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Remember those

who sacrificed on

Memorial Day

Memorial Day weekend full Somber honors as well as merriment

By Todd G. Dickson

For many, it's the start of summer, but the recent wars have brought back the more sobering meaning behind Memorial Day, a day of remembrance for service and sacrifice to the country.

and bay, a day of remembrance for service and sacrifice to the country. While the three-day weekend provides an opportunity to sample wines and hit the lake, a growing number of Americans are also making time to honor those who have given the ultimate sacrifice for the nation.

Remembering those who died in service will be the theme of a wreath ceremony to be held by the American Legion Post 10 at 9 a.m. Sunday, May 26, at St. Joseph Cemetery, 100 S. Espina St. Prior to the ceremony, complete with the playing of "Taps," participants will take a group photo at 8:30 a.m. at the cemetery's front gate.

The public is welcome to attend and visit the cemetery afterward. For more information, call legion chaplain Lawrence Orvis at 621-1738.

Later that day, members of the Boy and Girl Scouts of America will place flags on the graves at Hillcrest Memorial Gardens Cemetery, 5140 E. Picacho Ave.

On Monday, May 27, the focus shifts to Veterans Memorial Park, 2651 Roadrunner Parkway, starting with the raising of the park's Garrison Flag at 8 a.m., with scouts and veteran groups participating. The park will also be the location of a candlelight ceremony at 8 p.m.

Monday morning is also when a riverside wreath ceremony will begin on the west bank of the Rio Grande off Picacho Avenue. In the ceremony, organized by the Veterans of Foreign War Post 10124 District III Ladies Auxiliary, wreaths are tossed into the river – if there is water flowing – in memory of departed loved ones and family members. Last year, there was no water in the Rio Grande, so the wreaths were placed along the shore. At 9 a.m., the VFW Post 3242 will

At 9 a.m., the VFW Post 3242 will sponsor for a wreath ceremony at the Hillcrest Cemetery. At 5 p.m., the Garrison Flag at Veterans Memorial Park will

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Las Cruces **Public Schools** Superintendent Stan Rounds explains the extensive renovations scheduled for Las Cruces High School starting this summer to former LCHS biology teacher Barbara Hubbard and LCHS class of 1959 alumna Libby Pruett during a reception inside the LCHS lobby Wednesday, May 22. The first phase of renovations will cost \$56 million from local school construction bonds.

Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Steve MacIntyre

Doña Ana County to hold bond election

Voters to decide July 30 on property and GRT questions

By Todd G. Dickson

Doña Ana County residents will decide July 30 on bond issues for a variety of projects – one set that officials say won't raise property taxes, but another set that would increase the gross receipts taxes (GRT) by .25 of a percent.

The standard general obligation bond election would raise \$7.8 million, and county officials said this would replace existing bonds, so property owners should not see a tax increase if those items are approved.

The GO bond requests would pay for a new 911 dispatch call

center for the Mesilla Valley Regional Dispatch Authority (MVRDA) estimated at \$6 million, about \$1 million in improvements to the Southern New Mexico State Fairgrounds and the rest going to upgrade the county's holding facility for animals confiscated in court cases, which have to be housed separately from lost, stray or abandoned animals.

Voters will get to decide on each of these items individually, said Sue Padilla, interim county manager, after the County Commission Tuesday, May 21, approved calling the election.

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Study backs veteran job center proposal

Government would find savings in work program

By Todd G. Dickson Las Cruces Bulletin

New Mexico State University's Arrowhead Research Park has completed a feasibility study of a proposal to create more work opportunities for returning veterans, finding that it makes a lot of sense, according to local lawyer Tim Chelpaty.

The idea is to create Veterans Office Solutions centers – or VOS centers – where veterans could work on remanufactured furniture that would be sold to the government. Chelpaty would like to see the first VOS center open in Las Cruces. This pilot center would create jobs for 250 veterans, and eventually hire up to 300 workers.

The study confirms that the Department of Defense routinely spends about \$40 billion a year on new furniture, but buys only new furniture – from work stations to office chairs. Remanufactured furniture is as good as new but costs half as much, Chelpaty said.

Ending the Defense Department's strict requirement for newly made furniture would save the Pentagon \$20 billion a See **VOS** on page A7

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Susana's summer book club kicks off

Governor promotes effort to keep children reading over the summer vacation.



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Administration changes, international outreach made by temporary leader

By Todd G. Dickson

Manuel Pacheco won't linger longer than he has to in transitioning Garrey Carruthers to the role of New Mexico State University's president, but for someone who has been NMSU's interim president twice, Pacheco is leaving NMSU significantly more changed than the first time.

When Pacheco returned in October 2012, regents had plenty for him to work on, both internally and externally. There was concern about the leadership environment at NMSU and a legislative session around the corner. There was also a lack of support for NMSU in the community, Pacheco said, "a disconnect in southern New Mexico and in the state."

Those first weeks on the job were a flurry of meetings with people in NMSU, he said, and out in the community. Frequently, Pacheco would take advantage of events held at NMSU to talk to people from outside about their concerns.

If that kind of inside-and-outside work wasn't enough, there was also Doña Ana Community College nursing program's loss of accreditation and a football program in need of a conference. Just as daunting was the worry that NMSU was losing out on research funding opportunities.

"There was a multitude of issues," Pacheco said. "They were things where you just couldn't solve one and move on to the next, and they all had to be dealt with to 'right the ship up'

"When I got here, I was on the constant go."

Pacheco, a former president of universities in Texas, Arizona and Missouri, used his experience to begin making changes to administrative processes, something noted by Carruthers during the interviews as a presidential finalist. Control over hiring was returned to college deans, which is an administration philosophy that both Carruthers and Pacheco said they favor – that decisions should be made at the lowest level possible, rather than from the topdown.

"Unclogging the system" will help make NMSU run more leanly in administration, Pacheco said, something being looked at by the Faculty Senate effort to see improved pay and benefits parity.

An impression of crisis

Another role Pacheco said he found himself playing was that of a comforter.

"NMSU is an institution not necessarily in crisis, but a lot of people think that is the case," he said.

A man with a pleasant demeanor and a soothing voice, Pacheco said he has tried to ease people's minds about the state of NMSU. Pacheco said he believes he has succeeded in doing so.

"There's been a calming on campus," he said.

Pacheco said NMSU did fairly well in the legislative session, which didn't have a lot of money to dole out to higher education to begin with. Still, Pacheco said he did guide a budgetary process that freed some money for at least beginning to improve faculty pay and benefits.



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Todd Dickson New Mexico State University professor Josef Lapid, an expert in international relations, especially the Middle East, visits with new NMSU President Garrey Carruthers at a public reception Friday, May 10, in Hadley Hall. NMSU Regents Chairman Mike Cheney said Carruthers, who was the 27th governor of New Mexico, is also the 27th president of NMSU. As he looked into the research funding picture, it wasn't as bleak as some were saying, Pacheco said. The economy and federal budget cuts have limited money available for all higher education institutions, he said.

"Of course, you have to pay attention to it, and I paid attention to it, but I don't see any need for panic," Pacheco said. "When it comes to getting research dollars, NMSU is really good at it."

The new reality for many in higher education, Pacheco said, is the need for partnerships with other institutions that would have been competitors in the past. While work was being done on collaborations before he arrived, Pacheco said he has helped solidify relationships with the University of New Mexico and the New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology to support Sandia National Laboratories.

"We can accomplish more if we leverage our resources together," he said. "That's the kind of thing that has to happen."

International relations

A new relationship with India holds promise for improving the student numbers in science and technical programs, while also offering new research opportunities for NMSU. Pacheco said similar benefits are available to NMSU as it becomes a resource for Mexico to address its difficulties with water shortages.

These other countries strengthen NMSU's academic programs through the quality of their students in science, technology, engineering and mathematics. The presence of upper-level foreign students helps prevent good academic programs from being scrapped because of under-representation, he said.

Pacheco emphasized that NMSU is continuing to grow its relationship with China.



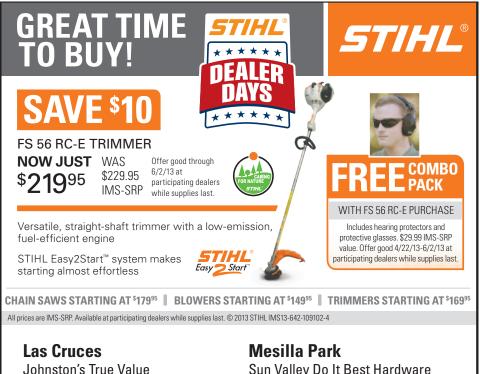
New Mexico State University photo Manuel Pacheco speaks at the New Mexico State University Fall 2009 convocation during his first term as interim president.

Ready for new leadership

Pacheco said he is leaving NMSU to its new president in better shape than he found it.

Despite being pulled out of retirement, Pacheco enjoyed taking part in NMSU's commencement Saturday, May 11. When he sees students walk across the graduation stage, Pacheco said their job makes all the hard work worthwhile.

Pacheco said he is confident that NMSU enrollment will bounce back, partially because the number of high school seniors graduating will spike soon, and many of them know NMSU is a better bargain, even with the latest tuition and fees increase.



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Fromthepublisher



BY RICHARD COLTHARP

Remembering through memorial

Decorations mark veterans' sacrifice

Unless you're there for a funeral or to mourn the recent passing of a loved one, a walk through a cemetery can be a welcome moment of quietude.

On a recent evening, I took some time to visit the Masonic Cemetery in Las Cruces, leaving the cell phone in the car. After paying respects at the graves of a couple of my relatives, I walked around.

The only sounds in the air were the coos of mourning doves.

Some graves are meticulously tended, with fresh flowers or heartfelt trinkets. Others are almost forgotten; I had to wipe leaves and debris from one to read it.

Some famous people are buried at the Masonic Cemetery, including Sheriff Pat Garrett. What strikes me, though, is the diversity of the names, ages and presentation of the graves of ordinary people. There are numerous graves marked with the

Star of David and featuring Hebrew script. There are several with Japanese names and characters. There is a broad mix of Hispanic and Anglo names.

The graves that strike the most sadness are the ones of those who have died young. The markers say things such as, "Charles, our baby, born 1936, died 1938." Others are of teenagers, or people who passed in their 30s. We wonder what disease or accident struck down these people in their prime.

The headstones always raise more questions than answers. Some will read, "Beloved mother, daughter, sister, aunt, teacher," but that still only provides a mere glimpse into a life.

Some of the graves give us a different insight. They indicate U.S. Navy, U.S. Army or U.S. Air

Force, World War II, Korea or Iraq. Private First Class, Sergeant or Captain. We know immediately what those mean. And if the person's life ended short, we likely know what that means as well.

Come Monday, May 27, the cemetery will see a lot more activity. The day, once known as Decoration Day, is Memorial Day. This is the day our nation has set aside to remember those who have died in military service to our country.

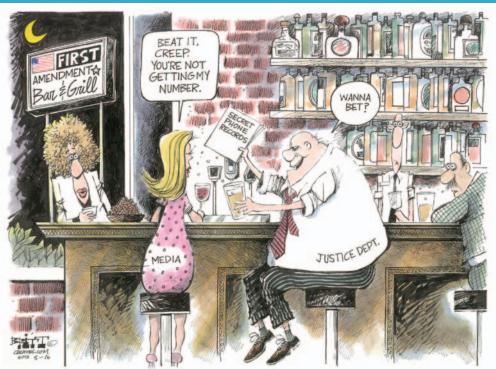
Since its inception in 1776, our nation has not seen a generation go by without war. Even the smallest of these has produced casualties. It is only fitting we take a day each year to honor those sacrifices.

Monday at 8 a.m., at Veterans Memorial Park on Roadrunner Parkway, veterans will raise the garrison flag at 8 a.m. It will fly until 5 p.m., when it will be lowered. An 8 p.m. candlelight vigil will honor Doña Ana County veterans commemorated on the wall who sacrificed their all in service.

For many, this will be a welcome three-day weekend. Many students have recently graduated and families and friends will unite for celebrations and reunions. Let's not forget, though, the reason for the day.

Whether you do it in a local remembrance service, at a cemetery, or quietly in your heart, take a moment of gratitude for those who made so much possible.

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Letters to the Editor

Sacrifice honored

On the National Mall in Washington, D.C. nothing exists for U.S. military service personnel who died in our country's longest wars – those in Afghanistan and Iraq. That void for families and friends will change this Memorial Day. Las Crucens David and Jean Hansen and their son Bryan are taking a cargo van with a many-layered Afghanistan-Iraq Peace Crane Memorial to D.C. They will display the memorial from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, May 27, across from the Vietnam Memorial in the Henry Bacon ball park.

This is the only known Afghanistan-Iraq Wars memorial to show the name, picture and brief data on the circumstances of death for each fallen service person – along with a white, origami crane on a black background. The memorial is making the four day trip to D.C. under the care of the Las Cruces Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) and the support of the Mesilla Valley, Rio Grande and Las Cruces Rotary clubs.

Two Las Cruces Quakers, Tim Reed and Vickie Aldrich, created the unusual memorial in 2003. They felt moved to respond to the news embargo restricting coverage of fallen soldiers shipped back from Iraq. The memorial grew into a community project with friends and school children joining in the folding of origami (paper) peace cranes and affixing one above the name of each soldier who had died. In 2011, through the donations of the Las Cruces Rotary Club, Reed and Aldrich expanded the memorial to include those soldiers who died in the War in Afghanistan.

Quakers have displayed the Peace Crane Memorial many times in the Las Cruces area including Dia de los Muertos, the Whole Enchilada Festival and various Veterans Park memorials. In 2008, Aldrich and Mary Burton Risely of Silver City drove and displayed the increasingly bulky memorial for the first time on the National Mall.

By a felicitous coincidence, Japanese President Tanaka of Rotary International has chosen the theme "Peace through Service" for 2013. Rotarians all over the world have been learning to fold origami cranes. They hope this activity will bring awareness of their global peace message.

A poignant story of a 12-year-old Japanese girl who was struck with leukemia 10 years after the bombing of Hiroshima gave rise to the paper peace cranes. Sadako Sasaki, like many Japanese children exposed to radiation, spent her last months in a Hiroshima hospital. She spent her time folding origami cranes. She was inspired by a Japanese legend that suggested the folding of one thousand paper cranes would heal an ill person.

A 1958 statue of Sadako holding a golden origami crane is a heroic figure, both to children and adults, in Hiroshima Peace Memorial Park.

Dr. David E. Hansen

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Opinions | A5 In politics, fundraising has become a year-round job

Citizens United case opens flood gates to the influence of big money

Jay Miller

Inside the Capitol

Do you remember the days when we had year off between election campaigns? Even better, we had a year off from negative political advertising.

No more. Announcements for next year's gubernatorial campaign began even before the 2012 elections. Gov. Susana Martinez never quit fundraising. She just had big fundraisers in Taos and Palm Desert, Calif., that made the news. It isn't unusual for first-term governors to raise money year-round for four years.

Attorney General Gary King announced for governor long before the 2012 elections. He had been asked to make a politically controversial investigation and decision so felt he had to reveal his conflict.

Soon after the 2012 general election, Sen. Linda Lopez of Albuquerque and Clovis Mayor Gayla Brumfield announced their Democratic candidacies for governor. There likely will be several more announcements shortly.

In fact, some possible candidates, such as Howie Morales of Silver City, have announced they may announce for governor.

Most confounding of all is a negative Republican campaign that has already begun against Democratic Sen. Tim Keller of Albuquerque. Keller has been mentioned as a possible gubernatorial candidate but has not announced.

The Albuquerque Journal reports that the Republican Party of New Mexico has prepared a web video calling Keller "an extreme left-wing liberal posing as a business-friendly moderate?

I think that without doing any research, I am going to pick Keller in the Democratic gubernatorial primary, even though he isn't a candidate yet.

The GOP is spending quite a bit of money on some pretty fancy stuff already, and I'm guessing they know more about what is going on behind the scenes than any mere political commentator.

Within days of his announcement for state attorney general, current state treasurer Hector Balderas was targeted by the national Republican State Leadership Committee.

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A website called "Breaking Balderas" was established carrying old articles from the Albu-querque Journal and KRQE-TV about a 2008 charge against Balderas, which since has been dropped by the attorney general's office and the district court.

The charges originally were made through an anonymous message on a phone line the treasurer's office had established to handle charges against government agencies.

The charges were referred to the attorney general's office. Reportedly, there were some tensions between King and Balderas at the time. King long has had his eye on the governor's office, and there was speculation Balderas might want to run for governor in 2014 also.

King first broadened his request for information from the auditor's office, but eventually the matter cooled and King announced there was no evidence of any criminal action.

Balderas announced that he would not be seeking the governor's office in 2014. Instead he will run for attorney general.

In 2012, Balderas ran for the Democratic nomination to the U.S. Senate. He lost to then-Rep. Martin Heinrich in a race that became known for the gentlemanly conduct of both

candidates.

But it doesn't appear there will be much gentlemanly conduct in the 2014 races. With two Washington, D.C.-based GOP groups already on the attack against Keller and Balderas, the game already is on.

The choice of "Breaking Balderas" for a website title suggests the hard-ball nature of the game that will be played. "Breaking Bad" is the title of a popular television show being filmed in Albuquerque. Its main subject is drug dealing.

Why are campaigns getting started so much earlier now? It's because there is a lot more money in the system.

The U.S. Supreme Court's Citizens United decision in 2010 allowing corporations to donate unlimited amounts of money to campaigns opened the floodgates.

Political spending was much more massive in 2012. Remember when each Republican presidential candidate had his or her own billionaire to help finance their primary campaigns?

The guess is that corporations were acting a little cautiously last year and we are about to see another big increase in spending this year and next.

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Disaster aid: Give until it stops hurting Relief from government shoos away the American angels

Michael Swickard In My Opinion



A friend in college was in a discussion group when someone said, "You must give until it hurts." My friend corrected it to: "You must give until it stops hurting." My, that is much better.

With the tornado damage to Americans this week, there is a divide in the discussions between: "Oh, just let the government take care of people in need because that is why we pay taxes," and, "Here, my friend, I will help you."

Government, as it gets bigger, wants to be the entity that helps because it gives government a solid mission, but we Americans were born to help each other. At least my generation was born that way.

I am not saying there is not a place in a disaster for government. Goodness, there are always the needs of the many at the moment of disaster, but I am thinking of all the people in New Orleans and with Hurricane Sandy that sat and sat and sat waiting on the government.

When Hurricane Katrina hit, a friend of mine watched for a couple of hours on television and then, because he has a restaurant background, got a big truck and lots of supplies along with a generator. He and a couple friends headed down to New Orleans and parked in a closed Walmart parking lot. For a week, my friend served coffee and pancakes to the great relief of the people in the area.

After a while the government got going, but at the time of the disaster there was a schism between the Republican president and the Democratic governor and mayor of New Orleans. They initially told the president that they did not want help. When



they changed their minds it was several days into the crisis. But in the middle of all the politics, my friend made coffee, gave out bottles of water and served pancakes to the grateful citizens. Then, with the big truck empty, he and his friends came home. On the way home they prayed that others would help, because that is what we do, we give until it stops hurting.

They say character is what people do when no one is watching. I often see little acts of kindness that are done not for attention or praise, but done as a matter of being a member of a community. The publicity hounds make lots of noise and proclaim their acts while the real angels smile inwardly and go about their lives giving. That is the danger of big government. It causes some

citizens to step back and not help. The truth is that helping is for the giver, not the given. We give until it stops hurting. And often the government rides in shooing the angels away so they can posture for the media and show that government is the only one that helps in an emergency. Not so, and unfortunately some of our younger generation fall for these lies.



CRIME STOPPERS

As a person who has driven throughout New Mexico for the past four decades, I have come upon many accidents. It is always different and the same. The first thing is to secure the accident so cars coming up to the accident do not plow into it and injure more people. If I am first on the scene and therefore in charge until someone takes over, I send people up the road to flag down cars. I say, "Go down the road as far as you think you should and then double that distance because some of those cars are coming very fast."

Before cell phones, I would have to try to help those injured get to a safe place, stop their bleeding and reassure them that better days are coming. Sometimes I had to put out a fire. Even today, I carry a fire extinguisher.

I do not do it for them, I do it for me. No one has ever offered to reimburse me for using my fire extinguisher nor would I take reimbursement. I give until it stops hurting.

Americans are best when they themselves are the angels. Do not let big government shoo you away from your role as an angel. Give until it stops hurting.

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Professional tennis comes to Las Cruces

USTA adds women's tournament drawing an international field of aspiring, young talent



David McCollum Life is Good in Las Cruces

For the first time, Las Cruces will host a professional tennis tournament.

The week-long event is part of the U.S. Tennis Association's official Pro Circuit. The USTA is the organization that promotes tennis throughout the United States and hosts the year's final tennis grand slam event, the U.S. Open in New York City.

The Las Cruces competition, despite its late addition to the list of USTA tournaments, has drawn more than 150 entries from more than 30 nations worldwide. Total purse for the local event is \$25,000.

However, perhaps more important than the potential prize-winnings is the opportunity to gain important ranking points that allow a player to move up in the international rankings in hopes of qualifying for the larger tournaments.

Players will be registering Saturday, June 1, and qualifying play will begin on Sunday, June 2. All play will be held at the New Mexico



Unsuitable column topics

When I'm asked where I get ideas for this column, I explain that in my travels among the agricultural masses, everyone has a story to tell, and they tell me.

Almost always, they include getting bucked off, run over or humiliated in some form by large domestic mammals.

However, there are some subjects that are just not suitable for a column with such integrity, like mine. Even if I intend to be educational, I am somehow led to the whacko side - like Martin and his colonoscopy saga.

I admit I could write a serious column about the necessity of 50-year-olds to include this exam on their bucket list.

Whoops! See what I mean? I'm already speaking in the double entendre; bucket list, chamber pot, honey wagon.

It would also be acceptable for me to discuss the procedure using proper medical terminology with words like preparation, fasting, administration, evacuation, but I begin to drift into wind velocity, high tide, flood warning and the Seismic scale, which make me sound more like a first responder than a serious medical person.

Martin's version is more colorful, probably TMI - too much information - for our serious readers. For instance, he warns about scheduling the fasting stage over the holi-day and not being able to eat Mom's turkey, pumpkin pie or eggnog.

She would be grievously worried about

his health because he has always been known for his cast iron stomach, able to eat road kill, metal bottle caps, and his brother's science project growing in the refrigerator.

He also cautioned me against overdosing. I could best translate his admonition as "a little bit goes a long way."

The distance to the doctor's office is also critical. As Martin described the two-hour trip from Bruneau to Homedale, it was like a leaky boat racing to shore and having to make frequent stops to lighten the load. But, in the end – pardon me – Martin got

a clean bill of health and he thought by sharing his story with our readers he could benefit us all, Butt - see, it just keeps on punning his attempt to make humor about a serious subject isn't always proper, especially in my column.

There are just too many temptations to use questionable analogies like, preg checking, bull's eye, slicker than a whistle, sighting in, Roto Rooter, the long run, a tapeworm's eye view, a snake charmer, an emissions check, Hazmat suit, shrapnel protection ..

Sorry Martin, as you can see I have a responsibility to my readers. Call me when you want to talk about something less sensitive like infertility of sage hens in Colorado.

Baxter Black may be contacted through his website at www.baxterblack.com.

State University Tennis Center under the direction of the USTA and the Southern New Mexico, Southwest Division of the USTA.

There will be both singles and doubles competition throughout the week.

The first two days of qualifying (Sunday

and Monday) will be open and free to the public. Starting Tuesday, June 4, spectators will need to purchase a nominally priced ticket (\$5, plus fees). The daily \$5 cost will be effective from Tuesday through the semi-finals Saturday, June 8. Admission to the finals, which includes both singles and doubles, will be \$10, plus fees.

For only \$20, a person can purchase an all-session pass that will be good for the entire week of

competition, including the finals Sunday, June 9. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the Las Cruces Bulletin, or purchased online at www.holdmyticket.com/event/138866.

Gates are planned to be open by 9 a.m. each day. Starting times can vary throughout the week, although at this time, the singles finals are tentatively scheduled to begin a 10 a.m. Sunday.

"Ball Kids" will be used in the finals and semi-finals. Judy Harlas is coordinating the

training and assignments for all the youngsters who volunteer to participate. A few positions are still open. Anyone interested in participating should call Harlas at 649-9374. Another complementary event is a pro-am

round-robin tournament from 6 to 9 p.m. Monday, June 3. Local amateur players will have an opportunity to pair up with several of the participating professionals in a competition that wraps up with a private reception at the Fulton Center. The format is designed to be fun for all and is open to all levels of players, both men and women. Players can sign up by contacting Jag Cheema, Wells Fargo Bank at 521-6843.

Two local players, Anaztasiya Joyner and

Lindsay Harlas, have been selected for the main draw of the tournament. They are among the top women players in our region.

We need to show the USTA that Las Cruces can support an international sporting event. I encourage all local sports enthusiasts to order tickets early and take some time to come out and watch lady professionals as they compete throughout the tournament. See you at the courts.

Remember to grill safely Stay safe with a few simple precautions

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With the Memorial Day weekend upon us and the outdoor cooking season heating up, the Las Cruces Fire Department is reminding weekend chefs of some precautions that can help keep their family safe.

According to national statistics, more than 6,000 outdoor grilling fires result in injuries or property damage each year. An estimated \$27 million in property loss from grilling accidents is reported annually in the U.S.

The fire department recommends following all recommendations for the grill and fuel source being used. Gas, charcoal or electric grilling and smoking can be done safely by following these and other safety tips:

- Maintain, clean and check the grill or smoker regularly. Check all hoses, tanks and other equipment to ensure they are in proper working order.
- Ensure that propane gas does not build up prior to lighting the grill. Place the grill a minimum of 10 feet away

from any house, structure, garage or trees, and do not grill on flammable surfaces or in enclosed areas.

- ing loose clothing that might catch fire.
- Keep children and pets away from open fires, fire pits, grills and smokers. Establish a safety zone around the cooking area and instruct children to remain outside that zone.
- Have a fire extinguisher or suppressant available at all times.
- Prevent the build-up of grease and oil to avoid fires. Grease and oil fires are best extinguished by smothering the flames. Never use water to extinguish grease or oil fires.
- Never dispose of hot coals. Douse coals with water and stir to ensure they are no longer burning. Never place hot coals in garbage dumpsters.







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Memorial Day

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be lowered. At 8 p.m., a candlelight ceremony will be held at the park for Doña Ana County veterans killed in the line of duty, and their names read aloud.

Wine Festival

As in the past, crowds will once again descend on the Southern New Mexico Fairgrounds for the 21st annual Southern New Mexico Wine Festival all three days of the long weekend.

The festival draws more than 14,000, including many from neighboring El Paso to sample the best of New Mexico's wines.

Twenty-two wineries from New Mexico will have tasting tents, along with food, arts and crafts vendors. Providing background music - as well as much dancing - are scheduled performances by Fast Lane, Play Me, Matt Morgan, Chris Baker, Rein Garcia, Unlyshed, Guitar Slim and Lauren Ellis. For a complete lineup and schedule, visit www.snmwinefestival.com.

Returning this year to the festival is the Southern New Mexico University of Wine, which provides lectures and demonstrations on wines and wine-tasting.

Admission to the festival is \$15 for adults age 21 and older, with those younger than 21 admitted free under the supervision of a parent or legal guardian.

Bond Issue

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The GRT increase would help pay for the operating costs of MVRDA, the Crisis Triage Center (CTC) and ambulance service in the county. These will be voted on together as part of the GRT question on the ballot, Padilla said.

Revenue generated from the GRT is expected to support the 911 call center operations by \$4 million, CTC by \$2 million and ambulance service \$1.3 million.

At the commission meeting, groups and residents expressed their support for the bond election proposals.

Bonnie Burn said the League of Women Voters studied the CTC concept and supports the bond issues.

Ron Gurley, behavioral health advocate, said he supported all the items on the proposal, but singled out CTC as a needed way to avoid people with mental illness being put in jail. The center will take more than \$1 million a year to operate because of the trained, round-the-clock staffing needed, he said.

Ron Camuñez, a resident active in emergency preparedness efforts, said he supports the proposals, especially improving the 911 call center. Camuñez suggested people visit the new State Police station at 4055 Sonoma Ranch Blvd. to see what a modern state-of-the-art public safety facility should look like.

People should really look at the numbers and see that it's really needed," Camuñez said.

Quarterhorse and roping groups advocated for supporting the Southern New Mexico State Fairgrounds funds, citing how horsing events brings in much needed economic activity.

Adolf Zubia, retired Las Cruces fire chief, said the city had recently seen its fire insurance upgraded because of its new fire station and training facility. Improved 911 call response would have a similar effect to the benefit of county insurance rates, he said.

Bob Hearn, Las Cruces resident, said he had no problem with the needs presented, but in rural areas where there are other needs, this may look like a lot of money.

These folks also should have an opportunities to have their needs looked at," Hearn said.

Commissioner Leticia Benavidez said she once worked in the same building as the 911 call center and that former bank

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Monday, there will be a \$3 discount on admission for all active-duty military personnel with valid military ID. Tickets to the Southern New Mexico Wine Festival are

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available at the gate. Visit www.snmwinefestival.com to buy tickets in advance, or for more information.

Road to recreation

Many also take advantage of a three-day break from the grind to go out in nature. Don't be surprised to find veterans at many of New Mexico's state parks, who get free passes all year round. The "mecca" for many Memorial Day revelers remains Elephant Butte Lake State Park – even in its state of lower levels because of drought, with Saturday, May 25, set aside for the Fly Freedom Flag Boat Parade, honoring service men and women. The boat parade starts at 10 a.m. with a wreath toss at noon.

State park officials remind boaters to wear a life jacket when on the water and be aware of weather conditions. State law requires a life jacket when on a canoe, kayak or raft. All children 12 and vounger must wear a life jacket.

For more information, call 888-NMPARKS (667-2757), or visit www.nmparks.com.

Historical note

Once called Decoration Day, Memorial Day was pro-claimed May 5, 1868, by Gen. John Logan and first observed May 30, 1868, when flowers were placed on graves of Union and Confederate soldiers at Arlington National Cemetery.

building could barely handle seven people, when during its busy times there can be nine or more people working.

Benavidez said she agreed improvement to the fairgrounds would help the economy.

"Like the old saying goes, if you spend money, you can make money," she said.

Commissioner Billy Garrett said it was appropriate to allow the public to weigh in on these issues and that he supported these proposals to make the county an attractive place for people to move to by addressing the needs of those in dire situations and those in crisis from mental illness.

These are all projects that make this a more desirable place for people to be here," Garrett said. "We are well on the path for this to become a model county, but we need resources?

Chairwoman Karen Perez said there is some confusion about what a crisis triage center is, maybe because of the $M^*A^*S^*H$ movie and TV show. CTC will be very focused on providing mental health interventions to reduce the burden and liability to the County Detention Center. People need to understand how limited the resources are in New Mexico for handling people with mental illness, Perez said.

That's why the county found the \$2 million needed to build the center, she said.

People with mental illness ending up in jail affects the lives of many families, Perez said, while the fairgrounds connects to the agricultural roots of the area.

We have tried to find other resources for these needs, so this is the last resort," she said.

County Fire Marshal Robert Monsivaiz gave his support for the GRT proposal, saying the county fire and emergency crews' communications are dependent on the 911 dispatch center and its level of technology. The current 911 center can't support improved communications equipment in some cases, he said.



VOS

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year, he said, while creating work for veterans, whose numbers are growing quickly with the Iraq War over and the Afghanistan War winding down.

As the veteran population grows, so does the suicide rate among veterans, which stands at 22 deaths a day, Chelpaty said. Work will help give back meaning to the lives of veterans, he said, and the VOS centers would include staff trained in dealing with issues such as post-traumatic stress disorder and multiple disabilities from injuries.

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'This is not 'make work,'" Chelpaty said. "Making re-

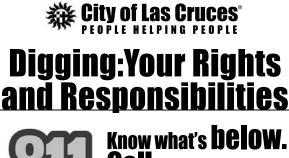
manufactured furniture is real work that needs to be done, if we can only get a change in the (procurement) practice."

If the government was to make that change, the report estimates a VOS center in Las Cruces would return \$520 million to

the local economy through related spending and work wages. Chelpaty said he expects to meet soon with U.S. Rep. Steve Pearce's office to relay the VOS study findings onto top military officials - hopefully Secretary of Veterans Affairs Secre-

Meanwhile, organizational steps continue to form New Mexico's first local chapter of the U.S. Veterans Chamber of Commerce in Las Cruces. To contact Chelpaty about forming a chapter of the U.S. Veterans Chamber of Commerce in Las Cruces, call 523-8500 or

To learn more about the VOS center proposal, visit www. veteranofficesolutions.com.





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Architecture camp in July

The pre-architecture program at Doña Ana Community College will offer its annual Architecture Discovery Camp July 8-19, at the East Mesa campus.

This two-week program is designed for middle and high school students interested in architecture and related fields. Student eligibility includes having completed sixth grade, and not yet graduated from high school.

Instruction is a joint effort provided by DACC professors, Texas Tech University professors, local architects and local government

and business leaders.

Through lectures and hands-on exercises, students will learn about architecture past and present, and gain skills in architectural drawing, computer and manual drafting, model crafting, 3-D modeling, design principles, structural principles, sustainable design and presentation techniques.

Highlights of the program include field trips to local sites of architectural interest, the school of architecture at the University of New Mexico and the studios of architect Antoine Predock, as well as a design competition with



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formal presentations, judging and prizes. Cost of the event is \$75.

For more information, contact Luis Rios at luirios@nmsu.edu or 527-7747 or 528-7310.

Youth tennis league

Las Cruces Tennis Players Association's summer youth tennis will be from 8:30 to 10 a.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Session one is June 4-27, and session two is July 2-25.

For more information, visit www. tennisatlionspark.com or email lctpa@hotmail.

VAU volunteers needed

Las Cruces Police Department's Victims' Assistance Unit is still seeking volunteers interested in joining the Crisis Intervention Response Team, which works with police in offering assistance to victims of crimes.

Volunteering for CIRT is a unique opportunity for college students and those interested in a career in law enforcement, social work or as a victim's advocate.

CIRT volunteers must be at least 18 years old, have a valid New Mexico driver's license, have a vehicle and proof of insurance, live within Las Cruces or in close proximity to the city and pass a criminal background check. Volunteers serve on-call and sometimes overnight hours on weekends and possibly holidays, usually between the hours of 5 p.m. Friday to 8 a.m. Monday.

LCPD provides 40 hours of training, which is mandatory for all volunteers and must be completed prior to serving as a CIRT volunteer.

Applications will be accepted until 5 p.m. Friday, May 24, and training will begin June 5. For more information or to register for

the CIRT, contact Tommi Fisher at tofisher@ las-cruces.org, Lynda Montalvo at lmontalvo@ las-cruces.org or call 528-4111.

Ride honors soldier

The fourth annual Lt. Col. Raymond Trejo Rivas Memorial Bike Ride from Flagstaff, Ariz., to Las Cruces will begin Saturday, May 25, in Flagstaff and will end at approximately 2 p.m. Friday, May 31, with a memorial service at Veterans Memorial Park,

2651 Roadrunner Parkway.

Andrew Rivas USNR (Ret.) will honor Ray Rivas' memory by completing the 500-mile unsupported bike ride. Rivas will be in Glenwood May 29; Silver City May 30; and Caballo May 31 before riding into Las Cruces.

For more information, call AZ Bikes at 928-773-9881.

Candlelight vigil at wall

Members of the Veterans Wall Candlelight Ceremony Committee will host their second annual Memorial Day candlelight ceremony 8 p.m. Monday, May 27, at Veterans Memorial Park, 2651 Roadrunner Parkway. Memorial Day is a day of remembrance for those who died serving our country.

The committee still needs family members or volunteers 18 years and older to light candles for the 197 killed in action from Doña Ana County who died serving in the military in World War I, World War II, Korean War, Vietnam War and Iraq and Afghanistan.

For more information, contact Dolores Archuleta at 524-7873 or darchuleta611412@ aol.com.

Fishing clinic at **Alumni Pond**

A free fishing day and kid's fishing clinic will be at 8 a.m. Saturday, June 1, at Alumni Pond on the New Mexico State University campus.

The clinic will include learning stations about fish and fishing, prizes for kids and hands-on fishing instruction.

For more information, call Richard McDonald at 532-2100.

Pow wow set

The Southwest Desert Pow Wow, by Southwest Apache Nation, will be from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, June 1, and Sunday, June 2, at the Gadsden High School soccer field, 6301 Highway 28, in Anthony, N.M.

The pow wow begins with an Intertribal Grand Entry Dance and the presentation of colors.

Tribal dancers from throughout the Southwest will be in attendance, including the Southern Eagle Singers and Drum from



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For more information, call 915-231-8028.

Denim & Dollars

The Las Cruces Association of Realtors, (LCAR), is holding its Annual Charity Dinner and Auction, Denim & Dollars, at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 5, at the Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave.

There will be a silent auction of items donated by LCAR Realtors and affiliate members, as well as from local businesses. The live auction offers attendees the opportunity to win items and services at great prices, while helping support the efforts of the LCAR Community Service Committee in funding nonprofit groups in Las Cruces and the surrounding area.

Ticket donation is \$40 per person, and tables of eight are available. A complete sit-down dinner is included in the price. There will be musical entertainment as well as a cash bar and wine at each table. The live auction is guaranteed to be some of the best entertainment in Las Cruces, thanks to auctioneer Dan Delaney, president of LCAR.

Any business or individual wishing to donate items for the auctions may contact the LCAR office for more information, or bring the items to the office at 150 E. Idaho Ave., between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

For more information or to purchase tickets, all the LCAR office at 524-0658.

Initiative to save kittens

The Coalition for Pets and People has a team initiative that championed a strong effort to save kittens during spring.

The 2012 effort saved more than 120 kittens. The 2013 spring initiative is launching and could use community support. To participate in this initiative, email Jackye Meinecke at gardens@zianet.com.

Seat belt drive planned

The Las Cruces Police Department, in cooperation with the New Mexico Department of Transportation and law enforcement agencies throughout the state, is participating in a zero-tolerance Click It or Ticket Campaign for two weeks ending June 2.

Statistics gathered by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration show an 18 percent decrease in seat belt usage during nighttime hours. The decreased usage of seat belts during nighttime hours combined with more instances of speeding and drunk driving elevate the possibility of being seriously injured or killed in a motor vehicle crash.

The message of this year's campaign – Click It or Ticket – Day or Night – is intended to convey the importance of utilizing seat belts and child safety seats at all hours and anytime a vehicle is in motion.

In 2012, 61 law enforcement agencies in New Mexico participated in Click It or Ticket and issued a total of 6,894 citations during the campaign.

Book festival has book giveaway

The Border Book Festival (BBF) will be giving books away from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Saturday, May 25, on the south end of Downtown Main Street during the Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market.

Veterans and the general public are invited to the event, which will feature books about various wars including the Civil War, World Wars I and II, the Korean and the Vietnam wars and others.

The giveaway will highlight books that teaches about the effects of war on the human spirit and ways to heal this global endemic.

Books by John Nichols, Tim O'Brien, John Mulligan, Leroy Quintana, Keith Wilson and others will also be available for sale.

Donations are appreciated and will help support Museo de La Gente/Museum of the People, a living museum of art, literature and music, a project of the Border Book Festival. For more information, call 523-3988 or

visit bbf@borderbookfestival.com or bbf@ borderbookfestival.org.

US Bank preparing care packages

US Bank is assembling care packages for Las Cruces service men and women stationed overseas, and is collecting the following items: tuna and chicken salad packs, instant soups, coffee, tea, gum and breath mints, snacks, candy cookies, microwave popcorn, dried fruit and fruit chips, foot powder (preferably unscented), eye drops, chapstick. 1-gallon zip-lock bags, magazines, books, puzzles, DVDs, CDs, prepaid phone cards, sunglasses, shampoo, soap, body lotion (preferably unscented), wet wipes and Avon Skin-So-Soft.

Bring donations to any US Bank location before Tuesday, May 28.

Klein Park fire truck meeting

City Councillor Miguel G. Silva, District 1, will hold a neighborhood meeting regarding the future of the inactive fire truck at Klein Park, 155 N. Mesquite St., from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 29, in the council chambers at City Hall, 700 N. Main St.

Science Café set

Science Café will present "How climate change records can be derived from soil and land features in New Mexico" at 5 p.m. Thursday, May 30, at the Las Cruces Museum of Nature and Science, 411 N. Main St.

Curtis Monger, New Mexico State University soils and desert morphology specialist, will explain how memory of climate is recorded in soil and landforms. With samples and charts he will relate climate changes that were revealed as part of the Cañada Alamosa Project now exhibited at the New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Attendees can learn how examining soil layers and landscape features like river terraces and rock glaciers provide for understanding today's climate.

Sigma Xi's Science Café is presented by the Scientific Research Society, in cooperation with the Las Cruces Museum of Nature and Science. The free Café discussions are presented to advance greater public understanding and to encourage use of available science. Students and all those seeking greater knowledge of current science are encouraged to be at the Science Café.

For more information, call 522-3120.

City PSA contest

The City of Las Cruces public information office has announced the winners the 2013 CLC-TV Student Video PSA (Public Service Announcement) Contest and now it is asking for public input to determine an overall winner.

Students from Las Cruces area middle and high schools submitted 30-second video PSAs with the theme "Be Safe!"

Last week, the public information office revealed six Gold winning videos. This week it

is asking the public to vote for their favorite at CLCTV.com. The deadline to vote is Friday, May 31.

The student(s) who receives the most votes will win as Apple iPod. The winning PSA will be announced on the CLC-TV monthly newsmagazine "City Beat" at 6 p.m. Saturday, June 8, on Comcast channel 20.

Gold Winners are: "Redo" by Olyvia Nunez and Destiny Vielma, Sierra Middle School, eighth grade; "It Can Wait" by Catherine Pederson and Taylor Romero, Sierra Middle School, eighth grade; "Texting Away" by Rebecca Madeja, Las Cruces Catholic Schools, eighth grade, "Child's Advice" by Brigitte Kearns, Las Cruces Catholic Schools, eighth grade; "Water and Electricity" by Izaiah Gutierrez and Andres Chavira, Sierra Middle School, eighth grade; and "Sports Safety" by Jordan Baca and Amanda Franco, Sierra Middle School, eighth grade.

Roundtable discussions set

The Roundtable Discussion Group meets from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. Sundays in the sanctuary of the Unitarian Church, 2000 S. Solano Drive. Upcoming discussions include:

June 2: Barbara Myers: Equal Rights for Women. Have equal rights for women improved or become worse? Attendees will look at a variety of factors in this complex issue.

June 9: Bill Soules: Reflections of a first-time state legislator. Soules will speak about the whirlwind of activity and the steep learning curve when New Mexicans arrive in Santa Fe as a first time legislators

June 16: Bill Moyers: "The American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC)." The group will watch and discuss a video from the Bill Moyers program on PBS about The American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC), a 501(c)3 organization that has received public attention during the recent past.

June 23: Jack Soules: "The Wanderer Project," is the concept of sending out machines that land on distant planets and moons, then use the materials available to clone themselves, their spaceship and supplies to create duplicates that can be launched to explore other places in the universe. Each would also send scientific data back to Earth.

June 30: Mike Hughes will discuss variations in medical costs that are difficult to understand. Learn more about the system and the possibility of saving money.



A10 | News Las Cruces Bulletin Endean-Singh enters contest

Democrat to challenge Pearce

Leslie Endean-Singh recently announced her candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Congress from New Mexico's Second Congressional District.

Endean-Singh made her announcement at a recent meeting of the Democratic Party of Doña Ana County in Las Cruces. Endean-Singh, who is an attorney in



ENDEAN-SINGH

Alamogordo, said she decided to run after extensively talking to voters throughout the Second District. Endean-Singh promised to

use her business experience and collaborative skills to address gridlock in Congress. A longtime medical office

manager, Endean-Singh said she will bring a businesswoman's perspective to assist worker and business participation in the Affordable Care Act, as well as bring jobs to New Mexico. Endean-Singh also said Dr. Jagdev Indar Singh's primary care medical office, whose business affairs she administers, is more efficient and tailored to patients' needs due to collaboration between the hospital and doctors, as well as coordinating both public and private health funding sources.

Endean-Singh served the state for 25 years as a Children's Court attorney for Children Youth and Families Department, as an assistant district attorney, public defender and magistrate judge.

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News briefs University district design review group needs members

The Las Cruces Community Development Department is seeking members for the University District Citizen's Design Review Committee (UDCDRC). It is seeking one citizen who has design/construction experience and one New Mexico State University (NMSU) student representative.

The UDCDR Committee serves as an advisory body to the city for all new development and property rehabilitation in the university district. Meetings are scheduled for the first Monday of every month if cases are pending. The next UDCRC meeting is expected to take place on June 3. Those interested can apply with the city clerk at City Hall located at 700 N. Main St.

Las Cruces recognized as a 'Playful City USA' community

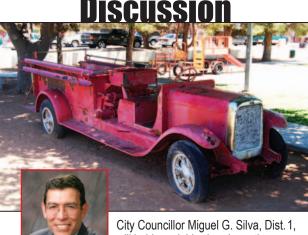
The national nonprofit organization KaBOOM! is recognizing Las Cruces as a 2013 Playful City USA community. The recognition is for Las Cruces' efforts to provide children ample opportunities for play. Las Cruces is one of 217 cities and towns across the country to receive the recognition.

Sponsored by the Humana Foundation, Playful City USA is a national program from KaBOOM! that celebrates and promotes local policies that increase play opportunities for children, and is a key platform in combating the lack of play among children. The Journal of the American Academy of Pediatrics reports that play is essential to the social, emotional, cognitive and physical well-being of children.

According to KaBOOM!, today's generation of children play less than any previous generation despite the vast benefits of play. "Playful City USA communities like Las Cruces are creating innovative programs and initiatives and deserve recognition because of their efforts to give kids the childhood they deserve and best prepare them for their future. It is through mayors, city council members, parks and recreation departments, school districts and community leaders that the program succeeds in benefiting children."

Las Cruces is further engaging its residents through the creation of the Munson Multigenerational Recreation area surrounding Munson Senior Center. The first phase of the project will provide a community garden. Phase two will include a recreation section dedicated to special play activity geared toward all activity levels.

City of Las Cruces PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE - NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING -Klein Park Fire Truck



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Immigration reform urged



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Todd Dickson Members of Comunidades en Acción y de Fé (CAFé) hold signs calling for immigration reform Friday, May 10, outside Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces, where U.S. Rep. Steve Pearce was holding a job fair. Representatives from CAFé, which is a faith-based, multi-denominational organization, are expecting to meet with the Congressman next month to give their position that the citizenship process is a hardship and illegal immigration crackdown is serving only to separate families.

Tea party protests IRS

Members of the Las Cruces Tea Party gather outside the Loretto Towne Centre Tuesday, May 21, to protest the **Internal Revenue** Service's targeted scrutiny of tea party groups. The protesters later walked in front of the IRS office as well as along Main Street. Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Todd Dickson

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Lujan is crowned Miss **Native American NMSU** Pageant winner hails from Taos Pueblo

New Mexico State University student Valerie Lujan was crowned Miss Native American NMSU 2013-14 during the university's celebration of American Indian Week in April.

'Valerie was present throughout the week and expressed her interest in being Miss Native American NMSU," said Justin McHorse, American Indian Program director. "She has been actively involved with the American Indian Program and really has a great network among the student body."

McHorse said the Miss Native American NMSU pageant is different from traditional pageants - it is more cultural and academic. A student must demonstrate knowledge of their culture.

"Being selected is an amazing opportuni-ty. I was overjoyed," Lujan said. "It has been a wonderful experience so far. There is so much support. Being able to inspire fellow students and my community is awesome."

Lujan is double majoring in pre-nursing and hotel, restaurant and tourism manage ment. She is a tribal member of Taos Pueblo and has been active in the American Indian Program, along with other NMSU organizations, since her freshman year.

Now that Lujan has been selected, she said she plans to take her involvement with NMSU even further.

"I have gone out and encouraged students to pursue a higher education," she said. "In my community, only 15 people graduated from my class, two are still in college three years later. I want to use my accomplishments here at NMSU to inspire other students to stay in school."



Valerie Luian was crowned Miss Native American NMSU April 12.

American Indian Week was organized by the NMSU American Indian Science and Engineering Society, the United Native American Organization and the Native American Business Student Association with support from the American Indian Program. American Indian Week was also sponsored by ASNMSU. McHorse is not involved in the selection process, but was happy to see both he and Lujan are members of Taos Pueblo.

"I am very proud of Valerie," McHorse said. "She will have a significant impact on the youth to consider college. It is great to see the younger generation taking advantage of higher education."



Most closed for Memorial Day Animal shelter, city pools among those staying open

City hall and most other City of Las Cruces offices will be closed Monday, May 27, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

- Closed on Monday are:
- Meerscheidt Recreation Center
- East Mesa Recreation Center
- Frank O' Brien Papen Community Center
- The Life Center (Therapeutic Program)
- Henry Benavidez Community Center
- Laabs Pool
- Frenger Indoor Pool
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The Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center will be open from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 1 to 4:30 p.m. and 5 to 8:30 p.m. The East Mesa Bataan Memorial Pool will be open from

noon to 3 p.m. and 3:30 to 6:30 pm. For more information, call the Parks and Recreation Department at 541-2550. The TTY number is 541-2772.

Solid waste and recycling services will operate on a nor-mal schedule and the Foothills Landfill will have regular Monday hours. Police and fire services will not be affected.

The Animal Service Center of the Mesilla Valley, 3551 Bataan Memorial West, will be open for adoptions. Most Doña Ana County offices will be closed Monday. Emergency services and law enforcement in the field will not be affected, but the administrative offices of the Doña

Ana County Sheriff's Department will be closed. The Las Cruces Public Schools Administration Build-ing will be closed in observance of the holiday.

Monday is a federal and Postal Service holiday. New Mexico State University also will be closed. Most banks will be closed, as well as the Las Cruces Bulletin.

In the news

Branson predicts passenger launches by end of 2013

During a recent trip to Dubai, Virgin Group billionaire Richard Branson said the first Virgin Galactic flight would happen by Christmas of this year, according to the United Arab Emirates publication The National.

Since then, Virgin Galactic has issued a company statement emphasizing that the start date for carrying paying passengers depends upon safety following the successful completion of its test-flight program and the FAA issuing license.

Branson's statement came after the April 29 successful first, short flight test in which the spaceliner flew during a 16-second burn of its large, hybrid rocket engine.

The official company statement, however, detailed how there is still a series of tests to go before passengers begin taking their flights for \$200,000 a ride.

"Our best estimate at the moment, if test flights continue as expected, is that we could see the first paying customer flights in 2014," the company statement said.

Once Virgin Galactic completes its testing in Mojave, Calif., the company will begin flying out of Spaceport America, 45 miles north of Las Cruces.

Las Montañas charter renewed for one year

The Las Cruces school board on Tuesday, May 21, renewed Las Montañas Charter High School's charter for another year, but with conditions because of recurring financial and academic concerns since it opened in 2007.

Las Cruces Public Schools Superintendent Stan Rounds recommended revoking Las Montañas' charter.

DACC presidential search sets meetings

The search committee for Doña Ana Community College's next president will conduct listening sessions across Doña Ana County to seek input from supporters on the search for the next DACC president.

"The purpose of each listening session is to allow community members, business leaders, faculty and staff to provide feedback and input on what they would like to see in a new president at DACC," said Bernadette Montoya, vice president of Student Affairs and Enrollment Management at New Mexico State University and chair of the DACC presidential search committee.

The first listening session was Thurs-day, May 23, at the Hatch Center.

- Other listening sessions scheduled across the county include:
- 5:30 to 7 p.m. Thursday, May 30, Gadsden Center, Commons Area, 1700 O'Hara Road, Anthony N.M.
 - 9 to 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 4, Central Campus, Auditorium Room 96, 3400 S. Espina St.
- 2:30 to 4 p.m. Wednesday, June 5, East Mesa Campus, DASR Room 232, 2800 N. Sonoma Ranch Blvd.,
- 10 to 11:30 a.m. Friday, June 7, East Mesa Campus, DASR Room 232, 2800 N. Sonoma Ranch Blvd. The sessions will be recorded and

available online one week following each session at www.dacc.nmsu.edu/ps.

For more information about the listening sessions, call 646-7067.

Yard, garage sales must follow rules

Las Cruces residents who plan on hosting a garage or yard sale are reminded that the city has ordinances regulating the frequency of such sales and the posting of signs that advertise them.

Whether they're called yard, garage, rummage or tag sales – or by any other name – such sales are allowed to be held for no more than four days and no more than three times per calendar year at any one location.

If the sale is held at a business or other property not used mainly for residential or institutional purposes, a temporaryuse permit must be obtained.

The city also has an ordinance in place that attempts to curb the amount of litter and potential traffic risks that may result from improperly placed signs. Yard and garage sale signs are permitted only on private properties and only with the property owner's permission.

It is against city ordinance to place signs on roadways, sidewalks, medians and shoulders, or affixed to light poles, stop signs or on any other public property. Violations of the city's sign ordinances can result in a fine of \$500 or incarceration up to 90 days.

The Codes Enforcement office also reminds residents to remove signs immediately once the sale is over. Besides being unsightly and a form of litter, signs that blow into roadways could become a traffic hazard for motorists. Those who leave signs posted for longer durations can be cited for littering.

For questions contact the Codes Enforcement office at 528-4100.



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Warmer weather may seem like a

good reason to leave windows open, but

Las Cruces residents are reminded that

most home and automobile burglar-

ies are considered crimes of opportu-

nity and committed by perpetrators who

investigations that the vast majority of auto

burglaries are committed when windows

are left rolled down, doors are unlocked

and valuables left in plain sight. Many residential burglaries are com-

mitted by perpetrators who find a door

Las Cruces Police have learned through

want easy access to items of value.

CrimeStoppers **Armed robbery**

Las Cruces Crime Stoppers is offering a reward of up to \$1,000 for information that helps identify three suspects who robbed a couple at gunpoint.

Shortly after midnight Tuesday, May 21, a couple in their early 20s was sitting in a vehicle on the 500 block of East Organ Avenue when they were approached by three Hispanic men. Two of the suspects brandished handguns and stole personal property from the couple.

The victims, a man and woman, were not physically injured. The three suspects fled the area on foot and were last seen running toward the area of Klein Park.

The suspects were described as Hispanic men, possibly in their early 20s and all wearing dark-colored clothing. One of the suspects was said to have a mustache and trimmed eyebrows. He was carrying a silver handgun while one of the other suspects displayed a black handgun.

Anyone with information that can help identify the suspects is asked to call Las Cruces Crime Stoppers at 800-222-TIPS (8477) or send a tip via text message to CRIMES (274637), keyword LCTIPS.

The Crime Stoppers number and text messaging services are operational 24 hours a day and you do not have to give your name to collect a reward.



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Some insurance companies offer their clients a free personal property inventory booklet that can be used to record such information.



Burglary risks rise with summer temperatures

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and windows are properly secured while

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Private gifted school ready to grow a grade Las Cruces Academy to add sixth-grade classes and would probably not be addressed in the larger class sizes of public schools. 'He needs teachers to work with his quirk-

By Todd G. Dickson Cruces Bulletin

As the first school year comes to a close in its new building, Las Cruces Academy is ready to add another grade level, and, in the process, step up what makes the independent, nonsectarian school different.

The move from converted Downtown Las Cruces office to a transformed former art gallery in Mesilla did bring in some more students, said Vince Gutschick, who founded Las Cruces Academy with his wife, Lou Ellen Kay, to create a school geared to teaching students who are gifted or academically advanced. Las Cruces Academy had 18 students at the old location and currently there are 33 students in kindergarten through fifth grade, he said.

One way Las Cruces Academy is different is that, in addition to basic subjects, students are learning Spanish and Chinese. Las Cruces Academy also allows student curiosity to influence the direction of lessons. Gutschick said that exploratory openness will be expanded next school year to allow for more individual projects.

"We allow that to some degree now in groups, but with the older students we're going to allow the older students to pursue individual projects with the teacher being a resource to their discovery," he said.

The more individual explorations will be in grades four through six. There will still be strong group ties as mixed-aged groups of students are kept together as they go to different classes during the day, Gutschick said.

Las Cruces Academy's enrollment goal for next year is 50 students. Tuition is \$7,560 a school year, which Gutschick said is less than most academically focused private schools in larger urban markets.

Jennifer Neakrase is one of the first parents to take a chance on Las Cruces Academy for her son, Stephen, who is now 6. She said she believes it was a good investment for his future. Neakrase said she and her husband were reluctant about enrolling their son in the public schools because he is kind of particular with a strong perfectionist streak. That quirkiness and perfectionism needs to be both controlled and encouraged in a balanced way, she said,

iness and also help him get over it," she said.

Neakrase, who comes from an academic family, is now teaching part time at Las Cruces Academy.

In addition to the small class sizes, parents also compliment the school's overall caring and family atmosphere, despite the often challenging lessons and class demonstrations.

Las Cruces Academy currently is taking applications for new students through its website at www.lascrucesacademy.org. Interested parents also can arrange for visits to the school at 1755 Avenida de Mercado in the former Preston Contemporary Art Center, off Avenida de Mesilla.

For more information or to schedule a private visit, call 521-9384 or email director@ lascrucesacademy.org.



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Quiñones all star in Lone Star



Keeping up

The Sterling College (Kan.) baseball team begins play Friday, May 24, in the NAIA World Series.

Formerly a student at Mesilla Valley Christian Schools, Patrick Smith is a sophomore reserve for the Warriors, who won the Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference tournament. The infielder hit .286 in three games.

Sterling is making its first appearance in the event, which will be held at Lewis-Clark State College in Idaho.

More baseball

Eastern New Mexico University senior outfielder Luis Quiñones was named to the National Collegiate Base-ball Writers Association South Central Region honorable mention team.

The Mayfield High School graduate was selected to the all-Lone Star Conference first team. He hit .375 with two home runs and 23 RBI.

Howard College sophomore pitcher Diego Rodriguez, another player from Mayfield, was 1-1 with a 0.84 earned run average in 10 appearances.

Josh Watson was a redshirt freshman outfielder for Cisco College (Texas). The Las Cruces High School graduate hit .400 in six games.

Freshman pitcher Jacob Gomez was second in victories for New Mexico Military Institute. The former Mayfield Trojan was 5-7 with a team-best 4.46 ERA in 13 starts, which tied for the team lead.

Softball

Las Cruces product Shontel Lopez hit .174 with five RBI in 17 games for Prairie View A&M University. The sophomore infielder had a .979 fielding average in 96 chances.

Send updates about area athletes to Barbara Boxleitner at bkle3@aol.com

State bragging rights

Sports

High school athletes battle for championships in Duke City

By Jim Hilley

For Las Cruces area high school sports fans, the highlight of the May 16-18 spring sports championships has to be the 5-A champion softball team from Las Cruces High School. Given the top seed going into the tournament, the Bulldawgs sailed past the competition with relative ease, defeating Atrisco Heritage Academy (14-2), Valley High School (11-0), Volcano Vista High School (14-3) and Carlsbad High School (10-1), before shutting out Cibola High School 10-0 for the state championship. For those who are counting that is a total score of 59-6, an impressive achievement.

Mayfield High School's Kacee Ramos was the winner in the 5-A girls 100 meter dash with a time of 12.28 seconds, and in the 5-A girls triple jump, Oñate High School senior Leiyona Young was the winner with a jump of 36-6 1/2, topping Virginia Norwood of Alamogordo High Schools 35-4. Fellow Oñate senior Maisha Grant also jumped 35-4, but placed third due to her score in the preliminary round.

In boys 5-A competition, two Las Cruces hurdlers took second and third in the 300 meter hurdles. Isaiah McIntyre was second with a time of 39.23, and Andrew Thatcher followed in third place with a time of 39.92. Mustafa Mudada of Highland High School won the event with a time of 38.09.

In 5-A boys competition, Las Cruces High School senior Torion Brown brought home a second place in the discus throw and a third place in the shot put. LCHS sophomore Mc-Întyre placed fourth in the boys long jump.

For Mayfield High School, sophomore Isaac Figueroa earned a third place in the boys triple jump and a fourth place in the high jump.

Oñate freshman Keyarha Wilson was fifth in the girls high jump and Grant placed fourth in the girls long jump. In the girls javelin throw, Oñate senior Nicole Tejeda earned a fifth place.

On the tennis courts, Las Cruces teams did very well reaching the semifinals, but only the No. 2 seeded Mayfield girls team made it to the championship match, where they fell to No. 2



Oñate High School distance runner Meghan Aguilera congratulates Samantha Meza of Clovis after the 5-A girls' 3,200-meter run Saturday, May 18, at the state championships in Albuquerque. Aguilera finished sixth (12:21.52), while Meza finished in eighth.

Eldorado High School 5-2. The Trojan boys made it to the team semifinals, where they lost to eventual champion Sandia High School 5-4.

In girls' singles action, Mayfield's Lindsay Harlas was defeated in the semifinals by Eldorado's Susan Baklini 6-1, 6-1, before defeating Eldorado's Mirriam Jeppson 6-2, 6-3 for third place.

The Las Cruces High School girls doubles team of Sonia Garcia and Beth Salgado lost a

tough quarterfinal match to Lydia Boisvert and Kelsey Slingerland of Sandia 6-4, 5-7, 7-5, but edged the girls doubles team from Eldorado 6-4, 7-6 for third in another hotly contested match.

In 4-A girls tennis, the doubles team of Jenna Coyle and Maddie Andersson from Mesilla Valley Christian Schools dropped their semifinal match to Danielle Nguyen and Molly See High School on page A16

Trakh hires Sanchez

New

State

Baseball league balks at 2013 season American West League pushes start of play back to 2014

By Jim Hilley

Las Cruces baseball fans will have to wait another year to see minor league baseball return to Apodaca Park. The American West Baseball League announced Tuesday, April 20, and the league will wait until 2014 to have its inaugural season of baseball at locations in California, Arizona and Las Cruces. The league also announced the resignation of CEO Michael Cummings.

The league has decided it would be in the best interest of players, cities, ownership groups and the league to reschedule our inaugural season to 2014," a league press release said. "Our goal has always been to operate a league, however, it has also been our goal to do

it right, from the beginning and many would say that we did not accomplish this goal. We believe by postponing our season it will give us the opportunity to do it correctly and profes-

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sionally"

American West Commissioner Sean Smock will replace Cummings as the CEO and remain as the commissioner.

The American West League had planned to begin playing baseball in Las Cruces this summer, with a franchise located here named the Las Cruces Sun Rays expected to play at Ap-odaca Park. In March, the Sun Rays The Sun Rays named Kelly Stinnett to be their team manager and Bryan Kelly as coach. Other teams included in the league are the Fullerton Flyers, the Nogales Desert Ghosts and the Bisbee Copperheads.

Last year, the Las Cruces Vaqueros of the Pecos League played out of Apodaca Park, but that league pulled the Vaqueros out of Las Cruces after three seasons.



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for the Aggies from 2007-12 and was coached by Trakh during the 2011-12 season.

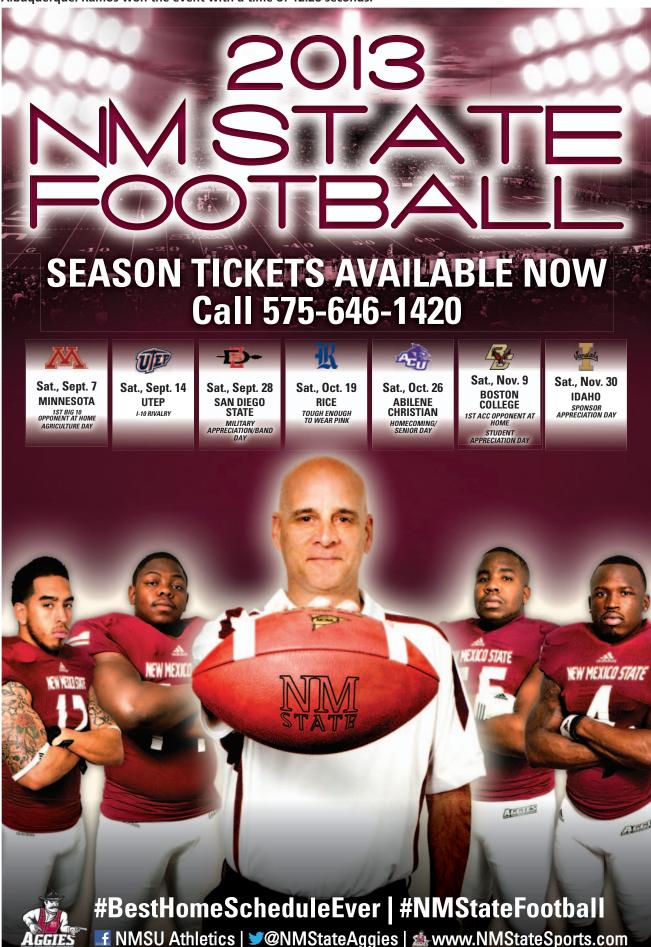
Sanchez joins the Aggies to replace Stacey Nichols, who was with the NMSU

staff for one season. "We are very excited to have Erica Sanchez joining out staff," Trakh said. "She was a solid player and student athlete and I am excited to see her grow as a coach."

Rio Rancho Observer photo by Gary Herror



Mayfield High School senior Kacee Ramos celebrates as she crosses the finish line first in the 5-A girls 100-meter dash Saturday, May 18, at the New Mexico state high school championships at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque. Ramos won the event with a time of 12.28 seconds.



High School

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Merrion of Farmington 6-4, 7-6 (3), but defeated Jesse Jennings and Alicia Romero of Roswell 6-2, 6-2 in the consolation match.

In 5-A boys doubles tennis, two Mayfield teams made the quarterfinals, with Ryan Maki and Jacob Flores falling 6-4, 6-3 to La Cueva's Eli Echt-Wilson and Ben Petry and in the quarterfinals while fellow Trojans Ian Villescas and Marc Medina fell to Carlsbad's Cody Watts and Daniel Miller 7-6 (7-2) 6-2. In the consolation match Villescas and Median retired, giving third place to their teammates.

Also for MVCS, Eric Cordry lost to eventual champion George Cooper of Academy High School 6-1, 6-3 in the boys singles quarterfinals, but earned a third place by outlasting Jack Apodaca, also of Academy 1-6, 7-5, 6-0. In baseball, the MVCS

In baseball, the MVCS Sonblazers lost in the quarterfinals to eventual champion Cobre 16-6 in the 32-A tournament Thursday, May 16. In 5-A, Oñate fell to Carlsbad 8-2 and Las Cruces lost to Sandia 9-0, also on Thursday, May. 16.

WAC baseball tourney begins Aggies seeded in sixth

The New Mexico State baseball team is in Grand Prairie, Texas, competing in the 2013 Western Athletic Conference Tournament at QuikTrip Park.

The tournament started Wednesday, May 22. The Aggies are the No. 6 seed in the tournament and opened play against No. 3 seed Texas State, Thursday, May 23. NMSU faces No. 2 UT Arlington, at 2 p.m. Friday, May 24, before taking on No. 7 seed Dallas Baptist at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 25. If the Aggies win their pool, they will play in the WAC Tournament Championship at noon Sunday, May 26.

The tournament features the league's top-eight teams from the regular season.

CSU Bakersfield earned the tournament's top seed and played eighth-seeded San Jose State on Wednesday. UT Arlington will be the No. 2 seed and took on No. 7 Dallas Baptist in Wednesday's night game. Texas State is the No. 3 seed, followed by UTSA (No. 4), Sacramento State (No. 5), New Mexico State (No. 6), Dallas Baptist (No. 7), and San Jose State (No. 8).

The tournament began May 22, with No. 4 UTSA taking on No. 5 Sacramento State at 10 a.m. No. 1 CSU Bakersfield will played No. 8 San Jose State at 3 p.m., and No. 2 UT Arlington took on No. 7 Dallas Baptist in the nightcap Wednesday.

The tournament is an eight team round-robin (pool play) tournament played to determine the WAC champion and an automatic bid to the NCAA Tournament. Teams are divided into two pools with seeds 1, 4, 5 and 8 in Pool A and seeds 2, 3, 6, and 7 in Pool B. The teams with the best records in the two pools will compete for in the championship game on Sunday. If more than one team is tied at the completion of round-robin play, the following tie-breaking procedure will be used:

Two teams tied: The team that won the head-to-head competition in championship tournament games will advance.

Three-teams tied: The team with the highest seed in the respective bracket will advance.

Fans can listen to the WAC Tournament on KSNM AM 570 in Las Cruces or online from anywhere in the world at www.nmstatesports.com for a fee.

NMSU finished the regular season with a 20-10 home record and a 7-15 road record, while going 1-1 when playing at a neutral site.

The Aggies ended the regular season hitting .291 as a team with four Aggies (who average at least 2.5 at-bats/game) hitting .300 or better. Junior Tanner Rust leads the team with a .387 batting average while senior Bobby Lecount is posting a .341 average on the year. Lecount, al-though, has a team-high 67 RBI on the year, which is also in the top ten nationally.

The Aggie pitching staff heads into the weekend with a 5.49 ERA. Senior Adam Mott has worked more innings than any other Aggie pitcher working 86.2 innings this year. He also has a team-high 82 strikeouts this year. Senior lefty Ryan Beck has 80 K's in 73.0 innings of work and is posting 9.9 strikeouts per nine innings, which leads the WAC. **Aggies compete**

Sports briefs

All-region softball team is announced Six Aggies earn all-WAC honors

New Mexico State softball second in the conference with a players Staci Rodriguez and Amber Olive were named to the All-Pacific Region first and second

team, spectively, as announced by the National Fastpitch Coaches Association (NFCA) on Thursday, May 16. Ro-



driguez was named to the first team as an outfielder, while Olive was selected for the second team as an outfielder. Both Aggies are first-time recipients of the all-region honor.

Rodriguez, a sophomore from Paramount, Calif., finished the season with a Western Athletic Conference leading 20 home runs and a .357 batting average. Rodriguez had a team-leading .780 slugging percentage and a perfect fielding percentage during her senior campaign.

Her 20 home runs is No. 2 in the Aggies' season record book. She was named WAC Player of the Year for her efforts during conference play and was honored as WAC Hitter of the Week three times. She led the conference with 63 RBI and 131 total bases with six successful steals. Rodriguez had 17 multi-hit and 15 multi-RBI games during 2013 with two grand slams and a record-setting three home runs and 12 total bases against Siena College (3/25).

Ölive, a senior from Simi Valley, Calif., led the Aggies and was

.393 batting average and was tops in the WAC with 79 hits and 41 runs scored. She had 20 RBI on the season and 16 successful sto-

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len bases. She finished her senior campaign 24 with multi-hit games and

went on a 17-game

hitting streak during the season. Olive had two sacrifice flies on the year for the Aggies and was named first-team All-WAC. She was named All-American Strength and Conditioning Ath-lete of the Year by the NSCA, CoSIDA Academic All-District and was honored by the NMSU psychology department as the top graduating student. The senior graduated with bachelor's degrees in psychology and communication studies and was selected as the NMSU Scholar Athlete for the spring commencement of 2013.

NMSU finished the year with a 37-20 overall record and 16-5 in WAC play. The Aggies ended the season second during the regular season and second at the WAC Tournament in Ruston, La. Six Aggies were named All-WAC selections and senior pitcher Alex Newman was selected to the WAC all-tournament team. The season was highlighted by a record-setting 11-game win streak that was made by defeating No. 17 Arizona

3-2 in mid-April.

at track regional Five Aggies from the New Mexico State University track and field team are competing in the 2013 NCAA Regional round in Austin, Texas, through Saturday, May 25. Senior LaSasha Aldredge and juniors Brianna Cromartie and junior Alishia Perkins will compete in the 200-meter dash. Aldredge and Cromartie will also com-pete in the 400-meter dash. Senior Courtney Schultz is set to take part in the 10,000-meter run and junior Kelsey Brennan will com-

pete in the javelin. Aldrege ran her best 200-meter

dash on April 6 at the Don Kirby Tailwind Invitational and finished with a time of 23.57. She also ran her fastest 400-meter dash at this event and finished with a time of 52.59, which ranks first all-time for the Aggies. Cromartie's best time in the 200-meter dash came at the 2013

UTEP Invitational on April 13. She finished with a time of 23.64. She ran her best 400-meter dash at the Michael Johnson/Dr. Pepper Classic on April 20, and finished with a time of 53.28 and is second all-time on the Aggies' record list.

Perkins posted her best time in the 200-meter dash at the UTEP Invitational. She finished with a time of 23.61

Schultz finished with her best time this season at the 55th Mt. SAC Relays on April 18 where she finished with a time of 35:07.77. Schultz ran her fastest time for her career in 2011 at the 53rd Annual Mt. SAC Relays and finished with a time of 34:42.21, which ranks second all-time for the Aggies.

Brennan set a new record for the Aggies in the 2013 WAC Outdoor Track and Field Championships on May 8, with a throw of 157-9 (48.08 meters). She earned her third firstplace finish at the WAC Championships with her throw.

Men's golf sixth in NCAA regional

The New Mexico State men's golf team ended its 2012-13 season with a sixth-place finish at the 2013 NCAA Regional Golf Tournament in Tempe, Ariz., Saturday, May 18. The Aggies carded a final round team score of 4-under par, 276 and finished the tournament at even-par, 840 (285-279-276).

"I'm extremely pleased with our play today and the entire tournament," head coach Mike Dirks said. "We played great golf this tournament. The guys really stayed focused and played their game and the results showed."

Three Aggies finished the tournament at even-par or better. Senior Justin Shin rounded out his collegiate career with a tournament low for round three with a 5-under par, 65. In his final round, Shin recorded six birdies and just one bogey. Shin finished the tournament tied for 13th overall, 3-under par, 207 (70-72-65).

Sophomore Brett Walker carded his second round of under par golf with a 1-under par, 69 in the final round. Walker finished the tournament at 2-under par, 208 (71-68-69),

tying for 17th. He recorded three birdies in the final round. Senior Derek Baade also closed out his collegiate career with a solid tournament. He was even-par, 210 (71-69-70) for the tournament, carding an even-par, 70 in the final round. Baade had three birdies in the final round.

Freshman Kenneth Fadke was 2-over par, 72 in the final round, placing tied for 50th overall at 9-over par, 219 (77-70-72). He tallied four birdies in the final round of play. Junior Willy Hogan was 5-over par, 75, in round three, finishing the tournament at 11-over par, 221, placing him tied for 56th.

UCLA won the team regional championship with a three-round score of 30-under par, followed by Georgia (-13), UCF (-13), Texas A&M (-11) and Arizona State (-8). All five teams will now advance to the NCAA Championships. Greg Eason of UCF won the individual title at 12-under par.

Ume-Ezeoke on **Rimington list**

New Mexico State University junior center Valerian Ume-Ezeoke has been named to the Rimington Trophy 2013 Spring Watch List. The list includes 17 returning players from the 2012 Watch List. In all, there are 44 players on the Watch List.

"I'm very thankful and honored for being named to the watch list, Ume-Ezeoke said. "It's very humbling to be a part of a prestigious group of athletes. I just want to thank God for everything because without him none of this would be possible. And I'm also thankful for the support from my family, coaches, teammates and everybody that supports the New Mexico State football team."

Ume-Ezeoke played in all 12 games for the Aggies in 2012, starting at the center position. He recorded 44 knockdowns and allowed no sacks during the season. He was a vital part of the Aggies pass protection that allowed wide receiver Austin Franklin to earn all-America honors.

Ume-Ezeoke also helped quarterback Andrew Manley throw for 2,764 yards and 18 touchdowns in 2012, as he ranked 47th in the nation in passing. The 2,764 passing yards by Manley is sixth all-time in a single season, while the 18 touchdown passes rank tied for seventh in a single season. Ume-Ezeoke was named an Academic All-WAC selection and a 2012 Capital One Academic All-District VII first team member for his work in the classroom.

Soccer tryouts set in August

The New Mexico State University soccer team is having walk-on tryouts for the 2013 season at 6 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 10, at the NMSU soccer field west of Aggie Memorial Stadium.

Interested individuals may email assistant coach Freddy Delgado at delgadof@nmsu.edu and provide their name, NMSU student ID number, high school attended, club team and soccer résumé. If an

individual has previously attended college, she must include what year she will be in school as well as prior colleges attended.

Prior to the tryout, athletes must complete the following requirements to be eligible by NCAA and university policy for tryouts:

• Pick-up a tryout form from the compliance office located on the north side of the Pan American Center and next to the ticket office.

Take the form to the athletic training center in the Fulton Center on the second floor. Proof of insurance and proof of a physical with doctor's statement that the athlete is cleared for physical activity are needed. The athlete must also get a sickle cell test done and the results must be provided to the athletic training room with physical papers in order for them to sign off (both the physical and the sickle cell test are required to tryout). If unable to get a physical from her home doctor, she can get a physical from the campus health center on the NMSU campus. The number is 646-1512. Schedule an appointment at least one week in advance of the tryout date to ensure enough time to get the sickle cell test results back. A NM State athletic trainer will sign the form when he/she approves the athlete to try out.

Return the form to the compliance office so that they may assess academic eligibility and to ensure eligibility to try out or play soccer at NMSU. Players must be admitted and registered full-time on the main Las Cruces campus and be in good academic standing.

For more information, contact Freddy Delgado at delgadof@nmsu. edu or 646-7922.

NMSU track team signs sprinter

The New Mexico State track and field team has signed sprinter Katara Nelson from Irving, Texas, to a na-tional letter of intent for the 2013-14 season.

Nelson competed in the 100-meter, 200-meter and 400-meter dash and also competed in the 4-by-400 meter relay at South Grand Prairie High School in Grand Prairie, Texas.

In her senior season, Nelson focused on the 200-meter dash and ended her season with a sixth place finish in the state championships with a time of 24.6.

She finished first in regionals with a time of 24.3, which was her seasonbest time in the 200-meter dash. She was named Outstanding Athlete and MVP in her senior season.

In her junior season, Nelson ran a season-best time of 3:45 in the 4-by-400 meter relay. She also ran a time of 12.04 in the 100-meter dash. Nelson finished sixth in the 400-meter dash in the Junior Olympics and was named freshman of the year in 2009.

"She can help in the 100, 200 and 400-meter dash and we're excited to have her," head coach Orin Richburg said.

"She gives us some flexibility because she can run the relay."

Four Ags are all-WAC Lecount, Rust get first team nod

The Western Athletic Conference released its 2013 all-WAC baseball teams and postseason awards as selected by the league's head coaches and four New Mexico State baseball players were selected, with two on the first team and two on the second team.

Senior third baseman Bobby Lecount and junior catcher Tanner Rust were named to the first team, while junior right fielder Michael Medina and senior relief pitcher Evan Mott were voted to the second team.

Lecount played in 54 games this year and led the league with 67 RBI. He hit .356 against WAC opponents and posted more than half of his RBI (37) against league foes. Lecount also led the team with 38 walks while 21 of those walks came in WAC play. He led the team and finished second in the WAC with 14 home runs during the 2013 regular season.

Rust finished the regular season with a .387 batting average (best in WAC) and marked a .375 batting average during league play. He led the team scoring 54 runs this year and he entered the tournament with a team-high 24 multiple-hit games. Rust started in 54 games this year with 47 of those starts at catcher. Medina earned all-conference

honors after hitting .369 in league play. He started all 54 games this year in right field while scoring 53 runs on the year with 30 runs scored in WAC play. Those 30 runs scored were tops in the league.

Mott, who recently broke the school record for appearances in a season, was named second team all-WAC after he posted a 2.93 ERA in 46.0 innings pitched. Mott finished 18 games this year and tallied three saves to go along with his 62 strikeouts. He tallied 36 K's in league play and walked only eight batters during WAC games.

CSU Bakersfield junior infielder Tyler Shryock was named the Player of the Year and Bakersfield senior Jeff McKenzie earned Pitcher of the Year honors. The Freshman of the Year award went to Sacramento State designated hitter Chris Lewis. CSU Bakersfield's Bill Kernen was named WAC Coach of the Year.

Aggielnsider

NMSU teams see improvement

Turnarounds highlight season



The scholastic and athletic years are basically in the books, so let's look and remember what we saw in the year that was.

We start with teams that improved from the previous campaign. Women's hoops are the poster child here. Mark Trakh and his staff went from helpless and hopeless to a solid squad that advanced in the WAC Tournament. It took about half the season for the team to relax and hit its offensive stride, breaking out for 90-plus points in heads to had

back-to-back games in mid-February. It is clear to me that Trakh knows talent, and next year fans should see more building blocks in place for better tomorrows.

Aggie softball returned to form this past year. They rode the crest of the WAC wave until they faced the eventual conference champ San Jose State, but Kathy Rodolph's squad continued their winning ways in the community. Year after year, softball has contributed the most hours of involvement with kids and other community organization. Amber Olive was also recognized for her academic and athletic achievement with a CoSIDA honor.

Several programs continued their steady winning pace.

Equestrian, under new coach Robin Morris-Walters, made it to the NCEA Nationals to continue its string of postseason appearances.

More programs are moving to the front of the pack in an event where there never is a finish line.

The newest program on the NM State athletics roster took small steps toward being a consistent winner and got into its own stadium as well. Blair Quinn now has a home for his team at the soccer complex west of Aggie Memorial Stadium, which should keep the infusion of talent at a steady pace. Quinn also took the lead with a

program to benefit our community. He donated an amount for each goal scored to the Boys & Girls Club of Las Cruces. The idea came to him after visiting its clubhouse and meeting with its board of directors.

Three teams made it to the NCAA postseason, and frankly through the course of the season, there was some doubt that could happen for any one of them. Mike Jordan used his coaching acumen to revamp his lineup to move from a middle seed in the WAC Tournament to the overall champ. Mike Dirks made his first appearance in the NCAA as the Aggie men's golf coach. They concluded play last weekend. Similar to volleyball, the men's golf team did not shoot amazing scores until they had to in the WAC Tournament, when the Aggies made it all look easy.

Men's basketball had a complete transformation from the team that tipped the season off to the one that went "dancin" in the NCAA. Losing three different starters didn't faze Marvin Menzies or his staff. They had enough variety in the players they recruited to win the WAC Tournament with a less than perfect squad whose heart played bigger than their skills.

The brain has to have some time to digest what it has learned, say the psychologists. The year that ended showed the Aggie faithful that more programs are moving to the front of the pack in an event where there never is a finish line.

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Records shattered

NMSU track team reaches new heights



Chris Huff Cross Country/Track and Field Assistant Coach

The ladies of the New Mexico State track team got out to a fast start this January, opening up at Texas Tech University. They started to immediately identify who they were and what they could be.

It was only a matter of weeks before they started breaking records and making heads turn in Albuquerque.

Alishia Perkins set the 60-meter record with a time of 7.54 and the 200-meter in 23.68, while Brianna Cromartie broke the 400-meter in 53.11. On the middle distance side, Diana Hawk broke the 1600-meter record, clocking a time of 4:53.13. Las Cruces natives Zoe Meade and Taylor Black would not be immune to record fever. Meade set the pentathlon record of 3,735 points, while Black set the pole vault record in 11-4.5 (3.47m). That brings us to the women's 4-by-400 meter relay; LaSasha Aldredge, Perkins, Jenna Banegas and Cromartie set the NM State record running a 3:38.38.

The collective talents of the NM State women's track team netted them third place at the WAC Indoor Track and Field Championships. Cromartie was named WAC Athlete of the Year and was also the high point champion for the WAC Indoor Championships with a total individual point score of 18.5. Perkins joined Cromartie and was co-high point champion, when she equaled Cromartie's point total of 18.5.

Aldredge, Perkins, Banegas and Cromartie all went on to the USA Track and Field Championships to race individually. Aldredge took third in the open 400-meter and Cromartie placed fourth at the USATF Indoor Championships.

With the close of the indoor season and the dawning of the outdoor, NM State women's track and field was wide awake. The records started falling at the Don Kirby Invite at UNM. In the 400-meter, Aldredge set a new school record with a time of 52.59, and Hawk ran the 1500-meter with a record setting 4:28.06. The ladies continued to toe the line and improve as they competed at Baylor, Mt. Sac, Texas State and Cal-Berkeley.

NM State took sixth place overall at the WAC Outdoor Track and Field Championships. Kelsey Brennan claimed first place for the third time in her career while setting a new school record in the javelin throw. The Aggies had eight first team All-WAC and eight second team All-WAC accolades for the meet.

We as a team, coaches and athletes, will all take some time to reflect on the season. As a whole, we will ponder intrinsically and extrinsically toward improvement so we can continue to strive forward and onward. The majority of our ladies will take part in a well-deserved break for a couple of weeks.

Coaches and a few of our ladies hold their breath to see if they have qualified for the NCAA West Regional Outdoor Track and Field Meet. The western route to Eugene, Ore., for the NCAA National Championships goes through Austin, Texas.

There is no express lane. Anyone who wants to go to the NCAA Outdoor Track and Field Championships must pay their dues.



Onthegreen

A dynamic presence Paying our respects to golf and broadcasting legend Ken Venturi



Charlie Blanchard

The world of golf lost another professional golfing legend when Ken Venturi passed away Friday, May 17.

Venturi won 14 events on the PGA Tour, including the 1964 U.S. Open. After retiring from professional golf in 1967, Venturi signed on with CBS Sports as a color commentator and spent the next 35 years as a television announcer alongside luminaries such as the late Pat Summerall and current announcing legend lim Nantz.

He died after being hospitalized in Rancho Mirage, Calif., for two months for a spinal infection, pneumonia and an intestinal infection at age 82. He is survived by his third wife, Kathleen, and two sons, Matthew and Tim.

Venturi was born in San Francisco on May 15, 1931, and developed his golf game at Harding Park Golf Course, well known to this day as a solid public golf course in the Bay Area, and a favorite of golf notable Johnny Miller, who was from the same locale. Venturi became the San Francisco interscholastic golf champion and went on the play at San Jose State University, where he received a degree in physical education.

Venturi won the 1951 and 1956 California State Amateur Championships, both at Pebble Beach. Between those two amateur titles, he served in the Army. He was drafted early in 1954 following a victorious Walker Cup appearance, but was given leave to compete in the Masters before being shipped overseas. He finished tied for 16th and the third low amateur. The Army sent him to Austria, where he spent the next 16 months.

In a twist of end-of-life drama, Venturi was inducted into the World Golf Hall of Fame just a week before his death on the basis of his lifetime achievements in golf, both on the course and in the booth.

'We all knew what a wonderful player Ken Venturi was," said Jack Nicklaus earlier last week, "and how he fashioned a second successful career as an announcer. But far more important than how good he was at playing the game or covering it, Ken was my friend.

"Ken was fortunate in that the game of golf gave him so much, but without question Ken gave back far more to the game he loved than he ever gained from it. Over the years, Ken developed a circle of friends that is enormous and

whose collective heart is (now) heavy." Venturi's longtime sidekick in the CBS booth on the weekends, Jim Nantz, gave an emotional tribute to those gathered at the World Golf Village.

'He was a deeply principled man with a dynamic presence," Nantz said. "He just exuded class. Through his competitive days and unequaled broadcasting career, Kenny became a human bridge connecting everyone from Sarazen, Nelson and Hogan to the greatest players of today's generation. Kenny faced many adversities in his life and always found a way to win."

Among the adversities Nantz was referring to was the severe stammering affliction Venturi faced as a child. He later said it is what led him to golf, a somewhat solitary sport where a lot of talk is not required.

"When I was 13 years old, the teacher told my mother, 'I'm sorry Mrs. Venturi but your son will never be able to speak He's an incurable stammerer," Venturi told The New York Times two years ago.

"My mother asked me what I planned to do. I said 'I'm taking up the loneliest sport I know,' and picked up a set of hickory shaft (clubs) across the street from a man and went to Harding Park and played my first round of golf."

I don't know for sure, but that personal story could possibly have been the seed for the monthly "Golf Saved My Life" column in Golf

Digest magazine. Aside from broadcasting, Venturi is best re-membered for his heroic finish in the 1964 U.S.

Open at the Congressional Country Club in Bethesda, Md., Venturi had not won since the 1960 Milwaukee Open and contemplated quitting professional golf. In 1964, he had been required to participate in both a sectional and regional qualifying event before gaining entry into the Open.

In those years, the Open played 36 holes for the final two rounds on the same day.

Going into the final 18 holes Venturi was two shots behind the leader, Tommy Jacobs.

That afternoon, temperatures at Congressional were near 100 degrees and the humidity was such that players were struggling to finish. As reports have it, Venturi was followed closely in his final round by Dr. John Everett, who was monitoring the players for fear of casualties from heat prostration. Everett had actually warned Venturi against continuing to play.

The sweating and exhausted Venturi was given ice cubes, iced tea and salt tablets as he continued his play, not focusing with all consciousness but mostly out of instinct. In a fashion of "the last man standing," Venturi sank a 10-foot putt to win the Open by four strokes. Remembering the final green a good 33

years later, Venturi told an AP reporter, "I dropped my putter and I raised my arms up to the sky and I said, 'My God, I've won the Open.' "The applause was deafening. It was like

thunder coming out there." The New York Times uncovered the story that Venturi was so weak that he could not

reach into the hole to get his ball, so Raymond Floyd, his afternoon playing partner, did it for him.

"I felt this hand on me, and it was Raymond Floyd handing me the ball," Venturi recalled. "I looked at him and he had tears streaming down his face."

That was the last year the U.S. Open staged its final two rounds on a single day. The next year, the tour set up Red Cross volunteers to accompany threesomes around the golf course in hot summer tournaments. My dad and I were Red Cross first aid volunteers at a couple of Cleveland Open tournaments in 1965 and '66,

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accompanying Sam Snead and Tony Lema.

There aren't a lot of full biographies of Venturi's life available. But if you want to get a feel for the life and times of Venturi, you best read "The Match: The Day the Game of Golf Changed Forever, the True Riveting Story" by Mark Frost, complete with the recollections of all the participants.

To whet your appetite, here's a taste. The year was 1956. Eddie Lowery, a wealthy San Francisco car dealer and supporter of amateur golf (and famous caddie of Francis Ouimet the improbable 1913 U.S. Open winner), has just made a bet with fellow millionaire George Coleman. Lowery claims that two of his employees, amateur golfers Harvie Ward and Ken Venturi, cannot be beaten in a best-ball match. Coleman brings two of the game's greatest living professionals, with 14 major championships between them, Ben Hogan and Byron Nelson, to Cypress Point.

Venturi recalled the day. "The match was a dream I

never thought would come true. If I hadn't been there I wouldn't believe it myself, and if you know anything about sports or the game of golf, once you pick up (the story) you won't put it down. No one will ever see an event like this again. Fiction can't touch it."

Aside from golf, broadcasting and the hall of fame, Venturi had a little-known side to his character. Although he engaged in many charitable causes, his most notable was the Guiding Eyes Classic, an event in New York that included blind golfers. The event raised more than \$6 million to provide service dogs for the blind.

According to a recent New York Times piece, Venturi told Golf Digest in 2004 how a guide dog from the program saved his owner, one Omar Rivera, in the 9/11 terrorist attack, leading him down a staggering 71 floors of the North Tower at the World Trade

Center.

"At a Guiding Eyes gala at Rockefeller Plaza, Omar came forward and told his story. Toward the end, he said, 'This dog came from Ken Venturi.' I cry easily enough as it is, but I cried buckets that day," Venturi said.

The Lord blessed us to know a great man.

Dr. Charlie Blanchard is a licensed psychologist specializing in sports and leadership who works with PGA professionals and young golfers to enhance their performance. He partners with coach Herb Wimberly as the principal instructors at Performance Golf Schools. Contact Blanchard at sports@lascrucesbulletin.



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LookingBack

This week in the history of the Mesilla Valley



Jim Hilley Reflections

100yearsago

1913

• The New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts was preparing for its 20th annual commencement ceremony and an alumni reunion. The Las Cruces Citizen urged "the whole valley" to attend and said about the campus: "Those who have not seen the campus for a few years will find a great change since their time. The grounds have taken on a neat and well-kept appearance and the whole aspect of the place is beautiful as compared to a few short years ago, when sand and sagebrush formed the general decorative scheme. The grass and trees are pleasant to the eye, and the handsome new buildings will make the place look like another part of the United States to the returning old students."

75yearsago

1938

• Martha Brook of Las Cruces was named queen at the annual NMA&M May Day celebration.

• Funeral services were held for Sam Bean, 74, a Mesilla Valley pioneer and businessman and Las Cruces postmaster. Bean's father first arrived in the valley with the Doniphan expedition and had been one of the earliest sheriffs in Doña Ana County. His uncle was the famous Roy Bean, known as "The Law West of the Pecos."

• Ramon Nevarez of El Paso was in Las Cruces to attend Sam Bean's funeral. Nevarez' father had moved to Las Cruces in the early 1850s. Nevarez recalled the graves of travelers killed by Indians that gave Las Cruces its name and said they were "in the vicinity of the Fay Sperry home."

50yearsago

1963

• The Las Cruces Citizen reported that "the little heard-of" Vice President Lyndon Johnson would accompany President John Kennedy during his visit to White Sands Missile Range.

• The Rio Grande Theatre was showing Paul Newman in "Hud," "Last of the Vikings" with Cameron Mitchell and "Geronimo" starring Chuck Connors.

• The Las Cruces Bulldogs defeated Roswell 13-0 to retain the state baseball championship. Las Cruces' Melvin Williams pitched a nohitter for the Jim Bradley-coached Las Cruces team in the championship game.

• U.S. Sen. Edwin Mechem spoke to graduates at his old school, Las Cruces High School. Mechem praised the virtues of compassion and patriotism and warned of the dangers of communism.



New Mexico State University Library Rio Grande Historical Collections photo

Members of the Amador family pose for a photo in the Amador hotel in 1905. Writing on the photo identifies the subjects as follows: "left to right (front row) Tia Mia, Mama Cuca, Maria Paulina, Mama, (back row) Tia Julieta, Tia Tillie, Tio Pancho, Tia Corina."

• Combined storage at Elephant Butte and Caballo reservoirs was 318,000 acre feet, less than half of the long-term average for that time of year – 800,000 acre feet.

25yearsago

1988

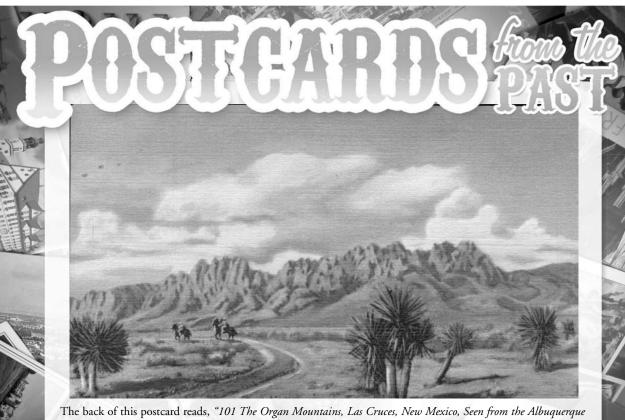
• The New Mexico State University Golf Course was preparing to host the seventh annual NCAA Women's Golf Championship. The NMSU Roadrunners would be competing in the 72-hole tournament, their first appearance in the NCAA Tournament in the team's six-year history.

• The Doña Ana Arts Council awarded

Mesilla Valley Treasure Awards to Ruben Smith and J. Paul Taylor.

• The Doña Ana County Commission scheduled a hearing to determine whether to increase fees for plan checks and construction and building inspections to be more in line with fees charged in other New Mexico counties, a proposal that drew protests from builders and contractors. The proposal would raise residential construction fees from 5 to 7 cents a square foot to \$10 to \$14 per square foot and commercial building fees would increase to \$45 for \$2,000 valuation and \$9 for each additional \$1,000 of valuation.

Information gathered from New Mexico State University Library's Microform Area and Archives and Special Collections. Edited by Jim Hilley.



to El Paso Highway these towering pipes of rock resemble a gigantic organ on which the changing sun plays a daily color symphony, from gray in the early morning thru blue, beautiful shades of rose to deep purple at sunset."



SeniorActivities

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Participants need to bring their driver's license, a pen or pencil and correct change if paying with cash. AARP members must bring their membership cards to receive the discount.

Classes are held on a first-come, first-served basis.

The next available class is from 8 a.m. to noon Monday, July 1, at Golden Mesa Retirement Community, 151 N. Roadrunner Parkway.

For more information. visit www.aarp.org or call 505-830-3096

SOCIAL DANCERS

The Sangria Band will perform from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday, June 1, at Court Youth Center, 402 W. Court Ave. The dance is sponsored by the Las Cruces Social Dancers. Cost is \$6 per person For more information, call 523-4322

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members.

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Yoga encourages proper body alignment and brings balance, strength and calmness. Classes are from 8:15 to 9:15 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at the Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center, 1401 E. Hadley Ave. Cost is \$2, or \$1 for registered Senior Programs members.

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MyCD Chronic Disease Self-Management workshops for people age 55 and older with an ongoing health condition. The two-and-one-half hour workshops are held each week for six weeks. Attendees get support, learn practical ways to deal with pain and fatigue, discover better nutrition and exercise choices, understand treatment

choices and learn better ways

family about their health.

to talk with their physician and

Conditions such as diabetes, arthritis, high blood pressure, heart disease, chronic pain and anxiety benefit from the workshops.

Attendees set their own goals and make step-by-step plans to improve their health. To sign up for the next workshop, call 528-3000.

Participants must be members of Senior Programs. Adult family members are encouraged to attend with participants.

TAI CHI FOR BETTER BALANCE

"Tai Chi: Moving for Better Balance" classes are from 3 to 4 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m. each Tuesday and Thursday at Munson Senior Center, 975. S. Mesquite St. Wear comfortable clothes

and shoes. Participants must be age 60 or older and Senior Programs

members. \$1 suggested donation

ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION AQUATIC PROGRAM

The Arthritis Foundation Aquatic Program is from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center, 1401 E. Hadley Ave.

Participants must be age 60 or older and Senior Programs

members. \$1 suggested donation

EASTSIDE CENTER CHAIR EXERCISES

Chair exercises led by Lisa Ortega are from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Eastside Community Center, 310 N. Tornillo St.

Participants must be age 60 or older and Senior Programs members. \$1 suggested donation



More information at LasCrucesTennis.com. For more info contact: Don Hemingway 575-382-7755 • Robert Czerniak 575-649-4043





Catch A Rising Star Today!

NMSU's concrete canoe team wins second place Annual national contest offers aquatic engineering challenge

New Mexico State University's student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers finished second at the ASCE Rocky Mountain Student Conference, where the group's concrete canoe competed against canoes from 11 other universities. This year's conference was held April 4-6 at Utah State University. The student team was judged on its written report, presentation, display of final product and a variety of races including sprint, endurance and coed.

The NMSU team won first place in the coed sprint, men's and women's endurance and third place in the men's and wom-



New Mexico State University's concrete canoe, called Conquistador, weighs about 200 pounds, and can support 800 pounds.

New Mexico State University photo



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We can help you do good things, too! 301 S. Church St., Ste H • Las Cruces, NM 88001 575-521-4794 • www.cfsnm.org • fax: 575-521-7325 en's sprint. The team also took third place for its written report and presentation. Student-designed and student-built, the canoe, dubbed Conquistador, placed fifth overall in the conference, which also included steel bridge, environmental and geotechnical designs.

"This conference presents an engineering challenge to do something that is not conventional," said Jonathon Gonzalez, former co-captain of the team.

The competition criteria change each year, he said. This year, teams were not allowed to use computer structural analysis. While some may be puzzled at the concept – floating concrete – the canoe is able to float because of its density. As with traditional canoes, the density is less than that of the water. Weighing approximately 200 pounds, the concrete canoe can support

as much as 800 pounds. "You can't really believe until you see it," said co-captain Daniel Franco.

The concrete developed at NMSU is composed of cement, recycled glass, fly ash and silica fume. The materials cost about \$1,300 and the canoe took four months to build.

Kenny Stevens, engineering technology associate professor, has served as the team's faculty adviser for 13 years. He described the leadership and hands-on engineering design experience as the greatest benefit to the students.

Gonzalez said transporting the canoe was the most challenging aspect of the competition.

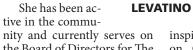
Stevens' estimated that a concrete canoe's lifespan ranges from 10 to 20 years, depending on how frequently it is used. The team has already begun brainstorming ideas for next year's event.

"We're trying to figure out how to take first place next year," said Jonathan Tubbs, civil engineering technologies sophomore.

Levatino to run for City Council Realtor active in community

Ceil Levatino has announced her candidacy for Las Cruces City Council, District 6. Levatino is a licensed Realtor with Steinborn and

with Steinborn and Associates and a former nurse. She has been ac-



nity and currently serves on the Board of Directors for The March of Dimes of Southern New Mexico and Turning Point of Las Cruces. Levatino is a member of the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce, where she serves on the Military Affairs Committee and the Las Cruces Association of Realtors where she chairs the Legislative Committee. Levatino said

Levatino said she is committed to improving the well being of all Las Crucens, which

inspired her to run for a seat on City Council. Levatino said she will be a voice for veterans, a strong health care system which includes mental health access and fiscal policies that ensure a stable economic future.

Scholarship win



Kristin Kelley-Goen of Las Cruces has received a \$25,000 scholarship from the Rosemont Leadership Institute. Of 270 high school juniors who applied, only 32 scholarships were awarded by the institute. Kelley-Goen is a dualcredit nursing program student at Oñate High School.



Death Notices

Hollis

Gladys I. Hollis, 88, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, died Thursday, May 16, 2013. She was born Oct. 11, 1924 in Dayton, Ohio.

She is survived by her son Don Hollis and daughter Donna Sue Hollis as well as by her grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

A memorial mass to celebrate her life will be held at the Holy Cross Retreat Center in the near future.

Arrangements by Getz Funeral Home and Getz Family Crematory. 575-526-2419

Halsell

Robert D. Halsell, 52, of Hatch, New Mexico passed away on May 16, 2013 in Afghanistan. Services are pending with Getz Funeral Home. 575-526-2491

GRIFFIN-DANIEL

Jolu Griffin-Daniel, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, died Friday, May 17, 2013. She was born in Post, Texas to Gus and Donnie Todd Wyatt.

Jo, as she was fondly known, is survived by her loving husband David Daniel; sons Michael and Jim, brothers, sister, grand and great-grandchildren.

A gathering of family and friends was held at Getz Funeral Home.

Arrangements by Getz Funeral Home and Getz Family Crematory. 575-526-2419

Jordan

Lois Rodgers Jordan, 78, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, entered eternal life at her home cradled in the arms of her loving husband, Rev. Joseph M. Jordan, Thursday, May 16, 2013. A licensed minister with the Pentecostal Church of God, she served God alongside her husband of 62 years. Services were held in the Mausoleum of Hillcrest Memorial Gardens Cemetery with her son, Reverend Mark Anthony Jordan, Pastor officiating.

Entrusted to Baca's Funeral Chapels of Las Cruces. 575-527-2222

Oberlin

John Edward Oberlin, 88, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, passed away on May 19, 2013. Arrangements are with La Paz-Graham's Funeral Home. 575-526-6891

Μοντουά

Lily Helen Montoya, 83, of Tortugas, New Mexico, passed away on Sunday, May 19, 2013 at Mountain View Regional Medical Center. Visitation will be Thursday, May 23, 2013 from 6 to 7 p.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church where a prayer vigil will follow at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be 10 a.m., Friday May 24, 2013 at the same church, burial will follow at Tortugas Cemetery where she will be laid to rest

Arrangements are with Getz Funeral Home. 575-526-2419

Pino

Frank T. "Pancho" Pino, 69, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, entered eternal life Friday, May 10, 2013 at Mountain View Regional Medical Center surrounded by his loving family

At Mr. Pino's request cremation has taken place and Recitation of the Rosary was held in Immaculate Heart of Mary Cathedral, where the Holy Mass of Resurrection followed with Reverend Bill McCann officiating. Inurnment of Cremains will take place at a later date.

Service arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Baca's Funeral Chapels and Sunset Crematory. 575-527-2222

ANDAVAZO

Felix "Leo" R. Andavazo, 89, of Anthony, New Mexico, entered eternal life Tuesday, May 14, 2013 at Franklin Heights Nursing Home in El Paso, Texas.

Services were held in St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Anthony with Reverend Andres Alava Officiating. At Leo's request, cremation followed and inurnment of cremains will be at a later date.

Service arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Baca's Funeral Chapels and Sunset Crematory 300 E. Boutz Road, Las Cruces. 575-527-2222.

BARNES

Lois May Israel Barnes of Las Cruces, New Mexico, formerly of Silver City, New Mexico and Glenwood, New Mexico, went home to be with her Lord and Savior on May 20, 2013 surrounded by her beloved family. A visitation will be held from 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 28, 2013 at Getz Funeral Home. Funeral service will follow at 2:30 p.m. at the Baptist Church in Glenwood, with Pastor Doug Cowan officiating. Lois May was a supporter of the Wounded Warrior Project. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Wounded Warrior Project or other charity of your choice.

Arrangements by Getz Funeral Home 575-526-2419

CARRASCO-JEWELL

Elaine Marcela (Mars) Carrasco-Jewell, 46, passed away after a long illness on May 2, 2013 in Los Angeles, California.

Rosary will be held Friday, May 24, 2013 at 7 p.m. in St. Matthew's Catholic Church, 400 W. Sunset Road in El Paso, Texas. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, May 25, 2013 in San Jose Catholic Church, 353 Josephine Street in La Mesa with Father Martin Cordero officiating both services.

In lieu of flowers, a college scholarship fund has been created for Hailey Jewell. Checks can be made out to Ella Dixon - Hailey Jewell Scholarship: 17918 Doty Avenue, Torrance CA, 90504.

In honor of Mars, the family strongly encourages her extended family, friends and colleagues to become part of the National Marrow Donor Program at www.marrow. org and to also consider donating blood or platelets.

Entrusted to Baca's Funeral Chapels of Las Cruces. 575-527-2222

Sanchez

Daisy Baca Sanchez, 75, of Leasburg, New Mexico, left her dwelling place on earth and entered eternal life to be with her heavenly Father on Tuesday, May 14, 2013 at La Posada Mesilla Valley Hospice surrounded by her loving family.

The Recitation of the Rosary will begin at 9:30 a.m., Friday, May 24, 2013 in Our Lady of Purification Catholic Church, 5525 Cristo Rey in Doña Ana where the Holy Mass of Resurrection will follow immediately thereafter with the Reverend Miguel Macaya Celebrant. Inurnment of cremains will follow at St. Joseph's Cemetery, 100 N. Espina Street where she will lay to rest.

The Sanchez family has entrusted their loved one to the care of Baca's Funeral Chapels and Sunset Crematory 300 E. Boutz Road, Las Cruces 527-2222

HAMMEL

Robert L. Hammel, 80, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, passed away Thursday, May 16, 2013 at Mountain View Regional Medical Center. A Celebration of Life Service is pending with Baca's Funeral Chapels and Sunset Crematory of Las Cruces. 575-527-2222

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Division in the South Pacific.

Fidela L. Bencomo, 68, of Las Cruces,

Juan H. Santana, 90, of Las Cruces, New

Mexico, passed away on Tuesday, May 7, 2013 at

his home surrounded by his loving family. Juan

served his country honorably during the Korean

War in Harbor Craft 367th Transportation

Corp, as Occupational Specialty Rifleman

745, with qualifications as a Sharpshooter and

received the good conduct medal as well as the

victory medal and years later earned the Bronze Star Medal while serving with the First Cavalry

Visitation for Mr. Santana will begin at 10 a.m., Tuesday, May 28, 2013 in Baca's Chapel

of Prayer, 300 E. Boutz Road, where the

Funeral Service is scheduled at 11 a.m. with

Pastor Morris Wolfe officiating. Concluding

Service and Interment will follow at St. Joseph's

Cemetery, 100 N. Espina Street with Military

honors accorded by the New Mexico National

Guard Honor Guard and the Marine Corps

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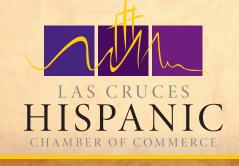
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Business

Downsize us?

We Americans take our national holidays seriously, observing Memorial

cemeteries and town monuments, pay-

We also turn our attention to the

food we put on the table during the long weekend that signals the official start of

Many of us will fire up the grill and

Burgers will be the choice of many a

Burgers also reign at American res-taurants about 363 days a year.

Not surprisingly, we who are a nation of people serious about our hamburgers

met with indignation reports of burger

cerned about us eating too much high-

calorie fare. We suspect they may be at least as seriously worried about their

sizing was announced by McDonald's, home of America's best selling fast

burgers. The change is creative: In the U.S.,

McDonald's is doing away with its prici-est burger, the one-third pound Angus,

Whatever food chains' motives for

Natural Marketing Institute research

has shown that 66 percent of American

adults are choosing smaller portions at mealtime to help maintain or manage

I wondered what Mesilla Valley's burger lovers crave, and how local restaurants are keeping up with their

Deney-Rae Evans, owner of Day's

Hamburgers, said, "Our burger is very simple – we've kept it that way since

Although the Downtown burger

place built its reputation on a smaller

1932 and people still eat it."

and adding some of its Angus options to the menu of less-expensive quarter

downsizing, small actually is gaining

traction in the national market.

Some food chains claim they're con-

The latest in the series of burger right

downsizing in the past few years.

ing tribute to the nation's war dead.

share a patio meal with family and

summer.

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Day with solemn ceremonies in veterans'

HTC demystifies 3-D printing

Technology makes custom prototypes, products a reality

By Alta LeCompte

A 26-year-old Texas law student's company made a gun from resin with a simple printer and posted the plans online in early May.

He took the information down immediately in response to an order from the State Department two days later. However, Forbes reported, before the files went dark online, they had been downloaded 100,000 times.

The genie was out of the bottle.

News of the incident – and awareness of the technology called 3-D or solid printing – spread equally fast.

Solid printing, however, is not new to New Mexico researchers, medical professionals and manufacturers.

In a presentation to the High Tech Council of Southern New Mexico Friday, May 17, account manager Renee Palacios and applications engineer John Wright of Phoenix Analysis & Design Technologies Inc. (PADT) in Tempe, Ariz., outlined the history of the technology and showed examples of its current application for rapid prototyping as well as making finished devices used in research, medical treatment and manufacturing.

Using 3-D printing technology, objects can be made out of resin.

"It's basically what happens after CAD," (computer assisted design), the technology used to design objects in three dimensions, Wright said.

It's a 26-year-old technology that's getting a lot of buzz lately," Palacios said.

She told HTC that 3-D printing is at work in a variety of New Mexico settings. She said her company currently is looking for office space in Albuquerque to better serve the New Mexico market.

PADT has done work for technology experts in New Mexico State University College of Engineering, Palacios said following the presentation. She said the company is looking to expand its presence in southern New Mexico, reaching out to potential customers, including smaller advanced-technology businesses.

We're now after the advanced-technology industry," she said. "Spaceport-related companies will probably be the biggest (southern New Mexico) users of our technology."

What 3-D does

Palacios said PADT's staff of 70 includes both a medical device product development division and an additional 30 engineers dedicated to developing other products their customers request.

"It's not the little hobby machines on the market now for \$200 to \$2,000," she said.

Palacios said PADT employees were amused by all the fuss about 3-D printing that erupted when the directions for building a gun prototype with a simple 3-D printer appeared online. "John and I are helping people make good

products," she said, citing the fabrication of custom medical devices for physicians. "That's huge for them."

A 20-year evolution

"I've been in the industry for 15 years. When I entered the industry, a small desktop 3-D printer cost \$150,000. Now they sell for \$30,000," Palacios said. "You can get a reliable,

Las Cruces Bulletin photos by Alta LeCompte Plastic parts printed with 3-D technology are displayed Friday, May 17, at the High Tech Consortium of Southern New Mexico meeting at Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces.

smaller machine that will produce a good product for \$10,000."

What else has changed?

The equipment is a lot faster now, and a greater variety of materials are available to fabricate devices tailored to the customer's needs, the presenters said.

Another change is the industry itself. Initially there were many small players manufacturing the printers, but the two giants that emerged - 3D Systems and Stratasys - bought them up.

The presenters outlined for HTC the different types of 3-D printers currently used in commercial work and explained differences in the materials they use and the ways they lay down thin layers of resin to produce a threedimensional object. The printers differ in how the object being made is supported during the process, as well as how the material is cooled when the process is completed.

Two technologies currently in use are fused deposition modeling (FDM), which creates parts by extruding molten thermoplastic in fine layers to build the part layer by layer, and the PolyJet process. PolyJet also creates parts by building in layers, but employs an ink jetstyle jetting process to apply photopolymers in fine layers and simultaneously cures them with ultraviolet light.

Richard Majestic of the High Tech Council of Southern New Mexico and guest speaker Renee Palacios of PADT Inc. visit during lunch at the HTC meeting.

How 3-D works

"We're just giving you a snapshot," Palacios said, noting there are many 3-D printing technologies.

All the processes work with designs exported from CAD.

"Each technology has its own printer driv-er," Palacios said. "It imports a CAD file because the machine has to know how to build your product."

In addition to consulting, training and developing products that require the solution of difficult problems and creating prototypes for customers using several of the available tech-nologies, PADT also sells 3-D equipment. The technology it sells is FDM, manufac-

tured by Stratasys.

"FDM is used a lot for manufacturing," Palacios said. "You guys have companies right here now that build airplane parts using FDM."

"We're working with a New Mexico company that's on the verge of having a product placed inside an airplane," Wright said. The Albuquerque company is doing a small production run of non-critical cabin parts.

PADT also has made inroads in medical device fabrication in the Albuquerque market, Palacios said.



burger that takes a 3 1/2 half inch bun, Evans said the 5 1/2 inch option is more popular today. Nowadays, people come in for the big burger," she said.

Up the road in Hatch, where Sparky's Burgers, Barbecue & Espresso put green chile cheeseburgers on the map, barista

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Friday, May 24, 2013 **Section B**

Briefs

New Mexico MainStreet Program accepting applications

The New Mexico MainStreet Program is currently accepting applications for its new Frontier Communities Initiative Program, which focuses on assisting rural communities under 7,500 in population with a catalytic economic development project. The program was established by the New Mexico State Legislature and signed into law by Gov. Susana Martinez in April. Application proposals are due to the department June 21.

Eligible rural communities can apply through an incorporated municipality, county (or council of governments for unincorporated villages), tribal or pueblo government, an economic development organization or community development corporation.

For more information on the Frontier Communities Initiative, visit www.gonm.biz/Frontier_Communities.aspx or contact Rich Williams at rich.williams@state.nm.us or 505-827-0168

First American Bank awards 20 scholarships to Chaparral **High School students**



Chaparral High School students display their First American Bank award certificates.

Everett Crawford, chairman and CEO of First American Bank, has announced the New Mexico Community Foundation (NMCF) Inc., a New Mexico nonprofit organization, with First Artesia Bancshares Inc. and the Thompson Trust, has awarded the First American Bank Scholarship for 20 graduating seniors of Chaparral High School.

The First American Bank Scholarship is a five-year academic award in the amount of \$6,000 per year for each student. The students are eligible to receive the award for five years with a total amount of \$30,000. In 2012, 10 students received the award with an overall amount of \$300,000. This year, the overall amount awarded to the 20 graduating seniors reached \$600,000.

Russell Foddrill, president of the Chaparral banking center, announced the 20 recipients at the Chaparral High School Senior 2013 Awards Ceremony Tuesday, May 14.

PRSW awards scholarships



El Paso Mayor John Cook, scholarship winners Emilee Cantrell and Priscila Chavez and PRSW board member Fli Garcia

The Public Relations Association of the Southwest (PRSW) announced May 16 that Emilee Cantrell and Priscila Chavez have been selected as the recipients of the 2013 PRSW Scholarship recipients. Each received a \$1,000 check from PRSW board member Eli Garcia and El Paso Mayor John Cook during PRSW's monthly professional luncheon Thursday, May 16.

The PRSW Scholarship disburses two \$1,000 scholarships annually to a student at New Mexico State University and the University of Texas at El Paso who have demonstrated academic excellence, exemplary extracurricular involvement and a desire to pursue a career in the public relations profession.

Rebates available for businesses incorporating energy efficiencies

Business owners have an opportunity to reduce their energy bills by incorporating energy efficiencies in their buildings – and have El Paso Electric Co. cover part of the bill. Owners of commercial and industrial properties can learn about rebates available for such projects at a seminar to be

offered by the New Mexico State University Engineering New Mexico Resource Network in cooperation with El Paso Electric and Energy Control Inc. The Partners in Energy Incentives Program Workshop will be held from 8 a.m. to noon Friday, June 7, on the NMSU Las Cruces campus in Jett Hall Room 103. There is no charge for the seminar, but registration is required at http://nmsuE2.eventbrite.com. For more information, contact the Engineering New Mexico Resource Network at engr-nm@ nmsu.edu or 646-2913.

State Land Office releases April earnings numbers

The New Mexico State Land Office (NMSLO) announced on May 13 that, in the month of April, they earned \$45.4 million in revenue for the 22 beneficiaries of the state land trust. The NMSLO is responsible for managing state trust lands to gener-ate income for its beneficiaries and for taking care of the lands so they are healthy and productive for the future.

Of the money earned, more than \$41 million went to support public schools, more than \$418,000 went to state colleges and universities, more than \$2.19 million went to special schools such as the School for the Blind and Visually Impaired in Alamogordo, approximately \$383,000 went to hospitals and the remaining \$1.3 million went to other institutions, including the state penitentiary and public buildings, water reservoirs, Rio Grande improvements and other beneficiaries.

A complete list of state land trust beneficiaries is available on the agency's website at www.nmstatelands.org/About_The_ Beneficiaries.aspx.

NMSU College of Arts and **Sciences highest honors** recipient to study winemaking

New Mexico State University undergraduate Zachary Cartwright, a biochemistry major, has received the College of Arts and Sciences Highest Honors designation.

To receive this high honor, a student must have earned a 4.0 GPA or be in the top 1.5 percent of the graduating class. The highest honor goes to the top student with the most graded credit hours at NMSU. Cartwright graduated with a 4.0 GPA and 144 credit hours.

Cartwright plans to pursue enology, the study of wine, this fall as a graduate student at Washington State University where he has been accepted into a food science program that focuses on winemaking. His enthusiasm to pursue graduate study was sparked by his volunteer time at Rio Grande Vineyard and Winery under the direction of Gordon Steel.

Downsize

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Tina Lucero almost choked over the suggestion customers might want to downsize their burgers.

We only have one size," she said. "It's close to a half pound and it comes with one side. Customers don't ask for smaller ones. They usually want them bigger and ask for doubles."

As someone whose first Sparky's was a learning opportunity (I learned not to order a shake with the burger), I can't imagine

finishing even a single.

Guess I'll soon be graduating to the slider, the chic mini-burger on a mini bun that's catching on nationally and working its way into the City of the Crosses. Purists say a slider is griddle-steamed on a bed of onions - which sounds a lot like the tiny White Castle burgers my dad used to bring home in the 1940s and '50s. They filled the house with the aroma of grilled onions. They were a special treat – and they were cheap.

In 2013, any very small burger that gets special treatment, such as gourmet ingredients mixed into the meat is considered by most people to be a slider.

Kathy Gonzales, administrative assistant

for It's Burger Time, said they introduced sliders about two years ago.

"They're not that popular but they're delicious - we make our own patties," she said. To my surprise, the new generation of

sliders is moving closer to my West Mesa home. They've made it across the Rio Grande and appeared at Guacamole's on West Picacho Avenue.

Linda Taylor of Guacamole's said the restaurant, which is reopening Memorial Day weekend, introduced sliders on a trial basis at the end of the season last year.

She said the response was great. Taylor told me sliders are ideal for older customers, some of whom request a regular burger cut in half.

That said, Taylor added: "We have a great double cheeseburger, called The Big One. It's humongous and delicious."

When the long weekend ends and our patio grills are cold and clean, the local burger places will again be serving burgers.

In most local burger spots, the sandwich of choice will be big. Some restaurants will offer smaller burg-

ers, but they're not secretly shrinking an existing menu item and they're not preaching to us about the healthfulness of smaller servings. They're listening for our feedback, and it's good to know the owners and managers are close enough to hear what we say.







BytheNumbers

Building Las Cruces



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by David Salcido Construction begins on the Corner Bakery Café at 2305 E. Lohman Ave., between Loan Max and Dunn-Edwards Paints. The first location in New Mexico, the Chicago-based restaurant will feature breakfast, salads, soups, sandwiches and bakery items on its menu. Construction by DnD Contractors is expected to continue through the summer and into the fall.

Recent projects featured in Building Las Cruces

Publish date	Building	Address	Contact
May 17	Sonoma Palms	4260 Northrise Drive	382-5611
May 10	Genghis Grill	880 S. Telshor Blvd.	888-436-4447
May 3	Alameda Boulevard Reconstruction	Alameda Boulevard near the intersection of El Molino Boulevard	527-2500
April 26	Conn's Home Plus	Mesilla Valley Mall	521-4409
April 19	Solar panels at City Hall	700 N. Main St.	541-2000

Our numbers

Burger busting

50 percent

U.S. consumers who eat at least one burger a week

23 percent

Consumers age 18 to 34 who want a vegetarian burger option available

70 to 80 percent U.S. grain used to feed livestock

52.8 gallons

Drinking and irrigation water it takes to make a quarter pound burger

Sources: www.fastcasual.com, www.npr.org

Gas update

Monday, May 20

Average retail gasoline prices in New Mexico have **risen 13.7 cents** per gallon in the past week, **averaging \$3.61** per gallon. This compares with the national average that has **increased 8.9 cents** per gallon in the last week to **\$3.67** per gallon.

New Mexico prices **Monday, May 20**, were **3.3 cents** per gallon **lower** than the same day one year ago and are **26 cents** per gallon **higher** than a month ago. The national **average** has **increased 16.6 cents** per gallon during the last month and stands **3 cents** per gallon **lower** than this day one year ago.

1. Shamrock	2711 N. Telshor Blvd.	\$3.33
2. Pilot	2681 W. Amador Ave.	\$3.35
3. Bradley's	1260 El Paseo Road	\$3.35
4. Alon	825 Avenida de Mesilla	\$3.35
5. Murphy Express	1290 S. Valley Drive	\$3.35

Source: www.newmexicogasprices.com, as of Monday, May 20

Adventure Travel Airfare Watch

FROM EL PASO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT	LOWEST AVERAGE ONE-WAY FARE	CARRIER
Albuquerque	\$179.80	Southwest
Atlanta	\$271.80	AirTran
Austin	\$206.90	American
Chicago	\$272.80	US Air
Dallas-Love	\$198.80	United
Houston	\$224.30	US Air
Las Vegas	\$206.80	US Air
Los Angeles	\$196.90	American
Phoenix	\$158.80	US Air
San Antonio	\$205.90	American
New York City	\$211.30	United
Orlando	\$370.80	American
San Diego	\$124.80	US Air
Seattle	\$336.80	US Air
Washington, D.C.	\$270.80	American
London (roundtrip)	\$1,219.70	United
Paris (roundtrip)	\$1,463.50	United
Rome (roundtrip)	\$1,543.70	United

Source: Adventure Travel *Prices effective May 21-28 *Restrictions apply* Holidays

Money

Comparing the U.S. dollar

Euro \$1.28601 in U.S. dollars 0.77760 per U.S. dollar

Mexican Peso \$0.08109 in U.S. dollars 12.33200 per U.S. dollar

Japanese Yen \$0.00976 in U.S. dollars **102.50000** per U.S. dollar

Canadian Dollar

\$0.97354 in U.S. dollars1.02718 per U.S. dollarSource: www.msn.com, as Monday, May 20

Market snapshot

For the week of May 13-17, the market reports:					
Index	Started	Ended	Change	% Change	% YTD
DJIA	15118.49	15354.40	235.91	1.6	17.2
Nasdaq	3436.58	3498.97	62.39	1.8	15.9

Strong: Financial, industrial, health care, energy **Weak:** Materials, consumer staples

Source: http://briefing.com



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City of Las Cruces Building Permit Report May 13-17

Las Cruces Home Builders Association						
PERMIT NO.	PERMIT TYPE	OWNER	ADDRESS	CONTRACTOR	TOTAL FEE	VALUATION
20132692	RES NEW SINGLE FAMILY	GRANT COUNTY VENTURES LLC	6309 WOLF CREEK DRIVE	HAKES BROTHERS CONSTRUCTION LLC	\$4,736.20	\$186,960
20132694	RES NEW SINGLE FAMILY	COMPASS BANK	4752 ZENO PLACE	HAKES BROTHERS CONSTRUCTION LLC	\$2,977.20	\$186,960
20132712	RES NEW SINGLE FAMILY	NM LOTS LLC	3526 CALLE DE SIERRA	HAKES BROTHERS CONSTRUCTION LLC	\$2,977.20	\$186,960
20132713	RES NEW SINGLE FAMILY	HUNT DOS LADOS LLC	3939 AGUA CLARA	HAKES BROTHERS CONSTRUCTION LLC	\$2,977.20	\$186,960
20132725	RES NEW SINGLE FAMILY	FLAIR HOMES INC	4582 RIMROCK DRIVE	FLAIR HOMES INC.	\$3,987.30	\$216,890
20132643	RESIDENTIAL ADDITIONS	ESTEBAN VARGAS	700 NEVADA AVE.	VIRGINIA VARGAS	\$35.34	\$1,000
* Information pro	vided by LCHBA from information provided b	<i>by City of Las Cruces and Doña Ana County permit o</i>	ffices			

Trying out entrepreneurship

Camp Innoventure helps students turn business ideas into real products By Amanda Bradford

For the Las Cruces Bulleti

Looking for a summer camp that teaches children life skills they can apply in school and beyond?

Camp Innoventure offers young entrepreneurs a chance to see their creative ideas go from concept to reality and gives them a taste of real-world competition for success.

Camp Innoventure, run by New Mexico State University's Arrowhead Center, shows students what it's like to start their own business, taking them through the planning and development process and letting them sell their finished products in a real market setting.

Modeled after Arrowhead's annual Innoventure competition - which encourages students from across the state to use science, technology, engineering and math to solve business problems and create new and innovative products that may have real marketability - the weeklong session has middle school students brainstorming ideas, writing their mission statement and drafting a business plan before creating a product to sell at the Saturday morning Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market on the camp's final day.

"It's a good lesson for students to understand that the quality of what they're offering makes a difference," said Marie Borchert, director of Innoventure at Arrowhead Center.

She noted many of the students have only received feedback from supportive people such as their parents and teachers. When strangers, deciding whether or not to buy a product, are measuring their work, it can be

an eye-opener for the students.

They're putting something out there for people to judge the quality," she said. "It can be such a fantastic experience for a young person to realize that something they created has value to someone else. Even if they don't succeed in making as many sales, they learn from that experience."

Camp Innoventure will be held in two sessions from 9 a.m. to noon: June 3-8 and June 10-15. The \$40 cost includes materials for the student's project, plus a workbook and Camp Innoventure backpack. Registration ends for the first session Thursday, May 30, and for the second Wednesday, June 5.

Only 12 students are accepted for each session, so early registration is encouraged. A limited number of need-based scholarships are available for students. For scholarship information or to register for the event, contact Borchert at 646-7839 or sign up online at www.2013campinnoventure.eventbrite.com.



Students from the 2012 Camp Innoventure program at New Mexico State University's Arrowhead Center peddle their wares at the Las Cruces . Farmers & Crafts Market.

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Unemployment rate drops

New Mexico's economic recovery gains momentum

According to the New Mexico Department of Workforce Solutions, New Mexico's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 6.7 percent in April, down from 6.9 percent in March and also down from 7 percent a year ago.

The rate of over-the-year job growth, comparing April 2013 with April 2012, was 1.0 percent, representing a gain of 7,900 jobs. April 2008, five years ago, was the last time overthe-year employment growth was at or above the one-percent line. The economic recovery in New Mexico may be gathering momentum as we start a sustained recovery. Nine industries added employment, while three industries lost jobs over the year. The transportation, warehousing and utilities industry reported no change in the number of jobs.

The largest employment gains were reported by the leisure and hospitality industry, which added 2,500 jobs since April of last year. The construction industry reported the best over-the-year numbers since 2006, gaining 1,800 jobs. On the downside, the professional and business services industry reported the loss of 1,500 jobs.

Detailed analysis will be provided in the Labor Market Review scheduled for release Friday, May 24.



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Friday, May 24, 2013 Las Cruces Bulletin Regents' focus on athletics misplaced

NMSU has other more important issues to consider



Chris Erickson *State of the Economy*

Sometimes a column just forces itself on a writer. This week I had completed an article on an entirely different subject, but find myself unable to avoid talking about New Mexico State University athletes.

What prompts this is an open letter to the students and faculty of NMSU from Regent Chair Mike Cheney about Aggie football.

In the letter, Cheney outlines the reasons why the Board of Regents have reaffirmed NMSU participation in Division 1 football, a position formally adopted by the regents at their May 10 board meeting.

Cheney argues for athletics as an important element in branding the university, which is true. Studies show that winning football teams translate into increased applications and higher-quality entering freshman.

But these benefits tend to be fleeting and of course, the opposite is also true – a losing team results in reduced applications and lower-quality entering freshman. A losing football team has the unfortunate effect of creating a negative brand, it seems.

Participating in college football is very

expensive. The average bowl division athletics department is subsidized more than \$10 million per year. Of the 120 FBS (football bowl subdivision) teams, 95 teams operated at loss according to a recent NCAA study. We have to ask, given the limited resources of the university, can NMSU afford to swim in the pond?

Still, football has a long tradition at American universities and at NMSU. Going against this tradition would be hard.

In reality, I have nothing against football specifically or athletics in general. If people want to purchase tickets and attend games, that's fine by me. I even like taking in a little football every once in a while myself. If alumni want to donate to athletics, that's great. If student government wants higher fees to subsidize athletics, go right ahead. If legislators vote a line item for sports, while I might not vote for that legislator in the next election, that's how democracy works.

My problem is not with any of this; my problem is with the \$3.1 million yearly net subsidy allocated by the regents from university operating funds to athletics. This is money that can be better spent elsewhere.

Let me be specific. NMSU could create a tutoring program, similar to what is currently available to athletes, for the general student body, thereby improving, or hoping to improve, six-year graduation rates. The

Homes by the numbers Local indicators show positive gains

in sales prices and properties sold



Las Cruces area buyers, sellers and real estate brokers have been busy this year. After years of declining prices and an overabundance of inventory, home values and

overabundance of inventory, home values and sales are finally on the rise. Here's a "by the numbers" look at the state of our local market:

1,109 The number of active home, townhome and condominium listings currently for sale in our area. Our inventory consisted of 1,130 homes last year at this time.

453 The number of new and existing homes, townhomes and condominiums sold through May 20. That's a 7.1 percent increase over the 421 homes sold during the same period in 2012.

49 The number of new homes sold through May 20. The average and median prices were \$201,861 and \$190,000, respectively. A total of 48 new homes were sold last year, with average and median prices of \$167,073 and \$154,632. Prices are definitely on the rise.

404 The number of existing homes sold through May 20. Through the same period in 2012, just 373 closings took place. Average and median prices are up year over year by about \$2,000 and \$8,000 respectively.

27 The percentage of existing-home sales owned by banks or sold for less than the balance of the mortgage. This is a positive indicator, dropping from 33.8 percent of sales last year at this time.

374 The number of individual Realtor members of the Las Cruces Association of Kealtors. While the number may seem high, it is a far cry from the 645 Realtors operating when the market peaked in 2007-08.

Well, there you have the basics. Sales of new and existing homes are ahead of last year, as are average and median prices. Fewer distress sales, which typically sell for upwards of 15 to 20 percent below the prices of nondistress sales, means less downward pressure on prices.

While the majority of gains have been seen in the lower price ranges, hopes are high that sales of mid-and high-range homes will begin to increase as out-of-state buyers who can now sell their homes begin trickling into Las Cruces.

The bottom line is that the first quarter of this year marked the turnaround point for our market. Let's hope the trend continues. See you at closing.

Gary Sandler is the president of Gary Sandler Inc., Realtors in Las Cruces and the host of Gary Sandler's Real Estate Connection, broadcast each Monday from 4 to 6 p.m. on KSNM-AM 570. Sandler is the 2007 and 2010 recipient of the New Mexico Broadcaster's Associations Talk Show Host of the Year award. Questions or comments may be directed to Sandler at 525-2400 or by emailing gary@garysandler.com. university could fund scholarships and other programs to attract national merit scholars to our campus, who, if we can convince them to stick around after graduation, will be future job creators for our state. Same argument applies for increasing stipends for GAs so as to attract better quality graduate students.

We could expand early college high school education, a model that is proven successful in reducing K-12 dropout rates. Or the funds could be used to attract and retain world class university faculty to NMSU. A nationally recognized science academic attracts more in grants and contracts than they cost to hire, but we don't have the money to build the world class laboratories needed to attract them. Heck, the \$3.1 could be used to lower tuition to make NMSU more affordable for low-income New Mexicans.

Cheney is a great guy whom I've known for years. I'm absolutely confident that he has NMSU's best interests at heart. The same applies to the other regents, but the nature of the job – attending athletics, talking to alumni, shaking hands of the general public – tends to focus the regents on the external, where sports are disproportionately the topic of conversation.

Christopher Erickson, Ph.D., is a professor of economics at New Mexico State University. He was a "faculty football coach" for one week during the 2008 season when he also served as faculty senate chair. The opinions expressed in this column may not be shared by the regents and administration of NMSU.

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Our thoughts are with the brave men and women serving our country and the ones who served before them.



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follows, to wit:

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from the point of beginning, N.67 deg. 48'27"E., a dis-tance of 77.42 feet to a mark

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of this tract; THENCE S. 49 deg. 54'00"E., a distance of 214.09 feet to a highway rail

found on the Northerly line

of Broadmoor Drive for the

Southeast corner of this tracts THENCE along the Northerly

line of Broadmoor Drive the

following two courses and dis-tances: S. 74 deg. 14'00"W., a distance of 52.61 feet to a mark

bearing S.69 deg. 58'32"W., a distance of 117.23 feet to a 5/8" iron rod found for the

Southwest corner of this tract;

THENCE, leaving Broadmoor Drive, N. 24 deg. 36'08"W., a distance of 179.38 feet to the

point of beginning, enclosing 0.507 acre of land, more or

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The address of the real prop-

erty is 3001 Broadmoor Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88001.

Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street

address is the street address

Northerly boundary.

COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2012-01792 BOKF, N.A., a National Banking Association d/b/a Bank of Oklahoma, as Successor in Interest by Merger to Bank of Oklahoma, N.A., Plaintiff.

vs.

MICHELLE D. YATES, and if married, JOHN DOE A (true name unknown) her spouse, Defendants.

FIRST AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 29, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the under-signed Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the abovenamed Defendants in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 4687 Elks Drive, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as fol-

LOT 11, BLOCK 1, DEL NORTE COUNTRY ESTATES UNIT NO. 2, 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 MAY 6, 1985, IN BOOK 14 PAGE(S) 20-21 OF PLAT RECORDS.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on January 7, 2013, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$141,230.67 and the same bears interest at 6.360% per annum from November 3, 2012, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$5,118.66. 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 postoned and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned

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with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reserva-tions, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-ments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for and the purchaser at the sal 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 manufac tured 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 we described real property subject to a one month right of redemption.

Electronically filed /s/ Pamela Carmody Pamela A. Carmody, Special Master PO Drawer 16169 Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169 575-642-5567 Pub # 12945 Dates 5/3, 5/10, 5/17, 5/24,

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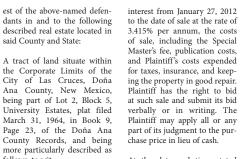
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No. D-307-CV-2011-02302 GENERATION MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff,

HARRY HATCH, AS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF DOROTHY L. COHN HATCH AKA DOROTHY L. COHN, DECEASED, STATE NATIONAL BANK, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND THE UNKNOWN SURVIVING SPOUSE OF DOROTHY L. COHN HATCH AKA DOROTHY L. COHN. IF ANY, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on May 28, 2013 at 11:30 AM. Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title, and inter-



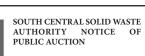
At the date and time stated above, the Special Master may postpone the sale to such later date and time as the Special BEGINNING at a mark set for the Northwest corner of this tract: IDENTICAL to the Master may specify. Northwest corner of Lot 2, Block 5, University Estates, plat filed March 31, 1964, in Book 9, Page 23, of the Doña Ana

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 bid-der's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the suc-cessful bidder for any damages.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject set for a point of curvature; THENCE along the arc of a curve to the left, with a radius of 780.99 feet, an arc length of 117.34 feet, a central angle of 08 deg. 36/29", and a long chord to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-ments 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 manufac-tured 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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JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NA, Plaintiff,

NICHOLAS CARREJO AND UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on May 28, 2013 at 11:30 AM, Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 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

Lot 3. Golden Valley Acres, in the County of Doña Ana, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat no. 1076 thereof filed for record in the Office of the County Clerk of said county on July 2, 1981, and recorded in Book 13, pages 93-94, plat records.

said County and State:

The address of the real property is 474 Calle De Oro, Las Cruces, NM 88007. Plaintiff does not represent or war-rant 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 April 2, 2013 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 \$173,335.58 plus interest from February 7, 2013 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.750% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the pur-chase 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 of 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 bid-der'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 fore-closed 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 manufac-tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamina tion on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any. NOTICE IS FURTHER

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD IUDICIAL DISTRICT No. CV-2012-1569 Judge Martin

CITY OF LAS CRUCES, a New Mexico municipal cor-poration, Plaintiff,

CATARINA GRIJALVA, DECEASED, ANY HEIRS KNOWN OR UNKNOWN JESUS GRIJALVA, MICHAEL GRIJALVA, ALBERTO GRIJALVA, EMMA STETTER, AND INEZ GRIJALVA, Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on Monday June 10, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. at the offices of Holt Mynatt Martinez P.C. at 1660 Hickory Loop, Cruces, New Mexico 88 Las 88005, the undersigned Special Master will sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all of the right, title, and interest of the above-named Defendants to the following described real property. The property to be sold is located at 1425 Hamiel Drive, Las Cruces, New Mexico, and is more particularly described as follo

LOT 2, BLOCK 8, DALE BELLAMAH ANNEX, 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 FEBRUARY 25,1954, IN BOOK PAGE(S) 51 OF PLAT RECORDS

This description derives from a Warranty Deed recorded on December 23, 1957, in Book 143, Page 441 of the records of Doña Ana County, New Mexico.

The sale will be made pur suant to an Amended Default Judgment, Decree of Foreclosure, Appointment of Special Master, and Order of Sale entered on April 17, 2013 and an Amended Summary Judgment in Favor of the City

of Las Cruces' Motion for Summary Judgment entered on April 23, 2013, in the above entitled and numbered cause, which is a suit to foreclose a note and mortgage held by Plaintiff. Plaintiff was granted judgment in the amount of \$45,885.73 plus interest at the per diem rate of \$0.19. from April 23, 2013 to the date of sale; the costs of sale including the Special Master's fee and the publication cost; and additional amounts, if any, which Plaintiff will be required to pay prior to termination of this action for property taxes, insurance pre-miums, and any other costs of upkeep of the real property of sort. Plaintiff has the right to bid at the sale and to sub-mit its bid verbally or in writ-ing. The City 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 improve-ments thereon will be sold

subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens

not foreclosed herein, and all

recorded and unrecorded spe-cial assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff disclaims

any responsibility for the valuation of the real property and improvements thereon by the County Assessor; for any envi-

ronmental contamination, if

any; and for any zoning viola-

Notice is further given that the

purchaser at the sale should

take title to the above described

real property subject to a 30 day

right of redemption

/s/ Bradley A. Springer

Special Master. P.O. Box 2699 Las Cruces, NM 88004

Pub # 12963 Dates 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 5/31,

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA

THIRD IUDICIAL

No. CV-2010-1075

BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING LP, fka

Countrywide Home Loans

Servicing LP, Plaintiff,

RANDY T. GARCIA, and GARCIA, and if married, JANE DOE GARCIA (true name unknown), his spouse; CECELIA M. GARCIA, and if

married, JOHN DOE A (true

name unknown), her spouse; and CAPITAL ONE BANK,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that on June 5, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the the

main entrance of the Doña

Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, 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 1198 Howell

Street, Las Cruces, and is situ-ate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly

described as follows

Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

DISTRICT

(575) 524-8812

2013

tions, if any.

Lot 38, HOWELL SUBDIVISION, located in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana HOWELI County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on the Plat thereof, filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on June 18, 1956, and recorded in Book 7 at Page 69 of the Plat

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judg-ment rendered by the above Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on January 22, 2013, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above-described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$58,763.56 and the same bears interest at 6.375% per annum from November 1, 2012, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$2,227.18. 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 fore-closed 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 manufac tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamina tion 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

Pub # 12964 Dates 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 5/31. 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No D-307-CV-2012-02519

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., Plaintiff,

BRYANT O. ALLEN and, if married, JANE DOE ALLEN, (True Name Unknown), his spouse, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on June 5, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico, sell all the right,

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Pub # 12960 Dates 5/3, 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 2013 STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD IUDICIAL DISTRICT No. D-307-CV-2012-02977

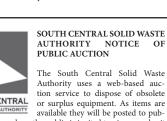
of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold Jeffrey Lake here in the property being sold here in is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the NM11-01353 FC01 location and address of the property being sold. Said sale

will be made pursuant to the

judgment entered on April 16, 2013 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 \$189,189.04 plus



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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 4665 Salado Creek Street, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 20 Block 2, PARKHILL ESTATES SUBDIVISION, PHASE 5, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on the plat thereof. filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on August 21, 2007, in Book 22 Page(s) 325-326 of Plat Records.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on April 15, 2013, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above-described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$158,224.88 and the same bears interest at 5,000% per annum from January 19, 2013, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$2,991.84. 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 manufac tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and coning 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

Pub # 12965 Dates 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 2013

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

No. CV-2012-2663

NAVY FEDERAL CREDIT

NICOLE LEANN BURTON, WILLIAM BURTON KESLER, STATE OF NEW MEXICO TAXATION AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT TO DEFENDANT WILLIAM BURTON KESLER:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above-named Plaintiff filed a Complaint for For the above named Defendants. The general object of the Complaint is to foreclose a lien of Plaintiff against certain real property located in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 5595 Santa Teresita Drive, Santa Teresa, New Mexico 88008, and more particularly described as follows

LOT NUMBERED 1 IN BLOCK NUMBERED 1 SANTA TERESITA ACRES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID SANTA TERESITA ACRES FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON APRIL 19, 1978 IN PLAT BOOK 12, FOLIO

and to foreclose the interests of the above named Defendants and any other parties bound by the notice of lis pendens in the Property, all as more specifically stated in the Complaint filed in this cause of action.

FURTHER, the above-named Defendant William Burton Kesler is hereby notified that he has until thirty (30) days from date of completion of publica tion of this Notice in which to file an answer or other pleading responsive to the Complaint and should said Defendant choose not to file an answer or other responsive pleading to the Complaint on or before thirty (30) days from date of completion of publication of this Notice, judgment or other ap¬propriate relief may be ren-dered against the above-named Defendant

Richard M. Leverick of the law firm of Leverick and Musselman, L.L.C., whose address and phone number is 5120 San Francisco Rd. NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109, (505) 858-3303 is the attempt for the Playing fift attorney for the Plaintiff.

WITNESS the Honorable Manuel I. Arrieta, District Judge of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico and the Seal of the District Court of said County, on May 3, 2013 on May 3, 2013. NORMAN OSBORNE

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT (SEAL)

By: /s/ Peggy Brock Deputy Pub # 12966

Dates 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 2013 STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL

DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2012-00260

BOKF, N.A., a national banking association d/b/a Bank of Oklahoma, as successor in interest by merger to Bank of Oklahoma, N.A., Plaintiff,

TRUCK VIN # F14SREC6272 AN/BLUE IN COLOR

S. MARTINEZ; FIRST NEW MEXICO BANK, LAS CRUCES; and LAS CRUCES WINNELSON CO., Defendant(s).

BILL MARTINEZ; LINDA

FIRST AMENDED NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

Defendant Bill Martinez is hereby notified that Plaintiff has filed a civil suit against Defendant in the above-entitled cause of action, the general object thereof being to close a mortgage on property located at 16 Westdin Court, in the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, more particularly described as: Lot 55, Block A, LOS

ARTESANOS SUBDIVISION in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on the plat thereof, filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on June 18, 1985, in Book 14, Page(s) 214-215 of Plat Records

Defendant is required to serve upon the Plaintiff an Answer or Motion in response to the Complaint within thirty (30) days and file a copy of the Answer or Motion with the Court as provided in Rule 1-005 NMRA 2005.

If the Defendant fail(s) to file a timely Answer or Motion, a default judgment may be entered against Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Attorneys for the Plaintiff: Susan C. Little & Associates LTD. 1700 Louisiana NE, Suite 300 Albuquerque, NM 87110 (505) 248-2400 April 17, 2013

By Electronically /s/ Cody R. Lujan Cody R. Lujan Karen H. Bradley Deborah A. Nesbit Attorney for Plaintiff

WITNESS the Honorable JAMES T. MARTIN, District Judge of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Doña Ana County, this 30th day of April, 2013.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT

By /s/ Peggy R. Brock Deputy

Norman E. Osborne

[SEAL]

Pub # 12967 Dates 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 2013

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and virtue of an order of sale out of MAGISTRATE COURT Doña Ana County, New Mexico dated June 20, 2013 in the matter of RAWSON BUILDERS SUPPLY V. FELIX VASQUEZ cause number M-14-CV-2012-01024 NOW THEREFOR, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE, 25th day of May 2013 at the location of Sheriffs Department 845 N. Motel Blvd at 9:00 A.M.

I will be in the obedience of said order of sale to sell the following: 1979 FORD F-150 PICK UP 2006 4 X 8 TRAILER BLUE

IN COLOR / 2006 MILLER BOBCAT 250 10.5 WATT GENERATOR/WELDER SERIAL NUMBER 3618001781 To the highest bidder for cash

or lawful money of the United States of America. ss/ TODD GARRISON

Doña Ana County New Mexico

ss/ GARTH PIRTLE Deputy Sheriff Pub # 12968

Dates 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 2013

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

Case No. D-307-DM 2013-543 Judge Rosner Francisco J. Maldonado,

Petitioner.

Maria Nancy Salas, Respondent. NOTICE OF SUIT

TO Maria Nancy Salas,

Take notice that a lawsuit has been filed against you.

The subject of this lawsuit is: Petition for Dissolution of Marriage

If you do not file a response or responsive pleading with the above-titled Court within 30 days after the third publica-tion of this Notice, the Court may enter a default judgment against you.

Petitioner's Name: Francisco J. Maldonado Mailing Address: 5490 Peachtree Hill City/State/Zip: Las Cruces, NM 88012 Telephone#: 575-520-0101

WITNESS the Honorable Mary W. Rosner, District Judge of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico and the seal of the District Court of Doña Ana County, this 5 day of May, 2013.

NORMAN E. OSBORNE CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

BY: Sylvia A. Evaro

Pub # 12969 Dates 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 2013

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 12, 2013, Gary V. Arnold and Phillip B. & Wanda Arnold, P.O. Box 450, Fairacres, NM 88033 filed application numbered LRG-00078 POD3. OSE File No. LRG-00078, 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 the use of exist-ing well LRG-00078-S, located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°20'15.06"N, 106°50'58.13"W, WGS84, on land owned by applicants, located within the W1/2 of projected Section 04, Township 23 South, Range 01 East, NMPM, and drilling a new well, LRG-00078 POD3, to a

depth of 225 feet with 6 inch casing to be located at or near where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°20'14.961"N, 106°50'58.418"W, WGS84, on land owned by applicants, located within the NW1/4 of said Section 04, NMPM, for the continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by the May 24, 1999 Order of the Third Iudicial District Court Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico, combined with sur-face water from the Elephant Tace water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, for the irrigation of 27.60 acres of land, owned by the applicants, located within the NW1/4 and SW1/4 of said Section 04, NMPM, as described by Subfile No.: LRN-28-009-0011 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. The site for proposed well, LRG-00078 POD3, is located in northwest Las Cruces, approximately 0.15 miles southwest of the intersection of Shalem Colony Trail and Pantera Circle, and is further identified by the property address of 4121 Shalem Colony Trial. Existing well LRG-00078-S will be properly plugged Any person, firm or corpo-ration or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writng (objection must be legible signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone num-ber 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 con-servation 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 pro-test 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 objec-tion is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions

of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978. Pub # 12970 Dates 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD IUDICIAL

No. D-0307-CV-0201202614 WELLS FARGO BANK, NA, Plaintiff,

RICHARD G. MARTINEZ AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF RICHARD G. MARTINEZ, IF ANY, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on June 11, 2013 at 11:00 AM. Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash

all the right, title, and inter-est of the above-named defen-dants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 6, Block 5, Country Club Estates No. 6, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on Plat No. 969 thereof, filed for record in the Office of the County Clerk of said county on March 20, 1979, and recorded in Book 12, pages 244-245, Plat Records, Doña Ana County, New Mexico. The address of the real prop-

erty is 645 Frank Maes Ave, Las Cruces, NM 88005. 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, 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 purcuant to the will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on March 20, 2013 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 \$139,788.21 plus interest from December 12, 2012 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.250% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keep ing 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 pur-chase 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 bid-der's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the suc-cessful 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 reserva-tions, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-ments 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 contamina-tion on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning part of its judgment to the chase price in lieu of cash. 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 redemp

> Jeffrey Lake Special Master Southwest Support Group 20 First Plaza NW, Suite #20 Albuquerque, NM 87102

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Pub # 12976 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-0307-CV-0201202656

WELLS FARGO BANK, NA, Plaintiff.

LUIS M. SANDOVAL, YVONNE M. SANDOVAL AND MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,

INC., Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on June 11, 2013 at 11:00 AM, Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 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 2 in block 1 of Mirasol Subdivision No. 1, located in 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, New Mexico on October 9, 1984 and recorded in Book 13 at Pages 335-337, Plat Records

The address of the real property is 5501 Calle De Rosas, Las Cruces, NM 88007. 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 March 20, 2013 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 abovedescribed real estate in the sum of \$200,189.51 plus interest from December 4, 2012 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.125% 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 pur-

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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 fore-closed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-ments 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 manufac tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamina tion on the property, if any, and zoning viola ons 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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Pub # 12977 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD IUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-0307-CV-2012-02737

SUNTRUST MORTGAGE, INC., Plaintiff,

VICENTE A. LOPEZ, ELIZABETH MENDIOLA-

LOPEZ, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF

HOUSING AND URBAN

TAXATION & REVENUE,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the undersigned Special Master will on June 11, 2013

at 11:00 AM, Front entrance to

the Doña Ana Courty District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash

all the right, title, and inter-

est of the above-named defen-dants in and to the following

described real estate located in

Lot 10, Block 1, RANCHOS DE DOÑA ANA PHASE ONE,

in Doña Ana County, New

Mexico, as shown and designat

said County and State:

Defendant(s)

NOTICE OF SALE

DEVELOPMENT AND THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF **Las Cruces Bulletin**

Recognizing businesses at May ribbon cuttings



At the Tuesday, May 7, ribbon cutting for Marron and Associates, located in the Arrowhead Business Technology Incubator, 3655 Research Drive on the New Mexico State University campus, President and Chief Executive Officer Shelly Herbst cuts the ribbon while Strategic Development & Environmental Services Manager Hilary Brinegar holds the proclamation. Marron and Associates is a woman-owned consulting firm providing a full range of environmental services within New Mexico and the Southwest.



At the Thursday, May 9, ribbon cutting for Brooks Photography, 425 W. Griggs Ave., photographer Kathy Brooks cuts the ribbon while photographer Michael Ancira holds the proclamation. Established in 2007, Brooks Photography is an award-winning studio specializing in children, senior and wedding photography.

Save the date

THU. 6/6

6 p.m. Taste of Las Cruces, Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave. For more information, call 646-5676.

FRI. 6/7

7:30 a.m. MVEDA forum on Economic **Development Competitiveness in a Global Economy**, Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces, 705 S. Telshor Blvd. For more information, call 646-5676.

THU. 6/13 5 p.m. LCAR presents Denim & Dollars, Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave. For more information, call 524-0658

THU. 6/20

11:30 a.m. Medical Update Luncheon, Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave. For more information, call 524-1968.

FRI. 6/21 La Casa Girls Night Out, Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave. For more information, call 522-1232.

FRI. 6/28

6 p.m. Las Cruces Hispanic Chamber of **Commerce Annual Banquet**, Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces, 705 S Telshor Blvd. Keynote speaker will be Gov. Susana Martinez. For more information, call 524-8900.



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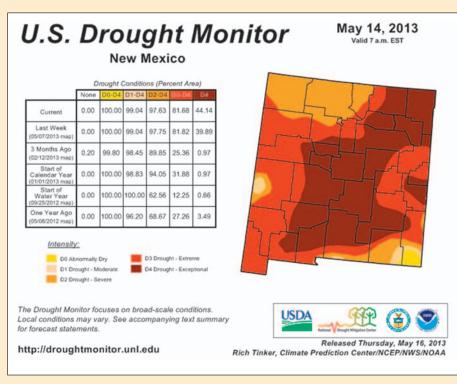


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A state of emergency

As drought continues in much of the West, New Mexico braces for a long, hot summer

A report released Monday, May 13, by the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Washington, D.C., paints a grim picture for farmers in the Western states.

Due to a lack of snow in the high ranges, NRCS hydrologists are predicting reduced spring and summer water supplies.

⁴California, southern and eastern Oregon, Nevada, southern Utah, southern Colorado and especially New Mexico will experience major water shortages due to sustained drought conditions and low reservoir storage," said NRCS hydrologist Tom Perkins.

"I haven't seen it this bad in New Mexico since I started forecasting for the Snow Survey Program in 1983."

NRCS meteorologist Jan Curtis said despite an April that was wetter than January, February and March combined, "it was a little too late." As a result, much of that snowmelt won't reach streams as temperatures warm into spring and summer.

"The soil in the southern half of the West is like a dry sponge that will absorb and hold water as it melts from the snowpacks. Only when the soil is sufficiently saturated will it allow water to flow to the streams," she said.

The NRSC's New Mexico State Basin Outlook Report, dated May 1, confirmed these predictions, stating that much like last year, it looks like New Mexico is going to have an extremely low runoff year for the most part, with the peak runoff probably having already occurred for most of the state.

According to the May 13 report, water resource managers face difficult decisions

because of this shortage. Western states should prepare for potentially increased vulnerability to forest and rangeland fires and mandatory water restrictions. In addition, wildlife that depends on surface water is going to suffer.

The May forecast is the fifth of six monthly forecasts. It compares the current level of water content in snowpack

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> TOM PERKINS, USDA hydrologist

in the 13 Western states with historical data to help the region's farmers, ranchers, water managers, communities and other stakeholders make informed decisions about water use and future availability. In response to this

growing problem, an emergency workshop will be held in Socorro on Wednesday, May 29, hosted by the New Mexico Section of the Society for Range Management, in conjunction with the National Drought Mitigation Center (NDMC) and the National Integrated Drought Information System (NIDIS).

The New Mexico Drought Workshop, subtitled Drought Outlook and Management

Considerations for Rangeland Livestock Production, will feature drought and wildfire outlooks specific to the spring and summer in New Mexico, followed by a discussion of the current status of the drought presented by the New Mexico State Climatologist.

The workshop will be held at the Socorro County Extension Center, 198 Neel Ave., Socorro. Attendance is free, but the capacity is limited to 200 participants, so registration should be done as soon as possible at http:// rsvp.nmsu.edu/rsvp/drought. For more information, call 402-427-6776. For more information on USDA drought efforts, visit www.usda.gov/drought.

Walmart opens June 12



The new Walmart, 3331 Rinconada Blvd. on the corner of Rinconada Boulevard and Northrise Drive, has announced it will hold its grand opening Wednesday, June 12. The 184,000-square-foot store on the East Mesa will be the third to open in Las Cruces.

Las Cruces Toyota is now....





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ed on the plat thereof, filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on October 27, 1987, in Book 15 Page 81 of Plat Boarda Plat Records.

The address of the real prop-

erty is 5690 Vanegas Court, Las Cruces, NM 88007. 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 April 2, 2013 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 \$109,997.24 plus interest from February 1, 2013 to the date of sale at the rate of 4.125% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keep ing 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 pur-chase 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 bid-der's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the suc-cessful 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 reserva-tions, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-ments 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 contamina-tion 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.

Jeffrey Lake Special Master Southwest Support Group 20 First Plaza NW, Suite # Albuquerque, NM 87102

NM12-03425 FC01

ub # 12978 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL

No. D-0307-CV-0201202488 WELLS FARGO BANK, NA, Plaintiff.

GUY WEIS AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF GUY WEIS, IF ANY, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on June 11, 2013 at 11:00 AM. Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title, and inter-est of the above-named defen-dants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:

Unit #1103, Casas De Soledad Condominium, in accor-dance with and subject to the Declaration for Casas De Soledad Condominium and the Condominium Plat recorded on January 10, 2007 in Book 778 in Pages 1283 through 1402 of Doña Ana County Clerk Records

The address of the real property is 3901 Sonoma Springs Ave 1103, 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 April 2, 2013 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 \$93,041.82 plus interest from February 6, 2013 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.500% 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

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chase price in lieu of cash.

represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described **NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or 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 pro-spective purchaser at the sale 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 is given notice that it should and void, the successful bidverify the location and address der's funds shall be returned,

sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on April 2, 2013 in the above entitled and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the sucand numbered cause, which was a suit to foreclose a mort-gage held by the above Plaintiff cessful bidder for any damages NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and wherein Plaintiff was and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservaadjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$148,638.85 plus tions, easements, all recorded interest from March 19, 2013 and unrecorded liens not fore to the date of sale at the rate of closed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-6.125% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, ments and taxes that may be and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keepdue. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for and the purchaser at the sale ing the property in good repai Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid takes the property subject to, the valuation of the property verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation part of its judgment to the pur-chase price in lieu of cash. of title to a mobile or manufac

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be NOTICE IS FURTHER **GIVEN** that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above-described real property subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other condition that would subject to rights of redemption cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null Special Master Southwest Support Group 20 First Plaza NW, Suite #20 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 suc-cessful bidder for any damages.

tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamina-

tion on the property, if any, and

zoning violations concerning

the property, if any.

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Albuquerque, NM 87102

Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL

No. D-307-CV-2013-00063

STEPHEN T. POWERS,

INC., Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

DIANE L. POWERS AND MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC

REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the undersigned Special Master will on June 11, 2013

at 11:00 AM, Front entrance to

the Doña Ana County District

Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las

Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash

all the right, title, and inter-

est of the above-named defen-

described real estate located in

Lot 3, Villa Chiquita, Picacho Hills, 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 November 20, 1979, in book 12

page(s) 297-298 of plat records.

The address of the real property

is 1399 Via Norte, Las Cruces

NM 88007. Plaintiff does not

dants in and to the followi

said County and State:

WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,

NM12-02200 FC01

Pub # 12979

DISTRICT

Plaintiff,

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

Jeffrey Lake Special Master Southwest Support Group 20 First Plaza NW, Suite #20 Albuquerque, NM 87102

NM12-03751 FC01

Pub # 12980 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2010-00342

US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR CSAB MORTGAGE-BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-1, Plaintiff,

of the property being sold. Said IESUS B. BRIVIESCA

MARIAS BRIVIESCA AND OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE UNKNOWN, IF ANY, Defendant(s). NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on June 12, 2013 at 10:00 AM. Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title, and inter-est of the above-named defen-dants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:

Lot numbered 20 in Block numbered M of Sandhill Center Heights Phase 7, Las Cruces, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Sandhill Center Heights Phase 7, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on May 17, 2006

The address of the real proprite address of the real prop-erty is 1230 Lea Ranch Drive, 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 April 2, 2010 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 \$158,266.99 plus interest from April 19, 2010, to the date of sale at the rate of 7.625% 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

part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. At the date and time stated above, the Special Master may

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NOTICE IS FURTHER

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 manufac-tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above-described real property

Special Master P.O. Box 16169 Las Cruces, NM 88004

at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any

postpone the sale to such later date and time as the Special Master may specify.

GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, 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 bid-der's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the suc-

above-described real estate in the sum of \$161,969.50 plus interest from October 22, 2012 NOTICE IS FURTHER

subject to rights of redemption. Pamela Carmody

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the undersigned Special Master will on June 11, 2013 at 11:00 AM, Front entrance to

the Doña Ana County District

Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash

all the right, title, and inter-

est of the above-named defen-

dants in and to the following described real estate located in

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said County and State:

FOLIO 164-165.

The address of the real prop-erty is 5128 Kensington Way, 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 particu-larly described above, not the

property located at the street address; any prospective pur-chaser at the sale is given notice

that it should verify the loca-

tion and address of the prop-erty being sold. Said sale will

be made pursuant to the judg

ment entered on November 19

2012 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

LOTS

NM00-00828 FC01 Pub # 12981 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

in Plat Book 21, Folio 625-626. STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT No. D-307-CV-201201491 WELLS FARGO BANK, NA, Plaintiff. MARIO O. IIMENEZ, III AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF MARIO O. JIMENEZ, III, IF ANY, Defendant(s). NOTICE OF SALE

LOTS NUMBERED 68 IN BLOCK NUMBERED J OF RINCON MESA SUBDIVISION, PHASE 2, LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DECIGNATED ON THE AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID RINCON MESA SUBDIVISION, PHASE 2, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON MARCH 23, 2007 IN PLAT BOOK 22,

NOTICE IS FURTHER

cessful bidder for any damages.

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 fore-closed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys

to the date of sale at the rate of 4.750% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keep-ing 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 tile to a mobile or manufac-tured 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.

Jeffrey Lake Special Master Southwest Support Group 20 First Plaza NW, Suite #20 querque, NM 87102

NM12-01179 FC01

Pub # 12982 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-201202439

WELLS FARGO BANK, NA, Plaintiff.

IASON BALTHROP AKA JASON BALTHROP AKA JASON K. BALTHROP, LESLIE BALTHROP AKA LESLIE G. BALTHROP, FIA CARD SERVICES, N.A. AND SUNPORT FINANCIAL, LLC, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on June 11, 2013 at 11:00 AM, Front entrance

the Doña Ana County District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title, and inter-est of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 7, Los Venados Estates Subdivision Phase 2, 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 January 18, 2006, in Book 21 Page(s) 490-491 of plat Records.

The address of the real prop-erty is 122 Blacktail Deer Ave, Las Cruces, NM 88007. 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 April 2, 2013 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 \$279,683.18 plus interest from February 6, 2013 to the date of sale at the rate of 4.625% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keep-ing 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 pur-chase 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

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further identified by the property address of 4673 W. Picacho

Ave. Existing well LRG-12187

POD2 will be retained for other

Any person, firm or corpo-

ration or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writ-ing (objection must be legible,

signed, and include the writer's

complete name, phone num-ber 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 con-servation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must

show how you will be substan-

tially 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 pro-

rights.



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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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NM12-03043_FC01

Pub # 12983 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-0307-CV-201202668

WELLS FARGO BANK, NA, Plaintiff.

ALICIA FERNANDEZ, DANIEL G. FERNANDEZ AND CITIBANK (SOUTH DAKOTA) N.A., Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on June 11, 2013 at 11:00 AM, Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 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:

A Tract of Land Situate Southeast of San Miguel, Doña Ana County, New Mexico in Section 11, T.25S., R.2E., N.M.P.M of the U.S.R.S. Surveys as part of U.S.R.S. Tract 18-52A lying within a 3.000 acre tract previously conveyed and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at an iron rod found the east line of Castillo Road (Doña Ana County Road B-039) for the northwest corner of this tract, whence the Southeast Corner of Alta De Las Flores Subdivision as filed February 5, 1971 in Plat record 10, Page 71 of the Doña Ana County Records bears the following two Courses and dis-

N.0°49'27'W., a distance of 201.03 Feet to the northeast corner of a 3.000 acre tract, and: Thence N.15'28'48"W. 2174.85 Feet.

Thence from the place of beginning and leaving Castillo Road N.89°23'24"E., 427.04 feet to an Iron rod at the northeast corner of this tract;

Thence S.2°47'17 W., 102.98 Feet to an Iron rod set at the Southeast Corner of this Tract; Thence S. 89°23'23'24"W., 420.08 Feet to an Iron rod set on the East Line of Castillo Road for the Southwest Corner of this Tract;

Thence along Castillo Road N.2°10'38"W., 19.96 feet to an Iron rod at an angle Point;

Thence continuing along Castillo Road N.0°49'27"W. along 82.85 feet to the Place of Beginning, continuing 1.000 acres of land, more or less. Subject to a 20 Foot wide irrigation ditch easement parallel and immediately adjacent to the West Boundary and other Easements of record. Pub # 12984 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013 Filed notes by Botsford Land Surveying, Inc.

ty more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any pro-

spective 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 April

30, 2013 in the above entitled and numbered cause, which

was a suit to foreclose a mort-

gage held by the above Plaintiff and wherein Plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate

in the sum of \$139,944.80 plus

interest from March 12, 2013 to the date of sale at the rate of

6.875% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special

Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended

for taxes, insurance, and keep

ing 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 pur-chase 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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing,

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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 bid-der's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the

mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the suc-

cessful bidder for any damages.

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GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject

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and unrecorded liens not fore-closed herein, and all recorded

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ments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for,

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Jeffrey Lake

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Master may specify.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO The address of the real prop-erty is 18110 Castillo Road, La COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD IUDICIAL Mesa, NM 88044. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the DISTRICT COURT

No. D-307-CV-2012-02611 street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting through RURAL HOUSING SERVICE, being sold herein is the proper Plaintiff.

DORA ELIZONDO, if living, and the Unknown Heirs of Dora Elizondo, if deceased, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, hav-ing appointed me or my des-ignee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situ-ated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 205 Yucca, Sunland Park, New Mexico 88063, and more par ticularly described as follows:

LOT 2B, BLOCK 49A, Meadow Vista MEADOW VISTA SUBDIVISION, PLAT 6, REPLAT OF LOT 2, BLOCK

THE PARCEL OF LAND

49A.

HEREIN DESCRIBED IS THE SOUTHERLY 6000 SQUARE FEET OF LOT 2, BLOCK 49A MEADOW SUBDIVISION PLAT 6, IN THE CITY OF SUNLAND PARK, A SUBDIVISION OF RECORD IN BOOK 8 AT PAGE 45, FILED ON 7/22/1959, PLAT RECORDS, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SAID 6000 SQUARE FOOT PARCEL IS THE PROPOSED LOT 2B, BLOCK 49A, REPLAT OF LOT 2, BLOCK 49A, MEADOW VISTA SUBDIVISION PLAT 6 NOW UNDER CONSIDERATION BY THE CITY OF SUNLAND

PARK, SAID 6000 SQUARE FOOT PARCEL IS MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED BY METES AND BOUNDS AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING FOR REFERENCE AT THE RECORD NORTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 1 OF SAID BLOCK 49A AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF VALLE VISTA CTREET WITH THE EAST STREET WITH THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF YUCCA DRIVE; THENCE, YUCCA DRIVE; THENCE, WITH THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF YUCCA DRIVE, SOUTH 00°00'00" EAST 75.00 FEET TO A SET ½" DIA. REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED TX 4297 NM 10472 AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 2; THENCE, WITH THE WEST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID LOT 2, AND WITH THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF YUCCA DRIVE, SOUTH 00°00'00' WEST 50.50 FEET TO A SET 1/2" DIA. REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED TX

GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above-described real property 4297 NM 10472 FOR THE POINT OF BEGINNING subject to rights of redemption HEREOF; Special Master

Southwest Support Group 20 First Plaza NW, Suite #20 THENCE NORTH 90°00'00" EAST 75.00 FEET TO A SET ½" DIA. REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED TX Albuquerque, NM 87102 NM12-03023 FC01 4297 NM 10472;

THENCE, NORTH 86°37'36" EAST 32.61 FEET TO A SET ¹/₂" DIA. REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED TX 4297 NM 10472; THENCE, WITH THE

EAST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID LOT 2, AND THE WEST BOUNDARY LINE OF MEADOW VISTA SUBDIVISION PLAT 7, SOUTH 00°01'00" WEST 57.42 FEET TO A SET ½" DIA. REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED TX 4297 NM 10472 AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 2;

THENCE WITH THE COMMON BOUNDARY LINE BETWEEN LOTS 2 AND 3 OF SAID BLOCK 49A, NORTH 90°00'00" WEST 107.54 FEET TO A SET ½" DIA. REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP STAMPED 4297 NM 10472 AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 2 (AND FROM WHICH SOUTHWEST WHICH SOUTHWEST CORNER A FOUND ½" DIA. REBAR AT THE COMMON EAST CORNER OF LOTS 24 EAST CORNER OF LOTS 24 AND 25, BLOCK 46 BEARS THE FOLLOWING THREE COURSES: NORTH 90°00'00" WEST 43.00 FEET; WITH WESTERLY CURB LINE OF YUCCA DRIVE SOUTH 00°00'00" EAST 224.00 FEET; BEARING BASIS: AND BEARING BASIS; AND, NORTH 90°00'00" WEST 7.00 FEET TO SAID ½" DIA. REBAR);

THENCE, FROM SAID SOUTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 2, WITH THE WEST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID LOT 2, AND WITH THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF YUCCA DRIVE, NORTH 00°00'00' EAST 55.50 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING AND CONTAINING 6000 SQUARE FEET;

THIS DESCRIPTION IS BASED ON A FIELD SURVEY PERFORMED UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF STEPHEN EARL COBB, NM PLS 10472. THIS DESCRIPTION CREATES A NEW PARCEL. THE USER OF THIS DESCRIPTION MUST COMPLY WITH THE SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS OF THE CITY OF SUNLAND PARK, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, AND THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, OR AN APPROPRIATE CLAIM OF EXEMPTION TO SUCH SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS MUST BE FILED AND APPROVED.

The sale is to begin at 11:45 a.m. on June 14, 2013, outside the front entrance to the Doña Ana County 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 Judgment granted United States of America, acting through Rural Housing

United States of America, acting through Rural Housing Service was awarded a Judgment on May 6, 2013, in the principal sum of \$73,603.27, plus outstanding interest due on the Note from October 24, 2011 through March 20, 2013, in the amount of \$5,690.38 and accruing thereafter at the rate of \$10.84 per diem, plus escrow advances of \$1,584.20, plus an appraisal fee of \$457.13, plus an interest subsidy recapture in the amount of \$19,407.36, plus attorney's fees in the

amount of \$750.00 and costs in the amount of \$979.35, with interest on the above-listed amounts, attorney's fees and costs at the rate of 10.84 per diem from date of the entry of the Judgment until paid.

The sale is subject to rights and easements of record, to unpaid property taxes and assessments, and to the one (1) month right of redemption in favor of the Defendants as specified in the Judgment filed herein. PROSPECTIVE

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

/s/ Faisal Sukhyani, Special Master c/o Leverick and Musselman, L.L.C. 5120 San Francisco Road NE Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109 (505) 858-3303

Pub # 12985 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT No D-307-CV-2012-02612

BOKF, N.A., a national bank ing association dba BANK OF

OKLAHOMA as successor by merger to Bank of Oklahoma, N.A., Plaintiff,

SAMUEL JOE HAYS, JR. and LEANNE JANEL HAYS, Defendants. NOTICE OF SALE ON

FORECLOSURE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my desas 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 120 Edgewater Court, Hatch, New Mexico 87937, and more

particularly described as fol-lows: LOT NUMBERED 4 OF PEACEFUL VALLEY ESTATES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DEFINITED ON THE PLAT

DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID PEACEFUL VALLEY ESTATES, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON APRIL 1, 2004 IN PLAT BOOK 20, FOLIO 582-583.

The sale is to begin at 11:50 a.m. on June 14, 2013, outside the front entrance to the Doña Ana County 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 Judgment granted satisfy the BOKF, N.A. BOKF, N.A. was awarded a

Judgment on May 6, 2013, in the principal sum of \$189,420.76, plus outstanding interest due on the Note through March

1, 2013, in the amount of \$9,056.70 and accruing thereafter at the rate of \$33.08 per diem, plus late charges of \$381.66, plus escrow advanc-es of \$1,560.96, plus fee and cost advances in the amount of \$903.00, plus attorney's fees in the amount of \$900.00 and costs in the amount of \$806.49, with interest on the above-listed amounts, attorney's fees and costs at the rate of 6.375% per annum from date of the entry of the Judgment until paid.

The sale is subject to rights and easements of record, to unpaid property taxes and assessments, and to the one (1) month right of redemption in favor of the Defendants as specified in the Judgment filed herein.

P R O S P E C T I V E PURCHASERS AT THE SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

/s/ Faisal Sukhyani, Special Master c/o Leverick and Musselman, L.L.C. 5120 San Francisco Road NE Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109 (505) 858-3303

Pub # 12986 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

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

No. D-307-CV-2011-02955

ing association dba BANK OF OKLAHOMA, as succes sor in interest to BANK OF OKLAHOMA, N.A., Plaintiff,

JOE G. DELGADILLO and-BEATRIZ DELGADILLO, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, hav-ing 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 470 E. Farney Lane, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005, and more particularly described as followe

LOT 20, BLOCK D, COLLEGE PLACE SUBDIVISION NO. TWO, 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 24,1957, IN BOOK 1 PAGE(S) 34 OF PLAT RECORDS

a.m. on June 12, 2013, in front of the main entrance to the Third Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, 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,

Judgment granted BOKF, N.A. dba Bank of Oklahoma, N.A.

BOKF, N.A. dba Bank of Oklahoma, N.A. uba bank of Oklahoma, N.A. was award-ed a Judgment on May 8, 2013, in the principal sum of \$156,946.69, plus outstand-ing interest due on the Note through March 1, 2013, in the amount of \$8,632.03 and accruing thereafter at the rate of \$26.10 per diem, plus late charges of \$317.88, plus fee and cost advances in the amount of \$1,063.65, less an escrow credit in the amount of \$5.46, plus attorney's fees in the amount of \$950.00 and costs in the amount of \$475.15, with interest on the above-listed amounts, attorney's fees and costs at the rate of 6.000% per annum from date of the entry of the Judgment until paid.

easements of record, to unpaid property taxes and assessments, and to the one (1) month right of redemption in favor of the Defendants as specified in the Judgment filed herein.

P R O S P E C T I V E PURCHASERS AT THE SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONCULT TURIN TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

/s/ John A. Darden, III P.O. Box 578 Las Cruces, NM 88004-0578 (575) 541-6655

Pub # 12987 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

and Larry Springer for The Springer Family Trust, U.T.D., 14070 79th Street, Fellsmere, FL 32948, filed application numbered LRG-15496 PODI,

OSE File No. LRG-15496, 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 discon-tinuing the use of existing well LRG-12187 POD2, located

where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°18'6.103"N, 106°50'46.93"W, WGS84, on land owned by Harold G. & Catherine H. Williams, located

within the SW1/4 of Section

16, Township 23 South, Range 01 East, NMPM, and drilling a

new well, LRG-15496 POD1, to

a depth of 200 feet with 6 inch

a depth of 200 feet with 6 inch casing to be located at or near where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°18'6.085"N, 106°50'56.267"W, WGS84,

on land owned by applicants, located within the SW1/4 of said Section 16, NMPM, for the continued diversion of

an amount of water reserved for future determination by the May 24, 1999 Order

of the Third Judicial District

Court, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico, com-bined with surface water from

the Elephant Butte Irrigation

0.22 miles southwest of the

intersection of W. Picacho Ave.

and N. Fairacres Rd., and is

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 26, 2013, Beverly

BOKF, N.A., a national bank vs.

the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, for the irrigation of 2.38 acres of land, owned by the applicants, located within the SW1/4 of said Section 16, NMPM, as described by Subfile No.: LRN-28-009-0141 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. The site for proposed well, LRG-15496 POD1, is located southwest of Las Cruces, approximately 0.22 miles southwest of the The sale is to begin at 11:00 the Property to pay expens-es of sale, and to satisfy the

The sale is subject to rights and

test 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. State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objec-tion is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Pub # 12988 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 2013

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 11, 2013 Robert Walker of 200 Palomino Road, Las Cruces NM, 88072 filed application numbered LRG-15461 POD1, under OSE File No.: LRG-15461 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG-8432 locat-ed at Lat/Long 32°6'11.969"N 106°38'56.19"W WGS84 respectively, located on land owned by Isaias Amaya & Elisa Lopez, and drilling a new well to a depth of 200 feet with a 14-inch casing to be locat-ed within the SW1/4 SW1/4 of projected Sec. 28, T25S, R3E, NMPM and more specifically described at approxi-mately Lat/Long 32°6'2.62"N 106°38'52.39"W WGS84 on land owned by the applicant, for the continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by the May 24,1999 Order of the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico, combined with surface water from EBID for the irrigation of 5.74 acres of land, owned by the applicants, located within SW1/4 SW1/4 of projected Sec. 28, T25S, R3E, NMPM as described by Subfile No. LRS-28-010-0154 of the LRG Hydrographic Survey. The new well site will be located south of Vado and may be found at the physical address of 200 Palomino Rd. Vado NM, 88072. Existing well LRG-8432 will be retained for other rights.

Any person, firm or corpo ration 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 num-ber and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on:

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ments 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 manufac-

tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamina-tion on the property, if any, and

zoning violations concerning

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

the property, if any.



(1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or con-servation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substan-tially 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 pro-test 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 objec-tion is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Pub # 12989 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 2013

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 7, 2013, Joel A. and Yolanda Tellez, 2917 S. Highway 28, La Union, NM 88021, filed application num-bered LRG-15162 POD2 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 the use of well LRG-15162 POD1 located within the SE1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 16, Township 27 South, Range 3 East, NMPM, more specifically described where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 31°57' 8.40"N, 106° 38' 40.20"W WGS84, on land owned by the applicants, and drilling a replacement well to a depth of 200 feet for 4-inch casing to be located within the SE1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 16, Township 27 South, Range 3 East, NMPM, more Latitude and Longitude inter-sect at 31° 57' 8.48"N, 106° 38' 40.55"W WGS84, on land owned by the applicants, for the continued diversion of 3.0 acre-feet per annum for domestic one household purpose. The site for replacement well LRG-15162 POD2 is located south of Las Cruces, NM and may be found at the physical address of 2917 S. Highway 28. Old well LRG-15162 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 num-ber 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 con-servation 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 I. 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 pro test 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 objec-tion is filed, the State Engineer tured home on the property, if any, environmental contaminawill evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions zoning violations concerning of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Pub # 12990 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 2013 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 STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA redemption.

THIRD IUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2012-00379 MATRIX FINANCIAL

BEN R. HOLGUIN, and

if married, JANE DOE HOLGUIN (true name

MORTGAGE FINANCE

NOTICE OF SALE

HOUSION (Hue hame unknown), his spouse; HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES; and NEW MEXICO

signed Special Master will, at

the main entrance of the Doña

Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, 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 2240 Margaret Street, Las Cruces, and is situ-ate in Doña Ana County, New

Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 2, Block 3, Loma Heights

Plat No. 1, in the City of Las

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.

Records.

PO Drawer 16169 Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169 575-642-5567 SERVICES CORP., Plaintiff,

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of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation

of title to a mobile or manufac-

tion on the property, if any, and

the property, if any.

Electronically filed

Special Master

/s/ Pamela A. Carmody, Pamela A. Carmody,

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

AUTHORITY, Defendants No PB-13-0109

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF NORMA H. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN HIPKENS, Deceased. that on June 12, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the under-NOTICE TO CREDITORS

> NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative in care of Joseph M. Holmes, PA., P.O. Box 366, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-0366, or filed with the Probate Court of Doña Ana County, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88007.

Cruces, 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 Dated: April 1, 2013. on October 21, 1958, recorded in Book 8 at Page 34 of Plat

/s/ Henry L. Hipkens

Personal Representative of the Estate of Norma H. Hipkens, THE FOREGOING SALE Deceased will be made to satisfy a judg-ment rendered by the above JOSEPH M. HOLMES, P.A. Attorney at Law P.O. Box 366 Las Cruces, NM 88004-0366 Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on May 6, 2013, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the (575) 524-0833

above-described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$54,704.13 and the same bears (575) 526-0960 (fax) /s/ Joseph M. Holmes Attorney for the Estate

interest at 5.850% per annum from March 2, 2013, to the date Pub # 12992 of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$903.07. The Plaintiff and/ Dates 5/17, 5/24, 2013 or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing.

COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT No. PB-13-31 (Martin)

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ELLIS WRIGHT HUDDLESTON, Deceased

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property NOTICE TO CREDITORS and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reserva-tions, easements, all recorded NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal and unrecorded liens not fore-Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within closed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-ments and taxes that may be two months after the date of due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be the valuation of the property presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture in care of Joseph M. Holmes

P.A., P.O. Box 366, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-0366, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court of Doña Ana County, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

Dated: May 7, 2013

/s/ Billie I. Huddleston Personal Representative of the Estate of Ellis Wright Huddleston, Deceased IOSEPH M. HOLMES, P.A.

Attorney at Law P.O. Box 366 Las Cruces 88004-0366 (575) 524-0833 (575) 526-0960 (fax) /s/ Joseph M. Holmes

Attorney for the Estate Pub # 12993

Dates 5/17, 5/24, 2013

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

NO CV-13-1044

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF Elena Cano FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Elena Cano, a resident of the City of Anthony, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Iudicial District Court, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her name from Elena Cano to Elena Espinoza Cano, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable Manuel I. Arrieta District Judge, on the 29th day of July 2013, at the hour of 1:30 p.m., at the Doña Ana County Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Elena Cano 2416 Opitz Rd. Anthony, NM 88021

P.O. Box 1998 Anthony, NM 88021 575-882-4363

Pub # 12994 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 2013

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

NO. CV-2013-1012

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF June Elizabeth Rochester a.k.a. June Weatherspoon-Rochester FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that June Elizabeth Rochester, a resident of the City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Iudicial District Court, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her name from June Elizabeth Rochester to June Elizabeth Kochester to June Elizabeth Weatherspoon, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable Manuel I. Arrieta District Judge, on the 29th day of July 2013, at the

hour of 1:30 p.m., at the Doña Ana County Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

/s/ June Elizabeth Rochester 735 Frontier Drive Las Cruces, New Mexico 88011 575-522-2013

Respectfully submitted,

Pub # 12995 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 2013

PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA STATE OF NEW MEXICO

#PB-13-0104 IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RACHEL MEDINA PEREA, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative at 650 E. Montana, Suite G., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001, or filed with the Probate Court, Doña Ana County Courthouse, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88007

/s/ Emilio G. Perea Personal Representative c/o Attorney William A. Walker, Jr. 650 E. Montana, Suite G Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001 Pub # 12996 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 2013

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

PB 2013-025 Judge Martin IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF TERRY L. REHMERT, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present their claims within two (2) 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 under-signed Personal Representative or filed with the Clerk of the Doña Ana County District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Ste. A, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

/s/ DIANN REHMERT Personal Representative of the estate of TERRY L. REHMERT P.O. Box 212 Blakeslee, OH 43505 MELISSA J. REEVES, P.C.

/s/ Melissa I. Reeves-Evins 200 W. Las Cruces Ave., Ste. A Las Cruces, NM 88005 575-522-5009 522-5031 FAX Attorney for Personal Representative Pub # 12997 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD IUDICIAL DISTRICT

No D-307-CV-2012-01707 BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., Plaintiff.

SAMUEL M. LARA, and if married, JANE DOE LARA (true name unknown), his spouse; LINDA B. LARA; NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY; and TAXATION AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on June 12, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the under-signed Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Iudicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces February 5, 2013, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Defendants in and to the here-inafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 1323 Magoffin Place, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as fol-

Lot 4, Block M, LEGENDS WEST SUBDIVISION PHASE II, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on Plat No. 4152 thereof filed for record in the Office of the County Clerk of said county on May 19, 2005, and recorded in Book 21, pages 208-209, Plat Records.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judg-ment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on February 5, 2013, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$170,937.36 and the same bears interest at 5.500% per annum from September 29, 2012, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$ 6.619.72. 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 manufac tured 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 c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A. PO Drawer 16169 Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169 (505) 525-2711

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD IUDICIAL DISTRICT

Plaintiff.

VIVIAN BASTIDOS,

JACQUE R. LUJAN, THE

SPOUSE OF JACQUE R.

NOTICE OF SALE

LUJAN, IF ANY, Defendants

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that on June 12, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the under-

signed Special Master will, at

the main entrance of the Doña

Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, 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 1167 Turkey Knob Dr., Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County,

New Mexico, and is particularly

Lot 17, Block B, SANDHILL CENTER HEIGHTS PHASE 2,

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. 4101 on 01/24/2005 in Book 21 Page(s) 122-23 of Plat

THE FOREGOING SALE

will be made to satisfy a judg-ment rendered by the above

Court in the above-entitled and

numbered cause on September 27, 2012, being an action to

foreclose a mortgage on the above-described property. The

Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$180,530.18 and the same bears

interest at 6.200% per annum

from July 8, 2012, to the date of

sale. The amount of such inter-est to the date of sale will be \$10,426.25. 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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property

and improvements concerned

with herein will be sold subject

to any and all patent reserva-tions, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not fore-

closed herein, and all recorded

and unrecorded special assess-

the Special Master.

described as follows

Records.

/s/ Pamela A. Carmody Pamela A. Carmody, Special Master No. D-307-CV-2012-01169 PO Drawer 16169 U S NATIONAL ASSOCIATION BANK ND, Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169 575-642-5567 Pub # 12999

redemption.

Electronically filed

Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013 UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF VIVIAN BASTIDOS, IF ANY AND THE UNKNOWN

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2012-02072

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,

RICKY O. CASTILLO, IR., and if married, JANE DOE CASTILLO (true name unknown), his spouse; and NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on June 12, 2013, 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, 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 5014 Vista de Tierra, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

LOT 43, TIERRA GRANDE SUBDIVISION, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW THE MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON JUNE 5, 2007, IN BOOK 22, PAGE(S) 232-233 OF PLAT RECORDS.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judg-ment rendered by the above Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on April 15, 2013, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above-described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$157,996.54 and the same bears interest at 4.500% per annum from December 8, 2012, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$3,642.58. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in

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writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be post-poned 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 reserva tions easements all recorded and unrecorded liens not fore-closed 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 manufac-tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamina tion 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

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

Pub # 13004 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICAL DISTRICT COURT No. PB-2013-16 Judge Arrieta

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RICHARD L. BECKER, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the estate of RICHARD L. BECKER, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present their claims within the time prescribed by law, after the date of the first ublication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative or to the Attorney for the Personal Representative, Joshua Dwyer of ScottHulse PC, 201 North Church Street, Suite 201, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001, Phone: (575)522-0765, FAX: (575)522-0006, or filed with the Court at Third Indicial District Court at Third Judicial District Court, 201 E. Picacho, Suite A. Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

Dated this 17 day of May, 2013.

/s/ KATHRYN BECKER

Pub # 13006 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT IN THE CHILDREN'S COURT

NO. JQ-2013-07 Judge: Macias

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ex rel., CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES DEPARTMENT

In the Matter of D. M., a child, And Concerning Iran Ramirez and Daniel Montes. Respondents NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF

TO: Iran Ramirez and Daniel

ACTION

Montes, Respondents. ARE HEREBY YOU NOTIFIED that an abuse/ neglect petition has been filed against you in the above named court and county by the State of New Mexico. In the petition, the New Mexico Children, Youth and Families Department alleges that you have neglected and/or abused D.M., a child, and seeks legal custody of the child.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that this matter will be heard in the Children's Court Division of the District Court in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, no sooner than twenty (20) days after the last publication date of this Notice. Unless you appear at the hear-ing on the petition in the above court, a judgment may be entered against you.

of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Pub # 13008 Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA

No. D-307-CV-2012-01275

CITIMORTGAGE, INC.,

IOE E. TUCKER and, if mar-

ried, JANE DOE TUCKER,

EKSTROM and, if married, JOHN DOE A, (True Name

FIRST AMENDED NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that on June 19, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the under

signed Special Master will, at

the main entrance of the Doña

Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, 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 4580 Saint Michaels Road, Las Cruces, and is situ-ate in Doña Ana County, New

Mexico, and is particularly

LOT 2B, OF SANTA ROSA

ON PLAT THEREOF RECORDED ON APRIL 20,

2009 IN PLAT BOOK 22, AT PAGE(S) 680 AS PLAT NO. 4854, RECORDS OF DOÑA

THE FOREGOING SALE

will be made to satisfy a judg-ment rendered by the above

Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on November

6, 2012, being an action to

foreclose a mortgage on the

above-described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which

described as follow

ANA COUNTY.

(True Name Unknown),

his spouse; HELEN M.

Unknown), her spouse,

Defendants.

OF SALE

THIRD JUDICIAL

DISTRICT

vs.

The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for the Petitioner is: Annamarie DeLovato, P.O. Box 2135 Las Cruces, NM 88004. 575-373 THIS PROCEEDING COULD RESULT IN THE TERMINATION OF ANY PARENTAL RIGHTS YOU MAY HAVE TO THE NAMED

CHILD. Witness my hand and Seal of

the District Court of the State

Dates 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 2013

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 15, 2013, Richard Gottlieb, 3517 Happy Pl., Las

Cruces, NM 88007 filed appli-

cation numbered LRG-15471-

POD2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location

of Well within the Lower Rio

Grande Water Basin in Doña

Ana County by discontinuing the use of existing well LRG-15471-POD 1, located within

the NW1/4 NW1/4 of projected

Section 3, T23S, R01E, NMPM, on land owned by the applicant

and drilling replacement well

LRG-15471-POD2 to a depth

of approximately 120 feet below ground surface with 4" casing to be located within NW1/4

NW1/4 of said Section 3 at

approximately X=1,459,763.5 Y=489,181.1 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83) on land

owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of up to 3.0 acre-feet per annum, or that amount required for beneficial use, of shallow groundwater for

domestic purposes. The exist-ing well and proposed well site are located north of Las Cruces,

NM, and can be found at the

physical address of 3517 Happy Pl. The old well will be properly

of New Mexico. (Seal)

Clerk of the District Court By /s/ Jodie M. Castillo Date: May 8, 2013

Pub # 13007

Any person, firm or corpo or other entity having

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standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writ-ing (objection must be legible, from August 1, 2012, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale signed, and include the writer's will be \$12,199.47. The Plaintiff complete name, phone num ber and mailing address). Th and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in 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) writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be post-Public Welfare/Conservation of poned and rescheduled at the Water; if public welfare or con-servation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservashow how you will be substan-The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, tions, easements, all recorded Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-ments and taxes that may be will be accepted as a valid produe. Plaintiff and its attorneys test as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of disclaim all responsibility for and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured State Engineer, 575-524-6160. home to the land, deactivation If no valid protest or objec-tion is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in of title to a mobile or manufac-tured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any. accordance with the provisions

discretion of the Special Master.

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

Pub # 13009 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 6/14, 2013

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and virtue of an order of sale out of DISTRICT COURT Doña Ana County, New Mexico dated May 22, 2013 in the matter of Sonia Munos V. The Transmission shop; Nacor Trujillo; Mike Huerta

cause number M-14-cy-2012-02793

NOW THEREFOR, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE, 22nd day of June 2013 at the location of 845 Motel Blvd Doña Ana County Sheriff Department at 10:00 A.M.

I will be in the obedience of said order of sale to sell the following:

Mitsubishi Lift truck, Module Number FGC-25, s/n F82-53285, color Green; ACRES, REPLAT NO. 2, LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO AS SHOWN

Yamaha ATV. Module Kodiak s/n 5y4aj14y76a022580, color green

Yamaha ATV Module moto 4, s/n 4em-002805, color blue with pink;

Yamaha water craft, Module KA700T s/n 923760, color yel-low, blue, white;

Water craft trailer, Moduel zieman trailer, s/n za87538 color

cool space a/c unit, Module cs5-162d, s/n0610p4m23671, ranger 20 ton press, Module

includes interest and costs, is \$256,479.64 and the same bears rp20hp, s/nn0604001818,color interest at 5.3750% per annum

unknown hydraulic press, module unknown, 20 ton press, color red; transmission jack, Module unknown, s/n unknown, color

snap-on toolbox with side attachment 19 drawer 66x22x36;

engine scanner analyzer;

obd 2 smart scanner with cable; various mechanic tools

To the highest bidder for cash or lawful money of the United States of America. ss/ TODD GARRISON Doña Ana County

New Mexico ss/ Marta s883

Pub # 13010 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

Deputy Sheriff

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 12, 2013, Gary V. Arnold, P.O. Box 450, Fairacres NM 88033, filed application numbered LRG-00077 POD2, OSE File No. LRG-00077, with the State Engineer for Permit to Drill and Use Supplemental Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling well LRG-00077 POD2, to a depth of 225 feet with 6 inch casing to be located within the NW1/4 of projected Section 04, Township 23 South, Range 01 East NMPM, and described more specifically at or near where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°20'21.908"N, 106°50'47.114"W, WGS84, on land owned by applicant, to supplement well LRG-00077 located within the NW1/4 of said projected Section 04. and more specifically where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°20'22.031"N, 106°50'47.429"W, WGS84 on land owned by Gary V. and Phillip B. Arnold, for the continued diversion of up to 3.0 acre-feet per annum for domestic one household and do commercial use as described by Subfile No.: LRN-28-009-1017 of the Lower Rio Grande

Hydrographic Survey. The site for proposed well LRG-00077 POD2, is located northwest of Las Cruces, approximately 0.123 miles southeast of the intersection of Shalem Colony Trail and Parakeet Rd. (north). Any person, firm or corpo

ration or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, ned, and include the writer's complete name, phone nu ber and mailing address). T 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 con-servation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substan-tially 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 pro-test 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 objec-tion is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Pub # 13011 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 22, 2013, Gilbert and Joyce Flores, 4358 Lost Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-10495 POD2, OSE File No. LRG-10495-B, 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 the use of existing well LRG-10495, also known as LRN07-0096, located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°20'44.832"N, 106°49'52.65"W, WGS84, on land owned by Josh Brill, located within the SE1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 01 East, NMPM, and drilling a new well, LRG-10495 POD2, to a depth of 120 feet with 4 inch casing to be located at or near where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°20'42.048"N, 106°49'59.2"W, WGS84, on land owned by applicants, located within the SW1/4 SW1/4 of said Section 34, NMPM, for the continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by the May 24, 1999 Order of the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, for the irrigation of 0.93 acres of land, owned by the applicants, located within the SW1/4 SW1/4 of said Section 34, NMPM, as described by Subfile No.: LRN-28-007-0241 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. The site for proposed well LRG-10495 POD2 is located north of Las Cruces, approximately 625 feet southeast of the intersectior of Wildwind Rd and Lost Ln Existing well LRG-10495 will be retained for other rights. Any person, firm or corpo

ration 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 num-ber 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 share of reew bleaked, you must show how you will be substan-tially 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 pro-test 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. Pub # 13012 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

NOTICE is hereby given that on April 11, 2013, Jacinto Palomino, 902 W. Thorpe Rd., Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-15103-POD2 with the State Engineering for Dermit to Deril Engineer for Permit to Drill Supplemental Well to supple-ment ground and surface waters within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling new well LRG-15103-POD2, located within the NW1/4 of projected Section 22, T22S, R01E, NMPM at approximately X=1,461,629 Y=503,677 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83) with 6" casing to an approximate depth of 125 ft. below ground surface on land owned by the applicant, supplemental to existing well LRG-12218, located within the NE1/4 of said Section 22 on land owned by the applicant for the combined diversion of shallow groundwater and surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District of 46.8 acrefeet per annum, or that amount determined by the Third Judicial District Court, for the continued irrigation of 10.40 acres of land owned by the applicant located within NW1/4 SW1/4 NE1/4 of said Section 22. Proposed well LRG-15103-POD2 and existing well LRG-12218 are located approximately 1,350 ft. and 1,000 ft. west southwest, respectively, of the intersection of W. Thorpe Rd. and Dam Ana Rd. at the physical address of 902 W. Thorpe Rd., approximately 0.5 miles southwest of Doña Ana, NM.

Any person, firm or corpo-ration 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 num-ber 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 substan-tially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005-6598 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publica-tion 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 with-in 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.

Pub # 13013 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. PB-2013-21 Judge Manuel I. Arrieta IN THE MATTER OF

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the must be presented either to the undersigned personal represen-tative at P. 0. Box 823, Sunland Park, New Mexico 88063 or filed with the Third Judicial District Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico, located at 201 W. Picacho Ave., Suite A, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005. DATED this 13 day of May

THE ESTATE OF: EMILIO MACIAS, DECEASED.

2013. /S/ GRACIELA GOMEZ Personal Representative P.O. Box 823 Sunland Park, NM 88063

JOHN E. KEITHLY Attorney for Personal Representative Post Office Drawer 1329 Anthony, NM 88021 (575) 882-4500 (575) 882-5000 [FAX]

Pub # 13014 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 2013

NOTICE is hereby given that oursuant to Section 73-13-4 NMSA, the Board of Directors of Elephant Butte Irrigation District (District) will consider a Resolution to transfer water rights appurtenant to lands within the District which are not suitable for irrigation or capable of being properly irriated to other lands within the District, if in the Board's judge-ment the land may be profitably irrigated and advantageously irrigated. The request is made by TERRY M & NANNETTE G BOYCE who requests that the Board suspend a total of 1.04 acres of water rights from lands located in Section 35, Twp. 26S, Range 3E NMPM., and being a part of USRS Map 27-54 LT 3 and transfer them to lands owned by RICHARD K JR & PRISCILLA L JOHNSON located in Section 1, Twp. 23S, Range 1E, NMPM, being a part of USRS Map 9B-6A. The place of the hearing is the offices of the District located at 530 S. Melendres, Las Cruces, New Mexico, and the date of the hearing is June 12, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. Protest or protests from any person or persons inter-ested may be heard at the hearing. At the end of the hearing, the Board of Directors shall take formal action upon the Resolution. Any protestant or protestant's may appeal the decision of the Board directly to District Court within 10 days of the adoption or rejection of the Resolution."

Pub # 13015 Dates 5/24, 2013

"NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to Section 73-13-4 NMSA, the Board of Directors of Elephant Butte Irrigation District (District) will consider a Resolution to transfer water rights appurtenant to lands within the District which are not suitable for irrigation or capable of being properly irri-gated to other lands within the gated to other hands within the District, if in the Board's judge-ment the land may be profitably irrigated and advantageously irrigated. The request is made by TERRY M & NANNETTE

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G BOYCE who requests that the Board suspend a total of 1.21 acres of water rights from lands located in Section 35, Twp. 26S, Range 3E NMPM., and being a part of USRS Map 27-54 LT 2 and transfer them to lands owned by TERRY M & NANNETTE G BOYCE TRUSTEES BOYCE LIVING TRUST located in Section 1, Twp. 23S, Range 1E, NMPM, being a part of USRS Map 9B-1D. The place of the hearing is the offices of the District located at 530 S. Melendres Las Cruces, New Mexico, and the date of the hearing is June 12, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. Protest or protests from any person or presents interested may be heard at the hearing. At the end of the hearing, the Board of Directors shall take formal action upon the Resolution. Any protestant or protestant's may appeal the decision of the Board directly to District Court within 10 days of the adoption or rejection of the Resolution."

Pub # 13016 Dates 5/24, 2013

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

NO. CV-2013-1080 Judge Manuel I. Arrieta

IN THE MATTER OF THE **PETITION OF Anastasia** Nikita Reznikov FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Anastasia Nikita Reznikov, a resident of the City of Vado, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her name from Anastasia Nikita Reznikov to Angel Elizabeth Shockley, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable Manuel I. Arrieta District Judge, on the 29th day of July 2013, at the hour of 1:30 p.m., at the Doña Ana County Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Anastasia Nikita Reznikov 320 Vista Del Rey Drive Vado, New Mexico 88072 575-233-3082

Pub # 13017 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 2013

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT No. PB-12-94

In the Matter of the Estate of THOMAS S. COOPER, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that CAROL L. COOPER and GREGORY W. COOPER have been appointed Co-Personal Representatives of this estate. All persons having claims against the estate are required present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the under-signed personal representative

at the address shown in this /s/ RALPH WILLIAM notice or filed with the court. RICHARDS The attorney for the Co-Personal Representatives is Co-Personal Representative P.O. Box 137 Fairacres, NM 88033 William L. Lutz of Martin, Lutz,

Roggow & Eubanks, P.C., 2110 North Main Street, Las Cruces, Pub # 13019 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 2013

20, 2013;

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DATED this 15 day of May

/s/ CAROL L. COOPER Co-Personal Representative 585 S. Valley Drive Las Cruces, NM 88005

New Mexico 88001.

/s/ GREGORY W. COOPER Co-Personal Representative 1824 Imperial Ridge Las Cruces, NM 88011

Pub # 13018

DISTRICT

Dates 5/24, 5/31, 2013 STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL

Cause No. PB-2013-00006 Judge Arrieta

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

of this estate. All persons hav-

Copies Are Available for Inspection During Working Hours at the Office of the City IN THE MATTER OF THE Clerk. Witness My Hand and Seal of the City of Las Cruces on this the 20th day of May ESTATE OF RUBYLEE RICHARDS, Deceased. 2013.

Esther Martinez-Carrillo, CMC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN City Clerk that LETA FAYE RICHARDS Pub # 13020 RETA KAYE WARREN and RALPH WILLIAM Dates 5/24, 2013 RICHARDS have been appointed Co-Personal Representatives

the undersigned Co-Personal Representatives at the address shown in this notice or filed New Mexico State University, an equal opportunity/affir-mative action employer, will receive Proposals at 2:00 p.m. local time in the attorney for the Co-Personal Representatives is William L. Lutz of Martin, Lutz, Central Purchasing and Risk Central Purchasing and Kisk Management Admin. Office located in Bldg "C" Room 101 Academic Research Center at 1620 Standley Drive Las Cruces, NM for the following: Roggow & Eubanks, P.C., 2110 North Main Street, Las Cruces, DATED this 16 day of May,

ing claims against the estate are required to present their

claims within two months after

the date of the first publica-

tion of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims

must be presented either to

with the court.

New Mexico 88001.

/s/ RETA KAYE ARREN

Las Cruces, NM 88011

Co-Personal Representative 5675 Charles Russell Road

/s/ LETA FAYE RICHARDS

Co-Personal Representative 3317 Jupiter Road Las Cruces, NM 88012

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

The City Council of The City

Hereby Gives Notice of Its Adoption of The Following

Ordinance at a Regular City

Council Meeting Held on May

Council Bill No. 13-027;

Ordinance No. 2682: An Ordinance Repealing LCMC 1997, Article II. Campaign

Practices, Sections 8-31 Through 8-67 in Its Entirety

and Enacting New Sections Entitled Article II. Campaign Code, Sections 8-31 Through

of Las Cruces, New Mexico

The

2013

Request for Proposal #: 201302043-P NMSU Grants Campus Infrastructure Projects Proposal Due Date: 07/10/13 @ 2:00 PM (local time)

A pre-proposal conference will be held at the NMSU Grants Campus located at 1500 Third Street, Martinez Hall Room 3, Grants NM on June 14, 2013 at 11.00 AM

Proposal documents will be available on Friday May 24, 2013 via the NMSU On Line Bidding System and on CD format from Albuquerque Reprographics 505-884-0862.

> Vendors are encouraged to register with NMSU's Online Bidding System at https:// nmsu.ionwave.net/Login.aspx

Pub # 13021 Dates 5/24, 2013



New Mexico State University, an equal opportunity/affir-mative action employer, will receive Proposals at 2:00 p.m. local time in the Central Purchasing and Risk Management Admin. Office located in Bldg "C" Room 101 Academic Research Center at 1620 Standley Drive Las Cruces, NM for the following:

Request for Proposal #: 201302037-P DACC Sunland Park Addition and Renovations osal Due Date: 06/27/13 @ Proposal Due Date: 0 2:00 PM (local time)

A pre-proposal conference will

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INVITATION BID/REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)/REQUEST FOR QUOTE (RFQ)

Description	Number	Pre-Bid/ Pre-Proposal Meeting	Opening
2013-2014 Hot Mix for Overlay	13-14-301	None	June 4, 2013 / 11:00 am
Utilities Rehabilitation Project 2013	12-13-127	Mandatory June 4, 2013 / 2:00 pm 700 N. Main St., Rm. 2104, Las Cruces	June 18, 2013 / 2:00 pm

Please use this link to access all City of Las Cruces solicitations: http://www.govbids.com/scripts/nm1/public/OpenBids/viewopentitles1.asp?agency=1757&AgencyName=City+of+Las+Cruces

Sealed bids/proposals will be received by the City of Las Cruces Purchasing Section, at 700 N. Main, 3rd Floor, Room 3134.

Unless otherwise noted above, copies of solicitation documents may be inspected or obtained at City Hall, 700 N. Main St, Room 3134, Las Cruces, NM. Additional information/clarification regarding solicitations may be obtained by contacting the City Purchasing Section at (575) 541-2525 or by email to bidclerk@las-cruces.org

Pub # 13023 Dates 5/24, 2013 be held at 3365 McNutt Road Sunland Park Room 112 in Sunland Park, NM on Tuesday June 11, 2013 at 1:30 PM Proposal documents will b

available on Friday May 24, 2013 via the NMSU On Line Bidding System and on CD format from Williams Design Group 575-528-0022.

Vendors are encouraged to register with NMSU's Online Bidding System at https:// wave.net/Login.aspx nmsu io Pub # 13022

Dates 5/24, 2013

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY BOND FLECTION

PROCLAMATION AND GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND SPECIAL ELECTION RESOLUTIONS RESOLUTION NO. 2013 - 43 (Animal Control Shelter)

RESOLUTION NO. 2013 - 41 (E-911 Emergency Dispatch Center) RESOLUTION NO. 2013 - 42 (Fairground Improvements)

NOTICE OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON JULY 30, 2013

> NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a special election (the "Election") to be held in Doña Ana County, New Mexico (the "County") on Tuesday, the 30th day of July, 2013, there will be presented for vote to the qualified registered electors of the County the following ques-tions:

tions: "Shall Doña Ana County issue up to \$800,000 of gen-eral obligation bonds payable from property taxes, to acquire, replace, construct, equip, fur-

nish and otherwise improve a facility(s) for the purpose of housing and caring for animals that are the subject of pending prosecutions involving animal cruelty?"

"Shall Doña Ana County issue up to \$6,000,000 of general obligation bonds payable from property taxes, to acquire, construct, equip, furnish and otherwise improve an E-911 emergency dispatch center?"

"Shall Doña Ana County issue up to \$1,000,000 of general obligation bonds payable from property taxes, to erect, remod-el, make additions to and otherwise improve the Southern New Mexico Fairgrounds?"

The general obligation bonds shall have a net effective interest rate of not more than ten percent (10%) a year, unless the State Board of Finance at any time prior to delivery of the bonds approves a higher net effective interest rate in writ ing, and the general obligation bonds shall mature not more

than twenty (20) years from their date A person is a qualified elector of the County if on the day of the special election he or she is a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age, and a resident of the County. In order to vote, qualified elec-tors of the County must have previously registered with the Doña Ana County Clerk or

any other voter registration agent in accordance with the

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law. As required by law, the date and time of closing reg-istration shall be at 5:00 p.m. on July 2, 2013, that being the twenty-eighth day immediately preceding the day of the special election. Any qualified elector of the County who is not reg-istered and who wishes to vote at the special election may reg-ister at the Doña Ana County Clerk's office. Las Cruces. New Mexico or at a designated agen-cy as provided in NMSA 1978 § 1-4-1 et seq. during regular office hours prior to 5:00 p.m. on July 2, 2013.

Pursuant to the Absent Voter Act, NMSA 1978 §§ 1-6-1 through 1-6-16.2, qualified electors may also vote early at the following locations:

Doña Ana County Clerk Office, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007

Sonoma Elementary School, 4201 Northrise Dr., Las Cruces, NM 88012

Hatch Community Center 400 Highway 187, Hatch, NM 87937

Anthony Elementary School, 600 N. Fourth St., Anthony, NM 88021

Gadsden School Administration Bldg., 4950 McNutt, Sunland Park, NM 88063

Betty McKnight Multi-Purpose

Center, 190 S. County Line Dr., Chaparral, NM 88021 Early Voting Hours are as fol-

• County Clerk's office --Beginning July 2, 2013, the 28th day prior to Election Day, on regular days of business from 8am to 5pm, and end-ing July 27, 2013, the Saturday mean to Election Day. form or to Election Day, from 10am to 6pm.

Alternate voting locations Alternate voting locations will open starting July 13, 2013, the third Saturday prior to Election Day and ending July 27, 2013, the Saturday prior to election day. These locations will be open each day except Sundays and Mondays. The hours of operation are Tuesday through Friday 12pm to 8pm and Saturdays from 10am to 6pm.

Early voting shall be by paper ballot pursuant to NMSA 1978, \$1-6-9.

The polls for the special election will be open between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election.

The election shall be held in every precinct in the County. The Voting Convenience Centers for the special election are as follows:

Location Address 1. Garfield Elementary School 8820 Highway 187, Garfield 2. Hatch High School 170 E. Herrera, Hatch 3. Rincon Fire Station 255 Harlan St., Rincon 4. Doña Ana Community Center 5745 Ledesma Dr., Doña Ana 5. Sunrise Elementary School

5300 Holman Rd., Las Cruces 6. Oñate High School 5700 Mesa Grande Dr., Las Cruces 7. Sonoma Elementary School 4201 Northrise Dr., Las Cruces 8. Organ Fire Station 5816 3rd St., Organ 9. Radium Springs Community School 280 Roadrunner Pkwy.,

School 2961 Roadrunner Pkwy., Las Cruces 12. Grace Covenant 3111 N. Main St., Las Cruces 13. Fairacres Elementary School 4501 W. Picacho, Las

Cruces 14. Mayfield High School 1955 N. Valley Dr., Las Cruces 15. East Picacho Elementary School 4450 N. Valley Dr., Las

Cruces 16 Jornada Elementary School 3400 Elks Dr., Las Cruces 17. Vista Middle School 4465 Elks Dr., Las Cruces 18. Sierra Middle School 1700 Spruce, Las Cruces 19. Lynn Middle School 950 S. Walnut St., Las Cruces 20. Las Cruces High School 1750 El Paseo Rd., Las Cruces 21. University Hills Elementar School 2005 S. Locust St., Las Cruces

22. Corbett Center NMSU 2nd Floor Art Gallery, Las Cruces 23. Good Samaritan Social Center 3011 Buena Vida Cir., Las Cruces 24. Mesilla Park Recreation

Center 304 W. Bell Ave., Las Cruces 25. Mesilla Elementary School

2363 Calle Del Sur, Mesilla 26. NM Farm and Ranch Museum 4100 Dripping Springs Rd., Las Cruces 27. Las Alturas Fire Station 4145 Cholla Dr., Las Cruces 28. Branigan Library 200 E. Picacho Ave., Las Cruces 29. DAC Government Center 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces 30. New Covenant Fellowship 20 Holy Cross Rd., Las Cruces 31. Del Cerro Com Center 180 La Fe Ave.,

Mesquite 32. North Valley Elementary School 300 Cascade Ave., San Miguel 33. Anthony Elementary 600 N

4th St., Anthony 34. Chaparral Middle School 290 Lisa Dr., Chaparral35. Gadsden High School 6301

Highway 28, Anthony 36. La Union Elementary School 875 Mercantile Ave. Anthony 37. Santa Teresa Middle School

4800 McNutt Rd., Sunland Park 38. Desert View Elementary School 1105 Valle Vista Dr., Sunland Park 39 Berino Elementary School

92 Shrode Rd., Berin

Pursuant to the Absent Voter Precinct Act, NMSA, § 1-6-19 et seq., there is hereby created an absent voter precinct for the County located in the office of the Clerk of Doña Ana County members of which shall be appointed by the County Clerk of Doña Ana County.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Board of County Commissioners of Doña Ana County, New Mexico, being the governing body of the County, has caused this notice to be published as required by law and dated this 21st day of May, 2013

PASSED AND APPROVED May 21, 2013.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Karen G. Perez Karen G. Perez, Chair, District 3 For / Against ATTEST

Center 12060 L.B. Lindbeck Lynn J. Ellins Rd., Las Cruces Lynn J. Ellins

10. Desert Hills Elementar County Clerk LA MESA DIRECTIVA Las Cruces 11. Camino Real Middle **DE COMISIONADOS** DEL CONDADO DEL

CONDADO DE DOÑA ANA PROCLAMACIÓN DE ELECCIÓN DE BONOS Y RESOLUCIONES DE ELECCIÓN

EXTRAORDINARIA DE BONOS DE OBLIGACIÓN GENERAL RESOLUCIÓN NO. 2013 - 43

(Refugio de control de ani-males)

RESOLUCIÓN NO. 2013 - 41 (Centro de llamadas de emergencia E-911)

RESOLUCIÓN NO. 2013 - 42 (Recinto Ferial del Sur de Nuevo México (Southern New Mexico Fairgrounds)

QUE SE LLEVARÁ A CABO

POR MEDIO DE LA PRESENTE, SE NOTIFICA

que en la elección extraordi-naria (la "Elección") que ten-drá lugar en el Condado de Doña Ana, Nuevo México (el "Condado") el día martes, 30

de julio, 2013, se les someterán las siguientes cuestiones para su votación a los electores cali-

ficados inscritos del Condado:

"Deberá emitir el Condado de Doña Ana hasta \$800,000 de

bonos de obligación general,

pagados de impuestos sobre bienes, para adquirir, rempla

zar, construir, equipar, amueb-

lar y de cualquier otra manera

mejorar una(s) instalación(es) para alojar y cuidar los ani-males que son sujetos a cau-

sas judiciales pendientes que

se tratan de maltrato de ani-

"Deberá emitir el Condado

de Doña Ana una cantidad hasta \$6,000,000 de bonos de obligación general pagados de impuestos sobre bienes, para

conseguir, construir, equipar, amueblar y de cualquier otra manera mejorar un centro de llamadas de emergencia

"Deberá emitir el Condado de Doña Ana hasta \$1,000,000 de

bonos de obligación general,

pagados de impuestos sobre bienes, para erigir, remodelar, hacer adiciones a, y de cual-

quier otra manera mejorar El

Recinto Ferial del Sur de Nuevo

México (Southern New Mexico Fairgrounds)?"

Los bonos de obligación gen-

eral tendrán la tasa de interés impositiva efectiva neta de no más de diez por ciento (10%)

anual, al menos que la Mesa Directiva Estatal de Finanzas

en cualquier momento antes de la entrega de los bonos apruebe

por escrito una tasa de interés

alta, y los bonos de obligación general durarán no más de 20

Una persona es un elector calificado del condado si en el

día de la elección extraordi-

naria él o ella es ciudadano/a

de los Estados Unidos, tiene por lo menos 18 años de edad, y es residente del Condado.

Para poder votar, los electo-res calificados del Condado tendrían que haberse inscrito

anteriormente con el Escribano

del Condado de Doña Ana o

con cualquier otro agente de

años a partir de la fecha.

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males?"

E-911?

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EL 30 DE JULIO, 2013

NOTIFICACION DE ELECCIÓN EXTRAORDINARIA DEL CONDADO DE DOÑA ANA Friday, May 24, 2013

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inscripción de votantes de acu-erdo con la ley. Como requiere la ley, la fecha y la hora del cierre de la inscripción será a las 5:00 p.m. del 2 de julio, 2013, siendo esto veinte y ocho días inmediatamente precedentes al día de la elección extraor dinaria. Cualquier elector del Condado que no esté inscrito y que desee votar en la elección extraordinaria podrá inscri-birse en la oficina del Escribano del Condado de Doña Ana, Las Cruces, Nuevo México, o en una agencia designada como provee las Leyes Glosadas de Nuevo México, 1978 § 1-4-1 et seq., durante las horas hábiles habituales antes de las 5:00 p.m. el 2 de julio, 2013.

De acuerdo con la Ley de Votación en Ausencia, de las Leves Glosadas de Nuevo México, 1978 §§ 1-6-1 hasta -6-16.2, los electores cali ficados también podrán votar anticipadamente en los siguientes lugares:

Oficina del Escribano del Condado de Doña Ana, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM

Escuela primaria Sonoma 4201 Northrise Dr., Las Cruces , NM 88012

Centro Comunitario Hatch 400 Highway 187, Hatch, NM 87937

Escuela primaria Anthony, 600 N. Fourth St., Anthony, NM 88021

Edificio de la Administración de las Escuelas de Gadsden, 4950 McNutt, Sunland Park, NM 88063

Centro de usos múltiples Betty McKnight, 190 S. County Line Dr., Chaparral, NM 88021

El horario para el voto anticipado es el siguiente:

• La oficina del Escribano del Condado--Comenzando el 2 de julio, 2013, 28 días antes del día de la elección, en días hábiles ordinarios desde las 8am hasta las 5pm, y terminando el 27 de julio, 2013, el sábado antes del Día de la Elección, desde las 10am hasta las 6pm.

· Lugares alternativos de votación –Los lugares alter-nativos de votación se abrirán comenzando el 13 de julio, 2013, el tercer sábado antes del día de Elección y terminará el 27 de julio, 2013, el sábado antes del día de la Elección. Estos lugares estarán abiertos cada día, menos los domingos y los lunes. El horario será de martes a viernes 12pm hasta 8pm y los sábados desde las 10am hasta las 6pm.

La Votación anticipada será por boleta de papel de acu-erdo con las Leyes Glosadas de Nuevo México 1978, §1-6-9.

Los lugares de votación para la elección extraordinaria estarán abiertos entre las 7:00 a.m. y las 7:00 p.m. el día de la elección

Se llevará a cabo la elección en cada recinto del Condado. Los Centros de Votación Convenientes para la elec-ción extraordinaria serán los siguientes

Lugar Dirección 1. Escuela primaria Garfield 8820 Highway 187, Garfield 2. Escuela superior Hatch 170 E. Herrera, Hatch 3. Estación de Bomberos de Rincón 255 Harlan St., Rincón 4. Centro comunitario de Doña Ana 5745 Ledesma Dr.,

Doña Ana 5. Escuela primaria Sunrise 5300 Holman Rd., Las Cruces 6. Escuela superior Oñate 5700 Mesa Grande Dr., Las Cruces 7. Escuela primaria Sonoma 4201 Northrise Dr., Las Cruces 8. Estación de Bomberos Organ 5816 3rd St., Organ 9. Centro comunitario Radium Springs 12060 L.B. Lindbeck Rd., Las Cruces 10. Escuela primaria Desert Hills 280 Roadrunner Pkwy.,

de mayo, 2013.

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ELECTION

RESOLUTION

Karen G. Perez

Karen G. Pérez,

Presidente, Distrito 3

Escribano del Condado

BOARD OF COUNTY

COMMISSIONERS OF

DOÑA ANA COUNTY

PROCLAMATION AND

RESOLUTION NO. 2013 - 44

ANA COUNTY SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that at a special election (the "Election") to be held in Doña

Ana County, New Mexico (the "County") on Tuesday, the 30th

day of July, 2013, there will be

presented for vote to the quali-fied registered electors of the

County the following question: "Shall Doña Ana County

impose a countywide emergen

cy communications and emer-gency medical and behavioral health services tax at the rate

of one-quarter (1/4) of one per-

cent (1%) of the gross receipts of a person engaged in business in Doña Ana County, includ-

ing the incorporated areas of

the County, for the purpose of funding operation of an emer-gency communications center that has been determined by

the Local Government Division

of the Department of Finance and Administration to be a consolidated public safety

answering point; or operation of emergency medical ser-vices provided by the County; or behavioral health services

The County shall dedicate the

revenue from the countywide

emergency communications

and emergency medical and behavioral health services tax only for operation of an emer-

gency communications center that has been determined by

within the County?"

SPECIAL ELECTION

NOTICE OF DOÑA

ON JULY 30, 2013

A favor/En contra

COMISIONADOS DEL

CONDADO DEL CONDADO DE DOÑA ANA, NUEVO

Las Cruces 11. Escuela secundaria Camino Real 2961 Roadrunner Pkwy., Las Cruces 12. Grace Covenant 3111 N.

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cy as provided in NMSA 1978 PASADA Y APROBADA el 21 § 1-4-1 et seq. during regular office hours prior to 5:00 p.m. MESA DIRECTIVA DE LOS on July 2, 2013.

> Pursuant to the Absent Voter Pursuant to the Absent voter Act, NMSA 1978 §§ 1-6-1 through 1-6-16.2, qualified electors may also vote early at the following locations:

Doña Ana County Clerk Office, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007

Sonoma Elementary School, 4201 Northrise Dr., Las Cruces, NM 88012

Community Center, Hatch 400 Highway 187, Hatch, NM 87937

Anthony Elementary School 600 N. Fourth St., Anthony, NM 88021

Gadsden School Administration Bldg., 4950 McNutt, Sunland Park, NM 88063

Betty McKnight Multi-Purpose Center, 190 S. County Line Dr., Chaparral, NM 88021

Early Voting Hours are as follows

• County Clerk's office --Beginning July 2, 2013, the 28th day prior to Election Day, on regular days of business from 8am to 5pm, and end-ing July 27, 2013, the Saturday prior to Election Day, from 10am to 6pm.

Alternate voting locations Alternate voting locations will open starting July 13, 2013, the third Saturday prior to Election Day and ending July 27, 2013, the Saturday prior to election day. These locations will be open each day except Sundays and Mondays. The hours of operation are Tuesday through Friday 12pm to 8pm and Saturdays from 10am to 6pm.

Early voting shall be by paper ballot pursuant to NMSA 1978, \$1-6-9

> The polls for the special election will be open between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election

The election shall be held in every precinct in the County. The Voting Convenience Centers for the special election are as follows:

Location Address

the Local Government Division of the Department of Finance 1. Garfield Elementary School 8820 Highway 187, Garfield and Administration to be a consolidated public safety answering point; or operation of emergency medical ser-vices provided by the county; 2. Hatch High School 170 E. Herrera, Hatch 3. Rincon Fire Station 255 Harlan St., Rincon 4. Doña Ana Community or behavioral health services within the County. A person is a qualified elector of the County if on the day of the special election he or Center 5745 Ledesma Dr., Doña Ana 5. Sunrise Elementary School 5300 Holman Rd., Las Cruces she is a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age, and a resident of the County. 6. Oñate High School 5700 Mesa Grande Dr., Las Cruces 7. Sonoma Elementary School 4201 Northrise Dr., Las Cruces In order to vote, qualified electors of the County must have 8. Organ Fire Station 5816 3rd previously registered with the Doña Ana County Clerk or St., Organ 9. Radium Springs Comm Center 12060 L.B. Lindbeck any other voter registration agent in accordance with the law. As required by law, the date and time of closing reg-Rd., Las Cruces 10. Desert Hills Elementary School 280 Roadrunner Pkwy. istration shall be at 5:00 p.m Las Cruces 11. Camino Real Middle on July 2, 2013, that being the twenty-eighth day immediately preceding the day of the special election. Any qualified elector of the County who is not reg-School 2961 Roadrunner Pkwy., Las Cruces 12. Grace Covenant 3111 N. Main St., Las Cruces 13. Fairacres Elementary School 4501 W. Picacho, Las istered and who wishes to vote at the special election may reg-ister at the Doña Ana County Cruces 14. Mayfield High School 1955 Clerk's office, Las Cruces, New Mexico or at a designated agen N. Valley Dr., Las Cruces

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Pursuant to the Absent Voter Precinct Act, NMSA, § 1-6-19 et seq., there is hereby created an absent voter precinct for the County located in the office of the Clerk of Doña Ana County, members of which shall be appointed by the County Clerk of Doña Ana County.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Board of County Commissioners of Doña Ana County, New Mexico, being the governing body of the County, has caused this notice to be published as required by law and dated this 21st day of May, 2013

PASSED AND APPROVED May 21, 2013. BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF

DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO Karen G. Perez

Karen G. Perez. Chair, District 3 For / Against ATTEST: Lynn J. Ellins Lynn J. Ellins

County Clerk MESA DIRECTIVA DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DEL CONDADO DE DOÑA ANA

PROCLAMACIÓN DE ELECCIÓN Y RESOLUCIÓN DE ELECCIÓN EXTRAORDINARIA

NOTIFICACIÓN DE ELECCIÓN EXTRAORDINARIA DEL CONDADO DE DOÑA ANA QUE SE LLEVARÁ A CABO EL 30 DE JULIO, 2013 POR MEDIO DE LA PRESENTE, SE NOTIFICA

RESOLUCIÓN NO. 2013 - 44

que en la elección extraordi-naria (la "Elección") que ten-drá lugar en el Condado de Doña Ana, Nuevo México (el "Condado") el día martes del 30 de julio, 2013, se les som-eterá la siguiente cuestión a electores calificados inscritos 88021 del Condado para su votación:

¿Deberá imponer el Condado de Doña Ana un impuesto por todo el condado para comuni-caciones de emergencia y servicios de emergencia médica y de terapia comportamental una tasación de un cuarto (1/4) de uno por ciento (1%) de los ingresos brutos de las personas que operan negocios en el Condado de Doña Ana, incluyendo las áreas incorpora-das del Condado, con el fin de financiar las operaciones de un centro de comunicaciones de emergencia que sea determina-do por la División del Gobierno Local del Departamento de Administración y Finanzas como un centro de recepción de llamadas de emergencia consolidado; u operación de servicios médicos de emer-gencia proporcionados por el Condado; o servicios de terapia de comportamental dentro del Condado? "

El Condado otorgará los ingresos del impuesto del con-dado para comunicaciones de emergencia y servicios de emergencia médica y de terapia comportamental sólo para la operación de un centro de comunicaciones de emergen-cia que haya sido determinado por la División del Gobierno Local del Departamento de Administración y Finanzas como un centro de recepción de llamadas de emergencia consolidado; u operación de servicios médicos proporciona-dos por el condado; o servicios de terapia comportamental dentro del Condado.

Una persona es un elector calificado del condado si en el día de la elección extraordinaria él o ella es ciudadano/a de los Estados Unidos, tiene por lo menos 18 años de edad, es residente del Condado. Para poder votar, los electo-res calificados del Condado tendrían que haberse inscrito anteriormente con el Escribano del Condado de Doña Ana o con cualquier otro agente de inscripción de votantes de acuerdo con la lev. Como requiere la ley, la fecha y la hora del cierre de la inscripción será a las 5:00 p.m. del 2 de julio 2013, siendo esto veinte v ocho días inmediatamente preceden-tes al día de la elección extraordinaria. Cualquier elector del Condado que no esté inscrito y que desee votar en la elección extraordinaria podrá inscribirse en la oficina del Escribano del Condado de Doña Ana, Las Cruces, Nuevo México, o en una agencia designada como provee las Leyes Glosadas de Nuevo México, 1978 § 1-4-1 et seq., durante las horas hábiles habituales antes de las 5:00 p.m. el 2 de julio, 2013.

De acuerdo con la Ley de Votación en Ausencia, de las Leyes Glosadas de Nuevo México, 1978 §§ 1-6-1 hasta 1-6-16.2, los electores cali-ficados también podrán votar

anticipadamente en los siguientes lugares:

Oficina del Escribano del Condado de Doña Ana, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007

Escuela primaria Sonoma 4201 Northrise Dr., Las Cruces , NM 88012

Centro Comunitario Hatch 400 Highway 187, Hatch, NM 87937

Escuela primaria Anthony, 600 Fourth St., Anthony, NM Edificio de la Administración de las Escuelas de Gadsden,

4950 McNutt, Sunland Park, NM 88063 Centro de usos múltiples Betty

McKnight, 190 S. County Line Dr., Chaparral, NM 88021 El horario para el voto antici-

pado es el siguiente:

• La oficina del Escribano del Condado--Comenzando el 2 de julio, 2013, 28 días antes del día de la elección, en días hábiles ordinarios desde las 8am hasta las 5pm, y terminando el 27 de julio, 2013, el sábado antes del Día de la Elección, desde las 10am hasta las 6pm.

 Lugares alternativos de votación –Los lugares alter-nativos de votación se abrirán comenzando el 13 de julio, 2013, el tercer sábado antes del día de Elección y terminará el 27 de julio, 2013, el sábado antes del día de la Elección. Estos lugares estarán abiertos cada día, menos los domingos y los lunes. El horario será de martes a viernes 12pm hasta 8pm v los sábados desde las 10am hasta las 6pm.

La Votación Anticipada será por boleta de papel de acu-erdo con las Leyes Glosadas de Nuevo México 1978, §1-6-9.

Los lugares de votación para la elección extraordinaria estarán abiertos entre las 7:00 a.m. y las 7:00 p.m. el día de la elección.

Se llevará a cabo la elección en cada recinto del Condado. Los Centros de Votación Convenientes para la elección extraordinaria serán los siguientes:

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PASADA Y APROBADA el 21 de mavo, 2013.

MESA DIRECTIVA DE LOS COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DEL CONDADO DE DOÑA ANA, NUEVO MÉXICO

Karen G. Perez Karen G. Pérez. Presidente, Distrito 3 A favor/En contra

DOY FE: Lynn J. Ellins Lynn J. Ellins Escribano del Condado

Pub # 13024 Dates 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 2013

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Former NM chief justice honored

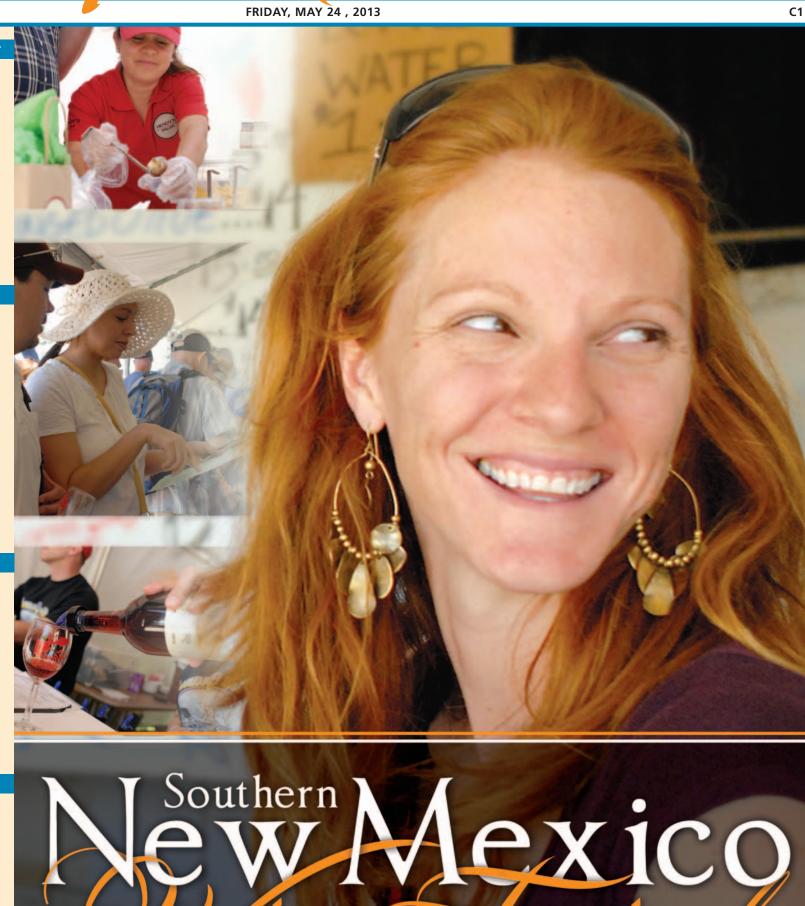
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NEXT WEEK

Denim & Dollars

Put on your cowboy boots for the Las Cruces Association of Realtors fundraiser Wednesday, June 5.



The three-day celebration takes place Memorial Day weekend, May 25-27

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Friday, May 24, 2013

Arts Entertainment

Mimosa and meriot make this Memorial Day weekend di-vine

Southern New Mexico Wine Festival celebrates 21 years By Zak Hansen Twenty-two wineries from New Mexico will have tasting

Las Cruces Bulletin

Memorial Day is once again upon us, and in the Mesilla Valley this much-loved but wholly unofficial start to summer vacation (or just summer, for those of us sadly out of academia) means one thing – the Southern New Mexico Fairgrounds will come alive with thousands of visitors from around the country sampling the best wines New Mexico has to offer during the Southern New Mexico Wine Festival.

Sponsored by the New Mexico Wine Growers Association, the Southern New Mexico Wine Festival celebrates its 21st year this Memorial Day weekend. The festival draws more than 14,000 armchair sommeliers each year, eager to spend the first weekend of summer tasting the wide variety of wines fermented right here in the Land of Enchantment.

Details

Southern New Mexico Wine Festival

When

Noon to 6 p.m. Saturday through Monday, May 25-27

Where

Southern New Mexico State Fairgrounds 12125 Robert Larson Blvd.

Cost

\$15, 21 and younger free

Website

www.snmwinefestival.com

Twenty-two wineries from New Mexico will have tasting tents set up to give eager wine-lovers a chance to taste their wares, including several familiar to the Las Cruces area, including Amaro Winery, St. Clair Winery, DH Lescombes, Luna Rossa and La Esperanza Vineyard, as well as some new additions to the lineup, such as Cottonwood Winery from Artesia, making its first festival appearance.

In addition to all the delicious, regionally produced vino, a plethora of food vendors will be on hand to provide patrons the sustenance needed to make it through a six-hour day of food, fun, sun and plenty of wine. Arts and crafts vendors will also set up booths and tents, giving customers a chance to leave with more than just a few bottles of their favorite New Mexico wines.

It's more than just food and drinks – lots of drinks – at the Southern New Mexico Wine Festival, though. There will be great, live entertainment taking the stage throughout the weekend, including performances by Fast Lane, Play Me, Matt Morgan, Chris Baker, Rein Garcia, Unlyshed, Guitar Slim and Austin, Texas' Lauren Ellis. For a complete lineup and schedule, visit www.snmwinefestival.com.

Returning this year to the festival after a brief but unfortunate hiatus is the Southern New Mexico University of Wine, which provides mentally thirsty festivalgoers with brief, informative and fun lectures and demonstrations dealing with all things wine. Classes including "Compare and Contrast N.M. Chardonnays," "Wines of the Bootheel," "Wine-ing Back on the Summer Porch" and "If Tannins Cure Leather, What are They Doing in My Wine?" will be taught by industry professionals throughout the weekend. A full schedule of classes can be found at the Southern New Mexico Wine Festival website.

Admission to the festival is \$15 for adults age 21 and older; those younger than 21 – poor souls – are free, but only admitted alongside a parent or legal guardian. Paid adult admission includes a souvenir wine glass, indispensable to the day's festivities.

In recognition of the brave men and women who serve in our country's military, there will be a \$3 discount on admission for all active duty military personnel Monday, May 27,



with valid military ID.

Tickets to the Southern New Mexico Wine Festival are available at the gate – but why wait? For advance tickets, visit www.snmwinefestival.com for links to purchase tickets prior to the event – especially for Sunday, which in previous years is the festival's busiest day.

Coolers and outside alcohol are strictly forbidden from the festival, but patrons are encouraged to bring their own (sealed) bottles of water or soda. I say from experience: You'll want to hydrate. Sunblock is also a must. Pets aren't allowed inside the festival grounds – not even your itty, bitty Chihuahua tucked safely in your purse – so leave the dogs, cats and pot-bellied pigs at home; they don't like wine, anyway. Last – but most certainly not least – designate a driver to get you and yours home safely after the festival. The sun, the heat and the wine can – and will – take their toll, and we all want to be around for the Harvest Wine Festival just around the corner, over Labor Day weekend.

See you there, New Mexico wine in hand.





Friday, May 24, 2013

Las Cruces Bulletin Featured artist: Mama Cass







Art therapy as a charity

Dixon shares survival story with the world

By Zak Hansen

"All art is a kind of confession, more or less oblique," wrote the American novelist James Baldwin. "All artists, if they are to survive, are forced, at last, to tell the whole story; to vomit the anguish up."

Ćassie Dixon - aka Mama Cass painter, illustrator, swimmer and survivor, is ready to tell her whole story, to confess her closest-kept secret to her friends, family and complete strangers alike.

For 11 years, beginning when she was just 14 years old, Dixon held on to a secret, a secret shared by one in four American women: she was a victim - more important, a survivor – of sexual assault.

On Saturday and Sunday, June 1-2, Dixon will join a number of artists, survivors, their friends and supporters to host "The Secret Show," an art show inspired by and dealing with surviving sexual as-sault, at Azure Cherry Gallery, 330 E. Lohman Ave.

Born and raised in Doña Ana, Dixon said that making art has been a part of her life since she was only a year old – possibly earlier.

"In school, I always took art," she said. "It's always been my focus. As a child, I remember being so inspired by the fact that, if I put my mind to it, I could recreate anything I saw."

That inspiration guided Dixon throughout her life, through her graduation from Mayfield High School and her time studying at the Savannah College of Art and Design in Georgia, where she received her bachelor's degree in illustration while attending classes on a full swimming scholarship.

After graduating from SCAD, Dixon spent the next years in Trenton, N.J., and Philadelphia, teaching swimming lessons, joining a graffiti crew and honing her skills as an artist.

Upon her return to the City of the Crosses, Dixon kept creating and, in time, took a job as an assistant swim coach at New Mexico State University, a job she has loved but that will come to a close in the coming months as she prepares to enter graduate school at NMSU.

Despite all her successes and triumphs, though, Dixon held tight to her secret.

Rage. Hatred. Disgust. Temptations. Extremes. These words defined those 11

years spent in silence. Turning inward, Dixon concentrated

her efforts and her art on her own healing, a way to exorcise her demons and, two years ago, began seriously looking into art therapy.

As to why she chose art as her therapeutic route, Dixon said she "is an artist, first and foremost. That's my natural way of being

"I didn't want to see a therapist – I'd tried to see one before," she said. "It was better for me to read books and write and learn, which developed into drawing, or at least advanced my drawing to another level.

"The writing and drawing helped me think about the way I was feeling, then to write about it, then to draw it and really show how I was feeling. When it was over, I could look at the drawing and feel better. I could learn from it why I was feeling that way, how to get out of it and how I got there in the first place."

Spilling her secret - and herself - onto the canvas and across the page would prove to be only the first critical step in her healing. Dixon would have to share her story with the world to continue her progress.

"For the past two years, I was feeling depressed, even suicidal, so I focused my art on healing myself and using it as a form of therapy," she said, adding that her work is, as she terms it, "survival art."

After more than a decade with her secret locked tightly away, Dixon knew it was the time to let it out - "to vomit up the anguish," as it were.

"I felt compelled to come forward and be public about my story because I had this other way to channel and direct the response into something positive," she said. "If I wasn't an artist - if I didn't have this way of dealing with it - then I don't know where my life would be."

Determined to share her story but still understandably wracked with indecision and, to some extent, fear, Dixon said the days leading up to her confession were "some of (her) most difficult."

"I felt like vomiting, honestly," she said. "I was nervous all the time, irritable, depressed and suicidal." Then, she did it – she told her story.

"The instant I put my mind to the fact that I was going to tell my story, my life started changing," she said. "I stopped feeling sick. It was relief, it was release and it was the most incredible response I could have imagined."

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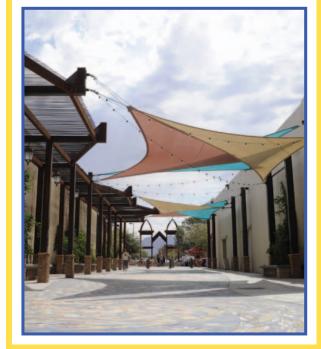
DOWNTOWN It's Really happening

UPCOMING EVENTS

FRI. MAY 24 10:30 A.M. Rhythm Roundup - Music & Movement ages 2-5 **Branigan Library** SAT. MAY 24 8:30 A.M. LC Farmers & Crafts Market Downtown Main St. 10:30 A.M. SAT. MAY 24 **Storytellers of Las Cruces COAS Bookstore** SUN. MAY 25 2 P.M. Fourth Sunday Movie – King of Devil's Island **Branigan Library MON. MAY 27 ALL DAY** Library Closed for MEMORIAL DAY **Branigan Library TUE. MAY 28** 9 A.M. LIBRARY RE-OPENS **Branigan** Library **TUE. MAY 28** 10:30 A.M. Read to Me - Storytime ages 3 & Up Branigan Library WED. MAY 29 8:30 A.M. LC Farmers & Crafts Market Downtown Main St. WED.+THU. MAY 29+30 10 A.M. Toddler Time! Stories for kids 1-3 **Branigan Library** 11 A.M.

WED, MAY 29 **Mother Goose Time**

Branigan Library





ONGOING EVENTS:

- Downtown Arts RAMBLE 1st Friday of the Month 5-7pm Camino del Arte - 2nd Saturday of the Month 11am-3pm
- Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market Wed. and Sat. Morn. SPONSORED BY:

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"The Cry"

Details

The Secret Show

When

5 p.m. Saturday, June 1 5 p.m. Sunday, June 2

Where

Azure Cherry Gallery, 330 E. Lohman Ave.

Website

www.art-therapy-as-a-charity. tumblr.com

www.cassie-dixon.com www.mamacass.carbonmade. com

Since making public her once closely guarded secret, Dixon has received an overwhelming amount of support from those around her and, in the process, has inspired a number of other survivors, their spouses, friends and family members to come forward, share their stories and experiences and express themselves in any way they can.

Years of healing, focus and an intense devotion to art as therapy, not to mention the countless hours spent painting and creating, all lead up to "The Secret Show," as well as the show's submission site, www.art-therapy-as-a-charity.tumblr. com, open to other artists' work and survivor stories.

Ultimately, Dixon said she hopes her own healing process - long, arduous and at times seemingly insurmountable - will continue to inspire others to speak up, speak out and heal themselves.

"I want others to let their inside out; want to shock them. I want to surprise them. I want to astound them, in a way, because I have literally astounded myself in this process, in learning about myself," she said.

"I want people to learn how to really go inside themselves. You have to go in. It's the hardest thing I've ever done – harder than any race, harder than any swim practice harder than anything. The most difficult part is being still, allowing yourself to just be as you are – to be in your negativity, to be in your depression – and then question it. You have to question everything.

"I want people to see that it's possible that you really can do anything.

The Hard Road Trio pulls out all the stops with Black Box performance

By **David Salcido** Las Cruces Bulletin

Let me start by saying that despite having very eclectic taste in music, over a wide spectrum of styles, I have never been a huge fan of Bluegrass music. I know, I know, it's traditional and pervasive and a lot of different musical styles borrow from it – I just can't listen to it for very long without wanting to stick a fork in my ears. Repeatedly.

I am, however, a huge fan of live music played in intimate settings by professionals who know how to work a crowd. I'll make all kinds of exceptions if the show is exciting, upbeat and engaging. That is exactly what one gets any time the Hard Road Trio is in town – and the very reason I'll take any opportunity to catch them.

Actually, any incarnation of Hard Road will do. The trio itself, made up of mandolin virtuoso Steve Smith, guitar-strumming chanteuse Christine Sanders and double-bass ace Anne Luna, is a magical combination. Adding more instruments – as they are wont to do when they play the Rio Grande Theatre for their annual KRWG fundraiser in July, for instance – is always a spectacular show.

Playing to a full house at the intimate Black Box Theatre Friday, May 17, the Hard Road Trio gave what I believe to be one of the best shows of its career. Of course, I can only speak from my own experiences with the band, but having seen them several times and in several locales, this particular show was definitely the standout.



What we saw Friday night was the stripped down Trio, and what an amazing show it was. Everything I love about live music was there: spontaneous interaction between band members and the audience, bad jokes, interesting asides, rambling back stories and more from a band that genuinely wanted to be there. Exactly the kind of extemporaneous enjoyment one can't get from YouTube or Vimeo.

The selections, too, were an interesting mix of traditional and contemporary styles, which kept the show on an even keel and banished any notion of tined cutlery from my head. In fact, at least one third of the 22 songs performed were brand new or, as Sanders put it, "still dripping ink." It is always a bonus when a band shares music that has yet to be recorded and even better when the audience is told it is the first time the tune has ever been heard in public.

Standouts of the evening included the instrumental interlude "Chance of a Fox," which had flashes of Irish jig intertwined with Americana stylings; the touching Robert Earl Keen ballad "Mariano;" the recently penned "Mighty Long Way" and "Round and Round," which each make beautiful use of all three vocalists' strengths. top form throughout. Three selections at the beginning of the second set showcased Luna's talents on the cello, which added even more depth to the overall performance. Sanders' guitar picking becomes more accomplished with each passing year, but it will always be the pure clarity of her vocals that signify her. And if I haven't said it before, Smith may have a voice that harkens back to the Smoky Mountains of old, but he can seriously rock the mandolin. He's like the Jimi Hendrix of mandolin players – minus the smashing and fire.

In fact, the performers themselves were in

I think what I love most about Hard Road, however, is the soaring harmonies. It's almost as though the three voices were made to intertwine musically. Because they know this is a strong suit, all three songwriters tend to include them in every song they write, constantly seeking new ways to match their vocal instruments with those they hold in their hands. It's the kind of admirable perspicacity that can repeatedly bring an audience to its feet.

Which is exactly what happened. Maybe it was because they were riding high from a successful tour that had finally brought them home, or because this show was the last stop before they played the New Mexico Music Awards in Santa Fe the following Sunday (an event for which they had been nominated in six different categories and won two, Best Packaging Design and Best Bluegrass Song), or because many of their personal friends and family members were in attendance. Maybe it was a combination of the above.

Whatever it was, the confluence was momentous and I, for one, was more than happy to be there. In fact, I can't think of any other place I would rather have been that night. If you ever find yourself with the opportunity to catch this band, do it (Rio Grande Theatre in July, anyone?). You will not be disappointed, no matter what your musical tastes may be.

In fact, I would recommend that even if Bluegrass isn't your cuppa ear juice, you leave the fork at home. You won't be needing it.



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Friday, May 24, 2013 Las Cruces Bulletin Cuttin' a rug at the LC Country Music Festival

Photos by Zak Hansen



Little Texas of Nashville took the stage Friday, May 17, headlining the opening night of the first-ever Las Cruces Country Music Festival, held Downtown.

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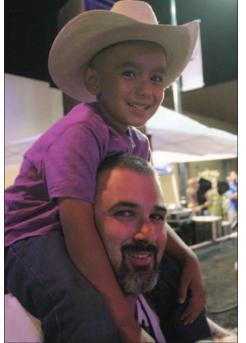


Nashville singersongwriter Greg Bates performed for an enthusiastic crowd as the sun set Friday.

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Craig Campbell gives the thumbsup to fans Saturday, May 18.



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Starving students saved

El Ahuua's opens near NMSU campus

By **Zak Hansen**

There's a new – and, for those of us who call the University Park area home, very welcome – face in the plaza situated on the corner of Espina Street and University Avenue, located directly across from the new Center for the Arts on the New Mexico State University campus.

Already housing staples of on-a-budget college life – among them smoothies, inexpensive Chinese food, a barber and a Kinko's – the business center now contains a necessity unknown outside of the desert Southwest: low-priced, classic Mexican food.

El Ahuua's Mexican Restaurant, which opened its doors mid-May, has that in spades. Inhabiting the space that was once Taste of India, El Ahuua's offers tasty, basic border cuisine at reasonable prices, certain to please the starving student returning to classes in the fall, as well as those stoic, determined scholars sacrificing their summer vacations to advance their education in – hiss! – summer school.

El Ahuua's menu offers everything a Las Crucen could come to expect from a Mexican restaurant – tacos, burritos, enchiladas and gorditas galore – all at prices even the pennypinchingest pupils can squeeze from their financial aid and/or proud parents for a quick, filling meal.

Service is quick – about 10 minutes from seating to eating – and the modest wait staff is chipper, helpful and – best of all – refrains from panting tableside, making sure everything is OK. Take note, Applebee's – some of us like to eat uninterrupted by "flair."

Par for the course, diners start with chips and salsa, but at El Ahuua's, there's no need to settle on just one style – crisp tortilla chips arrive at the table with not one, not two, but three wholly unique and delicious salsas, including one I (somehow) had never tried before, made with chile de árbol.

Entrées are preceded by a bowl of welcome soup – one of my favorite things – made with whole corn, squash, celery, carrots and rice and topped with a pile of fresh-cut cilantro and lime wedges, the perfect way to start a meal.

The lunch and dinner plates are huge and, for the amount of food, relatively inexpensive. A plate of sizzling-hot and well-seasoned carne asada tacos served with heaping helpings of rice, beans and Mexican salad runs about \$8.50, and there's more than enough to stretch the leftovers into another meal – or two, if you're really on a budget after buying all those

Details

El Ahuua's Mexican Restaurant

Address 1001 E. University Ave.

Hours 7:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Sunday

Phone 556-9484

El Ahuua's chicken taco plate



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Zak Hansen El Ahuua's Mexican Restaurant inhabits the former Taste of India building at 1001 E. University Ave.

"textbooks" and "school supplies."

It's not just lunch and dinner available at El Ahuua's, though. The restaurant is open at 7:30 a.m. seven days a week, perfect for those students and professionals who enter the waking world much earlier than the rest of us. Breakfast plates are large, well prepared and for just over \$5, won't break the bank. Breakfast burritos, machaca and, my favorite, huevos rancheros are just a few of the numerous options available to all you early risers.

> The dining room at El Ahuua's is wide open, spacious and sparsely decorated, but in my experience, the best kind of restaurants overcome their drab décor with great food, and El Ahuua's is no exception. While it may not exactly thrill the eyes, the rest of your senses will be plenty busy with the plate in front of you.

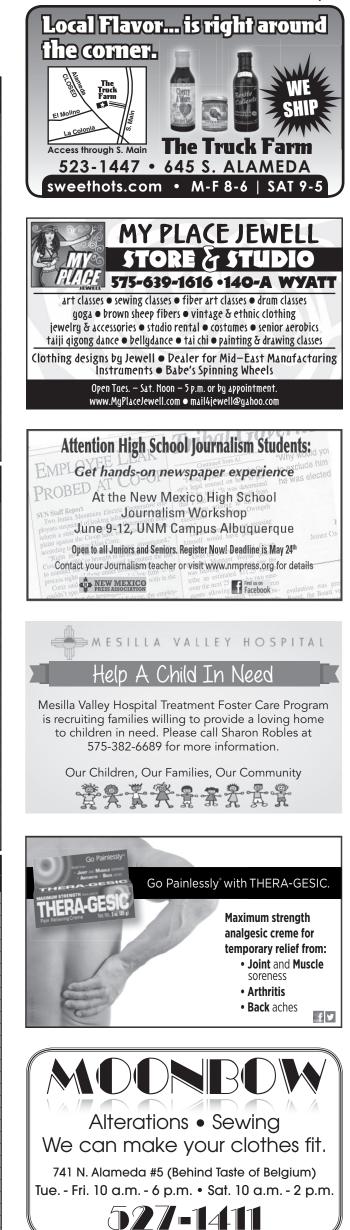
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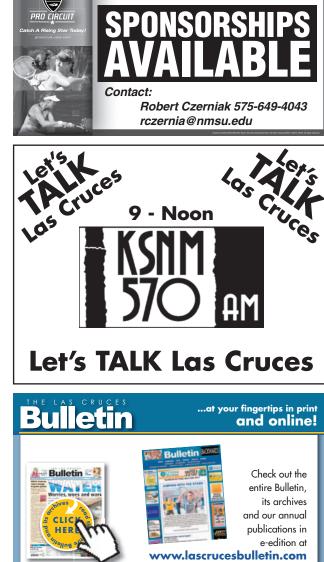
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Las Crucens win Music Awards

Two Las Cruces artists received honors at the 26th annual New Mexico Music Awards held Sunday, May 19, in Albuquerque.

Hard Road Trio – Steve Smith, Chris Sanders and Anne Luna – took home the award for best bluegrass/folk song for "Family Secrets" from the album "James McLaughlin & the Hard Road Trio," as well as the award for best packaging design for "Monticello."

One-man blues band CW Ayon also chalked up a win, receiving the award for best blues song for "End of My Rope."

NSTC offers acting workshops

"Introduction to Acting" and a "Shakespeare Performance Workshop" will be offered at the Black Box Annex, 717-A N. Mesquite St., in June by Algernon D'Ammassa, who is currently directing the No Strings Theatre Company's "Terra Nova."

The "Introduction to Acting" classes will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, June 11-27, with a showcase presentation at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 27. The "Shakespeare Performance Workshop" classes are from 1 to 5 p.m. Saturdays, June 1, 8 and 15, with a showcase presentation at 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 29.

The "Introduction to Acting" participant fee is \$80, and the "Shakespeare Performance Workshop" fee is \$100. For more information, contact D'Ammassa at 545-7613 or nogate@ gmail.com.

Doña Ana Arts Council offers Career Art Path programs

The Doña Ana Arts Council has created a summer program for teens who love to doodle, paint and draw. Career Art Path (CAP) is designed for students entering the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth grades, and will run from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Monday through Friday,

'Jersey Boys' provides the perfect escape and summer theater kick-off Jukebox musical follows the rise and fall of the Four Seasons

Preview by Gerald M. Kane

The ride from Las Cruces to Albuquerque is not a challenge. Many Las Crucens make the three and a half hour, 225-mile journey on a regular basis for sporting events, to visit family and to enjoy our state's largest city.

Popejoy Hall, on the campus of the University of New Mexico, has provided us with a marvelous opportunity to make the trip to Albuquerque – especially for theater lovers.

The "Popejoy Presents" series is closing out its 2012-13 season with a big bang by bringing one of the most exciting productions currently touring our country, "Jersey Boys."

This spectacular production, which I had the privilege of seeing while visiting family

June 10-14 and 17-21, at CrossRoads, 411 N. Armijo St.

At the core of the program are daily workshops in a variety of visual art forms including photography, ceramics, digital art, painting and drawing. Each day, students will meet guest speakers who are working artists from a variety of private, educational or nonprofit organizations. Field trips are planned to local artists' studios, galleries, museums and businesses for hands-on learning experiences. The program culminates with an art show featuring student work.

Tuition is \$100 per student for the twoweek program, and scholarships are available. A yearly donation from Marian Wolle and her husband, Jordan Wolle, sustain a CAP scholarship fund. The Arts Council donates financial support to any student who has an expressed interest in visual art but is unable to pay the full tuition.

For more information, contact the Doña Ana Arts Council at 523-6403 or events@ daarts.org.

in Phoenix a few years ago, has enthralled thousands of theatergoers and rock 'n' roll afficionados around the world since it opened at the August Wilson Theatre on Broadway November 6, 2005. It has played in every major city in our country and around the world as well. It is currently playing in New York, London, Las Vegas, Brisbane, Australia and in various cities on two national tours. It has never played anywhere near us. But the time is now!

"Jersey Boys" premiered in Albuquerque at Popejoy Hall on May 22 and will run through Sunday, June 2. There are matinee and evening performances, and limited tickets are still available. You may contact the box office at 505-925-5858 or order tickets online at www.unmtickets.com.

I will post a review of the opening night

Filmmakers wanted for 48-hour film slam

Ghostlight Events is calling all filmmakers to participate in the second 48-hour Film Slam.

Filmmakers will have 48-hours to write, produce and edit a short film for a total of \$1,000 in prize money. The festival is open to all experience levels, including novices.

The Ghostlight 48 Hour Film Slam begins at 6 p.m. Friday, June 14, at Kinley's House Coffee and Teas, 2231 N. Mesa St., in El Paso, where each team will receive official rules and instructions to ensure the films are entirely produced over weekend. Three judges from the film industry will judge each entry based on story, directing, acting and technical merit.

Film fans are invited to attend the Film Slam screening party from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday, June 30, at Tricky Falls, 209 S. El Paso St. Participants' films are eligible to be screened at the 2013 Plaza Classic Film Festival in August. All films will have a permanent place on Ghostlight's YouTube channel. performance on the Las Cruces Bulletin Facebook page when I return and run it in print on Friday, May 31. I personally know many in our

I personally know many in our community who are eager to see this show which is exciting, thrilling and masterfully directed by two-time Tony Award-winner Des McAnuff. "Jersey Boys" has won so many awards that space limits a full listing. For a sneak peek of the show, visit www.jerseyboystour.com/watch.

Gerald Kane has reviewed theater, music, opera, film and books for NPR stations and newspapers in New Orleans, Phoenix and Kansas City as well as for the Las Cruces Bulletin. A former member of the American Theatre Critics Association, he is the Rabbi Emeritus of Temple Beth-El in Las Cruces and teaches "Jews on Screen" at NMSU.

Proceeds from the Film Slam will support the Tapestries of Life charity, which is currently constructing a new orphanage on 27 acres of land in Guadalupe, Mexico. When completed, the Casa de Gemas (House of Gems) orphanage will house 400-plus children and will be the largest orphanage in Latin America. Participants are encouraged to register for the Film Slam as soon as possible.

Participants may register at www. ghostlightevents.com. Early registration fee is \$49 through Friday, June 7. After June 7, registration is \$79. For more information, call 500-1284, visit www.ghostlightevents.com or email filmslam@ghostlightcreative.com.

DEADLINE FOR ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Items for the Arts & Entertainment section are due the Friday before it will be published. Entries must include: name of event, time, date, location with address, a short description, cost and contact information. Entries and questions may be emailed to **arts@lascrucesbulletin.com**.

Sudoku

Complete the grids below so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively. It is a game of logic, not math, and there is only one solution per puzzle. Have fun and exercise the gray matter. Tips and computer program at www.sudoku.com

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EventsCalendar

FRI. 5/24

5 to 8 p.m. Open mic, NMSU Barnes & Noble, University Avenue and Jordan Road. Poetry readers and musicians alternate. Organized by David Rodriguez. Free. Call 646-4431.

7 p.m. Live music with the Just Friends Jazz Combo. Amaro Winery, 402 S. Melendres St. No cover. Call 527-5310.

SAT. 5/25

6:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Big Daddy's Flea Market, 5580 Bataan Memorial East. Indoor and outdoor vendors on 20 acres. A wide variety of items will be available. Call 382-9404.

9 a.m. to noon, Mountain View Market Coop Farm volunteer days, Mountain View Market Farm, 2653 Snow Road. Interested in organic farming and local food production? Want to find out more about vermiculture, composting, laying hens, season extension and crop planning in our region? Come and volunteer at the Mountain View Market farm in Mesilla. Free. Call 523-0436 for directions.

8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Las **Cruces Farmers & Crafts** Market, Downtown Main Street. Wide variety of arts and crafts, food, fresh produce, unique fine art. Free. Email fcmarket@las-cruces.org.

10:30 a.m. Storytellers of Las Cruces, COAS Bookstores, 1101 S. Solano Drive and 317 S. Main St. This week, Sarah "Juba" Addison and Sharlene Wittern will be the storytellers at the Downtown location and Sonya Weiner will be the storyteller at the Solano location. COAS will give coupons for free books to all children who attend. Free. Call 524-8471.

Noon to 6 p.m. 21st annual Southern New Mexico Wine Festival, Southern New Mexico State Fairgrounds, 12125 Robert Larson Blvd. The wine festival brings together wineries from around the state, food, arts and crafts vendors and live music in a relaxed setting. Cost \$15 age 21 and older; younger than 21 free, must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Call 523-1232 or visit www. snmwinefestival.com.

7:30 p.m. Movies in the Park, Young Park, 1905 E. Nevada Ave. This week's feature will be "Rise of the Guardians." Free. Call 541-2550.

SUN. 5/26 6:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Big Daddy's Flea Market, 5580 Bataan Memorial East. Indoor

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6 p.m. Music in the Park,

Young Park, 1905 E. Nevada Ave. Mayor's Jazz Festival, featuring the John Tank Group, the Billy Townes Group with Michael Herndon and the New Mexico State University Jazz Quartet. Free. Call 541-2200.

MON. 5/27

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TUE. 5/28

1 to 3:30 p.m. Beginning to Advanced Drawing and Painting, My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Open to students of all skill levels. Taught by art educator Wayne Carl Huber. Call 647-5684.

6:30 P.M. Every Other Tuesday, Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. Every Other Tuesday concert series presents the Las Cruces Clarinet Choir. The EOT series offers a free venue for local performers to showcase their talents and promote upcoming performances at other venues. Free. Call 523-6403.

WED. 5/29

8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Las



Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Gesture drawing and detail portraiture taught by art educator Wayne Carl Huber. Call 647-5684.

Cruces Farmers & Crafts

Market, Downtown Main

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View Market Farm, 2653

Snow Road. Interested in

THU. 5/30

1 to 3:30 p.m. Intermediate to Advanced Painting. My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Watercolor. acrvlic and water-soluble oil painting classes taught by art educator Wayne Carl Huber. Open enrollment starting any Thursday. Cost \$50 for four two and a half hour sessions. Call 647-5684.

7 p.m. Big Band Dance Club,

Court Youth Center, 402 W. Court Ave. The Big Band Dance Club invites you to join us to dance ballroom, country, swing and Latin styles. This week, music will be provided by Ron Theilman's High Society Orchestra. Spring prom is the theme this week, dress is formal/semi-formal. Dances are from 8 to 10 p.m. Cost \$7 members, \$9 nonmembers. Call 526-6504

FRI. 5/31

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8 p.m. "Terra Nova," Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main St. No Strings Theatre Company



Playbill

COMING SOON

Terra Nova Black Box Theatre 430 N. Main St. Call 523-1223 Tickets \$9-\$10 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday Opens Friday, May 31

The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas

Las Cruces Community Theatre 313 N. Main St. Call 523-1200 Tickets \$8-\$10 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday 2 p.m. Sunday Opens Friday, May 31

presents "Terra Nova" by Ted Tally, directed by Algernon D'Ammassa. This compelling and imaginative drama explores the character of Robert Falcon Scott in the final, fatal days of his 1911 expedition to the South Pole. Cost \$10 regular admission, \$9 students and seniors. Call 523-1223.

8 p.m. "The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas," Las Cruces Community Theatre, 313 N. Main St. This happy-go-lucky view of small-town vice and statewide political side-stepping recounts the good times and the demise of the Chicken Ranch, known since the 1850s as one of the better pleasure palaces in all of Texas. Cost \$10 adults, \$9 students, seniors and military and \$8 per person for groups of 10 or more. Call 523-1200.

SAT. 6/1

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8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts

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9 a.m. to noon, Mountain organic farming and local food

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. 2013 GLBTQ Pride festival, Pioneer Women's Park, 500 W. Las Cruces Ave. Festival will begin with a walking parade starting Downtown at 10 a.m., followed by a day-long celebration of dancing, music, a pet blessing and more. Free. Visit www.southernnmpride. com

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SUN. 6/2

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2 p.m. Bluegrass, country and folk music jam, Doña Ana Community College commons area, 3400 S. Espina St. All players are welcome. Free. Call 405-1290.

2:30 p.m. "The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas,

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AtTheMovies

A 'Trek' for the rest of us

'Into Darkness' boldly goes where, well, several have gone before

Review by **Zak Hansen** Las Cruces Bulletin

"Star Trek Into Darkness," the follow-up to "Lost" and "Super 8" mastermind J.J. Abrams' 2009 "Star Trek" series reboot, is a Star Trek movie for those of us who, like Abrams, never got into the camp classic.

"I remember appreciating it, but feeling like I didn't get it," Abrams said of the franchise in a 2009 interview with The Guardian.

"I felt it didn't give me a way in. There was a captain, there was this first officer, they were talking a lot about adventures and not having them as much as I would've liked."

For much of my life, I concurred. "Star Trek," to me, was too corny and dated, and its later iterations, especially the long-running television series "Star Trek: The Next Generation," always played to me as they did Abrams: a lot of talking about action, without any action – bureaucracy in space.

Abrams had before him a daunting task. Needless to say, "Star Trek" has always boasted – boasted? – of having the most devoted, nigh-obsessive fan base, and those Trekkies sure are hard to please. Change too little, you've rehashed what they already know and love more than your version; change too much, and you've "bastardized" the sacred text that is Gene Roddenberry's "Star Trek." Add to that the reimagining of one of the series' best-known bad guys, and you've got a recipe for some angry, angry Trekkies.

Abrams is no stranger to this kind of fan devotion. His award-winning, ratings-smashing "Lost" inspired legions of fans – many of my closest cohorts included – to spend hours poring over cryptic clues, viral ad campaigns and lengthy, speculative discussions on what, exactly, was happening on that damn island. When the series ended, I comforted more than a few friends distraught to – no joke – tears. As "Into Darkness" begins, the crew of the USS Enterprise, captained by the brash James Tiberius Kirk (Chris Pine) is on an observational mission to a planet in the Nibiru system, when he violates the Prime Directive to save the life of his ever-logical first officer Spock (Zachary Quinto). Stripped of his command, Kirk returns to Starfleet Command.

After a terrorist bombing of the secret Section 31 installation – defense and intelligence – perpetrated by former Starfleet agent John Harrison (Benedict Cumberbatch), the leaders of Starfleet call an emergency meeting. As they decide Harrison's fate, the man-of-thehour attacks HQ, killing several Starfleet commanders, including Kirk's mentor, Admiral Christopher Pike (Bruce Greenwood).

Pike's death means Kirk's reinstatement as Enterprise captain and, back in command, he sets off to the Klingon homeworld of Kronos in search of the fugitive.

After a brief and unpleasant encounter with the ridge-faced inhabitants of Kronos, Kirk and crew track down Harrison, who – spoiler alert – turns out to be none other than Khan Noonien Singh, one of the mostbeloved "Star Trek" villains of all time.

From there, it's explosions, lasers, warp drive and one-liners – where Abrams' film really shines.

The visuals are stunning, to say the least. Every explosion, every mid-air crash and laser blast absolutely shines onscreen.

"Star Trek Into Darkness" is at its best, though, when Abrams is content to let his cast – all of whom do a great job – trade jabs and jokes on the bridge and run through the card file of the series' most-quotables.

Karl Urban, who portrays Lt. Cmdr. Dr. Leonard "Bones" McCoy, chief medical officer, has a blast chewing through his character's best-loved lines with a loving, campy wink toward its forebears. Hearing him spit out the inevitable "Damn it, Jim, I'm a doctor, not a ..." is as much a treat for the Trekkies as it is for the uninitiated, and the assured scream of "Khan!" – likely the series' best known moment – is a scream.

Film Review

"Star Trek Into Darkness" is visually stunning, action packed and funny – just not as fresh as its predecessor.

The rest of the cast has just as much fun. Pine is well-suited to the role of the brashbut-brilliant Captain Kirk, and Quinto gives the half-human, half-Vulcan Spock something of a heart, as illogical as it may be. It's great fun to watch the always-logical Spock – the Felix Unger to Kirk's Oscar Madison, if I dare use the increasingly esoteric reference – get a chance to kick some butt.

Cumberbatch is fine in his role as the enemy, but many purists – as well as those in the Muslim and Sikh community – have taken issue with the "whitewashing" of the great villain Khan, traditionally a geneticallyengineered, superhuman Sikh from the Asian continent who spends hundreds of years in suspended animation.

STAR TREK

Rated: PG-13 Running Time: 132 minutes Starring: Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto Director: J.J. Abrams

Intentional or not, "Star Trek Into Darkness" is also a very contemporary film, reflecting a number of cultural concerns regarding terrorism at home and abroad. Harrison/ Khan, as a former member of Starfleet, and another high-ranking member of the organization – whom I won't identify in the name of surprise – look like us, talk like us and walk among us, but they are the enemy.

This thematically heavy material doesn't show up very often, though, and that's a good thing. "Star Trek Into Darkness" hits all the right notes of a good summer blockbuster, built on thrills, laughs and pure entertainment – even if it's boldly going where other films have gone before.

Truth in advertising at last!

Oscar finalist 'No' plays like a documentary

Review by Jeff Berg

Turbulent times in Chile in the 1980s: After long last, Chileans seem to have won

a voice in who leads their country. It comes down to a simple "yes" or "no," and each side – the "yes" people and the "no" people – more or less have equal time on television and through other forms of advertising to convince the populace that their answer is right. It is called a plebiscite, and I for one, would love to see that form of referendum used in these here parts concerning a number of issues. Watch out, Steve Pearce.

Chileans had been under the thumb of dictator General (why do dictators always insist on such an inbred military connection?) Augusto Pinochet since the early 1970s, and it is now 1988. Under Pinochet's rule, the upper class prospered, as his regime brought about considerable financial change to Chile, sometimes positive, but as usual, the poor suffered. Violence against alleged foes resulted in nearly 3,000 killings and many thousands of others being tortured and/or shipped out of the country.

Somewhat due to pressure by Pope John Paul II, Pinochet allowed for the formation of opposition parties again in 1987, which resulted in the plebiscite this film is based on.

In "No," Gael Garcia Bernal as Rene is sort of the "Mad Man" for "Team No." He is quiet, reserved, efficient and clever, while his advertising opponent is his own boss, Lucho. Lucho is older, more experienced and more conservative, and has personal concerns about the possibility of Pinochet getting the boot.

The competition is keen, as they used to tell me when I applied for promotions when I worked for the post office, but Rene's idea of turning the "no" campaign into a more lighthearted affair makes a huge difference. At once, it attracts people to the faltering "no" camp, while the "yes" men scratch their heads in amazement as they see people switch sides due to any number of lighter, more stylish and sometimes downright funny ads. "Joy is coming" becomes the "no" campaign slogan, of course a reference to what will happen when a democracy is reinstated after Pinochet is ousted.

To my surprise, there was very little in the way of cheating by either side, as only once (at least as shown) is there an attempt by "yes" to suggest that "no" is not honest. When "yes" sees that their old time strategy is failing, they start to change their campaign, offering a sunnier side of Pinochet, who is often on air listing his positive attributes and offering lies about the future.

An Oscar finalist, "No" is a superb film that often plays like a semi-documentary as any number of archival tapes and such are used from the real campaign. In fact, at times, I thought I was watching a documentary. Bernal maintains a steady but droll presence, and the film is not beefed up (thankfully) with a lot of scenes of atrocities that took place during Pinochet's horrible rule.

Most of you have an idea of what happened after this true story, but even if you do, it is more than fascinating to watch this kind of campaign work, much unlike the disgusting political campaigns in the U.S. Whoever thought out the ground rules for this effort is a genius.

Say "yes" to "No."

El Rancho No Dinero in Santa Fe ... jeffberg@ lascrucesbulletin.com



AtTheMovies

Picking the Flicks

based on a 5-point scale

Mud

Rated: R

Rated: PG-13 Plot Overview: A fugitive named Mud befriends two Arkansas teenagers, who help him reunite with his lost love and evade the authorities. Starring: Matthew McConaughey, Reese Witherspoon Director: Jeff Nichols

Identity Thief

and run amok on his tab.

Director: Seth Gordon

Melissa McCarthy

Starring: Jason Bateman,

Plot Overview: An accounts rep

travels across the country to confront

the woman who's stolen his identity



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The Great Gatsby Plot Overview: Would-be writer Nick Carraway is drawn into the captivating world of the mysterious millionaire Jay Gatsby. Starring: Leonardo DiCaprio, Director: Baz Luhrmann

Star Trek Into

Plot Overview: After an attack

on Starfleet, Captain Kirk leads a

of a one-man weapon of mass

manhunt into a warzone in pursuit

Starring: Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto

Plot Overview: The G.I. Joes contend

with Cobra, and with threat from

inside their own government.

Starring: Dwayne Johnson,

Escape from

Planet Earth

a hero to the blue populous.

The Hangover

Plot Overview: After the death of

Alan's father, the Wolfpack reunites

Starring: Bradley Cooper, Ed Helms

for one final night they'll never forget

Starring: Brendan Fraser,

Jessica Alba (voices)

Director: Cal Bunker

Part III

. or remember.

Director: Todd Phillips

Rated: R

Plot Overview: On the planet Baab,

famed astronaut Scorch Supernova is

Darkness

Director: J.J. Abrams

Retaliation

G.I. Joe:

Rated: PG-13

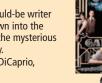
Channing Tatum

Rated: PG

Director: Jon M. Chu

Rated: PG-13

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PART III

New this week on DVD

Tuesday, May 28

Dark Skies

Rated: PG-13 Genre: Horror Starring: Keri Russell, Dakota Goyo Director: Scott Charles Stewart

Generation Um ...

Rated: R Genre: Drama Starring: Keanu Reeves, Adelaide Clemens Director: Mark L. Mann

Lore

Rated: N/R Genre: Drama Starring: Saskia Rosendahl, Kai Malina Director: Cate Shortland

The Numbers Station

Rated: R Genre: Suspense Starring: John Cusack, Malin Akerman Director: Kasper Barfoed

Top Grossing May 17-19

1	Star Trek Into Darkness (Week No. 1) \$70,165,559
-	Iron Man 3 (Week No. 3)

- \$35,770,094
- The Great Gatsby (Week No. 2)
- Pain & Gain (Week No. 4)
- \$3,237,689
- The Croods (Week No. 9) \$3.024.602
- 42 (Week No. 6) b \$2,812,115 Oblivion (Week No. 5) \$2.337.050 Mud (Week No. 4) \$2 229 546
- Tyler Perry Presents Peeples (Week No. 2) \$2,159,980
- The Big Wedding (Week No. 4) \$1.210.204



The Croods Rated: PG

Plot Overview: A prehistoric family sets out in search of a new home in a fantastical and volatile world. Starring: Nicolas Cage, Ryan Reynolds (voices)

Directors: Kirk DiMicco, Chris Sanders

Pain & Gain Rated: R

Plot Overview: Three Florida bodybuilders find themselves part of a kidnapping caper gone horribly wrong. Starring: Mark Wahlberg, Dwavne Johnson Director: Michael Bay

Iron Man 3 Rated: PG-13

Plot Overview: When Tony Stark/Iron Man's life is torn apart by an enemy known only as the Mandarin, he sets out on a campaign of retribution while trying to rebuild his world. Starring: Robert Downey Jr., Gwyneth Paltrow Director: Shane Black

Epic

Rated: PG Plot Overview: A teenage girl finds herself in a secret world locked in the struggle between good and evil, and sides with a group of whimsical characters to save the world. Starring: Amanda Seyfried, Colin Farrell (voices) Director: Chris Wedge

OPENS FRIDAY, MAY 24



Rated: PG-13 Plot Overview: A gang of professional criminals is offered a chance to clear their records by taking down a skilled mercenary organization. Starring: Vin Diesel, Dwayne Johnson Director: Justin Lin

Fast & Furious 6

OPENS FRIDAY, MAY 24

call 649-0636 or visit www.

ONGOING

LAS CRUCES PUBLIC

SCHOOLS ADMINISTRATION

BUILDING is holding the LCPS

The Las Cruces Public

Elementary Art exhibit.

Schools administration

building is located at 505

Centre, Suite 249. Lobby

hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information, call

THE POTTERIES OF

Exhibit and Sale, featuring

works from Andy Iventosh,

Jeanne Rundell and Bill and

The Potteries of Mesilla

is located at 2260 Calle de

Santiago. Gallery hours are

11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday

through Saturday and noon

to 5 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call 524-0538.

NEW MEXICO FARM

MUSEUM presents "Virginia

Marie Romero: Past, Present

the work of artist and poet

Virginia Romero showing the

stylistic evolution of an artist

The exhibit continues through

& RANCH HERITAGE

& Future," an exhibit of

Aug. 4. The museum also

presents "New Mexico's

Visible, Vital, Valuable,

an exhibit focusing on

African-American Legacy:

African-Americans and their

contributions to New Mexico

history. The exhibit continues

The New Mexico Farm

through Saturday and noon

to 5 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call 522-4100.

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Galleries&Openings

LAST CHANCE

EL PASO ELECTRIC **GALLERY** presents "Local Seeds," an exhibit of the work of members of the DANG Art Gang – Emma Henderson, Coy Lowther and Meg Freyermuth. The exhibit continues through Friday, May 31. El Paso Electric Gallery is

located in the lobby of the Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. For more information, call 523-6403.

NOPALITO'S GALERÍA

presents "Mi Cultura" ("My Culture"), an exhibition showcasing the culture and lifestyle of the El Paso custom car scene, featuring works by Adam Tellez, Larry Primera, Didi Vasquez, Jesus De La Cruz and Yvette Moran. The exhibit continues through Friday, May 31.

Nopalito's Galería is located at 326 S. Mesquite St. Gallery hours are 4 to 7 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. For more information, visit www.nopalitosgaleria.com.

ADOBE PATIO GALLERY presents "Out of the Box!," an exhibit of the mixed-media sculpture of Sam Peters, as part of the 2013 Pro-Artists . Series, through the month of Mav.

Adobe Patio Gallery is located at 1765 Avenida de Mercado. Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. For more information, call 640-8328

WEST END ART DEPOT presents "Made In...," an

exhibit of the jewelry and sculpture of Nadia Payne. The exhibit continues through the month of May.

West End Art Depot is located at 401 N. Mesilla St. Gallery hours are 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, noon to 3 p.m. Sunday or by appointment. For more information, call 312-9892.

LAS CRUCES MUSEUM

OF NATURE & SCIENCE presents "Me = My Environment," an exhibit of the wildlife and nature photography of Ron Saltzman. The exhibit continues through Saturday, June 8.

The Las Cruces Museum of Nature & Science is located at 411 N. Main St. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. For more information, call 522-3120.

BRANIGAN CULTURAL

CENTER presents "The Art of Community: Visual Sonnets," an exhibit of the digital drawings of Bruce Barton The exhibit continues through Saturday, June 1.

The cultural center also presents "A Round Dozen: 12 Years of Service to Artists in Southern New Mexico," a watercolor exhibit presented by the New Mexico Watercolor Society Southern Chapter. The exhibit continues through Saturday, May 25.

The Branigan Cultural Center is located at 501 N. Main St. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. For more information, call 541-2154.

MAIN STREET GALLERY presents "Slices of Life on Main Street," an exhibition of small works by members of the Artists Guild of Southern New Mexico. The exhibit continues through the end of

May. Main Street Gallery is located at 311 N. Main St. Gallerv hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Saturday. For more information, call 647-0508

MOUNTAIN GALLERY

presents new works by members of the Las Cruces Arts Association in all media. The exhibit continues through the end of May.

Mountain Gallery is located at 138 W. Mountain St. Gallery hours are noon to 4 p.m. Thursday through Saturday. For more information, call 652-3485.

M. PHILLIP'S GALLERY

presents the paintings of Julie Ford Oliver for the month of May. The exhibit continues through the end of May. M. Phillip's Gallery is

located at 221 N. Main St. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. For more information, call 525-1367.

QUILLIN STUDIO AND **GALLERY** presents the acrylic paintings of Patricia Burnett

for the month of May. The exhibit continues through the end of May. Quillin Studio and Gallery is located at 317 N. Main St.

Gallery hours are 8:30 a.m.



Border Artists Adobe Patio Gallery 1765 Avenida de Mercado Opens Saturday, June 1

Maria Angela Carbajal

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OPENING

TOMBAUGH GALLERY presents the stoneware and raku sculpture of Kate and Russell Mott. The exhibit opens with an artists' reception from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Friday, May 24 Tombaugh Gallery is

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REATA GALLERY presents display, and a reception will be held from 5 to 8 p.m Friday, May 31. The exhibit continues

DEADLINE FOR GALLERY LISTINGS

Items for the gallery listings are due the Friday before they will be published. Entries must include: name of event, time, date, location with address, a short description, cost and contact information. Entries and questions may be emailed to arts@lascrucesbulletin.com







211 N. Main St. **Opens Friday, June 7**

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a sample of Western artwork by numerous artists at Amaro Winery, 402 S. Melendres St. The exhibit is currently on through July 31.

at 1338 Picacho Hills Drive, Suite D. Open by appointment only. For more information,

Amaro Winery is located at 402 S. Melendres St. Hours are 1 to 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 1 to 6

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p.m. Sunday. Reata Gallery is located

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Las Cruces Bulletin photos by Jim Hilley The home at 4022 La Purisima Drive was built in 2006 and features a rotunda entrance.



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The backyard has been transformed into an outdoor oasis.



Tile floors fill the approximately 3,000-square-foot Sonoma Ranch residence.

<u>Couple came for the convenience</u>

Tuscan home offers comfortable living in a great location

By Beth Sitzler

Las Cruces Bulletin

Extending from Dripping Springs Road past U.S. Highway 70, Sonoma Ranch Boulevard covers a large portion east of town and offers a bevy of convenient housing options.

It was this convenient access to shopping, recreation including golf and hiking, restaurants, medical facilities and other modern-day amenities that attracted Kendall and Kim Wallin to the Sonoma Ranch area.

"We like the area," said Kendall Wallin, adding that they found just the home for them at 4022 La Purisima Drive. "What really attracted me most to the home was not having any neighbors behind us because it backs up to an arroyo. That and the view of the Organ Mountains."

The couple moved their family to the Tuscan-inspired home in 2006, a year after it was built.

"It has a unique floor plan with the enclosed courtyard in the front," Wallin said.

A large gate keeps the courtyard hidden. After turning the corner, the large rotunda that encases the front door draws the eyes up. A fountain and several potted plants add life and sound to the courtyard.

Inside the solid-wood front door, the rotunda encompasses the entrance. Reaching several feet high, this architectural element is well lit by several square windows lining the top of the circular feature. A shelf protrudes from the wall, offering a place to display collectibles.

The tile floor drops down and a hall leads guests to either side of the split floor plan home. A wall that features faux rock detailing separates the hall from the living room. A cutout in the wall perfectly frames windows peering out to the backyard.

To the right of the entrance are three of the home's bedrooms as well as a guest bathroom. One of the rooms features French doors to the front courtyard, making it an ideal location for an at-home office or at-home business, said Realtor Laura Szalay of Keller Williams Realty, who represents the home.

The other end of the home contains the utility room, oversized two-car garage, a powder bathroom and the master suite.

Tucked behind French doors, the master bedroom features an attached room that can be used for a reading or TV area or nursery. Tray ceilings cover both spaces.

The master bathroom features an abundance of light, thanks to a skylight. Separate sinks – which feature tile countertops, as do the rest of the bathrooms – surround a jetted bathtub placed in the corner. Beside one of the sinks is a shower. Glass blocks enclose the shower, which features extensive tile work and two showerheads, including a rain showerhead. A finished walk-in closet completes the area.

At the center of the home is the living room. The large room showcases the builder's attention to detail, including wood trim around the baseboards and copper elements around the fireplace and a shelf.

"The finish work of this home is very nice," Szalay said. "It's a very warm home," Wallin said. "It's very quiet inside."

A built-in entertainment center can be found beside the corner fireplace. Rather than being located along the bottom portion of the wall, the fireplace is located in the center of the wall.

Adjacent to the living room are the kitchen and dining area. Granite countertops fill the kitchen, as well as rich wood cabinets. More copper can be found along the hood of the oven.

A major renovation the couple did to the home wasn't of the interior, but rather the exterior. In 2009, they transformed their backyard – a simple peanut-shaped area of grass surrounded by rock landscaping and palm trees – into an outdoor oasis, complete with outside kitchen, covered patio, swimming pool and hot tub.

"Because the weather in Las Cruces is so nice – there are 350 days of sunshine a year – we wanted an outdoor living area," Wallin said. "We spend so much time out there. (My favorite feature is) the back patio this time of year. It gives us something to do in the summer."

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Details

Featured home 4022 La Purisima Drive

Square footage About 3,000

Acres Approximately .23

Bedrooms Four

Bathrooms Two and a half

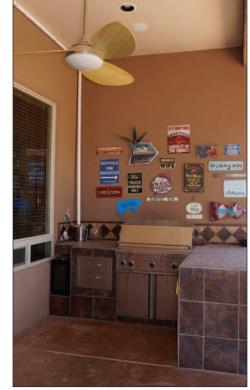
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The covered patio has a built-in kitchen.



Flagstone and palm trees complete the backyard.



Copper detailing accents the fireplace and was used throughout the home.



A cutout allows guests to peek into the living room from the entrance.

Granite countertops are located in the kitchen.



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Getting to Know: *Mike Rodriguez* **Connecting security and style** Welder crafts custom ironwork for homeowners

By Alta LeCompte

Mike Rodriguez of M-Rod Welding & Fabrication picked up a well-worn, folded sheet of legal paper from his workshop desk.

This is what I started with," he said, pointing to a 4-inch-square pencil sketch of what appeared to be a gate. A line that swirled across the top could have indicated embellishments to the frame - or it could have been vines growing across it.

Standing about five feet away, propped up in front of a collection of mountain bikes, were several of the finished pieces that revealed how the design evolved. Arrowhead finials, rather than draping vines, topped the pieces.

The pieces were, in fact, security guards for windows. Thanks to a computer aided design (CAD), course Rodriguez took in addition to the welding program at Doña Ana County Community College, he is able to turn customers' dreams and drawings into reality.

"They usually bring me some kind of a sketch," he said of the homeowners who want custom-welded work for their homes.

Most projects are ornamental iron gates, security doors and window guards.

"I don't like to recreate the same designs over and over," he said. "I do a lot of custom - I don't want everybody's to look the same."

Rodriguez said the Alamogordo homeowner whose window guards he was crafting heard of his work and sought him out. Most customers come to him that way nowadays.

Designing a new career

When he first started, Rodriguez used his design skills to create a simple flier and went door-to-door in his neighborhood.

"That night I had my first call – to make an ornamental gate," he said.

The welding business was not Rodriguez's first career.

He was a butcher for 10 years after moving to Las Cruces in 1994. A hand injury gave him a "wake up call." He was tired of the sameness of the job, and started working construction.

He had been working for his stepdad who owned a business in Alamogordo, Jesse James Construction.

"We were building hunting lodges in Cloudcroft, airplane hangars – you name it, we were building it," he said.

One day he was out of favor with his stepdad, who asked him to do a weld as a kind of "punishment," Rodriguez said.

'We had a side job for an auto mechanic," he said. "The mechanic needed a sign and he and another guy were trying to weld it, cussing up a storm.

"I'd never seen welding done before.

"As soon as I struck an arc, I was hooked," Rodriguez said. " I welded the sign right away, without a single cuss word."

When recession hit the construction business, in 2007 Rodriguez entered a three-year program at DACC that provided him with two and a half years of welding classes.

Pursuit of his dream required a serious commitment.

"It was outrageous," he said. "I lived here



but not much.

build them a fence."

the outdoors than that.

year-round.

"When you get too big the quality of your

work and your customer service sometimes starts to go south," he said. "The thing that

drives me is just taking care of people - keep-

ing kids safe and dogs in their yard when I

business is that he can work in an unconfined

environment with the garage door wide open

claustrophobic, but there's more to his love of

One of the most appealing aspects of his

He describes himself as being somewhat

Rodriguez welds a piece of mild steel for a window security grille.

and would drive there (to Alamogordo) every day to work. I'd study all night"

The time at DACC earned him 16 certifications. "I'm even certified to weld nuclear power

plants," he said with a smile. He still goes back to visit the "great instruc-

tors," especially head welding instructor David Twitty.

Crafting a business

Rodriguez continues to work solo, because he doesn't need full-time assistance and qualified part time helpers are hard

to find, he said. "I find ways to do every-thing myself," he said. "I make things that hold big (pieces of material). I find more satisfaction working like that. I can stand back and say, 'I built that.' I dream about things and then I come in here and make

them. Although he welds other metals, most of his work is with mild steel, which he purchases in 20-foot lengths then cuts and manipulates.

Mild steel can be formed like clay when it reaches a temperature of 300 to 400 degrees, he said.

Rodriguez guarantees his welds for life.

He does all his own installing, and also repairs installations done by less dedicated welders.

"I come along a year later and make it stronger," he said.

Some of his most important projects are those he does at no cost.

"I will repair any piece of children's play equipment or any toy free of charge," Rodriguez said.

Out in the open

He described his business as "still young," and said he would like to grow it a little bigger, Homes & Southwest Living | C17

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Mike Rodriguez started M-Rod Welding & Fabrication doing an ornamental gate for a neighbor, and ornamental work continues to be his mainstay.

He hikes, mountain bikes and rides motorcycles around town and up into the mountains.

At some point in his career he said he would like to take specialized training in motorcycle mechanics so he can build and repair motorcycles.

Meanwhile, there's lots more call for ornamental work, Rodriguez said.



The thing that drives me is just taking care of people - keeping kids safe and dogs in their yard. 🗨

> MIKE RODRIGUEZ, M-Rod Welding & Fabrication

Maintaining your yard during drought

Ways to save water, money this summer

With many states facing drought this summer, homeowners across the country will look for ways to save their landscaping while conserving water at the same time.

Fortunately, maximizing the efficiency of your watering efforts and taking steps to con-

serve water outdoors can help trim your water bill this summer, even if you live in a severe drought area, such as in the Western regions of the country. Here are simple ways to conserve water, save money and preserve your garden, lawn and landscaping this season:

Efficient, effective irrigation

Traditional watering methods for lawns, gardens and flower beds waste a lot of water through run-off, over-saturation and evaporation.

Rather than spraying water over plants, use a method that delivers the right amount of water where it will do the most good – the roots of plants.

Drip irrigation systems can help you water more effectively. These systems deliver water as close as possible to plant roots, allowing you to achieve better results with less water used. You'll also lose less water to run-off and evaporation. Place the system on a timer, and you can also ensure you're watering at optimum times of the day to reduce evaporation and waste. A starter kit with 50 linear feet of tubing – ample enough to handle most gardens and planting beds – costs less than \$1 per foot.

Water lawns, gardens and flower beds either early in the morning or as evening ap-

Using (rain) barrel water is a great option for watering container gardens or even indoor plants.

proaches to ensure you don't lose moisture to the hot sun. If a day is windy, hold off watering lawns altogether as the breeze could leave you watering the sidewalk or driveway, rather than your grass.

Reuse, recycle and preserve

Even during a drought, some rain and condensation will occur. Take steps to capture natural moisture. A rain barrel situated beneath a downspout ensures you can catch run-off from your home's roof. Using barrel water is a great option for watering container gardens or even indoor plants.

You can also use household water, such as water left over from boiling vegetables or pasta, to water potted plants. Just be sure to let the water cool com-

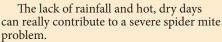
pletely before using it.

You can help plants retain more moisture by placing organic mulch around the roots. The mulch will also help keep down weeds that would compete with plants for much-needed moisture. Depending on where you live and the type of mulch you choose, you can buy a bag of mulch for just a few dollars.

Finally, adjusting the type and location of plants is a great way to grow a drought-resistant garden or landscaping bed. Check with your local agricultural extension or search online for naturally drought-resistant species that do well in your area. By planting these hardier varieties, you can help keep your environment green and growing through a long, dry summer – and avoid the money drain of high water bills.

Dealing with mite fever Get rid of your plant's dusty appearance

Gary Guzman Gardening Guru



This can be seen all over the Las Cruces and El Paso region. Just look up at Italian Cypress, various junipers and an array of other plants and trees around the area and you will notice a "dusty" appearance. This is caused by floating dust particles trapped by the minute webbing the spider mites produce.

The easiest way to check for mites is to take a small branch, quickly tap it against a piece of white paper, and look at the small speckles of "dust." If they move, then more than likely you have spider mites.

These critters breed at such a phenomenal rate that they can seem to appear almost overnight. They will suck out the dry climate, and little or no rainfall provides an ideal situation for these creepy crawlers to proliferate. Yes, the rain can actually help keep these pests in check, but of course, no rain. Left unchecked, they will damage larger trees and even kill smaller ones.

The first line of defense is the easiest and most economical. A good strong stream of water will help knock the mites out of the branches. They will fall to the ground and starve. This is a great method to use as a preventative measure, or if the infestation is minimal.

Lady bugs are somewhat useful if you prefer a non-chemical method, but this should be done after the "water" treatment listed above.

There are some organic control products containing herb oils such as rosemary, sesame, peppermint, thyme and cinnamon,



Lady bugs can be used as a nonchemical method to rid your plants from spider mites.

usually all in the same product. Other chemical controls that are listed for mites will contain pyrethrins, clove and garlic oil, Bifenthrin, Tau-Fluvainate and Tebuconazole. Name-brand products to look for are from Fertilome, Monerey and Bonide.

If you can prevent or at least notice mite damage before it becomes a big problem, you should be able to stay away from the harsh chemicals that may be needed in the future. Even your trees and shrubs will benefit from a shower.

If you do resort to the chemical solution be sure that the label list your plant and the words "mites" or "spider mites." As always, read and follow the directions listed on each and every product.

Gary Guzman, owner of Guzman's Color Your World Gardening Centers, can be reached at gary@lascrucesbulletin.com.

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Perfecting your potato salad

Memorial Day staple can have a bit of bite to it

Sunny Conley *Chile Knights*



What's a Memorial Day picnic without potato salad? Whether you're grilling chicken, pork, burgers, steak or dogs, tater salad is key to rounding out the holiday meal.

If you're hosting a celebration, consider asking guests to bring a favorite hot and spicy potato salad to share, along with copies of the recipes. Perhaps one of the following delicious concoctions will inspire.

Potato salad spiked with chipotle hot pepper sauce adds a tasty, smoky flavor. Cayenne powder paired with potatoes sizzles with spicy goodness, while fresh serrano and jalapeño peppers deliver a pleasant capsaicin burn.

Memorial Day is unofficially considered the beginning of the good old summertime. Make it tasty. Make it hot. Make it memorable. Have fun. Be safe. Enjoy!

Chipotle Potato Salad

5 red potatoes, peeled and cut into 1/2-inch cubes 3/4 cup egg substitute, hardcooked and chopped 2 scallions, chopped

- 1/2 cup red bell pepper, chopped 2 mushroom caps, chopped
- 1 tablespoon German mustard
- 1/2 cup low-fat mayonnaise
- 1/4 teaspoon crushed celery seeds
- 1/4 teaspoon chili powder 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon white pepper
- 1/4 cup fresh parsley or cilantro
- (preferably the latter), chopped Dash of Tabasco Chipotle Pepper
- Sauce, or favorite hot sauce

In a Dutch oven, add potatoes and enough water to cover. Bring to a boil and cook until the potatoes can be easily pierced with a toothpick. Drain the potatoes. Combine all ingredients in a deep bowl and gently stir to mix. Refrigerate for at least an hour or preferably overnight to meld flavors. Serve chilled. Garnish with a parsley or cilantro sprig. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

Asian Potato Salad

5 pounds red or Yukon gold potatoes 1 cup mayonnaise, divided in half 1/2 cup celery, chopped fine 1/4 cup red onion, chopped fine



Don't forget to pack potato salad to your Memorial Day picnic.

1/4 cup poblano pepper, stemmed, seeded and chopped fine

- 3 hard-boiled eggs, chopped
- 2 tablespoons soy sauce 2 tablespoons lime juice
- 1 tablespoon smooth peanut butter
- 1 teaspoon grated fresh ginger
- 1/4 cup cilantro, chopped fine

1 or more serrano pepper, stemmed, seeded and chopped

Salt and pepper, to taste

Wash and quarter potatoes. Put potatoes in a Dutch oven and cover with water. Boil for 20 minutes or until semi-tender. Don't over boil. Strain potatoes. Rinse with cool water.

In a bowl, add a 1/2 cup of the mayonnaise, mix gently and refrigerate for about 3 hours. Remove from refrigerator and add mayo, celery, onions, poblano pepper, eggs, cilantro, soy, lime, peanut butter, ginger, serrano pepper, salt and pepper. Fold gently, mixing all ingredients together. Return to refrigerator and chill for at least one hour or longer to meld flavors. Makes 6 servings.

Roasted New Potato Salad with Green Chiles

4 medium-hot green chile peppers, roasted, stemmed, seeded and chopped

2 1/2 pounds new potatoes, washed and cut in half

3 tablespoons vegetable oil Salt

Pepper

3 tablespoons white wine vinegar 1/3 cup red onion, diced fine 1/2 cup olive oil

Preheat oven to 425 degrees. In a large bowl, toss potatoes with salt, pepper and oil. Roast potatoes in a baking dish for about 40 minutes until done.

Cut halved potatoes in half again and toss with olive oil, vinegar, red onion and chile. Chill 30 minutes and serve. Recipe can also be served warm. Makes 8 servings. (Recipe adapted from the "Texas Border Cookbook.")

Fingerling Potato Salad with Spicy Green Salsa

4 pounds fingerling potatoes or other small boiling potatoes

4 tablespoons cider vinegar

3 fresh jalapeño or serrano chile peppers, seeds and ribs removed from 2 of them

2 cups fresh cilantro sprigs, coarsely chopped

1 1/2 cup shallots, coarsely chopped 1 garlic clove, coarsely chopped 1/4 cup extra-virgin olive oil Cover potatoes with salted cold water by 1 inch, and then simmer until just tender, 10 to 15 minutes. (Potatoes will continue to cook after draining; do not overcook or they will break apart.)

Drain potatoes and rinse under cold water until slightly cooled. Halve lengthwise and while still warm gently toss with 1 tablespoon vinegar. Cool potatoes to room temperature, then season with salt and pepper.

While potatoes cook, coarsely chop jalapeños or serrano peppers and pulse in a food processor with cilantro, shallots, garlic, oil and remaining 3 tablespoons vinegar until finely chopped. Cool for about five minutes. Toss potatoes with salsa, serve and enjoy. Makes 8 servings. (Recipe adapted from http://epicurious.com)

Snazzy Springtime Asparagus and Potato Salad

2 pounds small potatoes 1 pound asparagus 1/4 cup extra virgin olive oil 1/4 cup chives, finely chopped 2 tablespoons lemon juice 1 teaspoon cayenne pepper Salt and pepper, to taste

Rinse the potatoes and place them in a large pot, covered with lightly salted cold water.

Bring to a boil and boil until cooked through. To check for doneness, pierce a potato with the tip of knife. Potatoes are done when the tip easily slides to the center.

With a wire strainer or slotted spoon, remove the potatoes to a plate or bowl. Leave the cooking water in the pot.

Bring the cooking water back to a boil. Rinse the asparagus and trim off the woody ends. Chop the asparagus into 1-inch pieces. Keep the tips separate. Make up a large bowl of ice water.

Place the asparagus (except the tips) into the boiling water. Cook for 1 minute and then add the tips. Cook for another minute and check to see that the asparagus is mostly tender but retains a little crunch. Remove the asparagus pieces from the boiling water and immediately plunge them into the ice water.

In a large bowl mix together the olive oil, chives, lemon juice, cayenne and a little salt and pepper. The potatoes should be still quite warm but cool enough to handle now. Quarter the potatoes and add them to the dressing. Stir gently to coat the potatoes. Add the asparagus and gently toss again. Check for seasoning and add more lemon juice, salt and pepper if needed. Serve warm or at room temperature. Makes 10 servings.

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Nearby mountains offer quick getaway Camping in New Mexico's backyard

By Rachel Christiansen Las Cruces Bulletin

The feeling of sitting underneath a night sky with nothing but the stars above and a soundtrack of the desert air is incomparable.

Those who know the feeling would probably agree, and those who don't have the unique opportunity to do so while living in the Mesilla Valley.

A metropolitan area surrounded by mountains in almost every direction is something not many people in the world can boast of, according to Lucas Herndon, executive director of the Friends of the Organ Mountains-Desert Peaks.

Herndon is an avid camper in southern New Mexico, and said the weather of the area is a big selling point.

'We can go camping most of the year, even in the coldest months," Herndon said. "Not just the fact that it's nice, but it's dependably nice."

For beginning campers, Herndon recommends Aguirre Springs Campground, located 30 minutes away on the east side of the Organ Mountains off U.S. Highway 70 toward Alamogordo.

"It's darker and is away from the city lights to give you that wilderness feel, but still has some amenities like bathrooms and covered areas," Herndon said.

For those wanting to leave the desert terrain, look to the Lincoln National Forest near Ruidoso, about a two-hour drive, for areas to fish and escape the heat in an alpine landscape.

For intermediate to advanced hikers, Herndon said heading into the Gila Wilderness might be the way to go. 'For group camp-

ing, the Gila can't be

beat," he said. "Jordan Hot Springs is a great one. It's a 12-mile round trip hike with about 19 river crossings.



There are many mountainous areas in southern New Mexico to hike camp and escape the everyday humdrum of life, including the Gila National Forest, the Sacramento Mountains, the Organ Mountains and the Lincoln National Forest.

"It's a little rough, but once you get there, there's a hot springs so it's very rewarding."

Those who do attempt to undertake such an adventure, however, need to remember to be a smart camper.

Having water

with you is invaluable

and is smart survival

LUCUS HERNDON,

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Mountains-Desert Peaks

tactics.

Taking the proper equipment is just as essential as being aware and responsible for your surroundings.

"The No. 1 thing to remember is water," Herndon said. "Having water with you is invaluable and is smart survival tactics."

Taking a water filter if you know there are water sources along the way is also a way to avoid carrying unnec-

essary water weight in your camping pack. "For first-time campers, don't bring too much stuff," Herndon said. "That's a big prob-

lem that I see first-time campers have is that they bring too much stuff, their bag is heavy and they get tired easily."

As a general rule, packs should not weigh more than a quarter of someone's body weight, and should be strong enough to situate near the top of a person's back.

Other essential items to remember when going camping are high-protein foods, a map or GPS system, a knife, a tarp to protect against sudden elements and a head lamp.

Herndon also said having a protective device, such as bear mace, is a good idea, and a first-aid kit for cautionary sake.

While having a campfire may be one of the best parts about going camping, given the current drought and fire-danger conditions in the majority of the state, it is not always a good idea.

'Even experienced, responsible campers cannot expect to have a sudden wind gust come and take coals out of their campfire," Herndon said. "Things happen that are beyond your control sometimes.'

Another important thing to remember is to

Details

Things to pack when camping

- Enough water per person per day (one gallon is recommended) Knife
- High-protein foods
- Map Head lamp
- First aid kit
- Pack that properly carries weight on upper back
- Tent
- Tarp
- Proper shoes
- Proper clothing
- Dry socks
- Noise maker or bear mace



always pack out what is packed in and pick up all trash to lessen the environmental impact of trekking through Mother Nature.

If you have questions about fire restrictions or conditions of trails, contact the land's managing agency, such as the Bureau of Land Management or the Forest Service for more information about a particular area.

The BLM Las Cruces office can be contacted at 525-4300. The U.S. Forest Service, Smokey Bear District, can be contacted at 575-257-4095



Save money while conserving water!

Water conservation can help meet future needs and helps preserve the environment. Plus, saving water will save you money! The typical family of four spends \$820 per year on water and sewer charges, but costs can be twice that or more in some places because of higher rates or greater lawn watering and other outdoor uses. American households also spend an average of \$230 per year to heat water. By changing appliances like the dishwasher and clothes washer and inefficient fixtures like shower-heads and toilets, a family of four can save as much as \$210 per year in water, sewer, and energy costs. Here are some other ways for you to do your part in conserving water - and saving money at the same time!

SAVE WATER INDOORS

- Place a pitcher of water in the refrigerator instead of letting the tap run to get a cool drink.
- Select one glass to use for drinking each day. If you do this, your dishwasher will take longer to fill up and it will not need to be run as frequently.
- Thaw foods in the refrigerator or in a bowl of cool water instead of using running water.
- Let your pots and pans soak instead of letting the water run while you clean them.

- Install ultra-low-flush toilets or place a plastic bottle filled with water or sand in your toilet tank to reduce the amount of water used in each flush.
- Put dye tablets or food coloring in your toilet tank and wait to see if the color appears in the bowl (without flushing). If it does, you have a leak!

SAVE WATER OUTDOORS

- Cover pools and spas to avoid evaporation.
- Sweep your driveways and sidewalks with a broom instead of spraying them off with a hose.
- Check outdoor faucets, pipes, hoses and pools for leaks.
- Change your lawn mower to a 3-inch clipping height and try not to cut off more than one-third of the grass height when you mow.
- Visually inspect your sprinkler system once a month. Fix any tilted, clogged or broken heads.





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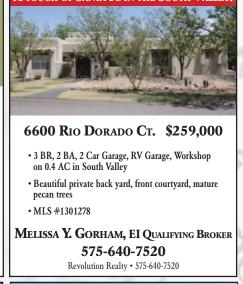
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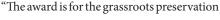
New Mexico State University anthropology professor Beth O'Leary and Stacia Fine, a volunteer and recent NMSU graduate, pose with New Mexico State Historic Preservation Officer Jeff Pappas after receiving a 2013 Heritage Preservation Award on behalf of the Phillips Chapel Preservation Group Friday, May 10, in Santa Fe.

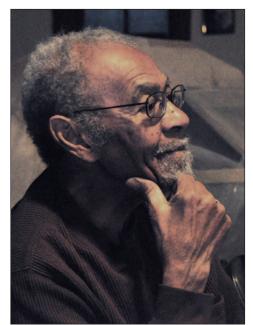
Phillips Chapel honored for historic preservation

NM award presented to group for work on 102-year-old chapel

A group including professors from New Mexico State University and Doña Ana Com-munity College, students from both schools and community volunteers was honored by the New Mexico Historic Preservation Division for its work to preserve Las Cruces' first African-American church, built in 1911.

Anthropology professor Beth O'Leary and Stacia Fine, a volunteer and recent NMSU graduate, represented the Phillips Chapel Preservation Group in Santa Fe Friday, May 10, to receive the 2013 Heritage Preservation Award in the category of Heritage Organization. The group, spearheaded by NMSU history profes-sor emeritus Clarence Fielder and O'Leary, was honored for its efforts over the past four years to raise money and engage community volunteers to restore the 102-year-old church.





NMSU history professor emeritus Clarence Fielder sparked the effort to restore Phillips Chapel. Fielder was among those in the Phillips Chapel Preservation Group honored for their accomplishment.



Members of the Phillips Chapel Preservation Group gathered in front of the chapel in Las Cruces while work was underway to restore the adobe building in June 2011. The group was awarded the 2013 Heritage Preservation Award.

of a one-of-a-kind resource in New Mexico, Phillips Chapel, C.M.E.," said Rick Hendricks, chairman of the state's Cultural Properties Review Committee. "The preservation group's outstanding job of enlisting professional preservationists, students and faculty and community volunteers over the last four years is exemplary."

NMSU associate dean of engineering Sonya Cooper also contributed her expertise to the project, along with DACC professors Ron Taylor, Pat Taylor, David Chavez and Dominic Fuimara, whose students learned the art of making adobe bricks and lent a hand in restoration of the building. DACC professor Faith Hutson was among the founders of the group, which also organized a number of fundraisers including concerts by NMSU's Gospel Choir under the direction of Bobbie Green to support the restoration.

'This award belongs to all the people of Las Cruces who volunteered their time," O'Leary said. "It has truly been a labor of love for the entire community. We are grateful for every dollar donated and every hour of volunteer work because we are almost there. The chapel is very close to being finished and we appreci-ate the recognition from the Cultural Properties Review Committee."

This is the second time NMSU has been involved with a project that received a Heritage Preservation Award. The previous award was in 2007 for the creation of the Summerford Mountain Archaeological District. The Sum-merford Mountain Archaeological District was listed at the highest level of significance in the National Register of Historic Places in 2007.

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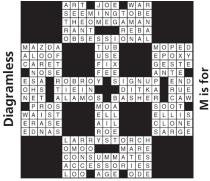
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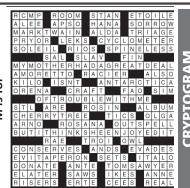
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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

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Las Cruces Bulletin

Honoring an achievement at the St. Mary's High School graduation

Photos by Erik Winter



Siblings Maria and Luis Zertuche listen as Father Richard Catanach leads their graduation ceremony Friday, May 17, at Holy Cross Catholic Church.

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Maria Zertuche addresses the crowd.

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UNITY PRAYER AND SERVICES

Unity of Las Cruces, 125 Wvatt Drive, will continue its mid-week evening prayer and meditation at 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Also, for the month of May, the church's Sunday celebration services will focus on "surrender" and will explore new takes on what surrender is and isn't. For more information, call 523-5592 or visit www. unityoflascruces.org.

OPEN SPIRITUAL GROUP

The Association for Research and Enlightenment (ARE) Edgar Cavce Studies and General Spiritual Group hold group meetings from 10 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of each month. The meetings are hosted by local chapter leader Linda Aragon and are open to the public. Anyone seeking spiritual study, knowledge and awareness is encouraged to attend. For more information and location, call Aragon 382-6400.

YEAR OF FAITH SERIES

Holv Cross Catholic Church Community will hold its "Credo – I believe" Year

DEADLINE FOR CHURCH NEWS

Items for the Church News section are due the Friday before it will be published. Entries must include: name of event, time, date, location with address, a short description, cost and contact information. Entries and questions may be emailed to beth@ lascrucesbulletin.com.

of Faith series from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Mondays in the gathering space, 1327 N. Miranda St. Msgr. John Anderson will lead discussion on praying the Apostles Creed. Bring your Bible, a copy of the Catechism of the Catholic church (available for a small donation) and any "goodies" you'd like to share. There is no charge, but registration is required. For more information, call 523-0167.

PEACE LUTHERAN **PRAYER GROUPS**

Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave., offers two prayer groups. A centering prayer group meets weekly at 8 a.m. Saturdays for 20 to 30 minutes. Gathering for Prayer meets Monday afternoons from 4 to 5 p.m. For more information, call 522-7119.



UPWARD BOUND VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Non Denominational Pentecostal Southern New Mexico Church of God Sabbath Services 2010 E. Wisconsin Ave. Interactive **Bible Study** United Saturdays 1 p.m. Church 5325 Cortez Dr. 755 Buildtek Ct 575-650-7359 Weds @7pm as Cruces, NM 88005 575) 405-4269 Sun @10:30am www.riveroflifeupc.org Hear us Sunday mornings 8 a.m. on 1450 AM KOBE See us Sunday mornings 10:30 a.m. on Comcast Presbyterian **Cable Channel 98** We observe all of God's Holy Days and FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH accept Jesus Christ as our savior. 650-7359 Private counseling Sunday School 9 a.m. Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. also available. Iglesia del Pueblo Spanish Services Sunday 9:30 a.m. WELCOME to a new church 200 E. Boutz Road, Las Cruces www.firstpreslc.com (575) 526-5559 in Las Cruces! WORD OF FIRE CHRISTIAN CENTER **First Presbyterian Church** 702 Parker Road 200 E. Boutz Las Cruces, NM 88005 Sunday Services - 2 p.m. FAITH & Thursday Bible Study - 6 p.m. FELLOWSHIP 360-840-3755 or A Praise and 1/ Worship Communit 575-652-4845 **Come as You Are!** Saturdays @ 5 p.m. Fellowship Potluck and Communion Service Every First Saturday of the Month Pastors Lee, Flora Nursery Available (575) 526-5559 We're not fancy – just family! & Cauasia Rush



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MYTHS AND MYSTERIES OF

JUDAISM

A course on "Myths and Mysteries of Judaism" will be held from 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. for six Sundays beginning Sunday, May 26, at the Alevy Chahbad Jewish Center, 2907 E. Idaho Ave. A light brunch will be served and there is no charge or RSVP to attend. The May 26 course is titled "Knowing Something about the Bible?" and will explore the deeper significance of the Bible's stories and their profound lessons in life. For more information, call 524-1330 or visit www.jewishlc.com.

MAY ROUNDTABLE SCHEDULE

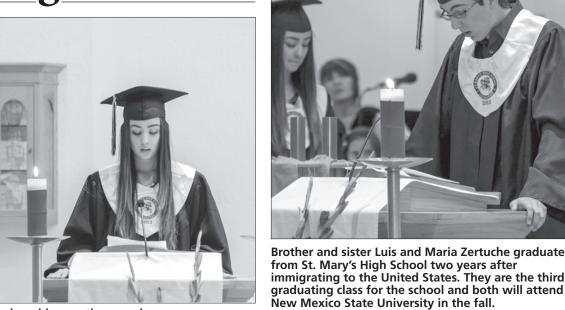
Universal Unitarian Church, 2000 S. Solano Drive, will hold roundtable discussions in May. From 9 to 10 a.m. Sunday, May 26, Rev. Dale Robison. Ph.D., will discuss "The American Way of Death."

ECKANKAR EVENT

Eckankar, Religion of the Light and Sound of God, will hold a free event from 11 a.m. to noon Saturday, May 25, at Ramada Palms de Las Cruces, 201 E. University Ave. The topic will be "What is Spiritual Freedom?

GRIEF RECOVERY SUPPORT GROUP

If you've lost someone close to you or know someone who has, Grief Share is a special weekly support group held from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays, at the Morning Star United Methodist Church, 2941 Morning Star Drive. Room 105. At Grief Share you will learn valuable information that will help you through this difficult time in your life. Each session stands alone. For more information or to register, call the church office



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TAIJI QIGONG DANCÈ

Mei Ling Po McKay is offering a slow and relaxed moving meditation exercise with gentle elements of dance from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Wednesdays and 3 to 4 p.m. Saturdays at My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Donation is \$4. Classes are suitable for all levels of experience. For more information.

email McKay at harmei@ zianet.com or call 382-8978.

BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

The Breast Cancer Support Group of the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico meets from 10 to 11:30 a.m. the fourth Saturday of each month at Memorial Medical Center, 2450 S. Telshor Blvd., Annex A.

For information, call 524-4373.

GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN

A Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Support Group is held from 10 a.m. to noon the second Tuesday of the month at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Grandparents raising grandchildren on a fulltime basis are asked to join.

There is no cost to participate. For more information, call 528-3301

ALZHEIMER CARE-GIVER WORKSHOP

The New Mexico State University Southern Area Health Education Center (SoAHEC) will host a workshop for Spanish-speaking families and caregivers tending

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to family members with Alzheimer's disease. These workshops are free and will be held from 1 to 5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, May 29-30, at SoAHEC, 4003 Geothermal Drive. For more information, call Amy Ramirez at 646-3441 or Claudia Leyva at 646-3061.

CANCER CARE SUPPORT GROUP

A Cancer Care support group meets from 6:30 to 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month at Morningstar United Methodist Church, 2941 Morningstar Drive.

Designed to offer education and support, Cancer Care is facilitated by a team with experience in dealing with cancer on multiple levels - spiritual, physical, mental and emotional. Cancer survivors, those currently being treated and anyone in the community whose life has been touched by cancer are invited to attend. For more informa-

tion, call Betty Harris at 524-3994, Jackie Sledge at 915-525-2575, University United Methodist Church at 522-8220 or Morningstar United Methodist Church at 521-3770

HIV SUPPORT GROUP

A Las Cruces HIV Support Group meets from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Tuesdays at the Las Cruces GLBTQ Center, 1210 N. Main St. The group offers advocacy and support for those infected with or affected by the HIV virus, and focuses on the rebuilding of community, outreach, education, self-advocacy and wellness. For more information, call Seth at 621-0681

YOGA CLASSES AT **UU METHODIST**

Olivia Solomon is offer-ing yoga classes for all levels from 9 to 10 a.m. Tuesdays and from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m. Thursdays at the University United Methodist Church, 2000 S. Locust St. For more information, call Solomon at 522-5350 or email wildyoga@yahoo.com.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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For more information including a schedule of meet-ings, call 527-1803.

T'AI CHI CHIH AT MOUNTAINVIEW

T'ai Chi Chih sessions taught by Rose J Alvarez-Diosdado are from 9 to 10 a.m. Mondays and Tuesdays, from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Mondays and from 10:15 to 11:15 a.m. Tuesdays at MountainView Medical Plaza, 4351 E. Lohman Ave., Suite 404. Classes are free to Senior Circle and Healthy Women members, or \$2 for non-members.

Free classes are also available to Senior Circle and Healthy Women mem-bers from 11 a.m. to noon Wednesdays at Encantada Park, 1000 Coyote Trail. For more information, call

312-8320 or email rositaad4@ gmail.com.

TOPS MEETING CHAPTER 381

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 381 is open to new members of all ages at its

Thursday morning meetings, which start with a private weigh-in from 10 to 10:30 a.m. Weigh-ins are followed by group discussions of weight loss, dietary help and nutrition. The group meets at Trails West Senior Community Clubhouse, 1450 Avenida de Mesilla, in the main room. For more information, call 523-6240.

BELLY DANCE YOGA

Suhaila offers a new yoga experience geared to stretching and toning muscles. Suitable for all levels of experience from 5 to 6 p.m. Wednesdays and Fridays at My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Cost is \$5. For more information,

email mail4jewell@yahoo.com or call 621-2746.

TOPS MEETING CHAPTER 219

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 219 meets from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Thursdays. This support group assists members in achieving and maintaining healthy weight loss goals For location information,

call Doris Fields at 524-7461.

ART OF RECOVERY SUPPORT GROUP

Art of Recovery, a support oup for adults in recovery from mental illness, meets from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays at The Bridge, 2511 Chaparral St.

The group matches those in need of support with volunteers to help build bonds, share experiences and create arts and crafts to sell in a supportive environment.

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For more information contact Kathy or David at 522-6404 or email bridge@ nmsu.edu.

GLBTQ CENTER OFFERS SUPPORT

The Las Cruces GLBTQ Center, 1210 N. Main St., provides a variety of groups and services for Las Cruces' gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender and questioning community.

For more information, call 635-4902, email info@ newmexicoglbtqcenters. org or visit www. newmexicoglbtqcenters.org.

BRAIN INJURY GROUP

The Brain Injury Group meets from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. each Friday at the Mesilla Valley Public Housing Authority, 926 S. San Pedro St. Each meeting features games, movies, artwork, music, books, puzzles, coffee and conversation. For more information, call Dolores Garcia at 805-1301.

YOGA CLASSES BENEFIT JARDIN

Karen Nichols is offering 90-minute yoga classes for adults and upper teens at 6 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays at My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Donations in excess of space rental benefit Jardín de los Niños Participants should bring a yoga mat and any props they may need. Classes are suit-able for all levels of experience. For more information, email Nichols at karen_f_n@ yahoo.com or leave a message at 882-4943

HATHA YOGA AT **PEACE LUTHERAN**

Hatha Yoga classes for beginners are held at 5:30 p.m. Mondays and noon Fridays at Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave. Classes are taught by Shoshana, a certified instructor. The class is gentle and non-competitive. Donations are accepted. Attendees are asked to bring a mat or

blanket. For more information, call 522-7119.

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For more information, call Seth at 621-0681.

CO-DEPENDENTS ANONYMOUS

Adult Children of Alcoholics/Co-Dependents Anonymous meets at 10:30 a.m. Saturdays at the Arid

Club, 334 W. Griggs Ave. The one-hour meetings are intended to help those raised in alcoholic or dysfunctional family situations deal with their issues and move on to a healthier, happier life through a 12-step program. For more information, call

FYI HOSTS NEEDLE EXCHANGE

647-5684.

The Families & Youth Inc. Needle Exchange Program, located at 1320 S. Solano Drive, seeks to reduce HIV and hepatitis C by decreasing the circulation of unclean syringes and helps drug users overcome addiction by providing free information on available drug-treatment services.

The office is open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. The service is confidential and no appointments are needed.

For more information, call Stefano at 556-1549.

SILENT MEDITATION **EACH TUESDAY**

Anyone interested may participate in 30 minutes of silent meditation at 5 p.m. each Tuesday at the Las Cruces Friends Meetinghouse, 622 N. Mesquite St. There is no cost to attend. For more information, call Laura Solberg, at 526-1853.

ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION

The Alzheimer's Association, New Mexico Chapter has the following support group meetings each month:

- 11:30 a.m. each Thursday at Sunset Grill, 1274 Golf Club Road. For more information, call Jan at 522-7133 or Michael at 382-5200.
- 6 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month at Arbors of Del Rey, 3731 Del Rey Blvd. Respite care available during meeting. For more information, call Nicky or Michael at 382-5200.
- 6 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at the Village at Northrise, 2884 N. Roadrunner Parkway, in the Desert Willow Building. For more infor-mation, call Bonnie at 556-6117. The Alzheimer's Association – New Mexico

Chapter has offices at 1121 Mall Drive, Suite C.

For more information on Alzheimer's disease and the Alzheimer's Association, call the organization's 24-hour hotline at 800-272-3900, or the Southwest Regional Office

PARKINSON'S SUPPORT GROUP

A Parkinson's Support Group is held from 10 a.m. to noon the third Tuesday of each month at Southwest Sport and Spine, 1181 Mall Drive.

For more information, call John at 702-217-0450

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Laura Smart Health Smart

Having been raised by positive Christian parents, I've always believed the glass was half full.

My husband has told me he thinks I have too much of a "Pollyanna" attitude. Perhaps that's the skeptic in him talking, but I argue that it's OK to think positive and believe that, with God, anything is possible.

I decided I wanted to be a flight attendant in the early '70s. Seven rejections and lots of Kleenex later, I was finally hired by Delta Airlines and began my fabulous 30-year career.

A Time magazine article I received from one of my favorite people, chiropractor Bobbie Wallin, stated this:

'Researchers discovered that when study participants were asked to remember a stressful incident, their levels of C-reactive protein, a marker of tissue inflammation, rose." The study also revealed "that those people who focused on a stressful event, the levels of the inflammatory marker continued to rise for at least one hour. Compared to people who thought of more relaxing events, the marker retuned to starting levels."

Researchers attribute more chronic inflammation to various types of disorders and conditions, affecting the immune system, which plays a key role in various cardiovascular disorders, heart disease, cancer, dementia and autoimmune diseases.

My father has been in the hospital for five weeks. For three weeks, he was intubated in the ICU. Finally, he was downgraded from ICU. He's had to learn to swallow again, eating only puréed food, and is so weak he can't really walk yet. I've been to see him and talk to him every day since he was taken in on March 16 - coincidentally, my parents' 62nd wedding anniversary – when he had a seven-hour emergency surgery.

After church Sunday, I visited him and I must admit I've never seen my dad so negative and obstinate. He refused to eat and asked if we were "doing the right thing."

I said, "Dad, do you remember what Winston Churchill said? 'Never, never, never give up."

As I sat and stared at this great World War II South Pacific fighter pilot veteran, I wondered what thoughts he was having at this point in time in his life. I'm encouraging him to continue being his usual positive self and know we all want to get him out of the hospital and home with us so we can enjoy his company a few more years.

Before I left my dad for the day, I said to him, "Dad, you really are what you think. To help yourself heal, focus on positive thoughts daily."

Thank you, Bobbie, for forwarding this valuable information to me, your patients and your friends.

To be continued ...

Laura Smart is an independent health and wellness consultant and can be reached at lauralsmart@comcast.net.

Think positive Trailblazers lead the way

Hispanic Cultural Center honors Las Cruces man

By Rachel Christiansen

On a corner of San Pedro Street in Las Cruces, an 89-year-old man and his wife sit and reflect on their life together, which is mostly a quiet pastime, except when some of their seven children, 25 grand-children or 27 great-grandchildren come to visit.

Filled with the many trials and tribulations of life, the triumphs throughout Dan Sosa Jr.'s life can be celebrated by and for many generations to come.

Sosa was born a short decade after New Mexico was signed into statehood, and raised in the home his grandfather built, where he and his wife, Rita Ortiz Sosa, still reside today.

"We laugh and tell him he is probably the only Supreme Court Justice that lives in the house he was born in," said Sosa's grand-daughter, Mia Sosa-Provencio. "But that's how he is. He's very humble; he never went on the bench for money or prestige."

Ninety years old in November, Sosa can boast of a legal career that earned him a seat as of one of the longest-serving justices of the New Mexico Supreme Court, both as senior and chief justice.

But Sosa has never been one to boast, according to his friends and family.

"He was fighting for better conditions for New Mexico's people, for the poorest communities and the Spanish-speaking communities," Sosa-Provencio said.

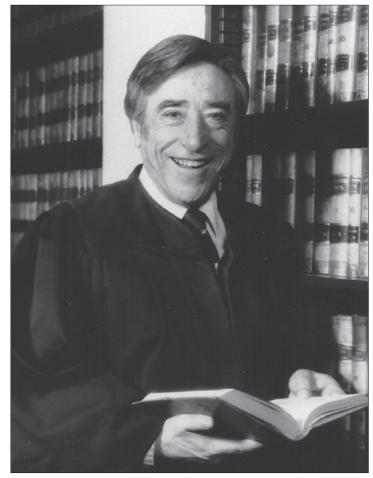
Not only was Sosa New Mexico's first Hispanic district attorney in the Third Judicial District, he was one of the founding members of the Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund (MALDEF).

He was one of the earliest supporters of the New Mexico Hispanic Bar Association, and the first University of New Mexico Law School graduate to sit on the New Mexico Supreme Court.

Sosa-Provencio said she realized her grandfather's stories were more than that – his life and work have an important role in New Mexico's history - and endeavored to begin documenting his work for a biography. Once the National Hispanic

Cultural Center in Albuquerque got wind of her project, they were on board to do more than just help - they wanted to create a lasting honor.

'They are a Foundation that focuses on Latino history and culture and it brings people together all throughout the world," she said. "They work directly See Trailblazers on page C28



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Justice Dan Sosa Jr. was born and raised in Las Cruces and is one of the longest-serving justices in the history of the New Mexico Supreme Court. Sosa long fought for social justice and is one of the founding members of the Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund (MALDEF). He will be honored by the National Hispanic Cultural Center in Albuquerque Friday, May 31, as the first of many Trailblazers en El Camino.

Red Cross recognizes heroes

LCPD officers receive Law Enforcement Award

Editor's note: This is part two of a 10-story series describing the heroic efforts of local citizens and organizations recognized and honored as 2013 Red Cross Real Heroes.

By Rachel Christiansen

Police officers have one of the most difficult and dangerous jobs in the country. They are civil servants who patrol the streets to keep citizens safe, while often putting their own safety on the line.

It may be cliché, but next time you see officers in Las Cruces doing their job, you might want to say "Thanks," because they are dealing with situations every day most people would have no clue how to handle.

It's important to recognize these men and women for what they do, and the American Red Cross recently honored two Las Cruces Police Department officers for their response to a call of particular sensitivity.

Officers Jonathan Boehne and Manual Soto regularly work the night shift for LCPD. From 9 p.m. to 7 a.m., the two officers, along with a force of other men and women, work during



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Jessica Grady

Police Chief Richard Williams and Lt. Justin Dunivan accepted the Law Enforcement Award for officers Jonathan Boehne and Manuel Soto, who were unable to attend the Red Cross Real Heroes event Wednesday, May 8, due to being on duty. The awards were presented by Richard Coltharp of the Las Cruces Bulletin.

a time that typically has the highest criminal activity, Lt. Justin Dunivan said.

'The graveyard shift is more prone to criminal activity," Dunivan said. "There might be a higher call volume during daylight hours, but the calls at night deal much more with the criminal element.

In the early morning hours of Feb. 27, 2012, officers Soto and Boehne were dispatched to a suicide call at the Love's Truck Stop.

A truck driver had called dispatch to inform them he was going to kill himself.

With that being the only information they See Hero on page C28

Trailblazers

with communities to celebrate New Mexico's culture and history through our legacies and language.

As things began to fall in place, the Trailblazers en el Camino event was born, as part of a larger series of an-

nual events that will honor foundational and trailblazing leaders in New Mexico's Hispanic community.

Eventually, proceeds from the event will benefit the creation of a museum or legacy piece in which to help the younger Hispanic generations understand this legacy.

For the inaugural event, Sosa will be honored, surrounded by family, former colleagues, friends and those in the legal community of New Mexico.

"Justice Sosa was a champion for those people who had no voice. He cared so much about getting it right, not a comma could be out of place,"

said Lourdes Martinez, magistrate judge and former clerk for Sosa. "He would say, 'These people paid a lot of money to get all the way to the Supreme Court and they deserve our best work.' He always had an incredible sense of justice. So much of who I am and my approach to the law came at his knee."

As a combat World War II veteran and the receiver of numerous awards, including the Lifetime Achievement Award from the Hispanic Bar Association and the Spirit of Excellence Award from the American Bar Association, Sosa is first and foremost a New



Mexican.

Sosa is a World War II veteran, who flew 35 combat missions over an enemy-occupied Europe.

"He's always been devoted to the state of New Mexico," Sosa-Provencio said. "Not a day goes by he doesn't eat red chile. He and my grandmother actually clap when they cross

state lines back into New Mexico." "He would always tell us to never lose our language, and would speak and sing to us in Spanish.

As a boy, Sosa was determined to surpass

the hand he was dealt as his family struggled to survive, and fight against the oppressions of others for their ethnicity.

"He was told he would never do anything but manual labor because he was a 'brown kid' and grew up on the Mexican side of town," Sosa-Provencio said. "But he had many friends from all walks of life. I think because of that, he aligned himself with good people who understood the world like he did, and he understood the history of oppression."

Sosa-Provencio, doctoral student in the Department of Education New Mexico State at University, said the biggest

thing she has learned from both of her grandparents has been to "make yourself available to be of service."

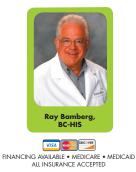
"If things are meant to happen, they will happen and there will be a way," she said. "You have to make yourself available, and things will come and work themselves out."

The Trailblazers en el Camino award ceremony to honor legacies of Hispanic Supreme Court justices in New Mexico will be held at 6 p.m. Friday, May 31 in Albuquerque. For more information, call the National Hispanic Cultural Center Foundation at 505-766-9858.

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had, Soto and Boehne began canvassing a parking lot full of about 20 semi trucks to look for the man.

"We began looking as soon as we ar-rived," Boehne said. "We were concerned with the amount of time it was taking to locate him."

"We were just trying as much as possible to find the man. Since there were a lot of trucks in the parking lot, we weren't sure if he was even there anymore," Soto said. After knocking on each cab door to

check on sleeping drivers, Soto spotted a note on the passenger seat of one of the trucks addressed "To my wife?

After getting no response from knocking on the cab door, both officers opened the truck cab, unzipped the curtain in the sleeping area and found a man hanging in the cab by a seat belt.

Boehne then cut the seat belt with his knife while Soto held the man upright. They then called medical assistance and were able to save the man's life.

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"They went above and beyond with go-

Dunivan said that unfortunately officers

ing to each truck and checking, which ul-

have responded to an increased number of

suicidal calls over the last few years, but the

actions of these officers showed a devotion

very humble in their demeanor and have

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the community and to save people's lives,"

On Wednesday, May 8, The American

The two were also honored within the

"The award is important, but what's more

When asked how they felt about being

Thank you for all that you do, officers.

Red Cross recognized the two officers for

their handling of this call and awarded them

department with the life-saving award, and

important is the job they have completed,"

Boehne was named Officer of the Year.

honored, Soto simply replied, "honored."

the 2013 Law Enforcement Award.

They are both proactive officers, both

to their duty and quick thinking.

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Members in solidarity at the 30th International AIDS Candlelight Memorial

Photos by Rachel Christiansen



After the candlelight procession, a moment of silence was given to those who lost their lives in the fight against AIDS. The memorial was held to honor the memory of those lost to AIDS, to show support for those living with HIV/AIDS, to raise community awareness and decrease stigma related to HIV/AIDS and to mobilize community involvement in the fight against the disease.



Mei Ling McKay, Karuna Warren and Marie Warren are members of New World Drummers, and provided background music during the candlelight procession.



Toni Bueno and Linda Mervine light candles for the candlelight vigil portion of the International AIDS Candlelight Memorial held Sunday, May 19, at Young Park.





Teresa Perez and Cassandra Davis listen to the speakers and entertainment provided at the memorial.

Carlos Romero and a sleepy 6-week-old puppy wait for the candlelight vigil to begin.



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Photos by Zak Hansen

Pharmacist Shannon Brown pies Memorial Medical Center Pharmacy Director Janet Pate during the Nurses' Week celebration Friday, May 17 at MMC.





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Director of Surgical Services Kara Carrasco takes a break from saving lives to dish up a snow cone.



Laura Pierce, MMC chief administrative officer, takes a pie to the face from her son Connor, 3, held by Mandy Leatherwood, marketing director.



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Rehab services staff members Denise Smith, Marie Lawrence, Michelle Statton, Wade McDonnell, Jessica Shaw, Socorro Polanco and Kamran Feroze



Elaine Rosas-Luna makes cotton candy as Mireya Aragon holds the dish.

Health Briefs

Bicycle basics for adults

Learn how to lube a chain, change a flat, dodge a rock and ride in a straight line looking over your shoulder, plus much more, Saturday, May 25, at the Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave. in the west side parking lot.

No pre-registration required and the class is open to the first 10 people on a first-come, first-serve basis. Taught by League of American Bicyclist certified League Cycling Instructors (LCIs).

Cost is \$10 payable to instructors at the beginning of class. Cash is preferred, checks are acceptable; no credit/debit cards accepted.

Bring a bike in good working order, a water bottle, a helmet and wear closed-toed shoes. For more information visit www. bikehubnm.com or email george@nmbikeed.org. Sponsored by the Southern New Mexico Bicycle Educators group, the Border Servant Corps, Peach Lutheran Church and the Las Cruces Optimist Club.

Celebrate Better Hearing and Speech Month

The monthlong campaign to celebrate Better Hearing and Speech Month creates an opportunity to publicly highlight the many difficulties those with hearing problems face on a daily basis. Kelly Frost and Melissa Kreze of Advanced Hearing Care will host a complimentary seminar in honor of Better Hearing and Speech Month at 10 a.m. Thursday, May 30, at Spirit Winds Coffee House, 2260 S. Locust St. For more information or to RSVP, call 496-8303.

According to Frost, raising awareness, reducing the stigmas attached to wearing hearing technology and supporting one another in our efforts toward achieving better hearing, we can ensure that Better Hearing and Speech Month will be a lifetime of better hearing for everyone.

Second annual caregiver conference

The Alzheimer's Association will sponsor its second annual Southern Regional Caregiver Conference from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, June 29, at Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces, 705 S. Telshor Blvd. Anyone who is a family member, loved one or helper who cares for one with Alzheimer's or dementia is invited. The class is free, but pre-registration is required. Breakfast and lunch are provided and free adult day care is available.

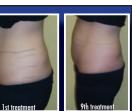
For more information, contact Maia Sideris-Dorame at 647-3868 or msiderisdorame@alz.org

50 Plus Walking Program registration begins

The City of Las Cruces Parks & Recreation Department welcomes residents 50 and older to participate in a program aimed



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Pet briefs

Tortoises await owners or adoption from shelter

Five African spurred tortoises are at the Animal Services Center of the Mesilla Valley awaiting either their owner or someone willing to adopt them.

The tortoises, native to the Sahara Desert of North Africa, are not the first of their kind to arrive at the shelter. According to Executive Director Beth Vesco-Mock, a 40-pound African spurred tortoise was brought to the shelter in 2011.

"Its owner saw media coverage of the guy and came to pick him up," Vesco-Mock said. "That's what we hope happens with these five – their owner will either come get them, or we will make them available to suitable adoptive homes."

Tortoises of this variety typically feast on fruits and vegetables, which shelter staff have made available.

Anyone interested in the tortoises can call the shelter directly at 382-0018, or visit 3551 Bataan Memorial West.

ASCMV adoption extravaganza

The Animal Services Center of the Mesilla Valley is kicking off the summer by representing southern New Mexico with an ASPCA Adoption Challenge. The shelter needs

at improving health and wellness.

The 50 Plus Walking Program, "0-60 in Twelve Weeks," is designed to get people to build stamina and cardiovascular health.

The program begins with 20-minute walks three times a week and gradually builds up to a 60-minute walk. Distance is monitored to keep track of individual improvement. Participants will meet at the New Mexico State University track or the Mayfield High School track. Every fourth week, participants will meet at another location for a field trip walk. The final walk is held at Soledad Canyon Road.

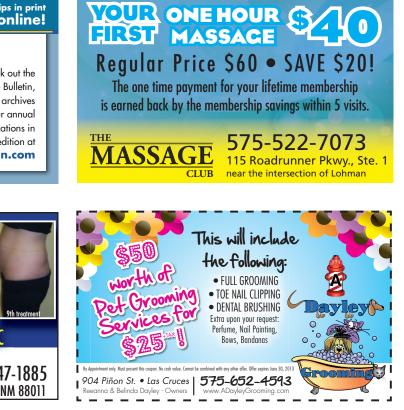
The fee to participate is \$36 and includes tracking of your progress for the 12 weeks of the program.

Those interested in the program can register now at Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave. The program is held from 7:30 to 9 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, June 3-Aug. 23.

For more information, contact Phil Catanach at 541-2704 or pcatanach@las-cruces.org.

Alzheimer walk kickoff

The 2013 Walk to End Alzheimer's team kick off will be held from 3 to 6 p.m. Wednesday, June 15, at the Haciendas at Grace Village, 2802 Corte Dias. Stop by any time during these hours to recognize those who have made a difference, share fundraising ideas and register your team for the walk. There will be food available. For more information, call Maia Sideris-Dorame at the Alzheimer's Association at 647-4240.



volunteers, dog enrichment walkers and cat care providers at special events and set up/take down personnel.

The shelter is also in need of donations such as towels, sheets, pillowcases, linens and tailors to sew "adopt me" velcro patches on vests for dogs of all sizes and local videographers with equipment to capture "pets in motion" for video shorts on social and online media.

The following events are taking place the first weekend in June and all adoptions until the end of the summer will support the adoption challenge:

- 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, June 1, Walmart grand opening, 3331 Rinconada Blvd.
- 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays at the Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market

Mulligan Fore Mutts event June 8

ACTion Programs for Animals and Doña Ana Pets Alive! are teaming up with Red Hawk Golf Course at 8 a.m. Saturday, June 8, for a golf tournament. The tournament will feature an after-play lunch and several contests on the course during play. Openings remain for players, sponsors and registration. For more information, call 621-4942.

Treatment foster care families wanted

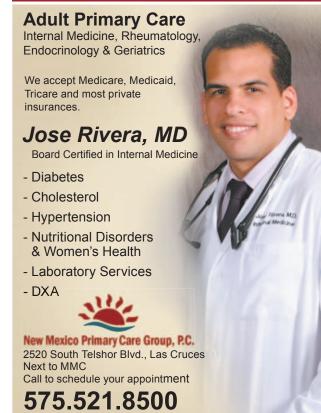
Mesilla Valley Hospital Treatment Foster Care (TFC) Program is recruiting families to be part of a healing team and provide a loving, stable, structured and nurturing home to a child to help them learn to successfully function in the home, school and community.

TFC parents have an opportunity to make a difference in a child's life. Mesilla Valley Hospital provides pre-service and ongoing training, continual care assistance and clinical support, a strength-based approach and generous monetary reimbursement. For more information, call Sharon Robles at 382-6689 or visit www.mesillavalleyhospital.com.

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