Journey'

Through Dec. 2

Oil painting on canvas and linen featuring scenes of Native Americans and early settlers, animals, and scenes of local sites, such as Las Cruces Farmers' and Crafts Market. NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum Arts Corridor, 4100 Dripping Springs Road.

Paula Voris

Through Dec. 29

Show is "A Visionary of our

Time – Past and Present," featuring landscapes, still lifes, portraits, period historical paintings, animals, birds and florals. Cutter Gallery, 2640 El Paseo Road. Artist demonstration at 11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 17.

World War I exhibit

Through Jan. 5

Featuring Las Cruces history enthusiast's World War I memorabilia collection thematically organized by participatory countries. Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

'Four Generations, Four Languages'

Through Jan. 19, 2019

Exhibit of artwork by four artists in Mexico whose works highlight generational influences seen in art-making approaches. Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

'Passing Through'

Through Feb. 2

Artist Jimin Lee transforms photo-based images of industrial landscapes, miniature sets, and other loci otherwise ignored, into central subjects through a series of techniques that incorporate technology and craft. Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

'Lightning Field'

Through Feb. 16, 2019

Computer-generated imagery featuring artist Ken Morgan is an interplay of light and dark that brings the digital age to the forefront. Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

'Dressed for the Occasion'

Through March 3, 2019

Women's everyday and dress clothing from the pioneer days of the 1870s to the Depression era of the 1930s. NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum Legacy Gallery, 4100 Dripping Springs Road.

CALL TO ARTISTS

9th Annual Las Cruces Arts Fair

Doña Ana Arts Council seeks fine artists to apply for the juried Arts Fair, that will take place Friday-Sunday, March 1-3 at the Las Cruces Convention Center. Apply online at www.Zapplication.org through Friday, Nov. 30. A \$35 application fee is required. Categories include fiber arts, jewelry, mixed media (including creations made from recycled materials), prints/photography, porcelain/pottery/glass, painting/drawing and woodwork/metalwork/sculpture. Info: 575-523-6403, admin@daarts.org or www.daarts.org.

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Exhibit space for artists and artist groups

One or two private rooms, approximately 12-by-15-feet with common greeting area, available in the Gallery on Mesquite Street in the Arts & Cultural District and on the Art Ramble route. Hours are determined by exhibiting artists. Cost: \$175 a month per room for LCAA members, \$200 a month non-members. No commission charged on sales. Info:

Jack LeSage 575-532-1046 or jacklsg1@gmail.com.

Tombaugh Gallery seeks submissions

Artists of all media are invited to submit up to two works for a judged show at the Tombaugh Gallery, opening Jan. 12, 2019, and continuing through Jan. 27. Submissions should reflect the concept of or be inspired by, the song "What's That I Hear" by Phil Ochs. First, second, third and people's choice cash awards, \$100-\$300. There is no submission fee. Email your intent to participate to galler@uu-churchlc.org before Nov. 30. Artists will receive the lyrics to the song and information about bringing work to the gallery.

Las Cruces Arts Fair

James Tsoodle stands next to his piece "We the People, Calling Back the Old Ones," at the 2017 Las Cruces Arts Fair.

PHOTO BY STEVE MACINTYRE



EVENTS

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Holly Day House: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 16, and 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 17, St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 225 W. Griggs Ave. The Artists of Picacho Hills annual gift5 sale. Free admission. A raffle of items created by the artists will benefit Mesilla Valley Hospice.

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City of Las Cruces

New Horizons Symphony dedicates concert to late director

By **DEBBIE ECKLES**
For the Las Cruces Bulletin

On Sunday, Nov. 11, at 3 p.m., the New Horizons Symphony (NHS) of Las Cruces will dedicate its fall concert to Dr. Marianna Gabbi, the symphony's beloved music director and conductor, who died Sept. 11.

The concert will be held in NMSU's Atkinson Recital Hall, 1075 N. Horsehoe. It is free and open to the public. A reception will follow.

Director is Jorge Martinez-Rios, associate professor of viola at New Mexico State University, and a member of the award-winning La Catrina String Quartet.

Gabbi took the helm of NHS in 2012, creating chal-



Daniel Vega-Albela



Dr. Marianna Gabbi



Javier Calderon

lenging and exciting programs that broadened its audience base and musical boundaries. She is best known for leading the Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra 1975-99, attracting some of the world's finest musicians as guest artists.

She established young artist competitions, summer string workshops and a youth concert series, was the first American woman invited to conduct in China and the first woman to conduct the Moscow State Symphony Orchestra.

During the Nov. 11 concert, guest artist Javier Calderon, guitar professor at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, will perform the Joaquin Rodrigo guitar concerto "Concierto de Aranjuez." Calderon is lauded as one of the most expressive guitarists of our time. He was a dear friend of Dr. Gabbi, who invited him to perform with NHS last February. He had to postpone due to illness.

The concert will also include "West Side Story" selections by Leonard Bernstein, "Postludio" by Joaquin Gutierrez Heras, "An Outdoor Overture" by Aaron Copland and the third movement of Mozart's "Violin Concerto #5," performed by NMSU associate professor of violin Daniel Vega-Albela.


NHS is a nonprofit organization and a member of the New Horizons International Music Association, which provides musical opportunities for adults. NHS gives free concerts three times a year and rehearses Thursday evenings in the NMSU band room.

For more information, call 575-521-8771 or visit www.nhsocruces.com. For information about joining NHS, email Gay Lenzo at gmlenzo14@gmail.com.

Debbie Eckles is with the New Horizons Symphony.

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Red, White and Brew Festival pours it on

BULLETIN REPORT

The Red White & Brew Wine and Beer Festival is back, offering a tasting of New Mexico wines and craft beers. The third annual event takes place from 5-10 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3 at the Plaza de Las Cruces.

Last year it was held at the Las Cruces Convention Center.

"We've changed up the event to make it better than ever," said event organizer Staci Mays of Las Cruces Event Planning in a press release. "The Plaza de Las Cruces is a fantastic space for evening events like this, and we're expecting a record turnout for the live music, crafts vendors and tasty New Mexico beers and wine."

This year's event will benefit the Honor Network, a nonprofit dedicated to memorizing heroes that have made the ultimate sacrifice for their family, community, and country, including police, fire, and the nation's military.

Many popular wineries and breweries will be showcased, including Amaro Winery, Shattuck Vineyards, Noisy Water Winery, Tularosa Vineyards, Picacho Peak Brew-



The 2017 Red, White & Brew Festival was held at the Las Cruces Convention Center, both indoors and out.

ing, Little Toad Creek, T or C Brewing and Lost Hiker Brewing.

Justin Kemp, a country band, will provide live music, and food, apparel and hand-crafted art will be available.

Sponsored by the Towneplace Suites by Marriott, tickets for the event are \$15 in advance online or at the door, which includes a souvenir tumbler and samples from the wineries and breweries. Tickets are available online at www.redwhiteandbrewfestival.com. Under 21 is free with

a parent or legal guardian. All guests must have a valid photo ID, regardless of age. Save \$15 on your first Uber ride by using

the code LCEVENTS! Visit www.redwhiteandbrewfestival.com, or contact Las Cruces Event Planning at 575-522-1232.

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FRI NOVEMBER 2 • 3:30 P.M. BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Frankenstein's Lab - Games, Stories, Activities for kids ages 6-10

FRI NOVEMBER 2 • 5:00-8:00 P.M. RIO GRANDE THEATRE
First Friday - Anne Aleshire

FRI NOVEMBER 2 • 7:00 P.M. RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Remember Then & Oldies But Goodies

SAT NOVEMBER 3 • 12:00 P.M. RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Kids Movie - Zootopia

SAT NOVEMBER 3 • 12:00 P.M. BRANIGAN LIBRARY
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SAT NOVEMBER 3 • 3:00 P.M. SAGE CAFÉ BRANCH LIBRARY
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TUE NOVEMBER 6 • 7:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M. BRANIGAN LIBRARY
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TUE NOVEMBER 6 • 2:00 P.M. BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Computer Class (The Basics)

TUE+THU NOV 6+8 • 4:00 P.M. BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Teen Game Night

WED NOVEMBER 7 • 11:00 A.M. BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Mother Goose Time - Activities for Infants

WED NOVEMBER 7 • 6:30 P.M. RIO GRANDE THEATRE
NMSU Climate Change Seminar Series

WED+THU NOV 7+8 • 10:00 A.M. BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Toddler Time - Stories/Activities for ages 1-3

THU NOVEMBER 8 • 7:00 P.M. RIO GRANDE THEATRE
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FRI NOVEMBER 9 • 8:00 P.M. RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Orchestra Sublime

SAT NOVEMBER 10 • 3:00 P.M. RIO GRANDE THEATRE
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The nachos aren't in Kansas anymore

By **JAMILA GILBERT**
For the Bulletin

Las Cruces will see heaps of cheese, pounds of tortilla chips and mountains of chile come together to become the world's largest nachos. "Noche de Nachos," which aptly translates to "Night of the Nachos," will take place 5:30-10 p.m. Nov. 10 at Plaza de Las Cruces in Downtown Las Cruces.

Nearly 5,000 pounds of nachos will be built for a crowd of intrigued spectators in an attempt to beat the Guinness Word Record for World's Largest Nachos is 4,689 pounds and was set in Lawrence, Kansas.

"The moment I learned that Kansas

If you go

NOCHE DE NACHOS

WHEN: 5:30-10 p.m.,
Saturday, Nov. 10

WHERE: Plaza de Las Cruces,
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held the record for the world's largest nachos, I knew we'd be going for it," said Visit Las Cruces Executive Director Jennifer Bales in a press release. "Las Cruces does so many things well and we simply refuse to be bested at nachos."

The fiesta welcomes every Las Crucean to cheer on the massive and tasty endeavor as New Mexico takes on



It's just chips and cheese, right?

Kansas.

The evening will include music, dancers, local artisans, food trucks and nachos on

the plaza.

A 3 p.m. screening of "Nacho Libre" will coincide with the event at Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. Tickets are \$5 or free with your Noche de Nachos ticket. Space is limited, and doors for the movie open at 2 p.m.

This fun- and foodie-gear event is hosted by the City of Las Cruces Economic Development Department, Visit Las Cruces, the New Mexico Department of Agriculture, the Mexican Consulate in El Paso and The Game Sports Bar & Grill, with the help of other restaurant sponsors.

New Mexico Secretary of Agriculture Jeff Witte said the event is the perfect opportunity to promote New Mexico food products.

"Our state's growers produce many high-quality foods, and our agriculture industry also offers numerous value-added products,"



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said Witte. "This event is ideal for showcasing many of the tasty, locally-sourced New Mexico products our ag industry has to offer."

The nacho ingredients will come from New Mexico – Taste the Tradition® (TTT) and New Mexico – Grown with Tradition® (GWT) program members. The New Mexico Department of Agriculture developed the TTT and GWT programs to identify and promote New Mexico agricultural products, including food, fiber, wine, produce, nuts and livestock through one, easily recognizable logo.

Those New Mexico-sourced products will make up one hefty batch of nachos.

Gates open at 5:30 p.m. as the nacho building begins. The official weight announcement will be at 7:30 p.m., with the headlining musical act coming on at 8:30 p.m.

The evening's headliner is Grupo Status, a 25-person musical group from Ciudad Juarez, with a diverse range of songs from salsa to rock and everything in between.

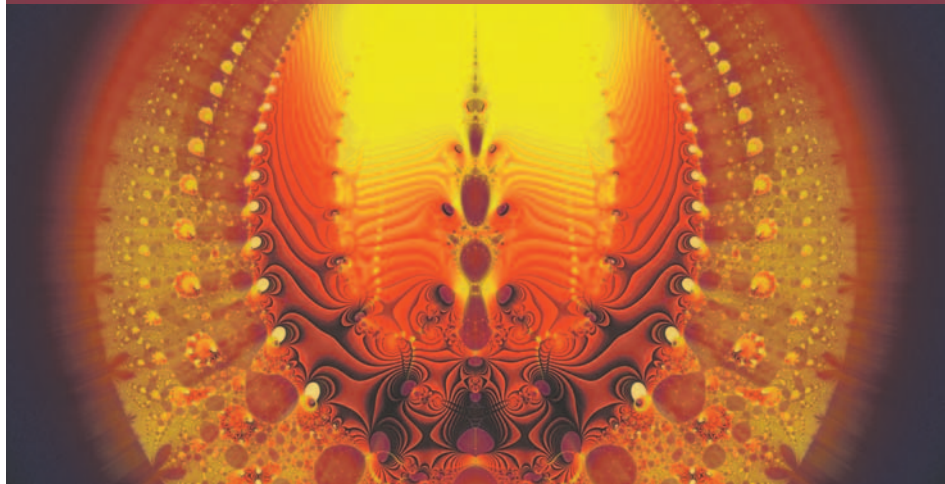
The top three performers from the Las Cruces International Mariachi Conference Student Showcase Competition will also perform, as well as winning vocalist of the Elisa Gastellum Scholarship and two ballet folklórico dance groups.

Tickets are \$15 for adults, children 12 and under get in for free. For information and to purchase tickets, visit www.downtownlc.com. Tickets can also be purchased online at www.riograndetheatre.org and www.lascrucescvb.org.

Jamila Gilbert is director of marketing and communication at Visit Las Cruces and may be reached at 575-541-2444.


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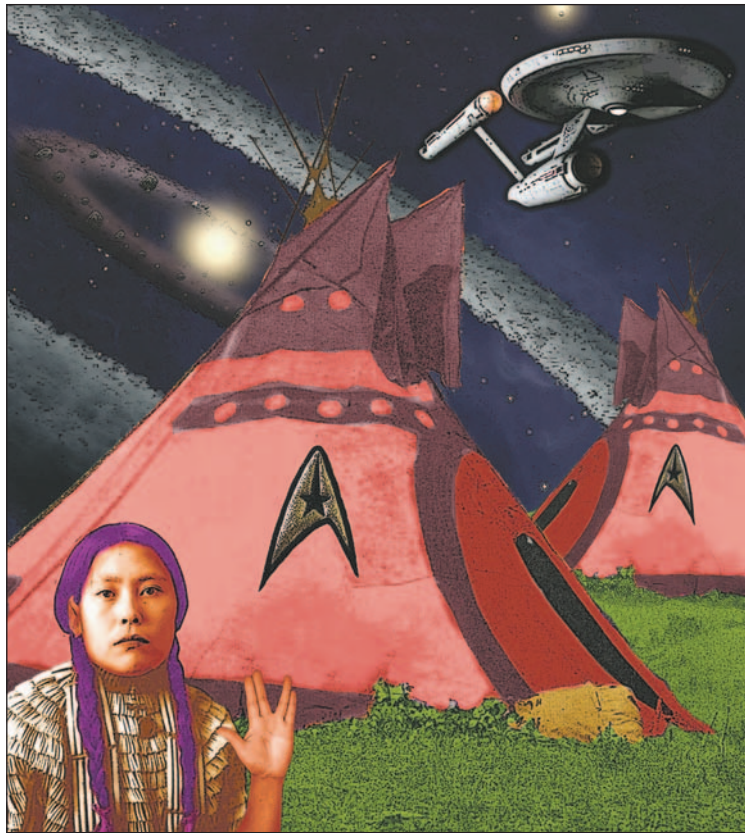
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“Spock was a Half Breed,” by Debra Yepa-Pappan, is one of the pieces included in the “Live Long & Prosper: Sci-Fi Images in Contemporary Indigenous Art” exhibition that opened Oct. 26 at the University Museum at New Mexico State University.

COURTESY PHOTO



University Museum presents contemporary indigenous art

By **FAITH SCHIFANI**
For the Bulletin

The University Museum at New Mexico State University is presenting “Live Long & Prosper: Sci-Fi Images in Contemporary Indigenous Art.”


The exhibition, on display until spring 2019, features more than 40 works of art by contemporary indigenous artists including Debra Yepa-Pappan, Will Wilson, Suzanne Kite, Frank Buffalo Hyde, Sarah Sense, Neal Ambrose Smith, Hoka Skenadore, Nicholas Galanin, Andy Everson, Ryan Singer, Jamison Chas Banks, Sonny Assu, Skawennati and others. Various paintings, video

and photography also will be featured.

“The indigenous artists represented in this exhibition are engaging with issues of cultural (mis) appropriation, indigenous space, contemporary narratives and the surviving/continuum of indigenous culture through mixed

media works,” said University Museum Curator Anna Strackman. “This exhibition represents an acknowledgment of indigenous space – past, present and future.”

Faith Schifani may be reached at 575-646-6233, schifani@nmsu.edu.

 Fountain Theatre 2469 Calle de Guadalupe in Mesilla 575.524.8287 www.mesillavalleyfilm.org	
November 2-8 Fahrenheit 11/9 Filmmaker Michael Moore examines the current state of American politics while highlighting the power of grassroots democratic movements.	November 9-15 The Bookshop England 1959. Florence Green decides, against polite but ruthless local opposition, to open a bookshop. Starring Emily Mortimer & Bill Nighy.
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Centennial student offered acting scholarship at prestigious academy

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

You could say Gus Sanchez delivered two \$20,000 monologues at the New Mexico High School Theatre Festival earlier this month at New Mexico State



Gus Sanchez

University. The Centennial High School (CHS) senior was offered a \$40,000 scholarship to attend the American Musical and Dramatic Academy (AMDA) in Los Angeles and New York after his performance.

It's a life-changing accomplishment for the Wyoming native who came to Las Cruces at age 11. He plans to attend AMDA next

Encore performance

Centennial High School will present an encore performance of "And," the play that helped it win the New Mexico Activities Association's statewide high school One Act Play Competition in October.

The performance will be at 7 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3, in the Centennial High School Performing Arts Lab, 1950 Sonoma Ranch. Blvd. Tickets are \$5.

fall and pursue acting as a career.

"I grew up really quiet and kept to myself," Sanchez said. Seeing people on stage, "being outspoken," he said, has helped him meet the challenge of

"bringing myself out as a person. I enjoy the thrill of stage acting."

Sanchez has appeared in eight productions at CHS in the past four years as well as plays and musicals at Las Cruces Community Theatre (LCCT) and Black Box Theatre (BBT), including recent productions of "The Laramie Project" at LCCT and "The World Goes 'Round" at BBT.

He will appear in "The Game's Afoot," a Doña Ana Repertory Theatre (DART) production at Rio Grande Theatre in December and will be the stage manager for "The Crucible" and assistant director for "Frankenstein," both on the LCCT stage next year.

CHS theatre teacher Darin Cabot will direct "The Game's Afoot" and star in "The Crucible," and he acted alongside Sanchez in "The Laramie Project."

"Gus is an individual who exhausts every opportunity to perform, squeezing in community theatre productions between school productions," Cabot said. In addition to "unique talents," Cabot said "Gus meets each new production with not only a willingness, but a genuine excitement for performance."

"I credit Darin Cabot as my reason for continuing acting as a career," Sanchez said. "Centennial has given me so much of what I know as an actor," he said, adding that "Las Cruces is such a fantastic theatre town."

In addition to acting and crewing shows, Sanchez has also written and directed plays for CHS. He's currently working on a short play for LCCT's 2018 One Act Play Festival, based on the works of Friedrich Nietzsche.



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Gus Sanchez, Joshua Taulbee and Nora Thomas-Medina in Black Box Theatre's recent production of "The World Goes 'Round,'"

Sanchez reads a lot, especially the classics, he's an avid photographer and has done some film work. He also loves watching live theatre whenever and wherever he can.

"Being able to appreciate other people's work is really important to me," he said.

Sanchez played Romeo in a 2018 production of "Romeo and Juliet" at CHS, and his dream role is Hamlet.

Shakespeare and Christopher Marlowe are his two favorite playwrights – he used a monologue from each to win the AMDA scholarship.

Eventually, Sanchez hopes to perform on Broadway, and one day would like to own his own theatre.

Sanchez fell in love with acting while attending Camino Real Middle School. Seeing "Mama Mia" on Broadway while on a school trip in the

eighth grade inspired him as an actor, and so did performing in his first community production, LCCT's "The Wizard of Oz."

"Entertainment is something I thoroughly enjoy," Sanchez said. "I love live stage."

And, he plans to spend his life doing what he loves.

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Abel Garcia: You can go home again

BULLETIN REPORT

On Saturday, Nov. 10, a special homecoming will take place for Abel Garcia, a Las Cruces Public Schools and New Mexico State University graduate who is making a big name for himself in the Dallas area and national art scene.

Garcia's work will be shown at the Doña Ana Arts & Cultural Center in Mesilla during the month of November, with the homecoming reception from 4-7 p.m. He will demonstrate his dramatic painting style for about an hour starting at 3:45 p.m.

According to a DAAC press release, Garcia's website states that he "draws inspiration from The Bible, hip-hop style, graffiti art, and the high renaissance movement. He successfully blends



Abel Garcia at work.

these differing elements into his own specific style using methods such as screen printing, acrylic painting, oil painting, and graffiti."

Born in Texas but raised in Las Cruces, Garcia discovered his love for art as a youngster. He attended NMSU where he graduated in 2008 with a degree in both graphic design and art history. He

won Best in Show each year from 2005 to 2008 at the NMSU student art show.

Garcia was also voted Austin's Visual Artist of the Year in 2011 by RAW Natural Born Artists. He has shown his work in Dallas, Fort Worth, Austin, Atlanta, Las Cruces, and New York City. His clients include The Dallas Mavericks, FC Dallas,

Leadercast, The Dallas Repertoire Ballet, boxer Austin Trout, and most recently, Nike.

Garcia's talents include live canvas or mural painting, timed live paintings, "Trick Painting" (starting a piece upside down and flipping it to reveal an image), commissioned canvas and mural paintings, tattoo design, and graphic design.

The Nov. 10 opening will include live music, food, painting demonstrations by Garcia, and the opportunity to view his dramatic, large-scale art pieces. See samples of his work at <http://abelgarcia designs.squarespace.com>.

Also on that Saturday art lovers can visit six galleries in Las Cruces and Mesilla for 12 hours to explore exciting local art during the Second Saturday 10-10 Arts Hop.

Second Saturday 10-10 Arts Hop locations and Arts Hop hours are:

- Doña Ana Arts & Cultural Center, 1740 Calle de Mercado, 4-7 p.m.
- University Art Gallery, 1390 E. University Ave. 10-4 p.m.
- Cutter Gallery, 2640 El Paseo Road, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

• Rokoko Gallery, 1785 Calle de Mercado, 4-7 p.m.

- Four Points Perspective Art Gallery, 3405 NM Highway 28, 7-10 p.m.
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Donna Schwendinger, founder of Blue Gecko Southwest and co-founder of the Mesilla Valley Artisan/Crafters Guild.

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Blue Gecko Southwest booth.

New Artisan Fair seeks vendors for December

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

The brand-new Mesilla Valley Artisan/Crafters Guild is seeking vendors for its first-ever Artisan Fair, which will be held this December in Las Cruces.

The guild was founded by Donna Schwendinger and Nancy Hastings “as a way to help those who make hand-crafted items turn their hobbies into a business,” Hastings said.

The fair will be held 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 15 at Cruces Creatives, 205 E. Lohman Ave.

Cruces Creatives opened its doors June 26, Hastings said. Lea Wise-Surguy is the president and CEO of the new nonprofit, and Hastings serves on the board.

The guild is “helping

Cruces Creatives provide new activities and events for their makerspace,” Hastings said.

“The purpose of the guild is to help individuals who create hand-crafted items learn how to transform their hobby into a viable business,” said Schwendinger, founder of Blue Gecko Southwest and guild group leader.

The guild meets 10 a.m.-noon the third Wednesday of each month at Cruces Creatives, Hastings said. It is free and open to the public. At the meetings, guild members “develop strategies and marketing plans and perfect their booth designs,” Hastings said.

The guild has 20-24 members, Hastings said, who turn wood and make jewelry, tapestries,

quilts, pillowcases, soap, microwave potholders, tote bags, fused-glass pendants, jackets and original holiday gifts.

A 10-foot by 10-foot booth space at the fair is \$35, Hastings said. Booths are available on a first come,

first-served basis.

“We welcome a variety of original art, including metal sculpture, pottery, paintings, crafts, holiday gifts, clothing, knitted items, quilts, children’s toys and stained glass,” Hastings said.

To reserve a booth space and for more information, contact Hastings at 575-541-5744 or n.hastings@crucrescreatives.org.

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Performing in Boba Café and Cabaret's "Route 66" are, from left, Ali Scotten, Mark Klett, LauraMae Klingler and Brian Theodorson.

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The 'faithful highway' is routed through Boba Cabaret

BULLETIN REPORT

"Route 66 Traveling through Song" is the latest offering at Boba Café & Cabaret, 1900 S. Espina St.

The show will be performed at 6 p.m. and again at 8:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 2-3 and 9-10.

The price of the dinner show is \$27.50, which includes entrée, appetizer for two, house beer or wine and gratuity. The price of the cocktail show is \$12.50, with ala carte appetizers and drinks.

The production salutes "the faithful highway" and a time period when travelers cared about the road they traveled versus where the road took them," according to a Boba news release.

It will include the classic "Get Your Kicks (On Route 66)," recorded by Nat King Cole in 1946, the Beach Boys' "409," "An-

other Day of Sun" from "La La Land" and other well-known songs.

Headlining the cast of Route 66 is Boba's new artistic director, LauraMae Klingler, a recent graduate of New Mexico State University with a degree in dance and musical theatre who has performed and/or choreographed "Drowsy Chaperone" and "Urinetown," and "Broadway Today" at NMSU, "A Chorus Line" at UTEP Dinner Theatre; "Carousel" and "Annie Get Your Gun" for the Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra and the movie "The Heart Outright."

Ali Scotten will provide vocals for the show. The international affairs analyst moved to Las Cruces three years ago from Washington, D.C. Scotten's father was lead singer in a popular folk-comedy group in Phoenix in the 1960s. Route 66 will be Scotten's first Las Cru-

ces performance.

The show's percussionist is Brian Theodorson, who has performed in local venues. He is in "Mary Poppins" later this year at Las Cruces Community Theatre, which will be Theodorson's 40th musical.

Accompanist Mark Klett has been playing piano since he began taking lessons from at age 5. He also is an accomplished guitarist. Klett has performed at many venues throughout the area.

Route 66 was one of the original highways in the U.S. highway system. It opened to travelers Nov. 11, 1926, stretching from Chicago west to Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and Santa Monica, California, near Los Angeles.

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Jim Shearer and La Catrina String Quartet



Monica Mojica as Señora Maes

The night in Mesilla when a woman acted in rage

BULLETIN REPORT

The NMSU Faculty Chamber Ensemble will perform a free concert

featuring world premieres of new works by composers Lester Pack and James Grant at the Atkinson Recital Hall on

Friday, Nov. 2, at 7:30 pm.

The concert also features a rare performance of the "Octet for Tuba, String Quartet, Electric Bass and Percussion" by Vaclav Nelhybel. Performers include La Catrina String Quartet, percussionist Fred Bugbee, tubist Jim Shearer and pianist Shelle Bird, along with special guests Larry White, percussion; Adriel Hernandez, bass; and Celeste Shearer, French horn.

Featured is a work about the historic murders at what is now the Double Eagle Restaurant in Mesilla. Composer Lester Pack worked with local actress and writer Monica Mojica to create a chamber theatre piece that blends actors telling the story with dramatic new music. The actors are NMSU theatre department head Wil Kilroy and theatre professor Larissa Lury.

Titled "Grave," the piece explores a horrific



Composer Lester Pack

night when Señora Maes attacked and killed her only son and his lover. The text echoes the ghost story that has evolved from historical fact to local legend, whereas the music serves to dramatically enhance and expand on the narrative of the story.

Composer Lester D. Pack graduated from Henderson State University with a Bachelor of Music Education. He received his Master of



Composer James Grant

Music Degree from the University of Arkansas in Instrumental Conducting and also studied composition and jazz guitar at the Berklee College of Music in Boston. He is currently professor of music at the University of Arkansas-Monticello, where he teaches music theory, jazz band, graduate level jazz theory, and arranging.

This is his third collaborative project with the Shearers.

Celeste and Jim Shearer have been regular collaborators with Jim Grant for 10 years, and this project also features the premiere of a challenging new work titled "3-D" for French horn, tuba, and percussion (featuring Dr. Fred Bugbee). For nearly four decades, Grant has been commissioned by individuals, choruses, chamber ensembles, and orchestras who have performed his music throughout the world.

He is a winner of the Washington Cathedral Choral Society's choral composition competition; the South Coast Choral Society's International Choral Competition; the Louisville Orchestra Competition for New Orchestral Music; and the Aaron Copland Award.

For more information contact the NMSU Department of Music at 575-646-2601 or visit the music.nmsu.edu.

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Las Cruces has finally become a music town

After the nourishing, cleansing rainfall had soaked in, the skies parted and the marketeers over at the Las Cruces Country Music Festival smiled.

Since moving this year's event from spring to fall, and from Downtown to the Hadley ballfields – and roping a bona fide star still in his prime in Dwight Yoakam – the last thing everybody needed was rough weather for what promised to be a brand-new festival now in its sixth year.

Friday night, after a curious cover-filled set by King Leg, we got down to some serious honky-tonkin' that was as much rock 'n' roll as country. Frankie Ballard and his road-tough band from Michigan (but based out of Nashville) turned in a sizzling, eye-popping performance that defied genres (from Hank Williams to Bob Seger) and established Ballard as a slick, genial, acrobatic front-man with all the moves.

As for Dwight, I've seen him plenty of times going back to the 1980s when he emerged with his postmodern Bakersfield sound that was more authentically downhome than anything Nashville was dishing out – twangier even than the alt-country singer-songwriters in Texas. He led off with a smoldering Chuck Berry tune, of all things, "Little Queenie," and never took his boot off



MARTY RACINE
The Chromatic Scale

the pedal. Great flow, great show.

The Hadley site, despite the maze of chain-link separating the ballfields, was an improvement over Downtown.

Here, the stage and not a surrounding cityscape was the focus. It *looked* more like a festival, out on the grass, surrounded by trees, with the crowd, seated and standing, spread in all directions. As of press time, sponsor Visit Las Cruces did not have official attendance figures, but this audience would not have fit Downtown.

Even so, the festival is just an exclamation point on this fact: Las Cruces is becoming a music town.

Sure, some of the venues don't do an adequate job of promoting (our calendar is free, guys), and for the most part musicians don't make a lot of money in this town (neither do they in Austin, which is a buyers' market), but everywhere you go, almost any night of the week, somebody in the corner of the room or out in the patio is making melody.

At the risk of omission, I'll say that over the past few months I've seen live music at Hacienda de Mesilla, Amaro Winery, High Desert Brewing, the Spotted Dog, Salud! de Mesilla, the Game sports bar, NM Vintage Wines, Dragonfly, Chala's, El Patio, La Posta, St. Claire Winery & Bistro, Picacho Peak



Blues guitarist Derrick Harris and bass player Anthony Movegian played in the patio at High Desert Brewing Company's 20th anniversary party in 2017. High Desert presents free live music indoors every Thursday and Saturday beginning at 8 p.m.

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Brewery, Luna Rossa Pizzeria, Pastaggio's, the Pecan Grill, Four Points Perspective gallery, FARMesilla, Rio Grande Theatre, Plaza de Las Cruces, Plaza de Mesilla, the Bean coffeehouse and no doubt others I don't recall or didn't attend. Few if any of these venues are "nightclubs" or prominent music scenes in the traditional sense; just bars and restaurants, galleries and wineries adding live music, as if it simply goes with another afternoon or night on the town.

Also, there are house concerts, open mics, all the great worship music in our churches and open jam sessions. A couple Sundays ago I had the pleasure of jamming on guitar with musician-about-town Buddy Aiken, songwriter and retired teacher Larry Stocker and a

fellow whose name I didn't get at Dragonfly (noon-3 p.m.). Reportedly the sessions will take place through "football season," however that's defined. I've also played with Alister M, who's a regular booking at Luna Rossa.

Another shameless promo: On our Cosmic Troubadours show

7-9 p.m. Thursdays (rebroadcast 8-10 a.m. Saturdays) on KTAL Community Radio, 101.5 FM, my co-host Rob McCorkle reads "The List" of upcoming shows at the end of the first hour. It used to take a couple minutes; now it takes at least five.

So, it could be argued that artistic Las Cru-

ces, a hub of authors and painters, is becoming a city of musicians, too. No, we're not "Keep Austin Weird" and don't plan to be. We're just a normal college town and retirement community that likes to listen.

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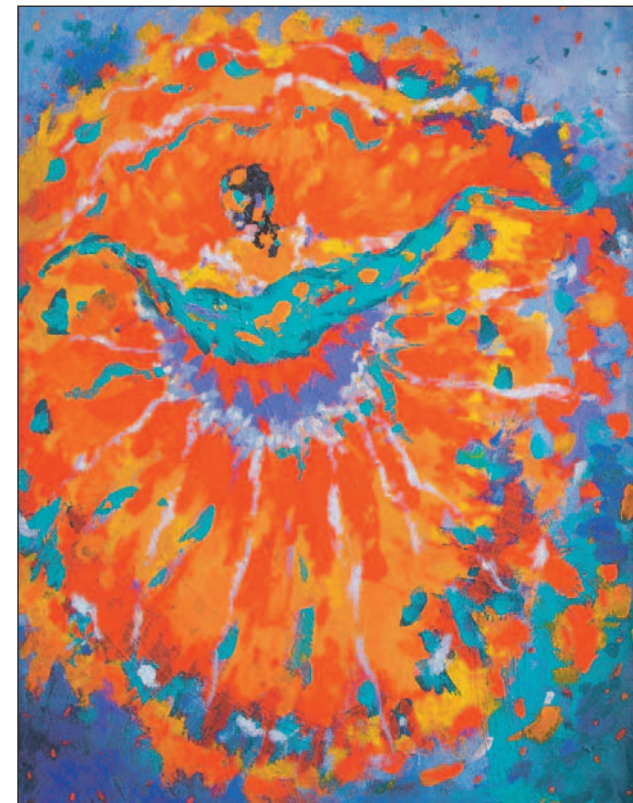
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Ray Baird, "The Duece"



Judy Bess, "La Espiral"

Fine arts gallery gears up for November

BULLETIN REPORT

The Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery, located at 2470-A Calle de

Guadalupe in Mesilla across from the Fountain Theatre, features two local artists for the month of November,

Judy Bess and Ray Baird – and welcomes newest member Ray Ponteri.

According to a gallery press release, Bess is a Las Cruces acrylic painter who loves capturing the beauty and energy of the desert Southwest. She lived mostly in the Midwest until moving to Las Cruces in 2006 with her husband Dave. She was deeply affected by the brilliant light and colors of New Mexico. As a result, she was inspired to pick up her brushes again after a lengthy career with General Motors and Electronic Data Systems.

Bess studied art at Ohio State University and received degrees from Wayne State University and Oakland University in Michigan.

found in public, private and corporate collections in North and South America and Europe.

Baird, an oil painter, grew up in the Midwest and has a BFA in drawing and painting from the University of Kansas. His work, lightly described as impressionism, uses translucent, complementary colors that represent his feeling, rather than a true representational image. He studied at the Maryland Institute of Art and the Kansas City Art Institute.

Ponteri began painting about four years ago. He is basically self-taught. According to the press release, he particularly enjoys painting people because their faces usually tell what is going on in their lives. His works

have been shown at Mas Art, M. Philip's Fine Art Gallery, Picacho Hills Country Club, Café de Mesilla and Le Rendezvous Café.

First American Bank, Mesilla, is represented by gallery members who rotate their artwork on a monthly basis. They offer art in various media, including original paintings in oil, acrylics, pastels and watercolors; woodturning, stained glass, photography, ceramics, decorated gourds, textile weaving, art tile, gemstone jewelry, basket weaving, charcoal-and-ink drawings, prints, cards and miniature paintings.

Gallery hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. daily. Call 575-522-2933 or visit www.mesillavalley-finearts.com.



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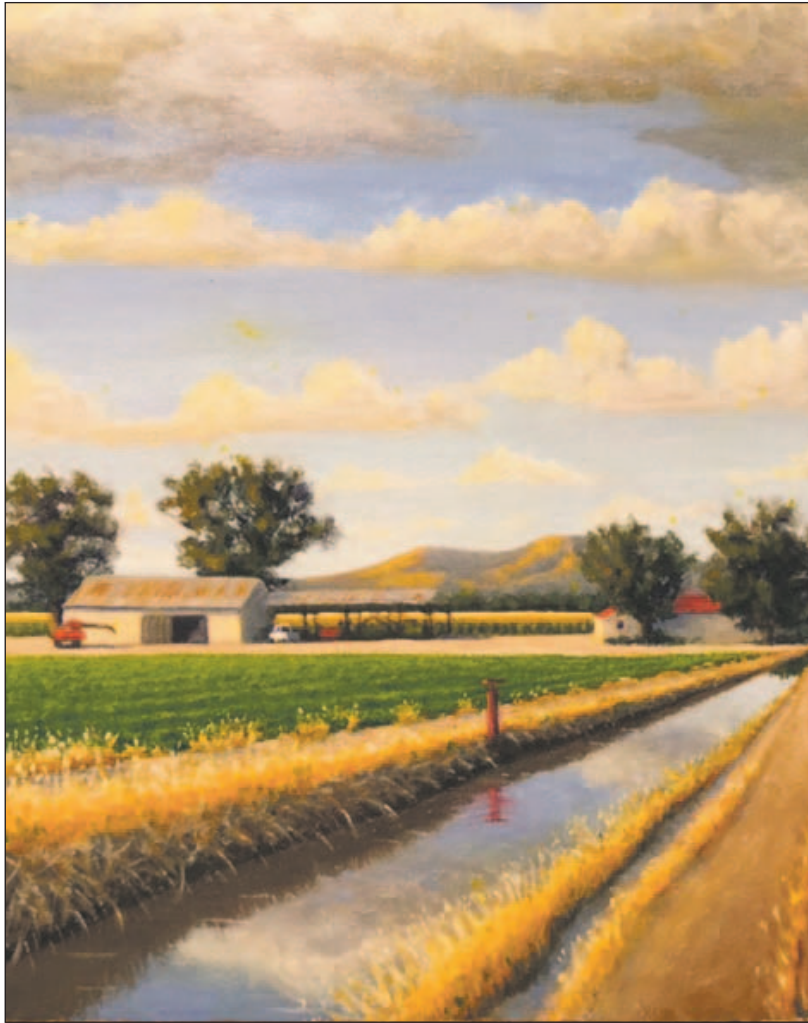


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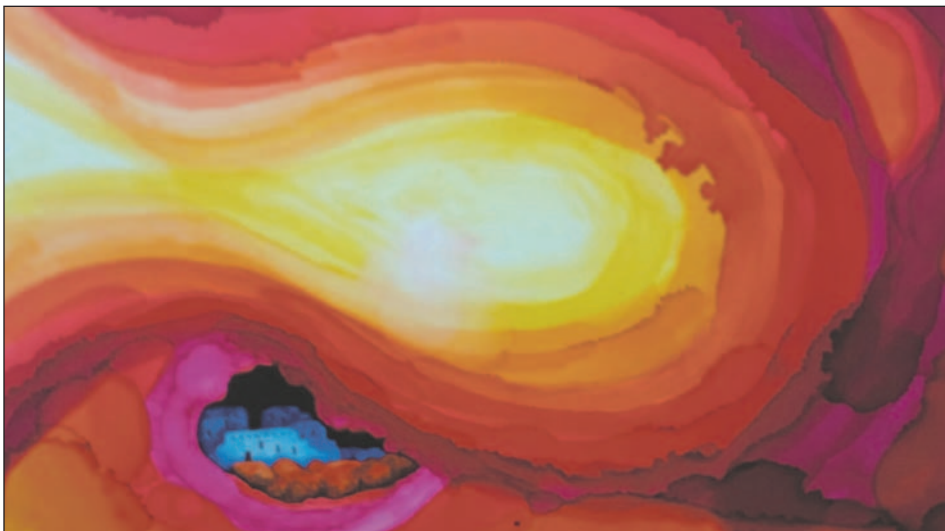
Ray Ponteri

Her paintings have won awards and have been featured in various publications. Her art can be

Linda Hagen, untitled



Artists Dialogues



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The "Border Artists" exhibit hosts Artists Dialogues, a benefit for KRWG radio, at 11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 3 at the Cutter Gallery, 2640 El Paseo Road. The artists are Winfrey Hearst, Rosemary McLoughlin, Storm Serma and Jo-an Smith. Pictured is Smith's work, "Buried Treasure," in alcohol ink.



Paul Vakselis, "Pueblo Sunset"

The studio is open



Beverley Pirtle, untitled

The public is invited to Debra Vance's studio near Mesilla for a Holiday Open House featuring six artists and live music on Saturday, Nov. 10. The event is from noon-5 p.m. at 2200 W. Union Ave. Performing will be musician Alison Reynolds – along with tapas, beverages, door prizes and an exhibition by artists Linda Hagen, Carlitta Harvey, Jean Melvin, Beverley Pirtle, Paul Vakselis and Vance.

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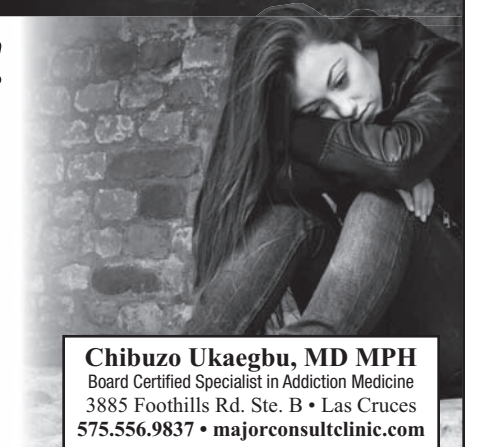
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PUZZLES

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ACROSS

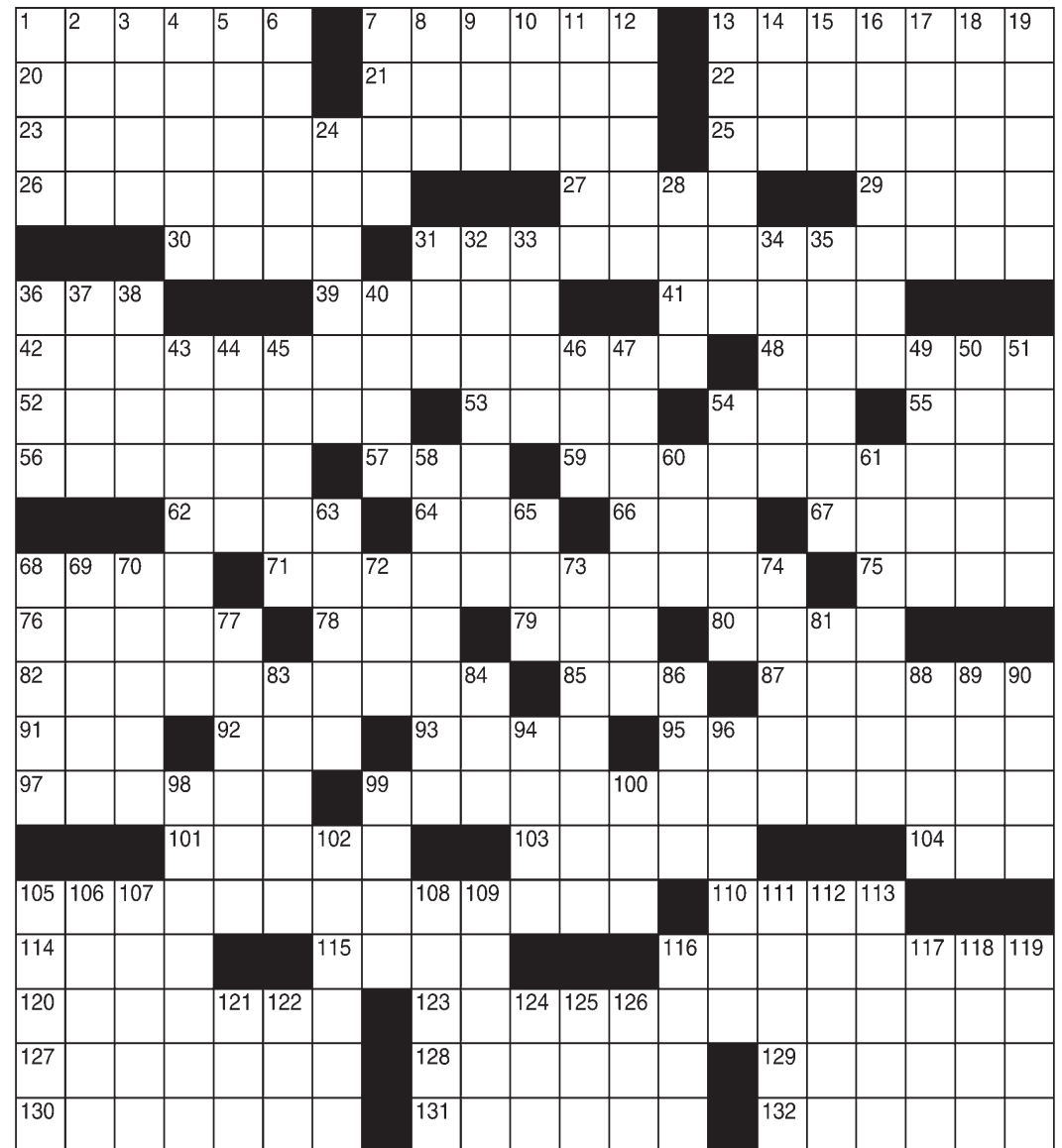
1 Phase
 7 Animals with two legs
 13 Eyelash makeup
 20 1960s space program
 21 Earhart in a cockpit
 22 Hires
 23 218 or more seats in Congress [BROWN]
 25 Simple tunes
 26 16th-cen. nun of Avila
 27 Bird of New Zealand
 29 Magazine for a fashionista
 30 "SCTV" bit
 31 Heart-tugging facet of a media story [SIMONE]
 36 Oral health org.
 39 Wed
 41 Heighten
 42 Verses using visual devices [GABRIEL]
 48 Golden Arches sandwiches with barbecue sauce
 52 Person held in custody
 53 -- -dieu (prayer bench)
 54 Seoul's region: Abbr.
 55 King, in Nice
 56 Certain Greek
 57 "-- dare?"
 59 2010 Kevin Spacey film [MITCHELL]
 62 Sleuth's tidbit

64 Hailed car
 66 Bus. honcho
 67 Wrist wear
 68 Cod or koi
 71 Romanian tennis great [SEDAKA]
 75 Letters after wyes
 76 Artist for a comic book
 78 Up -- point
 79 Dieter's target, often
 80 Dr. -- (1990s TV therapist)
 82 Substantial number [CALLAS]
 85 "... -- iron bars a cage"
 87 Salad staple
 91 Farm mother
 92 Solder stuff
 93 Gulf republic
 95 Switchboard worker
 97 Balkan republic
 99 Warning message [BENNETT]
 101 Lover boy
 103 A bit warm
 104 Bovine call
 105 Setting of hearings for minors [DION]
 110 -- -tat-tat
 114 Algerian port
 115 Purim's month
 116 Lover's tune
 120 Ocelot, e.g.
 123 Supporting vocalists (or an apt alternate title for this puzzle)
 127 Jack of fitness fame
 128 Wisdom goddess
 129 Ogle

130 Climbed, as a rope
 131 Not so fat
 132 Disco effect

DOWN

1 Oohs and --
 2 Jaguar mark
 3 Look sulky
 4 Nobody -- (only mine)
 5 Store assistant
 6 Marisa of Hollywood
 7 Cabo's peninsula
 8 "I believe," to texters
 9 -- diem
 10 Wallach of Hollywood
 11 NFL great Mike
 12 "Know what I'm --?" ("Get it?")
 13 City north of Mecca
 14 Vocalist DiFranco
 15 USMC NCO
 16 Provider of dishes
 17 Quick-footed
 18 Film rolls
 19 Thing of use
 24 Sagacious
 28 Slim and muscular
 31 Mod
 32 Idealistic
 33 Painter Jan van der --
 34 The Bard's "-- of Athens"
 35 Place in trust
 36 "Black Ice" rock band
 37 Active sort



38 Stud fee?
 40 It's a must
 43 One behind a batter
 44 Oman's currency unit
 45 Blah feeling
 46 Muscle jerk
 47 Wince at, e.g.
 49 Mad as heck
 50 Lawn bowling game
 51 Many Punjabis, religionwise
 54 Mall station
 58 Nauru and Fiji's area

60 Pirate realm
 61 Guy playing bebop, say
 63 John at the piano
 65 Purse
 68 Shriill flutes
 69 Dazzled
 70 T-bar user
 72 Bettor's slip
 73 Less cloudy
 74 Diner
 77 Allotment
 81 Whig's rival
 83 Florida city
 84 Capote, to friends
 86 Rice-A- --
 88 Thing split in fis-

sion
 89 Dog in Oz
 90 Dunkable treat
 94 Aleutian island
 96 San Diego ball team
 98 Actor Fraser
 99 Not single-sex, as a school
 100 Decide (to)
 102 Jubilant
 105 Lower cheeks
 106 -- the Hittite
 107 Vocalist Frankie
 108 Rebels' ring
 109 Sermonize
 111 Seed cases

112 Basic belief
 113 Fury
 116 Argue (with)
 117 Streamlined, for short
 118 Uncolorful
 119 Punta del --
 121 Channel for Jake Tapper
 122 Meth-ender
 124 Third of a dance move
 125 Writer Kesey
 126 Article in Arles

PUZZLES

WEEKLY SUDOKU By Linda Thistle

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

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	1			5			4	
7			1			5		
		2			3			7

SCRAMBLERS



"Talk about a cheap date — he's taking her _____."

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Leave
SINGER

Area
ANGER

Pillar
OGREAF

Postpone
ROUNDJA

TODAY'S WORD

CRYPTOQUIP

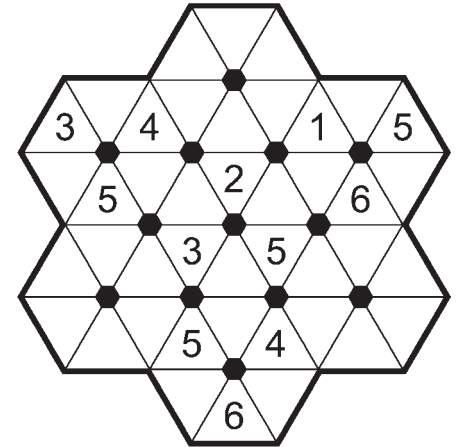
This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: O equals B

ETPD H OXGV XB VXNXYPDSNK
OIXNVXDY XSB DPBS XD H SGPP,
EQINV KQI FHNN STHS OGHDFT
VGPBBXDY?

SNOWFLAKES By Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the number 1-6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆◆
◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult

PUZZLE ANSWERS

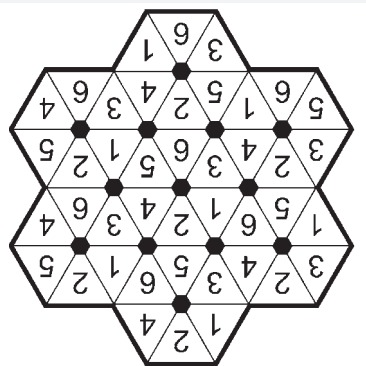
When a bird is diligently building its nest in a tree, would you call that branch dressing?

CRYPTOQUIP

JOGGING

Today's Word
1. Resign; 2. Range; 3. Forage; 4. Adourn

SCRAMBLERS



SNOWFLAKES

9	5	2	6	4	3	1	8	7
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6	3	5	2	1	7	4	9	8
1	8	7	9	3	4	2	6	5
4	2	9	5	6	8	3	7	1

WEEKLY SUDOKU

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SUPER CROSSWORD

Memorial Medical Center celebrates five years of improvements

By AVRA ELLIOTT

For the Bulletin

In the past five years something has happened at Memorial Medical Center. The long-standing Las Cruces hospital has shown impressive growth in quality metrics as well as an influx of patients from surrounding areas seeking the expertise of top-quality surgeons and the latest in cancer treatment.

According to Memorial Medical Center CEO John Harris, MMC is a book that can't be judged by its humble cover, and while many of MMC's improvements coincide with Harris's arrival five years ago on Nov. 1, he is quick to give credit to his staff.

"Everyone goes into the healthcare industry wanting to do good things for their fellow man," Harris said. "We are very analytical and introspective in the way we deliver care, and it takes a team to do that. Great things can be done in a relatively short period of time when everyone is heard."

When the Memorial Medical Center's parent company, LifePoint Health, approached Harris about becoming CEO, he said he saw an incredible amount of potential in the hospital. Believing MMC could excel not just as a community hospital but as a center point of an integrative health-care system, Harris was inspired to postpone his plans of retiring and instead set to work improving the hospital's quality



COURTESY PHOTO

Memorial Medical Center CEO John Harris makes it a point to gather input directly from his staff who are experts in their fields.



John Harris

metrics, what Harris calls "a fancy term for doing the right thing for the patient."

Harris said if there is something to be done from a qualitative standpoint, MMC is striving to do it, and this is evidenced by the outstanding Joint Commission surveys MMC has received, including a near perfect survey of their laboratory services.

Harris subscribed the hospital to the Leapfrog Hospital Safety Grade requirements, improving the hospital's score from a "D" to an "A." While Harris said MMC didn't have more issues than any other hospital he knew of, in the course of three years they reduced patient harms (due to common hospital patient risks such as infections and falls) by 70 percent by reverse engineering solutions and working closely with Duke Healthcare Systems.

"We are eliminating problems with patient care that I have seen occur in hospitals for decades," Harris said.

Harris said that while a CEO can be a catalyst, such changes and improvements must be supported throughout the institution, and some-

times through a transformation of culture. To show his commitment to communicating with staff, Harris and others don Executive Patient Safety vests and do hospital rounds checking in with all members of staff.

"Who knows more about what needs to be done than someone in that specific area?" Harris said. "Employees know they are appreciated for their input in improving care, and they appreciate the changes made based on that input."

As Harris recruited talented physicians and surgeons in targeted specialties, the hospital began to be redefined as a major regional referral center. Of the six orthopedic physicians at MMC, two sit on national boards for orthopedics,

and one is the only foot and ankle surgeon in the history of Las Cruces. Harris recruited one of the only ear, nose and throat specialists in the region who performs head and neck cancer surgery, and a full-time perinatologist.

"We have world-class care based on world-class research," Harris said. "And we've worked in order for families and babies to stay and receive treatment here instead of traveling for care."

Along with its impressive staff, MMC boasts a fully accredited Total Joint Replacement Program, and the only accredited heart failure unit in southern New Mexico performing first in cardiovascular care, as well as being the most established open-heart program in the entire

region.

"These are building blocks we've used," Harris said. "We built on the strengths that were here before us, said thank you, and said we are going to make this even better."

For Harris, that means continuing to listen to his staff and empowering his employees while providing the tools they need.

"John (Harris) won't say this, but he received an award from the New Mexico Hospital Association," said Memorial Medical Center Marketing Director, Anita Rockett. "What he has accomplished is tangible, and it's felt outside these walls."

Harris' work has drawn positive attention to MMC. He was asked to address the New Mexico Hospital Association as well as legislators about quality metrics, and he became the first hospital CEO in the history of the New Mexico Hospital Association invited to address an assembly on quality patient care.

Harris said he is excited for the future of MMC, and he has plans to refurbish the 47-year-old patient tower to reflect the high quality of safe care provided.

"When we emerge," Harris said, "people will see that we have emerged as the hospital people of southern New Mexico have always wanted."

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Educate yourself about CBD products flooding the market

First, congratulations Canada for becoming the second country to legalize cannabis.

Now, the update on two quickly moving issues: Hemp and the medicinal cannabinoid CBD. CBD advertising is flooding all markets, especially the internet. Every day I personally get at least five emails, from some unknown source, selling CBD gummy bears or oil. Some offer it for free, but if you read the advertisement carefully, no one is labeling the percentage of CBD. Should the buyer beware?

Even medical supply companies are promoting the sale of CBD. More stores are opening and selling CBD. Vape and smoke shops are selling CBD oil. One question: What is the percentage of CBD in these products?



HILDA LUZ CHAVEZ

The Good Herb

You may want to know that CBD from hemp legally falls into a gray area. Hemp is a member of the cannabis family and is by law a Schedule 1 drug, even though it

does not contain much if any the psychoactive cannabinoid THC. The DEA is not regulating the sale of hemp CBD. No one is regulating CBD. This leaves the door open for deception and exploitation. The buyer does need to beware. Laws need to be changed. We can change this outdated law and take all cannabis off the Schedule list. How?

Vote. Your vote counts. This November your vote will make a difference.

Until June 29, 2018, New Mexico medical cannabis dispensaries were selling CBD prod-

ucts. Then the NM Dept of Health stopped all licensed dispensaries from selling hemp CBD products. Reason being that dispensaries are only licensed to sell New Mexico-grown Cannabis Sativa and Cannabis Indica, and hemp is not yet legal to be grown in New Mexico. Those products came from Colorado, California, China, Germany, Canada, Denmark, Kentucky, Oregon, Vermont, etc. None were grown or produced in New Mexico.

Evidently, neither the NM Department of Health nor the dispensaries thought to notify the public or the patients of the medical cannabis program about hemp CBD products being discontinued. Patients feel deceived.

As one of the original medical cannabis practitioners and advocates in New Mexico, I have been involved in promoting

legalization of cannabis and NM-grown hemp for over eight years. For eight years our governor vetoed every hemp bill that was presented. In 2017, the NM Supreme Court overturned the vetoes. We expect that NM will be legally growing hemp as soon as 2019 – not soon enough for some of us.

On Oct. 12, I had the honor of attending the First New Mexico hemp hearing. It was definitely a historic event and hemp is well on its way to being regulated in the state. The good news is that New Mexico will be growing hemp soon and we expect it will have a positive impact on New Mexicans and the NM economy.

Hemp has over 10,000 uses: industrial, nutritional and medicinal. Hemp regulation in New Mexico will be regulated by the NM Department of Agriculture. The state

is in the process of establishing rules and regulations. Many thanks to the hemp pioneers and advocates who see the value of this incredible plant and have not given up on legalizing it in New Mexico. The state will prosper when we can grow hemp.

In any case, regarding CBD from either hemp or cannabis, buyers should be informed when purchasing CBD products. Ask for labeling, know what the percentage of CBD is. For CBD to be effective, it must be medicinal quality, from 10 to 70 percent. Many products are in the 1 percent range.

Also, do not to be confused with hemp nutritional supplements such as hemp hearts, hemp milk, hemp bars and

hemp protein powder available at any health food store. These are legal health products and valuable in their own right. They contain high-quality vegan protein, omegas and fiber. They contain little to no CBD and are regulated by the FDA.

Assert yourself, ask more questions if you want to know what you are buying.

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Annual career fair for health professionals scheduled at NMSU

By **ROSEANNE BENSLEY**
For the Bulletin

The fourth annual Health Professions Career Fair is co-sponsored by the New Mexico State University Career Services office and the College of Health and Social Services and will take place from 2 to 5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 7 on the first floor of Corbett Center Student Union. The event provides

students, alumni and community members an opportunity to meet with representatives from hospitals, social service agencies and graduate programs seeking to hire or recruit students in nursing or other health-related professions from the College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences: human nutrition and dietetic science and

family and consumer science; College of Education: counseling and educational psychology, kinesiology and special education and communication disorders; and College of Health and Social Services: nursing, public health sciences and social work.

"This fair focuses on one of the largest industries in the country, with nearly 22 million jobs projected for 2022.

Students will be benefitting by learning first-hand about this flourishing career field," said Roseanne Bensley, event coordinator and NMSU Career Services associate director. For more information visit careerservices.nmsu.edu/health-professions-career-fair.

Roseanne Bensley may be reached at 575-646-1631, rbensley@nmsu.edu.

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County files lawsuit against opioid manufacturers

BULLETIN REPORT

Doña Ana County has filed suit against the nation's largest pharmaceutical manufacturers and distributors for their role in creating a widespread diversion of prescription opiates for nonmedical purposes.

According to a press release from the county, the case was filed Oct. 15 in federal district court in the District of New Mexico (Doña Ana County Board of Commissioners v. AmerisourceBergen Drug Corporation et al Court: New Mexico District Court Case Num: 1:18-cv-00959).

Doña Ana County has recorded the fourth-highest number of opioid-related deaths out of 33 counties in New Mexico and has struggled to manage the

costs associated with widespread opioid abuse. Between 2014 and 2016, 104 people died from drug overdoses in Doña Ana County. Additionally, in 2016, there were 70 opioid-poisoning related Emergency Department visits in Doña Ana County, up from 53 opioid-poisoning related Emergency Department visits in 2015.

"Doña Ana County has invested a substantial amount of time, money and resources to aggressively combat our opioid crisis from every angle, including the pursuit of grant money that has enabled us to purchase more than 1,700 naloxone kits," said County Attorney Nelson Goodin in the press release.

"Put simply – addressing the opioid epidemic in our county is expen-

sive, and we need more resources to help our friends and neighbors who are addicted to these dangerous drugs. It is only right that we should demand accountability from the corporations that recklessly fueled this vicious cycle of widespread addiction throughout our community. Now is the time to finally hold the pharmaceutical industry responsible."

In the suit, Doña Ana County alleges that many of the nation's largest drug manufacturers pushed highly addictive, dangerous opioids, and deliberately misinformed doctors by claiming that patients using the drugs rarely experienced addiction.

The companies named in the suit include: Purdue Pharma; Teva

Ltd. (which acquired pharmaceutical maker Cephalon, Inc. in 2011); Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a wholly-owned subsidiary of Johnson & Johnson); Endo Health Solutions, Inc.; Noramco, Inc.; Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc.; Allergan PLC; Mallinckrodt; and Insys Therapeutics, Inc. Drugs manufactured by these companies include, but are not limited to: OxyContin, Actiq, Fentora, Duragesic, Nucynta, Nucynta ER, Opana/Opana ER, Percodan, Percocet, Zydone, Kadian and Norco.

The suit also alleges that three of the nation's largest drug distributors – Cardinal Health, AmerisourceBergen, and McKesson Corp. – failed to monitor, identify and report suspicious

activity in the size and frequency of opioid shipments to pharmacies, in violation of the federal Controlled Substances Act. Additionally, the suit names three of the nation's largest Retail Pharmacies – CVS, Walgreens and Walmart – for their role in failing to report suspicious opioid orders.

Doña Ana County has hired a team of expert law firms experienced in holding the powerful pharmaceutical industry accountable, according to the press release. Those firms include ROBLES, RAEL & ANAYA, P.C; Baron & Budd; Levin, Papantonio, Thomas, Mitchell, Rafferty & Proctor; Greene Ketchum Bailey Farrell & Tweel; Hill, Peterson, Carper, Bee & Deitzler; McHugh

Fuller Law; and Powell & Majestro, PLLC. The firms currently represent more than 500 cities and counties throughout the United States and serve as lead counsel to approximately 80 percent of the municipalities that have filed suit against pharmaceutical manufacturers and distributors for opioid-related claims.

"It is deplorable that these companies orchestrated such deceptive schemes to dump dangerous prescription pills into unsuspecting communities," said Baron & Budd Shareholder Burton LeBlanc. "I'm proud to help lead this team and intend to fight vigorously to hold these corporations accountable, and to help Doña Ana County put a stop to this crisis."

Diabetes outreach clinic scheduled for county government center

BULLETIN REPORT

In observance of National Diabetes Awareness Month in November, District 2 Doña Ana County Commissioner Ramon S. Gonzalez will host a Southern New Mexico Diabetes Outreach Clinic at the Doña Ana County Government Center on Nov. 9 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Multipurpose Room 117. County staff and the public are encouraged to participate.

The center is located at 845 N. Motel Blvd.

According to a press release from the county,

Southern New Mexico Diabetes Outreach staff will conduct glucose screenings, blood pressure tests and body-mass-index testing on all participants and A1C tests on high-risk patients.

Southern New Mexico Diabetes Outreach regularly schedules screens throughout Doña Ana County, including the communities of Chaparral, Sunland Park, Anthony, Vado, Doña Ana, Radium Springs, Hatch, Butterfield and Organ. In these communities in 2017, the Southern New Mexico Diabetes

Outreach found that 21 percent of individuals screened were in the abnormal range.

"Diabetes is at epidemic levels in our area, and by screening we find many persons with abnormal glucose who do not know they may have diabetes," said June Donohue, executive director of Southern New Mexico Diabetes Outreach. "If found, when diagnosed as prediabetic, there is a possibility of preventing or delaying diabetes. If found to have diabetes, the person is able to learn how to make life-

style changes and control their blood sugars and avoid complications such as loss of eyesight, kidney failure and even amputations."

One out of three persons with diabetes will die from heart disease or stroke. Controlling diabetes in its early years helps control medical expenses for the patient and the community. One out of every four dollars spent in the U.S. on healthcare is spent on diabetes.

Doña Ana County has been involved in diabetes education and awareness for several years.

The county's Health and Human Services Department oversees the Nuestra Vida program, which is an evidence-based intervention and outreach program that aims to improve the prevention and self-management of diabetes among adolescents and adults living in Doña Ana County. The program also seeks to increase awareness of diabetes and support for healthy diabetes management practices, healthy eating, and active living.

Nuestra Vida's family- and community-centered approach seeks to build

awareness and support from the ground up. The Doña Ana County Nuestra Vida program was awarded the 2014 Annual Achievement Award on behalf of the National Association of Counties. Nuestra Vida is operational in Anthony, Chaparral and Butterfield.

In addition, Southern New Mexico Diabetes Outreach participates in the annual Doña Ana County Community Fair, which is an event to connect rural residents with subject matter experts from county departments and external organizations.

HEALTHY HAPPENINGS

Lamaze classes: 6:30-8:30 p.m. Mondays, Nov. 5, 12, 26, College of Health and Social Services building, 1335 International Mall. Free parking available off Jordan Road. NMSU nursing faculty who are certified as Lamaze childbirth educators teach classes with support from nursing students for expectant women preparing for childbirth. Labor support people also welcome. Info and registration: 575-646-8089 or email moralest@nmsu.edu.

Thanksgiving Turkey Trot: 8:40 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 22, Oñate High School, 5700 Mesa Grande Drive. A 10k run, 5k run and 1-mile fun run. Sponsored by Las Cruces Running Club and Mountain View Regional Hospital. Prizes for largest team and best costume. Info and registration: www.lascrucesrunningclub.com.

Epilepsy Support & Education Services, Inc.: 1-2:30 p.m. first Saturday of every month at Thomas Branigan Memorial Library 200 E. Picacho Ave. Here to support anyone with epilepsy, those who have loved ones with epilepsy, or are caregivers of epileptics. Info: 505-243-9119 or EpilepsySupportNM.org.

ONGOING

Alzheimer's group: 10-11 a.m., second Thursday of every month, 1155 S. Telshor Blvd., Suite 202. Early Stages Alzheimer's Support Group meets. Attend with a friend or family member.

Ambercare Hospice Volunteer Program: Ambercare seeks individuals interested in volunteers to offer comfort and support to patients and their families. Hospice volunteers read, take walks, listen or provide companionship. Training provided. Info: 575-556-8409, ext. 12418, or jlopez@ambercare.com.

Aquatic cardio: 6:45-7:45 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center, 1401 E. Hadley Ave. Las Cruces Parks and Recreation Department offers a Pound class, rhythmic cardio jam session, combining light resistance with constant simulated drumming. The total body workout fuses cardio, Pilates, isometric movements, plyometrics into a 45-minute series. Info: 575-541-2782.

Birth, death certificates: 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday, Vital Records Office at the Las Cruces Public Health Office, 1170 N. Solano Drive. Closed noon-1 p.m. Info: 575-528-5046.

Bone Boosters: 11:30 a.m. first Thursday. Sponsored by National Osteoporosis Foundation/New Mexico Affiliate. Info: 575-522-5106 or 575-522-0503 to RSVP.

Breast cancer support group: Meets 10-11:30 a.m. fourth Saturday each month, Memorial Medical Center, 2450 S. Telshor Blvd., west side annex building. Free, no pre-registration, open to all.

Breastfeeding sup-

port group: 10-11:30 a.m. every Friday, Memorial Medical Center, 2450 S. Telshor Blvd., West Annex, Piñon A meeting room. Mama's Milk Club Breastfeeding Support Group. Refreshments provided. Cost: free. Info: 575-521-5393.

Cancer support group: 6:30-8 p.m. second and fourth Tuesday, University United Methodist Church, 2000 S. Locust St. Cancer Care is a support group for those dealing with cancer, (patients, survivors, caregivers, family and friends). Info: Betty Harris, 575-524-3994 or the church office, 575-522-8220.

Co-Dependents Anonymous: 7 p.m. Mondays, Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 E. Missouri, Room 107. A 12-step program to let go of unhealthy rescuing behavior. Info: www.coda.org or Wayne at 575-647-5684.

Dance fitness: Professional instructor. Class size limited. Cost: \$20-\$45 a month depending on hours attending. Free tryout classes. Info: Call or text, 575 405-4142.

• Dance Fit: 8:30-10 a.m. Mondays and Wednesdays.

• Ballet: 8-9 a.m. Tuesdays and Fridays.

Diabetes group meeting: 5-6:30 p.m., first Tuesday of each month, Mountainview Senior Circle Association, 3948 E. Lohman Ave., Suite 1, (behind Walgreens on Lohman). Yes Diabetes Group Meeting for children in elementary through high school. Parents or guardians must

attend. Info 575-522-0289.

Diabetes support group: 10-11:15 a.m. third Thursday in the meeting room of Natural Grocers, 3970 E. Lohman Ave. Diabetes Educational Support Group meetings provide open discussion and teaching regarding diabetes and a question-and-answer period. Info: 575-522-0289.

Epilepsy Support: 1-2:30 p.m. first Saturday of every month, Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Support for anyone with epilepsy, those who have loved ones with epilepsy, and caregivers of epileptics. Info: 505-243-9119 or EpilepsySupportNM.org.

Flu vaccines: Immunization Hotline, toll free 866-681-5872, or visit flushot.healthmap.org.

Hearing voices: 3 p.m. Tuesdays, Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 E. Missouri Ave. A group for people who hear voices, have visions and unusual experiences to share experiences and learn from each other. Family members, friends and interested people are also welcome. Info: Al Galves 575-571-3105 or agalves2003@comcast.net.

Immunization services: For children up to 18, Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at the New Mexico Department of Health's Las Cruces Central Public Health Office, 1170 N. Solano Drive. Info: 575-528-5006.

MS support group: 4:30-6 p.m. first Thursday, So-

cial Center Creative Arts Room at Good Samaritan Society-Las Cruces Village, 3011 Buena Vida Circle. Multiple sclerosis support/education group. Info/RSVP: Andres Selgado, 915-433-2588

Near Death Experience Group: International Association for Near Death Studies, support group for those who have had an NDE. Experiencers, family and friends welcome, third Monday, Center for Spiritual Living, 575 N. Main St. Info: Jane, 928-897-0933 or LasCrucesLands@gmail.com

Needle disposal/syringe exchange: 8:30 a.m.-4:40 p.m. weekdays, Las Cruces Public Health office, 1170 N. Solano Drive. Info: 575-528-5090.

Overeaters Anonymous: 9:30 a.m. Saturdays at Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 E. Missouri Ave. and noon Wednesdays in the library of St. James Episcopal Church, 1102 St. James Ave. OA is a fellowship of individuals recovering from a compulsive relationship with food. Info: www.oa.org; Barbara, 575-405-0128 or Wayne, 575-647-5684.

Parkinson's support group:

10 a.m. third Tuesday at the Senior Circle, 4311 E. Lohman Ave. Info: Sarah Stegall, 575-496-2550; Jon Roberts, 702-217-0450; pdsgsnm.org.

Reclaim Wellness: Third Thursday Mini-Fairs 6-9 p.m. 1355 California Ave. Features card readers, artists and vendors of organic handmade products. Info: 575-613-1664

Savvy Caregiver Program: Free seven-session course presented by the Alzheimer's Association, NM Chapter, 2-4 p.m. each Tuesday from Oct. 24-Dec. 5, 2017, hosted by Crossroads In-Home Care, 189 Howard Place. Info, registration: Lindsey Bachman, 575-647-3868 or lmbachman@alz.org.

Sexual Compulsives Anonymous: 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, First Christian Church, 1802 El Paseo Road. 12-step fellowship. Info: www.sca-recovery.org.

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Southern road to spaceport celebrated

By ELVA K. OSTERREICH

Las Cruces Bulletin

With a flourish and a sigh of relief, the southern road to Spaceport America saw its official ribbon cutting on Oct. 19 when folks gathered just off off I-25 Exit 32 to caravan the 23.5 miles to the spaceport.

After more than 10 years of negotiations, studies and work, the former dirt road is now paved, allowing spaceport customers and visitors to travel from Las Cruces directly to the facility.

The long-awaited road has been finished since



Virgin Galactic CEO George Whitesides speaks during the opening of the new southern access road from I-25 to Spaceport America at the Upham exit Friday, Oct. 19.

July, said Chris Lopez, Spaceport America director of site operations.

Construction had started in January after the Dona Ana County commissioners chose Mountain States Construction of Albuquerque to do the work.

"It's another proud New Mexico company we were proud to work with," Lopez said. "And I can't say thank you enough for Dona Ana's leadership role and our partnership with Sierra and Dona Ana counties. This is a great example of multiple agencies working together."



Virgin Galactic CEO George Whitesides, right, speaks with Spaceport America CEO Dan Hicks during the opening of the new southern access road from I-25 to Spaceport America at the Upham exit Friday, Oct. 19.

The road, which was mostly funded by the Spaceport Authority, will be maintained by both counties in their own jurisdictions.

"We've been working for several years — BLM, the state land office, ranchers along the road — to get this road completed," Lopez said. "Some folks have been

working on it so long they can't remember, over 10 years."

The process had to include agreements with the ranchers and multiple environmental impact statements.

"The EICs were tremendous," he said, "from biology to archeology requirements, remembering we preserve our history as much as possible. We have stakeholders from the past into future."

Archeologically, he said, they did find fire sites and signs of people moving through the area, but "nothing exotic like conquistador armor or T-Rex bones."

Lopez said they are wrapping up the final accounting numbers, but they are adding up to the original budget of about

\$13 million for the entire project.

"We are definitely on budget and hopefully we are going to squeak right under it," he said.

Spaceport authorities are seeing positive feedback and seeing an increase in activity and supplies coming from southern side. Travelers save the extra miles because they no longer have to go around or through Truth or Consequences, making it easier to build up the infrastructure.

Sierra County will still get Spaceport America business Lopez said, as the official visitor's center is in T or C and visitor tours are currently based there. Final Frontier Tours begin in Sierra County and can be found

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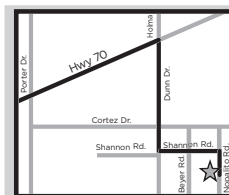
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at spaceportamericatour.com

Lopez said the next opportunity for the public to visit Spaceport America during an open house will be in April as part of the Las Cruces Space Festival.

Dona Ana County Commissioner Ben Rawson said he is excited to see the road finally realized. The county has put in a

lot of in-kind of contributions getting it done in terms of its engineering department resources and paperwork completion.

“We faced a lot of speed bumps,” he said of the lengthy process of getting the road approved and completed. “It’s finally done. It’s a really nice road and I’m glad it’s there.”

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Use wisdom when voting for our leaders

On two Tuesdays in October, Temple Beth-El sponsored candidate forums for several local and statewide races. At each of these events, I offered a brief introduction based on insights from Jewish tradition.

At the first forum, I quoted from the prayer for our country in the prayer book of Conservative Judaism, Siddur Lev Shalem: "Our God and God of our ancestors ... may each of us fulfill our responsibilities of citizenship with care, generosity, and gratitude ... May our ... elected leaders ... exercise their responsibilities with wisdom, fairness, and justice for all. Fill them with love and kindness and bless them



**RABBI
KAROL**

Seeking Harmony

that they may walk with integrity on the paths of peace and righteousness."

At the second forum, I turned to Exodus Chapter 18. In that passage, Moses' father-in-law,

Jethro, encouraged his son-in-law to appoint deputies to help him lead the people and to serve as judges when disputes arose. Jethro suggested that these potential leaders be capable, trustworthy, and honest (spurning ill-gotten gain), and that they do right by God and by their fellow community members.

I also shared insights from Leadership in Turbulent Times, a new book by Doris Kearns Goodwin, in which she chron-

icled the lives of four American Presidents: Abraham Lincoln, Theodore Roosevelt, Franklin Roosevelt, and Lyndon Johnson. Goodwin traced their development as leaders, describing, in detail, the traits they nurtured early on that stood them in good stead throughout their lives and careers.

Early in his time in public life, Abraham Lincoln revealed "a number of traits associated with leadership - ambition, motivation, resoluteness, language skills, storytelling gifts, sociability." He was also known for his adept use of humor. In one case, when his oratory led him to hurtfully mimic an opponent during a campaign event, Lincoln realized he had gone too far. He

apologized, and Goodwin explained, "For years afterward, the memory of that night filled Lincoln 'with the deepest chagrin.' Increasingly, though not always, he was able to rein in his impulse to throw a hurtful counterpunch. He was after something more significant than the gratification of an artfully delivered humiliation."

Theodore Roosevelt demonstrated, at the beginning of his political career, "a remarkable willpower, intellectual vitality, irrepressible liveliness, wide-ranging interests, and a growing gratification connecting with people from different backgrounds and stations in life." He moved from, at first, focusing only on his views and opinions to realizing the

benefits of collaborating with many legislative partners.

Franklin Roosevelt was bright and optimistic from his youth. He had a keen ability to look at a problem or challenge and work through its issues to arrive at a solution. His personality and temperament led him to connect with people in ways that drew them to him. Over the years, he learned the value of cooperation and humility.

Doris Kearns Goodwin recounted how Lyndon Johnson, as principal of an elementary school (during a year-long break from college) in Cotulla, Texas, "employed every leadership attribute he already possessed - indefatigable energy, ability to persuade, willingness to fight for what he

wanted, intuition, enterprise, and initiative - to enlarge opportunities for his students and to improve their lives." It was, according to Goodwin, empathy that drove Johnson's work with the students and their families.

At most any time, it is important to consider the essential traits that we want to see in ourselves and in the leaders we choose. May we always make our decisions related to leadership with understanding and wisdom.

Rabbi Larry Karol has served as spiritual leader of Temple Beth-El (www.tbcl.org) in Las Cruces since July 2011. His writings are available at rabbi-larrykarol.blogspot.com.

WORSHIP CALENDAR

Near-death experiences: 6:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2, Wellspring, 140 W. Taylor Road. Videos will be shown of people describing their near-death experiences and how it changed their lives. Discussion will be led by Jane Himes, herself an experiencer. Jane will also be the presenter at Wellspring the following Sunday morning.

Practical teaching: 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 17, Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. "Christ Jesus' teachings are practical today," lecture sponsored by First Church of Christ, Scientist, featuring Patricia Woodard. Cost: Free.

ONGOING

Fusion Youth Fellowship: 5:30-6:30 p.m. Wednesday at 2941 Morningstar Drive. Info: 575-521-3770.

Genesis Bible Study: 6:30 p.m. first three Thursdays of the month, Revival Fire Bookstore, 2645 Missouri Ave., Suite 5. Book of Genesis Bible study. Info: Bev, 575-642-1003.

Grandma's "Souler" Power: 2-4 p.m. the first and third Thursday, First Christian Church, 1809 El Paseo Road. Support group for interested grandparents serving as community advocates, mentors.

Voice concerns and share words of wisdom without judgment. Info: Lola Lestrack, 575-382-5678 or Shirley Daniels 575-915-8284, email tphippis@zianet.com.

Holy Family Mass: Holy Family American National Catholic Church, an inclusive Vatican II Catholic church, 702 Parker Road, 5:30 p.m. Saturdays and 10:30 a.m. Sundays. Fr. Jim Lehman and Fr. Louie Amezaga lead the services.

MMC Mass: Noon Wednesday, Memorial Medical Center chapel, 2450 S. Telshor Blvd. Holy mass. Info: 575-636-3274.

Men's prayer breakfast: 7-9 a.m. Tuesday, 106 S. Miranda St., in the Fellowship Hall. Info: 575-524-3691.

Men's Fellowship: Noon, Tuesday, IHOP, 2900 Del Rey Blvd. Christian Men's Fellowship. Open discussion. All men welcome. Info: 575-621-2350.

Men's prayer meeting: 7 a.m. Saturday, 1605 S. Valley Drive, led by Manny Howie. Info: 575-523-1113.

Non-denominational service: 5:45 p.m. Sunday, Dream Center, Sixth and Wilson Streets. New Agape Christian Church offers a scriptural, theological, historical and

scientific look at the prophets. Children's church provided. Info: Pastor Herb, 575-650-3915.

Prayer groups: 9 a.m. Saturday, 20-30-minute centering prayer, Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 E. Missouri Ave.

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Since God is the giver of life and all good gifts,



RUTH MOORER

Not for Sissies

Thanksgiving is a time to thank Him for these gifts and recognize that we are dependent on Him for every breath we take, for every beat of our heart, and life itself. His generosity is not dependent upon our actions nor our thanks.

The most important reason for thanking God is that it gets the focus off ourselves. People who are wound up in themselves are probably quite unhappy. What

joy they miss by failing to love and reach out to others to help lift their burdens.

In this season of thanks, I highly recommend making a list of those things for which we are thankful. Where possible, express thanks directly to persons, give a call or write a letter. Get in the habit of expressing appreciation. Who knows but what your words of affirmation could make a profound difference to someone who is deeply discouraged or depressed. I have read accounts of people

who were on the verge of suicide when a person spoke a word of encouragement just at the right time and saved their life. When we are sensitive to God's leading and to other people we can be the angel who came to the rescue of another person.

When our boys were in Boy Scouts, we got acquainted with a family whose boy became a friend of our youngest son. The father of the boy had chronic stomach ulcers with bouts of significant bleeding. One day, I encountered his

wife in the grocery store. She told me that her husband was having serious trouble with the ulcers and was in the hospital. I added him to my prayer list.

Several days later, I lay down to take a nap, and as I was just dozing off, his name came to mind. I offered a brief prayer for him and then fell asleep. A week later, I saw his wife again and asked her how he was doing. She replied that he was doing much better, but the week before he had been in critical condition. I realized that

that was about the time that God had given me a nudge to pray for him. I also imagined that God had alerted many others to pray.

If we stay sensitive to God, our Creator, he uses us as agents for good in the world. May we, by expressing thanks and appreciation, become God's "agents and angels."

Ruth Justice Moorer moved to Las Cruces in 1996 with her husband, Charles. She has been a public-school science teacher and a United Methodist pastor.

Representative payees can help Social Security beneficiaries

By **RAY VIGIL**

For the Las Cruces Bulletin

During the holiday season, we surround ourselves with family and friends, some of whom may rely on us for a number of reasons. An aging parent might need help clearing snow.

A sibling may require help after a surgery. And as we get older, our family members may need help managing their finances.

In fact, more than

eight million people who get monthly Social Security or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits need help managing their money.

If you have a loved one who cannot manage their finances, you may be able to become a representative payee.

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As a representative payee, you must know what the beneficiary's needs are, so you can decide the best use of

benefits for their care and well-being. This is especially important if the beneficiary doesn't live with you. Each year, Social Security may ask you to complete a form to account for the benefits you've received. You can either fill out the form and return it to Social Security or go online at www.socialsecurity.gov/payee to file the report.

Due to a recent change in the law, we no longer require the following

payees to complete an annual Representative Payee Report:

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beneficiary; and spouse of a beneficiary.

Taking care of family is something we do all year long, not just during this holiday season. Becoming a representative payee is a selfless act of kindness. You can read more about becoming a representative payee at www.socialsecurity.gov/pubs/EN-05-10076.pdf.

Ray Vigil is a Social Security Public Affairs Specialist in El Paso, Texas.

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District banner was presented to the team Saturday, Oct. 27.



BULLETIN PHOTO BY MIKE COOK

Left to right are Centennial High School Girls Soccer Coach Alex Reyes and team members Jennifer Enriquez, Hannah Fresquez, Aubrey Swindle and Jady Duran.

Centennial High's lifelong lessons to an undefeated season

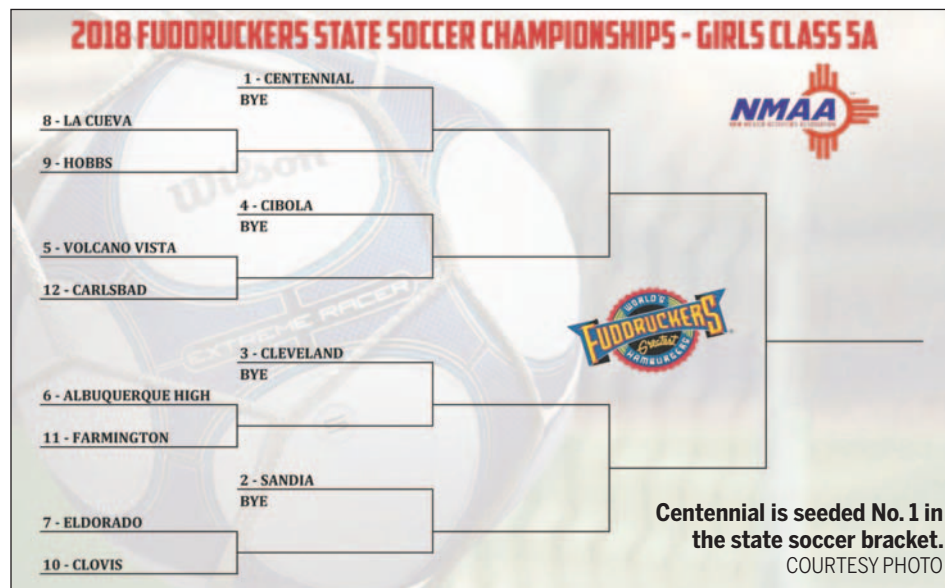
By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

"I knew we had something special," Centennial High School girls' soccer team coach Alex Reyes said.

His team is 18-0 (the only undefeated girls' soccer team in New Mexico), won district 3-5A and drew a bye in the first round of this year's state tournament, where they are ranked No. 1. They play the winner of La Cueva-Hobbs at noon Wednesday, Nov. 7, at the Bernalillo Soccer Complex in Albuquerque.

The Lady Hawks are getting national recognition, too; the team is No. 23 in USA Today's Super 25 girls' high school soccer national rankings.

The 18 girls on the varsity team "have confidence on and off the field," said Reyes, now in his 26th year as a coach, first at Las Cruces High School and for the last five years at Centennial. They also have a strong



work ethic, he said, they're good students academically and "role models for future generations."

Senior Hannah Fresquez credited the team's on-field chemistry for its success all season.

"You can't play for yourself," said Fresquez. "You have to play together."

"Chemistry is one of

our advantages," said sophomore Jennifer Enriquez. She has a lot of friends on the team and said, "We all get along."

"I feel confident in what we're capable of doing," said Jady Duran, a freshman, who said she "worked hard to get a spot" on the team in her first year at CHS.

The girls' hard work and mental conditioning kept

them winning all year, Jaden said, along with their ability to deal with adversity.

The team has "heart," said junior Aubrey Swindle, now in her third year on varsity. "We play for each other. We really look out for each other and pick each other up."

Swindle said her sweetest memories of the season will be "the long

road trips. The bus drivers are hilarious," she said, and the team really bonded during the trips and overnights in hotels as far away as Hobbs and Carlsbad.

Duran said she will remember the fun of intra-squad scrimmages when the girls played against each other.

Fresquez said she will remember the relationships she's built with teammates and their accomplishments together.

"I've known some of the girls since middle school," Hannah said. "Sometimes I see more of them than my family."

Enriquez, a transfer student from Gadsden, said she will remember her first practice with the Centennial soccer team. "I didn't know anyone," she said. "I didn't expect so much fun."

The season will hold special memories for every player, said Coach Alex, as the girls call him. "You can't really put it

into words."

"They really work you and make you feel like you're doing something right," Duran said of Reyes and CHS assistant girls' soccer coaches Catarina Acosta and Isaac Gomez.

"They've taught us not only about soccer, they've taught us about life," Enriquez said. "They make a huge impact."

"They are about each one of us," Swindle said. The coaches are "the type of people we can go to for everything and anything."

"We have close relationships with the coaches," Fresquez said. "They're there to help us."

"There's always something somebody does that helps me refocus and recharge the batteries to make it fun and exciting," Reyes said. "We have fun. We work hard. It truly is a joy. We hope that along the way we teach lifelong lessons."

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The rivalry of rivalries: Las Cruces-Mayfield

BULLETIN REPORT

Tickets are on sale for the rivalry football game between the Las Cruces High School Bulldawgs and the Mayfield High School Trojans. Kickoff is 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2, at NMSU's Aggie Memorial Stadium.

Tickets are \$8 adults and \$4 students and can be purchased at either high school.

At Las Cruces High School:

- Thursday, Nov. 1, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

- Friday, Nov. 2, from 9 a.m. to noon

At Mayfield High School:

- Thursday, Nov. 1, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- Friday, Nov. 2, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Fans can also buy tickets on game-day at the gates, which open at 5 p.m.

Mayfield enters the game with an overall record of 6-3 and is in second place in District 6A 3/4; Las Cruces is 5-4 and tied for third in the district with Hobbs.

Pregame tailgating in NMSU lots is allowed from 4-7 p.m. Mayfield fans will use lots #33 and #38, immediately north of Aggie Memorial Stadium; Las Cruces fans will use lot #34, immediately east of the stadium.

Security officials at the game will be inspecting purses and bags for safety.

"While we want everyone to have a good time, it is important that we enforce a few simple rules to ensure everyone's safety" said Ernie Viramontes, LCPS athletics director.

Tailgating guidelines are:

- No alcohol inside the stadium or in the tailgating parking lots

- Vehicles should park in designated rows and stalls and not block traffic

- No parking in the fire lanes

- One parking space/stall may be reserved next to each vehicle for tailgating activities

- Pop-up tents that do not require stakes are recommended

- Grilling is allowed but no open flames will be permitted

- No glass containers are allowed in parking lots

The game will be streamed at livestream.com/lcpstv/Football beginning at 6:45 p.m. For information, contact the LCPS Athletics Office at 575-527-5812.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL STANDINGS

6A District 3/4

Team	Record	Overall Record
Centennial	5-0	9-0 overall
Mayfield	4-1	6-3
Hobbs	3-2	6-3
Las Cruces	3-2	5-4
Carlsbad	2-2	4-3-1
Oñate	1-5	1-9
Gadsden	0-5	1-8

Week 10

Las Cruces 38, Carlsbad 26
Mayfield 35, Hobbs 8
Oñate 31, Gadsden, 14
(8-Man) Mesilla Valley Christian School at Melrose, 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 26

Week 11

- Carlsbad at Hobbs, 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2
- Centennial at Gadsden, 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2
- Las Cruces at Mayfield, 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2



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Action from last year's game, won by Las Cruces High, 49-13.

Aggies play final home game of the season

BULLETIN REPORT

The New Mexico State football team returns to the City of Crosses to take on Alcorn State inside of Aggie Memorial Stadium on Saturday at 2 p.m. MT. This is the final home game of the season for the Aggies and the day is set to honor the veterans on the roster for senior day.

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The broadcast can be heard on the flagship station, 99.5 FM KXPZ or with the TuneIn app.

SENIOR DAY

This weekend's clash with Alcorn State is the final home game of the 2018 season for New Mexico State and the team gets set to honor its

Charlie Blanchard's Golf Doctor column does not run this issue. It will return Nov. 9.

soon-to-be graduates on senior day.

In total, there are 18 Aggies to be recognized on senior day at Aggie Memorial Stadium including linebackers Terrill Hanks and Derek Ibekwe, defensive back DeMarcus Owens, running back Royce Caldwell, defensive lineman Jassavia Reese, linebacker Malik Demby, quarterback Nick Jeanty, defensive back Tymon Locklin, wide receiver Johnathan Boone, defensive back Ron LaForce, kicker Parker Davidson, long snapper Tim O'Donnell, linebackers

Leon McQuaker and Billy Nipp, offensive linemen Billy Sharmoug, Jamin Smith, Isaac McClain and defensive lineman Jackson Solbeck.

LOOKING AT THE BRAVES

Alcorn State travels to Aggie Memorial Stadium on Saturday holding a 7-2 overall record with a 4-1 mark on the road. The Braves are riding a three-game winning streak and most recently took down Prairie View on the road, 27-13, this past weekend.

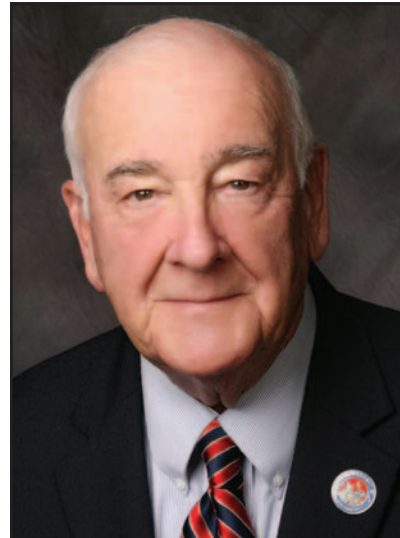
Through nine games this season, Alcorn State's offense has put up 33.4 points per game and allowed just 19.1. The Braves offense has had their way this year putting up 458.6 yards of total offense per game

with a 186.0 yards coming through the air and 272.6 on the ground. The only quarter that Alcorn State has been outscored was the team's one overtime, 14-10, and the Braves best quarter of play has been the second outscoring op-

ponents 90-20.

On defense, the Braves have recorded 41 sacks and 87 total tackles for loss. The prolific defense is also responsible for 11 interceptions, nine forced fumbles and four blocked kicks. This stellar play on

the defensive side of the ball has seen Alcorn State hold eight of its nine opponents under 30 points, with one shutout, and the only time the team gave up more was in a 41-0 loss at Georgia Tech in the season-opener.



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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

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Ally Sherwood is a 16-year-old junior at Las Cruces High School. She plays setter and hitter on the Lady Dawgs volleyball team. This season, Sherwood has had 20.1 assists, 1.8 aces and 6.5 digs per match.

She has worked hard for her setting position on the volleyball court. As a first-year varsity volleyball player, she has played almost every point for the Bulldawgs this season. Sherwood has a great personality, is an encourager and makes others around her better. She is a dedicated student, with a 3.58 GPA. Outside of school and volleyball, Sherwood enjoys camping, hiking, skiing and serving in the LDS church.

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