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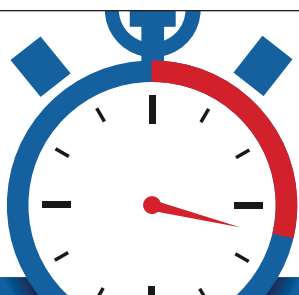
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NMSU Horticulture Forum member Paul Lambert holds a grazania Saturday morning, April 21, during Earth Day on the Plaza de Las Cruces. Drought-tolerant grazanias, according to the web, are "a genus of flowering plants in the family Asteraceae, native to Southern Africa. They produce large, daisy-like composite flowerheads in brilliant shades of yellow and orange, over a long period in summer."



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NFL hall of famer Terrell Davis was the guest speaker.

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## Hall of Famer: 'Boys Club saved my life'

By MIKE COOK  
Las Cruces Bulletin

The banquet room at New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum was overflowing Thursday, April 19, as the Lou and Mary Henson community breakfast welcomed Super Bowl and NFL MVP and Hall of Famer Terrell Davis.

The Hensons were unable to attend the 10th anniversary breakfast, which benefits the Boys and Girls Club of Las Cruces, but that didn't stop about 400 people from coming to hear Davis' personal message about the impact of boys and girls clubs on his life.

"I am who I am because of my club," said Davis, who attended a Boys Club

in San Diego from age 7-12.

Davis, the youngest of six boys, said both his parents had jobs and separated when he was 7. Football and the Boys Club, he said, "sort of saved my life."

The Boys Club he attended was "a place where people cared about you," Davis said, "a place where they said you had value."

Davis visited the Las Cruces Boys and Girls Club April 18 and said he was inspired by the children he met, including Boys and Girls Club of Las Cruces 2018 Youth of the Year Ashly Ramirez.

He advised students to "be SMART": S: sacrifice, M: motivation, A: attitude, R: resilience and T: teamwork.



Boys and Girls Club of Las Cruces members Ellianna Barboza, 10, and Talliyah Trout.

"Be a champion of life, not a sport," Davis said, and realize that a setback is "a setup to spring forward."

The sixth-round pick in the 1995 NFL draft played seven seasons for the Den-

ver Broncos and won two Super Bowls.

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Lori Henson received a commemorative award for the Henson family from Boys and Girls Club of Las Cruces CEO Ashley Echavarria.



Ashly Ramirez is the 2018 Boys and Girls Club of Las Cruces Youth of the Year.

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# Alcohol consumption is NMSU, statewide concern

By **MIKE COOK**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

“Alcohol is the drug connected to 90-95 percent of violence on college campuses,” NMSU Police Chief Stephen Lopez said April 18 at the university-sponsored Responsible Alcohol Consumption Summit.

The NMSU Police Department, Lopez said, responds to 250-300 alcohol-related calls on campus each year, averaging five-six per week.

There is a “culture of drinking on the NMSU campus,” Student Body President Kevin Prieto said. “They’re going to do it.” One of the goals of the Associated Students of NMSU, he said, is to “monitor them and help them do it responsibly.”

One way to do that, Prieto said, is to provide

safe transportation for students. That includes the Associated Student of NMSU’s Crimson Cab and Crimson Coach service. (Visit [asnmsu.nmsu.edu/aggie-transportation/crimson-coach](http://asnmsu.nmsu.edu/aggie-transportation/crimson-coach))

Binge drinking is a serious issue for college students, New Mexico Department of Health (NMDOH) Secretary Lynn Gallagher said at the summit, recalling incidents from her own past while an NMSU student.

(The national Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism defines binge drinking as men consuming five or more drinks and women consuming four or more drinks in a two-hour period. “Most people younger than age 21 who drink alcohol report binge drinking, usually on multiple occasions,”



BULLETIN PHOTOS BY MIKE COOK

Panelists listen to a question from the audience at the April 18 Responsible Alcohol Consumption Summit at NMSU.

according to the national Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The 2015 Youth Risk Behavior Survey showed that almost 18 percent of binge drinkers were high school students and one in four were age 18-24. Visit <https://www.cdc.gov/alcohol/fact-sheets/binge-drinking.htm>. People aged 12-20 years drink 11 percent of all alcohol consumed in the United States,” according to [ibis.health.state.nm.us](http://ibis.health.state.nm.us). “More than 90 percent of this alcohol is consumed in the form of binge drinks.”

“Your presence will change the way we see alcohol consumption in New Mexico,” Gallagher told the approximately 200

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## Alcohol on college campuses

- About 2,000 college students die from alcohol-related injuries each year;
- About 700,000 college students are assaulted each year by another student who has been drinking;
- About 100,000 college students are victims of sexual assault or date rape each year committed by a student who has been drinking.

Tips for safe partying from [emergency-planning.nmsu.edu/nmsu-emergency-plan-](http://emergency-planning.nmsu.edu/nmsu-emergency-plan-)

ning-and-preparedness-alcohol/drugs:

- Plan ahead. Set a limit and stick to it.
- Always have a designated driver.
- Eat before and while you drink to help slow the absorption of alcohol.
- Don’t play drinking games. They cause you to consume alcohol too fast to realize how intoxicated it is making you.
- Use the buddy system. Stick together and make sure you look out for each other.

- Keep an eye on your drink to protect yourself from date rape drugs – both men and women are at risk of being drugged.
- Don’t drink from punch bowls or pitchers; they are easy to drug, and they make it more difficult to keep track of how much you are drinking.
- It’s OK not to drink.

Source: From the Aggies Winning Choices (AWC) project at NMSU and state and national partners.



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## New Mexico among the worst for alcohol-rated deaths

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While New Mexico's alcohol-impaired motor vehicle crash fatality rates have declined almost 60 percent during this period, death rates from other AR injuries have increased. New Mexico's AR injury death rate increased 29 percent 1990-2015, and AR poisoning deaths replaced AR motor vehicle crash

deaths as the leading cause of alcohol-related injury death in New Mexico.

For more than 15 years, New Mexico's death rate for AR chronic diseases (chronic liver disease and cirrhosis, alcohol dependence, etc.) has been first or second in the nation with rates 1.5-two times the national rate. During the same period, New Mexico's death rate for AR injury (motor vehicle crashes, drowning, suicide, homicide, etc.) has also consistently been among the worst in the nation, 1.4-1.8 times the national rate.

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students, faculty and visitors attending the summit at Domenici Hall or online from NMSU campuses in Alamogordo and Grants.

Among changes the state needs to make, she said, is doing more to celebrate designated drivers.

"I'm proud to drink water," Gallagher said, adding that drinking water instead of or along with alcohol is a key component to reducing alcohol consumption.

New Mexico spends "millions and millions of dollars unnecessarily" because of poor alcohol-related choices made by individuals, businesses that serve alcohol and the alcohol industry, Gallagher said, and "75 percent of those costs are related to binge drinking."

"It's clear we have a real problem," Gallagher said.

The state also needs a universal helmet law she said, because there are "idiots riding motorcycles and

drinking. It's a problem in New Mexico and all of you have to help us fix that."

"We need to take a hard look at alcohol consumption in New Mexico," Gallagher said, and "take a considered step toward making improvements. And it starts with you."

Other panelists at the summit included Piper Coalson and Tiffany Tyson of the NMSU Wellness, Alcohol and Violence (WAVE) program; Unified Prevention Coalition for Doña Ana County Program Manager Marisol Diaz; NMSU Department of Public Health Sciences Assistant Professor Dr. Holly Mata; Daniela Marquez of YMCA of El Paso's Shift+ alcohol prevention initiative; and NMDOH Alcohol Epidemiologist Dr. Laura Tomedi.

The conference was sponsored by Aggies Winning Choices, an NMSU project promoting safe habits and responsible decisions regarding alcohol.

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# Hair today, gone tomorrow

## Future Marine Garcia-Washburn makes the first cut

**D**rizzt Garcia-Washburn, an 18-year-old senior at Centennial High School, walked into foreign territory last Saturday.



**RICHARD COLTHARP**

From the Publisher

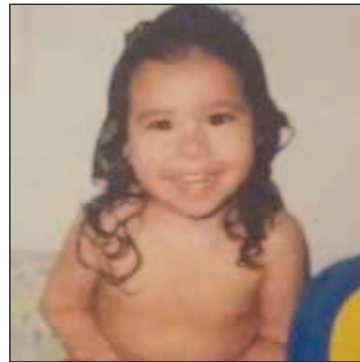
Sure, he'd seen City Barber Shop before. Every Las Cruces has. It's been here for 30 years.

But this was the first time he'd ever walked in as a customer – to this or any other barber shop.

In fact, this was the first time he'd gotten a haircut since he was 9 months old.

Everyone who knows Garcia-Washburn knows him by his signature long hair, usually fashioned in a braid going down the length of his back. The long hair was a nod to his Native American bloodline and his namesake, Drizzt Do'urden, a benevolent character from the R.A. Salvatore book series, "Forgotten Realms." That Drizzt has long hair too.

His arrival at the barber shop at 1201 N. Main St. was a big deal, and friends and family showed up to watch.



COURTESY PHOTO

**Even as a baby, Drizzt Garcia-Washburn had long hair. He didn't get a haircut at all from 9 months to age 18. The cut came April 21 at City Barber Shop in Las Cruces.**

So, after all these years, why get a haircut now?

For one thing, Centennial's prom was that night. Everyone likes to clean up for prom and Drizzt's girlfriend Bethany Bridges, was there to watch. For another, Drizzt will join the military this summer, the beginning of a six-year stint with the United States Marine Corps. He heads to boot camp in San Diego in July.

I asked him why he picked the Marines.

"That's the hardest one," he said.

Drizzt loves competition, and played football and ran track for CHS.

Drizzt's mom, Jennifer

Wright, showed up at City Barber Shop a few minutes before the big cut. This would be almost as traumatic for her as for him.

They decided she should re-braid his hair, ostensibly to make it tighter, and easier to save as a keepsake. Watching this take place, though, it seemed a solemn ceremony. She'd probably braided his hair a thousand times, and this time would likely be the last. She unraveled the braid, and spread out his long brown locks, giving them one last, loving look, before swiftly braiding it all back together, a ritual she could do blindfolded in her sleep.

She took a deep breath and handed her son off to barber Zack Mirabal.

Drizzt sat in Zack's barber chair as a dozen friends and family formed a semi-circle, their cellphones set to video.

First thing to go was the braid, and it was tough cutting for Zack. Once it was off, Drizzt was all open-mouthed and bug-eyed, surprised, shocked and suffering all at the same time.

"My head feels so light," he said. "Oh my God!"

Then his smile briefly turned into a somber frown.

"This is the worst thing I've ever done in my life," Drizzt said.

"Wait until boot camp," cracked Matthew Arguello, the barber manning the next chair over.

When Zack held the braid in his hands, it had the weight, look, length and feel of a banded-rock rattlesnake. With it gone, Drizzt no longer looked like a rock band drummer, and Zack could then perform a regular haircut.

Drizzt remained clearly in shock.

Anyone who's ever gotten his hair cut at a barber shop knows the last move. The barber hands you a mirror, and you reflect the back of your head in the wall mirror behind. It's usually a five-second look, and the customer says, "Yep, looks good."

For Drizzt, though, it felt more like five minutes as he did triple-take after double-take, repeating, "Oh my God!"

To make it official, Zack pulled from a drawer a First Haircut Certificate, an 8x10 parchment to mark the date. In most cases, the certificates are for boys closer to 18 months than 18 years. The certificate was signed and dated and the deed was done.

Drizzt hopped out of the chair and the crowd gathered round as if he'd just won the heavy-

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weight title.

I made my way to the champ to offer congratulations and condolences.

When I asked about the braided pony tail, he handed it to me.

We spoke briefly about his track season, in which Drizzt had done three field events: high jump, long jump and triple jump. I asked if he'd qualified for the state track

meet.

"Just barely missed it," he said, holding his thumb and forefinger less than an inch apart.

I held out the braid in both hands. Mentally scaling it, I figured it was a good three pounds, easy.

"Man, if you didn't have this weighing you down, you might have made those jumps," I said.

He shook his head and wrinkled a smile, as if to say, "Maybe so ..."

"What about you," I

asked Bethany, Drizzt's girlfriend. "What do you think of the new look?"

"I like it," she said, visibly pleased.

By then it was selfie time, as everyone went outside and took turns getting phone pics with Drizzt and his certificate and his brand new head.

Somewhere beneath all the buzz, inside that head, surely were thoughts about what will happen in the next few months, in his brand new life.



COURTESY PHOTOS  
Drizzt Garcia-Washburn reacts as barber Zack Mirabal holds up the braid that had been growing on Drizzt's head for 17 years.



Centennial High School senior Drizzt Garcia-Washburn looks at the iconic Organ Mountains as his own iconic pony tail hangs down his back.

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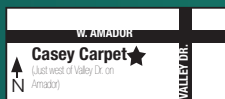
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- Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave.

**MVCS golf tournament:** 8:30 a.m. Saturday, April 28, NMSU Golf Course. Mesilla Valley Christian School 10th-grade fundraiser four-person scramble golf tournament. Cost: \$100 for individuals, \$400 per team. Info: 575-525-8515 or [www.mvcsonline.com](http://www.mvcsonline.com).

**Rummage sale drop-off:** 9-11 a.m. Saturday, April 28 and 2-4 p.m. Sunday, April 29 Sisbarro Buick GMC, 425 W. Boutz Road. Donate gently used items for the Junior League of Las Cruces Clean Sweep Rummage sale. Info: Jennifer L Garcia Kozlowski, 505-259-2550.

**Garden tour:** 9 a.m. Saturday, April 28, Fairacres Post Office. Meet to organize carpools for Lisa Mandelkern's tour of four gardens that include native vegetation. Info: 575-523-8413 and leave a message.

**Learn iNaturalist app:** 9 a.m. Saturday, April 28, Southwest Environmental Center, 275 N. Main St. Meet up for an outing in the Organ Mountains near Aguirre Spring as part of the Back By Noon series. Take a photo of a plant, and the app will suggest identifications. Cost: \$5. Info and registration: 575-522-5552 or [www.wildmesquite.org](http://www.wildmesquite.org).

**Community of Hope:** 12:30-2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 28, 999 West Amador Ave. Open house. Learn about Community of Hope. Feel free to bring gently used donations that can be used to furnish an apartment for someone moving off the streets and into their own home, or camping gear for those residing in Camp Hope. Info: 575-523-2219.

**Conversations with Democrats:** 2 pm, Saturday, April 28, Holy Family American National Catholic Church, 702 Parker Road. Topic: "What Happens In The State House Happens In OUR House: A Freshman Year-In-Review." Conversation leader is NM State Representative Angelica Rubio. Sponsored by Federation of Democratic Women of Doña Ana County. Info: Connie 575-521-0096.

**Aquatic Center:** Through

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April 29, hours at the Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center, 1401 E. Hadley Ave. are 6 a.m.-8:30 p.m., Monday-Friday; 8 a.m.-7:30 p.m., Saturday; Closed Sundays. Info: 575-541-2782.

**Outdoor Economics Conference:** Thursday-Friday, May 3-4, Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces, 705 S. Telshor Blvd. Leaders from across New Mexico and the nation to explore successful strategies for creating jobs in tourism and outdoor recreation based on protected public lands. Cost: \$25. Info and registration: [www.outdooreconomicsnm.com](http://www.outdooreconomicsnm.com).

**Slavery book presentation:** 3-4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 3, William B. Conroy Honors College, 2745 S. Espina St., NMSU. Dwight T. Pitcaithley, former chief historian of the National Park Service, will talk in conjunction with a presentation of his new book, "The U.S. Constitution and Secession: A Documentary Anthology of Slavery and White Supremacy." The book will be available for purchase and signing by the author. Info: 646-2005.

**Mentor Mixer:** 5:30-7 p.m. Thursday, May 3, The Game, 2605 S. Espina. Big Brothers Big Sisters brings together current volunteer mentors ("Bigs") with other mentors, as well as with adults in the community who are considering becoming a Big Brother or Big Sister. Volunteers must be 18 years old, pass several background checks and an interview and be willing to spend a minimum of four to six hours per month with a child in need of a mentor. Info: 575-523-9530 or [DAG@bbbsmountainregion.org](mailto:DAG@bbbsmountainregion.org).

**Bead Society meets:** 6 p.m. Thursday, May 3, Western Traders, 1300 El Paseo Road. Info: 527-1470.

**Holloman open house:** 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, May 5, Holloman Air Force Base. This is the first open house since 2014. Info: 575-572-7381, [www.holloman.af.mil](http://www.holloman.af.mil) or [www.facebook.com/HollomanonFB](http://www.facebook.com/HollomanonFB).

**PFLAG Burrito Bash:** 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Saturday, May 5, Young Park, 850 S. Walnut St. Food will be provided by area sponsors, and events will include the return of shaving cream baseball.

Info and updates: [www.facebook.com/pflaglc](http://www.facebook.com/pflaglc) or on Twitter at @pflaglc.

**Lil' Sluggers registration:** 9 a.m.-noon, Saturdays, May 5 and 19, Meersheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave. New player registration in three divisions: T-ball, pre-K/K; T-ball, 1st/2nd; Coach Pitch, 3rd/4th. Cost: \$45 per player due at registration, includes game jersey. Info: 575-541-2563 or [athletics@las-cruces.org](mailto:athletics@las-cruces.org).

**Youth Volleyball registration:** 9 a.m.-noon, Saturday, May 5, Meersheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave. New player registration in three co-ed divisions: 3rd-grade clinic; 4th/5th-grade; 6th/7th/8th-grade. Cost: \$45 per player due at registration, includes game jersey; \$35 for returning players if no jersey is needed. Info: 575-541-2563 or [athletics@las-cruces.org](mailto:athletics@las-cruces.org).

**Orioles of N.M.:** 11 a.m. Saturday, May 5, Wild Birds Unlimited Nature Education Center, 2001 E. Lohman, Suite 130. Facts about the bright orange oriole including their behavior, migratory habits, identification, nesting behavior, how to attract them. Cost: Free. Info

and RSVP: 575-523-5489 or [wbulcnature@gmail.com](mailto:wbulcnature@gmail.com).

**Women voters reunion:** 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, May 5, Pioneer Women's Park. Las Cruces League of Women Voters celebrates its 50th anniversary with a reunion picnic. Cost: \$20 per person, prepayment required. Info: 575-524-VOTE (8683) or LWVGLC, P.O. Box 15142, Las Cruces, NM 88004.

**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: [www.Astro-NPO.org](http://www.Astro-NPO.org).

• Saturday, May 5: Rockhound State Park. Sunset: 7:54 p.m. Program Start: 9:05 p.m., Program End: 10:35 p.m. Moon is 20.4 days old. Orion is setting and Antares is rising. Presenter: Mike Nuss.

• Saturday, May 12: City of Rocks State Park. Sunset: 7:59 p.m. Program Start: 9:10 p.m., Program End: 10:40 p.m. Moon is 26.9 days old. Gemini is setting and Sagittarius is rising. Omega Centaurus is visible. Presenter: Bill Nigg.

**Academy open house:** 8:30-10 a.m. and 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 8, Las Cruces Academy, 1755 Avenida de Mesilla. Morning visitors can watch classes, talk with Head of School Dr. Lou Ellen Kay, and view the facilities. Afternoon visitors may speak with Dr. Kay and view the classrooms. LCA is a private school serving academically advanced or motivated students. Info: Kay 575-521-9384 or [lascrucesacademy.org](http://lascrucesacademy.org).

**Blazin' Brewfest:** 4-9 p.m. Friday, May 11, Plaza de Las Cruces. Eighteen New Mexico breweries will pour for this year's festival. Patrons receive a commemorative tasting glass. Music by Santa Fe's DJ Dmonic. Cost: \$15 in advance, \$20 at the gate. Info and tickets: [www.nmbeer.org](http://www.nmbeer.org) or in person at Bosque Brewing-Las

Cruces, High Desert Brewing, and Spotted Dog Brewery.

**Food drive:** Through May 11. Caliber Collision's 7th Annual Rhythm Restoration Food Drive seeks donations to help stock the shelves of the Road-runner Food Bank during the summer months when many children who typically rely on school lunches go hungry. To donate online: [CaliberDonations.com](http://CaliberDonations.com). To find the location for donations: [CaliberCollision.com](http://CaliberCollision.com).

**Feed the Animals:** 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, May 12, Tractor Supply, 1440 W. Picacho Ave. Las Cruces Chapter 20, Order of the Eastern Star, will collect pet food to donate to local shelters. Customers are asked to purchase an extra can, case or bag of food and drop it off at the OES table.

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## Local Democrats host three-day forum for candidates

### BULLETIN REPORT

Democratic candidates for county, regional and statewide office will be in Las Cruces for a three-day forum hosted by the Doña Ana Democratic Party.

It will be held Tuesday-Wednesday, May 1-2 and Wednesday, May 9 at Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. downtown.

All three forums will be 6-9 p.m.

Here is the schedule:

- Tuesday, May 1:

**Governor:** U.S. Rep. Michelle Lujan Grisham (Albuquerque), state Sen. Joseph Cervantes (Las Cruces), businessman Jeff Apodaca (Albuquerque);

**Lieutenant governor:** Doña Ana County Commissioner Billy Garrett (Las Cruces), state Sen. Howie Morales (Silver City), former state Rep. Rick Miera (Albuquerque);

**Public Regulation Commission, District 5:** incumbent Sandy Jones (Truth or Consequences), former state Sen. Steve Fischmann (Las Cruces);

**State Rep. District 34 (Doña Ana County):** incumbent Bill Gomez (La Mesa), Ray Lara (Anthony);

- Wednesday, May 2:

**U.S. representative, District 2:** Xochitl Torres Small (Las Cruces), Madeline Hildebrandt (Socorro);

**State auditor:** state Rep. Bill McCamley (Las Cruces), Brian Colon (Albuquerque);

**Land commissioner:**



Stephanie Garcia Richard (White Rock), Garrett Vaneklasen (Santa Fe), George Muñoz (Gallup);

**State Rep. District 33:**

Gueneveré McMahon, Micaela Cadena, Mary Martinez-White (all Las Cruces);

**State Rep. District 52:** incumbent Doreen Gallegos (Las Cruces), Jaime Gonzales Castillo (Anthony);

**State Rep. District 53:** Willie Madrid, Javier Gonzales (both Chaparral);

- Wednesday, May 9:

**Doña Ana County sheriff:** incumbent Henry "Kiki" Vigil, Carlos Preciado, Eddie Lerma and Kim Stewart (all Las Cruces), Larry Anthony Roybal (La Mesa);

**County assessor:** current Chief Deputy Assessor Paul Ponce, former county commissioner Leticia Duarte-Benavidez (both Las Cruces);

**County commission, District 1:** former county clerk Lynn Ellins, Arturo Uribe (both Las Cruces), Orlando Jimenez (La Mesa), Gene Alvarez (Mesilla), Antoinette Reyes (San Miguel);

**County commission, District 5:** former county commissioner Oscar Vasquez Butler, Karen Trujillo, Manuel Sanchez, Dickie Apodaca (all Las Cruces).



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DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER
MAY 3	<b>PROPAGATION OF TREES, SHRUBS AND ORNAMENTALS</b> Learn how to grow trees, primarily native and low water use shrubs, and edible ornamentals.	<b>Jeff Harvey,</b> <i>Sunland Wholesale Nursery</i>
MAY 10	<b>RAIN HARVESTING</b> Provide design information of landscaping features (plants, soil and rock) that will protect precious water resources that fall from the sky or flow across your property, and discuss new approaches to existing challenges that allow environmental stewardship.	<b>Van Clothier,</b> <i>Stream Dynamics</i> <b>Michael Gaglio,</b> <i>High Desert Native Plants</i>
MAY 17	<b>PESTS AND DISEASE: BUG'S IN YOUR LANDSCAPE? WHO'S WHO &amp; WHAT'S WHAT</b> Bugs - those that are beneficial and the ones that are problematic. Learn about pesticides and Best Management Practices.	<b>Dr. Carol Sutherland,</b> <i>NMSU Extension Entomologist</i>
MAY 24	<b>EVERYBODY SAY "TREES!"</b> Learn how often and how much to water your trees, what to look for when selecting trees, helpful planting tips, why MULCH is so important, and other sustainable gardening techniques.	<b>Dr. Marisa Thompson,</b> <i>NMSU Extension Horticulture Specialist</i>
MAY 31	<b>PRUNING WORKSHOP</b> Teach homeowners how to correctly prune trees and shrubs in the landscape. This is a hands-on pruning workshop held outside on the Branigan Library property. Dress for the weather and the activity.	<b>Les Finley,</b> <i>Certified Arborist</i>

For more information call 575-528-3549 or visit [www.las-cruces.org/WaterConservation](http://www.las-cruces.org/WaterConservation)



# Aggies Without Limits helps locally, internationally

By **MIKE COOK**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

In May, 35 New Mexico State University students will join 20 students Engineers for a Sustainable World from UTEP to build a suspension pedestrian bridge destroyed by Hurricane Maria in 2017 in the city of Utuado, Puerto Rico. The students will also install a solar panel grid to provide power to homes that have not had it since the hurricane.

The NMSU students are part of the nonprofit Aggies Without Limits (AWL), which was founded in 2007 and has completed major sustainable engineering projects in Las Cruces, Alamogordo and Anthony, and in Nicaragua, Bolivia and Mexico.

Internationally, its projects have included:

- Construction of a bridge in 2017 in El Potrero, Nicaragua, near the city of La Trinidad, where approximately 100 families make their living farming corn and beans on steep hillsides, according to the AWL website.

- Reconstruction of a community center in 2014 in Querétaro Mexico, which also serves as a primary school and health care facility, serving approximately 100 people.

- Construction of a pedestrian suspended bridge in Herrera Cancha, Bolivia, in 2012. AWL partnered with the nonprofit Bridges to Prosperity on the project. Before the bridge was built, residents

“were unable to cross the river five months out of the year due to heavy rainfall,” according to the website. The bridge will give more than 100 families in the area “easy access to education, access to healthcare facilities and a way for farmers to take their crops to the market in a nearby town.”

- AWL students also have worked with Foxhole Homes, an Alamogordo nonprofit, to help establish a community for homeless veterans.

- It has worked with the Mesilla Valley Community of Hope and Camp Hope tent city in Las Cruces

- It has partnered with the Colonias Development Council on a rainwater-harvesting project at the community center in Anthony.

AWL completes one local and one interna-

tional project each year.

“It’s not an everyday thing where you get to help others, learn about a different community and become part of that community,” said AWL President Adriana Erives Gonzalez. “To do one project, it takes a whole year of planning. Planning includes deciding on a project that will make an impact, budgeting, fundraising, designing, coordinating with the community and scheduling and constructing a project. This is done by the students with the help of professional engineers (our student organization’s advisers).

One of AWL’s major fundraising efforts is a team of up to 30 AWL students, called the Chain Gang, that is available to do yardwork, tree trimming, moving and other work, said Kenny Stevens of AWL at the March 13



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**Aggies Without Limits helped build a bridge in El Potrero, Nicaragua, in August 2017.**

meeting of the NMSU Pioneers.

AWL meets 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. every Thursday in NMSU’s Engineering Complex III, room 230.

The AWL office is EC III, room 283.

Learn more or donate at [aggieswithoutlimits.org](http://aggieswithoutlimits.org). For information, call 575-646-5499

or email Gonzales at [aerives@nmsu.edu](mailto:aerives@nmsu.edu).

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## IN THE NEWS

### Pool closed

Frenger Pool, 800 Parkview Drive, will be temporarily closed for repairs through May 4. The pool will reopen May 7.

During the closure, lap swimming will be available at the Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center, 1401 E. Hadley Ave., from 7:30-11:30 a.m. Monday-Friday, and 8-11:30 a.m. Saturday.

For information, call 575/541-2782.

### Tax notices

The Dona Ana County Treasurer's office has mailed second-half property tax notices. County Treasurer Eric L. Rodriguez reminds property owners that they have until the close of business on Thursday, May 10, to

pay their second-half property taxes before state-mandated interest and penalty begin to accumulate.

Rodriguez encourages taxpayers to mail payments or pay online to avoid waiting periods at the teller window.

"Our 'Go Green' initiative to implement electronic billing was a big success in 2017, and we hope to continue to build on that," Rodriguez said. Taxpayers still have the option to sign up for e-bills for the 2018 tax cycle, he said, adding that instructions are included in the billing mailer. Instructions also are available online at [www.donaanacounty.org/tax/](http://www.donaanacounty.org/tax/).

Tax payments also can be made in person during business hours or

mailed to the Treasurer's Office, 845 Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88005; or by phone, 575-647-7433. There is a nominal fee for this service.

Rodriguez says property owners who have not paid their taxes in full and did not receive reminders should immediately contact the Treasurer's Office at the above number.

### Colonia grant

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has awarded a grant of \$8.03 million and approved a loan of \$6.2 million, totaling more than \$14 million, for two unincorporated colonias in Doña Ana County, according to a joint announcement by New Mexico U.S. Senators Tom Udall and Martin

Heinrich.

The funding will help the Lower Rio Grande Public Water Works Authority to renovate the wastewater system that serves the residents of Mesquite and Brazito.

According to the announcement, the project will develop connections to the sewer system that will eliminate the use of septic tanks and reduce the possibility of groundwater pollution and contamination. The improvements will benefit the 1,088 residential and 20 commercial users within the two communities.

### Volunteer honored

The Community Action Agency of Southern New Mexico established a new award in honor of Larry Cottingham,

community volunteer, in recognition of his 11 years of service to the joint AARP-Community Action Agency free tax preparation program.

The Larry Cottingham Community Action Award was presented to Cottingham at an annual recognition luncheon for the volunteers who provided 4,300 hours to help CAASNMM prepare some 9,800 individual tax returns in 2018. "We are delighted that the award in honor of Larry will recognize exceptional service and dedication to our local community on an annual basis," said Dawn Z. Hommer, MBA, CCAP, and CEO of the organization.

Rodolfo Acosta-Pérez, Ph.D., director of Family Empowerment programs at the agency, noted that the free tax preparation program helped save Las Cruces \$1.2 million in tax preparation and anticipation loan costs, and generated \$4.2 million for the local economy. The program has been a joint initiative between the AARP Foundation and CAA for 11 years.

Community Action Agency of Southern New Mexico was established in 1964 and is one of the largest not-for-profit

health and social services providers in the community


### 'Teen Connection'

The City of Las Cruces Parks & Recreation Department is accepting registration for the 2018 Summer Teen Connection Program, June 4-Aug. 3. The program is open to teens entering grades 6-12 for the upcoming 2018/19 school year. The program will focus on the balance of learning and fun and will offer youth the opportunity to socialize, be constructive, recreate, and make lasting relationships within the community.

Program registration for "limited" remaining spots is through Friday, May 25, at the following locations during regular business hours:

- Fielder Memorial Safe Haven, 906 N. Tornillo St.
- Parks and Recreation Administrative Office, 1501 E. Hadley Ave.
- Frank O'Brien Papan Community Center, 304 Bell St.
- Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center, 1401 E. Hadley Ave.

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# Water-wise



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Joey Dominguez from the Las Cruces Parks and Recreation Department demonstrates how an irrigation bubbler works to 4th grade students at the 7th Annual Water Festival at Young Park on April 19. Johnny Valenzuela and Mike Molinar, also from the department, were on hand to show how other irrigation devices work and explain how the department employs water-saving practices.



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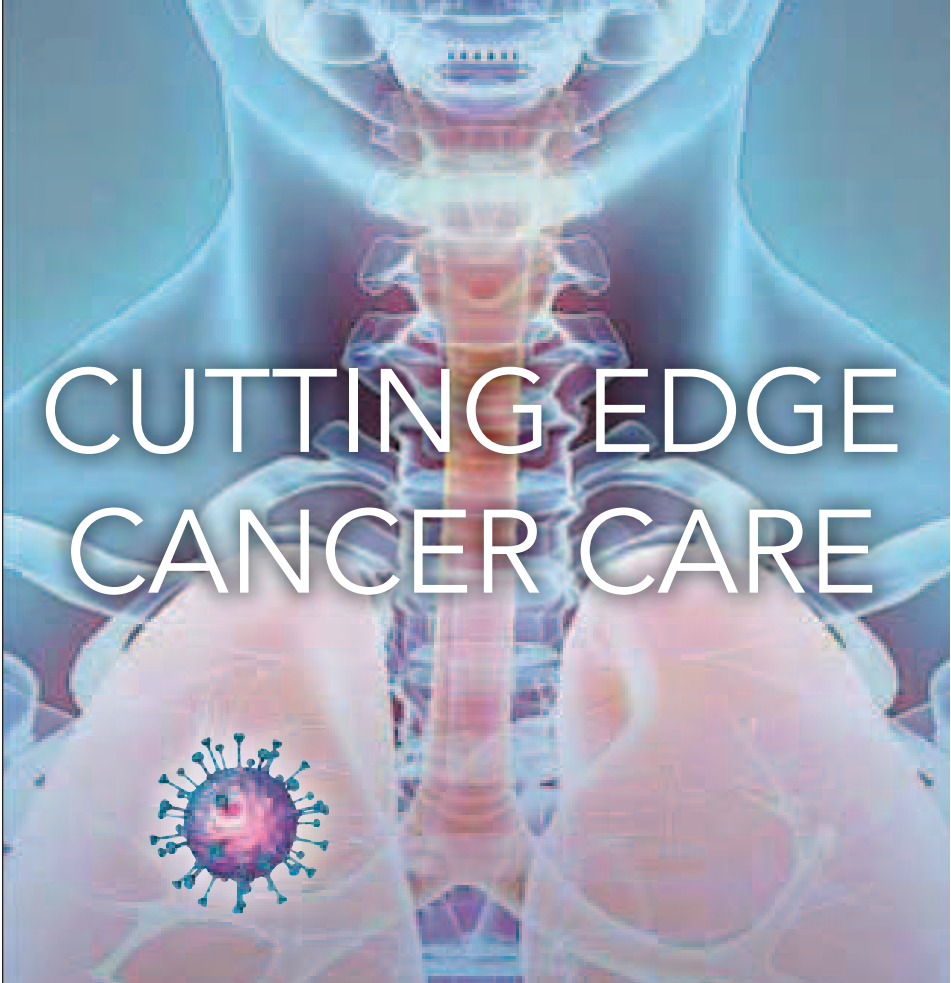
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• Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave.

The program is free and includes lunch and dinner daily. Field trips may have associated fees.

No telephone registrations will be accepted.

For more information, call 575-528-4253 or visit [www.las-cruces.org/en/departments/parks-and-recreation/youth-services/teenconnection](http://www.las-cruces.org/en/departments/parks-and-recreation/youth-services/teenconnection).

## Chancellor candidates

New Mexico State University is hosting the five finalists for NMSU's next chancellor. Each candi-

date is visiting separately, meeting with community and school stakeholders through May 5.

Candidate John D. Floros visited April 22-24 and Robert J. Marley is visiting until April 27.

Brian J. R. Stevenson will visit April 29-May 1 and will hold a public forum April 30, Dan Arivizu will visit May 1-3 and will hold a public forum May 2, and Barbara Damron will visit May 3-5 and will hold a public forum May 4.

Each public forum takes place from 3:15-4 p.m. at NMSU's Corbett Center Auditorium or East Ballroom. Faculty, staff, students, media and the

community are invited to each. The sessions, will be available via webcast at [panopto.nmsu.edu/chancellorsearch](http://panopto.nmsu.edu/chancellorsearch).

The final morning of each visit will include a formal interview with the NMSU Board of Regents.

## Drug take-back

Las Cruces police, the DEA and other law enforcement agencies are hosting a prescription drug take-back event from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, April 28, at numerous locations:

Walmart Supercenter, 3331 Rinconada Blvd.

Walmart Supercenter, 1550 S. Valley Drive

Walmart Neighborhood Market, 150 Sonoma Ranch Blvd.

Sam's Club, 2711 N. Telshor Blvd.

Branigan Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave.

Corbett Center Student Union, 1600 International Mall, NMSU

Dublin's Street Pub, 1745 E. University Ave.

Albertsons, 2551 E. Lohman Ave.

Elks Lodge, 3000 Elks Dr.

NM State Police, 4055 Sonoma Ranch Blvd.

Town of Mesilla, 2231 Avenida De Mesilla, Mesilla

Hatch Police Department, 5 Chile Capitol Ln., Hatch

Stire's Supermarket, 304 McCombs Rd., Chaparral

Anthony MVD, 820 NM 478, Anthony.

Residents are encouraged to drop off expired, unused or unwanted prescription drugs – in pills or patch forms – during the event. The DEA cannot accept liquids or needles during the take-back event. The service is free, anonymous with no questions asked.

Traditional methods of disposing unused medications, such as throwing them in the trash or flushing them down a toilet, can pose safety and health hazards.

## Top volunteer



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The New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum honored its volunteers at the annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner April 17. Mary Kay McDonald-Shelton was named Volunteer of the Year for accumulating the most hours during the past 12 months: 424. Mary Kay does weaving demonstrations and leads tours to see the animals on Wednesdays. The Museum has about 80 regular volunteers and is always recruiting more.

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# APRIL EVENTS

## APRIL 1

### Sunday Funday at the Plaza

Downtown Plaza de Las Cruces. 3 – 6pm. Free admission

## APRIL 1 – JULY 8

### Form & Function: Objects with Flair Exhibit

New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum

Mon – Sat 9am – 5pm, Sun 12 – 5pm. \$2 - 5. frhm.org

## APRIL 3

### Aggie Women's Softball Team vs. New Mexico

New Mexico State University. 5:30pm. nmstatesports.com

## APRIL 6

### Downtown Ramble

Downtown MainStreet. 5 – 8pm. Free. downtownlascruces.org

### Aggie Women's Softball Team vs. CSU Bakersfield

New Mexico State University. 6pm. nmstatesports.com

## APRIL 6 - 22

### Play: WAITLESS

Black Box Theatre. \$10-15. no-strings.org

## APRIL 7

### Aggie Women's Softball Team vs. CSU Bakersfield (DH)

New Mexico State University. 4 & 6pm. nmstatesports.com

### Original Crystals and Remember Then

Rio Grande Theatre. \$35. riograndetheatre.org

### Thomas Rhett: Life Changes Tour 2018

NMSU Pan American Center. 7pm

### Trinity Site Open House

White Sands Missile Range. Call for admission. 575-678-1134

## APRIL 7 & 8

### Classics 5: Sara Sant'Ambrogio, Cello

NMSU Atkins Music Recital Hall. Sat. 7:30 – 9:30pm, Sun. 3pm

\$35-40. lascrucessymphony.com

## APRIL 7 - 11

### Hamilton Lectures Series

DAAC Arts & Cultural Center. 11am – 1pm. \$50. daarts.org

## APRIL 8

### A Commemorative Ceremony to Honor the 76th Anniversary of Bataan Death March

Veterans Memorial Park. 4pm. 575-522-8900

## APRIL 10

### Why Quilts Matter: Episodes 1 & 2

Rio Grande Theatre. 3pm. Free admission. iograndetheatre.org

## APRIL 12

### Space Week – Close Encounters of the Third Kind

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

## APRIL 12 – 14

### Las Cruces Space Festival

A one-of-a-kind experience for space lovers. lcspacefestival.com

## APRIL 13

### Aggie Men's Baseball Team vs. Chicago State

New Mexico State University. 6:05pm. nmstatesports.com

### Space Week – The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy

Rio Grande Theatre. 7pm. riograndetheatre.org

## APRIL 13 - 15

### Play: An Enemy of the People

Las Cruces Community Theatre, 311 N. Main St. Free.

575-523-1200. lcctnm.org

## APRIL 14

### Great American Cleanup Las Cruces

8am - 12noon. 575-528-4506. las-cruces.org/KLCB

## APRIL 14

### Movie Classic Film: The Searchers

Rio Grande Theatre. 7:30pm. \$8. riograndetheatre.org

### Movie: Toy Story

Rio Grande Theatre. Noon. Free (Sponsored by Virgin Galactic

in honor of the Space Festival). riograndetheatre.org

### Aggie Men's Baseball Team vs. Chicago State

New Mexico State University. 2:05pm. nmstatesports.com

## APRIL 15

### Jewish Food & Folk Festival

Temple Beth-El, 3980 Sonoma Springs Ave. 11am - 3pm

\$3, food tickets sold separately. 575-524-3380.

### Aggie Men's Baseball Team vs. Chicago State

New Mexico State University. 12:05pm. nmstatesports.com

## APRIL 17

### Aggie Men's Baseball Team vs. Sul Ross State

New Mexico State University. 3:05pm. nmstatesports.com

## APRIL 21

### Reuse and Recycle Fashion Show

Downtown La Placita de Las Cruces. Noon – 1pm. 575-528-4506

### Earth Day Celebration

Plaza de Las Cruces. 9am-1pm. Free. 575-541-2777

## APRIL 22

### Mesilla Valley's Got Talent

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

## APRIL 24

### Lake Lucero Tours

White Sands National Monument. 9am. nps.gov/whsa

### Why Quilts Matter: Episodes 3 & 4

Rio Grande Theatre. 3pm. Free. riograndetheatre.org

## APRIL 27

### Aggie Women's Softball Team vs. Seattle U

New Mexico State University. 6pm. nmstatesports.com

### Movie: Purple Rain

Rio Grande Theatre. \$8. riograndetheatre.org

## APRIL 27 – 29

### Showcase of Homes

Various locations throughout the City of Las Cruces

575-526-6126. lascruceshomebuildersassociation.com

## APRIL 28

### Purple Madness Prince Tribute

Plaza de Las Cruces. 7pm. \$15. 575-541-2444. visitLasCruces.com

### 11th Annual Railroad Days

Las Cruces Railroad Museum. 10am – 2pm. lascruceres.org/museums

### British Car Show

Old Mesilla Plaza. 10am – 2pm. Free. 575-680-8333

### Aggie Women's Softball Team vs Seattle U

New Mexico State University. 4 & 6pm. nmstatesports.com

## APRIL 28 – 29

### La Viña Spring Wine Festival

La Viña Winery, 4201 S. Highway 28. Noon - 7pm

\$10-20, 12 & under free. lavinawinery.com

## APRIL 29

### 1st Annual Las Cruces United Heroes Run 5K/10K and Kid's Fun Run

Field of Dreams Stadium, 2501 Tashiro Rd. \$25-50. 7 – 11am

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## Chasing away the blues



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On a postcard-perfect spring afternoon, dancers react to the music of the 24/7 Blues Band Saturday, April 21, at St. Clair Winery and Bistro during the annual Red, White and Blues Festival. The Border All Stars and John Nemeth & The Blue Dreamers were also on the bill.

## Founders Day



BULLETIN PHOTO BY STEVE MACINTYRE

New Mexico State University Chancellor Garrey Carruthers greets former NMSU music director Dr. William Clark Friday morning, April 20, during Founders Day at Trader's Plaza. Dr. Clark was honored for his work at NMSU.



# Planning ahead



BULLETIN PHOTO BY MIKE COOK

Left to right at the City of Las Cruces Arts and Culture District plan open house Saturday morning, April 21 at Rio Grande Theatre are David Chavez of the Arts and Culture District coordinating council, Beck's Roasting House and Creamy owner Arianna Parsons and son, Thomas, city Economic Development Department Economic Development Specialist Armando Morales and City Art Board President Rebecca Courtney.

A first draft of the plan is available for public comment through May 25 at [www.las-cruces.org/departments/economic-development/main-street-downtown](http://www.las-cruces.org/departments/economic-development/main-street-downtown). The plan, drafted with input from the artists, business owners and community members, is expected to positively impact economic development and tourism in downtown Las Cruces.

The Las Cruces City Council will discuss the plan at its May 14 work session and is expected to vote on its adoption in June.



## CITY INFORMATION SERVICES SURVEY



The City of Las Cruces utilizes a variety of methods to communicate news and information to the public about City Council actions, and projects such as road improvements, entertainment opportunities, and recreational activities, and wants to hear from residents about the effectiveness of those efforts.

The City invites residents to take a short survey in English or Spanish that will provide information about the effectiveness of its public information efforts.

Those who participate will remain anonymous.

The survey is available online at [www.las-cruces.org/informationssurvey](http://www.las-cruces.org/informationssurvey), and hard copies are located at City Hall, 700 N. Main St., Branigan Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. and Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St.

Deadline to take the survey is Friday, May 4, 2018.

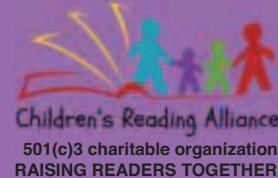


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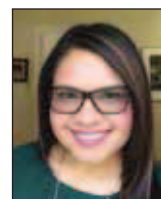
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The recipients of the spring 2018 Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico Devasthali Grant, along with donor Ammu Devasthali (in front, third from left).

## Nonprofits profit from grant

Community programs supporting the arts, education, child hunger, and maternal/child well-being are important for southern New Mexico. Recently, six nonprofit organizations providing programs and services in these areas received \$21,000 from the Devasthali Family Foundation Fund Grant housed at the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico (CFSNM.)

Nonprofit recipients of the spring 2018 grant are: Casa de Peregrinos for the Children's Summer Food Program; Children's Reading Alliance for the Summer Book Buddies Program; Doña Ana Arts Council for the Promoting Student Success Through Arts Education Program; Mimbres Region Arts Council for the Casas de Arte/Pop Up Art Centres project; NMSU Foundation for the Las Cruces International Film Festival; and NMSU's University



**APRIL ANAYA**

Community  
Foundation of  
Southern New  
Mexico

Art Gallery for the Superbloom art exhibit.

The fund, established by Dr. Rama and Ammu Devasthali, was created in 2011 as a donor-advised fund to support grant making for nonprofit organizations making

an impact in our region. While the fund has evolved throughout the years, the current grant cycle opens in the spring and fall to give nonprofits additional opportunities for funding.

"We are most impressed with the fact that nonprofit organizations have been able to count on this type of grant funding to help supplement summer programs for children and the arts," said donor and local philanthropist, Ammu Devasthali. "By showcasing a history of funding for nonprofits, we hope to instill confidence in other funders so that they too feel that these programs are worth supporting."

The spring Devasthali grant funds come at a crucial time for nonprofit organizations. "Motivating all children to read and providing books to children who have none are Children's Reading Alliance's immediate goals as spring turns to summer," said Rorie Measure, Board President of the Children's Reading Alliance. "After providing 9,000 books last summer, CRA's inventory is currently quite low, so the Devasthali grant helps us replenish this supply so we can support the next generation of readers."

The fall cycle of the Devasthali Family Foundation Fund at the CFSNM will open on June 1 and close Aug. 1. Nonprofit organizations not receiving funding in spring 2018 are encouraged to apply. For more information, please contact April Anaya at 575-521-4794 or [april@cfsnm.org](mailto:april@cfsnm.org).

*April Anaya is the Director of Development for the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico.*



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## 2018 SUMMER CAMPS

### CITY OF LAS CRUCES

Register for City of Las Cruces programs at the following locations: Parks & Recreation Administration Office, Frank O' Brien Papen Community Center, Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center, Meerscheidt Recreation Center. Info: 575-541-2550.

### Gymnastics and tumbling classes

**Session 1:** May 7-31; **Session II:** June 4-28; **Session III:** July 9-Aug. 2. A parent must be present with children during all class times. No unattended children are allowed in the facility or park area. Each session will consist of eight classes, held at East Mesa Recreation Center, 5589 Porter Drive. Register online at [www.las-cruces.org/play](http://www.las-cruces.org/play). No telephone registrations accepted. Info: 575-541-2455.

• **Parent & Me Gymnastics:** For beginners, ages 3-5,

3-4 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays or Tuesdays and Thursdays. For beginners. \$30 per person per session.

• **Intermediate Gymnastics:** Ages 6-12, 4:15-5:15 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays or Tuesdays and Thursdays. For those who have completed beginner classes. \$30 per person per session.

• **Advanced Gymnastics:** Ages 6-12, 5:30-7 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays. For those who have completed the intermediate classes. \$45 per person per session.

• **Tumbling:** Ages 8 and up, 5:30-7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. \$45 per person per session.

### Summer Recreation Program

Parks & Recreation Department is accepting lottery registration applications through Saturday, April 28 for its summer recreation program during regular

business hours. Determined by lottery selection only. Selected participants will be notified Tuesday, May 8 by email or text. Postings of winning lottery numbers will be posted at the registration locations listed above and at [www.las-cruces.org/summer-recreation](http://www.las-cruces.org/summer-recreation). Payments received May 8-May 19 at one of the registration locations or online at [www.las-cruces.org/play](http://www.las-cruces.org/play). Any slots that have not been paid for will be open to the public Monday, May 21 on a first come, first served basis at the Parks and Rec office.

**Session I:** June 4-29; **Session II:** July 2-Aug. 3 (no program Wednesday, July 4). 8 a.m.-5 p.m., \$200 per child per session, for grades K-6. Held at Camino Real Middle School, Picacho Middle School and Zia Middle School.

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## 3 Things That Surprisingly Won't Help To Ease Your Shoulder Pain



**Las Cruces (NM) -** By Leading Physical Therapist, Dennis L Prickett

Are you or a loved one suffering with, or have you suffered with shoulder pain? Have you experienced the sudden onset of shoulder pain and stiffness? The one that often creeps up on people with no warning and often with no explanation? It's one of those great mysteries of being 50+ and sometimes it just happens. I've had a number of patients come to see me and say very similar things. They just woke up one morning with pain in their neck and shoulder and they thought it would go away on its own but it still hasn't. Or that at first their shoulder just felt stiff when they woke up and they didn't think much of it. However, after a few days their shoulder has become tighter and is now interfering with their day.

It's something that happens to a lot of people, especially without warning. So people often try a number of different options before coming to see me when they're looking for some way to end their shoulder pain. It's normally one of three things they try;

1. **Painkillers**
2. **Rest and time**
3. **'Nice' relaxing spa-style massages**

Do those options sound familiar? Maybe you haven't tried all of them, but most people will have tried at least one of them. But none of them work. In the long run, they never work, especially not like those people who try them out hope they will. Here's why they don't work:

**Painkillers** - The problem with painkillers is that they might ease your pain for an hour or so, but that's about it. They never actually get rid of your pain, they only mask it. Not only that, but they don't get to the root cause of your painful shoulder. Once they start to wear off and you start to feel the ache and stiffness come back, you reach for a few more to mask it again. The problem is still there and you're left frustrated and with a very tight muscle or a stiff shoulder. They don't solve the problem.

**Rest and time** - This is one of the mistakes that a lot of people make when it comes to pain. Many people think that if they rest their shoulder and keep it immobilized for a few days, the pain will go away

and they will be fine again. Wrong. The more you rest it, the tighter your muscles become and the more stiff your joints become too. Imagine leaving your car sitting on the driveway for a few months, when you try to drive it again, it's very unlikely that it will feel as smooth as it used to straight away. Your joints and muscles are designed to move and your body gets stronger the more you keep it active. Which is why it's crucial that you keep your shoulder joints moving to reduce stiffness and to help it feel more relaxed. So you can freely begin to move without pain again.

**'Nice' relaxing spa-style massages** - These might feel lovely, but these types of massages will never work. It's definitely not the massage therapists fault! They aren't trained to get to the root cause of your problem which means that the pressure they apply to your muscles will never be 'quite right'. They say they can feel 'knots' in your shoulder. They're probably right. But that's because every person over the age of 45 has knots and tension in their shoulders. In fact, most people do, regardless of their age. It's not always an issue, or even the source of your pain. This is where we can help.

We will never recommend dosing up on painkillers, even if your pain hasn't gone after 5 days. It's just not the way we do things. We know, and now you do too, that painkillers just mask the pain. What we will do, is give you a personalized set of exercises. These exercises will be done safely when we know that you're ready for them.

Remember earlier I said that "this is where we can help" when it comes to those 'nice' relaxing spa-style massages? Well, the massages that we can do for you are done with expert hands that are trained to know exactly where, when and how much pressure to apply to the problem area. We want to help you get back to being active and on the go as quickly as we can, without painkillers, resting or getting a spa-style massage. If you have any questions about your specific shoulder pain, please feel free to call us on (575) 525-2450 or email us at [biz@atriumpt.com](mailto:biz@atriumpt.com)

■ The author, Dennis Prickett is a Physical Therapist and co-owner of Atrium Physical Therapy. He's more than happy to answer any questions by phone on (575) 525-2450 or by email at [biz@atriumpt.com](mailto:biz@atriumpt.com)

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### Lil' Sluggers T-Ball and Coach Pitch League

New-player registration will be held 9 a.m.-noon Saturdays, May 5 and 19 at Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave. \$45 per player, which includes a game jersey. Payment is due at time of registration. Divisions offered are T-ball for pre-kindergarten and kindergarten students, T-ball for first- and second graders and coach pitch for third- and fourth graders. Info: 575-541-2563.

### Youth Volleyball League

Begins Tuesday, June 5. Registration is 9 a.m.-noon from Saturday, May 5 until full at Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave. \$45 per individual, which includes a game jersey, or (\$35 for returning players if no jersey is needed. Payment is due at the time of registration. Divisions offered (all are co-ed) are third-grade clinic; fourth- and fifth grade; and sixth, seventh and eighth grade. Fourth- and fifth-grade and sixth-, seventh- and eighth-grade divisions will play Tuesdays and Thursdays, June 5-28. Third-grade volleyball, in

a clinic format of lessons and instructional play, will be Wednesdays, June 6-27. All participants must have a Parks and Rec activity ID card. For a child to obtain an ID card, a parent or guardian, along with the child, must appear in person at Meerscheidt Recreation, 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday-Friday and 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays. Proof of the child's age and grade level are required. All necessary documentation must be submitted for individual players and returning teams during the registration dates before they can be scheduled for league play. Info: 575-541-

2563 or email at [athletics@las-cruces.org](mailto:athletics@las-cruces.org).

### Youth Mural Arts Program

Free for grades 7-12 and all levels of artistic ability. Participants will become part of a skilled team capable of producing high-quality public art. Projects will be mostly outdoors with some indoor studio time. Enrollment is open throughout the year. Register at Frank O'Brien Papen Center, 304 W. Bell Ave., 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday. Eight-week sessions and meets 10 a.m.-3 p.m. every Saturday beginning May 5. Limited to 10 participants session. Info: 575-541-2554.

### LAS CRUCES MUSEUMS

Pre-registration is required for museum summer camps. Register in person at the Museum of Nature & Science, 411 N. Main St. downtown, Tuesdays-Saturdays, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Info: [www.las-cruces.org](http://www.las-cruces.org)

**Museum of Nature & Science**, 411 N. Main St.

• **Master of the Catwalk:** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday-Friday, June 4-8. \$90. Grades 6-8. Explore engineering



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concepts behind bridge building as you learn the basics of bridge structure and design, take a field trip to the New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum's historic bridge and compete in a design challenge to build a bridge strong enough to hold a 5-pound weight.

• **Crash Test Cars:** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday-Friday,

June 11 - 15. \$70. Grades 3-5. Build a crash test car and keep a crash test dummy (an egg) safe. Discover ways to make cars safer and more durable.

• **Mad Science Lab:** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday-Friday, June 18-22. \$60. Grades 1-2. Explore the worlds of physics and

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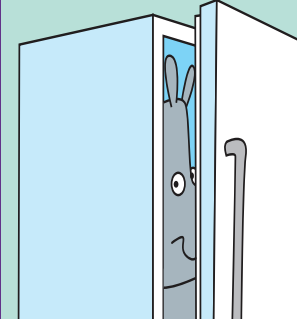
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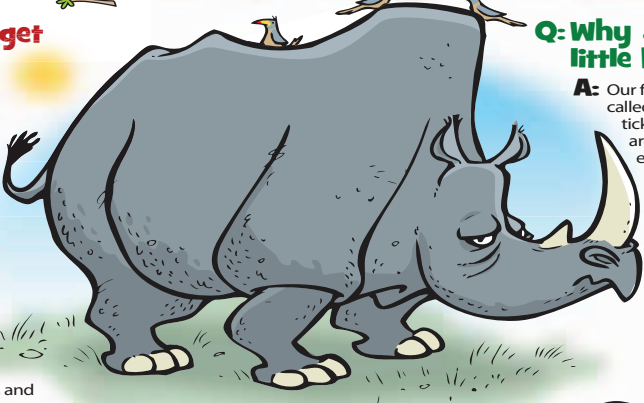
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**Q: How did you get your name?**

**A:** We get our name from our most famous body part — our horns. The word *rhinoceros* comes from the Greek *rhino* (nose) and *ceros* (horn).



**Q: Why are all those little birds on you?**

**A:** Our fine feathered friends are called **oxpeckers**. They eat ticks and bugs crawling around our skin, ears and eyes. Such a relief!

**Q: Why do you roll around in mud?**

**A:** Our skin may look tough, but it's actually very sensitive. We can suffer from sunburn. And insects like to bite us, and that really **bugs** us. So, we cover our skin in mud for protection. Plus, that cool mud feels so good on hot days!

**Q: Sometimes you charge into trees and boulders. Why?**

**A:** Because our eyesight is not very good, we've been seen charging at boulders or trees that we mistake as attackers. This gave us a reputation for having a bad temper, but we don't really!

**Q: What do rhinos eat?**

**A:** We use our horns to dig up roots and break branches, not for fighting. We are

**Q: How big are baby rhinos?**

**A:** Rhinos give birth to one calf at a time, which weighs over 100 pounds!

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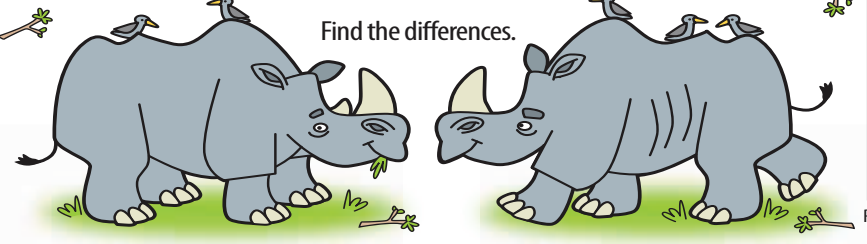


**Q: What's with your ears?**

**A:** While our eyesight is poor, we have excellent hearing! Our ears can move independent of each other. When one is tilted forward, the other can be directed backward. Or both may perk straight up when we hear an interesting sound.

**Q: Do you have two horns?**

**A:** There are five kinds of rhinos: black, white, Sumatran, Javan, and Indian. Javan and Indian rhinos have only one horn. Sumatran, black and white rhinos have two.



**Extra! Extra!**  
**Count the Noses**

Look through today's newspaper and count all the noses you can see. Group the noses into groups such as "people noses" and "animal noses." Can you come up with other groups of noses?

**Standards Link:** Research: Use the newspaper to locate information.  
Rhinos love to munch branches. How many can you find?

### Kid Scoop Puzzler

You've heard of a pride of lions and a herd of cattle. But some groups of animals have really funny names. Do the math to discover the answers.

A \_\_\_\_\_ of sharks.  $17 + 2 + 5$

A \_\_\_\_\_ of lobsters.  $15 + 5 + 2$

A \_\_\_\_\_ of crows.  $12 + 6 + 2$

A \_\_\_\_\_ of rhinos.  $7 + 7 + 7$

A \_\_\_\_\_ of frogs.  $12 + 9 + 2$

22 = RISK 23 = ARMY 21 = CRASH 24 = SHIVER 20 = MURDER

**Standards Link:** Math: Addition. Follow simple written directions.

### Kid Scoop Word Search

**RHINOCEROS** Find the words by looking up, down, backwards, forwards, sideways and diagonally.

E	S	C	E	R	O	S	N	W	S
V	V	N	A	V	A	J	E	H	U
I	F	T	R	H	I	E	P	I	M
T	H	L	S	U	K	F	A	T	A
I	N	O	A	R	B	H	L	E	T
S	O	R	E	C	O	N	I	H	R
N	N	P	V	R	I	I	U	R	A
E	O	N	N	K	M	E	N	S	T
S	N	S	S	O	U	N	D	O	W

**Standards Link:** Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

### FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

#### Photo Clue Game

Play this game with a partner. One partner picks a photo from the newspaper and gives the other partner clues until he or she can identify which photo was selected.

**Standards Link:** Research: Use the newspaper to locate information.

#### Write On!

#### Fiesta Time

Fiesta is how you say festival in Spanish. Pretend you are in charge of a festival. What will people do? What will they eat?

### Kid Scoop Together:

#### Replace the Missing Words

PAINTINGS LONG  
EXISTED HUNTING  
ANCESTORS MILLION  
MAMMAL CHANCE  
SHAGGY

Rhinos have been around for a very \_\_\_\_\_ time. Some scientists say they have been around for more than 50 \_\_\_\_\_ years!

Early rhinos had thick, \_\_\_\_\_ coats. Pictures of rhinos have been found in 30,000-year-old cave \_\_\_\_\_

One of the rhino \_\_\_\_\_

called the *paraceratherium*, was 25 feet (7.6 meters) long and 18 feet (5.5 meters) high at the shoulder. It is regarded as the largest land \_\_\_\_\_ ever known.

Over the years, close to 100 rhinoceros species \_\_\_\_\_

Today, only five species continue the line: two native to Africa and three native to Asia. And due to over hunting, three of those five species of rhinoceros are now Critically Endangered. That means they have a 50% \_\_\_\_\_ of becoming extinct.

The main reason they are endangered is illegal \_\_\_\_\_ . Some people think rhino horns can cure illnesses, but there is no evidence of that.

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engineering, take a closer look at molecules and chemical reactions and use your own science creations with daily experiments and science challenges.

• **Paper Roller Coasters:**

9 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday-Friday, July 9-13. \$70. Grades 3-5. Engineer a roller coaster and learn the exciting physics behind an all-time favorite at amusement parks.

• **Put a Spark in It:** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday-Friday, July 16-20. \$60. Grades 1-2. Explore circuits and how they work through hands-on experiments and activities.

**Branigan Cultural Center,**  
501 N. Main St.

• **Stained Glass:** 1:30-4 p.m. Monday-Friday,

June 11-15. \$40. Grades 3-5. Explore stained glass-making in northern European and Africa. Students will create art pieces out of transparency film.

• **Spanish Art:** 1:30-4 p.m. Monday-Friday, June 25-29. \$40. Grades 3-5. Learn about molas, mosaics, tin punch art and papel picado. Kids will create their own art pieces every day.

• **Watercolor:** 1:30-4 p.m. Monday-Friday. \$40. Grades 3-5. Learn about different styles of watercolor painting like abstract, portraits and minimalist landscapes. Each day will focus on a different artist. Students will be invited to try the style of watercolor presented that day.

• **Pottery Through the Ages:** 1:30-4 p.m. Monday-Friday, July 23-27. \$40. Grades 3-5. Explore

ceramics from Greece, Rome, Mimbres, Hopi, Japan, China, Thailand and Russia. Students will paint a ceramic piece in the style of one of the cultures they have learned about that day.

**Museum of Nature & Science,** 411 N. Main St.

• **GSK Science in the Summer, Science of Space:** Tuesday-Friday, June 5-Aug. 10. Free. Four-part, hands-on science program for children entering grades 2-6. Administered by the Franklin Institute and performed by the Museum of Nature & Science. Registration required. 1:30-2 p.m. for Level 1 (children entering second and third grades), 3-4 p.m. for Level 2 (children entering fourth-six grades). Students will explore the sun's energy, the phases

of the moon, human survival in space and how rockets overcome Earth's gravity. Want to participate in this program but can't get to the museum? Museum staff can come to your camp, after school program, daycare or other out-of-school program to present it for free. Info: 575-532-3372.

### NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY

**Theatre Academy Camp:** Overnight camp, June 10-15 on campus, introducing children ages 13-17 to a variety of performance skills, including stage voice, monologue and scene study, character development, stage movement, improvisation and stage combat. Participants will audition for a June 15 presentation. Due to a grant from the William

H. and Mattie Wattis Harris Foundation, registration for this initial year is subsidized and will be \$45 per student, which includes housing, all meals, daily classes and the final presentation. Info: NMSU Theatre Arts Department Head Wil Kilroy at [wkilroy@nmsu.edu](mailto:wkilroy@nmsu.edu).

**Rec-Sports Camp:** Registration is in room 101 of the James B. Delamater Activity Center, 1572 Stewart St. For boys and girls ages 5-14. Week-long sessions begin June 11 and continue through Aug. 3. (No camp during the week of July 4.) \$140 per week. Includes lunch at Taos Restaurant in nearby Corbett Center. Pre-camp: 7:30-9 a.m., \$40. Post-camp: 3-5:30 p.m., \$65. The camp provides a sports and development experience

as participants develop a wide variety of fundamental physical-activity skills, so they can enjoy a healthy lifestyle and a lifetime of physical fitness. Visit [recsports.nmsu.edu/sportscamp-2](http://recsports.nmsu.edu/sportscamp-2). Info: 575-646-2885 or email [aggiefit@nmsu.edu](mailto:aggiefit@nmsu.edu) or Marcus Moser at [mos34@nmsu.edu](mailto:mos34@nmsu.edu).

**Young Women in Computing (YWiC) Summer Camps:** All YWiC summer camps are free and held at NMSU Science Hall, 1290 Frenger Mall. Registration is open until May 31 or until filled. Includes lunch, materials and supplies. Apply at [www.cs.nmsu.edu/wp/outreach/summercamps](http://www.cs.nmsu.edu/wp/outreach/summercamps) or [ywic.nmsu.edu/ywic-summercamps](http://ywic.nmsu.edu/ywic-summercamps). Info: Clara Graham. 575-646-4451, [cgraham@cs.nmsu.edu](mailto:cgraham@cs.nmsu.edu).

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**YWiC for high school women:** Open to 30 high school women who are new to YWiC summer intensives. 1-4:30 p.m. June 4-15. Participants explore computer science through fun builds and will learn to code. This is not an introduction to computers camp, but a walk with programming, computational thinking and new technologies. Young women will explore Arduino microprocessors using Lilypads, learn Python and explore Cybersecurity and Encryption.

**YWiC alum camp for high school:** Open to 30 high school women who have previously participated in a YWiC high school summer program and

want to explore Computer Science on a self-guided tour. Three one-week sessions, all are 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m. June 4-8, 11-15 and 18-22. Participants are welcome to sign up for one, two or all three sessions. Participants will have access to computers, building components, robotic kits, instructors, classrooms, labs and faculty members who will walk with you as you take the lead and turn your ideas into completed projects.

**YWiC Summer Camp for middle school past participants:** Open to girls who will be in seventh- and eighth grade in fall 2018 who have previously completed a YWiC summer intensive. 1-4:30 p.m., Monday, July 9-Friday, July 20. Computer Science projects will include using Galileo boards, Cy-

berSecurity, Encryption and Pencil Code.

**YWiC summer camp for middle school girls:** (Registration is full; visit website below for the waiting list.)

**CS Adventures Camp:** Computer camp open to 30 male and female high school students. 1-4:30 p.m., June 18-29. Free. NMSU Science Hall, 1305 Frenger St. Registration open until May 31 or until filled. Explore Arduino microprocessors, Galileo development boards and Smart Grid technologies; learn Python, C and more. Acceptance will be based on answers provided on the application, the availability of the applicant to participate in the full two weeks and targeted regional, gender and age distributions. Info: Raena Cota, 575-

646-6365, gk12@cs.nmsu.edu. Visit [www.cs.nmsu.edu/wp/outreach/summercamps](http://www.cs.nmsu.edu/wp/outreach/summercamps).

**Verizon Innovative Learning Summer Camp for Boys:** Open to 100 boys who will be in sixth-, seventh- and eighth grade in fall 2018. Camp includes lunch, materials and supplies, plus chances to win technology prizes and more. Free. 9 a.m.-3 p.m., July 9-27, NMSU Science Hall, 1305 Frenger St. Hosted by the NMSU Computer Science Department. Registration is open until May 31 or until filled. Visit [www.cs.nmsu.edu/wp/outreach/summercamps](http://www.cs.nmsu.edu/wp/outreach/summercamps). Camp puts technology into students' hands and give them experience solving real-world problems. Participants will be taught to think like entrepreneurs and develop skills needed for success

in jobs of the future. Each student will utilize Android devices to build projects, design apps and create innovative solutions to social issues.


**Math Snacks Camp:** Open to students entering fifth- and sixth grade in fall 2018, the camp has students test new video games and materials developed at NMSU that teach early algebra concepts. They will meet video-game designers and learn math in a new

way. 8:30 a.m.-noon, June 18-22, O'Donnell Hall. \$10. Registration is open. Info: Valeria Aguirre Holguin, [vah@nmsu.edu](mailto:vah@nmsu.edu).

**A Girls' Tech Camp:** Girlhood Remixed will be offered through the NMSU English Department's Borderlands Writing Project. For girls grades 5-8. June 25-29. Fee is \$50. Info: Patti Wojahn, [pwojahn@nmsu.edu](mailto:pwojahn@nmsu.edu).


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Applications can be picked up at the City Clerk's office inside City Hall at 700 N. Main St., or accessed online at: <http://www.las-cruces.org/departments/city-clerks-office/boards-commissions-and-committees>.

For more information, contact the City Clerk's Office at (575) 541-2115. The TTY number is (575) 541-2182.  
[www.las-cruces.org](http://www.las-cruces.org)

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**NMSU STEM Outreach Center Summer Camps:** Camps are for students who have completed fifth grade up to those who have completed eighth grade. Limited to 25 students. Students can only participate in one camp. Free. Held at the STEM Learning Lab at the Forman Engineering Building in room 213. 8:30 a.m.-noon and 1-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday. Visit [stem.nmsu.edu/summer-camp](http://stem.nmsu.edu/summer-camp) to register. Info: 575-646-2604.

• **Harry Potter Summer Camp:** June 4-8, explore science and math with hands-on activities that correspond with themes throughout the Harry Potter books.

• **Graphic Novel Engineering Summer Camp:** June

11-15, explore science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics with hands-on activities.

• **Drones for Beginners:** June 18-22, learn about UAS (unmanned aerial systems), including drones, the science of flight and coding, and engineer and test fly drones.

• **Drones for Advanced Flyers:** Develop your skills as an advanced pilot and learn more about the science behind flying through hands-on projects, building and flying drones and conducting flight simulations in the new tech center. This camp is only open to those students that participated during summer 2017 Drone summer camps.

• **Junior Golf Camps:** The NMSU golf course hosts instructional program-

ming led by professional staff and golf management students that is age and ability specific. Camps will run for two hours Monday-Thursday, dates TBA. \$80. Visit [golf.nmsu.edu](http://golf.nmsu.edu). Call 575-646-3219.

### FARM & RANCH HERITAGE MUSEUM

Register for the camps at 4100 Dripping Springs Road or online at [friendsonfarmmandranchmuseum.com](http://friendsonfarmmandranchmuseum.com). Info: LuAnn Kilday at 575-522-4100 or [luannr.kilday@state.nm.us](mailto:luannr.kilday@state.nm.us). Participants should bring a lunch each day for camps longer than two hours.

• **Farm Animal Friends:** 10 a.m.-noon, June 5-7, ages 5-8, \$25 for members, \$30 for non-members. Children are invited to meet the animals that live at the museum as they learn about beef

cows, dairy cows, sheep and ponies. Each day will include story time and a craft. Deadline: June 1.

• **Gardening Fun:** 10 a.m.-noon, June 12-14, ages 5-8; \$35 for members, \$40 for non-members; Come get your hands dirty and learn all about gardening. Participants will go on a scavenger hunt in the museum greenhouse, make compost and plant their own seeds to take home and watch grow. Deadline: June 8.

• **Green Thumb Greenhouse:** 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., June 19-21, ages 9-12; \$35 for members, \$40 for non-members. Learn about plants, soils and gardening as you get to know plants in the museum greenhouse, test soils and plant your own seeds and starts and build a mini-greenhouse. Deadline: June 15.

• **Can You Dig It?** 9:30

a.m.-12:30 p.m., June 26-28, ages 9-12; \$35 for members, \$40 for non-members. Explore the past as you excavate a dig site looking for artifacts and explore the ways in which archeologists learn about ancient people. Deadline: June 22.

• **Learning about Nature:** 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m., July 17-19, ages 8-12; \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members; bring a lunch every day. Deadline: July 13. Learn about the wild-life and plants around the museum. Participants will go on hikes, conduct daily weather monitoring, dissect owl pellets and create recyclable art. Deadline: July 13.

• **Wool Creations:** 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., July 24-26, ages 8-12; \$35 for members, \$40 for non-members. Learn the history of Navajo Churro

sheep and how to process wool. Learn basic skills for carding, felting, spinning and weaving. Deadline: July 20.

### AROUND TOWN

• **Sonoma Ranch Summer Junior Golf Camps:** 8-9:30 a.m., June 4-7 and 18-21 and July 9-12, 16-19 and 23-26, Sonoma Ranch Golf Course, 1274 Golf Club Road, ages 6-13, \$60 per session. Register: 575-521-1818, [eeilers@pga.com](mailto:eeilers@pga.com), [www.sonomaranchgolf.com/juniors](http://www.sonomaranchgolf.com/juniors).

• **Doña Ana Arts Council:** Register at 575-523-6403 or email [development@daarts.org](mailto:development@daarts.org). Visit [daarts.org](http://daarts.org). 1740 Calle de Mercado. Enroll by Friday, May 25 or until all 40 slots are filled. Teach recommendation is required to apply.

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**Career Art Path:** 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. June 11-22, Alma d'arte Charter High School, 402 W. Court Ave, grades 5-8, student art show will be June 22, \$100, partial scholarships available. Two-week immersion program in ceramics, painting, sculpture, textiles, jewelry and printmaking. Students take field trips to local galleries, museums and businesses to explore career avenues available in the arts. The program culminates with an art show of students' art work.

**Opera Storytellers Camp:** 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., June 18-29, Centennial High School, 1950 Sonoma Ranch Blvd. Grades 3-12. Limit 30 students. Use elements of opera to compose and perform their own musical drama based on the Hero's Journey. Performance is June 29. \$300 per student.

**Missoula Children's Theatre:** July 9-13, Oñate High School, 5700 Mesa Grande Drive. Grades 1-12. "Peter and Wendy." Tryouts are 10 a.m.-noon, July 9, with pre-registra-

tion at 9:45 a.m. Rehearsals will be 10 a.m.-noon and 12:30-2:30 p.m. each day, but not all actors must attend all rehearsals. Performances will be 7 p.m. Friday, July 13 and 10 a.m. Saturday, July 14. \$60 due when cast. Siblings can register for \$20 each. Partial scholarships are available.

**Cruces Gymnastics Academy:** Campers must be 5-12 years old and must bring their own lunch. \$130 registration fee. Sign up by May 1 for \$15 off. 601 E. Española St. Register: 575-527-9113 or [www.crucesgymnasticsacademy.net](http://www.crucesgymnasticsacademy.net).

**Wizards Week (Featuring Harry Potter):** June 11-15. Crafts and games will focus on all things magical and opportunities to learn, improve gymnastics skills.

**Arctic Week:** June 25-29. Kids will burn off energy playing freeze tag, building an arctic habitat and having a snowball fight. They will make paper snowflakes, polar bear masks and snowy owls.

**Olympics Week:** July 9-13. Kids will participate in their very own

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Children explored their imaginations during the 2017 Doña Ana Arts Council summer camp.

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Olympic-themed contests throughout the week, interspersed with crafts, other games and opportunities to learn and im-

prove gymnastics skills.

**Mission Impossible:** July 23-27. Your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to have a fun-filled week of spy-themed activities. In between sessions of gymnastics instruction, your kids

will also get to navigate a "laser maze" and practice their spy skills.

**Gym Magic:** All camps are 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 2341 Entrada Del Sol, ages 6-12, \$54 for one day, \$108 for two days, \$162 for three

days, \$194 for five days, 15 percent sibling discount available. Post camps available. Register: [www.gymmagic.com](http://www.gymmagic.com)

• **Passport 2 Fun:** May 29-June 1, includes a field trip to Western Playland;

• **Beach Blast:** June 4-8,

field trip to White Sands National Monument;

• **Jedi Academy,** June 11-15, field trip to Alamogordo Space Museum;

• **Nerf Academy,** June 18-22, field trip to 10 Pin Bowling Alley;

• **Summer Safari,** June 25-29, field trip to the El Paso Zoo;

• **Pokémon Trainer Camp,** July 2-6, field trip to Adventure Zone;

• **Ninja Warrior Camp,** July 9-13, field trip to Las Cruces Fire Department;

• **Nerf Academy,** July 16-20, field trip to Las Cruces Museums;

• **Marvel Comics,** July 23-27, field trip to Cineport 10 theatre;

• **Hogwarts Camp,** July 30-Aug. 3, field trip to 10 Pin Bowling Alley;

• **Best of Best Camp,** Aug. 6-10, field trip to Young Park.

## Southwest Music

**Academy:** June 18-22, T-shirt included. Resiter: 575-621-4360, [info@swmusicacademy.org](mailto:info@swmusicacademy.org), [swmusicacademy.org](http://swmusicacademy.org).

• **Elementary camp:** 8:30-11:30 a.m., \$75, at Picacho Middle School and Sierra Middle School, grades 1-5. Students will divide into three groups and work with elementary music specialists for a final performance at 10 a.m. Friday, June 22. Focus will be on teaching the fundamentals of music.

• **Middle school band camp:** 8:30-11:30 a.m. beginners, 1-4 p.m. advanced, grades 5-9, \$75, plus \$20 for jazz studies, Sierra Middle School.

• **Orchestra camp:** 8:30-11:30 a.m., grades 4-12, \$75 plus \$20 for jazz studies, Picacho Middle School. Organized in three groups: Prelude for beginners, Intermezzo for

second- and third-year students and Sinfonia for high school students with four or more years of experience or a teacher recommendation.

## La Semilla Community

**Farm:** Located in Anthony, New Mexico. \$85, which includes lunch. Register at 575-882-2393, [acastellanos@lasemillafoodcenter.org](mailto:acastellanos@lasemillafoodcenter.org) or at the La Semilla office, 101 E. Joy Drive, Anthony, New Mexico. Deadline is May 28 and space is limited.

• **Camp Discovery:** 8 a.m.-2 p.m., June 4-7, grades 1-6, campers become explorers at the community farm as they participate in hands-on activities dealing with soil composition, what's living in the soil, composting, bugs, sensory discovery nature walks and where food comes from.

• **Camp You Grow Chica!:** June 18-21, grades 5-8, campers will learn about the role of women in agriculture, food, medicine and gardening. Hands-on activities will include planting, composting, culinary arts, making nature bracelets, lady bug release and making healing salves and lotions.

**Junior Jazzercise Summer Bash:** 12:30-3:30 p.m. Aug. 6-10, Las Cruces Jazzercise Fitness Center, 5-12 year olds, \$100, siblings are \$60. Register by Aug. 1 and pay \$90 for the first child and \$50 for each sibling. Register: 941-705-0800, [lasruces-juniorjazzercise@yahoo.com](mailto:lasruces-juniorjazzercise@yahoo.com). Kids will enjoy dance parties, relay and fitness games, crafts, snacks and more. End-of-camp dance performance will be performed on the last day.

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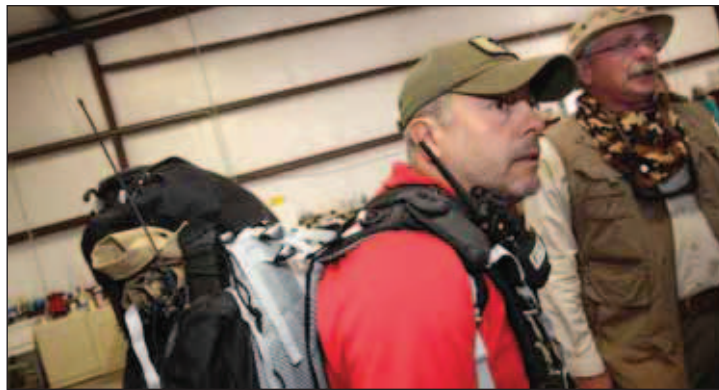
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## System check

On Saturday, April 14, various emergency response organizations in Doña Ana County participated in an exercise designed to “stress” the system, so organizers can determine potential weaknesses.



Mesilla Valley Search and Rescue Volunteer Steve Stochaj and Border collie rescue dog “Wave.”



Volunteers Jorge Gonzalez and Joe San Filippo from Mesilla Valley Search and rescue gear up.



## Lucky winner

Southwest Environmental Center (SWEC) Prius raffle winner William Bretz of Las Cruces takes the key to his new sporty Prius from Vescovo Toyota of Las Cruces owner George Vescovo Tuesday morning, April 24. Each year the Southwest Environmental Center raffles off a new Prius, selling 500 tickets at \$110 each, as a way to fund its work to protect and restore wildlife and their habitats. This year the drawing was held on April 21. This is the ninth time Bretz has purchased a ticket in SWEC's raffle. The winning number was 98.

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## Want to Buy

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## Garage, Yard & Estate Sales

**RUMMAGE SALE at Trails West Senior Community Clubhouse, Avenida de Mesilla, Las Cruces, Sat. April 28th, 8am to noon.** Multiple family sale including collectibles, household items, furniture, tools, books, small appliances, clothes, tires and much more.

### Garage Sale

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Saturday, April 28  
8-?

Las Alturas  
house hold items, new 5 x 8 shag rug, push lawn mower, children's toys and clothes

### Coronado Ridge Neighborhood Garage Sale

Saturday, May 5, 2018,  
9am - 3pm  
Participating Addresses:  
1200 Titania Court  
1220 Academy Court  
1212 Sonnet Court  
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### Pueblos Community Spring Garage Sale

Saturday, May 5  
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## Help Wanted Full-Time

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References available  
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## Legal Notice

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on April 2, 2018, Frank D. Szalay, PO Box 1742 Las Cruces, NM 88004, filed application numbered LRG-14339-POD2, OSE File No. LRG-14339, with the State Engineer for Permit to Change the Location of a Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling and utilizing well LRG-14339-POD2, located within the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of projected Section 11, Township 23S, Range 1E (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 19' 43.81" N, 106° 48' 31.42" W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant, to replace well LRG-14339-POD1, located within the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of projected Section 11, Township 23S, Range 1E (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 19' 43.88" N, 106° 48' 31.64" W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provision contained in the Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, filed August 22, 2011, for the irrigation of 0.46 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of projected Section 11, Township 23S, Range 1E (NMPM), as described by Subfile No. LRN-28-010-0135 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey.

The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22.

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The site for proposed well LRG-14339-POD2 is located in Las Cruces, NM and approximately 818 feet west of the intersection of Valley Drive and Mayfield Lane and more specifically at the physical address of 2409 San Andreas Drive. Old well LRG-14339-POD1 will be plugged

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 publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 04/13, 04/20, 04/27, 2018

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on April 5, 2018, Rodney J. Tharp, Mary Lou Tharp, & John W. Tharp, 8965 N. Doña Ana Road, Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-17339-POD2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG-17339-POD1 located within the SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 31, Township 21 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, and more specifically described where Latitude and Longitude intersect

at 32° 26' 24.46"N, 106° 52' 28.23"W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant, and drilling well LRG-17339-POD2 to a depth of 150 feet for 6-inch casing to be located within SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 31, Township 21 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, and more specifically described where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 26' 24.08"N, 106° 52' 28.68"W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of 3.0 acre-feet per annum for domestic one-household purpose. The site for replacement well LRG-17339-POD2 is located north of Las Cruces, NM and may be found at the physical address of 8965 N. Doña Ana Road. Old well LRG-17339-POD1 will be plugged. The applicants have requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22

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**NOTICE** is hereby given that on April 6, 2018, Derek Applebaum, PO Box 280, Rincon, NM 87940 & James & Deborah Michael, 2265 Avalon Dr., Las Cruces, NM 88005, filed application LRG-14534-1 into LRG-17340 (OSE File LRG-17340) for permit to Change Place of Use, Purpose of Use, and Location of Well, within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by transferring 1 acre-foot per annum of groundwater historically exercised for a mobile home park owned by James & Deborah Michael, located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of projected Section 1, Township 23S, Range 1E, from wells LRG-14534-POD1, LRG-14534-POD2, and LRG-14534-POD3, all located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of said Section 1, and more specifically described at Latitude: 32°19'50.04"N & Longitude: 106°47'21.19"W; Latitude: 32°19'50.03"N & Longitude: 106°47'21.143"W; and Latitude: 32°19'49.949"N & Longitude: 106°47'21.516"W (WGS84), respectively, on land owned by James & Deborah Michael, and instead exercising 1 acre-foot per annum from existing well LRG-13849-POD1, located within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 7, Township 19S, Range 2W (NMPM), more specifically described at the intersection of Latitude: 32°39'53.174"N & Longitude: 107°5'41.01"W (WGS84), on land owned by Derek Applebaum for commercial use in a greenhouse also owned by Mr. Applebaum, located within SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of said Section 7. Well LRG-13849-POD1 is located east of Hatch, NM, approximately 0.27 miles north of the intersection of County Rd. E8 & Railroad Rd. Wells LRG-14534-POD1, LRG-14534-POD2, and LRG-14534-POD3 will be retained for other rights.

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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 publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 04/20, 04/27, 05/04, 2018

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on March 12, 2018, Wilfred B. Potts IV, 288 Baca Road, Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-17277-POD3, OSE File Number LRG-17277-1, with the State Engineer for Permit to Change an Existing Water Right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling replacement well LRG-17277-POD3 with a 4-inch casing to a depth of 100 feet, on land owned by the applicant, located within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 24, Township 21 South, Range 01 West (NMPM) and more specifically located near the intersection of X = 1,442,602 ft. & Y = 531,717 ft., NMSP, Central NAD83, for the continued diversion of up to 3.0 acre-feet per annum for domestic one-household purposes as described by Subfile Order No.: LRN-28-002-1019 of the Lower Rio Grande Adjudication. Existing well LRG-17277-POD2 (also known as LRN02-0073) shall be plugged. The proposed replacement well, LRG-17277-POD3, is located north of Las Cruces, NM and may be found at physical address, 288 Baca Road, Las Cruces, NM.

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 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 publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 04/20, 04/27, 05/04, 2018

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on March 13, 2018, William and Linda Frost, 1109 W. Taylor Rd., Las Cruces NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-15389-POD1, OSE File No. LRG-15390, with the State Engineer for Permit to Change an Existing Water Right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by plugging existing well LRG-15390-POD1 located at approximately X=1463510 Y=496915 (NAD 83) on the land owned by the applicant, and using existing well LRG-15389-POD2 located at approximately X=1463540, Y=496891 (NAD 83) within the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 27, Township 22S, Range 01 E on land also owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of 3.0 acres for domestic use. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22. The old well LRG-15390-POD2 will be plugged. The wells

can be generally described as being located approx. 200 ft. east from Grider Rd. and South from Taylor Rd.

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Dates: 04/13, 04/20, 04/27, 2018

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on March 23, 2018, Rodney J., Mary Lou, and John W. Sharp, 8965 N. Dona Ana Rd. Las Cruces, NM 88005, filed application numbered LRG-05162-POD4, OSE File No. LRG-05162, with the State Engineer for Permit to Drill and Use a Supplemental Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Dona Ana County by drilling proposed well LRG-05162-POD4 to a depth of 500 ft. with a 12 in. casing, located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of projected Section 9, Township 22S, Range 1E (NMPM) and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 24' 19.91" N, 106° 50' 29.31" W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicants, to supplement existing well

LRG-05162, located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of projected Section 9, Township 22S, Range 1E (NMPM) and more specifically where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 24' 23.80" N, 106° 50' 21.87" W (WGS84), located on land owned by the applicants, and to supplement existing well

LRG-05162-POD2, located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of projected Section 9, Township 22S, Range 1E (NMPM) and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 24' 22.35" N, 106° 50' 16.52" W (WGS84), located on land owned by the applicants for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provision contained in the Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, filed August 22, 2011, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the irrigation of 87.37 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of projected Section 9, Township 22S, Range 1E, the W Y2 SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of projected Section 10, Township 22S, Range 1E, the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of projected Section 15, Township 22S, Range 1E, and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of projected Section 16, Township 22S, Range 1E (NMPM), as described by Subfile No. LRN-28-004-0005 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey.

Well LRG-05162-POD4 will be located north of Dona Ana, NM and 1,200 feet west of the intersection of Dona Ana Rd and Harvey Farm Rd.

The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-24

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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 publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

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**NOTICE** is hereby given that on March 13, 2018, Ralph & Jean Kelley, 1437 San Vicente Court Las Cruces NM 88005, filed application numbered LRG-11072-POD 6, OSE File No. LRG-11702-1, with the State Engineer for Permit to Change an Existing Water Right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling new supplemental well LRG-11072-POD 6 to be located at approximately X=332060, Y=3570140 (NAD 83, meters) with 12" casing to an approximate depth of 300 ft, on land owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by May 24, 1999 order of the third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of NM, combined with surface water from the EBID, for the irrigation of 13.26 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 6, Township 24S, Range 2E,

NMPM, supplemental to existing well LRG-11072, located at X=332066 Y=3570148, LRG-14218-POD2 is located X=332325 Y= 3570179, LRG-1428-POD3 is located at X=332871 Y= 3569879 all on land owned by the applicant. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22. The wells can be generally described

as being located approximately 1600ft northeast of the intersection of Carver Rd. and NM highway 28.

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 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 publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

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**NOTICE** is hereby given that on March 30, 2018, Gregory Lane, 2093 San Jose Road, La Mesa, NM 88044, filed application numbered LRG-9569-POD2, OSE File Number LRG-09569, with the State Engineer for Permit to Change an Existing Water Right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doha Ana County by drilling replacement well LRG-9569-POD2 with a 5-inch casing to a depth of 300 feet, on land owned by the applicant, located within the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 14, Township 25S, Range2E (NMPM) and more specifically located near the intersection of X=1,497,342 ft. & Y=413,586 ft., NMSP, Central NAD83, and discontinue the use of existing well LRG-9569 located on land owned by the applicant,

located within the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 14, Township 25S, Range2E (NMPM) and more specifically located near the intersection of X=1,497,320 ft. & Y=413,580 ft., NMSP, Central NAD 83, for the continued diversion of up to 3.0 acre-feet per annum for domestic one-household purposes as described by Subfile No.: LRS-28-009-0089 Right A of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. Proposed replacement well LRG-9569-POD2 will be located at the physical address of 2093 San Jose Road, La Mesa, NM. Existing well LRG-9569 will be properly plugged.

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 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 publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

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## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT

Notice is hereby given that the Las Cruces City Council will hold a Public Hearing to discuss approval or disapproval of the issuance of a Small Brewer Liquor License with on premises

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consumption, patio service, and package sales, to Icebox Brewing, LC d/b/a Icebox Brewing, to be located at 2825 West Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

The Public Hearing will be held in conjunction with the regular meeting of the City Council scheduled for **Monday, May 21, 2018, at 1:00 p.m.**, in the City Council Chambers, 700 North Main Street, City Hall. If passed, the Director of the Alcohol and Gaming Division of the State of New Mexico Regulation & Licensing Department may approve the transfer.

Witness my hand and seal this 13 day of April 2018.

/s/Linda Lewis, CMC, City Clerk

Dates: 04/20, 04/27, 2018

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on March 30, 2018, Mark and Peggy Wiatt, 131 Mimosa Lane, Las Cruces NM 88001, filed application numbered LRG-17071-POD I, OSE File No. LRG-17071-1, with the State Engineer for Permit to Change an Existing Water Right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing use of existing well LRG-12913, located within the NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of projected Section 32, T23S, R2E and drilling a new replacement well LRG-17071-POD1 to be located at approximately X=1,483,051.87, Y=461,070.42 (N.M.S.P., Central Zone NAD 83, Feet) on land owned by the applicant for the continued irrigation of 0.28 acres owned by the applicant located within the NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of said Section 32, as identified in Sub file Order no. LRG-280140201 and a continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by May 24, 1999 order of the third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of NM. The well can be generally described as being located approximately 1600ft north-east of the intersection of S Main St. and Mimosa Lane. Well LRG-12913 will be retained for other rights.

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 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 publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 04/27, 05/04, 05/11, 2017

## PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE DEED

Alicia P. Martinez, Personal Representative of the Estate of John Estrada Salinas aka John E. Salinas, Deceased, appointed on Feb 8, 2018, by the Probate Court of Doña Ana County, Las Cruces, New Mexico, Probate No. 18-0043, grants to Alicia P. Martinez, whose address is 7518 Matamoros El Paso, Texas, 79915 all the interest of the Estate of John Estrada Salinas aka John E. Salinas, deceased, in and to the real estate location in Doña Ana County New Mexico, and described as follows: See attached Legal Description

Dated Feb 8, 2018  
The Estate of John Estrada Salinas aka John E. Salinas, Deceased  
By: /s/ Alicia Martinez  
Personal Representative

Dates: 04/20, 04/27, 05/04, 2018

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

Cause No.D-307-PB-2018.00035  
Judge: Manuel I. Arrieta

**In the Matter of the Estate Elizabeth Grace Hendren, Deceased.**

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that Louis Anthony Hendren has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present their claims within four 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 the address shown in this notice or filed within the court.

The attorney for the personal representative is William L. Lutz of the law firm of Martin & Lutz, P.C., 2110 North Main Street, Las Cruces, New Mexico, 88001.

DATED this 11th day of April, 2018.

/s/ Louis Anthony Hendren  
Louis Anthony Hendren  
Personal Representative  
2045 Austin Dr.  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Dates: 04/27, 05/04, 05/11, 2018

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

D-307-CV-2018-00840  
Judge James T. Martin

**IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF ROBIN ELISABETH GRIFFIN, FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

## NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that **ROBIN ELISABETH GRIFFIN**, a resident of the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico, at the time of filing of the original Petition, and being over the

age of fourteen (14) 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 **ROBIN ELISABETH GRIFFIN** to **ROBYN ELIZABETH GRIFFIN**, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable James T. Martin, District Judge, on the **29th day of May, 2018**, at the hour of 10:30 a.m., at the Third Judicial District Court, Courtroom 7, 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Respectfully submitted by:

The Law Offices of Dana M. Kyle, P.A.

By: /s/ Dana M. Kyle  
Dana M. Kyle  
P.O. Box 2277  
Las Cruces, NM 88004-2277  
(575) 525-0020  
(575) 525-0017 facsimile  
Attorney for Petitioner

Dates: 04/20, 04/27, 2018

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

No: D-307-CV2017-3274  
Judge: Martin

**DENKEN INVESTMENTS, Inc., Plaintiff,**

v.

**THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JOSE F. RAMIREZ, Deceased, et al., Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a Money Judgment, Judgment of Foreclosure, and Judgment Granting Quiet Title, issued by the Third Judicial District Court on March 30, 2018, in which the Plaintiff, Denken Investments, Inc., was awarded a judgment against Defendants Eva Cordova and Delfino Cordova in the amount of \$18,108.77 as of December 30, 2016, together with interest therefrom at 12.5% per annum, for a per diem interest of \$6.20 per day, and together with attorney's fees and costs in the amount of \$3,032.75, and a decree of foreclosure as therein set forth, by which I am commanded to sell the real property and improvements as shall hereinafter be described.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, notice is hereby given that on the **18th day of May, 2018, at the hour of 1:00 p.m.** at the entrance of the Third Judicial District Court, 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico, I will sell the following real estate, to-wit:

Lots 20 and 21 in Block 1 of Grandview Annex Subdivision, 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 March 3, 1948 and recorded in Book 6 at page 71, Plat Records.

Having a common street address of 912 Luna, Las Cruces, New Mexico. Together with all improvements, to satisfy the Plaintiff's judgment in the total amount of \$23981.12, computed as of April 2, 2018, with estimated interest and costs of sale in the amount of \$1,047.78 to the date of sale.

Said sale shall be to the highest bidder for cash or certified funds, provided, however, that the Plaintiff shall be entitled to bis all or part of its judgment.

Dated April 2, 2018.

/s/ Kenneth L. Beal  
Kenneth L. Beal, Esq.  
Special Master

Dates: 04/06, 04/13, 04/20, 04/27, 2018

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

No. D-307-PB-2018-044  
Judge James T. Martin

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARGARET CAMILLE WALLER, Deceased.**

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned WAYLON WALLER 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 Dona Ana County, 201 W. Picacho, Suite A, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

Dated this 9th day of April, 2018.

\_\_\_\_\_/s/

WAYLON WALLER, Personal Representative

of the Estate of MARGARET CAMILLE WALLER, deceased.

Prepared by:  
The Law Offices of Dana M. Kyle, P.A.

\_\_\_\_\_/s/

Dana M. Kyle  
P.O. Box 2277  
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-2277  
(575) 525-0020  
(575) 525-0017 fax  
Attorney for Personal Representative

Dates: 04/27, 05/04, 2018

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

CAUSE NO.  
PB-2018-00030  
JUDGE ARRIETA

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SIXTO C. FERNANDEZ, Deceased.**

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS BY PUBLICATION

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the estate of Sixto C. Fernandez. 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 attorney for personal representative, 4950 Raevin Ct. Las Cruces, NM 88007

or filed with the Third Judicial District Court in Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico.

DATED: April 5th, 2018.

/s/ Marty Ruiz-Garcia  
MARTY RUIZ-GARCIA  
Personal Representative of the Estate of Sixto C. Fernandez, Deceased

PREPARED & SUBMITTED,  
/s/ Marty Ruiz-Garcia  
Marty Ruiz-Garcia  
4950 Raevin Ct.  
Las Cruces, NM 88007  
(575) 496-2365

Dates: 04/20, 04/27, 2018

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

No. D-307-PB-2018-00043  
HON: Martin, James T

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DIANE MOHR ROSEN, 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 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 undersigned personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the District Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico, located at the following address: 201 W. Pichacha Ave, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Dated: April 27, 2018.

/s/ First American Bank  
1553 Avenida de Mesilla  
Las Cruces, NM 88004  
575-524-8000

ESTRADA LAW, P.C.  
By /s/Michele Ungvarsky, Esq.  
Michele Ungvarsky, Esq.  
1340 Picacho Hills Drive  
Las Cruces, NM 88007  
575-556-2462  
Attorney for the Estate of Diane Mohr Rosen

Dates: 04/27, 05/04, 05/11, 2018

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

No. D-307-CV-2017-03956

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

vs.

**JAMES R. KEHOE; JENNIFER F. KEHOE; ELIZABETH RUIZ aka Elizabeth Castillo; and TAXATION AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on **June 6, 2018, at the hour of 10:00 a.m.**, the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 5285 Seminole Trl, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 2H, Block 11, of ELEPHANT BUTTE LAND & TRUST CO. SUBDIVISION "C" AMENDMENT NO. ONE OF PART OF BLOCK ELEVEN, located in the County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico as shown on Plat thereof recorded on June 6, 1966 in Plat Book 9, at Page 97 as Plat No. 668, records of Doña Ana County and all improvements, including, but not limited to, the manufactured home attached thereto and more particularly described as a 1999 Cavco double wide, VIN No. CAV-AZL2984611XU.

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on April 13, 2018, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$88,708.73 and the same bears interest at 4.250% per

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annum from February 27, 2018, to the date of sale. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees 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. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

**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 a one month right of redemption.

Electronically filed */s/ Pamela A. Carmody*  
*Pamela A. Carmody, Special Master*  
PO Drawer 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169  
(575) 642-5567

Dates: 04/27, 05/04, 05/11, 05/18, 2018

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

Case No.:  
D-307-CV-2017-01918

**DITECH FINANCIAL  
LLC, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JEANNE A. STILLMAN,  
HUGO STILLMAN ; GE  
MONEY BANK; HSBC  
BANK NEVADA N.A.;  
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 9616 Higgins Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88011-6651, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 2, BLOCK D, BUTTERFIELD PARK SUBDIVISION, IN 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 MAY 18, 1962 IN BOOK 8 PAGE 72 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 2:00 pm on May 10, 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 Default Judgment in Rem granted on March 5, 2018 in the total amount of \$112,365.69 with interest at the rate of \$11.58 per diem from February 17, 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. Ditech Financial 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 month right of redemption.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on **May 9, 2018, at the hour of 10:00 a.m.**, the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants

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**

No. D-307-CV-2017-03318

**U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS TRUSTEE FOR THE RMAC TRUST, SERIES 2016-CTT,  
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**THE ESTATE OF ISABELLE A. GREEN, Deceased; ROBYN KAHLE; LYNNE KLOSS; SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES OR LEGATEES OF ISABELLE A. GREEN, Deceased; and Unknown Successor Trustee of the Isabelle A. Green Revocable Trust UTA dated March 13, 2002,  
Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on **May 9, 2018, at the hour of 10:00 a.m.**, the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants

in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 1733 Aspen Avenue, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

A tract of land situate within the corporate limits of the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, located as part of Lots 10 and 11, Block 7, Unit No. 2, Dale J. Bellamah's Glendale Gardens as filed in the office of the Doña Ana County Clerk in Book 9 Pages 17-18, County Plat No. 606 and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of this tract, whence the southeast corner of Lot 10, Block 7, Unit No. 2, Dale J. Bellamah's Glendale Gardens bears N. 87 deg., 12'E., a distance of 20.00 feet; thence S. 87 deg., 12'W., 111.61 feet to the southwest corner of this tract; thence N. 14 deg., 46'E., 124.20 feet to a point on a curve on the south line of Aspen Avenue; thence around the arc of a curve to the left having a radius of 180.03 feet, an arc length of 55.20 feet, through a central angle of 17 deg., 34' to a point of tangency; thence N. 87 deg., 12'E., 19.79 feet to the northeast corner of this tract; thence S. 2 deg., 48'E., 110.01 feet to the place of beginning, containing 0.242 acres of land more or less.

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on March 30, 2018, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment is \$160,314.70. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees 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. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

**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 a one month right of redemption.

Electronically filed */s/ Pamela A. Carmody*  
*Pamela A. Carmody, Special Master*  
PO Drawer 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169  
(575) 642-5567

Dates: 04/13, 04/20, 04/27, 05/04, 2018

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

Case No.:  
D-307-CV-2015-02626

**BAYVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC, A DELAWARE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY,  
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**EDWARD A. KRINER JR.; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF EDWARD A. KRINER, JR.; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; OCCUPANTS OF THE PROPERTY, 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 1650 Ash Ave., Las Cruces, NM 88001, and more particularly described

as follows:

LOTS 21 AND 22, BLOCK 4, COUNTRY CLUB MESA ADDITION, 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 OCTOBER 29, 1953, IN BOOK 7 PAGE(S) 46 OF PLAT RECORDS. Also described as follows: LOTS 21 AND 22, BLOCK 4, COUNTRY CLUB MESA ADDITION, 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 OCTOBER 29, 1953, IN BOOK 7 PAGE(S) 46 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 2:00 pm on May 10, 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 22, 2017 and in the Order to Correct Clerical Error in Judgment granted on February 16, 2018 in the total amount of \$119,031.51 with interest at the rate of 4.625% per annum from March 31, 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. Bayview Loan Servicing, LLC, A Delaware Limited Liability 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.

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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c/o Legal Process Network  
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**STATE OF  
NEW MEXICO  
COUNTY OF  
DOÑA ANA  
THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT**

Case No. :  
D-307-CV-2017-02131

**MIDFIRST BANK, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**SONYA TONKS; JOHN TONKS, 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 3217 Dyer Street, Las Cruces, NM 88011, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 11, BLOCK 8C, MAJESTIC HILLS SUBDIVISION, NUMBER TWO, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN

AND DESIGNATED ON PLAT NO. 784 THEREOF, FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON AUGUST 13, 1973, AND RECORDED IN BOOK 11, PAGES 55-61, PLAT RECORDS. also described as: LOT 11 IN BLOCK 8C OF MAJESTIC HILLS SUBDIVISION NUMBER TWO, 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 AUGUST 13, 1973 AS PLAT NO. 784 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 11, PAGE 55-61, 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 May 24, 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 March 12, 2018 in the total amount of \$220,434.41 with interest at the rate of 4.125% per annum from February 10, 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. Midfirst Bank, 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

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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**

NO. D-307-CV-2016-02920

**BOKEF, N.A.,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**NICOLE O. SILVA, NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY, AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF NICOLE O. SILVA,  
Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on **May 8, 2018 at 9:30 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 20 in Block numbered D of PARKHILL ESTATES SUBDIVISION, PHASE 2, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said PARKHILL ESTATES SUBDIVISION, PHASE 2, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on November 7, 2007 in Plat Book 22, Folio 372-373.

The address of the real property is 4716 Rimrock Dr., Las Cruces, NM 88012. 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 January 22, 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 \$172,169.43 plus interest from November 1, 2017 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.200% 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 pay off, 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.

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

No.D-307-CV-2017-00379

**U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**LUIS CARLOS GONZALEZ, NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY, SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND NEW MEXICO EDUCATION ASSISTANCE FOUNDATION, A NEW MEXICO NON-PROFIT CORPORATION, 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 2935 Fountain Ave., Las Cruces, NM 88007, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 119 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. Also known as: LOT 119 OF LEGENDS WEST SUBDIVISION PHASE IV, LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID LEGENDS WEST SUBDIVISION PHASE IV, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2005 IN PLAT BOOK 21, FOLIO 344-346.

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 June 7, 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 March 23, 2018 in the total amount of \$133,378.47 with interest at the rate of 4.37500% 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.

**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, 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 COURT**

NO. D-307-CV-2016-02310

**QUICKEN LOANS INC.,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**DAVID L. PARSONS,  
Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on **May 8, 2018 at 9:30 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 1, Block 8, SANTA TERESA SUBDIVISION UNIT NO. 5, 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. 843 on 05/13/1976 in Book 12 Page(s) 62 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 501 Feather Moon Dr., Santa Teresa, NM 88008. 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 February 2, 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 \$229,634.54 plus interest from December 1, 2017 to the date of sale at the rate of 4.250% 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 pay off, 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.

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

NO. D-307-CV-2017-00497

**IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**URIEL ESCAPITA, NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY, AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF URIEL ESCAPITA,  
Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on **May 8, 2018 at 9:30 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 19 IN BLOCK NUMBERED D OF DESERT BREEZE SUBDIVISION, LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID DESERT BREEZE SUBDIVISION, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY

CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON JULY 26, 2006 IN PLAT BOOK 21, FOLIO 714-717.

The address of the real property is 5715 Pecan Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88011. 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 January 22, 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 \$119,543.80 plus interest from September 1, 2017 to the date of sale at the rate of 4.000% 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 pay off, 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



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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.

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

NO. D-307-CV-2017-02123

**PLANET HOME LENDING, INC.,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**SANTIAGO BARRERA III, YOLANDA MIRELES BARRERA, AND DISCOVER BANK,  
Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

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LOT 17, BLOCK 10, VILLA VALENCIA SUBDIVISION PHASE II, 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. 5210 ON MAY 17, 2013 IN BOOK 23 PAGE(S) 453-56 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 5873 Megan Street, Sunland Park, NM 88008. 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 January 31, 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 \$193,840.04 plus interest from November 1, 2017 to the date of sale at the rate of 4.250% 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 pay off, 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.

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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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Case No. :  
D-307-CV-2017-01733

**FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**PHILLIP JOHN MONTROYA; FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY; NORMA JEAN LEDESMA, THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE MONTROYA SR, 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 623 Weinrich Rd., Las Cruces, NM 88007, and more particularly described as follows:

A TRACT OF LAND SITUATE WEST OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO AS PART OF THE N1/2, SW1/4, NW1/4, SE1/4 OF SECTION 20, T.23S., R.1E., N.M.P.M. OF THE U.S.G.L.O. SURVEYS AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT: BEGINNING AT AN IRON ROD SET ON THE NORTH SIDE OF A 33.00 FOOT WIDE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR ROADWAY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES, FOR THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE TRACT HEREIN DESCRIBED, WHEN A BRASS CAP FOUND FOR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE N1/2, SW1/4, SE1/4 OF SECTION 20, T.23S., R.1E., BEARS THE FOLLOWING TWO COURSES AND DISTANCES, S.89°58'12"W., 297.25 FEET; THENCE N.0°05'00"E., A DISTANCE OF 330.13 FEET; THENCE FROM THE PLACE OF BEGINNING N.0°05'31"E., 330.10 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET AT THE NORTH SIDE OF THE 33.00 FOOT WIDE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR ROADWAY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES FOR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THIS TRACT; THENCE ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID RIGHT-OF-WAY N.89°56'30"E., 110.00 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET FOR THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THIS TRACT; THENCE LEAVING THE RIGHT-OF-WAY S.0°05'31"W., 185.92 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET FOR AN ANGLE POINT OF THIS TRACT; THENCE S.85°41'30"W., 10.00 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET FOR AN ANGLE POINT OF THIS TRACT; THENCE S.0°05'31"W., 28.89 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET FOR AN ANGLE POINT OF THIS TRACT; THENCE N.85°41'30"E., 12.13 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET FOR AN ANGLE POINT OF THIS TRACT; THENCE S.4°1'30"E., 63.17 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET FOR AN ANGLE

POINT OF THIS TRACT; THENCE S.85°41'30"W., 6.99 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET FOR AN ANGLE POINT OF THIS TRACT; THENCE S.0°05'31"W., 51.92 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET ON THE NORTH SIDE OF A 33.00 FOOT WIDE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR ROADWAY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES FOR THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THIS TRACT; THENCE ALONG THE NORTH SIDE OF SAID RIGHT-OF-WAY S.89°58'12"W., 110.00 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING CONTAINING 0.8336 ACRE OF LAND MORE OR LESS.

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 May 10, 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 March 1, 2018 in the total amount of \$214,961.22 with interest at the rate of 3.0000% 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. Freedom Mortgage 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, 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  
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THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT**

Case No.:  
D-307-CV-2017-03603

**NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC DBA CHAMPION MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JOAN M. BRUHNKE; 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 3907 Azalea Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88005, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT NUMBERED 4 IN A BLOCK NUMBERED 6 OF SUN COUNTRY ESTATES NO. 1, LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID SUN COUNTRY ESTATES NO. 1, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON AUGUST 18, 1977 IN PLAT

BOOK 12, FOLIO 125.

The real property is also described as follows: LOT 4, BLOCK 6, SUN COUNTRY ESTATES SUBDIVISION NO. 1, OF THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF FILED OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON AUGUST 18, 1977 AND RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 12, PAGE 152.

The real property is further described as follows: LOT 4, BLOCK 6, SUN COUNTRY ESTATES SUBDIVISION NO. 1, OF THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF FILED OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY OF SAID COUNTY ON AUGUST 18, 1977 AND RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 12, PAGE 125.

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 May 24, 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 March 19, 2018 in the total amount of \$132,782.30 with interest at the rate of 5.970% 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

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LLC DBA 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.**

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

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

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

vs.

**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 PENDENCY OF ACTION**

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Defendants, UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES OF NORA F. REYES:**

You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff Nationstar Mortgage LLC D/B/A Champion Mortgage Company has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on real property located at 101 Las Flores Circle, San Miguel, NM 88058. The real property which is the subject matter of this action is legally 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.

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

McCARTHY & HOLTHUS, LLP

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

Case No.:  
D-307-CV-2018-00144

**CORNERSTONE HOME LENDING, INC., Plaintiff,**

vs.

**CANDICE ANN NOLIN; Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION**

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Defendant, Candice Ann Nolin,**

You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff Cornerstone Home Lending, Inc. has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on real property located at 2030 Pinecone Way, Las Cruces, NM 88012. The real property which is the subject matter of this action is legally described as follows:

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**State of New Mexico  
Doña Ana County  
Third Judicial District  
Court**

No: D-307-PB-2017-00140

**In the Matter of Estate of Donna Jean Mabie, Deceased**

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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 four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the undersigned Personal Representative at the address listed below or filed with the 3rd Judicial Court of Doña Ana County New Mexico located at 201 W Picacho Ave. Las Cruces NM 88005

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

No: D-307-PB-2018-00034  
Judge: Arrieta, Manuel I.

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Margaret Mary Bulman, DECEASED.**

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Dated: April 27, 2018,

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Dates: 04/27, 05/04, 05/11, 2018

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

NO. 18-0110

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROBERT ROSS COMBS, DECEASED.**

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Dated: April 20, 18.

/s/ Erin Combs  
Erin Combs  
3603 Vinton Ave. #110  
Los Angeles, CA 90034  
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Dates: 04/27, 05/04, 05/11, 2018

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

No. 18-0096  
Judge Diana A. Bustamante, Ph.D

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: ANTHONY F. CIESZKIEWICZ, DECEASED.**

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DATED this 17th day of April, 2018.

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/s/ Shane A. English

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Dates: 04/27, 05/04, 05/11, 2018

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

D-307-PB-2018-00046  
Judge: Honorable Manuel I. Arrieta

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARIO CABRAL, Deceased.**

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

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DATED: 04/05/18

/s/ ANTONIA LOPEZ

ANTONIA LOPEZ  
Personal Representative

/s/ YULIANA H. CABRAL  
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Personal Representative

/s/ MARK A. FILOSA  
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Dave Edwards in a recent Las Cruces film "Tom."



David Edwards as Selsdon Mowbray with Heather Hosford in "Noises Off."



PHOTOS COURTESY DAVID EDWARDS  
As Bottom in a 1970s production of Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

## David Edwards and the conversation of acting

By **MIKE COOK**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

Las Cruces actor David Edwards has been everything from Puck in Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream" and Mr. Franklin in the original production of "Children of a Lesser God" to Jesus Christ in "Godspell," Pozzo in "Waiting for Godot" and Willy Loman in "Death of Salesman."

"Crazy facial hair is my one acting skill," Edwards said.

He has performed in hundreds of plays at NMSU, Las Cruces Community Theatre (LCCT), the Black Box, Rio Grande Theatre and Catteman's Dinner Theatre, and for Doña Ana Lyric Opera, lo-fi productions and other theatre companies in the past 46 years.

He's also directed more than

100 plays at most of those venues, along with Mayfield and Oñate high schools and his beloved St. Paul's United Methodist Church.

And, Edwards has appeared in dozens of short and feature-length films made in Las Cruces and elsewhere, often acting in NMSU student films. He's currently writing his own movie script and teaching a Perspective on Film class at Doña Ana Community College.

Edwards, 65, spent 20 months in Los Angeles in 2014-15, studying acting, doing background work for TV series including "The Big Bang Theory" and "Two and Half Men," auditioning for "Criminal Minds" and pursuing a full-time professional acting career.

"I'd love to be able to make a living at it," he said. "That would be the best."

An elementary education major at NMSU in 1971, Edwards took an introduction to theatre class taught by Arlene Belkin.

"I was so enthralled with her that I signed up for her acting class," he said. "I was hooked."

In the spring of 1972, Edwards was cast in his first play, in the chorus in NMSU's production of "Antigone." Chorus members moved and spoke as one, but Edwards remembers that his mother, Sammi, recognized his legs.

Edwards learned lines for a local production of "Henry IV Part 1" while making his rounds as a security guard at the L'eggs factory in the early 1970s. He played a Puerto Rican delivery boy in "The Gingerbread Lady" which friend and mentor Mark Medoff directed for LCCT in 1973.



David Edwards as Mr. Hardcastle in NMSU's production of "She Stoops to Conquer," May 2009.

SEE EDWARDS, PAGE 36

# RIO GRANDE THEATRE

## UPCOMING EVENTS

THURSDAY, MAY 3

### ORLANDO MADRID JAZZ QUINTET

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## Edwards was in the original 'Children of a Lesser God'

"I always feel very fortunate when I look at that and see my name there," Las Cruces actor David Edwards said about the script from the very first production of "Children of a Lesser God."

Edwards originated the role of Dr. Franklin, one of 13 parts in playwright Mark Medoff's workshop production of the play, which premiered April 25, 1979, at NMSU's Hershel Zohn Theatre.

The role was one of

only seven that survived Medoff's extensive re-writes when the play moved to Los Angeles later that year before opening on Broadway in 1980.

"I don't know how I got lucky enough to have my character make it to the final cut," Dave Edwards said. "It really didn't have anything to do with me."

Actor Anthony Edwards (no relation) is playing Dr. Franklin in the Broadway Revival of CLG that

opened April 11 at Studio 54.

One of Dave Edwards' co-stars in the NMSU production was the late Phyllis Frelich, for whom Medoff wrote the play. Frelich created the groundbreaking role of Sarah Norman in Las Cruces and performed it in Los Angeles and New York City. She, fellow actor John Rubenstein and Medoff won Tony awards for the Broadway production.

*Mike Cook*

## EDWARDS

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"I began working with Dave when he was 19," Medoff said. "I don't know the exact number of plays or movies we've worked on together, but I do know Dave is the actor I've worked with the most in my half century in theater and film."

"I owe him a lot," Edwards said of Medoff. "He's been very encouraging in so many ways personally and professionally."

"Other actors may learn lines, but Dave knows and tells the whole story, so it really feels like a conversation, not a recitation of lines," said Las Cruces actor/director Gail Wheeler. "Acting with Dave is like doing a dance that you know really, really well and don't even have to think about."

"I have directed Dave in a number of local productions, and what I have always liked about working with him, besides his being incredibly knowledgeable about theatre and act-

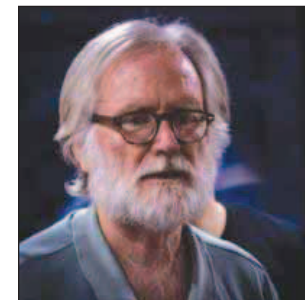


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DAVID EDWARDS

**Getting ready for his role as Dr. Thomas in Henrik Ibsen's 'An Enemy of the People,' his latest role, at Las Cruces Community Theatre.**

ing, is that he was always very direct and honest," said NMSU Theatre Arts Department's Production Stage Manager Mike Wise. "He knew how to cut to the chase and get done what needed to get done. A true professional."

"David Edwards is such an important part of the history of LCCT," said board President Janet Beatty-Payne. "David's kindness, good-hearted nature and love of the stage have made him a staple and local celebrity within our theatre community."

Edwards feels equally

comfortable on stage or in front of camera but has come to prefer film work.

"It fits more my style," he said. "I'm really into honesty and realism in acting as opposed to presentation."

Edwards makes time to act in student films and mentor young actors, directors and filmmakers.

"I want to support that work," he said.

Edwards has a few dream roles still to play on stage: the psychiatrist in "Equus," "King Lear" and switching off with another actor playing both characters in "The Dresser."

"It has been a great comfort and source of amusement and joy to know I can suggest to Dave any nebulous idea or ask any muddled question of him as a collaborator and be certain he will extend himself to the furthest reaches of his imagination to respond without guile or fear," Medoff said.

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# Las Cruces teachers lead workshop at arts convention

By **MIKE COOK**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

Three Las Cruces Public Schools elementary art teachers are helping to put the “A” in STEAM.

Maggie Hornung (Valley View and Desert Hills elementary), Jenn Gaides (East Picacho and Hillrise elementary) and Amy Guillen (Alameda and Central elementary) led a hands-on workshop they called 2-D to 3-D that focuses on STEAM (science, technology, engineering, Art and mathematics) that was presented at the National Art Education Association (NAEA) Convention, March 22-24 in Seattle, Washington, Hornung said.

“Our proposal was one of about 1,200 (submitted) and it was selected for presentation,” she said. “We were honored to represent Las Cruces and New Mexico art educators.”

The theme of this year’s conference was Art + Design = STEAM.

The convention included speeches by nationally recognized artists

and educators, workshops (covering everything from mask-making, Egyptian art and clay sculpturing to illustrating children’s books, origami and making a memory box), tours, an exhibitor showcase and hundreds of concurrent sessions.

The NAEA was founded in 1947 and includes elementary, middle, and high school visual arts educators; college and university professors; university students preparing to become art educators; researchers and scholars; teaching artists; administrators and supervisors; art museum educators; and more than 54,000 student members of the National Art Honor Society. NAEA has members in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, U.S. possessions, most Canadian provinces, U.S. military bases around the world and 25 foreign countries.

Visit [www.arteducators.org](http://www.arteducators.org).

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Las Cruces Public Schools art teachers Maggie Hornung and Jenn Gaides preparing for their workshop at the National Art Educators Convention in Seattle in March.

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FRI APRIL 27 • 10:30 A.M.	BRANIGAN LIBRARY
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FRI APRIL 27 • 3:30 P.M.	BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Library Lab-Crafts/Stories ages 6-10	
FRI APRIL 27 • 7:00 P.M.	RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Purple Rain - \$8	
SAT APRIL 28 • 1:00 P.M.	BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Sound Session - Guitar Instruction for Teens	
SAT APRIL 28 • 5:00 P.M.	RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Day of Dance - FREE	
TUE MAY 1 • 10:30 A.M.	BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Read to Me - Story time ages 3+	
TUE MAY 1 • 2:00 P.M.	BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Intro to Computers - MS Word Basics	
TUE MAY 1 • 6:00 P.M.	RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Dona Ana Country Democratic party event - FREE	
WED MAY 2 • 11:00 A.M.	BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Mother Goose Time - Activities for Infants	
WED MAY 2 • 6:00 P.M.	RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Dona Ana Country Democratic party event - FREE	
TUE+THU MAY 1+3 • 4:00 P.M.	BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Teen Game Night	
WED+THU MAY 2+3 • 10:00 A.M.	BRANIGAN LIBRARY
Toddler Time - Story time ages 1-3	
THU MAY 3	RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Orlanda Madrid - \$5 cash at door	
FRI MAY 4 • 5:00 P.M.	RIO GRANDE THEATRE
First Friday Art Ramble - Carl Coker - FREE	
FRI MAY 4 • 6:00 P.M.	RIO GRANDE THEATRE
Esto Es Mi Mexico - FREE	

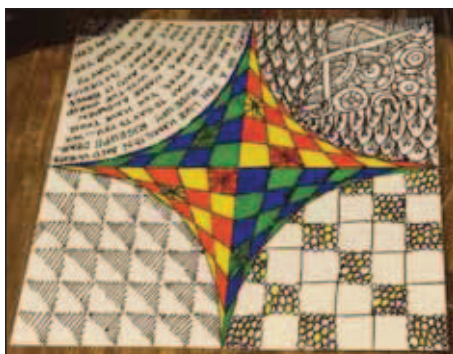
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The completed work of an LCPS art teacher workshop at the National Art Education Association Convention in Seattle.



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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## Horns o' plenty



The New Mexico State University Horn Choir, affectionately known as the NMSU Corno Crew, presents their annual spring concert at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 29, in the Atkinson Recital Hall of the NMSU Music Department. The concert is free. A reception will follow in the Music Center lobby. This year features horn soloist Kristen Major on “Lights!” and a grand finale with area high- and middle-school students plus professional and community horn players. The 2018 Corno Crew includes Joshua Anders, Sabrina Bonn, Louis Chacon, Corinne EDOM, Lori Figueroa, Michael Floyd, Michelle Garasi, Matthew Gonzales, Marcos Gutierrez, Lucas Jackson, Christopher Kuncel, Natalie Martinez, William Martinez, Kelly McNeil, Adam Muñoz, Gabrielle Shelsea and Eizabelle Zuniga.



Dr. William Clark

## Area musicians to be feted in Santa Fe

### BULLETIN REPORT

The New Mexico Music Commission (NMMC) and the New Mexico Music Commission Foundation (NMMCF) have announced six honorees for the second annual 2018 New Mexico Platinum Music Awards.

Among them are two with Las Cruces ties.

Dr. William Clark is a composer and conductor at New Mexico State University. He is also a founder of the Mesilla Valley Concert Band, Las Cruces All-City Middle School Honor Band, and the Las Cruces New Horizons program for seniors. He maintains an active private studio and is a freelance tuba player.

Nacha Mendez is pioneering the genre of world Latin music, drawing from the influences of her youth growing up in La Union, where she began singing and playing the guitar at an early age. She learned traditional ranchera cancion from her grandmother and performed in towns

between Las Cruces and El Paso with her cousins, the Black Brothers. She is a nationally recognized artist with various honors including National Endowment for the Arts Award.

They and four others will be honored at the Lencis Performing Arts Center in Santa Fe on Aug. 30. Proceeds from the show will benefit the music commission's Music in the Schools and ART2ART projects.

"It was a tough task to select this year's honorees, as virtually all of the nominees were great candidates," said David Schwartz, president of the New Mexico Music Commission Foundation, the nonprofit that produces the event. "These honorees represent a wide range of styles and genres, but all have the lifetime commitment to music."

According to a press release, the New Mexico Music Commission is an advisory body made up of governor-appointed volunteer specialists and leaders in the state's diverse music

industry. Their mission is to protect, promote and preserve the state's musical traditions, to foster appreciation of the value of music and to encourage the "educational, creative and professional musical activities" of New Mexico residents.

The Commission is administratively attached to New Mexico Arts, a division of the New Mexico Department of Cultural Affairs. In 2017, the New Mexico Music Commission adopted the Platinum Music Awards ceremony and show as its annual signature event and primary fundraiser.

# Lockwood named May Artist in Residence

### BULLETIN REPORT

The Bureau of Land Management and Friends of Organ Mountains – Desert Peaks announce the selection of Cassandra Lockwood to the Organ Mountains-Desert Peaks National Monument Artist in Residence (AiR) program for the month of May.

The program utilizes the artist's unique skills to depict the historic, cultural, geologic, and plant and wildlife features that provide a deeper understanding of public lands.

Lockwood attended Kendall College of Art and Design in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and graduated with a Bachelor's in Fine Arts in 1997, primarily focused on oil paintings. She also studied how cultural identify informs contemporary art on the U.S.-Mexico Border and received a Master's of Arts in History in 2003 from New Mexico State University.

"I'm excited to become a part of the AiR," she



Cassandra Lockwood

said in a Friends of the Organ Mountains – Desert Peaks news release. "I'm looking forward to catching the moments on the mountain that will shape my work. The sky, the wind, the texture of rock will all be explored through painting. This experience is a gift that will shape me as an artist, as well. I'm truly honored to have been selected."


She continues: "The Organ Mountains mean so much to me, and this

is so special that this is my first artist residency. I hope you join me for a sketch and hike during the month of May. Let's celebrate and share the unique qualities that define our monument through art making."

The Artist in Residence program educates and promotes the appreciation, protection and preservation of natural and cultural resources on public lands. The residency provides an artist and public an opportunity to interact to better enhance the understanding of the public lands as well as the unique qualities an artist's eye can capture.

"This program brings together an artist and our community to provide both with a fresh and unique perspective on our public lands," said Patrick Nolan, executive director of Friends of Organ Mountains – Desert Peaks.

Contact Nolan at [director@organmtn-friends.org](mailto:director@organmtn-friends.org) or visit [www.organmountainsdesert-peaks.org](http://www.organmountainsdesert-peaks.org).

 <b>Fountain Theatre</b> 2469 Calle de Guadalupe in Mesilla 575.524.8287 <a href="http://www.mesillavalleyfilm.org">www.mesillavalleyfilm.org</a>	
April 27 - May 3 <b>Oh Lucy!</b> <i>English &amp; Japanese w/ subtitles</i> A lonely woman in Tokyo takes an English class where she discovers her alter ego, Lucy. <i>**NOTE: Saturday, Apr. 28 No matinee</i>	May 4 - 10 <b>Back to Burgundy</b> <i>French w/ subtitles</i> Three siblings reunite at their home in picturesque Burgundy to save the family vineyard. <i>**NOTE: Thursday, Apr. 26 1:30 matinee; no evening show</i>
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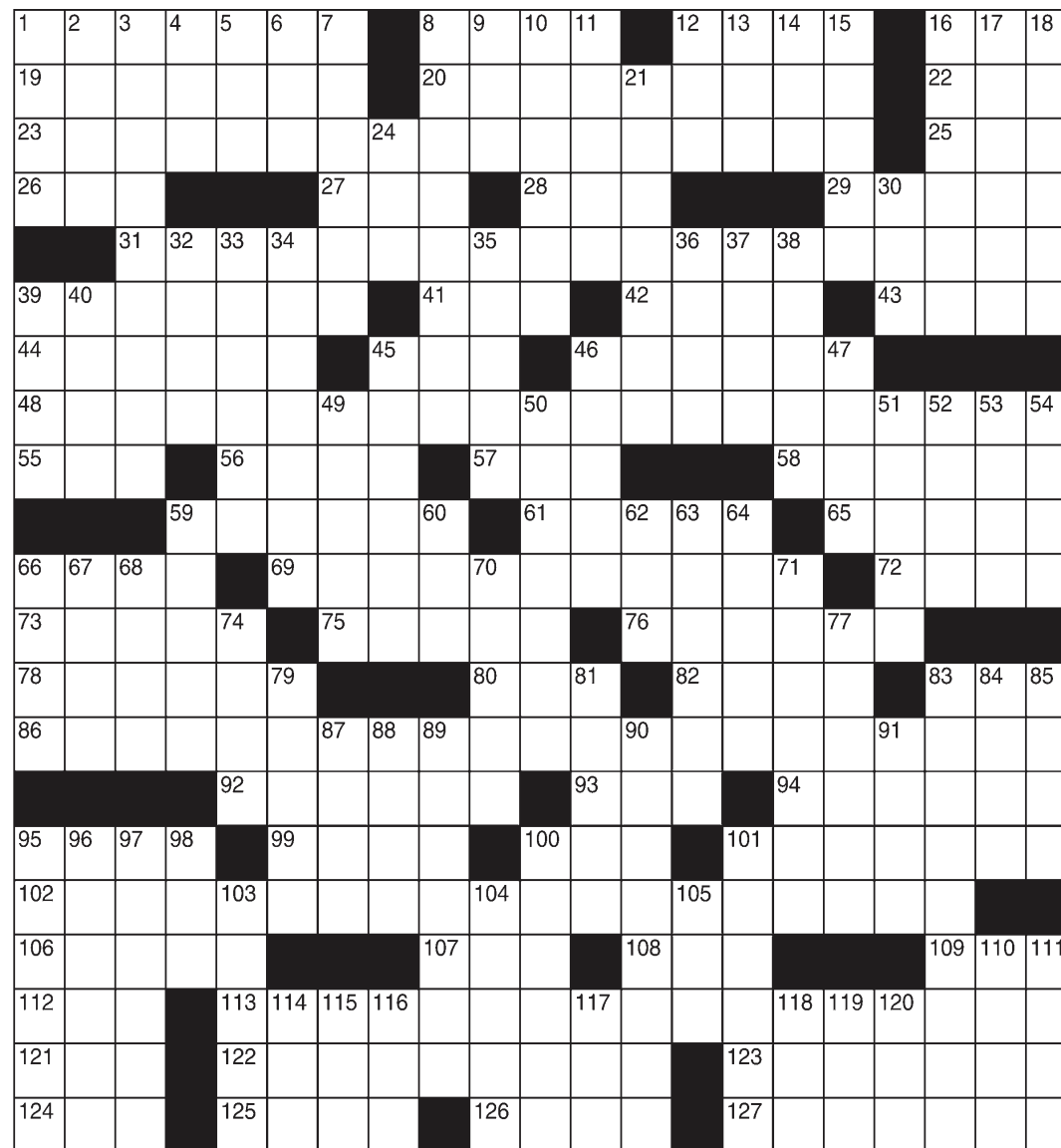
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 92 Crystal-lined stones  
 93 Scepter  
 94 Mobster's code of silence  
 95 Fair-minded  
 99 Take -- (sample the drink)  
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 101 Having as a foundation  
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 108 Brain wave test, in brief  
 109 Chest bone  
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 3 "Don't move"  
 4 Lobster trap  
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 11 Actor Finch  
 12 Lao --  
 13 "Says --?"  
 14 Gut-punch sound  
 15 Exaggerated  
 16 Dress  
 17 Let slip  
 18 Leavenings  
 21 Quickly, musically  
 24 Santa's laugh sounds  
 30 Swallowed  
 32 Utter agony  
 33 Noble Brit  
 34 Said nothing  
 35 "Como --?" (Juan's greeting)  
 36 Univ. lecturer  
 37 Minnelli of "Arthur"  
 38 Garner  
 39 As many as  
 40 "So -- say"  
 45 School break  
 46 Volcano that destroyed St. Pierre



47 Small talk  
 49 Knows the answer  
 50 Be really flattering  
 51 Ringlike isle  
 52 Tandem, e.g.  
 53 Pitcher Sabenhagen  
 54 Hankers  
 59 Far from lax  
 60 650, in old Rome  
 62 Gardner of old films  
 63 Table protector

under a warm dish  
 64 Not as iffy  
 66 Fix, as a dog or cat  
 67 Liqueur akin to Sambuca  
 68 Herr's wife  
 70 Pueblo dwellers  
 71 Vocalize loudly  
 74 Actress Diana  
 77 Absence of vigor  
 79 "Save me --"  
 81 Avant- -- (totally new)  
 83 Cajun dish  
 84 Painter Dix

85 Bluish green  
 87 "Baloney!," to Brits  
 88 Falco or Adams  
 89 Patches  
 90 Costs for cheap apartments  
 91 Jail unit  
 95 Many-pieced puzzle  
 96 Still green  
 97 Roped in  
 98 Trike rider  
 100 Cut in glass  
 101 Enthusiast  
 103 Run-down

104 Lead-in to economic or political  
 105 Lead-in to colonial  
 110 Glazes, e.g.  
 111 Unequaled  
 114 "-- -haw!"  
 115 "Gross!"  
 116 Little -- (tykes)  
 117 British verb ending  
 118 Be in the running (for)  
 119 Noted time  
 120 Actor Faxon



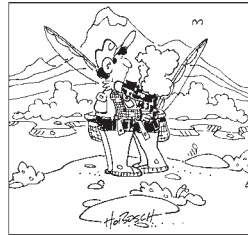
# PUZZLES

## 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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## SCRAMBLERS



"We can't fo on meeting like this.  
My husband is sick of  
-----"

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!

Donate  OWNED

Aspect  REAFUTE

Adorned  PRADED

Grimace  SLOWC

**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: Q equals D

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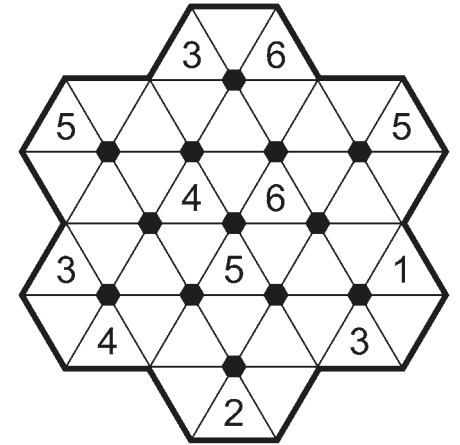
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RNYJR DEA QMIO.

## 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

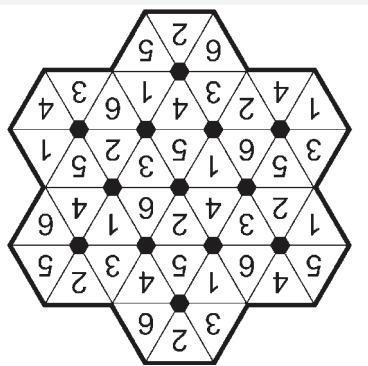
At what time do mariners put up with some critical difficulties? When the ships are down.

### CRYPTOQUIP

#### SEAFOOD

Today's Word  
1. Endow; 2. Feature;  
3. Draped; 4. Scowl

### SCRAMBLERS



### SNOWFLAKES

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### WEEKLY SUDOKU

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### SUPER CROSSWORD



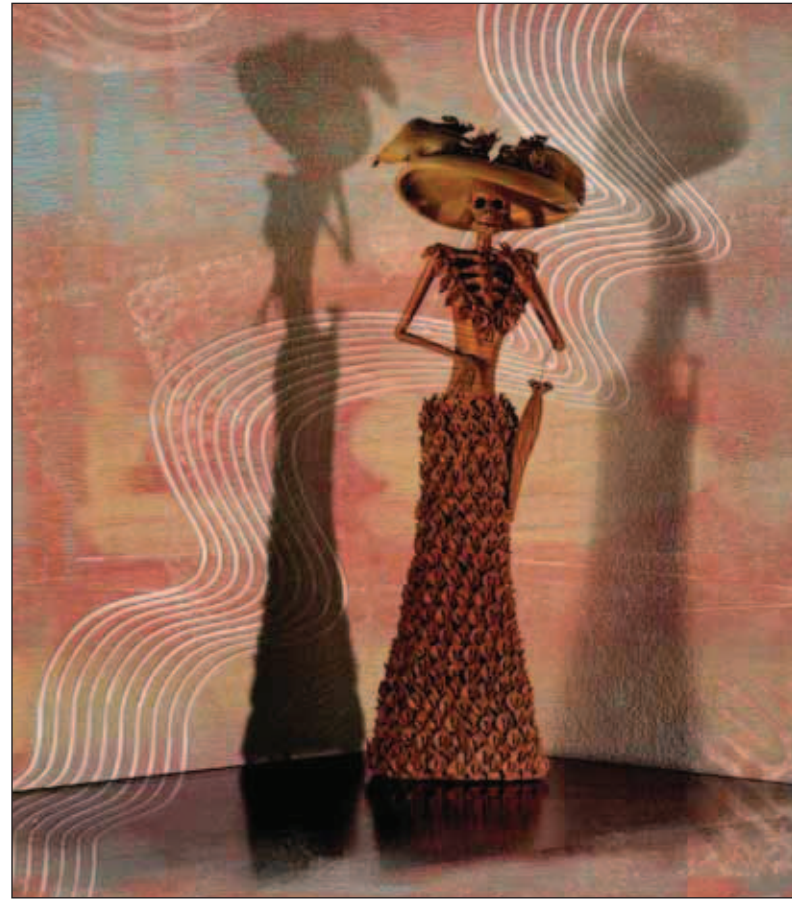
**Purple Madness**  
*in the Plaza*

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**Purple Rain**  
**APRIL 27**  
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Naida Zucker,  
"La Catrina  
of the Calla  
Lilies"

## Fine arts gallery presents May artists

### BULLETIN REPORT

The Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery, 2470-A Calle de Guadalupe, Mesilla, will feature two local artists for the month of May, Bonnie MacQuarrie and Naida Zucker.

MacQuarrie has been doing tile art for the past 15 years, an art form she learned in Tucson before moving to Las Cruces five years ago. Custom tile applications are part of her resume, and the work she most enjoys.

Zucker, a mixed media artist who combines gelatin monotyping with digital photography to create one-of-a-kind art pieces, studied biology at Queens College, New York City, and Zoology at the University of Illinois. She is a retired NMSU zoology professor.

The gallery exhibits art in various mediums. It is open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. daily. Call 575-522-2933 or visit [mesillavalleyfinearts.com](http://mesillavalleyfinearts.com).



Bonnie MacQuarrie, "The Chile Basket"

## GALLERIES & OPENINGS

### All-City High Schools Senior Show 2018

*Through April 28*

Student works in a broad variety of media. Las Cruces Museum of Art, 491 N. Main St. Info: 575-541-2137 or las-cruces.org/museums.

### Enchanted Colorscapes

*Through April 28*

Watercolor exhibit by Arlene J. Tugel at Doña Ana Arts and Cultural Center Gallery, 1740 Calle de Mercado. Info: 575-523-6403, admin@daarts.org or www.daarts.org.

### Gallery favorites

*Through April*

New Mexico artists Carey Crane, Raul Dorn, Joyce Macrorie, Mildred Grossman and Midwestern artists at Mesquite Gallery, 340 N. Mesquite St.

### Gary Biel show at Cutter Gallery

*Through May 4*

A diverse artist with such themes as cattle, kachinas, old trucks, mountains and fields, and locomotives.

### Artists of Picacho Hills

*Through May 11*

Mixed of media from eleven artists at the AVE L. ART thing, Celestial

Hearing Solution, 2001 E. Arroyo Plaza. Info: rm@mtmckeown.com.

### Vision/Revision: New Mexico Poets on the Page

*Through May 19*

A collaboration of NMSU's Library Archives and the Creative Writing Program, exhibit of the works of poets Lorenzo Torrez, Margaret Page Hood, Eugene Manlove Rhodes and Keith Wilson, at Branigan Cultural Center. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

### Nuestra Gente (Our People)

*Through May 31*

The Gallery at Big Picture, 2001 E. Lohman Ave. Suite 109A, presents an exhibit of Francisco Lascrain Labadie, Mexico City architect and cubist-modern art painter (1926-2013). Info: 575-647-0508.

### Storyland: A Trip through Childhood Favorites

*Through June 2*

Traveling exhibit from the Minnesota Children's Museum transforms beloved award-winning books by Eric Hill into three-dimensional play and learning environ-

ments at Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

### Life along the Rio Grande

*Through June 9*

Studio Art Quilt Association members' exhibit at the Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St., explores topics relating to the flora, fauna, and people living near the river. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

### NMSU University Museum

*Through June 30*

Photo exhibit, "Defending Truth and Memory: The Path towards Justice in Guatemala," features 35 photos of the indigenous Guatemalans' struggle for justice.

### Form & Function: Objects with Flair

*Through July 8*

More than 40 objects that combining usefulness and beauty. N.M. Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum Legacy Gallery. Info: 575-522-4100, www.nmfarmandranchmuseum.org.

### How Does Your Garden Grow?

*Through Aug. 5*

Rack of fiber art seed

packets by New Mexico region of Studio Art Quilt Associates. NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum Arts Corridor, 4100 Dripping Springs Road.

### 100 Years Strong

*Through Sept. 16*

History of the Farm & Livestock Bureau. Soil conservation, better irrigation methods, and improved crop production occupied 300 Mesilla Valley farmers and ranchers who first gathered in 1917. NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road.

### Las Cruces and Gadsden student art

*Through mid-October*

More than 100 original student works on display in the first-floor corridors of the Doña Ana County Government Center at 845 N. Motel Blvd.

### Dressed for the Occasion

*Through March 3, 2019*

Women's every day 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

### All media show

The Las Cruces Museum of Art, in collaboration with the University Art Gallery, NMSU, seeks submissions for "Here and Now," a regional exhibition to feature art in all media May 11 through July 21. Submit online through March 30. Info: uag.nmsu.edu/hereandnow/.

### Dia de los Muertos T-shirt and poster design

Calavera Coalition is looking for artists to submit original artwork for the 2018. Artwork must be in black-and-white pen-and-ink reflecting the spirit and celebration of El Dia del los Muertos. Winner gets one free booth space for Mesilla's Dia de los Muertos on the Plaza 2017, valued at \$175. Submissions must be received by Aug. 1. Email digital files to calaveracoalition@gmail.com, CDs to P.O. Box 1308, Mesilla, NM 88046.

### Free audition workshop and auditions

City of the Crosses Community Co-op in-

vites aspiring actors ages 9-19 to audition for the Starlight Theatre's Acting Shakespeare Summer Course and production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Audition at 6:30 p.m. Friday, April 27 and 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 28, Las Cruces Community Theatre, 313 N. Main. Rehearsals, July 18-19; performances July 20-28. Info: 575-312-7623 or starlightonstage.org.

### What is Your Las Cruces?

Branigan Cultural Center is asking Mesilla Valley residents to help shape the exhibit through their responses to questions, dialogue, and an extensive community engagement process. Not only will this exhibit help inform who we are as Las Cruces residents but will help the Plan4LasCruces Team in our long-range planning efforts. Survey: www.surveymonkey.com/r/WYLC101. En español www.surveymonkey.com/r/CETLC-101. Info: museum.collections@las-cruces.org.

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## A&amp;E EVENTS

**MFA thesis exhibit:** 5:30-7:30 p.m. Friday, April 27, Williams Hall, 1390 E. University Ave. NMSU MFA candidates Fahimeh Foudazi, Joshua Flores, Madison Manning, Monica Martinez, Tiago Finato, Patrick Shaffer and Jeffrey Erwin. Cost: Free. Info: Jasmine Woodul, 575-6462545 or artglry@nmsu.edu; uag.nmsu.edu.

**Purple Rain:** 7 p.m. Friday, April 27, Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. A victim of his own anger, the Kid is a Minneapolis musician on the rise with his band, the Revolution, escaping a tumultuous home life through music. Cost: \$8, or purchase a ticket to Purple Rain and the Purple Madness Prince Tribute, 7 p.m., Saturday, April 28 Plaza de Las Cruces for \$20 for both events.

**Flamenco Friday:** 7 p.m. Friday, April 27, Ramada Palms Lava Lounge, 201 E. University Ave. an evening of authentic flamenco and world music, directed by master flamenco dancer Alice Blumenfeld and her group, Abrepaso Flamenco. Info and reservations: www.Flamenco-Fridays.com.

**Rent at NMSU:** 7:30 p.m.

**NM Vintage Wines:** 8-10 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, 3-5 p.m. Sundays, 2461 Calle de Principal, Mesilla

**April 27:** Damián Luna, Latin music with solo guitar.

**April 28th:** Daisy Blue, local musician specializing in fusion of Western and Blues.

**April 29:** Nicole Osborn, vocalist with piano, playing originals with pop, rock, jazz and blues flavor.

Fridays-Saturdays, April 27-28 and May 4-5 and 2 p.m. Sunday, May 6, ASNMSU Center for the Arts. ony-winning musical "Rent" Cost: \$10 general admission, high school students free. Info and tickets: www.nmsutheatre.com/boxoffice.

**Artists who recycle:** 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Saturday, April 28, Museum of Nature & Science atrium, 491 N. Main St. Artrageous series for April features Jane Perkins.

**Day of Dance:** 5-8 p.m. Saturday, April 28, Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. Branigan Cultural Center event celebrates International Day of Dance with an extensive

lineup of dancers of all varieties. 575-541-2154 or museums.Las-cruces.org.

**Horn Choir concert:** 2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 29, Atkinson Recital Hall at the NMSU. University Horn Choir, affectionately known as the NMSU Corno Crew, will present their annual spring concert. Cost: Free. Info: 575-646-1390.

**Community Arts Awards:** 3-6 p.m., Sunday, April 29, 1740 Calle de Mercado. Doña Ana Arts Council presents its Community Arts Awards. Cost: \$15 per person. Info: 575-523-6403 or www.daarts.org.

**Mayor's Jazz Fest:** 6 p.m. Sunday, April 29, Plaza de Las Cruces. Performances from the Oñate High School Jazz Workshop, El Paso's Side Effects Organ Trio, and Grace Kelly, an award-winning saxophonist, singer, and composer from Boston.

**Photography club programs:** Doña Ana Photography Club has three programs in May at the Southwest Environmental Center 275 N. Main St. Info: www.daphotoclub.org.

• 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 1: Light Painting with Colleen Gino from New

Mexico Tech. Cost: Free.

• 9-noon Saturday, May 12: Q&A and image critique. Have images critiqued by members of the Doña Ana Photography Club. Cost: \$5. Info and registration: Rob Peinert education@daphotoclub.org.

• 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 15: What's New with Instant Cameras? Rob Peinert will look at the latest in the resurgence of instant cameras. Cost: Free.

**Santa Fe Opera:** 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 1, Good Samaritan Auditorium, 3011 Buena Vida Circle. "Trinity," an original, one-act opera featuring young artists from the Opera's Apprentice Program for Singers and set in southern New Mexico in the present day and during World War II. Cost: Free.

**Get ArtRageous:** 5:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays in May, DAAC Arts & Cultural Center, 1740 Calle de Mercado. Cost: \$30 includes materials and light refreshments. Info: 575-523-6403 or www.daarts.org.

• May 2: Alcohol Ink on Yupo Paper with Rachel Courtney. Note: 5:30 p.m. class is full; there is currently space in the 2-4 p.m. class.

• May 9: "Mosaic on a garden rock" with Linda

Elkins.

• May 16: "Simple Block Printing" with Laurel Weathersbee.

• May 23: Using acrylics to paint still life pears with Sally Quillin. Additional class 2-4 p.m.

• May 30: "Shibori Silk Scarf" with Linda Elkins.

**Feed Your Mind:** 5:30-7 p.m. Thursdays, May 3 and 10, DAAC Arts & Cultural Center, 1740 Calle de Mercado. Social hour 4:30-5:30 p.m. Cost: \$20, included for those registered for the series.

• May 3: Fine Art of Craft Beer with Stuart Munson-McGee, chemistry professor at NMSU.

• May 10: "Impressionism" Part 4 with Kathleen Key, art historian.

**PictoGraff panel discussion:** 5 p.m. Friday, May 4, NMSU University Museum in Kent Hall. "Ancient Graffiti or Future Rock Art." Arrowsoul artists Joseph Sullivan, UNEK, Rogue, Zyme One and Neoglyphix will discuss the links between ancient rock art and the current public art movement. Related event Saturday. Info: 575-541-2154 or museums.las-cruces.org.

**Volunteer Open House:** 5:30-7 p.m. Friday, May 4,

Branigan Cultural Center, 501 North Main St. Anyone interested in volunteering at the Branigan Cultural Center, Museum of Art, Museum of Nature & Science, and Railroad Museum is invited to attend for casual refreshments and Q&A. Info: 575-522-3120 or museums.las-cruces.org.

**Evening of art:** 6-8 p.m. Friday, May 4, J. Paul Taylor Academy, 402 W. Court Ave, Building 2. Experience the youthful, creative minds of the community at the We Are All Creators student art exhibition. With food trucks and art demonstrations by the kids in sculpture, painting, and weaving demos. Info: Stephanie Sweet 575-639-4093 or stephanie.sweet@jpaultayloracademy.org.

**PictoGraff:** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, May 5, courtyard between the Museum of Art and Branigan Cultural Center. An art studio for aerosol, marker, and screen-print artists. "PictoGraff: The Art of Warprayer" highlights the historical value of wall art and expressions of the indigenous mind. Related event Friday. Info:

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## NMSU ART OPEN HOUSE

## Friday, April 27

- Open Studios, D.W. Williams Hall and Williams Annex, 5-7:30 p.m.
- Almost Famous Student Art Sale, D.W. Williams Hall, 5-7:30 p.m.
- MFA Exhibition Reception, UAG, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Small Flavors: Student Art Exhibition, Williams Annex, Room 107c, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- BFA Exhibition Reception, Wells Hall, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

## Saturday, April 28

- Photograms, Williams Annex, Room 118, 10-11 a.m.
- Open Studios, D.W. Williams Hall and Williams Annex, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- Almost Famous Student Art Sale, D.W. Williams Hall, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- MFA Exhibition, UAG, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- BFA Exhibition, Wells Hall, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- Small Flavors: Student Art Exhibition, Williams Annex, Room 107c, 10 a.m.-4

p.m.

- Workshops/Demos, D. W. Williams Hall, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- Pendants, Room 209, 11 a.m.-noon
- Exquisite Corpse Drawing, Room 212, noon-1 p.m.
- Art History Lectures, D.W. Williams Hall, Room 205, noon-1:45 p.m.
- Alginate Molds, Room 107, noon-1 p.m.
- MFA Gallery Talks, UAG, 2-3 p.m.
- Press Mold Bowls, Room 120, 3-4 p.m.

Erin Sullivan as Marilyn Monroe

COURTESY PHOTO



## Falling in love with Marilyn, again

### BULLETIN REPORT

The Rio Grande Theatre again welcomes actress Erin Sullivan as she presents her one-woman tribute to screen goddess Marilyn Monroe. “With Love, Marilyn” will be performed at 6:30 p.m. Friday, June 1, 5 p.m. Saturday, June 2.

Sullivan will reprise the role she originated on the Rio Grande stage in Tony Award-winning playwright Mark Medoff’s “Marilee And Baby Lamb: The Assassination Of An American Goddess.”

Sullivan was inspired to continue her exploration of the glamorous icon by penning this playful, sensual musical journey with co-writer Stephanie Rosenberg, weaving together stories of Monroe’s life, her loves and her legacy. The result is “an honest and at times heartbreaking homage to one of the most unforgettable figures of the 20th century,” according to a news release.

“In this intimate behind-the-scenes evening, we are transported back in time to that ‘what if’ dress rehearsal, as Mari-

lyn prepares to entertain you. Audiences will fall in love all over again with Marilyn, watching Sullivan’s tribute portrayal of the famed sex goddess you know and love, performing classic songs such as ‘I Wanna Be Loved By You,’ ‘My Heart Belongs To Daddy’ and ‘Diamonds Are A Girl’s Best Friend,’ accompanied by a three-piece band with new orchestrated arrangements by one of Broadway’s finest musical directors, Henry Aronson “

Jacquelyn Claire of

the New York Theater Guide writes, “Sullivan channels Monroe to deliver a performance of cheeky humor, sexy seduction and scintillating song. She looks, speaks and moves like Marilyn and it’s like going back in time.”

“With Love, Marilyn” is directed by co-writer Stephanie Rosenberg.

Tickets are \$27.50 and can be purchased at [www.borderlandsfilm-festival.org](http://www.borderlandsfilm-festival.org) or by calling the Borderlands Film Festival office at 575-408-9026.

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575-541-2154 or [museums.las-cruces.org](http://museums.las-cruces.org).

**Crafts for Kids:** 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, May 5, N.M. Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Children are invited to come make a craft for Mother’s Day. Cost: Free with museum admission. \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, \$3 for children 4 to 17, and free for children 3 and under.

**Cinco de Mayo:** Noon-10 p.m. Saturday, May 5 and noon-7 p.m. Sunday, May 6, Mesilla Plaza. Town of Mesilla holds its annual Cinco de Mayo Fiesta. Around 30 vendor booths offer a variety of art, crafts, games, drinks and food. Info: 575-524-3262 ext. 116.

**Saturday, May 5**  
12 p.m., Welcome by Mayor Nora L. Barraza, national anthem by Mariachi Aguilas, invocation by Father Christopher Williams, Basilica de San Albino

Noon-2 p.m., Ballet Folklorico de la Tierra del Encanto with Conjunto La Juventud

2-3 p.m., East Picacho Ballet Folklorico

3-4 p.m., Mariachi Flores Mexicanas

4-5:30 p.m., Las Perlitas del Pueblo with Mariachi Aguilas

5:30-6:30 p.m., Ballet Folklorico K’aay

5:30-6:30 p.m., Greased pole climb sponsored by Andele Restaurant; pinatas

6:30-10 p.m., Tejas

**Sunday, May 6**

Noon, Welcome by Mayor Nora L. Barraza, national anthem by Karlos Saucedo

12:30-1:30 p.m., Ballet Folklorico de la Tierra del

Encanto with Mariachi Azteca

1:30-2:30 p.m., Ballet Folklorico Herencia Mexicana

2:30-3:30 p.m., Mariachi Alma de Jalisco

3:30-4 p.m., Greased pole climb sponsored by Andele Restaurant; pinatas

4-7 p.m., Latin Funktion

**USA Dance:** 3-6 p.m. Sunday, May 6, Rentfrow Hall, NMSU. Two-step, waltz, foxtrot, cha cha, salsa, tango, swing, hustle, cumbia and more. Free dance lessons 2:15-3 p.m. Cost: \$5 for members, \$10 for non-members. Info: Ellen Davis, 575-522-1438 or [edavis4455@yahoo.com](mailto:edavis4455@yahoo.com) or Jerry Carson, 575-639-3993 or [geraldcarolcarson@gmail.com](mailto:geraldcarolcarson@gmail.com).

**Quilt matters:** 3-4 p.m. Tuesdays, May 8 and May 22, Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. screenings of episodes from the PBS documentary “Why Quilts Matter: History, Art & Politics.” Cost: Free. Info: 575-541-2154 or [museums.las-cruces.org](http://museums.las-cruces.org).

**Casa Concerts:** 7:30 p.m. Fridays, May 11 and 19, DAAC Arts & Cultural Center, 1740 Calle de Mercado. Cost: \$20 at the door or buy tickets online at [daarts.org](http://daarts.org).

• May 11: The Hard Road Trio.

• May 19: Euterpe, Flamenco guitar and percussion.

**Gallery open house:** 1-4 p.m. Saturday, May 12, Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery, 2470-A Calle de Guadalupe across from the Fountain Theatre in Mesilla. Mothers will receive a free gift for Mothers Day. Includes music and refreshments. Info: 575-522-2933.

# NMSU chorus joins symphony for May concerts

By **MIKE COOK**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

It's your last chance to see the Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra (LCSO) in concert during the 2017-18 season.

The symphony, under the direction of Dr. Lonnie Klein, will perform Classics Six at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 5, and 3 p.m. Sunday, May 6, at the NMSU Music Building, 1075 N. Horseshoe on the NMSU campus.

Selections will include Giuseppe Verdi's "Requiem Mass."

Concert tickets are \$35, \$40 and \$45.

Meet Klein and learn more about LCSO and the "Classics Six" concert at "Lonnie's Spotlight Luncheon," beginning at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, May 3, at Paisano Café,



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The NMSU Masterworks Chorus will join the Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra for the symphony's May 5-6 Classics Six concert at the NMSU Music Building.

1840 Calle de Mercado in the Bulletin Plaza. Lunch tickets are \$20.

LCSO traces its roots to 1958 when NMSU vocal music professor Oscar Butler gathered Las Cruces musicians to perform Brahms's Requiem, according to the LCSO website. In 1961, Dr. John Glowacki, the new head of the NMSU

Department of Fine Arts, merged the fledgling community orchestra with the university orchestra, forming the University-Civic Symphony.

In 1975 Dr. Marianna Gabbi became conductor of the orchestra. Under her leadership, the Las Cruces Symphony Society (now the Las Cruces Symphony Association) was formed. After Gabbi's retirement in 1999,

Klein became LCSO director. Debra Marks is executive director of the association.

For lunch and concert tickets, call 575-646-3709. Visit [lascrucessymphony.com](http://lascrucessymphony.com) and [music.nmsu.edu/index.php/en/choirs](http://music.nmsu.edu/index.php/en/choirs).

Mike Cook may be reached at [mike@lascrucesbulletin.com](mailto:mike@lascrucesbulletin.com).



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Doña Ana County Commissioner and long-time Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra supporter Billy Garrett, right, buys a 2018 LCSO raffle ticket from Maestro Dr. Lonnie Klein.

## LCSO raffle underway

The Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra's (LCSO) annual raffle is underway.

Only 400 tickets will be sold at \$50 each.

First prize is \$2,500. Second prize is a LCSO 2018-19 season ticket.

The winning tickets will be drawn after intermission at the symphony's Sunday, May 6 Classic Six concert at

the NMSU Music Building.

Because ticket sales comprise 42 percent of the symphony's annual budget, the raffle and other fundraisers are essential.

To purchase tickets online, visit [www.lascrucessymphony.com/](http://www.lascrucessymphony.com/). You can also buy tickets during LCSO's May 5 and 6 concerts.

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## 'Rent' opens on NMSU campus

One of the most anticipated theatrical events of the year begins Friday, April 27, with the premiere of the NMSU Theatre Arts Department's production of the Tony-winning musical "Rent." The curtain goes up at 7:30 p.m.

Additional performances are 7:30 p.m. Saturday, April 28, and Friday-Saturday, May 4-5; and 2 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, May 5-6. There will be a talkback with the cast and crew after the May 5 show.

"Rent" is the story of a group of impoverished young artists and musicians struggling to survive and create in New York's Lower East



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Calvin Chervinko as Mark and Asiah Thomas-Mandlman as Joanne.

Side under the shadow of HIV/AIDS.

The musical is directed by NMSU Theatre Arts Department Head Wil Kilroy, with Assistant Pro-

fessor Megan McQueen as musical director.

For tickets and information, call 575-646-1420. Visit [www.nmsutheatre.com/201718\\_rent.php](http://www.nmsutheatre.com/201718_rent.php).

# 'Oh Lucy!': Pathetic romance in a dark and curious drama

By **JEFF BERG**

For the Bulletin

This interesting but unusual movie has a rather chilling opening.

It opens wordlessly on a commuter train platform in Tokyo. Most of the people waiting for the train are withdrawn and wearing dust masks. Of a sudden, as the speeding train approaches, a man jumps in front of it, without warning and without much reaction by the other commuters.

One of the bystanders is Setsuko, a middle-aged woman with a boring and dead-end job. The scene really doesn't play into the movie, but it kind of sets the tone of curious drama, dark comedy and pathetic romance that ensues.

Soon after, we follow Setsuko to an odd café/bar where her niece Mika works. Mika, sprightly and smiling to no end and wearing a clichéd French maid costume at her restaurant job, is taking an English class taught by an American named John. She can't continue with the course as we find out (since not long afterward the niece runs away to Los Angeles with John) and convinces Setsuko to spend the 600 yen (about \$5,600) to take the course herself.

Setsuko shows up for the first class, which is in a bland old building, and is immediately set upon by the lively John (Josh Harnett) and told to speak only English, probably in part because he doesn't know much Japanese himself.

He is overwhelmingly

## GRADE: C+

The Fountain Theatre in Mesilla will host "Oh Lucy!" For a week, starting tonight, April 27.

cheerful and soon has Setsuko wearing a blonde wig and using the name Lucy as a sort of alternative identity. There is but one other student in the class, a man, renamed Tom, who is about the same age as Setsuko. As the film progresses, Tom, who seems centered and kind, develops an interest in Lucy, to no avail.

Setsuko is also crass enough to get drunk at a company party for a cheery but rather useless retiring co-worker who everyone pretends to adore and tells all what they all really think of her – which is true, but very hurtful. The next scene shows the older woman holding some colorful balloons on a train platform, and one really must wonder if this saddened, but caring person is going to kill herself as well. It is a horrific moment, to be sure.

Although it is hard to tell why or if it is for real, Setsuko develops a crush on John, but soon after she finds out that John and Mika have gone to LA.

Setsuko and her sister, Ayako, who holds no great adornment for Setsuko, are soon off to LA themselves, as Ayako wants Mika back and needs to confront her about her decision to just take off.



COURTESY PHOTO

**Setsuko (Shinobu Terajima), right, is not all that easy to like in "Oh Lucy!"**

Things only get worse from here, as they discover John in a lowball apartment, about to get evicted and find out that Mika is on the run. Things are explained, sort of, by John, a genteel conman for sure, but Setsuko, again without much reasoning, still has her eye on John and it is not long before she seduces him in a car. Repercussions ensue for everyone and this is where the heavier part of the drama sets in.

This film is a remake of a very popular Japanese short film of the same name, and is vaguely similar at times to the much, much better "Kumiko, The Treasure Hunter" from a few years ago.

It is frightfully uneven, and it is really difficult to like Setsuko, although that might be the point. At moments "Oh Lucy!" is very funny, at others very odd, and never stays on any one path.

Setsuko, if she has a heart, hasn't really found it and if she has found it, it is not quite in the right place.

Jeff Berg has been reviewing movies for the Bul-

letin since 2002. He lives in Santa Fe and may be reached at nedludd76@hotmail.com.

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# On Broadway

An adaptation of Las Cruces playwright Mark Medoff's "Children of a Lesser God" premiered on Broadway in New York April 11, and some 50 friends and family came to celebrate the occasion. From left, Joshua Jackson, Medoff and Lauren Ridloff. Jackson and Ridloff star in the production. "Children of a Lesser God" won three Tony awards in 1980.

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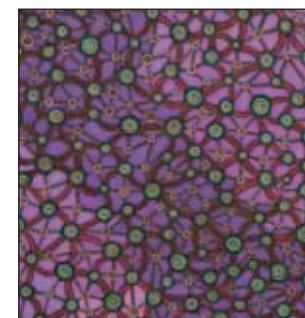
## Arts association moves to historic district

### BULLETIN REPORT

The Las Cruces Arts Association (LCAA) has moved its office from Main Street to Nopalito's Galeria, 326 Mesquite St., next to Nopalito's restaurant.

At the new location, in the city's planned Arts & Cultural District, the organization has two gallery rooms to hang members' artwork, plus use of a patio.

A grand opening is scheduled for 5-8 p.m. Friday, May 4, during the First Friday Art Ramble, continuing noon-2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday



LCAA plans to continue events such as artist demos, workshops, speakers and featured artists. Exhibits will change for the Art Rambles and remain on display throughout the month.

The mailing address is PO Box 1132, Las Cruces,

NM 88004.

Established in 1962, LCAA's mission "is to foster an environment for artists of all levels, to come together to learn and to share the joy of art and extend that enjoyment to the greater community," according to a news release.

LCAA has 75 members and has a reciprocal membership with Art-Forms. Annual membership dues are \$30. There is a hanging fee of \$10-\$15 for up to four pieces exhibited by the artist.

Call 575-532-1046 or email jacklsg1@gmail.com.

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# Animal sanctuary hosts 'Wineing for the Animals'

## BULLETIN REPORT

Safe Haven Animal Sanctuary (SHAS) will host its eighth annual "Wineing for the Animals" fundraiser 5:30—8:30 p.m. Thursday, May 3 at Grapevine Plaza, 3900 W. Picacho Ave.

Tickets are \$30 each or \$55 per couple and include complimentary hors d'oeuvres, wine or beer, live outdoor music by Alison Reynolds and a silent auction that includes more than 150 items.

Purchase tickets in advance online at shaspets.networkforgood.com, the Safe Haven thrift store, 840-D El Paseo Road; Safe Haven Sanctuary, 6890 Eagle Road; and at Grapevine Plaza. You can also purchase tickets at the door on the evening of



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the event.

Proceeds of the event will benefit homeless cats and dogs of Las Cruces.

Attendees must be at least 21 years old.

SHAS is a nonprofit three-acre shelter located about 10 miles east of Las Cruces. It's home to up to 45 dogs and 35 cats at any one time. The shelter was founded in 1996 and relies on community support for the operation of the shel-

ter and the thrift store.

Adoption visits can be made 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Tuesday and other times by prior arrangement. To schedule an appointment, call 575-805-5338.

For more information, call the SHAS office at 575-527-4544. Visit shaspets.com. Contact SHAS volunteer coordinator Tricia Quillen at 408-529-1065 or tricia@shaspets.com.

## PET OF THE WEEK

### LILY

Meet Lily! She is our last girl for the 'Spring Me' April promotion. Her picture definitely describes her personality.

She is a goofy but very playful gal. She is 3 1/2 years old and she is always ready for a fun time.

Come stop by the Animal Service Center of the Mesilla Valley to meet her and possibly make her a part of your family!

### Hours, location and contact information

ASCMV is open from noon to 6 p.m., Monday-Friday; noon to 5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday, at 3551 Bataan Memorial West. Info: 575-382-0018.



### Off-site adoption events

- Farmers & Crafts Market: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. every Saturday, downtown (dog adoptions: far north end of the market on the Downtown Mall; cat adoptions: Center for Spiritual Living, 575 N. Main St.).
- PetCo: 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. every Saturday, 3050 E. Lohman Ave., Bldg. D.
- Tractor Supply, 1440 W. Picacho Ave., 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday
- PetSmart, 2200 E. Lohman

Ave.: 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sunday

### Additional services offered

- Microchip: \$20, available daily, no appointment necessary.
- Pet licenses: City and county licenses available daily (City and county: altered \$7; unaltered \$50).
- Low-cost spay/neuter program: dogs are \$35, cats are \$25; by appointment only.

### Donation requests

ASCMV needs human volunteers, along with dog crates, blankets (without filling, no sleeping bags), towels, collars and leashes. Donations can be dropped off during normal business hours or left at the door.

### Volunteers

If you love animals and would like to make a difference, contact the volunteer coordinator or stop by to learn about volunteer opportunities.

## THE CAT'S MEOW ADOPTABLE CAT OF THE WEEK

### LUNA

Luna is a five year gentle lady that would live to sit in your lap. She would like to be the only kitty in the house. Her vaccinations are up to date, and she is spayed/neutered. Come visit Luna and her kitty family at the Cat's Meow Rescue and Adoption Center.



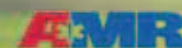
The Cat's Meow Rescue and Adoption center is located at 2211 N. Mesquite St. It is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday or by appointment at 575-640-0011. Visit online at [www.thecatsmeowlascruces.com](http://www.thecatsmeowlascruces.com) or find them on Facebook.



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## WORSHIP CALENDAR



**Alden Solovy: 7:30 p.m.**  
Monday-Tuesday, April 30-  
May 1, Temple Beth-El of  
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Springs Ave. Temple Beth-  
El will host writer, poet  
and liturgist Alden Solovy  
as a scholar-in-residence.

He will present "The  
Art and Act of Prayer"  
7:30 p.m. Monday, and  
"Discover Your Personal  
Prayer" 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Alden's writing was  
transformed by multiple  
tragedies, marked in 2009  
by the sudden death of  
his wife from catastrophic  
brain injury. As a result, he  
deepened his exploration  
of meditation, poetry, lit-  
urgy and personal prayer  
as a healing, spiritual prac-  
tice. His third book, "This  
Grateful Heart: Psalms and  
Prayers for a New Day,"  
was recently released by  
CCAR Press.

His prayers appear regu-  
larly on www.reformjuda-  
ism.org and RitualWell.org.

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## ONGOING

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Church, 1400 6th St. Com-  
munion served to all be-  
lievers. Info: Herb Pinney,  
575-650-3915.

**Campus Mass: 12:10 p.m.**  
Tuesday, Newman Center,  
2615 S. Solano Drive. Catho-  
lic students and St. Albert  
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stalbertnewmancenter.org.

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tation.

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and emotional health. Info:  
www.coda.org or Wayne at  
575-647-5684.

# Letting go as a spiritual discipline

My mother lived to be almost 96, in fairly good shape until the last four years when a minor stroke laid her low. We closed her apartment, knowing that she would not be able to live alone anymore. She had outlived my father by 35 years and had occupied the same second-floor walk-up apartment in Philadelphia most of those years. We distributed her possessions among us and gave the key back to the landlord, an old family friend.

Three weeks later my mother returned to full consciousness to find her-



**GABRIEL ROCHELLE**

Tales from the Cassock

self in an assisted-living facility for the aging. I was with her at the time. The conversation was simple: Is this where I live now? Yes, mother, it is. We had to close your apartment because

you can't live on your own anymore. A short pause occurred and then she said, "The food's not bad."

Thirty-five years in the same place given up in a flash. Most of her possessions were in storage in our several garages. The last of her friends was at a significant distance. And all she said was, "The food's not bad"?

One of her best friends was the mother of a friend of mine. When her husband died, she told my friend that she would move to California to live with her. My friend said that she was welcome to do so but wondered how long it would take her to arrange matters and clear out the house.

A while later she arrived with a clutch of suitcases. My friend wondered what had happened to the rest of the household goods from a house they had occupied for 50 years. Gave it all away, said her mom, and stepped over the threshold to new life.

The Pennsylvania Germans have a word for

what most of us would see as this extraordinary behavior; they call it *Gelassenheit*. It means the ongoing ability to let things go and live in the moment. It means relinquishing your cares and concerns and rolling with the punches life deals you without regret or rancor. It means relaxing into the circumstances you have at the time.

It is indeed a spiritual virtue, because nobody can do this without spiritual resources. Most of us get so angry when things don't go right in our lives. We fuss and fume and lose our cool over even minor matters, like losing a parking space to the guy in front of

us or breaking a wooden spoon.

For my mother and my friend's mother, who were faithful Christians, the whole thing went back to Jesus. After all, he had said, "Do not take thought for the morrow, for the morrow shall take care of itself. Sufficient unto each day is the evil thereof." Be present where you are. Accept the conditions of your life, whether foul or fair. If they are foul, deal with them as best you can. If you cannot understand the lesson of difficult times, wait patiently and it will be revealed to you.

My mother was an orphan at 6 and lost her guardian at 13. Life was

never easy. But she lived by the virtue of *Gelassenheit*, including when my father died abruptly and relatively young. Teach me to drive, she said, I'm not going to spend the rest of my life in the house. By letting go, she was able to move on. No dwelling in the past. No whining about difficult times. Press on toward the newness of the next day. New life awaits if only you don't hold back and try to hold on to what has already gone by.

*Fr. Gabriel Rochelle is pastor of St Anthony of the Desert Orthodox Mission, Las Cruces. Visit the church web site at stanthonylc.org.*

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Doña Ana Community College student Jesse Villareal describes his Green Piggie trash grinding device during a student pitch competition in October. Villareal won funding through the competition and has been selected for a semester-long Hunt Startup Sponsorship to continue working on his business idea.



Studio G Director Kramer Winingham presents a free half-day business accelerator workshop at New Mexico State University Alamogordo. The workshop was offered to the community through the Next Gen Entrepreneurship program at NMSU's Arrowhead Center.

## NMSU's Studio G helps launch homegrown businesses

By **AMANDA BRADFORD**

For the Bulletin

Entrepreneurial community college students and alumni across the New Mexico State University system are making their mark on their communities with support from Studio G, the student business accelerator at NMSU's Arrowhead Center.

Thanks to a three-year Regional Innovation Strategies i6 Challenge grant Arrowhead received in 2016 from the U.S. Economic Development Administration in the Department of Commerce, the university's entrepreneurship and innovation hub was able to expand its reach with a program called Next Generation Entrepreneur-

ship, launching Studio G at each of NMSU's two-year campuses, including Doña Ana Community College, NMSU-Alamogordo, NMSU-Carlsbad and NMSU-Grants.

Since that time, students at these campuses have brought more than 90 new business ventures at different stages to Studio G for support. These Next Gen Studio G sites have also created student contests with cash prizes for the best business idea pitches and hosted free half-day business accelerators open to members of the community.

"Grants is a rural community where bringing in new resources like Studio G can make a big difference," said Zac Smith, the Studio G champion at the NMSU-Grants campus.

"Out of all of the new businesses registered in Grants in 2017, about 25 percent are Studio G clients."

At a student business idea pitch competition hosted by Studio G Grants last fall, Dana Eicher won \$1,000 to support starting up her professional cleaning business.

"This funding from Studio G really helped me by giving me the opportunity to invest in some advertising and equipment for my business," Eicher said.

Smith said an added benefit for each of the competition's participants was the opportunity to raise awareness of what they were doing. "All of our competitors walked away from the ex-

perience with at least one potential client, too."

In Alamogordo, Studio G partnered in March with the Small Business Development Center to host a free half-day accelerator. Trish Livingston, director of the center, said the partnership brings a new perspective to the community for those new and existing businesses that her organization supports.

"This seminar really brought it all together and helped them with some valuable insights on the marketing and launch of their new businesses," she said.

Livingston also served as a judge for the student pitch contest at NMSU-A, and said these types of opportunities are a great way to motivate students

and others in the community.

"A lot of people in our community have an idea or a product, but they don't know where to start," she said. "Sometimes people just need more guidance and resources. We work closely with Studio G to get them the advising that will help them get started."

At Doña Ana Community College, the largest of the four community colleges in the NMSU system, more than 56 new businesses have joined Studio G. DACC student Jesse Villareal won funding for his Green Piggie trash grinding device through a student pitch competition in October and has been selected for a semester-long Hunt Startup Sponsorship to

continue working on his business idea. The Hunt sponsorships are made possible by a \$2.5 million gift from the Hunt Family Foundation to Arrowhead Center in 2017.

"One of the key benefits of bringing students from our community colleges into Studio G is that they can then access many of the programs and resources that Arrowhead Center offers, from our sprint accelerators and startup sponsorships to Aggie I-Corps and Aggie Shark Tank," said Studio G Director Kramer Winingham. "It opens the door for them to obtain the outside funding and support they need to take their business idea to market at a

# 'Made in China 2025' justifies Trump trade actions

"Made in China 2025" is Beijing's strategy for transforming China into a hi-tech giant that dominates industries like robotics, avionics and electric vehicles. It is also a step back from the market forms, relying instead on top-down decision-making.

The strategy depends on massive government subsidies and centrally directed loans to key industries. The goal is "self-sufficiency" in these industries while at the same time seeking to dominate global markets. Key to the success of the plan is acquiring foreign technologies. As such, the plan is an attack on the competitiveness of U.S. industries.

Beijing has long followed a policy of forcing foreign companies want-



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ing to do business in China to partner with local companies, giving the local companies access to hi-tech. Later the former partners become competitors. Forcing Boeing

to produce in China, for example, is a key strategy in China's stated goal of gaining dominance in avionics.

This longtime strategy of forced partnering is now on steroids with the adoption of "Made in China." It is a policy aimed at systematically stealing from the U.S. and other advanced countries.

China is not concerned with complying with the rules-based free trade approach that is the global norm, as in bodied in WTO. The intent, instead, is to use action,

in the form of subsidies and government directed loans, to gain global dominance in hi-tech. By setting targets and goals by industry, as China has, the plan violates WTO to which China is a party.

It is China's lack of compliance with WTO that is the entry for Donald Trump to impose sanctions. Trump can be ham-handed, but he has a point. While economists have shown the benefits of free trade, which are undoubted, we have also shown that when one side of the transaction uses the coercive power of the state to shape the transaction while the other side is passive, an imbalance can be created in favor of the market manipulator.

In the current situation, China is forcing tech transfer from the U.S. companies without just compensation. In effect,

U.S. companies are "paying" for access to Chinese markets via tech transfer. The Chinese government is using its monopoly over access to Chinese markets to overcharge for this access. And the Chinese plan on using this newly acquired tech to take market share from American firms.

Were China to become dominant in one market or another as an organic outcome of free market forces, who can complain? Indeed, the beauty of capitalism is its ability to direct resources to their best uses. If China can out compete against the United States in hi-tech, the world is better off. But when government control is used to divert resources to less effective uses. The world is worse off even if China is better off.

While Trump's strategy of threatening a

trade war is not illogical, there is another approach, one adopted by the Obama administration, which is to ignore "Made in China 2025."

With or without U.S. sanctions, whether "Made in China 2025" will work is an open question. Expecting dimwitted Chinese bureaucrats to pull off a complicated thing like a tech revolution seems a bit far fetched.

Certainly, there are many examples from history of failed centrally controlled economies that are now in the dustbin of history. In this view, it precisely because China has adopted a top-down economic approach is why they will fail; therefore, benign neglect

is the best response

The problem is, even if "Made in China 2025" is ultimately a failure, China can still do much mischief in the process of failing. Too often state support has local companies and governments chasing after subsidies, resulting in overcapacity. It is exactly this overcapacity that led to a global steel glut that was the initial target of Trump's tariffs.

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much faster pace."

Studio G clients at NMSU's community colleges have a wide variety of businesses. The nine ventures currently underway at NMSU-Carlsbad include a ballroom dance studio, a construction company, a wedding event center, a juice and smoothie bar, a candy shop and a social media company, among others.

"Any type of business can benefit from Studio G," Winingham said. "We see very high-tech companies with intellectual property that needs to be

protected, and we also see service-oriented businesses that have a very specific market in their own communities."

The success of the new Studio G sites through the U.S. EDA grant has served as a model to expand Studio G to six additional sites outside the NMSU system, thanks to a generous grant from the Daniels Fund. Studio G sites opened this semester at the University of New Mexico's Anderson School of Business in Albuquerque, Western New Mexico University in Silver City, Eastern New Mexico University in Roswell, New Mexico Tech

in Socorro, San Juan College in Farmington, and Santa Fe Community College. Studio G is also available at Navajo Technical University through a grant from the Kellogg Foundation.

For more information about Studio G and how to join, visit [arrowhead-center.nmsu.edu/studiog](http://arrowhead-center.nmsu.edu/studiog).

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# Record-keeping is essential to running a small business

One of the most important aspects of running a small business is the keeping of accurate records. To assist you in this, a separate checking account for the small

business is essential. Not only is it critical for assessing the opportunities and risks that can affect your company's profitability and potential for growth, it is also necessary for ensuring legal and regulatory responsibility.

Regardless of the type of business you're running, record keeping comes with the territory. Some types of documentation and information are required for all businesses and others may be required depending on the type of business you are in.

Here is a list of some commonly required records that a business must maintain. It will give you an idea of the basic items you need to track and maintain, depending on your business's legal structure:

- Accounting records
- Expenses
- Income
- Invoices
- Customer payments and transaction records.
- Tax filings (monthly, quarterly, annually – whatever is applicable)
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- Purchase Orders
- Licenses and Permits
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- Articles of Incorporation or Certificate of Organization

- Operating Agreement
- Annual Meeting Minutes
- Trademark, service mark and patent registrations
- Inventory logs

Obviously, there's a lot to stay on top of when you are a small-business owner. To help prevent important details from slipping through the cracks, you need to stay organized and educate yourself about what information and documentation you need to keep.

Software programs (such as accounting tools, sales and customer data bases, inventory software, etc.) alleviate some of the work, but they all require some manual attention to make sure data is logged in accurately and on time. If information is missing or inaccurate, you, not anyone else, are ultimately responsible for the accuracy of your records.

Also make sure you back up your digital data. A USB memory stick is an excellent way to back things up, rather than just saving data on your computer. Also

consider using an external hard drive or using one of the cloud based services.

Consulting with professionals who specialize in taxes, accounting and business law can also help ensure that you meet the legal regulations and requirements. If you find it difficult to dedicate time to maintaining good records, you might consider transferring some of the routine record keeping to a trusted and reliable bookkeeper, an assistant or a consultant.

For help in knowing where to look and what questions to ask locating reputable professionals in your community, consider asking your SCORE mentor, local Chamber of Commerce or other business colleagues for advice.

SCORE is national organization with locations throughout the country. The purpose of this organization is to assist those wishing to start a business, or add to, sell or turn around their business. In Las Cruces they are located at 505 S. Main St.

For information about starting or maintaining a business, call the Las Cruces chapter at 575-523-5627 or email them at [score.397@scorelascruces.org](mailto:score.397@scorelascruces.org).

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# Las Cruces cited for small-business award

## BULLETIN REPORT

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) New Mexico District Office has announced the 20 small businesses, champions and lenders named 2018 SBA New Mexico Small Business Week Award Winners.

Debbi Moore, president and CEO of the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce was winner of the New Mexico Legacy Award. She was the lone Las Cruces-area recipient.

No one from Las Cruces won in 2017.

Since 1963, National Small Business Week has been set as the first week in May. This year the dates are April 30-May 5, with local celebrations and events hosted by SBA throughout the country to honor outstanding small business owners, champions and lenders.



Debbi Moore

All 20 New Mexico winners will be recognized at a breakfast awards ceremony at Sandia Golf Club in Albuquerque on Wednesday, May 2, 7:30 a.m., hosted by the SBA, the Albuquerque Hispano Chamber of Commerce and the New Mexico Small Business Development Center Network. Ceremony information and registration are available at [nmsmallbusinessawards.eventbrite.com](http://nmsmallbusinessawards.eventbrite.com).

“SBA recognizes these

small business honorees for their extraordinary contributions to strengthening our state’s economy and creating jobs,” according to an SBA news release.

“Small business is vital to New Mexico’s economy. Our 152,500 small businesses employ over 95 percent of the state’s private workforce,” said SBA New Mexico District Director John M. Garcia in the news release. “During Small Business Week, we celebrate the entrepreneurial spirit so important to our state and thank our small business community for their dedication and commitment to growing our economy.”

“The SBA invites you to join us for our annual awards ceremony and also invites communities across the state to participate by recognizing small businesses during Small Business Week.”

## BUSINESS BRIEF

### Otero makes two

Otero has become the second county in New Mexico to pass right-to-work legislation, joining Sandoval County, which passed right-to-work on Jan. 19.

Americans for Prosperity-New Mexico (AFP-NM), which advocates for “common sense labor reforms,” according to a news release, applauded the vote of the Otero County Commission.

“Right-to-work will ensure Otero County workers have more freedom and that they are not forced to hand over their hard-earned money to a union that might not represent their best interests,” AFP-NM state Director Burlly Cain says in a statement. “We want New Mexico to be the best place to live, work, and raise a family, and embracing right-to-work will help workers and entrepreneurs take a huge

leap forward. We look forward to working with local advocates to continue spreading the benefits of common sense labor reforms across the state.”

Last September, AFP-NM launched the “New Jobs New Mexico” campaign – a grass-roots, direct mail, and digital effort to engage citizens about the impact of right-to-work and to make New Mexico a right-to-work state.

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## LUSH AND LEAN



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Jeff Harvey at Sunland Nursery observes new growth on trees. He presents at LCU's Lush and Lean series on May 3.

## Propagation tools might already be in your yard

By **CASSIE MCCLURE**  
and **SUZANNE MICHAELS**

For the Bulletin

In 40 years, the miracle of making a new tree or brush hasn't worn off for Jeff Harvey. "Taking a seed or stick and watching it turn into a tree; it's still pretty neat," says Harvey, production manager at Sunland Nursery.

While there are plenty of different ways to grow new plants from existing ones, Harvey will share his decades of propagating experience at the Las Cruces Utilities (LCU) Lush and Lean presentation on Thursday, May 3.

Titled "Propagating Trees and Shrubs,"

Harvey brings an appropriately named "bag of props" to his presentation. He'll show off sticks, cuttings, and seeds that homeowners may already discover in their yards. Harvey will explain how easily propagation – creating a new plant – can be accomplished by those with a little patience.

Two considerations Harvey suggests for new plant parents is to remember that some shrubs and trees will propagate better at certain times of the year, although there is still a certain element of flexibility. Also, choose vegetation that is already well-suited to our area,

with our heat and nutrient-poor soil, and is hardy enough to flourish with some encouragement.

Harvey encourages attendees to bring in their plant cuttings to get tips on their exact budding problem. A mix of different elements, just like nature, allows Harvey to keep something that might seem like a dry topic feel like the magic it really is.

"For example, the bird-of-paradise germinates readily, and it's easy to see when the seed is tan," said Harvey. "If you grab the pod, you give off the right humidity and it'll pop right in your hand."

All Lush and Lean

workshops are free and open to the public. They are held Thursday evening at the Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave., in the Roadrunner Room from 5:30-7:30 p.m. See the complete list of speakers and Lush and Lean dates at [www.las-cruces.org/WaterConservation](http://www.las-cruces.org/WaterConservation) or [www.facebook.com/cityoflas-cruces](http://www.facebook.com/cityoflas-cruces).

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# Earthy chipotle peppers spice up your table for April

We celebrate Earth Day this month with one of our most earthy chile peppers, aka chipotle. The pepper is available dried, ground or canned in delicious adobo, a tangy, slightly sweet red sauce.

Chipotles frequently make appearances in bean dishes and beef stews. And they pair exceptionally well with butternut squash and sweet potato concoctions. And lest I forget be sure to try the desert heat cocktail. It's the perfect libation to kick off a meal.

## Desert Heat Cocktail

*About 12 drinks*

This cocktail is similar to a Bloody Mary but better methinks! Sweet heat is the secret.

25 fresh cilantro stems, with leaves  
2 scallions, top third of greens removed  
8 cherub or cherry tomatoes  
1 cup diced fresh pineapple  
½ cup fresh lime juice  
5 ounces water  
4 ounces undiluted agave nectar



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2 tablespoons adobo sauce from canned chipotles

Pinch kosher salt  
About 24 ounces (720ml) vodka (see note)

12 cocktail picks, each with 1 cherry tomato half, for garnish

Slice cilantro and scallions into 3-inch segments, then add to a blender along with tomatoes, pineapple, lime juice, water, agave nectar, adobo sauce, and salt. Process until smooth. Strain through a fine-mesh strainer into a large measuring cup.

Measure the liquid mix (it should yield about 24 ounces) and pour into a 2-quart pitcher or resealable container along with an equal volume of vodka. If not serving right away, refrigerate for up to 3 hours.

When ready to serve, stir mixture well, then add 1- ½ 1 cups ice to pitcher and give it another gentle stir. Pour into ice-filled rocks glasses and garnish each one with a speared cherry tomato half. (Recipe from Serioseats.com)

## Smoky Butternut Squash Enchiladas

*Yield: 10 enchiladas*

1 medium sized butternut squash peeled, seeded, and cut into 1-inch cubes (about 1-½ cups cooked) Note: Sweet potatoes can be substituted.

Olive oil  
Coarse kosher salt and freshly ground black pepper  
1 (15-ounce) canned black beans rinsed and drained  
2 cups Monterey jack or cheddar cheese divided  
10 taco size flour tortillas  
Topper suggestions:  
Sliced avocado, chopped cilantro, lime juice, sour cream, chopped mango

## Chipotle Enchilada Sauce

1 (10-ounce) can canned medium heat red chile enchilada sauce  
1-2 tablespoons adobo from canned chipotle with adobo sauce

In a saucepan, heat sauce and adobo for about 5 minutes. To meld flavors. Reduce heat to a simmer.

Preheat the oven to 400 degrees F. Arrange the squash in a single layer on a large rimmed baking sheet. Drizzle with olive

oil and rub the squash to coat completely. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Bake 1 hour, stirring three or four times, until the squash is tender and beginning to caramelize. Remove from the oven and reduce the oven temperature to 375 degrees F.

Coat a 9x13 inch baking dish with cooking spray and pour ¼ cup enchilada sauce in the bottom of the pan, spreading it out to loosely cover the bottom.

In a large bowl, combine butternut squash, black beans, and 1 cup of cheese. Add 2/3 cup of the enchilada sauce and stir to combine. Divide the filling between the tortillas, roll tightly, and place seam side down in the prepared baking pan. Top with the remaining enchilada sauce, smoothing it out to coat all of the tortillas, and sprinkle with the remaining cheese.

Bake 20-25 minutes or until bubbly and the cheese is beginning to brown. Top each enchilada with suggested toppers or use your favorites.

## Chipotle Veggie Burritos

*4 servings*

1 bunch cilantro, chopped  
1 clove garlic  
½ teaspoon chipotle chile powder, plus more to taste  
Kosher salt  
1 cup white rice  
1 (15-ounce) can black bean soup (preferably the spicy variety)  
1 (10-ounce) package frozen chopped spinach, thawed and squeezed dry  
4 burrito-sized flour tortillas  
Corn Salsa (see recipe below)

Puree all but 3 tablespoons of cilantro with 2 cups water, the garlic, chile powder and ¾ teaspoon salt in a blender until smooth. Transfer to a medium saucepan along with the rice and bring to a boil. Reduce the heat to low; cover and cook until the liquid is absorbed, about 18 minutes. Uncover, stir and let cool 5 minutes.

Meanwhile, bring the black bean soup to a simmer in a small saucepan over medium-high heat and cook until the liquid is slightly reduced, about 3 minutes.

Stir in the spinach and return to a simmer. Remove from the heat and cover to keep warm.

## Corn Salsa

*Yield: 2 cups*

2 cups frozen fire-roasted corn, thawed  
1 large tomato, diced  
Juice of 1 lime

Toss the corn, tomato, lime juice, the reserved 3 tablespoons cilantro, 1/2 teaspoon salt, and chile powder to taste in a large bowl.

Warm the tortillas in a dry skillet or in the microwave. Divide the rice, bean mixture and cheese among the tortillas; top with some of the corn salsa. Fold up the bottoms of the tortillas, then fold in the sides and roll up. Serve with the remaining corn salsa.

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## BAXTER

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LOOKING FOR A JOB WITH A FUTURE (or at least until spring when I can start roping again).

WRITE: COWBOY BOB, GIANT APARTMENT COMPLEX, DENVER, CO

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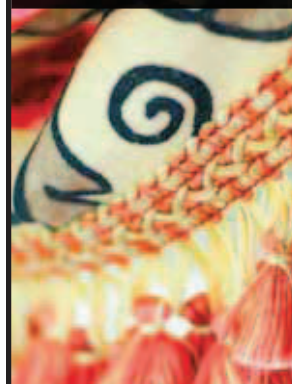
but did it gently), BANG TESTED (we've actually hunted wild turkey off her and she never flinches), CHIANINA LONGHORN CROSS, BLACK BALDY, HOLSTEIN CROSS (you could milk her standin' up, hang the bucket on her horns, she never gets pink eye and the two tits that work give a quart a day), ON HER THIRD CALF (she's fourteen years old heiferette),

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# When the product is free, you are the product

I've been hacked...again.

Me and 150 million of my fellow calorie counting-OCD friends were notified that the app we use was hacked and our data might have compromised. Fortunately, little personally sensitive data is housed on that website, but now some Bulgarian hacker knows my body-mass index and is laughing his Bulgarian butt off about overweight Americans.

I realize that learning my snacking habits are not



**PHIL WILKE**

Life Lessons

the ultimate hacking prize. They are testing software and network vulnerabilities so that they can eventually hack into the Pentagon or my neighbor's Internet-enabled toaster and remotely turn

it from light brown to burnt charcoal.

Soon, some Russian hacker will hack into my Fitbit and know I didn't get my steps in yesterday. I will, however, write to him and protest that Fitbit doesn't count time on exer-

cise bikes as steps. I want both the company and my hacker to know that I'm pretty fastidious about getting my exercise daily.

This isn't the first time I've been hacked. A few years back, I and 3 billion of my closest friends had our yahoo.com email accounts hacked.

Among the gems that these hackers got their hands on were some off-color jokes, notes to friends about upcoming travel and wayyyyyy toooooo many diatribes about how terrible the Kansas City Royals bullpen is. In fair-

ness to both the North Korean hackers and the Kansas City Royals, I do write about things other than how abysmal Royals middle relief pitching is, but not many.

I try to follow the security protocols suggested by experts, such as changing your password every 17 minutes, never reusing a password, and including in the password eight letters, a number, a special keyboard character, one of the 7 Dwarves, a European capital city, your mother's maiden name, the name of your first-grade teacher's best friend's pet schnauzer and a strand of DNA from the left side of your 17th chromosome. As a result, most people's passwords are either password, password1 or 12345.

At least I can take solace

that my Facebook data is safe. I mean, they are a gigantic multi-kajillion dollar company who would always have my best interests at heart, right?

I think the next online presence of mine to be hacked will be my amazon.com account. We all get thousands of emails from them with purchase suggestions. Given their global reach and all-seeing algorithms, I wonder if the hackers are getting emails like "You hacked Phil Wilke. Amazon has new recommendations for you based on your hacking history. You may also like hacking his daughters, his cousins, his coworkers and that one guy from high school he sorta knew and now wants to be best friends."

There is, of course, a se-

rious, risky and financially ruinous side to all this malicious hacking. Remember last year when the credit rating agency Equifax was hacked and financial data of 143 million Americans was compromised? It's much more than an annoyance to track whether your bank account was emptied or items are being purchased with your stolen credit cards. At least Equifax tried to make up for its epic fail by charging the victims of the theft for credit recovery services... until they were publicly shamed into providing the service for free.

I have been duped into one massive breach of personal privacy. Last year – on my birthday – I received an email that looked like it came from a legitimate package delivery company saying that they tried to make a delivery at my home, and I need to click the link provided to re-schedule delivery. It being my birthday and me loving presents, I eagerly clicked. As when nothing happened, over and over again, I called the customer service phone number of the legitimate package delivery service who informed me that was a scam and I should probably never use the Internet again.

All this hacking has led me to a stunning personal revelation: I need to start living a much more interesting life so that when I am hacked in the future my personal information is more exciting.

*Phil Wilke is a recent transplant to Las Cruces, fears for his digital privacy and is a freelance writer. He can be reached at wilkephil@yahoo.com.*

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## Zumba: Dance your way to fitness

By **ELAINE STACHERA SIMON**  
For the Bulletin

You think getting fit is only about logging miles and lifting weights?

Re-adjust that thinking and check out a Zumba class. There are numerous options in Las Cruces.

An expert instructor will lead you in an hour-long group fitness dance to Latin, hip-hop, Bollywood, African, Asian, or country rhythms. Along with dance moves, your instructor may incorporate squats, lunges, martial arts, and other aerobic moves.

“Zumba brings people in who would have never gone to a gym before,” says veteran instructor Linda Perez, who teaches at Fitness One. “It’s a different crowd. We get lots of moms and others who want an hour away from ‘real life.’”

Her class ranges in age from 20-something to 70-something. They mingle amicably before the Tuesday morning class.

The intimidation factor is nonexistent, even for a beginner. Perez says that newbies end up just having a good time and forget to be self-conscious. She notes that the lights are low, the music and the party lights are going, and people are watching the instructor; nobody is judging.

Instructors provide visual clues in Zumba classes, and it’s important, especially at first, to see them. It usually takes people a few classes to catch on to the moves.

“Don’t judge the class by your first day,” class participant Teri Howard said. “Remember, there’s no pressure, it’s an open format. Each instructor has a flavor and style,



**Veteran Zumba instructor Frank Paul**

so try different instructors to find out what you like.”

A significant attraction of Zumba is that moves can easily be modified depending on your fitness level and physical limitations. Perez gives the example of a 75-year-old lady with tendinitis who takes Perez’s regular Zumba class instead of Zumba Gold designed for seniors because she loves the energy; she just dials down the intensity of

the moves.

Retired lab tech Katherine Propst also modifies some of the moves, deadpanning that she got hooked on Zumba when she “came to dance and accidentally exercised.” Propst says of the moves that “some are sexy and some have attitude,” and she shares that a Sudoku puzzle before class “helps get the brain in gear and prepped for following steps.”



**Veteran Zumba instructor Linda Perez**

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Zumba is not for women only. Frank Paul, a 1980s tight end on the Moriarty High School football team, was introduced to group exercise when he gave up football to join the cheerleading squad. “They’d [the football team] be up there lifting weights, and I’d be busy lifting cheerleaders,” he chuckles.

He continued to run and lift weights, but was bored exercising alone. He became more involved in high intensity aerobics and step, yet when he took his first Zumba class, he was “completely lost” – but had a great time and kept at it. Now he’s a seasoned instructor in Alamogordo.

“Instructors make it look easy, but it’s not, so don’t worry about it,” he advises newbies.

Paul notes that some of

his favorite students have been “the guys who come in herded by their wives. They find out they can do it ... and keep coming even when their wives stop.” He says he has “many good-news stories of ladies making healthy lifestyle changes and feeling better about themselves. That’s why I keep on teaching Zumba.”

Ready to give it a go? Go to [www.zumba.com](http://www.zumba.com), type in Las Cruces or your zip code, and a list of local classes will appear. Try a few different instructors out, and follow Linda Perez’s advice to “enjoy the music and move your body!”

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# Adult beginners bring their lifestyles to instruction

Mature horsewomen and horsemen have an approach to their horses that is usually reflective of the manner in which they have lived their lives. If you, as an elder equestrian, have worked for yourself, managed your own company, etc. – you will likely approach your horsemanship with a “hands on” attitude and enjoy learning and doing everything yourself from feeding and mucking to building a barn and giving injections. It just flows with your nature to take initiative.

If, on the other hand, you have worked most of your life under the supervision and direction of another, you may truly need to be coached through every process with your horse – at least in the beginning. Elder equestrians function at each end of this spectrum and at every point in between.

All of this is normal, expected and actually wonderful, because, in the world of horses, there is truly something for everyone.

An instructor is flexible when it is prudent, and firm when the horse's well-being demands it. A good instructor never allows a dangerous situation to develop and knows when to step in and when not to.

If you are an adult beginner you will benefit from the recognition of what YOU bring to the relationship with horses. The following questions



**KATHARINE CHRISLEY-SCHREIBER**  
Stablewoman

should help you determine the baggage and the assets you arrive with at the stable.

Have you been responsible for others – either in the home or in your occupation as a provider of basic care of others (human or animal)?

Have you been the teacher of others – in a classroom, raising your own children, caring for other children?

Have you owned and run your own business? Are you still running it? How do you handle the responsibilities? Has this responsibility been a burden to you or a cherished experience?

Have you been or are you someone's employee? Do you enjoy being told what to do or do you resent it? Look inside yourself and really see if you need to be told what to do most of the time, or are you able to take some direction from others and continue on your own.

These questions should be pondered; they help you see what you bring to your horse and this new relationship. It is easy to create a system of learning about horses that touches your individual style and requirements. If you want a rigid, non-nonsense teacher who holds you to the highest standard of technique, you will not resonate with a program that lets you figure things out on your own! If you are looking for interaction with horses on a “herd” basis, finding out how to connect emotionally and



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**It's prudent to wear a helmet while riding, especially for beginners.**

to learn from them ways to master your own emotions – you will not like a competition-based riding school.

As adult beginner, you may wish to trail ride only, enjoying horses in nature either with compatible groups or on your own with a gentle, experienced equine partner. You might be able to get riding lessons at a trail barn (be certain that the horses are treated properly) or take lessons elsewhere and do the trail rides while you are learning. Even if the

stable does not require that you wear a helmet, wear one. Certainly you do not plan to fall off of a horse or ride under a low hanging tree limb ... but it happens sometimes and your head needs to be protected.

Important things to remember that will become second nature to you in time are:

Always approach the horse's shoulder and be sure that he sees you coming.

Handle the horse from his shoulder where he cannot easily bite, kick,

paw or rub on you (horses are not aggressive by nature, but they can test your boundaries).

Keep him aware of your position. Don't surprise him when grooming, leading or from behind (!). Horses do not like surprises.

Do not feed treats from your hand until you know the horse well (if ever).

Move with confident, slow gestures around horses. Don't run, yell or sneak up on them.

Do not “play” with horses. I know there are lots of programs out

there with definite play techniques, but until you spend some time around horses to understand how to establish boundaries, playing with a horse can lead to injury!

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# It's never too early to make advance healthcare plans

By MIKE COOK  
Las Cruces Bulletin

"Standing in the ICU not knowing what Grandma wanted was heartbreaking."

That's why advance healthcare planning is important, according to a participant in Memorial Medical Center's National Healthcare Decisions Day event April 16 at the hospital.

Beginning that conversation, though it may be unpleasant or even frightening, gives you "the peace of knowing people know your wishes," said MMC



BULLETIN PHOTO BY MIKE COOK

**Memorial Medical Center's Pastoral Care Department director, the Rev. Dr. Margaret Short, points out one of the reasons advance care planning is important as listed by a participant in the hospital's National Healthcare Decision Day program April 16.**

Pastoral Care Department Director the Rev. Dr. Margaret Short.

"It seems too early until it's too late," Short said, echoing a National Health

Care Decisions Day slogan.

She advised designating a close member as the person to make healthcare decisions for you if you're not able to. Dr. Stephanie

Benson, medical director of MMC's Palliative Care Team, said some people choose non-family members to fill that role because "the emotional investment is too much" for a loved one.

The important thing is to make that and other choices now so your family and friends and your healthcare providers know what you want.

"As a result of National Healthcare Decisions Day, we are hopeful that many more people in our community will have thoughtful conversations with their loved ones and

providers about their healthcare decisions and then complete advance directives to make sure their wishes are known," Benson said in an MMC news release. "Families, healthcare providers and facilities will be better equipped to address advance healthcare planning issues before a crisis and also be better able to honor a patient's wishes when the time comes to do so."

"Be as specific as you want," Short said. "Once you have a plan, you don't have to think about it anymore."

Advanced care planning forms are available from MMC and online at [www.begintheconversation.org](http://www.begintheconversation.org) and [www.nationalhealthcaredecisionsday.org](http://www.nationalhealthcaredecisionsday.org). Short recommended providing copies of completed forms to a family member, healthcare provider, hospital or clinic and keeping one in the glove compartment of your vehicle.

Call the MMC Patient Management Department at 575-521-5250. Visit [www.mmclc.org](http://www.mmclc.org).

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## HEALTHY HAPPENINGS

**Breast cancer support:** 10-11:30 a.m. Saturday, April 28, Memorial Medical Center West Side Annex Building, 2450 S. Telshor Blvd. Carleen Sajkowsky, physical therapist, will discuss "Rock Solid Fall Prevention Techniques." Cost: Free. Info: 575-524-4373.

**Heroes Run 5K/10K:** 7-11 a.m. Sunday, April 29, Field of Dreams, 2501 Tashiro Road. Visit Las Cruces, in collaboration with Las Cruces police and fire departments, hosts the first Las Cruces United Heroes Run, including a fun run for the kids. Cost: \$25-\$50. Info: Liz Vega 575-541-2361 or [elizabeth.vega@las-cruces.org](mailto:elizabeth.vega@las-cruces.org).

**Child, sibling death support:** Noon-2 p.m. Tuesdays, April 30 and ongoing, University United Methodist Church, 2000 S. Locust St. Caring, compassionate venue for connecting with others who have encountered the death of a child

or sibling. Info and signup: 575-522-8220.

**Savvy Caregiver Program:** 2-4 p.m. Tuesdays April 30-May 15, Crossroads in Home Care, 189 Howard Place. Six-week education course, "Skills for Dementia Caregiving 101," for families facing dementia or Alzheimer's disease. By the Alzheimer's Association, New Mexico Chapter. Cost: Free. Info and registration: Alexis Ramirez 800-272-3900 or [al Ramirez@alz.org](mailto:al Ramirez@alz.org).

**Epilepsy support:** 1-2:30 p.m. Saturday, May 5, and the first Saturday of every month, Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Support for anyone with epilepsy, loved ones and caregivers. Info: 505-243-9119 or [EpilepsySupportNM.org](mailto:EpilepsySupportNM.org).

**Kids Night Out:** 6-8:30 p.m. Friday, May 18, Las Cruces Jazzercise Fitness Center, 3217 El Camino Real. For

boys and girls ages 4-12. Parents enjoy a night out while kids enjoy dance parties, relay and fitness games, arts and crafts, a light snack, and perform an end of evening performance. Cost: \$15 per child if registered by May 11. Siblings half price. Info: Amy Richards 941-705-0800 or [lascrucesjuniorjazzercise@yahoo.com](mailto:lascrucesjuniorjazzercise@yahoo.com)

## 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.

**Alzheimer's and dementia support group:** 11:30 a.m. Thursdays, Uno Pizzeria & Grill, 2102 Telshor Court. Presented by Arbors of Del Rey and Home Instead Senior Care, support meeting offers information and interventions. Info: 505-659-8100.

## HEALTH BRIEF

### Wisdom for Wisdom

Oral and Facial Surgery of New Mexico, which has a clinic in Las Cruces, is launching a program called Wisdom for Wisdom to give one local high school or college student a complementary wisdom teeth extraction. The deserving student should demonstrate excellent academic drive and need of financial assistance.

The Wisdom for Wisdom program will provide the student the opportunity to put the funds they would have put toward medical bills to

their textbook costs instead.

The application period runs through April 30. To apply, students will write a short essay and complete a quiz after watching an instructional video. The application process can be completed at [oralsurgerynewmexico.com/wisdom](http://oralsurgerynewmexico.com/wisdom).

According to a press release, an additional set of molars, or wisdom teeth, may keep other teeth from growing properly, causing problems for overall oral health.

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The New Mexico Press Association is hosting the annual **High School Journalism Workshop** at UNM on June 10-13. Students with an interest in writing, editing, design, digital journalism and photography are encouraged to attend. It's a great

workshop for students working on school newspapers, yearbooks or are curious about a newspaper career. Visit [www.nmpress.org](http://www.nmpress.org) for details. Deadline to apply is May 25.



# Senior track

The Doña Ana County Senior Olympics ran track and field events at the New Mexico State University track Saturday, April 7. About 50 people took part as event participants or volunteer workers.



The finish of the women's 100 meter dash with June Milavec (207) and Beverly Wood (245).



The finish of the men's 100 meter dash with Anton Milavec (251) and Carl Marten (245).

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## SPORTS BRIEFS

### Youth Volleyball League

The City of Las Cruces Parks & Recreation Department is offering individual and returning team registration for the 2018 Summer Youth Volleyball League, which begins June 5.

Registration for new players will be from 9 a.m.-noon Saturday, May 5, at Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave. The cost is \$45 per individual, due at the time of registration, and includes a game jersey (\$35 for returning players if no jersey is needed).

Divisions offered:  
3rd grade clinic (co-ed)

4th -5th grade (co-ed)  
6th--7th- -8th grade (co-ed)

4th-5th and 6th-7th-8th grade divisions play Tuesdays and Thursdays from June 5-28; 3rd grade volleyball, in a clinic format consisting of lessons and instructional play, will be held Wednesdays from June 6-27.

All participants are required to have a Parks & Recreation Activity ID card. To obtain a card, the parent or guardian, along with the child, must appear in person at Meerscheidt Recreation Center with proof of the child's age and grade level.

Cards are issued from 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday-Friday and 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday.

For more information, call 575-541-2563 or email at [athletics@las-cruces.org](mailto:athletics@las-cruces.org)

### Golf tournament

HELP-New Mexico, a nonprofit dedicated to creating self-sufficiency and promoting economic opportunities to strengthen families throughout the state, is hosting its annual Golf Classic Saturday, May 5, at the New Mexico State University Golf Course.

The goal is to raise

\$25,000, said Annette Baca, a HELP-New Mexico board member. "We provide so many essential services to New Mexicans, and proceeds from the Golf Classic will be integral to that. In order to meet our financial goal, we are asking for local businesses and individuals to consider participating as a sponsor."

There are several levels of sponsorship available, ranging from \$250 to \$5,000. Contact Cary Hamilton at 575-520-4204.

**NMSU, Weir settle**  
New Mexico State



**WEIR**

University and former basketball coach Paul Weir have reached a financial settlement related to Weir's departure from NMSU in April 2017 to coach at the University of New Mexico.

Under a stipulated settlement agreement, both parties have agreed that Weir will pay NMSU \$450,000 over the next seven years, with a first payment due May 1.

"We're delighted that

we were able to reach an agreement with Coach Weir," said NMSU Chancellor Garrey Carruthers. "We know him to be a fine coach, a fine gentleman and we congratulate him on a successful first season as head basketball coach for UNM."

Weir spent nine seasons as an assistant coach with the Aggies. He was hired as NMSU's 25th men's head basketball coach in April 2016 and led the Aggies to a WAC championship and trip to the NCAA Tournament before leaving the following year to become head coach at UNM.

"We're delighted that

# Simple courtesies every golfer should remember

Amid our hectic, post-modern, digital, diverse society we risk losing common social graces, which I call "simple courtesies." Golfers may need to be reminded of such things.



**CHARLIE BLANCHARD**  
Golf Doctor

A courtesy not heard often enough is when fellow golfers, usually competitors in their regular money game, compliment each other on a shot well played. We all could afford to elevate the quality of how we personally engage with others.

Another courtesy is tipping the "bag boy" who removes your clubs from the trunk of your car and gently secures them to the golf cart. Red Hawk Golf Club is the only local club that has that service; others should try it. While we're at it, the beverage cart girl deserves tips.

It may be a lost courtesy, but winning the meager amount of money wagered may afford the recipient of good luck on the golf course (which is often the case) the means to buy the drinks for friendly competitors in the game. Get it? It's not about the money!

As everyone knows, slow golfers bother me. It's not because they are inept, lining up many more shots than other players on the course, but because they are inconsiderate. Letting

other, faster golfers play through is a lost common courtesy.

Paying your golf club dues on time is a common courtesy, not only to the club but to all other members. The names

of slow and late-paying members, like slow players, should be posted prominently throughout the premises.

A courtesy we all can improve is to leave light footprints on our courses: raking sand in bunkers, avoiding cart tracks where they don't belong, stepping lightly on wet and frost-laden ground and not damaging the cups with flagstick or club.

I'm always amused by negative remarks from golf course staff that concern regular members and patrons. Almost always those remarks have some validity; club employees don't make those things up. It's common courtesy to be nice to pro shop folks, wait staff and others. You don't want to be the person known around the club as mean and surly. It's all about trying our best to be kind in a rude world.

Are you one of those golfers who suffers from lockjaw in your weekly small-money games? I'm talking about conceding putts, like inside of two feet. In friendly games, which are mostly about camaraderie anyway,

it's just courteous to give short putts.

I would like to see a little more courtesy paid to parking. It's just annoying to pull into a parking spot, empty on both sides, and then come out and find it hard to open your car door because some idiot pulled in so tight that you have to turn sideways to fit. And some people are discourteous enough to bang their door into yours and drive away.

If you tend to be a know-it-all type, try your best to throttle it back and refrain from bullying your opponents. Over the years I have witnessed well-intentioned but sorely misinformed golfers attempt to give unsolicited advice to others, only to be rudely rebuffed. The courteous thing to do is mind your own business and let the teaching pro give lessons. And when things go south in your golf game do your best not to pout or become moody.

Lastly, it's also a matter of common courtesy to keep complaints to a minimum, unless, of course, you are a golf writer.

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## ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

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**Akirha Scarbrough-Wilson** is a 17-year-old junior at Oñate High School. She is on the Lady Knights track team and runs the 100- and 200-meter dash, individual and 4x1 and 4x2 relays. Scarbrough-Wilson has the fastest time in the state for the 200-meter dash and is state qualifier for the 100- and 200-meter dash and the 4x1 and 4x2 relays.

She is a great athlete and teammate and is also a dedicated student, with a 3.10 GPA. Scarbrough-Wilson is always positive, with a smile on her face. Outside of school and sports, she enjoys painting, arts and crafts, sewing and reading. Scarbrough-Wilson thanks her family for all their support throughout the year and her coaches and teammates for motivating her to be her best.

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