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Main Street work takes next steps

North end to open for SalsaFest! event

By **Todd G. Dickson**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Along with celebrating 100 years of statehood, SalsaFest! will mark the re-opening of the northern end of Downtown's Main Street, linking the city's past to its future.

City officials, SalsaFest! organizers and the street work's contractor, Jaynes Construction, are all saying that the street will be ready for the festivities Aug. 27-28, which will be the state's kick-off ceremony to begin a year of celebrations for New Mexico's centennial.

The north end of the re-opened Downtown Main Street – complete with the city's first roundabout – will be open for one-way traffic to help handle the thousands expected for the centennial kick-off, said Michael Johnson, city public works director.

New Mexico became a state in 1912, but this year's SalsaFest! has been selected as the state's kick-off for a series of centennial celebrations throughout 2012.

Parked along the street will be classic cars from the 100 years New Mexico has been a state, said David Chavez, who is chairing the committee organizing the SalsaFest! and Centennial kick-off. He said it will be the first time cars will be parked on Main Street on facing sides of Las Cruces Avenue since the street was closed and made into a covered mall as part of an urban renewal effort in the 1970s.

Over the years, many came to the conclusion that the urban renewal effort was a failure after most of the shops and stores closed. The beginning of the new millennium also marked a concentrated effort to revitalize Downtown, and re-opening Main Street was seen as a critical first step.

In 2009, metal awnings were taken down and work began to re-open the middle section of Main Street, a \$2.5 million project that will set the model for reshaping the north and south sections when they are re-opened. The re-opened Main Street

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It's chile roasting time!



Zeke Calzada pours chile into the roasting bin on the first day of chile roasting held at Albertson's on East Lohman Avenue Wednesday, Aug. 17. For more on roasting and preparing chile, see Homes & Southwest Living, pages E6 and E7. Also, see the lead Business section story on the chile growing industry in southern New Mexico.

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Food program helps seniors stretch dollar

Las Cruces effort reaches 75 seniors

By **Todd G. Dickson**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Editor's Note: This is the second in a series of stories about Roadrunner Food Bank programs, six months after taking on food bank distribution for southern New Mexico.

Although he's a resident at Montana Senior Village run by the Las Cruces Housing Authority, Melvin Lynum is feeling the pinch of the rising cost of living, especially when he goes to the store.

"Social Security has not given a cost of living increase in three years, but the cost of everything

keeps going up," said Lynum, an artist who gives his age as "56 going on 90."

Something that helps Lynum greatly, however, is the once monthly visit from Roadrunner Food Bank, which distributes 75 pre-packaged boxes filled with canned and dry foods, as well as fresh fruits, vegetables and breads.

Lynum said once he goes through the items given to him through the food bank's Senior Helpings Program, he's then able to figure out the rest of his budget for the month – with food being a critical factor.

See **Food bank** on page A15

Governor sets Sept. 6 for special legislature

Lawmakers to redraw districts, but other issues up for debate

By **Todd G. Dickson**
Las Cruces Bulletin

According to news reports, Gov. Susana Martinez will call a special session of the Legislature to start Tuesday, Sept. 6.

Martinez was expected to call the special session to work on the tasks of redrawing district line for Congress and the Legislature, based on new census figures.

But through news reports and the governor's own press releases, there will be more work for lawmakers than just redistricting.

Martinez wants lawmakers to finish debate on legislation to stop the practice of issuing driver's licenses to foreign nationals who are not in the country legally. Legislation to make that change almost passed in the last session, but it is contentious issue.

Those wanting to make the change say the practice rewards breaking the law, encourages illegal immigration and creates a security concern because driver's licenses act as de facto national identification.

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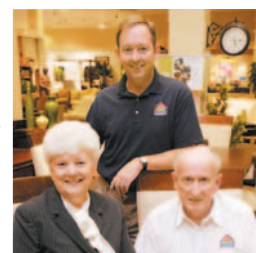
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Opinions



From the publisher

BY DAVID MCCOLLUM

Santa Fe special session

New Mexico legislators gather next month to wrestle with redistricting, driver's licenses and other issues

Gov. Susana Martinez will soon be asking our state legislators to gather for phase two of the 2011 legislative session. The main agenda item will require our legislators to make critical decisions about where and how to adjust the legislative district boundaries based on shifts of New Mexico population centers.

It is logical to assume that the process should be relatively simple, to review the geographical changes in New Mexico's population, and then adjust the district boundaries so each area of the state is fairly represented. Areas, such as Las Cruces, that have experienced population growth, should gain a representative or two. This would mean other areas might lose representation where population has declined or remained static.

The general plan for the 2011 redistricting planning is for each representative district to include about 30,000 constituents while Senate districts should be composed of about 50,000 residents. Current guidelines allow for a 10 percent variance, plus or minus.

Of course, simple logic is not necessarily a process that is common to political procedures. As the new boundaries are drawn, it is entirely feasible that the newly formed districts will cause a scenario where two legislators will find themselves now residing in a newly formed district. This means these current lawmakers will be forced to run against each other, or one will have either have to retire or move into another district.

Redistricting is certain to create great debates that will include lots of political posturing. Neither side wants to give up a stronghold, nor do they want to give the other guys any kind of advantage. Sometimes, the gerrymandering of political boundaries creates some very interesting, if not illogical, district maps. A good local example is state representative District 53, where Republican Rick Little is the current representative. His district is among the most diverse in the state, partly in Doña Ana County and partly in Otero County, ranging from Chaparral on the south, touching on the far eastern edge of Las Cruces, encompassing White Sands Missile Range and angling northeast to the western edge of Alamogordo. It would make sense for Little's district to be adjusted geographically, so the holder of that legislative position could represent a more homogeneous population base.

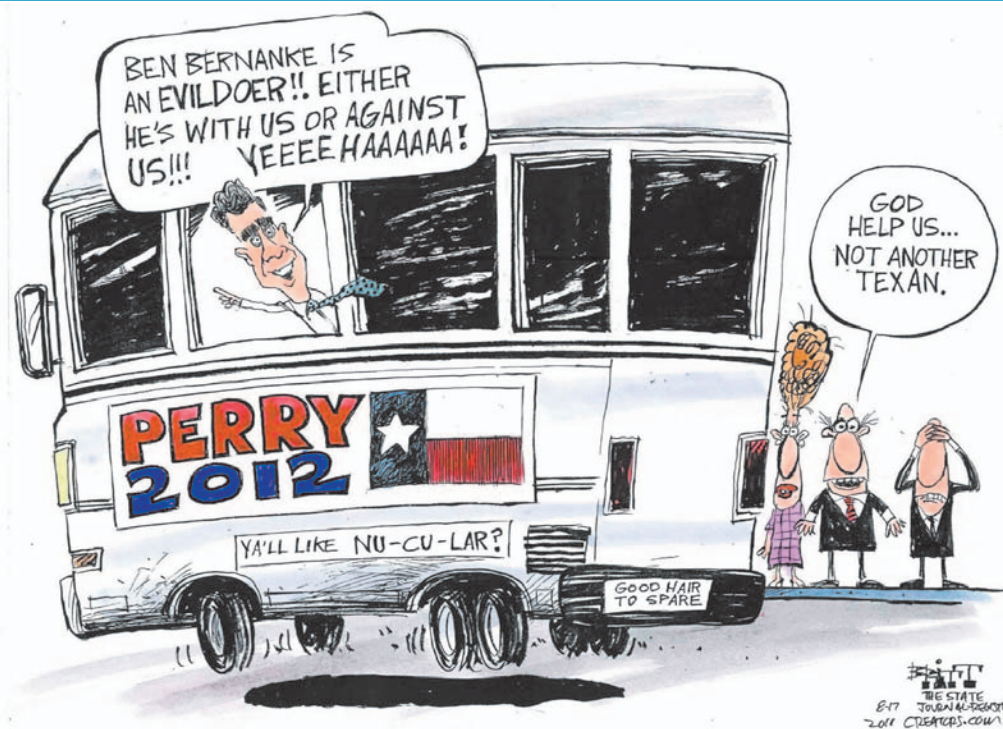
The population of Doña Ana County has increased 19.8 percent since 2000. This growth ranks second behind Sandoval County (Rio Rancho) in northern New Mexico where the population has exploded by 46.3 percent. Most experts suggest that our local area will certainly gain at least one representative seat. But wait, those northern lawmakers are not likely to sit idly by and let that happen. There will be much sound and fury about where the lines will be drawn, and the political caucuses will each try to figure out ways to benefit their prospective parties. Hopefully our southwest New Mexico contingent, including nine Republicans, six Democrats and one independent, can work together to ensure we gain at least one new seat in the House.

In addition to the critical redistricting decisions to be made in the special session, Martinez is also expected to push through at least a couple of additional items on her agenda. Of critical importance is approval of the capital outlay projects, which should have been passed in the regular session, but instead, died on the vine as time ran out in the session before the bill could be approved.

Also on the agenda will be the revocation of the law that provides the issuance of New Mexico state driver's licenses to non-residents, both national and international. This controversial bill had been a priority of former Gov. Bill Richardson, despite the overwhelming majority of New Mexicans being against the law.

Hopefully, the special session is productive and short, especially because of its potential high cost. Ten years ago, the reported expense of the redistricting special session, including subsequent legal challenges, was estimated to have exceeded \$5.8 million. In today's uncertain economy, that is a price our fragile state budget and New Mexico taxpayers can ill afford.

We encourage southern New Mexicans to be engaged in the special session by doing their own research on the issues, and contacting legislators regularly to ensure they know where Las Cruces and our fellow southwest New Mexico residents stand on issues.



Letters to the Editor

Angels among us

I just want to spread the word that angels are alive and well in the Las Cruces area. Sometimes, someone does something so unusual that the story needs to be shared, I feel, as reassurance that they are active. One of them called me last week.

He called on Saturday morning to ask if he could come by. I asked him to wait about four minutes to give me time to finish getting dressed and he said he couldn't – that he had to go on. He had been to a garage sale and had found a birdhouse he thought might be mine and would leave it at my back door.

About 20 years ago, a very talented person had brought some unique birdhouses she had made to put on consignment in my store. I had ordered one that said "Welcome to Sha'n'n's" around the entrance. She had used my discarded vanity license plate for the roof for a personal touch. That birdhouse could never have been replaced. It had been hanging by my front door ever since, but had been stolen recently.

I told the young man (he never offered his name) that I felt overwhelmed because I hadn't expected to ever see it again. I offered to reimburse him for his purchase but he declined, saying that I had given him some supplies for his art project a couple of years ago and hadn't charged him so this could be called "a gift of Karma."

I will always be grateful to the young man for the trouble he went through to bring the birdhouse back to me. It is sometimes our small

but caring efforts that bring some of the most memorable surprises. He will always be an angel in my eyes.

Shan Nichols

Rude people among us

When I first came to Las Cruces, people waved at me with a smile on their faces and I was shocked because all of their fingers were in the air. It seemed like a genuine friendly gesture. It made me suspicious. They didn't know me, how could strangers be so friendly?

Recently, I went to El Paso and purchased an item at a store. They had just installed a new system and the clerk was having trouble with it. The guy behind me was having a "canary" and making a real fuss.

The next day at a large store in Las Cruces, I was shopping and went for a cart. A guy behind me grabbed it, and I assume his wife started to walk off with it as I put my arms in the air. I went for a second cart and this guy grabbed it, but I held onto this one.

"The first cart is not good enough?" I said. He said something like, "I'm not going to argue about this?"

Meaning if I did not release the cart he would beat the crap out of me?

El Paso I can understand why you might be a bit edgy, Mexicans are shooting at your City Hall. Las Cruces, what is your excuse?

Ron Keith

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PRC havoc

Commission turmoil raises interest in returning to an appointed regulating goup

Jay Miller

Inside the Capitol



The current Public Regulation Commission difficulties involving Jerome Block Jr. aren't the first time the five-member body has been in turmoil.

In its dozen years of existence, it has been in almost constant disorder. The PRC was created in 1998 to replace a three-member state Corporation Commission that was always in havoc.

The solution created by the Legislature and passed by voters was to replace the Corporation Commission and the appointed Public Utilities Commission with one elected body that would be reined in by various popular "good government" features such as public financing and a ban on campaign donations or other favors from utilities they regulate.

Districts were created that were intended to provide seats for Albuquerque, north central New Mexico, northwest New Mexico, the eastside and the southwest. The political divisions looked good, with two districts leaning Democrat, two Republican and the southwest district being a toss up.

It worked, but it didn't make much difference. Just as with the former three-member body, political affiliations didn't matter much. Affiliations were based on personalities and who could gang up on whom.

In the beginning, it appeared Republicans had the edge, but they elected a Democratic chairman. Then redistricting came along, and the Democratic-controlled Legislature sought to give Democrats an edge. But somehow the wrong bill got sent to Republican Gov. Gary Johnson to sign and he gladly obliged.

In the redistricting special session 10 years ago, the focus was on urban versus rural PRC districts. Albuquerque was upset that it had only one seat despite having almost a third of the state's population.

Little has been said about redistricting of the PRC in next month's special session, but it could end up being a sticking point.

It appeared the 1994 Legislature was ready to abolish the elected PRC and make it appointive by the governor. The former Public Utilities Commission, which was appointed by the governor, had operated smoothly.

Three bills were introduced to create an appointed commission composed of experts in utility regulation. But then Democrat Ben Ray Lujan, son of House Speaker Ben Lujan, decided to run for the PRC. Little was heard of those bills again.

Streamlining of state government was a popular idea at this time last year but it too has disappeared. An appointive PRC wouldn't be a bad idea, along with sending some of its duties to other departments of state government.

Among the PRC's present duties are regulating utilities, insurance, transportation, pipelines and fire safety. That's a big order that might be more appropriately handled by other agencies, with more expertise.

As it currently stands, PRC members need not know anything about any of those subjects. All they need do is show up to work occasionally and collect a \$90,000 a year paycheck.

The offices have attracted an interesting assortment of candidates over the years. They can be a launching pad for youngsters of well-connected politicians. Block Jr.'s father preceded him on the commission as did Lujan's son Ben Ray.

Or it can be a place where former office holders can settle in for their later years. PRC chairman Patrick Lyons is the former state land commissioner. Former chairman David King is a former state treasurer. Several former legislators have been on the commission including Linda Lovejoy, Shirley Baca and current PRC member Ben Hall.

The current state of affairs regarding PRC member Block Jr. includes requests that he resign and moves by the state House of Representatives to impeach him.

But don't count Block out yet. He was in trouble before he ever got elected. There were requests then for him to drop off the ticket. But Block stayed in the race and beat some tough primary and general election opposition without attending forums or debates to answer questions.

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Guest Column

When a holiday can become a horror

Don't let drunken driving spoil Labor Day Weekend travels

By **Joanne Ferrary**

For the Las Cruces Bulletin

Would you want to live in a place where almost 11,000 people are killed every year? Perhaps not, but you already do – just take a look out your window toward any of our nation's roadways and you'll have a view of the crime scene.

Across the United States, there were 10,839 fatalities in traffic crashes involving a driver with a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) of .08 or higher in 2009, accounting for 32 percent of total traffic fatalities for the year. Sadly, 114 of those deaths were right here in New Mexico.

Those who commit this crime – driving under the influence of alcohol or other drugs – disregard public safety and contribute to a great loss of life, yet it happens day after day. In fact, nearly 1.5 million people are arrested each year for driving under the influence of alcohol or other drugs, an arrest rate of one of every 141 licensed drivers and motorcycle operators in the United States.

The results can be devastating, and can cost the drunken driver jail time, fines, use of an ignition interlock, and loss of driver's license, plus higher insurance rates, work issues, and much personal embarrassment. That is, if they're lucky and they aren't killed in a crash.

Driving drunk is not a victimless crime. An average of one alcohol-impaired-driving fatality occurred every 48 minutes in 2009. These fatalities were daughters, sons, mothers, fathers and friends. You may not be worried about hurting yourself, but consider who you may hurt – or kill –

in another vehicle.

This crime also affects our community. In an average year, more than 4,000 Hispanics are killed in motor vehicle crashes, and about 30 percent of those crashes involved alcohol.

At this time of year, the Labor Day holiday is traditionally dangerous. In 2009, there were 360 people killed in traffic crashes over the Labor Day Weekend alone, and 38 percent of those crashes involved an alcohol-impaired driver or motorcycle rider with a BAC of .08 or higher.

For this reason, from Aug. 19 through the Labor Day holiday, law enforcement across the country is working to get impaired drivers off the road during the national alcohol-impaired driving crackdown. Their message is clear: Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over.

Remind your friends and family to celebrate wisely this Labor Day. You can also help by volunteering to be a designated driver. But if you will be drinking alcohol, plan ahead. Take public transportation, make arrangements with a designated driver, or spend the night where you are.

Also, wear your seat belt. It's always your best defense.

Be responsible for yourself, your family and your community. If you aren't, Las Cruces law enforcement will be out with intensified enforcement to help you correct the situation.

Joanne Ferrary is with the Mesilla Valley DWI Resource Center, which endeavors to reduce drunken driving and under-aged drinking.

“Driving drunk is not a victimless crime.”

Letters to the Editor

Officials lack good horse sense

What is wrong with the idiots on the City Council and County Commission, and let us include the dog pound director in this idiocy? We have a long-established, well-known and organized, low-cost spay/neuter organization (Spay Neuter Action Program, or SNAP) that has fixed thousands of animals over the past years.

The group had its funding taken away this year by the city and county so its work has virtually been cut off.

So now we have the shelter director come up with an "alleged" plan to create a low cost spay/neuter facility with money from the dog pound – which it can ill-afford to give away. (See story on page A11 about the joint work session of the city and county that discussed the proposal.) What is wrong with this idiotic idea besides that it is another government brainstorm that will cost more money and accomplish even less?

Give the damned money back to SNAP so they can continue with their hard work helping people fix their animals to reduce the population. If the government takes this over, God help the community, especially the animals.

Evelyn Hancock

Writer's assertion disputed

Perhaps Michael Hays should check his facts before sending letters to the editor. ("Harbison's letter on 'communitarianism' is way off the mark" was published in the Aug. 12 edition of the Bulletin.)

In fact, a prominent physician, appearing on national television, advocated removing children from their parents because of obesity. Not "paranoid imagination" after all.

Tom Massengale

BaxterBlack

ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE



Mountaineer mentality

Denny got a call from the farmer's widow. She had 13 head of big steers that had been hibernating in her woods since the funeral a year ago. Denny operated a hauling service in the neck of West Virginia. They did rip rap, lumber, heavy equipment and other inanimate objects.

Denny agreed to help the damsel in distress but he didn't have a stock truck, per se. Best he could find was a one-ton flat bed with a pipe-rail rack rigged out to haul ties to the recycling plant in Wheeling.

He conscripted his brother Dee, and they headed out on their heroic mission. As they pulled up to the widow's overgrown lane they just got a glimpse of several colorful bovine rumps and tails disappearing into the blackberry thicket and head-high horse weed.

Not having horses, the 25-acre lot might as well have been the King Ranch. It took our brothers five hours of running, walking, yelling, stalking and whispering to trick two of the 1,000-pound brindle steers into the rack on the flatbed.

They decided to go with the birds in the bush and take the short load. It was noon so they stopped in Moundsville for lunch.

As Dee was digging into his plate of ramps, a state trooper came in. He visited with them a few minutes then said, "When you boys get ready to go, I'd be glad to call for some help to gather your steers back in the truck."

"What!" exclaimed the brethren.

They bolted for the door. The two steers were headed for the railroad tracks along the

Ohio River.

Their truck looked like a Demolition Derby refugee. The rack panel was flattened forward onto the cab, collapsing the roof and the windows. The running lights were skived off and the windshield smashed into the front seat. The hood was mashed down on the 4-barrel carb and the special cowboy hat hood ornament was snapped off, replaced by a foul scurf of pucky.

To those of you who are thinking, "Man, these guys are helpless; no horse, no rope, no water trap, no loading chute..." you must put yourself into the Mountaineer mentality.

"How do we immobilize them from a distance, since we have no hope of getting anywhere's near to them?"

Sifting their possible inspirational figures

for a solution; i.e., Trevor Brazile, General Custer, Obi-Wan Kenobi, the Ruger Girl, and Billy Graham, they settled on Davy Crockett.

Denny dissected his 30-06 from the shattered glass and gun rack and stealthily approached the two steers in a cedar thicket down by the tracks. Once at the edge of their flight zone, he harvested them humanely.

As for the rest of the herd, our haulers consulted with the widow, the troopers, the local packing house, the NRA and the food bank. They agreed that it would be judicious, practical and humane to use the same method to harvest the remaining herd.

Except, of course, without the destroyed truck, the state trooper and the railroad tracks.

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“... the 25-acre lot might as well have been the King Ranch.”

Taking a rock to a gunfight

Nothing but force can stop evil people

Michael Swickard

In My Opinion



The Brady Center for Preventing Gun Violence mission statement is: "We are devoted to creating an America free from gun violence, where all Americans are safe at home, at school, at work and in our communities."

I fundamentally agree with the Brady Center Mission Statement. The problem is the details.

George Orwell noted correctly, "People sleep peaceably in their beds at night only because rough men (and women) stand ready to do violence on their behalf."

At times a kind word or action can defuse a potentially deadly confrontation. At other times, someone dies, and their death is just a fact of our world. Regardless of what some people would like to believe, the truth is there are evil ones in every community to whom killing is a way of life. You can live in your town for decades without a problem, and in the space of a few seconds, you either deal with the threat correctly or not.

When dealing with violent, evil people, we must realize that nothing but force can stop them. While the police are protectors, it is well established that the police will arrive in minutes, but you only have seconds. How you use those seconds is up to you. I want to protect myself and my loved ones.

Some people want to prohibit my defensive methods due to a political agenda.

There were many comments about last week's column on citizens using guns to defend themselves. Some people said by defending myself from attack, I am making it much more dangerous for society. They contend that by me having a means of defense, it automatically makes innocent people much more endangered.

I do not see the news stories that would be expected if this was true.

One person wrote: "... what you are talking about is vigilantism of the worst kind."

We must separate people who have a gun lying around from those who take conceal carry training and intend to use the gun for defense. The opposition lumps everyone into

one category.

Then there was this comment: "I think that I would rather take my chances on being shot by a gunner (murderer) than on being shot by a well-meaning, incompetent, self-appointed gunslinger."

It is a Darwin moment for that person.

It came out that the child victims in Norway resorted to throwing rocks at the murderer who was the only person with a gun. No, it did not keep him from killing them. They brought a rock to a gunfight.

In fact, what most objectors were most concerned about was not the murdering of innocent victims; rather, it was the chance someone with a gun would harm someone inadvertently. Murder victims are forgotten.

The legality question of if a well-meaning person made a mistake came up many times. I wrote, "You ask, what is the liability of someone using a firearm for defense? A jury of peers will judge those actions. I am glad to submit to that judgment. Every policeman and member of the military must do likewise. If I am shown to be negligent, charge me as such."

It was interesting to me that I got lots of email from members of the police who commended me on the column. Typical was, "I really enjoyed reading this piece and I applaud your efforts to keep this discussion on the surface. As a law enforcement officer and a firearms trainer I often ask people if they believe the police are here to protect them."

"Overwhelmingly most have this belief that the government will protect them. Once they get into the substance of the class they quickly understand the speed of violent attacks, the response time of police and the need to have a method of controlling your environment right now."

Those who want to put their heads in the sand and ignore the danger are welcome to do so. They do not have to defend themselves. And, I may never need to defend myself, but as was said in the Old West: better to have a gun and not need it than to need a gun and not have it.

Whatever you do, do not take a rock to a gunfight.

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NMSU faculty honored

Convocation highlights accomplishments

New Mexico State University faculty and staff members were welcomed back on campus Tuesday, Aug. 16, at the 2011 Fall Convocation ceremony. The event, held every January and August, also notes university accomplishments and singles out faculty and staff members for special awards.

"At every convocation, we honor the achievements of our outstanding faculty and staff," said Executive Vice President and Provost Wendy K. Wilkins. "This fall, the 14 individuals recognized represent some of the university's best efforts in research, community outreach and student support. We are grateful for their hard work and dedication to NMSU."

Three faculty members were named to the prestigious rank of regents professor: Jeffrey Arterburn, professor of chemistry and biochemistry; Sonya Cooper, professor of engineering technology; and James Shearer, professor of music.

Constance Falk, a professor in the Department of Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Business, was named the first M. Eugene Sundt Honors Professor. For this newly established award, a selection committee appointed by the dean of the Honors College will recommend a faculty member to hold the professorship every two years. Sundt Honors Professors receive funding to develop, plan and teach a Sundt Honors Seminar. Falk began her career at NMSU in 1988. Her work focuses on agricultural sustainability.

Michele Shuster, an assistant professor

of biology, was awarded the 2011 Westhafer Award for Excellence in Teaching and Research. Westhafer Awards are given in alternating years for excellence in teaching and excellence in research and creative activity. Shuster began teaching at NMSU as an adjunct professor in 2002.

Receiving the Patricia Christmore Faculty Teaching Award were Aishah Ortega, an assistant professor with the Special Education and Communication Disorders Department, and Amy Lanasa, an assistant professor of creative media. The annual award recognizes superb junior tenure-track faculty members for excellence in teaching.

The award for Excellence in Academic Advising went to Sue Forster-Cox, an associate professor of health science, and Karla Thompson, director of the Counseling & Student Development Center at NMSU-Carlsbad. Students lauded both women for going above-and-beyond to provide them with guidance and support.

Kathryn Hanley, associate professor of biology, and Shuguang Deng, a chemical engineering professor, received the University Research Council Distinguished Career Award. Hanley has helped to design a vaccine for the dengue virus that is now in Phase II clinical trials. Deng's current research focuses on advanced materials for sustainable energy and clean water applications.

The University Research Council Junior Career Award went to Satyajayant Misra,



New Mexico State University photo

This year's NMSU Fall Convocation award recipients pose for a group portrait following the ceremony. Awardees pictured are Karla Thompson, Wesley Eaton, Norice Lee, Ryan Herbon, Cindy Pierard, Sonya Cooper, Satyajayant "Jay" Misra, Jeffrey Arterburn, Aishah Ortega, James Shearer, Amy Lanasa, Sue Forster-Cox, Michele Shuster, Constance Falk, Shuguang Deng and Michelle Nishiguchi (standing in for Kathryn Hanley).

an assistant professor of computer science, whose research interests include algorithm and protocol design for security, privacy, reliability and efficient energy harvesting in wireless networks.

Two staff members with the College of Engineering's Manufacturing, Technology and Engineering Center (M-TEC) received the University Research Council Junior Career for Team Award. Ryan Herbon is a senior engineer at M-TEC and an instructor for the Engineer-

ing and Technology Department. Wesley Eaton is a project manager and engineer at M-TEC. Eaton and Herbon are NMSU alumni.

The Outcomes Assessment Committee II Best Practices Award was given to the NMSU Library. The award is presented to a department or unit that exemplifies the spirit of assessment outside the classroom. The library won for its work in re-evaluating modifications it had made in use of space in order to determine if the changes were beneficial.

Student meets president

Oñate senior gets to 'bro-fist' Obama

Oñate High School senior Stephen Markham was one of two students to represent the state of New Mexico at Boys Nation, held July 22-30, in Washington, D.C. — where he got to meet and "bro-fist" President Barack Obama.

Markham attended Boys State, sponsored by the American Legion, in Portales, N.M., in June and was nominated by his

fellow delegates to attend Boys Nation, said his mother Julie Kirkes.

When the president approached Markham to shake his hand, the Oñate student called out, "Mr. President, bro-fist."

Obama happily complied, Kirkes said. "Stephen said it was the absolute highlight of his week in our nation's capital," Kirkes said.



Oñate senior Stephen Markham met President Barack Obama this summer.

Buses made available

Farm bureau supports field trips

The Doña Ana County Farm Bureau is offering to lend buses to teachers who are scheduling field trips to the Southern New Mexico State Fair or the Mesilla Valley Corn Maze, bureau President Bud Deerman said.

"People forget how important farming and ranching is to our area both economically and culturally," Deerman said.

Dates for the corn maze buses are Sept. 20-Oct. 28 and for the Southern New Mexico State Fair buses Sept. 27-Oct. 2. Buses will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis. Teachers will be able to chose between the fair and the maze.

Bus reservations can be made by calling Traci Williams of the Agriculture in the Classroom at 532-4714.

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Coming Up

Get slimy at Las Cruces Natural History Museum

Young scientists will be busy investigating fish, amphibians, turtles, crocodilians, lizards and snakes as the Las Cruces Museum of Natural History, in Mesilla Valley Mall, 700 S. Telshor Blvd., presents three Saturday classes about creatures with fins, flippers and scales. The classes for children age 4 and older are held from 11 a.m. to noon Saturdays, Aug. 20, 27 and Sept. 3. Registration is required and the program is free.

The Aug. 20 class focuses on fish and amphibians. What is the difference between the two? Come and find out and witness animal demonstrations.

On Aug. 27, students will concentrate on turtles and crocodilians. They are kind of cute – at least to one another.

This series concludes Sept. 3, when children find out that legs can be overrated as they learn about lizards and snakes. Included in this class is a safety talk about rattlesnakes found in New Mexico.

The museum is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday and Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday and from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday. For more information about the Las Cruces Museum of Natural History, which is funded by the City of Las Cruces, call 522-3120 or visit <http://museums.las-cruces.org>.

Anyone needing accommodations for a disability in order to fully participate in these events may call the museum at 522-3120 48 hours before the event.

Audubon Society trip

The Mesilla Valley Audubon Society will lead a half-day birdwatching field trip to Leasburg Dam State Park Saturday, Aug. 20. Anyone interested is asked to meet at the Lowe's Home Improvement, 3200 N. Main St., in parking lot

near the Border Patrol Station at 6:45 a.m. Pyrrhuloxia, blue grosbeaks, three or more species of swallows, shorebirds and summer resident hawks are among the birds that may be viewed. Participants should bring binoculars, a hat, sunscreen, sunglasses and plenty of water. There is a \$5 per vehicle entry fee for vehicles without a park pass.

For more information, contact Wayne Treers at 528-8696 or way1mike@yahoo.com.

NMSU regents meet

The New Mexico State University Board of Regents will meet at 10 a.m. Monday, Aug. 22, in the Regents Room of the Educational Services Building on the Las Cruces campus.

Copies of the agenda for the regular meeting will be available at the NMSU Zuhl Library not less than 24 hours prior to the meeting. The agenda will be posted on the university website at www.nmsu.edu/administration/regents_meeting.html.

Individuals with a disability who are in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the meeting, may contact the Regents Office at 646-1727 at least three days prior to the meeting or as soon as possible.

Diez y Seis parade

The Town of Mesilla is accepting entries for its Diez y Seis de Septiembre Parade at 11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 17. The parade runs along Avenida de Mesilla. This year's theme is "A Tribute to Mesilla's Past."

Organizations, businesses and schools are encouraged to enter floats into the parade. The town also welcomes bands, spirit squads, antique vehicles, specialty units and other groups to join the parade. In addition to these entries, the town would like to organize a float for all past fiesta queens. All of those who were selected

as fiesta queens in years past are encouraged to contact the town to be a part of this float. There is no entry fee.

The parade is held in conjunction with the annual Diez y Seis de Septiembre Fiesta from noon to 10 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 17, and noon to 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 18, on the Mesilla Plaza. The holiday celebrates Mexico's independence from Spain.

The deadline to register is Thursday, Sept. 1. For an entry form, call Ashley Echavarría at 524-3262, ext. 116. Entry forms are also available for download at www.mesilla-nm.us.

Gym Magic classes

Gym Magic, 2341 Entrada Del Sol, has a variety of health and fitness classes for children including gymnastics, swimming and cheerleading. For more information about classes, visit www.gymmagic.com or call 523-1616.

City pools close

The City of Las Cruces' two outdoor pools have closed for the upcoming fall/winter seasons.

The East Mesa Bataan Memorial Pool, 6141 Reynolds Drive, and Laabs Pool, 701 W. Picacho Ave., will re-open May 26, 2012.

Frenger Indoor Pool, 800 Parkview Drive, will be closed Monday, Aug. 22, through Monday, Sept. 12, and the Las Cruces Regional Aquatic Center, 1401 E. Hadley Ave., will be closed Sunday, Sept. 18, through Tuesday, Sept. 27, for an annual cleaning, maintenance and inspection.

For more information, call 541-2550. The TTY number is 541-2661.

Butterfly Flutterby

The Ninth annual Butterfly Flutterby will be from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Aug. 20, at the Chihuahuan Desert Nature Park. Visitors can learn about butterflies, delicate creatures that grace our world and delight people of all ages. There will be new stations and activities and the return of favorites such as face painting. Special guest, Steven J. Cary, author of "Butterfly Landscapes of New Mexico," will talk butterflies and autograph his book. Admission is \$2.

The Chihuahuan Desert Nature Park is located northeast of Las Cruces. From Interstate 25 in Las Cruces, head east on U.S. Highway 70. Take the Mesa Grande Road exit at Oñate High School. Make a U-turn under the highway to head west and stay in the right lane. Turn right on Jornada Road and drive 6.4 miles and turn left at the Chihuahuan Desert Nature Park sign. Follow the entrance road to the parking area and trailhead.

For more information, call 524-3334 or visit www.asombro.org.

GOP women meet

The Federated Republican Women of Doña Ana County will meet at 11:30 a.m. Friday, Aug. 26, at the Good Samaritan Society-Las Cruces Village, 3011 Buena Vida Circle. Cecilia Levantino of Turning Point of Las Cruces-Mission and Vision of Pregnancy Care Centers and Las Cruces City Councillor Dolores Connor, candidate for mayor, will speak.

Cost of the buffet luncheon is \$8.25. Reservations are required by Monday, Aug. 22. For more information or to make reservations, call 527-5574 or 524-4232.

Science Café

The Las Cruces Museum of Natural History, 700 S. Telshor Blvd., in Mesilla Valley Mall, and Sigma Xi will present Science Café at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 25. John Mexal, professor of plant and environmental sciences at New Mexico State University will lead a discussion of the history, politics and biology of forest fires titled "Burnin' off the woods. What would Smokey say?" Attendees can learn about the effectiveness of scientific management in reducing the

impact of forest fires.

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

Anyone needing accommodations for a disability to fully participate in this event may contact the museum 48 hours before the event at 522-3120.

For more information, call 522-3120 or visit <http://museums.las-cruces.org>.

LEPC golf tournament

The Doña Ana County/City of Las Cruces Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) will hold its second annual fundraising golf tournament at 1 p.m. Friday, Aug. 26, at Sonoma Ranch Golf Course, 1274 Golf Club Road.

The LEPC is a nonprofit organization that helps provide hazard awareness to residents of Doña Ana County, including LCPS staff and students. It also provides networking for local, county, regional and national emergency response providers.

Registration will be held 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Dinner and an awards ceremony will begin at 5:30 p.m. Prizes will be awarded to first-, second- and third places and to the player closest to the pin and with the longest drive.

The tournament entry fee is \$400 per team and \$100 per player.

For more information, call Melanie Ikard at 528-5114 or Bridget Spedalieri at 525-7340.

Learn about fire

LCA (Las Cruces Academy Outreach) will present "Science for the Public: What do you know about fire?" from 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, Aug. 27, at the Las Cruces Academy, 212 S. Main St. For more information about the seminar, visit www.lcaoutreach.org.

Free soccer clinic

The New Mexico State University soccer team will offer a free clinic to children in first through eighth grade at 11 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 28, inside Aggie Memorial Stadium.

Anyone interested may RSVP for the clinic online at www.nmstatesports.com under the women's soccer page and the tab for the free clinic. For more information, contact Lauren Adee at 646-5348 or ladee@nmsu.edu.

Participants are encouraged to bring a soccer ball and water bottle. Additionally, participants need to enter through the northwest gate and will be admitted to the Aggie soccer match versus Houston Baptist at 1 p.m. for free after the clinic. Parents may purchase single match tickets for \$6 through the Pan American Center Ticket Office at 646-1420.

The Aggie soccer season begins at 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 19, at the University of Texas-El Paso. NMSU hosts Prairie View A&M at 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 26, inside Aggie Memorial Stadium for their home opener.

Drug free presentation

The Unified Prevention (UP!) Coalition for a Drug Free Doña Ana County, an initiative of the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico, invites county residents to learn about policies, laws and ordinances and their roles in protecting the youth of our county from the dangers of tobacco, alcohol and illicit drugs at a special event from 3 to 5 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 30, at Lorenzo's de Mesilla, 1750 Calle de Mercado. Attendees will learn the difference between policies, laws and ordinances, what currently exists in the state, county and local communities and how to work together to make a difference in the community.

For more information, contact Jaylene McIntosh at 521-4794 or jaylene@cfsnm.org.



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Rio Grande water diverted, lawsuit claims

By **Marvin Tessneer**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Water agencies are watching for the response from the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation to a suit filed by New Mexico Attorney General Gary King, which he said is meant to protect New Mexico's water.

In late July, the federal bureau reclassified 65,000 acre-feet of water, which the suit maintains belongs to New Mexico, so that the water could be made available to Texas. Attorney General King said the action was illegal since the water was stored for the benefit of New Mexico, as verified by the Rio Grande Compact Commission. The commission's responsibility is to assure compliance with the Rio Grande Compact of 1938, which provides an equitable allocation for the interstate river.

The lawsuit is expected to move into federal court in Santa Fe at a date to be announced.

"We'll just have to wait and see what the Bureau of Reclamation's response will be," said Gary Esslinger, Elephant Butte Irrigation District manager-treasurer. "We don't know what the attorney general's motivation is."

The suit could throw the El Paso Water Conservation District (EPWCD) irrigation off schedule.

"We had 58,000 acre-feet left and had planned on closing the gates for irrigation in September so we could use our balance," said EPWCD manager Jesus Reyes. "We had saved

the water, conserved it and had budgeted it for our constituents."

The federal bureau's action is diversion from the Rio Grande Compact procedure used by the three members - Colorado, New Mexico and Texas according to the lawsuit, because New Mexico didn't approve.

“ The Bureau of Reclamation is seeking to reclassify New Mexico's water ... so that it can be released to Texas. ”

GARY KING,
New Mexico
attorney general

"The Bureau of Reclamation is seeking to reclassify New Mexico's water that is lawfully stored and classified as New Mexico credit water to a different designation so that it can be released to Texas," King said in his announcement of the lawsuit. "This action is inappropriate and must not be allowed. I believe it is only prudent to file this lawsuit to protect New Mexico's water."

King also said he is concerned that the 2008 Operating Agreement ratio to allocate the Rio Grande water has been altered to 38 percent for EBID and to 65 percent for EPWCD, "a reversal of historic allocation percentage," the attorney general charged.

"The farmers served by EBID have seen their share of water decreased significantly during the past three years while the amount of land they seek to irrigate has remained unchanged," King said.

EBID is not part of the lawsuit. The EBID irrigation 2011 quota was 4 inches, and the normal amount with a good mountain snow pack runoff is 3 acre-feet. The district shut down this summer's irrigation in early July.

Flag donation made



Edward Martinez, president/CEO of Zia Engineering and Environmental Consultants, right, hands over a check for \$835 Monday, Aug. 15, to Police Chief Richard Williams, Fire Chief Travis Brown and City Councillor Dolores Connor so the city can buy a garrison flag in time for an event commemorating 9/11. The city was seeking donations to buy the flag for special events, which it currently borrows from an auto dealership.

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More backpacks for kids



Hispano Chamber of Commerce de Las Cruces photo

Representatives from the Hispano Chamber of Commerce de Las Cruces, MECA Therapies and FirstLight Federal Credit Union prepare to distribute more than 200 backpacks to local families as part of the organizations' Project Back to School backpack and supply drive held during June and July. The backpacks were filled with socks, underwear, hygienic items, books and school supplies. The items were donated by various businesses and members of the community. In addition to the donations, Project Back to School raised more than \$3,000 to purchase additional supplies for returning students.

Simons flies at high altitude in balloon

Man High testing examined conditions in the upper reaches of the atmosphere



By **Michael Shinabery**
New Mexico Museum of Space History

Amid congratulations from colleagues, Maj. Dave Simons had one response over the telephone to his wife.

"Honey, I need sleep," the Aug. 21, 1957 Alamogordo Daily News reported. One of their four children, Samuel John, age 9, piped up, "When daddy was up in space, he said he had a ringside seat to the heavens."

Simons, 34, and chief of space biology at Holloman Air Development Center, Alamogordo, had just returned from what the Associated Press, on Aug. 14, promised would be "the most daring lighter-than-air flight ever attempted." On Aug. 19, according to an AP story that day, "a huge silver balloon climbed out of a cavernous iron mine" in Crosby, Minn. Simons was to undergo "an endurance test of man's ability to live in an artificial atmosphere at high altitude" and learn "what pilots of the future must contend with during travel through space."

Simons experienced Man High II inside an 8-foot tall by three-foot diameter aluminum capsule. He followed the Man High I ascent two months earlier, in which Capt. Joe Kittinger had flown to 96,000 feet altitude. Both trained at Holloman.

At 11 p.m. the night before liftoff, the 6-foot Simons squeezed into the capsule to begin breathing a mixture of oxygen and helium to prevent the possibility of the painful and probably fatal bends in his pressurized "vacuum bottle," the AP said.

The next morning, a truck carted him into the 425-foot-deep pit mine for the 9:25 a.m. launch. In spite of the time and location being withheld from the public, hundreds of cars gathered near an observation platform overlooking the pit. Shielded there from winds, the balloon began ascending.

"Just before takeoff," said Simons' obituary at the website nytimes.com, "his commanding officer, Col. John Paul Stapp, shook his hand and said, 'Major, you are about to reach the high point of your career.'"

Stapp's puns were legendary. In his first radio report, the AP documented, Simons said "everything is going well." At that time the balloon was at 50,000 feet. At 11 a.m. MST ... the balloon was observed over the Brainerd, Minn., airport at an estimated 100,000 feet. On reaching maximum altitude, Simons would be suspended above 99 percent of the Earth's atmosphere, a target for cosmic rays and unrelenting sunlight. All he had for air conditioning was "50 pounds of dry ice."

Throughout the flight, he described sights of which man had never before seen.

"I could tell the difference between the green and brown fields. It looked like a Monday's wash hung out by a housewife," the AP (Aug. 25) quoted him. In addition, the story said, he recalled that at night, "the stars didn't twinkle."

The Aug. 21 post-flight AP story reported Simons commenting: "The most splendid sight I ever saw in my life was the sunrise breaking over the horizon in a fantastic array of color."

He'd been so entranced, Craig Ryan wrote in "The Pre-Astronauts," that he neglected eating and his blood sugar level fell. His speech slurred, his movements were sluggish, and he downed chocolate from his supplies, which the AP listed as sandwiches, candy, fruit juice and water.

Simons only slept an hour's catnap on Aug. 20, until bright flashes jolted him awake. Simons radioed that he was completely disoriented, an 1958 article "Wonders of the Universe," said. The problem, according to Ryan and the Foolish Earthling documentary "Highest Step In The World," turned out to be a camera flash humidity had caused to malfunction.

More seriously, he realized, the cold had deflated the balloon, which had dropped to 68,000 feet. Inside, the capsule temperature was a near-freezing 34 degrees Fahrenheit. Realizing he was descending into what the AP (Aug. 21) quoted him calling a "whale of a storm," Simons feared lightning would strike the 300-foot dangling communications antenna. In spite of his concern, he described as "awesome" the view of lightning flashing through thunderheads thousands of feet below him.

Simons ejected 100 pounds of batteries to regain altitude. While the rising sun aided the ascent, it also spiked the interior temperature to 82 degrees and that helped create near-toxic carbon dioxide readings, Ryan said. At that



New Mexico Museum of Space History Archive photos
Balloon maker Vera Winzen, of Winzen Research, Maj. Dave Simons and Ed Dittmer, of Alamogordo. Dittmer trained the space chimpanzees HAM and Enos at Holloman Aero Medical. Winzen Research produced the balloons used in Man High missions, in which Dittmer was involved. These images were in Dave Simons' personal collection, which his daughter donated to the New Mexico Museum of Space History after Simons' death.

point, the ground crew ordered descent. At 32 hours, the balloon touched down 405 miles from the launch site.

Simons cut loose the gondola and the balloon billowed up again to an altitude of about 1,500 feet, the AP said, which then landed three miles to the west. Souvenir hunters later tore it to pieces. Simons was flown to the Fargo, N.D., airport where he grabbed a pair of electric shavers, his tooth brush and a bar of soap.

While he dozed in space, Mrs. Simons and the four children slept in their sleeping bags in their backyard, the Alamogordo Daily News reported.

"That's what the children wanted to do," she said. "I guess it seemed more like being with their father."

On Aug. 25, the AP dubbed Simons "the Christopher Columbus of outer space."

"I marvel at his endurance and stamina," Stapp said. "He remained completely objective

... while trying to keep alive with one hand and performing scientific experiments with the other."

The Man High program concluded after Clifton McClure's flight of Oct. 8, 1958.

"Why did three of us risk our necks to learn the things we gathered from Man High?" the 1962 book "The Space Race" quoted Simons. "The answer is that the very act of our taking these risks meant that we were taking a short step forward toward the next difficult step, and the next one after that - to the seemingly impossible."

Simons became a clinical professor and co-authored numerous books on overcoming pain. He was 87 when, on April 5, 2010, he died at his Covington, Ga. home.

Michael Shinabery is an education specialist and Humanitarian Scholar with the New Mexico Museum of Space History. Shinabery may be contacted by email at michael.shinabery@state.nm.us.



Dave Simons is at left, beside a Winzen Research balloon.

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A student puts together a rocket during the NASA SEMAA Rocket Camp, one of many SEMAA camps held at New Mexico State University this summer.

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Camps may inspire careers NMSU hosts science-focused programs

Ask a child what they want to be when they grow up, and many will say a doctor, or a scientist, or an astronaut. New Mexico State University is helping children achieve dreams such as these through numerous camps throughout the summer.

Students from the southern part of the state participated in NASA Science, Engineering, Mathematics and Aerospace Academy (SEMAA) camps in June and July. Several robotics camps were held for students starting in the fifth grade, all the way up to high school seniors.

"I've been to the SEMAA engineering camp and had a great experience, so I wanted to come and learn about robots. Learning about and designing my robot was my favorite part of the camp," said Josiah Jaquess, a home-schooled ninth grader.

Fifth-grade students participated in a WeDo Robotics workshop. WeDo is an entry-level robotics program that uses cross-curriculum to teach language, literacy, teamwork and design. Throughout the week, they learned the basics of robotics while building a LEGO zoo. Participants built their robots, then used a drop-and-drop type of software to control them.

Those in the sixth through eighth grades took part in the NXT Robotics camp. With the NXT Robotics software, students can build robots and use software to plan, test and modify sequences of instructions from a variety of real life robotic behaviors. They designed and built robots mimicking animals and insects, along the way learning how unique animal traits influence robot designs for human use. They also gathered and analyzed data from touch and ultrasonic sensors using data logging functionalities, such as graph view.

The VEX Robotics workshop was an advanced camp for students who had two or more years experience working with the NXT robotics systems. Students programmed their robots to navigate through various challenges and play

fast-paced games.

"I've been fascinated by robots and how they work for a long time. I really liked learning how to program them," said Jared Shortal, a student in 10th grade at Mayfield High School.

Girls Learning Exciting Engineering, or G.L.E.E., was for students grades six through 10. Students explored civil, mechanical, electrical, industrial and chemical engineering through hands-on activities such as alternative energy-powered cars, thermoplastic polymer boats and LED hula hoops.

The rocket camps, for sixth through eighth graders, focused on rockets and the physics of rocket flight. Students built a variety of rockets and participated in daily launches. The Friday of the camp, families were able to participate in a launch.

High school students also had the opportunity to learn how to scuba dive during the Scuba Space Camp two-day underwater astronaut training. Campers experienced the way real astronauts train for their missions by assembling a model International Space Station underwater.

A Discover Engineering camp was held for sixth- through eighth-grade students in the Gadsden Independent School District. Participants learned about mechanical, electrical, civil, industrial and chemical engineering through hands-on activities. Some of the activities included mouse trap-powered vehicles, thermoplastic polymer boats and electric fireflies.

Merita Wilson brought students from Hatch Public Schools, where she is a teacher, to several of the SEMAA camps.

"In my community, most of the kids attending the SEMAA camps have parents who are migrant workers. They work out in the field all day, so the kids have pretty much nothing to do," she said. "Camps like these give kids a break from the mundane and allow them to see what else there is in the world."

Pet project considered Low-cost clinic proposed to combat animal overpopulation

By Rachel Christiansen
Las Cruces Bulletin

City Council held a special meeting Tuesday, Aug. 16, to discuss funding a new low-cost spay and neuter clinic to reduce the number of stray and euthanized animals in Doña Ana County.

Proposed is the renovation of a portable office building currently owned by the city located on Hadley Avenue to meet state requirements to perform veterinary services.

Animal Services Center of the Mesilla Valley (ASCMV) Director Dr. Beth Vesco-Mock urged city and county officials to work together to expand the spay and neuter services offered to citizens.

"This is a Doña Ana County problem, we need to help the entire county because these animals don't know what address they have," Vesco-Mock said.

According to Vesco-Mock, ASCMV took in more than 15,000 animals last year, and only 20 percent were adopted. More than 56 percent of the non-adopted animals were euthanized.

"Statistics show that 80 percent of animals need to be 'altered' in order to start seeing a reduction in the number of animals at the shelter, so that's our goal," Vesco-Mock said.

In an ideal situation, Vesco-Mock said, the facility would be able to perform at least 25 spay and neuter operations in the mornings, while reserving the afternoons for other low-cost veterinary services that people otherwise cannot afford.

Doubts were raised, however, as to whether the city and county could keep up with the long-term funds associated with the project. Besides

the building renovation estimated to cost between \$30,000 and \$50,000, the program would also require full-time staff and a second veterinary license, which would cost about \$250,000 annually.

"Without knowing what those costs exactly are, I can't really say whether our existing budget would be able to absorb it," Las Cruces City Manager Robert Garza said.

Councillor Miguel Silva, who also sits on the animal services board, said a new clinic "would be a great Christmas present," but probably isn't affordable "because we don't have a money machine in the basement."

"I don't think we need to get too ahead of ourselves yet in terms of where we're going to go with this," Silva said.

Despite the questions regarding resources, Las Cruces Mayor Ken Miyagishima remained positive about keeping the ball rolling for the new clinic.

"I think all of us can agree that all these other (animal services programs) we're trying to do are moot unless we get the pet population under control," Miyagishima said.

Representatives of the Spay and Neuter Action Program (SNAP) were also in attendance, telling the council that they too were willing to increase their output of animal services, but likewise had a lack of funding to do so.

Miyagishima suggested council members pledge \$2,500 each of their \$10,000 allocated budget to help the organization.

The vote to donate the building to the ASCMV will likely be held Tuesday, Sept. 6, and if adopted, could begin taking four-legged patients as early as January 2012.



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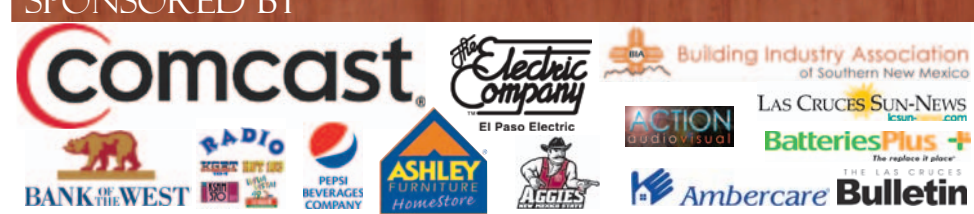
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Voicing opposition at the NM driver's license protest

Photos by Niki Rhynes

Following a march Tuesday, Aug. 16, from Apodaca Park to Albert Johnson Park, Lenore Durrado listens to speakers against actions taken by Gov. Susana Martinez to verify the residency status of 10,000 foreign nationals holding New Mexico driver's licenses. The protesters say the governor is attempting to change the current law that doesn't require U.S. citizenship to hold a New Mexico driver's license.



Maribel Salmon of Tortugas joins with marchers at Albert Johnson Park.



Magdalena Esparza chants through a bullhorn at the rally intended to keep pressure on Martinez, who is expected to add the changing driver's license law to the agenda for the special session of the Legislature in September.



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Equally passionate, however, are those who say the current practice is safer because people who may be here illegally are at least driving with a license and insurance. Advocates say taking away that access to driver's licenses will merely cause most of these people to drive without a license.

Lawmakers will be pleased to learn that Martinez is reportedly adding passing a capital outlay bill to the call for the special session. A \$240 million capital outlay package died in this year's Legislature because it got loaded with too many projects. Citing the lethargic economy that is especially hard on the construction industry, many lawmakers want to pass capital outlay projects in the special session.

The governor is the one who calls special sessions and sets the agenda of issues. Other issues Martinez plans to bring before the special session include:

- Allowing local governments and the state to ban all fireworks during extreme drought conditions. Under current state law, local governments can only restrict certain fireworks.
- Shoring up the finances of the fund that pays for unemployment benefits, according to press reports. Martinez vetoed a bill from the last session that would have had businesses provide \$128 million to ensure the solvency of the unemployment trust fund.
- Allocating money for a program that supplements federal food stamp benefits for low-income elderly and disabled New Mexicans. The governor has earmarked federal stimulus funds to keep the program going through September.
- Revamping a preference given to in-state businesses for bidding on government contracts and clarify provisions of a tax credit given to businesses that create high-wage jobs.

Some lawmakers are saying these are too many issues to take on in a special session, which is limited by the state constitution to 30 days.

At a luncheon Tuesday, Aug. 16, sponsored by the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce, local lawmakers said they wanted to see the session address many of these issues, such as changing the driver's licensing rules and tightening up the in-state preference requirements given on state contracts.

State Rep. Andy Nuñez, I-Hatch, said he believed it is possible to get many of these resolved in a special session.

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“If we can get the Senate to wake up, the House will get things done,” Nuñez said.

Nuñez, whose switch from Democrat to independent has made him a pivotal vote in the House, said he will not approve any redistricting plan that does not add another representative to Doña Ana County.

With many local Democratic lawmakers serving on interim committees, the other lawmakers at the chamber luncheon were freshmen Republicans – Reps. Rick Little and Terry McMillan and state Sen. Bill Burt. They echoed views held by Martinez that growing the state's economy requires easing regulations – especially environment protections – and reduce taxes to attract new business and revitalize the oil and gas industries.

McMillan said state government services depend on revenues that only a healthy economy producing jobs will provide.

“If businesses are happy, then everybody else is,” McMillan said. “People are coming back to the notion that the business of America is business.”

The chamber luncheon featured Beverlee McClure, the president/CEO of the New Mexico Association of Commerce and

Industry (ACI), who said the state is in dire need of producing more jobs.

New Mexico is one of 12 states still losing jobs, McClure said, and is in the worst shape of the 12. Adjusted for people who have run out of unemployment benefits, she said about 125,000 New Mexico are out of work.

McClure said no one – from the Martinez administration to the lawmakers – has yet come up with a clear plan to create jobs. If job creation isn't the main objective of the special session, she said it needs to be added to the agenda of the next scheduled 30-day session in January, which is limited to creating a budget unless the governor adds other issues to the agenda.

McClure said companies looking for places to locate their businesses are put off by New Mexico's regulatory environment, especially its greenhouse gas restrictions – the only state to have such independent regulations.

To encourage more job growth from those already doing business in New Mexico, she said ACI supports giving payroll tax breaks to companies expanding their workforce.

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Department of Music

A respected musical scholar and one of the nation's leading tuba players, Dr. Shearer is a champion of the visual, performing and literary arts. He brought the story of America's jazz ambassadors to the Branigan Cultural Center.

Main Street

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includes room for parking along the street, as well as decorative lighting fixtures and shade structures.

Johnson said work on the northern end of Main Street will be complete enough by Aug. 27 for the event's plans to have the classic cars parked on the street and still allow one-way traffic, Johnson said.

The \$3.1 million project won't be fully complete until mid-September or possibly October, Johnson said. Late monsoon rains have slowed the asphalt work some, according to Jaynes.

Meanwhile, business owners along the north end will relish the end of eight months of construction that has made it difficult for customers to traverse the street.

The first section of re-opened Main Street was made possible

through a state appropriation, Johnson said, but money for work on the north end has come from several sources, including funds from Downtown's Tax Increment Development District – a special designation that allows the city to borrow money for revitalization projects to be paid off by expected increases in gross receipts taxes from the revitalized section of the city.

Federal funds are helping to pay for the re-opening of the southern end of Main Street, Johnson said. The \$1.83 million project will be put out to bid in the next two or three weeks, he said, but won't include a planned roundabout. Limited funds and right-of-way issues will put off building the roundabout to a later date, he said.

Some other major components of the Downtown revitalization plan include the new City Hall and federal courthouse. Other completed features of the Downtown revitalization

effort include the rehabilitation of the Rio Grande Theatre and the creation of La Placita in the side street south of the theater. La Placita will be the site of the first SalsaFest! event, a gala starting at 6 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 27.

Tickets for the gala – which Chavez said will have a color theme of the state flag – are \$35, which includes a catered fajita dinner and dancing. Dress is “New Mexico creative formal,” Chavez said, and 400 tickets are on sale through the Downtown Las Cruces Partnership. To buy tickets, call the partnership at 525-1955.

The SalsaFest! centennial festivities begin at 11 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 28, with Gov. Susana Martinez expected to attend. At noon, another ceremony will rededicate Main Street and will be held where it crosses Las Cruces Avenue. To the south is the Rio Grande Theatre and to the north is the new City Hall – the city's past and future at its Downtown crossroads.



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Desert Gardens from Hatch brought onions, tomatoes, zucchini and other produce to the Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market Saturday, Aug. 13.

The roundabout on the north of Downtown's Main Street is beginning to take shape as crews prepare the new road for the SalsaFest! event Aug. 27-28.



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Food bank

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"What I get here I don't have to buy at Albertson's," Lynum said during the program's distribution Tuesday, Aug. 16, at the senior apartment complex. Pointing at the tables and shopping carts filled with food, he said, "It's money — all of this. Every little bit helps."

Funded by the City of Las Cruces, Montana Senior Village is currently the only Las Cruces distribution point for Roadrunner Food Bank's Senior Helpings Program, said Nancy Barnes-Smith, the nonprofit's southern New Mexico representative.

The boxes are assembled in Albuquerque, where Roadrunner is headquartered, and trucked to Las Cruces, where local fruits, vegetables and breads donated by stores and produce suppliers are added to the mix.

The truck then arrives to Montana Senior Village where a group of residents who volunteer to help with the distribution are waiting to convert a clubhouse area into a mini-market. Soon after, residents like Lynum begin showing up to check in to get their shopping cart and select bread, if they choose.

Kristen Harris, who works for J.L. Gray, a management company hired by the housing authority, said the complex has 132 units, but the program only is able to distribute 75 of the boxes, so those who get access to the program are those on the most limited income.

The boxes are usually filled with items such as rice, beans, oatmeal and a variety of canned goods. Harris said that since Roadrunner Food Bank took over local operations, there has been a marked improvement, especially in the quality of canned goods.

"I check these boxes regularly and it's all high quality," Harris said.

Previously, the canned goods were often dented and residents were worried about how safe it was, she said. Dented cans appear to be a thing of the past, she said, and residents are happy. They are also happy with the quality of

fresh produce, she said, which on this Tuesday was cabbage, onions, carrots and cherries.

Harris said she is grateful for the program because all the residents are on limited income. These seniors are not unlike those nationally, in which it is estimated that half of senior households don't have enough food. Harris said one resident told her she only gets \$15 a month in food stamp assistance, and nationally only about 20 percent of senior households get help from food stamps.

"It is really, really hard for many of these seniors," Harris said. "This is a big day for us."

The residents are grateful, too. Not only for the food, but for another chance to visit with each other and the volunteers said they find helping with the distribution to be rewarding.

"With Roadrunner, it's about more than giving out food," said Barnes-Smith. "It's about community and having these programs help support a sense of community."

Harris agreed. "They have a lot of fun working together," she said.

Roadrunner's Senior Helpings Program distributes 1,125 packaged boxes a month in 10 counties around the state. With food items designed to meet the nutritional needs of seniors, each box weighs 38 pounds and should provide at least 30 supplemental meals.

A donation of \$40 to the program can help two seniors for a month and a donation of \$240 can support a senior in the program for a full year.



Melvin Lynum asks volunteer Barbara Billiot about the breads available at Roadrunner Food Bank's Senior Helpings Program distribution Tuesday, Aug. 16, at Montana Senior Village.

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To help

People can now donate directly to Las Cruces food bank operations through Roadrunner Food Bank's website at www.rrfb.org in the take-action section. For more information, contact Roadrunner Food Bank southern New Mexico representative Nancy Barnes-Smith by calling 993-4085 or by email at nancy@rrfb.org

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Gearing up for classes at NMSU orientation

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Bailey Schurr, Chelsea Canon and Kyra Grant give a thumbs up for the College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences Wednesday, Aug. 17, at orientation outside the Corbett Center Student Union on the New Mexico State University campus.



Katherine Cavaliere, sophomore, and Greg McPherson, a grad student, take time to dance.



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Carlotta Clark-VanBrunt and volunteer Alex Fuentes help New Mexico State University student Abra Clark-VanBrunt move into Piñon Hall during the fall semester move-in day Sunday, Aug. 14.



Friends and family wait at the curb in front of Garcia Hall, one of the main dorms on the NMSU campus.



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New Mexico State University history department head Jon Hunner, family and friends explore the Lake Ladgo Dam in northern Cameroon. Pictured from left are Dr. Clifford Ebong, Bryan Ebong, Harley Hunner, Jon Hunner, Mary Ellen Hunner and Sydney Ebong.



NMSU professor to begin global lecture series

International outreach by university faculty is focus

A New Mexico State University history professor's recent visit to Africa convinced him of the value of sharing his own international experience.

Jon Hunner, who is also head of the history department, is spearheading a yearlong series of lectures by enlisting other faculty in the College Arts and Sciences to share their global connections with the public.

Hunner will give the first of these talks about his trip to Cameroon at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 6 in the Creative Media Institute Theatre at Milton Hall on the NMSU campus.

"We ate some traditional foods and met many of the people in that village," Hunner said. "The lecture series will offer an armchair experience of different peoples and different lands."

Hunner described a grueling 30-hour flight to Cameroon to visit his son, Harley, who is in the Peace Corps. Hunner and his wife Mary joined their son in a village with no running water and no electricity.

"The power was out when we went there, too, so we got a taste of the 'real Africa' as Harley said. We met some of Harley's friends and toured a local hospital where there is a cholera hut to treat the outbreak of cholera that occurs every wet season which is the summer," Hunner said.


He not only expanded his understanding of the local culture during his trip to Cameroon, but Hunner also gained new perspective from how the experience has affected his son who has spent 27 months in the African village.

"We live in an interconnected world and many of us don't have the opportunity to go out and see it," Hunner said. "I thought it would be nice to share my experience in Africa with the university."

The "Global Connections" series will feature faculty members' trips around the world. The purpose is to provide an opportunity for the campus and surrounding community to listen and ask questions about these kinds of first-hand experiences. The "Global Connections" series runs through April 2012 and will be offered on the first Tuesday of each month, except December and January. Each presentation will begin at 4:30 p.m. in the Creative Media Institute Theatre.

The lectures are free and open to the public. A parking permit for off-campus visitors may be obtained at <https://corridor.nmsu.edu/auxadmin/ParkingForms/epermit.aspx>.

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Call me a hopeless optimist, if you will (is that an oxymoron?), but I have a good feeling about the fall season for New Mexico State sports.

It all kicks off at 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 19, when new coach Blair Quinn leads the Aggies down to El Paso to take on UTEP. The addition of Quinn has raised the excitement level for NMSU soccer, and hopefully that excitement will draw out a good crowd when the Aggies play their first home game against Prairie View A&M at 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 26, at Aggie Memorial Stadium.

By the way, young soccer fans in first-through eighth-grade can take part in a free clinic at 11 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 28, before the Aggies 1 p.m. game against Houston Baptist University. The kids in the clinic will get into that game for free.

Also coming up at 3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, is the annual Alumni Volleyball game in the Pan American Center. Coach Mike Jordan has added depth and athleticism to his team, and if history is any indication, there is a good chance that he can get his team back to the NCAA tournament at the end of the season. The Aggies are picked to finish second in the WAC this year, and they feature three pre-season all-conference selections, Kelsey Brennan, Jennah DeVries and Desiree Scott.

Only two weeks away is the first game of the Aggie football season. Coach DeWayne Walker has also added athletes to his program, and he seems to have found the right offensive coordinator in Doug Martin. The Aggies' first game is at 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 3, hosting Ohio of the Mid-American Conference. Maybe coach Martin can bring some of the magic he used to thump the Bobcats 28-6 last year at Kent State.

Martin reportedly had the Aggies offense clicking at a faster pace than it has in the last few seasons. With the return of several key offensive players from last season, such as Andrew Manley, Taveon Rogers and Kenny Turner, and an offensive line that seems to have Walker smiling, there can be little doubt the Aggies will be improved on offense.

Starting the season with a win over a team like Ohio would be a great step in the right direction for the NMSU program. There are definitely some winnable games early in the season if the Aggies can put it all together.

Not too far away is the start of the basketball season, and the return of San Francisco Pro-Am MVP Wendell McKines should get any real Aggie fan excited.

With McKines, Hamidu Rahman, Chili Nephawe and B.J. West in the front court, NMSU shouldn't have too many weaknesses in that department. Throw in some talented new players, such as Remi Barry, Eric Weary and Oñate's Terrell DeRouen, and the Aggies should make a strong run at the WAC title.

Serve it up!

Putting puzzle pieces together

Deeper, more athletic Aggies face off against alumni team

By **Jim Hilley**
 Las Cruces Bulletin

When the New Mexico State University volleyball team takes on the alumni at 3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, in the Pan American Center, fans will get a chance to see a deeper, more athletic team than last year, coach Mike Jordan said.

"We're very athletic; I like that part of us," he said. "We've got pretty good chemistry so far, I think, and a lot of youthful enthusiasm, which is great."

Though last year's team went 12-4 in the WAC, good enough for second place behind perennial WAC power Hawai'i, the Aggies' failure to make the NCAA tournament was a bit of a let down.

"The bar is set pretty high here,

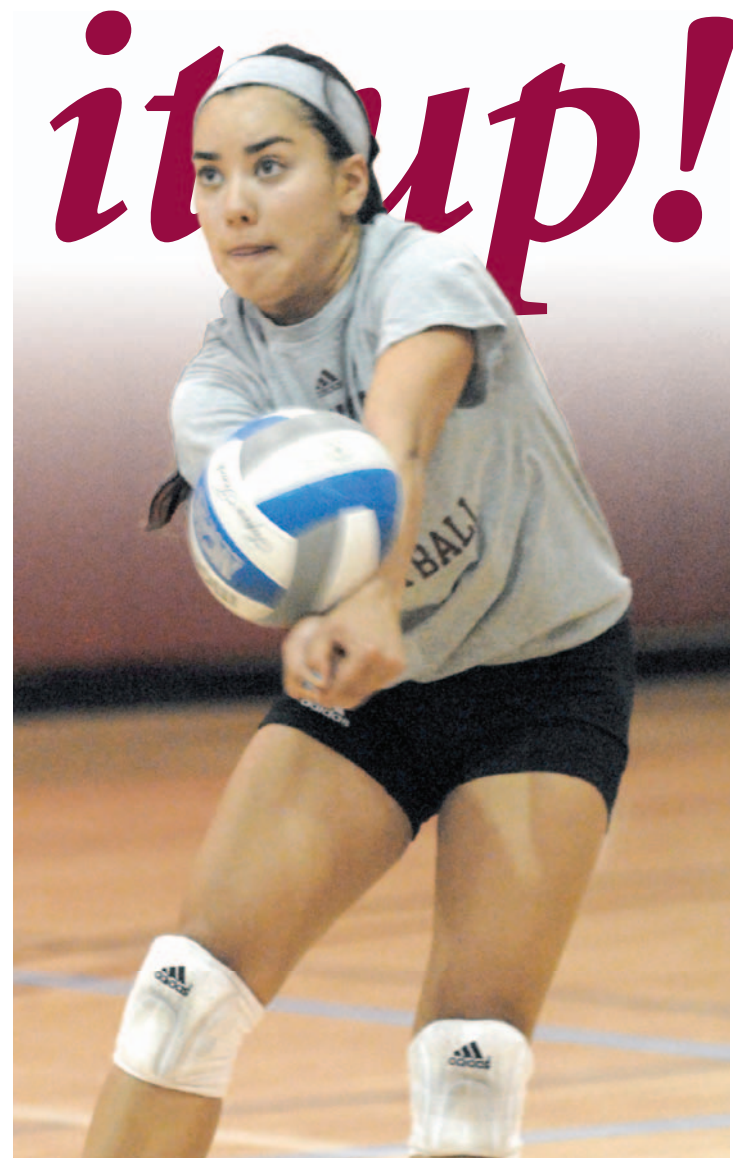
and so finishing second and 18-13, and not making the NCAA is a disappointment," Jordan said.

"I think the understanding for this group is that we have to be a better defending team. We got to block it better, and we've got to serve it tougher. If we do that, we're going to score more points in bunches, and that's something we didn't do a very good job of last year."

One task on Jordan's plate is to replace outside hitters Kayleigh Giddens and Whitney Woods. The coach said having Stephanie Ziegler back from injury will help in that department.

"Missing her last year was hard, she's one of our better passers," he said.

"We've got her back and a few
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Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Niki Rhynes

Aggie defensive specialist Shelby Tamura readies for the upcoming season Tuesday, Aug. 16, on the practice court at the Pan American Center.

Tough race looming for court supremacy

'Marvelous players' dot volleyball landscape in the City of the Crosses

By **Craig Massey**
 Las Cruces Bulletin

District 3-5A is powerful, at least at the top, in most sports. But the league's strength from top to bottom is making it one of the best volleyball districts in the state.

Las Cruces High has won five state championships under coach Keith Leupold, Mayfield has won two under coach Michael Sautter, including 2009 and Gadsden won it all last year. Oñate improved last year and is expected to be even better in the future with the addition of veteran coach Marian Bennett, who had a hall-of-fame coaching career in El Paso.

"Our district should be stronger than last year and we sent three teams to the playoffs last year," Sautter said. "It could be the best district in the state from top to bottom. Our district

schedule alone makes us ready for the state playoffs."

"Top to bottom, hands down (it's the best)," Leupold said. "There are players on every team that are marvelous."

The teams began their season earlier this week with matches against El Paso. Here is a look at the city's four high school volleyball teams.

Las Cruces Bulldawgs

Leupold's Bulldawgs return eight regular players from last year's young team that compiled a 13-10 record.

"We lost our setter, but we have a pretty good crew coming back," Leupold said. "I expect us to be a year better this year. I told (the players) that a year older is not good enough. We have to be a year better."

The new setters will be junior
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Las Cruces High School's senior middle blocker Sarah Hurd gets in a workout Monday, Aug. 15, in the Bulldawg gym.

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New Mexico State quarterback Andrew Manley practices at Aggie Memorial Stadium Monday, Aug. 15.

Wide receiver Austin Franklin protects the ball after making a catch.



Coach DeWayne Walker said freshman quarterback Tra Vaughn Colwell may have the skills to "do it all."



Defensive back Ben Bradley intercepts the ball.



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Reliving memories

Alumni return to the Mesilla Valley to face off against current volleyball squad



Jack Nixon
Jack's Corner

One of my favorite Aggie events is at 3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, the alumni game for NM State volleyball.

Before I get to that, I need to remind you it is not the first event of the week. The first official competition for NM State comes up Friday, Aug. 19, when first-year head coach Blair Quinn takes his soccer team to UTEP. The Aggies match with the Miners was canceled last year because of weather.

Quinn's team travels on to Lubbock, Texas, for a Sunday, Aug. 21, match with Texas Tech. The Crimson and White "booters" host their first home match at 7 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 2, with Prairie View A&M. The following Sunday, Aug. 28, has a free clinic for kids first- through the eighth-grade as the lead-in to their 1 p.m. match with Houston Baptist.

Now back to the alumni game for the Jordanaires. The ranks of available alumni have been a little thinned by biology. That is to say, the number of former players who are raising families is growing. Between those who are expecting and those whose family responsibilities can't be shirked for the weekend has made a little tougher to round up enough available alumni opponents, but a good group will be on hand.

This year's alums include Kelli Goodan, Krista Altermatt, Lani Stoltzfus-Hofacket and Ring of Honor member and senior

woman administrator Maria Roth, among others.

They will don their old uniforms, probably because athletes never get over the thrill of competing and reliving the great memories. The fact that so many have returned to the Mesilla Valley through the years shows how much they care for the program, their head coach Mike Jordan and the university.

I'm guessing that lure of Mesilla Valley chile also plays a role in the decision-making process.

As far as the varsity, Kelsey Brennan and Jenah DeVries are seniors now and looking to put the Aggies back atop the league standings and into the NCAA Tournament. The 2010 season was a year that made Jordan feel snake-bitten.

Injuries forced him to shuffle his lineup and re-recruit, his libero, Kelsi Phillips.

Other returnees include Desiree Scott, Stephanie Ziegler and Brynja Rodgers. Jordan has added six freshmen to the roster to keep the stock of reserves deep. Jordan has backed up a little on strength of opponents but does have the non-conference matchups that should prepare them for what the WAC will hold.

Nebraska and South Florida are the Aggies' opponents at the Lobo tournament and trips to Northwestern and Texas State will have quality opponents that should help NM State start the momentum that hopefully will lead to the postseason.

Saturday afternoon in the Pan American Center is the time to greet the past and preview the future.

“... athletes never get over the thrill of competing and reliving the great memories.”

Track team earns honors

Aggies make coaches association all academic team

The U.S. Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association (USTFCCCA) recently announced All-Academic teams and individual honorees for the 2011 season. The New Mexico State track and field squad attained team recognition and three athletes earned individual honors.



BRENNAN

The Aggies joined 163 other Division I teams that earned the award as a result of a cumulative team GPA of 3.0 or better. Additionally, javelin thrower Kelsey Brennan as

well as distance runners Camille Schultz and Courtney Schultz represented NMSU on the women's 2011 Division I All-Academic Track and Field team. A record total of 663 student athletes representing 172 institutions compose the group.

“This is a significant award for the track and field team,” said Aggie assistant coach Paul Harkins. “The awards show that our athletes are dedicated and work hard both on and off the track.”

To qualify for the USTFCCCA All-Academic Track and Field Team, the student-athlete must have compiled a cumulative grade point average of 3.25 and must have participated in any round of the NCAA Division I Championships (including preliminary rounds).

The USTFCCCA academic awards are the first for the Aggies from the organization since Ingrid Flores and Jordan Veney earned individual honors in 2008.

The NMSU cross country teams open the 2011 season Sept. 3 at the University of New Mexico's Lobo Invitational in Albuquerque.

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SportsSchedule

Las Cruces High School

Friday, Aug. 19	Girls Soccer	Rio Rancho	4 p.m.
	Boys Soccer	Hobbs High School	6 p.m.
Tuesday, Aug. 23	Volleyball	at Chapin High School	7 p.m.
Thursday, Aug. 25	Football	at El Dorado	7 p.m.
Aug. 26-27	Boys Soccer	at LCPS Tournament	TBA
	Girls Soccer	at LCPS Tournament	TBA
	Volleyball	at West Texas/Franklin Tournament	TBA



Mayfield High School

Saturday, Aug. 20	Girls Soccer	Rio Rancho High School	1 p.m.
Tuesday, Aug. 23	Girls Soccer	at Chaparral High School	3 p.m.
	Volleyball	at Franklin High School	7 p.m.
Thursday, Aug. 25	Football	Chapin High School	7 p.m.
Aug. 26-27	Boys Soccer	at LCPS Tournament	TBA
	Girls Soccer	at LCPS Tournament	TBA
	Volleyball	at West Texas/Franklin Tournament	TBA



Oñate High School

Friday, Aug. 19	Girls Soccer	at Ruidoso High School	4 p.m.
Tuesday, Aug. 23	Boys Soccer	Chaparral High School	5 p.m.
	Volleyball	at Eastwood High School	7 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 26	Football	Franklin High School	7 p.m.
Aug. 26-27	Boys Soccer	at LCPS Tournament	TBA
	Girls Soccer	at LCPS Tournament	TBA
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Mesilla Valley Christian Schools

Friday, Aug. 26	Volleyball	at Tornillo High School (at Chaparral HS)	4:15 p.m.
	Football	Tornillo High School (at Gadsden HS)	7 p.m.



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New Mexico State University junior setter Jennah DeVries gets in some practice Wednesday, Aug. 16, at the Pan American Center. DeVries has been selected to the preseason all-WAC team, along with teammates Kelsey Brennan and Desiree Scott.

Puzzle

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freshmen outside hitters that are all athletic enough to play. They just have to improve and be more consistent, but they're certainly athletic enough and physical enough to do a good job."

Jordan said Meredith Hays, a 5-11 freshman from Hereford, Texas, will get a chance to start at that position.

"We thought she would be good right away, and she has been," he said.

"We have a lot to learn, still, and a ways to go before we're a good team, but I like the pieces of the puzzle. Hopefully we'll put it together pretty quick."

The Aggies will want to improve quickly, as the first regular season game is against Nebraska, Friday, Aug. 26, in Albuquerque in the MCM Elegante Lobo Classic. The Cornhuskers are the No. 5 team in the country, according to the preseason poll.

"Nebraska will show us a certain level of volleyball and really expose whatever serious

weaknesses we have. It'll be a good eye-opener for us," Jordan said.

"Really, the goal of the preseason is to play as good of competition as you can, raise that RPI and find out what your bad at."

Another player that has impressed Jordan is Gwen Murphy, a middle hitter out of Elfrida, Ariz. Apparently, Jordan is happy enough with his team's depth to redshirt the 6-2 freshman.

"She's really opened some eyes," Jordan said.

Jordan said the fans should enjoy this team.

"We're going to be fun to watch. This is a team that is going to be built on how hard they play, No. 1, so we'll be exciting from that standpoint," he said.

"We'll be versatile. Last year, Giddens took 1,500 swings or something like that, and she was the go-to player. Now, we have more balance offensively. I think those things are good for us.

"A lot of our players are more well-rounded, better attackers, better hitters than they were a year ago. We're going to be tougher to defend, for sure."

NMSU second in WAC poll

Three Aggies selected to all-conference team

The Western Athletic Conference volleyball coaches have selected Hawai'i to win its 16th-straight WAC regular-season crown in 2011. The coaches also voted on the preseason award winners and Hawai'i senior Kanani Danielson was the unanimous pick for WAC Preseason Player of the Year.

The Rainbow Wahine received seven of the eight first-place votes with Utah State earning the other first-place vote. Hawai'i earned 49 total points followed by New Mexico State with 41. Utah State was picked to finish third with 34 points, followed closely by Idaho in fourth with 33 points. Fresno State was picked fifth with 25 points, while Nevada was selected sixth with 20 points. San Jose State and Louisiana Tech rounded out

the poll with 14 and eight points, respectively.

Hawai'i is coming off a 29-3 season in 2010 that saw the Rainbow Wahine earn their 15th-consecutive WAC regular-season title with a perfect 16-0 record. Utah State won its first-ever WAC Tournament title with a sweep of Hawai'i and advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 2005.

Hawai'i placed the most players on the preseason all-WAC team with four, while New Mexico State and Utah State had three apiece. Joining Danielson on the preseason team are fellow Wahine Emily Hartong, Brittany Hewitt and Chanteal Satele, New Mexico State's Kelsey Brennan, Jennah DeVries and Desiree Scott, Utah State's Liz McArthur, Shay Sorensen and

Josselyn White, Fresno State's Brianna Clarke and Idaho's Allison Walker.

Nine of the 12 student-athletes selected to the preseason all-WAC team were named to the 2010 all-WAC teams. Seven members were first team all-WAC honorees a year ago (Brennan, Danielson, DeVries, Hewitt, McArthur, Satele and Walker), while two 2010 second team honorees are on the team (Clarke and Hartong).

The 2011 season begins the weekend of Aug. 26 with all eight teams in action. The 2011 WAC Volleyball Tournament will be held Nov. 21-23 at the Orleans Arena in Las Vegas, Nev., and will include the top six teams in the regular-season standings. The championship match will be televised live on ESPNU.

Volleyball

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Audrey Velasquez, who was a defensive specialist last year, and Lexi Dotson, who also is expected to be one of the top outside hitters in the area. Leupold calls Dotson, a junior, "probably the most complete player on the team."

Other key returning players include 6-0 senior middle blocker Sarah Hurd, who is in her third year on the varsity, 5-9 junior outside hitter Tristen Lucero, 5-10 sophomore hitter Kaily Madden, 5-4 junior libero Alyssa Montoya, and Sierra Ludington, who is injured and should be back sometime in September.

"I think we'll have plenty of offense as the year progresses," Leupold said. "The key will be how we handle the ball defensively and how our setter comes along. I think Audrey will do some good things."

Mayfield Trojans

Mayfield had an 11-12 record overall last year, but came on strong in district with a 6-2 mark. The Trojans likely will play their best volleyball late in the season again this

year because Sautter will be working several younger players into the lineup.

MHS returns six players who were on the varsity last year, including seniors Allison Luct, a middle blocker, and Karlie Ontiveros, the setter as well as junior Rocio Ramirez, the team's libero. The other three players with varsity experience are senior Elle Martin, a defensive specialist, senior Haley Bloomquist, a left-side hitter, and junior Kaylee Scoughton, a middle blocker.

"We're a pretty big team and pretty athletic, but a little low on experience," Sautter said. "There will be some young kids stepping into positions that haven't been on the varsity."

Sautter said Mayfield faces a "brutal" schedule this year, with matches against Franklin, Cleveland, Rio Rancho and Cibola.

"We're going to be tested right out of the gate," he said. "But we like that. It's going to make us better by playoff time."

Oñate Knights

Bennett, who comes to Las Cruces from Santa Teresa, where she helped turn around the Desert Warriors' program, takes over an Oñate team that will be trying to work its way to the level of the district's top three teams – Gadsden, LCHS and Mayfield.

"The girls are working hard, but everything is new for them," Bennett said. "Everybody's attitude is very good and that will pay off."

Bennett said the Knights need plenty of work in all areas, but the potential is there.

"We have some height and some quickness," she said. "We're just hoping it all comes together. We have some individual talent, but how we come together as a team will be the important part."

MVCS SonBlazers

Like Oñate, the volleyball program at Mesilla Valley Christian Schools has received

a boost from the hiring of a new coach.

Amanda Whatley takes over a SonBlazers team that went through three coaches last season. Aside from stability, Whatley brings a playing resumé that is outstanding. An all-state player from Houston, she played on a Division II national championship team at West Texas A&M and earned an Olympic tryout.

"I felt like this is my calling," Whatley said. "God led me to this, and this is my ministry."

Whatley said she is building the program on conditioning, and only started working with the players on ball drills since the beginning of August. She said her team held its own in scrimmages against the 5A teams in town.

The squad, which competes at the 2A level, has only nine players – five seniors, two juniors and two sophomores. The top players are 5-11 middle blocker Astin Narvaez; setter Merrily Gomez, who was an outside hitter last year; hitter Shaina Brown; and libero Taylor Brown.

"We're a small team, but we're coming together," Whatley said. "They needed someone to step in and be a leader, someone with a vision for the program. The kids have been willing to listen to me and do whatever I've asked. I'm excited about the season."

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The 93rd PGA Championship had it all, including a playoff. As Jason Dufner stood on the 250-yard, par three 15th tee at the famed Atlanta Athletic Club, he watched the head-spinning events unfold below him.

Keegan Bradley, just 25 years old, who was only two shots behind Dufner at the time, bladed a greenside wedge that was way too hot and ran across the green and tumbled into the water just beyond. It was the same shot that Tiger hit, which rolled into the water on Friday, except Tiger was in a bunker.

Bradley tripled the hole, giving Dufner a five-shot lead. Instead of hanging his head in sorrowful resignation for the inevitable loss that should have followed, Bradley straightened up and marched on to the next hole, as if nothing happened. Meanwhile, Dufner proceeded to push his drive to the right, which splashed down wide of the green. He went to the drop area, and with a brilliant wedge and a putt, he salvaged bogey.

In the twosome ahead, Bradley began a display of major championship golf seldom seen by a rookie. This was Bradley's first major tournament. A few months ago, he won at the Byron Nelson, so he proved he can play; but the pressure of a major is much different.

Bradley birdied 16, and then hit a safe shot to the par-3 17th green, some 35 feet away. PGA Tour statistics gave him a 3 percent chance of draining the putt. Seemingly oblivious to the pressure of the situation, he rolled the putt perfectly along a five foot break to the left, and it went in. As fate would have it, Dufner bogeyed 16 and three-putted 17, thus giving back three shots in three holes, to Bradley's two birdies. Both paled 18, forcing a playoff.

For the PGA Championship, a playoff is first decided by the aggregate score for three holes, before the sudden death rule goes into effect. As the bright, early evening Georgia sunshine was fading in the west, Bradley continued his mind-blowing comeback, playing those three playoff holes in one-under par, one better than Dufner.

He had no trouble hoisting the 27-pound Wanamaker trophy.

For those ignoramuses who think that major championships and the television coverage of same are reserved for the marquee players in the world, you better get real. The Masters, the Open Championship and the PGA were won by players who are way down the world-ranking list. One responder to Fox News' website wrote in that he thought he was watching a tightly contested Nationwide Tour event, with Dufner and Bradley vying for the lead.

This is the future bud; look at the writing on the wall.

Right now, Tiger is irrelevant. Phil's only chance is at Augusta. The rest of the major set-ups are up for grabs, and I like it that way. To follow Bob Dylan's line, "the times are a changin'."

Keegan grew up a skier in Vermont, the nephew of LPGA great Pat Bradley. He lived much of his childhood in Massachusetts, as opposed to the vast majority of today's tour players who played junior golf south of the Mason-Dixon line. Recalling his skiing days, Bradley told the press, "I'm at the top of this mountain in Killington, Vt., thinking 'This isn't much fun.'"

"That was the moment I realized I didn't want to ski. I wanted to be a golfer."

And some golfer he turned out to be. (I skied Killington back in the day on a rainy, frozen day, and I thought it sucked; but I didn't decide to be a golfer. I turned out to be an Ironman triathlete and then a golfer.) The last Massachusetts golfer who won a major was Francis Ouimet, winning the famed U.S. Open in 1913.

On a golf course that befuddled Tiger Woods, who played badly and didn't even make the cut, some scores were particularly impressive. Steve Stricker shot 63 on Thursday, nearly

eclipsing the low score record in a major when he missed a 15-footer on 18. And Brendan Steele's 66 on Saturday left him tied for the lead with Dufner heading into Sunday's final round. But you have to string wonderful rounds together to win a major championship, and Steele failed to do that, folding to a 77 on Sunday, leaving him tied for ninth.

The Atlanta Athletic Club, which has hosted major championship golf in the past, came under fire early in the week for its Rees Jones makeover and its tricky water-laden layout. The 18th hole, which measured roughly 500 yards, with water all the way down the left, bunkers lining the right and playing as a par 4, was met with mixed reviews from the pros.

Oh, by the way, there is a forced carry over a lake to get to the green.

"A stupid hole," said Ryan Palmer of the 18th.

"It's a great par 5," said Phil Mickelson, slightly with tongue in cheek.

AAC turned out to be not a bomb-and-gouge golf course, which I think is a good thing for an important major. Sometimes the pros get too focused on the par or sub-par figures, and lose sight of the best score you can make on a particular hole. Keegan Bradley didn't.

On Thursday, Mickelson made the statement in a press interview that "modern golf architecture (like the AAC course) is killing the game." He went on to cite the many forced carries over water and severely long holes. According to Phil, the forced carries from a long distance don't present much of a problem for the professional tour pros, "we're going to hit the green no matter what," but the design is flawed for the average handicap player.

I don't know what Phil had in mind, but the reality is that 95 percent of everyday golfers in America will never even see or get to play a layout such as the AAC course. Pedestrian golfers mainly play muni golf courses, and for the most part, they aren't the products of famous architects.

However, I do agree with a point that was made Thursday on PGA Tour radio (SiriusXM), which focused on the fact that so many big-name golf course architects create course layouts predominantly for the benefit of their own ego and not necessarily for the enjoyment of the golfing public.

As for newly crowned PGA Champion Bradley, the script could not have been written to have an improbable ending like it was.

"I kept telling myself, 'don't let that hole (the triple at 15) define this whole tournament,'" he said.

"I had played so well and I gutted out rounds and I just didn't want to be remembered as the guy who tripled that hole and went on to lose."

The mental toughness Bradley showed after the disaster at 15 should serve as a lesson to all golfers, from 8 to 80. And this is not the last we've heard from him.

"Ever since I was 10 years old, I've kind of flown under the radar," Bradley said.

Memo to the PGA Tour: the ad should read, "All these guys are good." Not just the notable stars, which the tour gets all too caught up in promoting. The times are changin' indeed – old guys can win on quirky courses, and young guns can outshine anyone else on set-ups that are extreme.

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 drblanchard@lascrucesbulletin.com.

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This fishing report, provided by the Department of Game and Fish and thefishphone.com, has been generated from the best information available from area officers, anglers, guides and local businesses. Conditions may vary as stream, lake and weather conditions alter fish and angler activities.

Northwest

Animas River – The flow is 227 cfs. The river is fishing fair for trout using various bead-headed nymphs, spinners and worms.

Chama River – Upper section flow is 24 cfs. Below El Vado, the flow is 821 cfs. The upper Chama in the Sargent Wildlife area has the most consistent good fishing on the Chama as a whole. The stretch flowing downstream of the village of Chama into El Vado reservoir is low and fishing is very slow. The river below El Vado is open, but the release is too high to wade. If you can find a spot, big nymphs dead drifted and finished with a swing or stripping streamers is the way to go there. The stretch below Abiquiu Dam typically won't really fish well until autumn. The release here is also too high to wade safely.

San Juan River – Upper section – Catch and Release flow is 939 cfs. Fishing is good.

Abiquiu Lake – Fishing is slow for all species including walleye with a few smaller-sized fish being caught. Some smallmouth bass have been reported but at best it is hit and miss for them. Catfish are reported as slow.

El Vado Lake – Fishing is slow.

Heron Lake – Fishing is fair for trout from the bank and trolling. Most success has been by Willow Creek along the channel into the lake. Power Bait, worms and spinners tipped with corn are working well. Salmon fishing is good when trolling double whammies, Kokanee Killers and Panther Martins tipped with corn and garlic Power Bait in 25 to 35 feet of water.

Jackson Lake – Trout fishing is reported as fair to good using Power Bait, salmon eggs and worms.

Lake Farmington – Trout fishing is reported as fair to good by the spillway using Power Bait, salmon eggs and worms.

Morgan Lake – No report.

Navajo Lake – Salmon are reported as good to excellent using double whammies, super dupers and z-rays. Northern pike are still hitting and reported as good. No report on other species.

Northeast

Cimarron River – The flow below Eagle Nest Dam is 45 cfs and 35 cfs near Cimarron. Golden stones, scuds, and baetis nymphs have all been working. The river was stocked last week with 2,424 triploid rainbow trout.

Costilla Creek – The flow is 37 cfs near the town of Costilla and 42 cfs at the dam. Fishing is reported as good with various bead headed nymphs, stimulators with droppers and dry flies. The river was stocked last week with 399 triploid rainbow trout.

Red River – Flows are 12 cfs near Questa and 35 cfs below the hatchery. The area reopened last week and all methods have been catching fish. The river was stocked last week with triploid rainbow trout; above Questa with 2,702, West Fork with 300, East Fork with 300, Fawn Lakes was stocked with 701 triploid rainbow trout.

Rio Grande – Flows are 146 cfs near Cerro and 286 cfs below the Taos Junction Bridge. The best fishing is on the lower Red or the

Hondo as the main stem Rio Grande has had some fluctuations in flow and is mucked up.

Rio Hondo – The flow is 12 cfs and fishing is good for trout using dry/dropper rigs with stimulators on top and copper johns or caddis emergers below. The lower river was stocked with 200 triploid rainbow trout last week.

Rio Pueblo – The flow is 4.2 cfs. The river was stocked with 1,200 triploid rainbow trout last week.

Cabresto Lake – The lake is closed for repairs to the dam.

Charette Lakes – Fishing is slow. Top water fly fishing is reported as good in the mornings. Perch are fair.

Clayton Lake – Fishing is reported as slow.

Eagle Nest Lake – Fishing for trout is reported as good. Trolling is great for trout using lightweight tackle. Perch are good to excellent off the bank with worms. The lake was stocked with 2,498 triploid rainbow trout last week.

Lake Alice and Lake Maloya – Portions of Sugarite Canyon State Park have recently reopened but there are no reports.

Maxwell Lakes – The water level is very low at Lake No.13 and fishing is slow.

Shuree Ponds – The water level on the upper pond is reported to be 10 feet down. This is making float tubing difficult and fishing is reported as fair overall. The ponds were stocked with 400 triploid rainbow trout last week.

Springer Lakes – Fishing is reported as slow. Water levels are dropping due to irrigation so water levels are low.

West-Central

Jemez River, East Fork, Guadalupe and San Antonio – Flow on the Jemez River is 9.6 cfs. Low and warm water is plaguing the streams of the Jemez. The Valles Caldera National Preserve is open but with limited access. The visitor center is open and the Valles Caldera will resume normal summer activities excluding those which normally occur in the burned areas. The Rio San Antonio fishing program on the Preserve is suspended for the remainder of this year. The fishing program resumed Aug. 17, on the East Fork, and it runs through Sunday, Oct. 9. Visit their website at www.vallescaldera.gov for more information.

Metro Drainages – Stocking has ended for the season and trout fishing is reported as slow.

Bluewater Lake – No report on trout. The tiger muskies are fishing good, with several large fish being caught, several in the 40 inch range. The fish reported were caught on Rattletraps while trolling and jerk baits from shore.

Cochiti Lake – Closed due to after math of the fire and concerns for flash flooding. Lake is scheduled to reopen Aug. 17. The Cochiti side of the lake will be the only access and there will be hours of operation in effect. For more information, call Kristin Skopec at 505-342-3171.

Fenton Lake – The lake is open and reported as the best spot right now in the area. Fishing for trout is reported as good with worms and power bait. The lake was stocked with 270 rainbow trout last week. The Cebolla River that flows into and out of the lake was stocked with 450 rainbow trout last week.

Tingley Beach – Tingley Beach is open and stocked with catfish. The game department stocked 2,500 catfish in the Children's and Central Pond two weeks ago and they are biting on almost everything. Bluegill can also be caught all day long with a tiny piece of worm below a bobber. No reports on large mouth bass.

East-Central

Coyote Creek – The flow is 0.87 cfs. Fishing is fair for trout.

Pecos River – All of the public accesses in the Pecos canyon are open. The river has come up a little, but is clear especially the higher you go. Use small flies during clear water and switch to a bigger, flashier fly if the water is murky. Caddis, yellow sallies, hoppers ants, and beetles have been the best producers. The Pecos National Historical Park's Fishing Program for the summer ended Aug. 8. You can make a reservation for the fall season now. The fall season runs from Sept. 8-Nov. 7. Visit www.nps.gov/peco/index.htm and click on "2011 Fishing Program," for details. The river was stocked from the Village of Pecos to Cowles.

Conchas Lake – Walleye fishing is reported as fair. Fish are being found in 25 to 30 feet of water and moving deeper with the warming water. Fish are hitting jigs with worms and minnows. Some bass are being taken off points and structure. No report on what they are hitting. Catfish are reported as fair using trot lines baited with liver and stink bait. A few big fish reported taken, one at 14 pounds and several around 10 pounds were landed.

Morphy Lake – Open to camping and fishing. No fishing report this week.

Santa Rosa Lake – No report this week.

Storrie Lake – Fishing is good for trout using Power Bait, with many limits taken. Catfish are fair to good with chicken liver.

Sumner Lake – No report this week.

Ute Lake – Fishing pressure is starting to lighten up due to school starting along with football gearing up, but the fishing is still actually pretty good. Fishing is hit and miss. Walleye are fair to good. Trolling over brush is still producing a few fish. Carolina rigged crawlers in 25 to 35 feet of water will also work. White bass are good to excellent when trolling. Horse shoe to Mine canyon is the best bet. Small and Largemouth bass are fishing fair in the early morning with top water gear. Followed by a mid day bite at 20 feet down near the main lake flats using whacky rigged crawlers. Catfish are fishing good with stink baits and chicken liver in 8 to 20 feet of water. This is the best bite on the lake right now.

Southwest

Gila River – The flow is 55 cfs and fishing is slow due to warm water on the West, East and Middle forks.

Rio Grande – The flow is 493 cfs below Elephant Butte Dam. Catfish are fair us-

ing worms, liver or stink bait. Walleye are reported as fair here and below Caballo Lake with worms and shiners.

Bill Evans Lake – Winter stocking for trout has ended for the year and will resume late next fall. No fishing report.

Caballo Lake – Fishing remains fair to good. Water levels are coming up and the lake is near normal level for this time of year. White bass are being caught with white and candy apple red bombers. Crappie and wall-eye are reported as good when using shad. A few large catfish have been taken with chicken liver or stink bait.

Elephant Butte Lake – White bass are reported as fair in the early mornings and evenings with sassy shad lures, live bait and slabs. Walleye fishing is slow to fair with jigs and crank baits. Striped bass, averaging 30 inches, are reported as slow to fair in the deep channel close to the dam.

Glenwood Ponds – Fishing is fair to good for trout when using Pistol Pete's, worms and Power Bait.

Lake Roberts – Fishing is reported as good for catfish with liver and worms. Trout fishing is reported a fair with worms. No report on other species.

Quemado Lake – Trout fishing is reported as fair. Anglers are having success using green Power Bait, worms and spinners. The tiger muskies are reported as hit and miss with no report on what is working.

Snow Lake – No reports.

Southeast

Bonito Creek – No reports.

Rio Ruidoso – Flow is 7.1 cfs. Water levels are very low and fishing is reported as slow.

Bonito Lake – Trout fishing is reported as excellent in the mornings and evenings. Green and yellow Power Bait, spinners and black woolly boogers our reported working well.

Bottomless Lakes – No report, stocking will resume in late fall.

Brantley Reservoir – There has been light pressure and no current report. A mandatory catch and release is in place at Brantley Lake because pesticides have been found in the fish. Do not keep or eat them.

Grindstone Reservoir – Fishing is reported as fair to good depending on the weather for trout using worms, Power Bait and Pistol Petes in the evenings and early mornings.

Lake Van – No report.

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Looking Back

This week in the history of the Mesilla Valley

Marvin Tessneer's
Out of the Past



100 years ago

1911

• M. Mortimer of Chicago arrived in Las Cruces to open a cigar factory. Mortimer secured temporary quarters in the Amador Building. The entrepreneur said he had been looking for a good business climate and a place that would be conducive to his wife's health.

• A. Baum of Doña Ana sent a bag of piñon nuts to a friend in Boston. The lady friend sent a letter back, which said: "I have just received the most cunning little sack of something that looks like nuts, but I don't know what they are or if they are edible or not. I do know who sent them, and I think it was very kind of the gentleman to think of me."

• Mrs. Thomas Branigan resigned as assistant postmaster. She served for many years as a teacher in the local public schools and the community was sorry to see her go, but everyone agreed she deserved a well-earned vacation.

75 years ago

1936

• A meeting was held at the Tortugas Diner to organize a Junior Chamber of Commerce

in Las Cruces, which would be comprised mainly of young businessmen. Chamber President A.L. Means promised to support the group in any way possible.

• Harry Kent, formerly president of the Agricultural College, was selected by the Republican Party to be their nominee for Commissioner of Public Lands, while J. Benson Newell, also of Las Cruces, was nominated to be Third Judicial District Attorney.

• More than 450 attended the 4-H Club picnic on the college campus. Amusements included swimming and games for those who did not care to swim. After lunch, everyone listened to a speech by George Quesenberry, director of the Extension Service.

50 years ago

1961

• The Lou Henson-led Southern All Stars defeated the North All-Stars 60-53 in Albuquerque. The aggressive play of the south team attracted 28 foul calls, but the Southern All-Stars prevailed behind strong defense in the second half.

• Rainfall east of Las Cruces flooded the Las Cruces Arroyo, filling the retention pond near Las Cruces High School.

• Vandals caused extensive damage to Lynn Junior High School during the weekend. The vandals broke into the school, dumped 5 gallons of paint on to the floor and spilled a bucket of acid.

• The New Mexico State University regents let

bids for a new dormitory designed to house 310 men at a site once used for trailer housing for married students.

• An accused drunk driver used a wounded 4-foot rattlesnake in an attempt to horsewhip two police officers near the intersection of Kansas Avenue and Mesquite Street. The police pulled the man over after receiving a report of a man acting erratically. Apparently, the accused driver had collected the snake in the desert to sell, and when he threw the reptile at the arresting officers' feet, one of the policemen shot the snake with his gun. The suspect then picked up the snake and assaulted the officers with it.

25 years ago

1986

• East Mesa residents complained that since their neighborhoods had been annexed by the City

of Las Cruces six months earlier, maintenance of their streets had come to a standstill. County Road Manager Ernest Harp, who until the annexation was in charge of maintaining roads in the area, said nearly every east-west road on the mesa suffered from extensive run off problems during the monsoon season.

• Randy Basch, public relations director for the animal shelter, told a meeting with dog trainers and breeders at Branigan Memorial Library that 6,000 cats and dogs had been euthanized at the shelter in the past year, costing the facility more than \$64,000. Basch said the shelter was proposing mandatory pet licensing to help reduce the number of pets euthanized. The shelter proposal called for an annual \$2 license for neutered pets and \$7 for non-neutered pets.

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



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Amador's Hotel was an important meeting place for Las Cruces and visitors alike for decades. This photo was taken in the 1890s, and shows the Amador Livery Service wagon, which ferried hotel passengers to and from the Santa Fe Railroad depot, parked in front of the adobe building, which still stands today.

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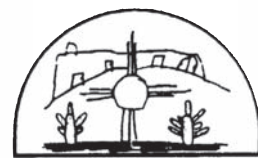
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In the news

New commander arrives to White Sands range

Col. John Ferrari became the new commander of White Sands Missile Range in a ceremony Thursday, Aug. 18.

Ferrari replaces Brig. Gen. John Regan who left the missile range in July to become the deputy commanding general of the Army Test and Evaluation Command and Director of the Army Evaluation Center at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Ferrari has been nominated to be promoted to the rank of brigadier general. He recently returned from deployment where he was deputy commander acting director for programs for the North Atlantic Treaty Organization Training Mission in Afghanistan as part of the Combined Security Transition Command.

Regan relinquished his command of WSMR July 19 to WSMR Executive Director Bob Carter, who has served in that capacity before.

Two local restaurants make 'Best Eats' list

Restaurants in Hatch and La Mesa were among the top 10 restaurants listed in the "Best Eats" edition of New Mexico Magazine.

Its June issue listed what it called "quintessential New Mexican dishes and the restaurants where you can get them" for the "Best Eats" list.

No. 1 on the list was Sparky's Burgers, Barbecue & Espresso in Hatch for having the best green chile cheeseburger.

No. 4 was Chope's Bar & Café in La Mesa for its enchiladas. Chope's has been in business since 1915.

"Our distinctive cuisine is a unique part of the New Mexico experience," Tourism Department Secretary Monique Jacobson said in a statement. "I invite everyone to use our amazing cuisine as a great excuse to get out there and explore New Mexico."

New Mexico food writers served as the jury. Others selected for the "Best Eats" list were:

- Best New Mexican Soul Food: Stuffed Sopaipilla from Tia Sophia's, Santa Fe.
- Best Fine Dining Meal: Seared Diver Scallops and Pork Belly, Terra at Encantado Resort, Tesuque.
- Best Vegetarian New Mexican Food: Plato Vegetariano, Rancho de Chimayó, Chimayó.
- Best Road Food: Hatch Benedict, Diane's Restaurant and Bakery, Silver City.
- Best Local, Seasonal Ingredients: Roast Leg of Lamb Burrito, Atrisco Café & Bar, Santa Fe.
- Best Contemporary Native American Food: Pecan-Crusted Rabbit Loin, Pueblo Harvest Café & Bakery at the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center, Albuquerque.
- Best Chocolate: Todos Santos, Santa Fe.
- Best Carne Adovada: Mary & Tito's Café, Albuquerque.

The magazine also named Cindy's Yummy & Healthy Salsa the winner of its second annual salsa contest, which was deemed best by a panel of judges in a blind taste test. The salsa can be purchased by contacting La Montanita Co-Op in Albuquerque by calling 505-553-4990, or emailing yummysalsas@yahoo.com.

TWEF to add enchilada eating contest

The is year's Whole Enchilada Fiesta, Sept. 23-25, is adding a new event called Fire in The Whole Enchilada Contest. Competitors will have eight minutes to down as much as four pounds of Roberto's red enchiladas.

The Whole Enchilada Fiesta (TWEF) includes Robert Estrada of Roberto's making the world's largest flat enchilada.

The winner of the enchilada eating competition will take home a \$1,000 grand prize, a

TWEF merchandise package and a trophy. The entry fee is \$20. For registration forms, rules, and conditions, visit <http://enchiladafiesta.com>.

Ellins named to national election panel

New Mexico Secretary of State Dianna Duran has named Doña Ana County Clerk Lynn Ellins to serve on the U.S. Election Assistance Commission's Standards Board.

"I'm honored to have been selected to serve, and I will do so with the best interests of all New Mexico voters in mind at all times," Ellins said.

In addition to Ellins, a Democrat, Duran also appointed New Mexico Elections Director Bobbi Shear, a Republican.

The Election Assistance Commission serves as a national clearinghouse and resource for information regarding election administration. It adopts voluntary voting system guidelines, accredits voting system testing laboratories and certifies voting equipment.

The Standards Board's duties include reviewing voting systems guidelines and the EAC's best-practice recommendations.

Each state appoints one official from each major political party to the commission. One appointment must be a local election official, and the other must be a state-level election official.

Taylor visitor center seeks volunteers

Mesilla is looking for volunteers to welcome visitors at the J. Paul Taylor Visitor Center. The visitor center, which is located inside Mesilla Town Hall at 2231 Avenida de Mesilla, is entirely staffed by volunteers known as Amigos.

Amigos talk to visitors, direct inquiries on things to do and see in Mesilla, and share the historical and cultural aspects of Mesilla and southern New Mexico.

Anyone interested in volunteering at the J. Paul Taylor Visitor Center should call the Town of Mesilla at 524-3262, ext. 116, or they can stop by the visitor center.

Kingery is new Zia Middle School principal

Heather Kingery has been named Principal of Zia Middle School. The appointment was made Aug. 11, by Las Cruces Public Schools Superintendent Stan Rounds. Kingery has been acting principal at Zia since July, when former Principal Jed Hendee became principal of Las Cruces High School. She came to Zia as an assistant principal in 2010.

"I am excited and honored to be principal of Zia Middle School," Kingery said. "It is a pleasure to work with such a dedicated staff, supportive parent community and outstanding students. I'm looking forward to Zia continuing our commitment to student success."



KINGERY

Kingery began her career with LCPS in 1995 as a kindergarten teacher at MacArthur Elementary School, where she also served as a fourth-grade teacher and a Success for All (comprehensive school reform curriculum) teacher and facilitator. In 2002, she became a staff development specialist at Booker T. Washington Elementary School, and was an administrative intern at Washington Elementary in 2003-04. Kingery served as assistant principal at Camino Real Middle School 2004-10.

Kingery earned her bachelor's degree in education from New Mexico State University in 1995 and her master's degree in educational administration in 2001, also from NMSU.

NMSU details several construction projects

Online map can help visitors, students

As New Mexico State University faculty, students and their families return to campus to begin the fall 2011 semester, they may notice a bit of orange coloring the campus, along with the traditional crimson and white – orange as in the color of traffic barrels and construction signs.

Several campus projects got under way shortly after the spring 2011 semester ended, since working during the summer would minimize congestion and inconvenience to the campus community. However, the scope of the work means that some of it will be ongoing throughout the fall and even into spring 2012. The work has led and will continue to lead to campus detours and road and parking lot closures.

Chief among the projects at hand is construction of a new chilled water system satellite plant and the necessary piping that goes with it. The increase in chilled water production capacity through the addition of a secondary plant assures that the university's air-conditioning needs will continue to be met in an efficient fashion as the campus continues to grow.

The new plant is being constructed near the campus natatorium and track, by Stewart Street and Breland Drive. As a result of the construction, the large parking lot on Stewart, between Breland and Williams Avenue next to the natatorium, (see space between lot 48 and lot 100S on the NMSU parking map at <http://nmsuparking.com/Map2010.pdf>), has been closed until the plant is completed in spring 2012.

In addition to plant construction, new, larger piping to transport the chilled water throughout campus is being installed. The eastern portion of lot 48 also will be closed for a time in

early September to complete piping to the plant. From Aug. 10-Sept. 1 Breland will be closed between Stewart Street. Lot 47, next to the Health Center, will be closed as well, until excavation is complete.

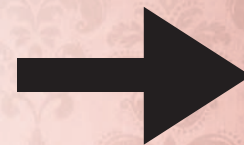
From Aug. 20-Sept. 9, Williams Avenue will be closed between Stewart Street and Frenger Court. This will affect visitor lot 49 and faculty/staff lots 50 and 52; faculty/staff lot 54, at the northwest corner of Williams Avenue and Stewart Street, will temporarily close as well.

None of this work should negatively impact traffic flow or accessibility for NMSU football's home opener against Ohio, set for 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 3.

To assist faculty, staff, students and visitors to campus make alternate plans for accessing campus while the chilled water plant and piping and other projects continue, OFS has developed an interactive map detailing the impact areas of these projects, available at www.ofs.nmsu.edu/project_construction_map.html. The page features a Google Earth view of campus, with red lines highlighting streets and pedestrian areas that will be closed at some point. Flag buttons on the map, when clicked on, reveal details about that particular phase of construction via a pop-up window. The window contains information on scheduled construction dates for that phase, closures necessary due to the work, how the area may be otherwise accessed and other notes.

The map is updated weekly, and the campus population and visitors are urged to check back regularly for the latest detour and closure information, to avoid any confusion or travel setbacks. Dates for parking closures and street detours are always tentative.

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SeniorActivities



Programs at Munson Senior Center are for those age 50 and over. Membership is free and is required to participate in classes and activities.

Call the Munson Center at 528-3000 or check postings at the facility, 975 S. Mesquite St., for information on ongoing programs.

AQUATICS CLASS

Aquatics class 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. Pre-registration is required. Donation suggested.

AEROBICS CLASS

Aerobics class is from 9 to 10 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Classes are drop-in. Donation suggested.

CORE EXERCISE CLASS

Core exercise classes are from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E.

Hadley Ave. Classes are drop-in. Donation suggested.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

A registered nurse provides blood pressure checks at the following times and locations. Donation suggested.

- 10 to 11 a.m. Mondays at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St.
- 10 to 11 a.m. Wednesdays at Eastside Community Center, 310 N. Tornillo St.
- 10:45 to 11:45 a.m. Thursdays at Mesilla Park Recreation Center, 304 W. Bell Ave.

HATHA YOGA

Yoga classes are from 8 to 9 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Classes are drop-in. Donation suggested.

T'AI CHI CLASSES

T'ai chi classes are from 3 to 4 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Classes are drop-in. Donation suggested.

BINGO MANIA

Bingo Mania is from 1:15 to 2:45 p.m. Wednesdays at Eastside Community Center, 310 N. Tornillo St. There is no cost to play.

STAINED GLASS

Beginning and advanced stained-glass classes meet at 8:30 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Intermediate stained-glass class meets at 1

p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at Munson Center. Registration is required.

THE THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge Club meets for lunch and bridge at 11 a.m. the first and third Thursday of each month at Golden Corral, 601 S. Telshor Blvd. Anyone who plays bridge is welcome. For more information, call Judy at 373-9309, Ann at 522-7240 or Bev at 523-6106.

QUILTERS MEET

The Munson Quilters meet from 9 to 11 a.m. each Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Quilters over age 50 of all levels are encouraged to participate. On Fridays, work on quilts donated to local organizations.

LINE DANCING

Beginning line dance classes for anyone over 50 years old are held from 1:45 to 2:45 p.m. each Monday, and intermediate line dance classes are held from 1:45 to 2:45 p.m. each Friday at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Donations are accepted. For more information, call 528-3000.

FISHING CLUB

The Munson Fishing Club is for all levels. Anglers must be age 50 and older and a member of Senior Programs. Items needed are fishing gear, hat, sack lunch, snacks and plenty of water. Preregistration is required.

- Thursday, Aug. 25: Bonito Lake. Pack a sack lunch, chair, snacks and water as we will be eating on site. Check-in 6:45 a.m.; departure 7 a.m.; return 6 p.m. \$8 per person. For more information or to make a reservation, call Dolores at 528-3005.

TRAVEL CLUB

The Voyagers Travel Club is open from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Trips currently being booked include:

- **El Paso Museums Day Trip:** Aug. 24. Lunch at Camino Real Hotel included. \$30 per person.
- **Durango/Silverton Train:** Sept. 19-22. \$410 double, \$465 single.
- **Panama Canal Cruise:** April 15-29, 2012. 15 days/14 nights. Call for details. For more information, call Helen Glover at 528-3166.

CREATIVE WRITING

Creative writing class for anyone over age 50 is taught by volunteer instructors from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Wednesdays at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. There is no charge to participate. For more information, call 528-3000.

HIKING CLUB

The Munson Hiking Club serves hikers over 50 of all levels. New hikers must start with an easy or beginner hike. Items needed are hiking shoes or boots, a backpack, lunch, snack and at least 2 liters of water. All hikes depart from and return to Munson Center, 975 S.

Mesquite St. You must pre-register for a hike. For more information, call 528-3000.

- Thursday, Aug. 18 Cloudcroft, N.M. Check in at 7:30 a.m., trip departs at 8 a.m. and returns around 3 p.m. Cost is \$8 per trip.
- Thursday, Aug. 25 Hillsboro, N.M. Check in at 7 a.m., trip departs at 7:30 a.m. and returns around 3:30 p.m. Cost is \$8.

SATURDAY SINGLES BREAKFAST CLUB

The 50+ Singles Saturday Morning Club meets at 9 a.m. the first and third Saturday of the month at Furr's Family Dining, 2340 E. Griggs Ave. Cost of the breakfast buffet is \$6.69. The club is intended as a way for singles over 50 to meet new people.

SWINGING DANCERS

The Swinging Dancers of Munson Center will meet at 7 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Couples, individuals and guests are welcome. Entertainment will be provided by Mark Coker. Couples, singles and guests are welcome. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., dancing begins at 7 p.m. Cost is \$6. For more information, call 528-3000.

CARD AND TABLE GAMES

Anyone age 50 or over is welcome to play bridge, pinochle, canasta, Hands N Feet, chess and Mah Jongg. Call 528-3000 for times and locations.

MEN'S 8-BALL TOURNAMENT

An 8-ball tournament for men ages 50 and over is held the last Wednesday of the month at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Sign up is from 8 to 9 a.m. and play begins at 9:15 a.m. Cost is \$3 per person. Gift cards are awarded to first- and second-place winners.

For more information, call Dan Carrillo at 528-3111.

WOMEN'S 8-BALL TOURNAMENT

An 8-ball tournament for women ages 50 and over is held the first Monday of the month at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Sign up is at 8 a.m. and play begins from 8:30 to 9 a.m. Cost is \$3 per person. Gift cards are awarded to first- and second-place winners.

For more information, call Dan Carrillo at 528-3111.

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ARTIST OF THE MONTH

Each month a selected artist displays work at City Hall. A ceremony with the mayor is at 12:30 p.m. the first Monday of each month to recognize that month's artist. For more information, call 528-3000.

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City candidates to file Sept. 27

In the Nov. 8 Las Cruces municipal elections, voters will select the mayor, three councillors and presiding judge for municipal court.

Candidates must turn in their paperwork to the City Clerk's Office by the end of the working day Sept. 27. Candidate packets are now available at the City Clerk's Office and 25 packages have already been handed out. After the filing day, the city clerk has until Oct. 4 to certify the candidates.

Mayor Ken Miyagishima is expected for run for re-election. District 2 Councillor Dolores Connor is running for mayor and won't be running for re-election. Michael Huerta has declared his bid for mayor. Charles Scholz, Greg Smith and Clinton Lanier have announced their candidacies for District 2.

District 1, currently held by Miguel Silva, is up for election. Natalie Chadborn has announced her candidacy for District 1. District 4 is the third council seat up for election and is currently held by Nathan Small. Declared candidates for District 4 are Aaron Henry Diaz and Ryan Dailey.

Election Day is from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 8. Oct. 11 is the last day to register to vote.

Absentee voting by paper ballot begins Oct. 12 at City Hall, 700 N. Main St. Absentee in person begins Oct. 19 at City Hall. Saturday absentee voting will be from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Oct. 22, 29 and Nov. 5, which will also be the last day for absentee voting.

For more information, call the City Clerk's Office at 541-2115.

CrimeStoppers

Home burglary

Las Cruces Crime Stoppers is offering a reward of up to \$1,000, and the victim of a Baylor Canyon burglary is contributing \$1,000 for information that leads to an arrest of the person or persons who committed the crime.

The Doña Ana County Sheriff's Office is investigating a residential burglary that took place sometime around July 28, at a home on the 4000 block of Roundup Road in the foothills of the Organ Mountains east of Las Cruces.

Numerous personal documents, jewelry and firearms were taken during the burglary. Some of the valuables taken included savings bonds worth more than \$40,000, a valuable



stamp collection, 50 ounces of silver, platinum maple leafs, several men's and women's watches and three handguns.

If you have any information on who may have committed this burglary, you are asked to call Las Cruces Crime Stoppers at 800-222-TIPS (8477) or send a tip via text message to LCTIPS (528477).

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.

Wet weather driving tips offered

With the possibility of more rain showers in Las Cruces and southern New Mexico, the Las Cruces Police Department reminds motorists of the importance of being prepared for wet roads and potentially unsafe driving conditions.

The following tips could help improve safety during rainy conditions:

- Slow down. Allow for more travel time when driving in rainy weather.
- When coming to a stop, begin slowing down sooner and gently apply brake pressure. Avoid sudden stops or slamming on brakes.
- Allow for greater distance between vehicles. Normal driving conditions recommend travelling at least three seconds behind other vehicles. When roads are wet it is recommended that drivers increase that distance.

- Give larger vehicles, such as trucks and buses, more room for stops and turns.
- Avoid making sudden turns or lane changes.
- Drive around puddles as sitting water may be deeper than what it appears.
- Never attempt to drive through flooded arroyos or running water. Even when driving a 4x4 or large vehicle, such as a truck or SUV, fast-moving water can easily overcome it.
- Drive with headlights on so your vehicle is more visible to other drivers.
- Stay alert to surrounding traffic and changing weather conditions.
- If rain is too heavy or streets are flooded, pull over to a safe distance from the roadway until conditions improve.



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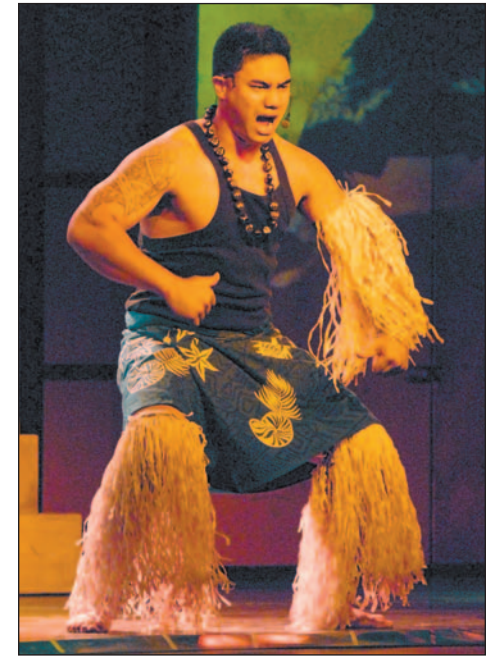
Singing and dancing at the U.S. Army Soldier Show

Photos by Niki Rhynes

Staff Sgt. Cornelius Whitaker mixes comedy and country music during the county fair portion of the 2011 U.S. Army Soldier Show – performed by soldiers – held at Oñate High School, Tuesday, Aug. 16.



Spc. Daniella Beard hip-hop dances for the audience.



Pfc. Erik Tue danced and chanted to a Samoan beat.



Sgt. Emily McAleesejergins does her rendition of Lady Gaga's song "Bad Romance."



Spc. Dexter Quismorio sang and played guitar.

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Checking out Arrowhead Park Early College High School

Photos by Niki Rhynes

Savannah and Kim Guzman review the schedule for ninth-graders during the open house Wednesday, Aug. 17, for Arrowhead Park Early College High School located at Arrowhead Research Park on the New Mexico State University campus. This is the second year for the early college high school, but the first year in the new building. Doña Ana Community College provided classroom space for the school's first year.



Tenth-grader Brianna Hartman looks over her schedule with principal Jennifer Amis.



First-year math and engineering design teacher Doug Lutz talks to a new student's family.



Neighbors We've Lost

DEATH NOTICES

TUTON

Johny Creed Tuton, 80, passed away Saturday, August 13, 2011. She was born to Henry and Mollie Wise in 1931 in Nadine, New Mexico. She graduated high school in Carlsbad. She married Carroll A. Tuton and together they raised their children; Nickie Doyle, Carroll J. Tuton, David K. Tuton, and Dante Tuton. She was blessed with 16 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. Johny was a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. Visitation will be on Saturday, August 20, 2011 at La Paz - Graham's Funeral Home Chapel from 8 to 10 a.m., with a rosary to begin at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at Masonic Cemetery with pallbearers; A.J. Tuton, David H. Tuton, Joseph Tuton, George Thacker, Adrian Apodaca, David K. Tuton. To sign the guest book log on to www.lapaz-grahams.com

CLARK

Ricardo C. Clark, 45, of Las Cruces, New Mexico passed away on Monday, August 15, 2011 at University of New Mexico Hospital in Albuquerque. Funeral service for Mr. Clark is scheduled for Friday, August 19, 2011 at 10 a.m. at Our Lady of Health with cremation to follow. Arrangements are with La Paz - Graham's Funeral Home. 575-526-6891.

WHITFIELD

Charles Robert Whitfield, Jr. 89, passed away on Thursday, August 11, 2011 at La Posada - Mesilla Valley Hospice. Services are scheduled for Friday, August 19, 2011 at The Good Shepherd Episcopal Church in Silver City, New Mexico. Arrangements are with La Paz - Graham's Funeral Home. 575-526-6891.

MUSSER

Mary Dianne Musser, 66, of Phoenix, Arizona formerly of Las Cruces, New Mexico passed away August 14, 2011. Dianne was born and raised in Ottawa, Ontario. Dianne graduated from Ottawa Civic Hospital with a degree in Nursing. A visitation will be held from 4:30 to 6 p.m. on Thursday, August 18, 2011 at Getz Funeral Home. Private Graveside Services will be held at a later date. Arrangements by Getz Funeral Home. 575-526-2419

VALDES

Leo Joseph Valdes, Jr., passed away at his home in Las Cruces, New Mexico on Saturday, August 13, 2011 at the age of 75. Leo joined the Navy and was stationed in Seattle, Washington where he met his wife of 53 years, Carol who survives him. Leo retired in 1995, after 25 years of employment at First National Bank as a loan officer. He is also survived by his daughters; Marta Valdes of Seattle, WA, Mickey Rivera of Las Cruces; and son C.J. Valdes of Seattle, WA; four grandchildren; his two sisters, Lorena Baca and Bernadette Valdes, many nieces, nephews, cousins and in-laws. Services will be held at La Paz - Graham's Funeral Home Chapel, 555 W. Amador at 4 p.m., Friday, August 19, 2011, followed by a reception at St. Paul's Methodist Church, 225 W. Griggs from 6 p.m.- 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family asks donations be made in his name to Shingles Research. www.NINDS.com. To sign the guest book log on to www.lapaz-grahams.com.

Go to www.lascrucesbulletin.com and click on the Daily Bulletin and Obituaries for current information.

The Las Cruces Bulletin will publish paid obituaries, which may include up to two photographs. Brief death notices are published at no charge. Memorials and remembrances are also available. For more information, call Sid Graft at the Las Cruces Bulletin, 524-8061, or email obits@lascrucesbulletin.com.

Tourism seeks proposals to strengthen branding

RFPs sought for promoting New Mexico

The New Mexico Tourism Department announced it will issue two Requests For Proposals (RFPs) in search of advertising and public relations firms to form long-term partnerships with the department and help to build a strong and motivating brand for the state.

"We are at a pivotal point in the branding process for New Mexico and our tourism industry," said Tourism Secretary Monique Jacobson. "As we work to make our state an even more attractive destination for visitors from across the country and around the world, it's important that we have the best possible partners to help us create and implement a successful long-term plan for New Mexico tourism."

Current advertising and marketing contracts held with the department were up for renewal at the start of the 2012 fiscal year, when

they were extended three months until the end of September.

"We have asked our industry partners and every community in New Mexico to challenge the status quo and think of new and exciting ways to make our state an even more attractive tourist destination," Jacobson said. "These RFPs will ensure that we are working with the most innovative and creative partners while getting the best deal for taxpayers. Our state is in a class of its own when it comes to all that we have to offer, and I am committed to building a thriving, world-class tourism industry here in New Mexico."

For more information about the RFP process, contact Advertising Manager Martin Leger at 505-827-8036 or martin.leger@state.nm.us.

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Ms. Distracted



Samantha Roberts
Business Editor

I purchased an iPhone in 2008 and have claimed it to be “the best decision I’ve ever made.”

But was it? After a little research, I have come to the realization that I am a compulsive email checker. The first step is admitting you have a problem, right?

The good thing is I am not alone.

Smart phones make it significantly easier to access emails, read news headlines and update your status on Facebook, but these smart phones are also creating habit-forming experiences.

Have you ever been at a dinner and noticed you are checking your phone during a conversation? But what are you looking at? Surely it can wait.

Many people admit they don’t even know why they choose to pick up their cell phones and start clicking away, but researchers are attributing this to small “rewards” people are getting that are quickly accessible.

Take the film “You’ve Got Mail,” for example. AOL made it seem so exciting to get a new message. The computer chimes “You’ve got mail” in its monotone voice, and Meg Ryan jumps to her computer to see if Tom Hanks has responded to her latest email.

These jump-from-the-seat-of-your-pants habits have only gotten worse, and researchers have estimated people check their phones up to 34 times a day, lasting less than 30 seconds each and as frequent as 10-minute intervals.

For me, checking typically happens when I am bored or want to escape from my current task. It provides a brief moment of letting my brain rest while I search for a small reward.

If you think you might be addicted to your smart phone, don’t worry, there are ways to get back into society.

1. You’re not stepping into an AA meeting, but admitting you have a problem will help break your habits.

2. Take baby steps to break the sweats. If you can’t go a few hours without checking your phone, create free time. Don’t look at your phone for one hour, then two hours and so on. This will help build self-control.

3. Create a barrier. If your family is more familiar with the top of your head than seeing your face, create a space that smart phones are prohibited, such as a family room or dining area.

My favorite thing to check is Pinterest.com, email me at samantha@lascrucesbulletin.com.

Singin’ ‘Song of the South’

The Mesilla Valley shows decreased chile production

By **Samantha Roberts**

Las Cruces Bulletin

*“Well momma got sick and daddy got down
The county got the farm and they moved to town
Pappa got a job with the TVA
He bought a washing machine and then a
Chevrolet”*

– “Song of the South” by Alabama

Just like the song by Alabama, the message remains true for the chile industry in the Mesilla Valley. Over the past 20 years, southern New Mexico has seen acres of chile crops diminish by the thousands.

Though 2011 may actually prove to be slightly better than 2010, numbers don’t lie and the fact is that chile – by which New Mexico is identified by – is not the state’s No. 1 crop economically.

In 1992, 34,500 acres of chile were planted in the Mesilla Valley, and in 2010, that number sat closer to 8,700 acres.

“The trend has been downward for a long time,” said Longino Bustillos, director of the National Agricultural Statistics Service New Mexico Field Office.

According to farmers and researchers in the area, there are main factors that contribute to this downward spiral, such as labor reforms, costs, lack of mechanization, disease and competition.

“Where do I start?” asked Jeff Anderson, Doña Ana County agent of agronomy and horticulture. “I have so many things running through my head about why the chile crops are disappearing.”

While Anderson said water is not a typical factor for the crop, this year, the drought had



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Niki Rhynes

Paul Bosland, co-founder of the Chile Pepper Institute on the New Mexico State University campus holds a green chile and a pinto chile – a green chile that has begun to turn red. Due to many economic factors, chile production in New Mexico has been on a downward production slope for more than 20 years.

an affect.

“Chile is a contracted crop and you don’t grow it unless you have water, but even with water it is still difficult,” he said.

Perhaps one of the biggest factors contributing to decreased chile acreage is labor.

“We have some stiff competition,” said Dino Cervantes, vice president of Cervantes Enterprise, a chile producer in Vado, N.M. “Other countries, such as Peru, all of South America, Brazil, Central Mexico and even China, India, Bangladesh and Pakistan, are big chile producers. And in some areas, such as China, they are paying their workers \$2 maybe \$5 a day. We can’t compete when we are paying our workers \$7, \$8, \$10 an hour.”

“The bad thing is, in places such as China, we don’t know what kind of chemicals or toxins

they use in their fields or if they have rats and bugs running on their crops,” Anderson said. “Since our demand for chile is going up, we are having to import it from other countries.”

“We have to take the labor out of chile in order to compete,” Cervantes said.

But the lack of mechanization is keeping workers in the chile fields, picking the vegetable and simultaneously de-stemming the product.

“It is a labor-intensive crop,” said Stephanie Walker, a vegetable specialist with New Mexico State University. “In order for the product to go to the processing plant, the stems have to be removed, and there is no mechanical way to do it. If the stems aren’t removed, it makes the product inedible and taste woody.”

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Students, submit your apps

Wanted: young minds with great ideas for upcoming competition

By **Janet Perez**

For the Las Cruces Bulletin

The Arrowhead Center at New Mexico State University is launching its ninth annual Innoventure competition for middle and high school students across the state who want to create and learn how to market their own products.

Innoventure encourages students to use science, technology, engineering and math to solve business problems. With Innoventure, students have the opportunity to create something new and innovative that may have true marketability.

Each year, Innoventure has a theme to steer students in the creation of their products. This year’s theme is a fitting one for a land-grant university such as NMSU – agriculture.

“We’re asking the kids to imagine that their principal has come to their class and told them that the school is going to have a school-run farm,” said Marie Borchert. “Arrowhead Center

education specialist. Kids have to come up with some products that can be used on the farm to make it more efficient and sustainable.”

The entire competition is run through a social networking site that disseminates important information and assists teams with questions. The site, www.innoventurenetwork.org, has video presentations, photos and links to individual team websites. This online social presence encourages students to use new forms of technology to communicate, just as they would in the business world.

“It really demonstrates the benefits of technology and the power of networking in making connections,” said Erika Dunn, entrepreneurship specialist for the Arrowhead Center.

Innoventure has come a long way from the first competition, when Borchert was “pounding the pavement” to get just five local student teams to register. Last year, 70 middle and high school teams from schools throughout the state entered the competition. Organizers now have to hold a preliminary competition to

whittle down the number of hopefuls for the finals to a more manageable 40 teams of three-to-five students.

The final competition is set for March 9, 2012, and several panels of NMSU faculty in business and engineering, as well as members of the Las Cruces business community, will select a winning team in the high school and middle school categories. Just like the students, judges over the years have grown increasingly enthusiastic about their job.

“Our judges start calling us sometime in November asking us when Innoventure is this year, because they want to get it on their calendars,” Borchert said.

The criteria for a winning team are clear: a functional product prototype, a strong marketing plan and a well-written, well-organized business plan.

The registration deadline for the 2011-12 Innoventure competition is Friday, Sept. 30. For more information, visit www.innoventurenetwork.org.

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The much-anticipated Pro's Ranch has been making progress on El Paseo Road. On Monday, Aug. 15, crew members were working on the permanent sign, evidence the temporary banners are likely to come down soon.

'We're ready to get this done'

Pro's Ranch is geared toward completion

By **Samantha Roberts**

Las Cruces Bulletin

What started as excitement in June 2009 turned into anguish as people drove past a still empty building on El Paseo Road that had been purchased by Pro's Ranch, a California-based grocery chain.

But let the excitement return.

In July 2008, NAI 1st Valley brokered the acquisition of the El Paseo Shopping Center to Pro's Ranch Markets. Due to a series of events – an Arizona location burned down and new stores were simultaneously opening – Las Cruces' opening date was pushed back by more than a year.

"Right now, our schedule is moving beyond the ability to keep track of the work," said Rick Provenzano, vice president of operations for the market chain. "A lot of work and equipment can be seen and tenants in the complex are also under construction. Things are coming in."

Walt Skowronski of NAI 1st Valley, who had been assigned to lease out the center, said he expects at least 3,000 consumers at or around the plaza once Pro's opens for business.

"Other stores in the plaza will include Cricket Wireless, Crystal Optical, Melrose – a larger tenant that is right next to us – and Familia Dental," Provenzano said. "We are set on having a job fair in late September to early October where a majority of the hiring will be local people."

Provenzano said the market plans to hire or transfer as many as 300 employees.

"A nice thing about our job fair is everything

is done on-site," he said. "You have your initial interview, job offer, acceptance and orientation packet all done right there."

Pro's Ranch is investing around \$10 million for the project, renovating the store from the inside out.

"We have run these department centers for a few years now, and feel they set our stores apart by creating a different shopping experience," Provenzano said.

"Once you walk in the door, you will smell fresh baked goods that are cooked from scratch, such as Hispanic pastries and donuts."

The market is also opening a new concept for the chain – a coffee bar.

"Our stores are very complex," Provenzano said. "From the coffee bar to the large hot food section, everything is made from scratch – tortillas for the burritos and any type of typical Mexican dish."

Provenzano said the market will also have other typical hot foods, such as roasted chicken, as well as an oversized meat department, totaling more than 120 feet of counter space.

"We are very competitive and think of ourselves as the neighborhood store," Provenzano said. "We get hit with the theme that we are just Hispanic, but we actually have a wide variety of products."

Provenzano said the market is shooting for a late October to early November opening date.

"We are working 24 hours a day to finish," he said. "We have taken too long on this store, and we are ready to get this done."

For more information on Pro's Ranch Markets, visit www.prosranch.com.

Chile

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Research is being done at NMSU to create a mechanical de-stemmer; however, Walker said the various sizes and shapes of the chile make it difficult.

"The chiles are different widths and twist in many ways," she said.

Sometimes, just finding the labor, no matter how good or bad the economy is, can be difficult.

"When the economy was good, people got jobs elsewhere," Walker said. "They didn't want to be out in the hot fields. It is very hard work."

But even with an 8 to 9 percent unemployment rate, Cervantes said he is still having trouble finding willing workers.

"We don't have a line out the door," he said. "This is work people just don't want to do."

Just like most everyone else in the country, farmers have felt the recession, which has led to increased costs of production, fertilizer, electricity and labor.

Aging farmers are another player in the downturn of chile. The hard work extends beyond picking the chiles and young people are thinking twice before entering the family business.

"There is an aging population and a lot of times family members aren't as willing to get into farm work," Anderson said. "So when it comes down to keeping the farm going or selling it to a developer for a profit, people are selling."

"Land is so expensive, and people can't afford to keep farming – the older people get, they're just sick of fighting it all. Why not sell and go on a vacation?"

It's nothing new to say climate change is occurring, creating more extreme shifts in weather and more natural disasters. As people have an increased fear of hurricanes, tornadoes and tsunamis, farmers also fear odd weather patterns. Luckily, chile is planted in the spring and the crops missed the record-breaking freeze in February.

Unfortunately, chile is very sensitive to disease.

"Farmers have grown chile over and over – the new land may not have as many

problems – but for those who have been around awhile and farm on land that is so intensely cultivated, diseases will happen," Anderson said.

"This year has fewer problems because of the lack of moisture and diseases need the wetness to survive. But there are still some diseases, such as Chile Wilt that you can't get rid of. There are billions of spores in the soil, so farmers have to rotate their crops. They may farm chile one year, alfalfa, corn and then chile again. This takes land out of production.

"There are no cure for these diseases, just management."

On a positive note, the value of chile has risen, and Cervantes said the industry has been able to stay above water with fewer acres.

Dry red chile is the most valuable followed by the oleoresin, which is used for color extraction; processed green, which is the most common green chile; fresh green used for roasting; and cayenne mash.

With the Mesilla Valley's reputation resting on chile production, many people wonder what the future for this crop entails.

"I see this pattern continuing," Anderson said. "Farmers are ready to retire and, although, the public wants to keep farms alive, there is no one to take them over."

"Everyone has ideas and remedies, but it is obvious farmers need a break somewhere. They are the breadbasket of survival and we can't guarantee that we will always be able to import our food. It is a shame that farms are being foreclosed, but the government is willing to bail out big banks. We need to invest on ensuring the food

supply will be around for a while. They are cutting off food, but we can't live without food."

"We are so dependent on agriculture, and people don't realize it," said Cervantes, adding that chile production led to \$465 million generated in New Mexico's economy in 2009.

Walker said she is hopeful for Mesilla Valley's future.

"Chile is too well established and too loved in southern New Mexico to leave," she said. "We're always going to have it produced here on a large scale, but to make us a big spot for green chile, we must improve the technology industry."

New Mexico Chile Production

Year	Harvested acres
1990	28,700
1991	29,700
1992	34,500
1993	29,900
1994	27,300
1995	22,750
1996	23,300
1997	23,000
1998	21,500
1999	16,200
2000	19,000
2001	17,700
2002	16,800
2003	14,700
2004	15,400
2005	16,200
2006	13,800
2007	11,000
2008	11,100
2009	12,300
2010	8,700

Source: National Agricultural Statistics Service New Mexico Field Office

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By the Numbers



Building Las Cruces



The Power Center

Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Samantha Roberts

The Power Center, a local Polaris, Stihl and Honda power equipment dealer, will relocate to 2000 Telshor Blvd. by the end of December or early January 2012. Its current location on Foster Road will be available for lease.

Recent projects featured in Building Las Cruces

Publish date	Building	Address	Contact
Aug. 12	Wienerschnitzel	2800 N. Main St.	522-1050
Aug. 5	Chamisa Village Phase II	Stewart Street	www.nmsu.edu
July 29	Western Heritage Bank	Alameda Boulevard and Amador Avenue	541-0058
July 22	Big O Tires	Bataan Memorial West	524-3548
July 15	Interstate construction	Interstate 25	525-7340

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Gas update

For the week of Aug. 15

Average retail gasoline prices in New Mexico have **fallen 9 cents** per gallon in the past week, averaging **\$3.40** per gallon. This compares with the national average that has **fallen 7 cents** per gallon in the last week to **\$3.59** per gallon.

Including the change in gas prices in New Mexico during the past week, prices **Monday, Aug. 15**, were **70.5 cents** per gallon **higher** than the same day one year ago and are **4.3 cents** per gallon **higher** than a month ago. The national average has **increased 4.6 cents** per gallon during the last month and stands **88.6 cents** per gallon **higher** than one year ago.

1. Shamrock	The 1900 block of North Main Street	\$3.35
2. Bradley's	1260 El Paseo Road	\$3.36
3. Bradley's	920 El Paseo Road	\$3.36
4. Sam's Club	2711 N. Telshor Blvd.	\$3.37
5. Valero	The 1900 block of North Main Street	\$3.37

Source: www.newmexicogasprices.com

Adventure Travel Airfare Watch

FROM EL PASO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT	LOWEST AVERAGE ONE-WAY FARE	CARRIER
Albuquerque	\$99.70	Southwest Airlines
Atlanta	\$164.40	US Airways
Austin	\$130.70	Southwest Airlines
Chicago	\$205.40	US Airways
Dallas/Fort Worth	\$157.40	US Airways
Houston	\$120.40	US Airways
Las Vegas	\$159.40	US Airways
Los Angeles	\$129.48	US Airways
Phoenix	\$69.70	US Airways
San Antonio	\$136.70	Southwest Airlines
San Diego	\$129.40	US Airways
London	\$910.50 (Roundtrip)	United Airlines
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Rome	\$979.50 (Roundtrip)	Delta Airlines
THIS WEEK'S "SCREAMING DEALS"		DETAILS
Tahiti Sale	\$1,599	7 Days/Roundtrip air from Los Angeles
Vietnam Express	\$1,985	13 Days/Roundtrip air from Los Angeles

Source: Adventure Travel * Prices effective Aug. 16-23. *Restrictions apply

Money

Comparing the U.S. dollar

Euro
\$1.44467 in U.S. dollars
0.6922 per U.S. dollar

Mexican Peso
\$0.08217 in U.S. dollars
12.17 per U.S. dollar

Japanese Yen
\$0.01308 in U.S. dollars
76.47002 per U.S. dollar

Source: www.msn.com



Market Snapshot

As of Wednesday, Aug. 17, the market reports:

Dow	11395.42	-10.51	(-0.09%)
Nasdaq	2507.47	-15.98	(-0.63%)

Strong: General merchandise stores, diversified metals and mining, coal and consumable fuels, oil and gas exploration and production, oil and gas equipment and services, diversified financial services, steel, independent power producers

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Source: <http://briefing.com>



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Community foundations serve both professional advisors and their clients

Courtesy of the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico

Professional advisers are in a unique position to help with the charitable desires of their clients, which can directly impact the community.

Professional advisers, including certified public accountants, attorneys and financial advisers, often choose to refer clients to a place such as the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico (CFSNM) because of the expertise within the foundation and the

increased ability to do good now and in the future. R. Glenn Davis, an attorney at Scot-Hulse PC Attorneys at Law, is one attorney who refers his clients wanting to make a charitable impact.

"I feel the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico serves a very important need in southern New Mexico," said Davis, who is both a friend of the CFSNM and a planning committee member of the 19th annual Estate Planning Institute sponsored by the foundation.

Professional advisers generally work with

a foundation for a variety of reasons, particularly because foundations work to help advisors with their clients' desires for charitable giving.

CFSNM specializes in effective grantmaking to organizations that have proven reliable use of funds and valuable investments in the community through their work. Donors can secure their charitable legacy that will be honored in their names forever through endowments and donor-advised funds.

Community foundations can also help donors receive maximum federal and state tax benefits allowed by law for charitable contributions to the CFSNM, with an assurance the foundation will take care of all the logistics of charitable giving like asset transfers, grants, record keeping and reporting and statements.

By working as a partner with professional advisors, the CFSNM is able to tailor giving plans to meet client needs, while also helping nonprofits that have needs by monitoring both large and small donations.

"For a small entity to receive a large gift is dangerous," Davis said. "In cases where donors wish to leave a larger amount of money to organizations, some may feel more comfortable having a community foundation manage the funds. The Community Foundation will serve as the eyes and ears for a donor after the donor passes."

The Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico is dedicated to helping the southern New Mexico community now, and in the future. Founded in 2000, the Community Foundation offers opportunities for local people who want to give back locally. The beauty of the foundation is that you need not be wealthy to make a positive difference in the lives of people throughout our area. Through the establishment of permanent funds you can sustain local charitable organizations, provide scholarships to area students and fulfill wishes that are close to your heart. Through our planned giving programs, you can honor loved ones or leave a legacy that benefits the people of Southern New Mexico for generations to come. The Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico can advise you on how best to maximize contributions, no matter what size. For more information see our website at www.cfsnm.org or call Luan Wagner Burn at 521-4794. To donate, mail your check to CFSNM, 301 South Church St., Suite H, Las Cruces, NM 88001.



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While under construction, Las Cruces Convention Center crew members stuck to a strict plan to make the building as green as possible. The work paid off and the convention center has been awarded LEED Gold status by the U.S. Green Building Council.

Convention center awarded Las Cruces building granted LEED Gold certification

Bulletin Staff Report

The City of Las Cruces announced the Las Cruces Convention Center has achieved a certification status of LEED Gold by the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC). LEED stands for Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design.

To help achieve this status, several approaches were used throughout the design and construction process. They include the installation of a solar photovoltaic system in the parking area; the purchase of green power, electricity produced from solar, wind, geothermal, biogas, biomass and low-impact small hydroelectric sources; the use of water-efficient landscaping; procuring low emission and recycled materials; fabricating wood trusses; access to alternative transportation; maximization of open space; optimization of energy performance; and innovation in green design.

The Las Cruces City Council has directed all new city construction achieve a minimum status of certification, with the highest levels being silver, gold and platinum.

Design of the Las Cruces Convention Center began September 2007 and construction concluded in December 2010. The overall size

of the Las Cruces Convention Center is 55,000 square feet. Features include an exhibition hall (14,500 square feet), ballroom (8,900 square feet), six breakout rooms (more than 2,800 total square feet), outdoor event space (5,000 square feet), indoor pre-function space (8,500 square feet), commercial kitchen, support spaces and ample parking.

City staff directly involved in the convention center project and LEED Gold certification consists of Assistant City Manager/Chief Operating Officer Brian Denmark, Project Management Administrator Eric Martin and City Architect Tomas Mendez. Also responsible for the designation are: HNTB Architects, convention center design; Jaynes Corporation, convention center construction; Steve Newby Architects and Associates, solar photovoltaic system grant assistance; and DPW Solar, photovoltaic system design and construction.

The USGBC established the certification program in March 2000 for the purposes of encouraging and promoting various aspects of green building design, construction, operations and maintenance.

For more information, call Eric Martin at 541-2616.



Davin Lopez, president and CEO of the Mesilla Valley Economic Development Alliance – an organization credited with helping move the Union Pacific project forward – speaks with Peter Ibarbo about the effort.

MVEDA releases its annual report

The outlook is still sunny

Bulletin Staff Report

On Thursday, Aug. 11, the Mesilla Valley Economic Development Alliance met with community members to discuss the 2010-11 fiscal year for the organization.

Though the economy may be in distress, MVEDA showed growth in the Mesilla Valley.

"I am proud to present the results of MVEDA's 2010-11 fiscal year, which by almost all accounts has been a record setting year," said Davin Lopez, president and CEO of MVEDA. "Not only has it been MVEDA's second-best performing year in terms of job creation and square footage absorption, but the organization also far exceeded any past operating year in terms of capital investment and wealth creation."

Charged with bringing companies to the Mesilla Valley and increasing the wealth of Doña Ana County, MVEDA works with other entities such as the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, local chambers of commerce as well as a diverse group of leaders from the business community.

"With an additional three solar projects in Doña Ana County with total investments upwards of \$100 million, a recent groundbreaking for a major multi-unit residential development in Santa Teresa, and the future industry potential that Spaceport America offers, should make us all stop and wonder whether or not national headlines are accurate ... or, at the very least, relevant to our region," Lopez said.

Over the past fiscal year, 45 companies actively looked into relocating to Las Cruces with several of them completing the process and moving into vacant buildings. Some of these companies include Vangent, Samson, NRG, L&M Radiator, Products USA and Nextera Energy.

In early June, MVEDA hosted an open house for L&M Radiator, a manufacturer that recently announced its move to Las Cruces. L&M plans to transfer or hire more than 100 employees, Lopez said.

"Less than a year ago, Alaska Structures expanded in Las Cruces' West Mesa Industrial Park and now occupies more than 300,000 square feet in two facilities and employs more than 300 workers," Lopez added.

The year generated more than 580 jobs, contributed to more than 270,000 square feet in commercial real estate absorption, with capital investments totaling more than \$540 million. The average salary for the new jobs exceeds \$47,000 per year, which is almost 28 percent above average wages for Doña Ana County.

Since January 2003, through the most recent fiscal year, MVEDA has assisted in the expansion or location of 68 projects in Doña Ana County – including Union Pacific – creating more than 3,200 jobs with an annual payroll in excess of \$96 million.

New Mexico SBDC crosses the international border

Organizations helps businesses strengthen work with Mexico

By **Samantha Roberts**

Las Cruces Bulletin

The Small Business Development Center of New Mexico has developed a program with exports as its focus, making available international trade counselors and an abundance of resources for those looking to start up business with Mexico.

Working as a nonprofit, SBDC is spread throughout the state with 20 locations serving New Mexican business owners and entrepreneurs.

The new program – Gateway to Exporting: Your Key to International Markets – is being spearheaded by Flo Dow, assistant director for marketing and professional development at the New Mexico SBDC, and is aimed at developing New Mexico's small businesses and increasing their capabilities to export products and services to Mexico's maquiladora industry.

"We are trying to let people know this program is up and running," she said. "We received a federal grant in January for \$325,000 and spent the first six months getting things sorted out. Now, we are ready to go."

As part of the program, the SBDC has designated five team members as international trade consultants and one of them is in Las Cruces.

Fred Owensby, director of the Las Cruces SBDC, will serve as the consultant for southern New Mexico.

"I will be covering all of the south, from Hobbs, N.M., to Silver City, N.M.," Owensby said. "We hope to bring people in and get their initial questions answered. Then from there, they could work with someone like the (International Business Accelerator) to advance further with doing business across the border."

Another service the program offers is a database, connecting buyers with suppliers, which can be found at www.nmiba.com/gateway.

The site will also be posting webinars that cover issues such as international business planning, finance, logistics, marketing identification and secure commerce, Dow said.

"We will be very proactive in identifying people and companies that are interested in international business," she added.

The services being offered are free and open to anyone.

"Anyone and everyone who has the right product," she said, adding that the international consultants are available if someone is trying to determine if they "have the right product."

"They can contact the office and we will do a one-on-one interview," Owensby added. "We will have that conversation and help people figure it out."

Since safety in Mexico is still of high concern, Owensby said

this program provides an alternative to traveling across the border for business.

"We have strong connections with people who are already down there and are willing to help," he said. "There are two consultants in Juárez in the community doing the legwork who are familiar with the industry."

"We are making in-country connections," said Bill Dobricky, senior procurement adviser for the Procurement Technical Assistance Program, a division of the SBDC that assists companies in doing business with the government.

Though the grant will expire two years from its inception, Dow said this is a good start to a program the center hopes to continue.

"We hope to have great success and create a model that will put us in a position for more funds in the future," she said. "We also hope that this will help people to understand the value of the SBDC. We are providing these services and your tax dollars are at work."

Also as part of the New Mexico SBDC, additional free workshops will be held at Doña Ana Community College from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. Thursdays, Sept. 8, Oct. 6, Nov. 10 and Dec. 8.

Workshop participants are invited to make an appointment for individual assistance. To make arrangements with an SBDC representative after any workshop, call 527-7676.

For more information on SBDC or the Procurement Technical Assistance Program, visit www.nmsdbc.org.

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Policy options are limited

National recession: No hopeful signs from the country's stock market



Chris Erickson
State of the Economy

Las Cruces is in a recession, having shed 1,300 jobs – nearly 2 percent of the workforce.

Statewide, the economy continues to bump along at near zero growth as it has for nearly a year. But if you hoped for a robust recovery in the national economy to bail us out, that hope is diminishing. The outlook for the national economy continues to sour and a national recession is increasingly likely.

The best single, but not infallible, indicator of the outlook for the economy over the

next six months is the stock market. The message there is not good. Since the May 2 peak, it is down nearly 7 percent. Of course, this is after weeks of gyrations. (Reading the word “rollercoaster” on the business page is never good news.)

A survey of economists by the Philadelphia Federal Reserve adds to the gloom. The surveyed economists downgraded their outlook for the U.S. economy from average growth to below average. The probability of negative growth was given a 20 percent chance, about double the previous survey.

Faced with a slowing economy, the usual recommendation would be to lower interest rates, increase government spending and lower taxes. Unfortunately, these policy options are not available in the current circumstances.

Interest rates are already at zero, leaving no room for further drops. The fed has tried to assure markets by promising to maintain low rates for two years, but that the fed has had to stoop to such a meager policy shows

the limits on what the fed can do. The fed may also initiate a new round of quantitative easing. This involves the fed purchasing long-term bonds in an attempt to push down long-term interest rates. The two previous rounds have had marginal success. In any case, the fed can only affect the current situation at the margins.

Turning to the federal budget, the political situation makes increasing government spending impossible. Tax cuts have a better chance, but even here there is little appetite.

By opposing deficits now, the tea party and its allies are emphasizing solving long-run problems in the face of a very real, short-run economic slowdown. This isn't irrational, but it does mean the cost of the policy will be disproportionately imposed on the poor and unemployed. Especially hard hit will be the young adults starting off their careers. A long recession can make it hard for them to find a good job, adversely affecting their long-term prospects.

An alternative would be to focus on the short run; then once the economy is back on track, move toward a balanced budget. Doing all this is easier said than done, but

we have done it in the past. President Ronald Reagan inherited an economic disaster – high inflation, high interest rates and a stagnating economy. Reagan focused on fixing the short-run problems, ignoring budget deficits. Only once the economy was back on track did he move on to deficit. Indeed, when he left office the deficit was worse than when he started, but he had laid the groundwork for his successors (Presidents George Bush and Bill Clinton) to balance the budget. The result was 25 years of unprecedented prosperity.

Helping Reagan along was Democratic Speaker of the House Tip O'Neill. The Reagan revolution was more bipartisan than many are willing to admit. Whether Reagan could have succeeded in the current hyper partisan political environment is hard to say.

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Rent-to-own programs are still popular

An alternative home-buying option has its perks

Gary Sandler's
Real Estate
Connection



When young renters Mark and Sylvia decided to make the transition from tenant-life to homeownership, they were disappointed to learn that past credit indiscretions were making it difficult for them to qualify for a mortgage.

They were even more disappointed to learn that it could take up to a year to clean up their credit to the point where they would be able to qualify for a loan. Discouraged that they may have to postpone their purchase for up to a year, the couple began exploring alternative ways to buy their first home.

At the suggestion of a relative, they decided to explore what's commonly referred to as a

rent-to-own program. While the term “rent-to-own” is most often associated with the rental and subsequent purchase of personal property, such as furniture, appliances and the like, the concept can also be applied to the purchase of real property. When it is applied to real estate, the concept is formally known as a lease-option or lease-purchase.

The lease-option and purchase concepts are sound. Buyers who have less-than-stellar credit histories or insufficient cash for a down payment can rent a house with the option to purchase the property. The tenant often pays a fee to the landlord for the right to purchase the property at a set price during the lease term, and can even negotiate to have portions of the monthly rent to count toward a down payment.

Lease-options are usually a win-win situation for the buyer and the seller. During the option period, the tenant has time to clean up

their credit, put aside money toward a down payment and make arrangements with a lender to obtain a purchase money mortgage at the end of the option period. The owner also benefits by having a steady income stream during the option period and a qualified buyer to purchase the property and the end of the term.

Lease-purchase is similar to lease-option, but with a twist. The purchase scenario is essentially a sale with a delayed closing, typically up to a year. During the lease period, the buyer works on removing whatever obstacles (i.e., credit, time-on-the-job, etc.) stand in the way of buying now. Like the option customer, they are expected to close the transaction at the end of the lease or escrow periods.

There's a dark side to these deals for unsuspecting buyers, however. In Florida, the state attorney general investigated one major lease-option promoter for allegedly defrauding dozens of clients by pocketing their option fees and failing to transfer houses when tenants were ready to buy.

In Texas, widespread consumer complaints about lease-option programs prompted the legislature to pass new standards. Under the law, lease-option promoters will be prohibited from terminating contracts because of minor lease disputes or late rental payments, and will need to have clear legal title to the properties they offer for sale using lease-options.

Other abuses include contract language that allows the owner to seize the option fee money the tenant paid, and to terminate the deal for almost any reason the landlord chooses, including being one day late on the

rent or because of minor property maintenance issues.

To protect yourself from entering into a contract with an unscrupulous or unknowledgeable owner, first, make sure the owner has clear title to the property. Prospective tenants can check the title and ownership through public records in person or online at the County Recorder's Office, or they can insist the owner produce evidence of property ownership or sign a statement that they have clear title and the right to transfer the property.

Of equal importance is the lease-option contract itself. It should be drawn up with the help of a knowledgeable professional, and accurately reflect the outcome that each party is expecting to realize at the time of purchase. Ask a Realtor or lawyer to review the contract with you and explain in detail the obligations and responsibilities both you and the landlord have during the rental period.

Finally, make sure the contract doesn't give the owner the right to cancel the deal, evict the tenant and take your option money over trivial issues.

If you do your due diligence and pay close attention to the details of your transaction, you have an excellent chance of completing a successful and hassle-free lease-option purchase.

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, which broadcasts from 4 to 6 p.m. each Monday 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.

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City of Las Cruces Building Permit Report Aug. 5-12

Building Industry Association of Southern New Mexico

Permit #	Permittee	Owner	Project	Address	Value	Permit
20114294	Quick Builders	Compass Bank	Comm/Alt	3870 Foothills Road	\$100,000	\$457
20114302	Sweetwater Homes LLC	P I Holdings No. 1 Inc.	Res/New	4233 Ceres Court	\$189,174	\$4,101
20114321	Erasmus's Roofing LLC	Edward E. Milkovich Trustee Et Al	Reroof	1505 La Fonda Drive	\$9,686	\$85
20114330	Clayton Donnelly Roofing	William L. and Hope K. Newhouse	Reroof	786 Cedardale Drive	\$11,913	\$98
20114352	G Bishop Roofing	Wendcruces Corp.	Reroof	1343 El Paseo Road	\$11,965	\$98
20114279	The Q. Residential and General Contractor	William T. and Josephine M. Banks	Reroof	1152 Cave Springs Trail	\$8,400	\$77
20114297	Rosa M. Lopez	Rosa M. Lopez	Res/Add	5311 Midway Ave.	\$500	\$30
20114273	Ridgetop Construction	Loretta F. Chafin Rev Living Trust	Reroof	320 Manso Ave.	\$1,225	\$38
20114300	B&L Roofing Inc.	Lela Ann Griffin Et Al	Reroof	645 El Molino Blvd.	\$3,000	\$45
20114293	Progreen Superior Coating and Roofing Inc.	Richard G. and Kathleen L. Massey	Reroof	4865 Beryl St.	\$6,500	\$66
20114348	B&L Roofing Inc.	Catalina M. Zamora	Reroof	640 Cindy Place	\$3,000	\$45
20114360	Albert and Rita Racelis	Albert and Rita Racelis	Res/Add	1745 Paxton St.	\$2,100	\$40
20114359	M M Daves Construction Co.	Morning Star United Methodist Church	Comm/Alt	2941 Morning Star Drive	\$9,432	\$83
20114346	Mesa View Homes LLC	BPS LLC	Res/New	4673 Salado Creek St.	\$198,440	\$3,317
20114328	Hakes Brothers Construction LLC	Hakes Brothers LLC	Res/New	5842 Organ Peak Drive	\$169,740	\$3,268
20114379	Sunwest Homes Inc.	Sunwest Homes Inc.	Res/New	7466 Sierra Luz Drive	\$165,886	\$4,061
20114374	Southern Comfort Builders	Southern Comfort Builders Inc.	Res/New	1110 Old West Way	\$181,056	\$3,782
20114384	Antonio Gamez	Luis M. Cisneros Et Ux	Reroof	1215 Augustine Ave.	\$4,000	\$51

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Doña Ana County Building Permit Report Aug. 5-12

Building Industry Association of Southern New Mexico

Permit #	Contractor	Owner	Project	Address	Permit
36775	Foam America Inc.	Thomas K. and Carol M. Hobby	Reroof	4977 Homestead Court	\$190
36776	Self	Jaime D. Montes and Rosalilia Dominguez	Reroof	172 Merlin Court	\$80
36777	Self	Robert and Sandra Guerrero	Reroof	162 Merlin Court	\$100
36782	JC Roofing	Guillermo and Victoria Pena	Reroof	621 Kristin Drive	\$200
36783	Self	Katherine Haynes	Res/Add	4510 Codorniz St.	\$240
36785	Self	Ed Leake and Nelly Iverson	Reroof	17921 S. Highway 28	\$70
36786	Self	Irma Avila	Reroof	5808 Sanderling Drive	\$240
36789	Progreen Roofing	Louie and Terri Figueroa	Reroof	5495 Calle de Rosas	\$120
36790	Self	Ramon Najera	Res/New	200 E. Joy Drive	\$198
36796	Self	Gerardo and Claudia Ruvalcaba	Reroof	168 Swift Court	\$90

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Briefs

New Mexico Game Jam

Rio Grande International Game Developer Association, in partnership with Rio Grande Special Interest Group on Computer Graphics, announced the return of the New Mexico Game Jam, held Friday through Sunday, Aug. 19-21.

Participants across the state will have 48 hours to design and build innovative games that will be shared with the rest of the world. Sites have been established in Albuquerque, Santa Fe and Las Cruces with possibly more to follow. Anyone interested in game design and development and wants to participate in a 48-hour game design challenge can sign up for the event at www.nmgamejam.org.

The Las Cruces location will be held at the Doña Ana Community College Digital Media Building, 2800 N. Sonoma Ranch Blvd.

New Mexico MainStreet receives national re-accreditation

The National Trust Main Street Center announced New Mexico MainStreet met national standards for state coordinating programs. The New Mexico Economic Development Department has gained re-accreditation to be licensed to operate the New Mexico MainStreet Program.

"MainStreet is our premier community economic development program," said Economic Development Cabinet Secretary Jon Barela. "We are very happy that we can continue to serve our existing affiliates and move forward to serve more communities and develop new opportunities for community and rural economic development in New Mexico."

Senior Program officers Kathy La Plante and Norma Rodriguez de Miess conducted the biennial assessment. They spent four days in New Mexico conducting seven focus groups and more than 70 interviews and phone consultations with New Mexico's local MainStreet leaders, partnering organizations, state leaders and agency heads.

The assessment assists the state director and MainStreet staff craft a more efficient and productive economic development program.

"It is place-based, community economic development using the unique architectural and cultural assets within a local MainStreet district to enhance the vitality of the traditional commercial core," said Rich Williams, MainStreet state director.

"We were extremely impressed with the high-level of satisfaction for the professional services delivered to communities by the Economic Development Department through New Mexico MainStreet, especially to rural communities throughout the state, resulting in real, positive local economic impact," said La Plante, National Trust Senior Program officer.

New dance studio opens

Mesilla Valley Dance will be opening a new studio inside of Mikey's Place-A Workshop for the Arts, 3100 Harrelson St. Dance and fitness classes will be offered for all ages, including ballet, modern, flamenco, jazz, hip-hop, creative movement, Zumba, Zumba gold, pilates and yoga. For more information, visit www.mesillavalleydance.webs.com.

Spaceport congratulates winners

The New Mexico Spaceport Authority (NMSA) congratulates the seven companies selected by NASA to provide near-space flight services. Each of the companies will integrate and fly technology payloads to the boundary of space using commercial suborbital launch systems as part of a package of contracts worth a combined total of \$10 million. Several of the

companies selected have conducted operations from Spaceport America.

As part of NASA's Flight Opportunities Program, the seven companies selected will receive two-year contracts that will allow NASA to deliver research and technology payloads by drawing from a pool of commercial space companies. The selected companies include: Armadillo Aerospace of Heath, Texas; Near Space Corp. of Tillamook, Ore.; Masten Space Systems of Mojave, Calif.; UP Aerospace Inc. of Highlands Ranch, Colo.; Virgin Galactic, anchor tenant at Spaceport America; Whittinghill Aerospace LLC of Camarillo, Calif.; and XCOR Aerospace of Mojave, Calif.

"This is exciting news for the future of the commercial space industry and Spaceport America," said NMSA Executive Director Christine Anderson. "UP Aerospace, Armadillo Aerospace and Virgin Galactic are already clients of our spaceport, and we are in a unique position to help these companies and the others deliver on their new NASA contracts."

The spaceport also selected Fiore Industries Inc. of Albuquerque as the contractor to perform Protective Services for Spaceport America. The company was awarded a two-year base contract with a not-to-exceed value of \$2.3 million and two one-year renewal options. Fiore will provide 24/7 site security, badging, firefighting, emergency medical services and environmental, safety and health requirements at Spaceport America. Initially, the contractor will develop policies and procedures for the site security, emergency response, and risk management, as well as perform pre-operational exercises.

Fiore will lead a team of companies that will work together to provide all Protective Service requirements during the two-year contract period. Other team members include: Allied Barton Security Services LLC (ABSS); Sierra Vista Hospital New Mexico (SVH); Zia Engineering and Environmental Consultants LLC (Zia); and New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology.

Paloma Blanca Road closed for repairs

A portion of Paloma Blanca Road in Chaparral, N.M., will be closed through Friday, Aug. 26, for repairs. The closure will be in effect from 317 Paloma Blanca to McCombs Road.

Motorists are advised to slow down and expect delays in the construction areas. Motorists also are reminded to exercise caution in all areas where workers are deployed. For more information, call 525-5801.

SBDC holds free business seminars

Learn how to start a business safely, legally and profitably. Topics will include market research, registration as a business, marketing, financing and business planning. Registration is free and workshops will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 15, Oct. 20, Nov. 17 and Dec. 15.

"Steps to Starting your Own Business" will also be held in English and Spanish from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. Thursdays, Sept. 8, Oct. 6, Nov. 10 and Dec. 8.

Registration is free. For directions and more information, visit www.nmsbdc.org.

Domenici Public Policy Conference

The nation's debt crisis, national security and health care reform are the topics experts will address at the 2011 Domenici Public Policy Conference Aug. 31-Sept. 1 at the Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave.

Among those set to speak at the conference are former U.S. Sen. Thomas A. Daschle, Gov. Susana Martinez and retired Air Force Gen. Michael Hayden.

The 2011 Domenici Public Policy Conference costs \$50 to attend with registration and payment available online at www.domenici.nmsu.edu. The event is free to NMSU students. For more information, call 646-2066.

Agenda

HTC luncheon

Tracey Bryan, president/CEO of The Bridge of Southern New Mexico, will be the featured speaker at the High Technology Consortium (HTC) of Southern New Mexico luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, Aug. 19, at the Sunset Grill, 1274 Golf Club Road. For more information, contact Richard Majestic at rmajestic@msn.com or 521-0018.

Date: Friday, Aug. 19

Time: 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Location: Sunset Grill
1274 Golf Club Road

Contact: 521-0018

Las Cruces Business Network meetings

The Las Cruces Business Network meetings have been changed from the Las Cruces Event Center to Furr's Restaurant, 2340 E. Griggs Ave. The next meeting will be at 11:45 a.m. Friday, Aug. 19. The topic will be the ins and outs of operating a home-based business.

Date: Friday, Aug. 19

Time: 11:45 a.m.

Location: Furr's Restaurant
2340 E. Griggs Ave.

Economic update forum

The Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce will host an economic update forum at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 24, at the KRWG-TV studio on the New Mexico State University campus, Milton Hall, Room 100. The event is free and open to the public.

Date: Wednesday, Aug. 24

Time: 4:30 p.m.

Location: KRWG-TV studio
New Mexico State University campus
Milton Hall, Room 100

Junior Amigo Ambassadors program

The Hispano Chamber of Commerce de Las Cruces is unveiling its Junior Amigo Ambassadors program at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 30, at the chamber's office, 1990 E. Lohman Ave.

The Hispano chamber is looking for high school students in Las Cruces and Doña Ana County to become a part of the chamber's new program. As a Junior Amigo, children will have the opportunity to learn leadership and communication skills while serving his or her community and the Hispano Chamber of Commerce de Las Cruces. For more information, call 525-8643

Date: Tuesday, Aug. 30

Time: 4:30 p.m.

Location: Hispano Chamber of Commerce
de Las Cruces office
1990 E. Lohman Ave.

Contact: 525-8643

Governor's Update Luncheon

The Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce will host the 2011 Governor's Update Luncheon with Gov. Susana Martinez from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 31, at Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces, 705 S. Telshor Blvd.

Martinez will provide a short state-of-the-state address as well as an overview of legislation that was brought before the Legislature in the 2011 session and possible issues that will come before the Legislature in the 2011 special session. Tickets are \$30 for members or \$60 for nonmembers. Sponsorship opportunities are still available. For more information, call Alesia Dutton at 524-1968.

Date: Wednesday, Aug. 31

Time: 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Location: Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces, 705 S. Telshor Blvd.

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Profile

Kelly Jameson: A Las Cruces through and through

Jameson is a new local face for the sheriff's department

By Rachel Christiansen

Las Cruces Bulletin

When she isn't busy taking her three daughters to cheerleading or soccer practice, Las Cruces resident Kelly Jameson is taking post as the Doña Ana County Sheriff's Department communications specialist.

A graduate of Las Cruces High School and New Mexico State University, Jameson has 16 years of experience in the media industry, and said she "hopes she is here to stay."

Jameson said it only takes being away from Las Cruces to miss it, and that "there's no better place on Earth."

"I've always considered myself an unofficial cheerleader of this city, there's so many wonderful things about it," Jameson said.

Her favorite part of living in Las Cruces is waking up to see the Organ Mountains every day, and "it helps that, of course, my favorite food is green chile," Jameson said.

Jameson said she was lucky enough to know at a very young age exactly what she wanted to be when she grew up, recalling a story in which a former Las Cruces Sun-News reporter came into her first grade class at Mesilla Park Elementary asking what the little girls wanted to be when they grew up.

The traditional answers ranged from nurses to teachers.

"But the moment I saw the article in the paper, I knew I didn't want to be any of those things," she said. "I wanted to be a journalist like the reporter that came into our class."

Jameson stayed true to her 6-year-old aspirations, and, after graduating from NMSU with a bachelor's degree in broadcast journalism in 1997, began her career as a morning show editor at KTSM-TV in El Paso.

"Working for television was my life dream at that point, and I learned so much," Jameson said, "even though 'the morning show' meant being to work at 2 a.m."

Catching a break at the station when the main anchor noticed her writing abilities, Jameson worked her way to the top, finally being promoted to executive producer.

From there, Jameson worked several different publishing and public relations jobs in the Las Cruces and El Paso area.

"Today, I am thrilled and honored to be working for the very county where I have lived my entire life," she said.

As part of her new job, Jameson is responsible for providing the public with information about the sheriff's department as well as keeping the community updated with news and events.

"I'm excited to be able to take all of my experience ... and use it to do good work for the people."

KELLY JAMESON

public communications specialist

Jameson has been involved with the Junior League of Las Cruces as well as the El Paso Public Relations of the Southwest, a local entity for public relations professionals that meets monthly.

Working as a skating carhop at Sonic through college is how she met her husband Kenny, also a Las Cruces resident.

Taking care of her three daughters is her "full-time civic duty," Jameson said.

"Keeping up with my oldest daughter in cheerleading and my two youngest in soccer, that's quite a commitment," Jameson said.

Jameson's oldest daughter, Lainey, is now a sophomore at LCHS, while her two youngest twin daughters, McKenna and Stephanie are just beginning kindergarten.

"Seems like I just brought them home from the hospital a week ago," Jameson said of her twins starting school.

Many in the community may already be familiar with County Spokesperson Jess Williams, and Jameson is now his right-hand woman.

"I speak for the county and provide the public with information when (Williams) isn't there," Jameson said. "I hope to learn as much as he knows."

As technology and social media are forcing their way into everyone's lives in some way, Jameson said she hopes to integrate public access to county information into that growing trend.

The Las Cruces Police Department began using www.nixle.com, which Jameson said is a media platform that allows people to know what is going on in their neighborhood at any given time.

"I would love to see that kind of system begin to work for this department, and I'm going to start working on that as soon as I get settled in," Jameson said.

This service allows residents to sign up for text message or email alerts when an emergency happens in their immediate area.

Also as part of her daily routine, Jameson compiles the DASO blotter and shift notes to give the local media as well as answering any media and interview requests.

"I'm excited to be able to take all of my experience in media, publishing, advertising and public relations and use it to do good work for the people who live here," Jameson said.

Details

Kelly Jameson

Public communications specialist

CompanyDoña Ana County
Sheriff's Department**Family**

- Husband Kenny
- Daughters Lainey, 15, McKenna, 5, and Stephanie, 5

EducationBachelor's degree in
broadcast journalism,
New Mexico State University**Website**www.donaanacounty.org/sheriff**Contact**

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- kellyj@donaanacounty.org



People on the Move

DAC clerk to serve on U.S. election board

New Mexico Secretary of State Dianna Duran named Doña Ana County Clerk Lynn Ellins to serve on the United States Election Assistance Commission's Standards Board.

"I'm honored to have been selected to serve, and I will do so with the best interests of all New Mexico voters in mind at all times," Ellins said.

NMSU professors appointed to regents professorship

Jeffrey Arterburn, professor of chemistry and biochemistry; Sonya Cooper, professor of engineering technology; and James Shearer, professor of music, were awarded the Regents Professorships at the 2011 New Mexico State University Fall Convocation.

"The three regents professors named to-

day exemplify the highest academic standards at NMSU," said Executive Vice President and Provost Wendy Wilkins.

The NMSU's Board of Regents established the regents professorship in 2001. Regents professors hold the title for as long as they continue to teach at NMSU.

LCPS appoints director of health



WILLIAMS

Superintendent Stan Rounds appointed Ellen Williams, RN, as the new director of the Las Cruces Public Schools Health Services Department. She assumed her duties Monday, Aug. 15.

Williams succeeds Beverly Hine, RN, as Health Services Department director. Hine is retiring after 29 years with LCPS. Williams has

been with LCPS for 16 years as a school nurse and for the past five years as the health services professional development specialist. For more information, call 527-5879.

Martinez announces appointments to boards

Gov. Susana Martinez announced that she has made appointments to the New Mexico Economic Partnership, the New Mexico Law Enforcement Academy Board, the Judicial Compensation Commission and the Natural Lands Protection Committee. Martinez has made the following appointments to the New Mexico Economic Partnership: Gary Tonjes of Albuquerque, Joe DiGregorio of Gallup, Davin Lopez of Las Cruces, Sean Ormand of Silver City, John Gratton of Hobbs and Mark Myers of Las Cruces. Martinez also appointed Carlo Lucero of Albuquerque to the Judicial Compensation Commission and Gail Armstrong of Magdalena to the Natural Lands Protection Committee.

Chavez appointed to district SBA

Susan S. Chavez, a native New Mexican, has

been promoted to the deputy district director of the U.S. Small Business Administration's (SBA) district office in Albuquerque.

Chavez will assist the district director in managing the delivery of the SBA's financial assistance, management counseling and business development programs for the State of New Mexico.

Chavez has been with the SBA since 1979. Preceding her promotion, she served as the assistant district director for Entrepreneurial Development/Supervisory Business Development specialist. Chavez has a total of 32 years of experience at the SBA and 33 years total of federal service.

Send us your People on the Move briefs

Local organizations and businesses are encouraged to send news of employee promotions, hirings, awards and distinctions to the Business section of the Las Cruces Bulletin. Send general information and a photo to business@lascrucesbulletin.com.

Climate changes cause uncertainty for farmers

Things look good in August, but what's next?

By **Marvin Tessneer**
Las Cruces Bulletin

The current shortage of Rio Grande surface water for crop irrigation demonstrates how erratic climate patterns are during the different seasons.

The poor snow pack runoff forced Elephant Butte Irrigation District (EBID) to shut down its delivery season. The adjacent districts still are delivering water, although they also are planning to turn off the surface water in September, district managers said.

The Elephant Butte Reservoir storage is 226,000 acre-feet, or 11 percent of full capacity, the Bureau of Reclamation reported.

"The Elephant Butte Irrigation District is maintaining its delivery canals to handle any runoff from summer rains, if they should ever occur," said Leo Barrett, maintenance supervisor.

The district has assigned about 30 ditch riders and a couple of heavy equipment operators to work on canal maintenance.

"We're doing routine preventative measures work," Barrett said. "We don't have any major projects going on. It depends on what farmers and constituents need. We need to prepare to do what is needed if we get some good rains."

The only water flowing down the canals is well water that farmers are sharing.

EBID's 2011 allocation was a mere 4 acre-inches, and the district shut off its surface water delivery in early July. Soon after that, EBID manager Gary Esslinger directed field men to capture and direct rain runoff into the irrigation system.

"Several of the arroyos in our valley drain into the canals or drainage ditches, and we're preparing to capture any runoff and direct it into the system," Barrett said.

Downstream, El Paso Water Conservation No. 1 still is delivering water to farmers, but its supply is limited and the district is planning to shut down in early September,

said manager Jesus "Chuy" Reyes. The lower irrigation district has 56,000 acre-feet in the Elephant Butte Reservoir that it had saved last season, and this season was able to start the season with 3.5 acre-feet of water.

"We had a little runoff from a couple of storms last week," Reyes said. "In a couple of places, we had as much as 2 inches. We have enough water in Elephant Butte now to carry us until September."

The Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District (MRGCD) upstream from the EBID still is irrigating, but is planning to cut back the water in September. The MRGCD has allocated 3 acre-feet to farmers that is broken down into about 12 irrigations for the district's 65,000 acres, depending on farmer's individual needs or their crops, said Public Information Officer Tom Thorpe.

"We're working off our earlier storage," Thorpe said. The MRGCD does not have a well and pumping system as the EBID operates that it can turn to as an additional source.

The MRGCD snow pack runoff last spring also was inadequate this spring from its three basin sources – El Vado, Abiquiu and Cochita – but it was able to start out the 2011 season with 120,000 acre-feet of water.

The MRGCD could receive more water from summer rains, but it would not be allowed to store the water. The district would have to allow the water to flow down the Rio Grande, which would benefit the EBID, but that has not occurred so far this season, according to MRGCD hydrologist David Gensler.

A high-pressure system is stalled over south central New Mexico and has prevented moisture from Mexico from moving into New Mexico, the National Weather Service reported.

The precipitation outlook for the Mesilla Valley is, "spotty and hit and miss." New Mexico State University's gauge recording for July was 2.07 inches, which is more than normal, but is isolated and not typical for the rest of the community.

HUB GIVES Day



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Niki Rhynes

Volunteer Cynthia Gaines wipes down a table at the Eastside Community Center during Hub International Insurance's annual HUB GIVES Day, during which they close the office and find an organization to volunteer for Friday, Aug. 12. Volunteers also headed over to the Munson Senior Center to lend a helping hand.

Biofuels research at NMSU

Thousands of jobs could be created

By **Jay Rodman**
For the Las Cruces Bulletin

Research being done at New Mexico State University on the production of algae-based biofuels would become increasingly important to New Mexico's – and the nation's – economic prosperity, if U.S. Sen. Tom Udall has his way.

Udall visited NMSU to announce legislation he will introduce in the Senate to ensure a more level playing field for the algal biofuels industry.

Joining Udall at the news conference were NMSU President Barbara Couture; Pete Lammers, NMSU research professor and the technical director of the university's Algal Bioenergy Program; Jim Peach, regents professor of economics; and Denise Gitsham, director of corporate affairs and legislative counsel for Sapphire Energy, Inc., owner of a large biorefinery in Columbus, N.M.

The U.S. Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 established a production target of 36 billion gallons of advanced biofuels by 2022, with separate volume requirements for each category of renewable fuel. It also required that life-cycle analyses be used to ensure that each renewable fuel emits less greenhouse gas than the

petroleum it replaces.

Udall said he feels the renewable fuel standards established by law go a long way toward promoting U.S. energy security through domestic production of fossil fuel alternatives. In the current version; however, mandated targets for alternative fuel production favor corn-based and cellulosic ethanol over algae-based and other "advanced" biofuels.

He expressed his belief that Congress should promote research and development of alternative energy sources, but that the market should determine the balance among the various alternatives. The legislation that he and Public Works Committee colleague Larry Crapo of Idaho plan to introduce will mandate parity for algae and other non-cellulosic advanced biofuels, in terms of production requirements and subsidies under the renewable fuel standards. Comparable bipartisan legislation has been introduced in the House of Representatives.

Udall chose NMSU as the site for his announcement because of the university's established commitment to algal biofuel research. NMSU recently moved into algae bio-oil production mode with a new 4,000-liter Solix BioSystems algal

photobioreactor, which joined four smaller algae "raceways" at the Fabian Garcia Science Center in Las Cruces. The university is a member of the National Alliance for Advanced Biofuels and Bioproducts consortium, established through \$49 million in grants from the Department of Energy to explore all aspects of algal biofuel production, harvesting, extraction and upgrading to diesel and jet fuels.

Prior to the news conference, Udall was greeted by Couture at the science center. He then met with a group that included other NMSU administrators, New Mexico Secretary of Agriculture Jeff Witte, and faculty and staff members involved in algal research. They showed him the new algal photobioreactor, as well as an automated biodiesel processor, and discussed various ways NMSU's algal technology might be integrated into dairy and livestock production facilities, or even inland shrimp farming.

Lammer stressed the importance of algae research in benefiting humankind. He foresees a situation in the not-too-distant future where converting algae into fuel will not only fill a significant portion of the nation's energy needs, but will also capture value from waste streams to create a "cradle-to-cradle" approach to industrial ecology. Lammers sees

the current push to develop renewable fuels to blend with traditional petroleum products as a turning point in global energy policy, and he believes algae can play a key role.

"I think of algae cultivation as a waste-to-energy process that will benefit the economics of existing agricultural enterprises," Lammers said. "This is the first step in a long journey. Industrial ecologies capable of sustaining a population of 7 billion people for a thousand years will waste nothing and recycle everything. In the long run, that will include industrial, municipal and agricultural waste streams."

In his news conference remarks, Udall pointed out the advantages algal biofuel has over other options and the advantages New Mexico has over most other states in producing it.

Comparing algae to corn grown for ethanol and to soybeans used for biodiesel production, Udall explained that algae production requires much less land, can be accomplished with lower quality water, results in the absorption of large amounts of the greenhouse gas carbon dioxide – and it is not a food crop, so growing it for fuel production doesn't impact the food supply.

New Mexico is an ideal place for algal biofuel production. It has plentiful sunshine, an abundance of water unsuitable for consumption or crop irrigation, and land is not scarce.

"I believe New Mexico is well positioned to be a leader in this," Udall

said. "And with policies that encourage the production of clean energy, our state can create an energy economy that leads the nation in developing the jobs of the future."

Udall shared the results of a survey of 52 Algal Biomass Organization member companies on the issue of potential job growth from legislative and regulatory parity for algae. The estimate based on this survey suggested that "explosive" job growth – more than 200,000 jobs nationwide – could be expected over the next decade if Congress puts algae on a level playing field with ethanol and other advanced biofuels.

Peach and colleague Meghan Starbuck-Downes have studied the potential economic impact of algal biofuel production. Based on their economic model, they estimate that for every 100 million gallons of algal biofuel produced in the state, there would be 450 jobs created, including direct, indirect and induced jobs. State revenues would likely be boosted by \$8 million to \$9 million.

"New Mexico is an energy state with vast reserves of oil, natural gas, coal and uranium," Peach said. "Wind and solar are significant parts of the state's energy industry. Nearly all energy analysts agree that we need to develop all forms of energy. The algal biofuels industry could become an important part of the state's energy portfolio and could have substantial economic impacts."

LEGAL NOTICES

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Case No.
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v.

**JOSEPH M. MEZA, CRUCES
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COUNTRYWIDE HOMES
LOANS, INC. AND THE
UNKNOWN SPOUSE
JOSEPH M. MEZA, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 22, Block 3 of CANYON POINT 2 SUBDIVISION, located in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico as shown on the plat thereof filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of said County on MARCH 5, 1996 and recorded in Book 18 at Pages 426-427, Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 691 Mesa Point Road, 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 September 15, 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 \$146,689.21 plus interest from March 1, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.000% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other condition that would cause

the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

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2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-200901162

BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP F/K/A COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P., Plaintiff,

v.

**KENNETH WAYNE
BLANCHARD AND JULIE
ANNE BLANCHARD,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lots 4l, 4m and 4n, Block 12, ELEPHANT BUTTE LAND AND TRUST COMPANY AMENDMENT NO. 2 OF SUBDIVISION "C", BLOCKS #12, 13, 14 AND 15 AS CORRECTED, 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 July 17, 1967, in Book 10

pages 10-12 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 5152 Comanche Trail, 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 August 26, 2009 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 \$268,249.78 plus interest from July 15, 2009 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 keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-02535_FC01

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2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-200802448

THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS CWABS, INC. ASSET- BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-9, Plaintiff,

v.

**ALBINO TELLES, SILVIA I.
TELLES, THE UNKNOWN
SPOUSE OF ALBINO
TELLES, IF ANY AND THE
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF
SILVIA I. TELLES, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

LOT NUMBERED 20 OF ALTA VISTA, LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID ALTA VISTA, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON MARCH 9, 1955 IN PLAT BOOK 7, FOLIO 60.

The address of the real property is 2045 Lester Avenue, Las Cruces, NM 88001. 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 July 30, 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 \$172,790.38 plus interest from June 30, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 8.55% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-02921_FC01

Pub # 10903
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2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D307CV200801085

THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS, CWAII, INC., ALTERNATIVE LOAN TRUST 2007-22 MORTGAGE PASS- THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-22, Plaintiff,

v.

**EDUARDO NEVAREZ,
MARIA L. NEVAREZ AND
OCCUPANTS WHOSE TRUE
NAME ARE UNKNOWN,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defen-

dants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

LOT 1, MESILLA PARK MOSAIC, REPLAT NO.1, 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 APRIL 28, 2004, IN BOOK 20 PAGE(S) 648-649 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 1860 Tapestry Circle, Mesilla, NM 88046. 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 September 29, 2008 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 \$626,555.20 plus interest from August 15, 2008 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 at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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.

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-02975_FC01

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2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-200903075

BANK OF AMERICA, NA, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO COUNTRYWIDE BANK, FSB, Plaintiff,

v.

**SANTOS GARCIA, JR.
AND SUNNY GARCIA,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 102, Block B, LOS ENAMORADOS ESTATES, 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 July 27, 2006, in Book 21 Page(s) 722-727 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 4874 Calle Bella Ave, Las Cruces, NM 88012-7048. 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 16, 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 \$144,786.59 plus interest from April 9, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 12.550% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at

such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-03259_FC01

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2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-200901161

BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P., Plaintiff,

v.

**KRISTY H. PARKS, THE
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF
KRISTY H. PARKS, IF
ANY AND OCCUPANTS,
WHOSE TRUE NAMES
ARE UNKNOWN, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

THIRD NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 at 10:00 AM, Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las

LEGAL NOTICES

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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 6, BLOCK F, OF MONTECITO SUBDIVISION, LOCATED IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO AS SHOWN ON PLAT THEREOF RECORDED ON MARCH 5, 1953 IN PLAT BOOK 7, AT PAGE 36 AS PLAT NO. 410, RECORDS OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY.

The address of the real property is 1650 Smith Avenue, Las Cruces, NM 88001-3147. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on February 2, 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 \$131,635.73 plus interest from January 4, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.500% 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 part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-03340_FC01

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2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201000904

**DEUTSCHE BANK
NATIONAL TRUST
COMPANY AS TRUSTEE
ON BEHALF OF MORGAN
STANLEY ABS CAPITAL
INC. TRUST 2006-HE6,
MORTGAGE PASS-
THROUGH CERTIFICATES,
SERIES 2006-HE6, Plaintiff,**

v.

**SANDRA HAMILTON,
OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE
NAMES ARE UNKNOWN, IF
ANY AND THE UNKNOWN
SPOUSE OF SANDRA
HAMILTON, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 11 In Block B of Sandhill Center Heights, Phase 2, located in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat thereof filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on January 24, 2005 and recorded in Book 21 at Pages 122-123, Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 1143 Turkey Knob 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 June 15, 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 \$170,807.65 plus interest from June 11, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 8.675% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-04982_FC01

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

Case No. D0307CV200900389

**HSBC BANK USA,
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
AS TRUSTEE FOR THE
HOLDERS OF DEUTSCHE
ALT-A SECURITIES
MORTGAGE LOAN
TRUST, SERIES 2007-
BARI MORTGAGE PASS-
THROUGH CERTIFICATES,**

Plaintiff,

v.

**DAVID F. DELEAR,
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,
INC. (SOLELY AS NOMINEE
FOR LENDER AND
LENDER'S SUCCESSORS
AND ASSIGNS) AND
OCCUPANTS WHOSE TRUE
NAMES ARE UNKNOWN,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

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LOT 7, BLOCK D, LEGENDS WEST SUBDIVISION PHASE 1, IN THE COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY AS PLAT NO. 4090 ON 01/11/2005 IN BOOK 21 PAGE (S) 105-06 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 2857 Ancho Avenue, 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 January 29, 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 \$159,227.48 plus interest from November 30, 2009 to the date of sale at the rate of 8.250% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other condition that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds

shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

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

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

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

Case No. D0307CV200902489

**WELLS FARGO BANK,
N.A., AS TRUSTEE,
ON BEHALF OF THE
CERTIFICATEHOLDERS,
MASTRASSET BACKED
SECURITIES TRUST 2007-
NCW MORTGAGE PASS-
THROUGH CERTIFICATES
SERIES 2007-NCW, Plaintiff,**

v.

**MARIA RODRIGUEZ,
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,
INC. (SOLELY AS NOMINEE
FOR LENDER AND
LENDER'S SUCCESSORS
AND ASSIGNS), THE
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF
MARIA RODRIGUEZ, IF
ANY AND BENEFICIAL NEW
MEXICO, INC., Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot numbered 5 in Block numbered E of Parkhill Estates, Unit # 1, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Parkhill Estates, Unit #1, filed in the

Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on May 18, 2006 in Plat Book 21, Folio 623-624.

The address of the real property is 4638 Mesita St., 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 12, 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 \$154,551.86 plus interest from April 9, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 8.990% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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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 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.

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina

Las Cruces, NM 88001

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2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201000034

**BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**MENINA GIVENS,
QUENTIN GIVENS,
WENDALL EUGENIO,
SUZANNE A. TENT,
SOUTHWEST EXCHANGE
CORPORATION, BANK
OF AMERICA, N.A. AND
OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE
NAME ARE UNKNOWN, IF
ANY, Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 2, BAYLOR CANYON SUBDIVISION, in the County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, as shown and designated on the plat thereof, filed in the County Clerk of said county as Plat No. 4015 on 09/01/2004 in Book 20 Page(s) 777-78 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 15194 Space Murals Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88011. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on April 13, 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 \$493,741.62 plus interest from April 12, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.500% 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 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.

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.

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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 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.

Dated: , 2011.

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-05582_FC01

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Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201000292

**BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**JIMMIE J. HAYNES AKA
JIMMY JOE HAYNES AND
JULIE A. HAYNES AKA JULIE
ANN HAYNES, Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

LOT 17, STONEWAY SUBDIVISION, IN THE COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS

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SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY AS PLAT NO. 3754 ON APRIL 21, 2003 IN BOOK 20 PAGE(S) 317-318 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 4105 Winters Street, 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, 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 20, 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 \$172,173.08 plus interest from May 4, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.125% 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 purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

to rights of redemption.

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-05651_FC01

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2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-200901612

**BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**THE UNKNOWN HEIRS,
DEVISEES, OR LEGATEES OF
BETTY JO GETZ, DECEASED
AND THE UNKNOWN
SURVIVING SPOUSE
OF BETTY JO GETZ,
DECEASED, Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 2, of Replat No. 1 of the Paraproy Subdivision, a Townhouse Subdivision, located in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as shown on the plat thereof filed for record in the Office of the County Clerk of said County on July 31, 1986 and recorded in Book 14, at Page 236 of the Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 1230 Mormon Drive, 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 March 30, 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 \$173,354.23 plus interest from March 3, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.625% 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 at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price

in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

to rights of redemption.

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-05676_FC01

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2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-200901454

**BANK OF NEW YORK,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**IGNACIO RAMIREZ,
BANK OF AMERICA,
N.A., OCCUPANTS,
WHOSE TRUE NAME ARE
UNKNOWN AND THE
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF
IGNACIO RAMIREZ, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-05676_FC01

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2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-200901454

**BANK OF NEW YORK,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**IGNACIO RAMIREZ,
BANK OF AMERICA,
N.A., OCCUPANTS,
WHOSE TRUE NAME ARE
UNKNOWN AND THE
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF
IGNACIO RAMIREZ, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in

said County and State:

Lot 41, SANDHILL VILLAGE PHASE #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 February 6, 2004, in Book 20 Page(s) 533-536 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 3008 Escenico, 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 June 3, 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 \$138,867.92 plus interest from June 10, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.875% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-05685_FC01

Pub # 10913
Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-200901068

**BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**ROBERT PRICE, BANK OF
AMERICA, OCCUPANTS,
WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE
UNKNOWN AND THE
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF
ROBERT PRICE, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 11, Block L, DOS SUENOS ESTATES, 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. 4230 on September 28, 2005 in Book 21 Page(s) 352-357 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 4757 Camino Dos Vidas, 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 March 18, 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 \$201,326.53 plus interest from January 29, 2010 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 purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
1940 S. Espina
Las Cruces, NM 88001

NM00-05703_FC01

Pub # 10914
Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-2010-03040

**BAC HOME LOANS
SERVICING, LP FKA
COUNTRYWIDE HOME
LOANS SERVICING LP,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**ADOLFO PUGA AND THE
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF
ADOLFO PUGA, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following

described real estate located in said County and State
Lot numbered 7 in Block numbered G of Desert Breeze Subdivision, Las Cruces, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Desert Breeze Subdivision, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on 07/26/2006 in Plat Book 21, Folio 714-717.

The address of the real property is 5730 Pecan Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88011. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on June 17, 2011 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 \$160,330.34 plus interest from June 30, 2011 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 purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

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

NM00-02796_FC01

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2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-200901434

**BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**THE UNKNOWN HEIRS,
DEVISEES OR LEGATEES OF
LEON GARCIA, DECEASED,
OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE
NAMES ARE UNKNOWN
AND THE UNKNOWN
SURVIVING SPOUSE OF
LEON GARCIA, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 24, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot numbered 38 in Block numbered of Rillito Acres Phase IB Subdivision, Las Cruces, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Rillito Acres Phase IB Subdivision, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on 11/03/2005 in Plat Book 21, Folio 394-395.

The address of the real property is 2969 Polder Lane, 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 6, 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 \$130,422.36 plus interest from January 29, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.75% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keep-

Timeline

1966

Pierre Bellon launched Sodexo in Marseille, France.

1968

Operations commence in the Paris area.

1971-78

International expansion begins with a contract in Belgium. Sodexo Service Voucher business enters. Development of the in Africa and the Middle East begin.

1983

Initial public offering of Sodexo shares on the Paris Bourse.

1985-93

Sodexo establishes activities in the Americas, Japan, South Africa and Russia, and reinforces its presence in the rest of Central Europe.

1995

Sodexo becomes the world market leader in food service thanks to alliances with Gardner Merchant in the U.K. and Partena in Sweden.

1997

The group's holding company changes its name to Sodexo Alliance. Sodexo joins forces with Universal Ogden Services, the leading remote site service provider in the United States.

1998

Sodexo shares are accepted into the Paris Bourse. Founding of Sodexo Marriott Services, with Sodexo holding 48.4 percent of the outstanding shares.

2000

Sodexo and Universal Services merge to form Universal Sodexo, becoming the leader in remote site management.

2001

Sogeres (France) and Wood Dining Services (USA) join Sodexo.

2002

Sodexo shares are listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

2008

The group changes its name "Sodexo."

In Good Company: Sodexo



The first one in Las Cruces, Einstein Bros. Bagels in Corbett Center Student Union on the New Mexico State University campus serves up fresh coffee and teas as well as a wide variety of bagels and sandwiches. The store is run by Sodexo, NMSU's new food service provider.

Las Cruces Bulletin photos by Samantha Roberts

There's a new kid in town

Food service company makes changes to NMSU

By **Samantha Roberts**

Las Cruces Bulletin

America has a focus on food, and Las Cruces has a focus on New Mexico State University, so what better company to introduce than Sodexo, a newly hired food service company charged with feeding NMSU students, faculty and community members.

Sodexo originated in France in the 1960s and has since expanded to become one of the three largest food service companies in the world. The company upholds three values of spirit – service spirit, team spirit and spirit of progress.

"We like to stay and establish ourselves in a community or campus," said Shelly Duran, residential district manger for Sodexo, who moved to Las Cruces in July to open the NMSU account. "I will be here as long as I can."

Along with Duran, Sodexo also transferred eight other team members to southern New Mexico, ensuring NMSU to be well staffed and well supported. Team members came from as close as El Paso and New Mexico to as far as New York, New Jersey and Chicago.

The decision to bring in Sodexo, who replaced long-time provider Aramark, was a mutual decision by the university and the corporation.

"We only take on accounts that allow us to create a good partnership," Duran said. "We already have accounts at (the University of Texas at El Paso) and in New Mexico. NMSU is a university that is moving in the same direction we are. The partnership allows us to do a better job and grow the company."

Though NMSU has not changed its food service provider for more than 20 years, Duran said she and her team are ready to take on the challenge, bringing changes to menus and implementing a fresh approach.

"It can be scary because everything is so new, but we are bringing some new approaches to things that we think people will really like," Duran said.

"I am so excited for the students," said Katrina Miner, marketing director for NMSU Dining Services. "We want to help them discover good food and our commitment to sustainability."

Perhaps the biggest change at NMSU will be the dining experience, Duran said.

"When you think cafeteria food, you probably imagine a cattle-feed scenario with old women wearing hairnets and dumping one choice on a plastic plate," Duran said. "We are nothing like that. This is a dining center where guests will be greeted with a 'hello' and eventually by name. Members of the management team will constantly be on the grounds to take advice and help out. You can expect to see a clean environment that is innovative."

Duran said she also wants people to view NMSU's dining facilities as their own kitchen.

"(Student) live here for nine months," she said. "If someone wants Fruity Pebbles and they don't see it, we want them to know all they have to do is ask. If we have it in the back, we will give it to them. If we don't have it, then we will order it and have it ASAP."

More than just a dining service company, Sodexo also plans to hold several events throughout the year, promoting holidays, festival and heritage.

"(Sodexo) has a student board that meets every year and helps lay out a menu," Duran said. "Then, we work with the culinary department to create the items and event to go around them."

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In Good Company: Sodexo

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The company is also an advocate for fighting hunger and plans to hold a Serve-a-thon in April, which will include a canned food drive that will benefit Las Cruces.

"Everything that is raised will stay right here," Druan said.

Other programs the Sodexo team finds important are higher education and eating healthy.

"We are housed in the center for higher education and we take that seriously," Miner said. "Part of our responsibility is to help develop healthy eating habits that will carry on into students' adult life."

Though the "Freshman 15" is sometimes unavoidable, Duran said the dining facilities provide healthy options and encourage students to know what they are eating.

"We can't tell them what to pick, but we will have the nutrition facts on all of the lines to make an educated decision," she said, "but the decision is theirs."

Duran said menu options will also include a salad bar, deli bar and other healthy options such as fruit.

Plans for the company are to add classes and workshops, such as one Duran started at her previous location titled "How to Boil Water."

"We are also excited to get more involved in the community and plan to join the local chamber (of commerce)," Duran said. "As a large corporation, it is our responsibility to do good things because we have that ability. Once things get a little more settled, we also want to start giving back on a more personal level and plan to have employee volunteer days. Events like that also help our staff grow together."

In addition to the community, Duran said

Sodexo also plans to work closely with the NMSU School of Hotel, Restaurant and Tourism.

"It is great to already be so supported by the college and we want to reciprocate that support," Duran said.

Currently, the Corbett Center includes Taco Bell, Chick-fil-A, Slice of Life, Simply to Go, AFC Sushi and Einstein Bagels.

Sodexo is also remodeling College Cantina and adding an additional Einstein Bagel in a kiosk. Next year, Duran said they will look to renovate Taos Restaurant.



Sodexo team members Shelly Duran, Katrina Miner, Martha Dunenan, Jessica Casillas, Margaret Cverko, Vinnie Crispino, Dwayne Wisniewski, Paul Philby and Chef Clint Kifolo stand in front of the new Einstein Bros. Bagels in the Corbett Center Student Union.

Details

Company

Sodexo

Address

New Mexico State University Dining Services
Corbett Center Student Union,
Room 130

Phone

646-4801

Website

- www.nmsudining.com
- www.sodexo.com

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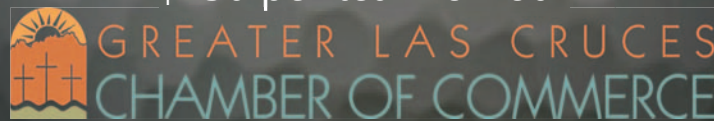
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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above-described real property subject to rights of redemption.

Pamela Carmody
Special Master
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Las Cruces, NM 88001

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-2010-00002

**BAC HOME LOANS
SERVICING LP FKA
COUNTRYWIDE HOME
LOANS SERVICING LP,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**JUAN CRUZ, JR., ANGIE
CRUZ AND THE STATE
OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF
TAXATION AND REVENUE,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 16, 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.

The address of the real property is 430 E Farney Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88005-3317. 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 22, 2011 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 \$289,115.06 plus interest from April 15, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 9.875% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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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
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Albuquerque, NM 87102

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-2011-00642

**BAC HOME LOANS
SERVICING, LP FKA
COUNTRYWIDE HOME
LOANS SERVICING LP,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**TRAVIS SAILLEY AKA
TRAVIS W. SAILLEY,
ERICA D. SAILLEY AND
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,
INC. (SOLELY AS NOMINEE
FOR LENDER AND
LENDER'S SUCCESSOR AND
ASSIGNS), Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:

LOT 1, BLOCK E, DOS SUENOS ESTATES, REPLAT NO. 1 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 JANUARY 29, 2007, IN BOOK 22 PAGES 116-122 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 4140 Calle De Estrellas, 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 June 17, 2011 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 \$318,884.48 plus

interest from July 6, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 2.000% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-2010-02874

**BAC HOME LOANS
SERVICING, LP FKA
COUNTRYWIDE HOME
LOANS SERVICING LP,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**PAUL ERNST AND
DEBORAH ERNST,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011

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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot numbered 27 in Block number C of Rincon Mesa Subdivision, Phase 3, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Rincon Mesa Subdivision, Phase 3, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on May 2, 2007 in Plat Book 22, Folio 210-211.

The address of the real property is 4923 Chesney Rd, Las Cruces, NM 88012-7407. 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 June 15, 2011 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 \$164,674.01 plus interest from June 30, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.000% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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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 foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture

of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

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

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201002699

**BAC HOME LOANS
SERVICING, LP FKA
COUNTRYWIDE HOME
LOANS SERVICING LP,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**DAVID R. GORDON,
MICHELLE M. GORDON,
DESERT SAGE BUILDING
AND DEVELOPMENT,
INC. A NEW MEXICO
CORPORATION, PIONEER
BANK, UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA BY AND
THROUGH THE INTERNAL
REVENUE SERVICE 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 August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

LOT NUMBERED 11 OF PUEBLO GARDENS, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID PUEBLO GARDENS, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER 6, 2005 IN PLAT BOOK 21, FOLIO 319-320.

The address of the real property is 1120 Pueblo Gardens 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 20, 2011 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 \$309,746.78 plus interest from March 1, 2011 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 purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-2010-01503

**CITIBANK, N.A., AS
TRUSTEE FOR CHASE
FUNDING MORTGAGE
LOAN ASSET-BACKED
CERTIFICATES, SERIES
2003-3, Plaintiff,**

v.

**TERRI L. DIXON AND
THE STATE OF NEW
MEXICO DEPARTMENT
OF TAXATION & REVENUE,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

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Lot 23, MI TIERRA SUBDIVISION, REPLAT NO.1, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on the plat thereof, filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on September 6, 2002, in Book 20 Page 126 of Plat records.

The address of the real property is 4023 Calle Estados, 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, 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 June 20, 2011 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 \$112,926.45 plus interest from April 30, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.500% 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 part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-2010-01442

BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP, Plaintiff,

v.

RUDY E. TAPIA SR., MADGE E. TAPIA AND OCCUPANT, WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE UNKNOWN, IF ANY, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot 18, Block 12, 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 June 29, 1954, in Book 7 Page(s) 56 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 1404 Thomas Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88001-4328. 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 28, 2011 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 \$123,410.86 plus interest from 4/15/2011 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 keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

chaser 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 28, 2011 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 \$123,410.86 plus interest from 4/15/2011 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 keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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Albuquerque, NM 87102

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-201100691

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.,

Plaintiff,

v.

**JUAN M. SANCHEZ,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

LOT 16 IN BLOCK 3 OF TIERRALINDA UNIT I PHASE 2, 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 DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON NOVEMBER 8, 1995 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 18 AT PAGES 350-351, PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 213 Merida, Anthony, NM 87021. 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 June 17, 2011 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 \$67,481.90 plus interest from April 26, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.750% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with

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

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

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

NM00-00666_FC01

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Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-201100051

**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,
Plaintiff,**

v.

DARLENE PERRY, WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE UNKNOWN, IF ANY AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF DARLENE PERRY, IF ANY, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

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Lot numbered 15 in Block numbered L of Dos Suenos Estates, Las Cruces, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Dos Suenos Estates, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on December 23, 2004 in Plat Book 21, Folio 84-89.

The address of the real property is 4571 Camino Dos Vidas Ave, 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 June 16, 2011 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 \$165,154.63 plus interest from March 15, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.625% 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 at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

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Albuquerque, NM 87102

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Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-201100819

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

v.

THERESA RADKE, WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF THERESA RADKE, IF ANY, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

Lot numbered 14 in Block numbered B of Arrowhead Estates 9, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Arrowhead Estates 9, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on March 17, 2005 in Plat Book 21, Folio 163-164.

The address of the real property is 1253 Osage Court, 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, 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 June 17, 2011 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 \$171,545.20 plus interest from April 26, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.875% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations,

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

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

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2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-2009-00634

**BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff,**

v.

ALEJANDRO CANTABELLA, BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE UNKNOWN AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF ALEJANDRO CANTABELLA, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

TRACT 1
Lot 3, BAYLOR CANYON SUBDIVISION, 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. 4015 on 09/01/2004 in Book 20 Page(s) 777-78 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 15214 Space Murals Lane, 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 prop-

erty being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on April 29, 2011 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 \$540,716.22 plus interest from 4/15/2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.500% 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 part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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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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2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-201100345

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

v.

LEGAL NOTICES

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THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEWISEES, OR LEGATEES OF CONCEPCION A. MEDINA, DECEASED, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND THE UNKNOWN SURVIVING SPOUSE OF CONCEPCION A. MEDINA, IF ANY, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

DESCRIPTION OF A 0.149 ACRE TRACT

A tract of land situate in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, being the West 65 feet of Lots 12, 13, 14, & 15, Block 34, Grandview Subdivision, filed June 3, 1908, in Plat Book 3, Page 45, Doña Ana County records and being more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a ½" iron rod found on the North line of Nevada Avenue and the East line of a 16 foot wide alley for the Southwest corner of the tract herein described, being identical to the Southwest corner of Lot 15, Block 34, Grandview Subdivision, filed June 3, 1908, in Plat Book 3, Page 45, Doña Ana County records;

Thence from the point of beginning and leaving the North line of Nevada Avenue and along the East line of said 16 foot wide alley, N. 14°00'00" W., 100.00 feet to a cross set for the Northwest corner of this tract being identical to the Northwest corner of Lot 12, Block 34, of said Grandview Subdivision;

Thence leaving the East line of said 16 foot wide alley, N. 76°00'00"E., 65.00 feet to a shiner found for the Northeast corner of this tract;

Thence S. 14°00'00" E., 100.00 feet to a ½" iron rod found on the North line of Nevada Avenue for the Southeast corner of this tract;

Thence along the North line of Nevada Avenue, S. 76°00'00"E., 65.00 feet to the point of beginning, containing 0.149 acre of land, more or less. Subject to any easements and restrictions of record.

The address of the real property is 1009 Nevada Avenue, Las Cruces, NM 88001. 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 June 17, 2011 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 \$104,481.60 plus interest from June 3, 2011 to the date of sale at the contract rate per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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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 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 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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Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

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

No. D-307-CV-2010-03258

**BAC HOME LOANS
SERVICING, LP, fka**

**Countrywide Home Loans
Servicing, LP, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**FRANCISCO CASTILLO;
JESUS CASTILLO; BERTI M.
DEVADILLO; ANA GALAZ;
and FRANCISCO GALAZ,
Defendants.**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 24, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 3495 Midnight Ridge Drive, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot numbered 59 in Block numbered 1 of The Ridge at Northrise Phase V, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on 8/23/2004 in Plat Book 20, Folio 770-771.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on July 13, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$295,968.59 and the same bears interest at 6.875% per annum from July 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$2,229.90. 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 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.

Pamela Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
PO Drawer 16169
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169

575-642-5567

Pub # 10928
Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

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

No. CV-2011-140

**GMAC MORTGAGE, LLC,
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JOSEPH MONTES, and
if married, JANE DOE
MONTES (true name
unknown), his spouse; and
DENIECE C. MONTES aka
DENIECE C. SANCHEZ,
Defendants.
NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 7, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 4026 La Purisima Dr., Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 5, Block D, of EL PRESIDIO - PHASE 1, located in the City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico as shown on Plat thereof recorded on January 14, 2004 in Plat Book 20, at Page(s) 513-515 as Plat No. 3870, records of Doña Ana County.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on July 12, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$410,242.46 and the same bears interest at 5.375% per annum from June 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$5,980.84. 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 on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

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.

Pamela Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
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Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

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

No. D-0307-CV-2011-00761

**CITIMORTGAGE, INC.,
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JOSE R. REVELES, JR.,
and if married, JANE DOE
REVELES (true name
unknown), his spouse;
VANESSA GUZMAN, and
if married, JOHN DOE A
(true name unknown), her
spouse; and NEW MEXICO
MORTGAGE FINANCE
AUTHORITY, Defendants.**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 24, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 5967 Leaping Lizard Loop, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 14, Block 2 of Desert Wind Estates, as shown on plat filed in the office of the County Clerk, Doña Ana County, New Mexico on March 3, 2006, recorded in Plat Book 21, page 606-607, 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 July 14, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$200,097.95 and the same bears interest at 4.375% per annum from July 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$1,319.14. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with

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

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

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

No. CV-10-2383

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK,
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
successor in interest to
Washington Mutual Bank, FA,
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**RAMON ZAMBRANO;
CONCEPCION ZAMBRANO;
TEXAS WORKFORCE
COMMISSION, Defendants.**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 24, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 9080 Roswell, Mesilla Park, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot numbered 44 in Block numbered B of Brazito Acres Subdivision, Phase 1, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Brazito Acres Subdivision, Phase 1, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on May 14, 2004 in Plat Book 20, Folio 671-672.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on July 12, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is

\$259,070.45 and the same bears interest at 7.875% per annum from July 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$2,235.82. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

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

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

Pamela Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
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Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

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

No. CV-2011-00332

**BOKE, NA dba BANK OF
OKLAHOMA, N.A., Plaintiff,**

vs.

**MARGO D. SPEER, if living;
if deceased, THE ESTATE OF
MARGO D. SPEER, Deceased;
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS,
DEWISEES OR LEGATEES OF
MARGO D. SPEER, Deceased;
and if married, JOHN DOE
A (true name unknown), her
spouse; and NEW MEXICO
MORTGAGE FINANCE
AUTHORITY, Defendants.**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 24, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 5213 Geronimo Trail, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as fol-

lows:

Lot numbered 22 in Block numbered 2 of Mesa La Jolla Subdivision Unit No. 2, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Mesa La Jolla Subdivision Unit No. 2, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on November 23, 1988 in Plat Book 15, Folio 372-373;

and all improvements, including, but not limited to, the manufactured home permanently attached thereto, title to which has been deactivated in the records of the Motor Vehicle Department of the State of New Mexico.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on July 8, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$84,985.38 and the same bears interest at 5.100% per annum from June 2, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$997.48. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

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

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

Pamela Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
PO Drawer 16169
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169
575-642-5567

Pub # 10932
Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

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

No. CV-2011-00330

**BOKE, NA dba BANK OF
OKLAHOMA, N.A., Plaintiff,**

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vs.

**RICHARD Y. YBARRA, JR.;
and M. REBECCA YBARRA,
Defendants.**

FIRST AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 24, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 1214 Lea Ranch Dr., Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot numbered 16 in Block numbered M of Sandhill Center Heights, Phase 7, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, 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 in Plat Book 21, Folio 625-626.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on May 18, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$181,603.85 and the same bears interest at 6.000% per annum from May 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$3,015.13. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

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

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

Pamela Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.

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Pub # 10933
Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

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

No. CV-2010-3242
Judge Douglas I. Driggers

CITIZENS BANK OF LAS CRUCES, Plaintiff,

vs.

**UNKNOWN HEIRS,
DEVISEES, OR LEGATEES
OF SOTERO M. MARTINEZ,
DECEASED, OCCUPANTS
OF THE PREMISES, and all
persons or parties unknown
claiming any right, title, estate
lien or interest in the real
estate described in the com-
plaint; Defendants.**

NOTICE OF SALE

A notice is hereby given that the undersigned Special Master will, on Thursday, September 8, 2011, at 1:30 p.m. at the north main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho Street, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendant in and to the following-described property, situate in Doña Ana County, at 4691 S. Wilt Ave., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001-8847, to-wit:

A tract of land situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico being and comprising part of the East one-half of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter (E 1/2 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4) of Section 24, Township 22 South, Range 2 East, N.M.P.M. and being more particularly described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at the Northeast corner of the tract herein described, being a point on the North-South Mid-Section line of said Section 24; WHENCE the North one-quarter (N 1/4) corner thereof bears N.0°24'35"W., a distance of 1326.28 feet;

THENCE from said point of beginning S.0°24'35"E., 132.70 feet along said North-South Mid-Section line of Section 24 to the Southeast corner of the tract herein described;

THENCE S.89°41'W., 330.14 feet to the Southwest Corner of the tract herein described;

THENCE N.0°23'45"W., 132.70 feet from the Northwest corner of the tract herein described;

THENCE N.69°41'W., 330.11 feet to the Northeast and beginning corner of the tract herein described, and containing 1.006 acres of land, more or less.

Subject to a 25 foot wide roadway easement being parallel and adjacent to the easterly boundary line of the above described tract of land. Also subject to a 20 foot wide roadway easement being parallel and adjacent to

the northerly boundary line of the above-described tract of land.

The sale will be made pursuant to the Decree of Foreclosure entered on July 13, 2011, in the above-titled and numbered cause, a suit to foreclose a mortgage lien held by Plaintiff by which Plaintiffs have a security interest on the above-described real estate in the sum of \$10,283.04 (including interest to the date of sale), together with costs of sale including a reasonable Special Master's fee. Plaintiff has the right to submit its judgment by way of bid verbally or in writing. Plaintiff may apply all or any part of their judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and re-scheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT the real property and improvements will be sold subject to any and all patent reservation, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, 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 evaluation of the property by a 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 any rights of redemption provided by applicable law.

DATED at Las Cruces, New Mexico, on July 25, 2011.

/s/ Stephen Hosford
Special Master
25 Sugar Sand Rd.
Arrey, NM 87930
Las Cruces, NM 88005
(575) 644-6068

RESPECTFULLY
SUBMITTED, MARTIN,
LUTZ, ROGGOW, &
EUBANKS, P.C.
By /s/ David P. Lutz
PO Drawer 1837
Las Cruces, NM 88004
575-526-2449
575-526-0946
Attorney for Plaintiff

Pub # 10934
Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT No. CV-2011-857

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK,
National Association,
Successor in Interest to
Washington Mutual Bank FA,
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**DEBORAH A. VAN DER
LEELIE, and if married,
JOHN DOE A (true name
unknown), her spouse; and
BANK OF AMERICA, NA,
Defendants.**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 24, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 1688 Joshua Court, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

LOT 4, BLOCK 1, MESA VILLAGE 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 FEBRUARY 6, 1976, IN BOOK 12 PAGES 39-40 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 July 18, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$105,241.72 and the same bears interest at 7.125% per annum from June 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$1,438.07. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

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

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

Pamela Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
PO Drawer 16169
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169
575-642-5567

Pub # 10935
Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-2010-01488

BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P. FKA COUNTRY WIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP, Plaintiff,

v.

**ANTONIA VILLA 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 August 25, 2011 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 interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State

TRACT 1

A certain parcel of land being the East 60.00 feet of the North 100.00 feet of Lot 1, Block 20, MEADOW VISTA SUBDIVISION PLAT3, recorded in Plat 8, Page 22 on June 11, 1958 Doña Ana County Records, City of Sunland Park, Doña Ana County, New Mexico and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

Commencing at a concrete monument marking the East quarter (1/4) corner of Section 12 Township 29 South, Range 3 East N.M.P.M., also being the Northeast corner of the Meadow Vista Subdivision Plat 3, whence the Northwest corner of the Meadows Vista Subdivision Plat 3 bears N 90°00'00" W., a distance of 1319.23 feet (baals of bearing);

THENCE from the commencing point N 90°00'00" W., a distance of 559.23 feet along the North boundary of this Subdivision to a point marking the Northwest corner of Lot 1, Block 18 and lying on the East righty-of-way line of Linda Vista Drive (50 foot R.O.W.)

THENCE S 00°00'00" E., a distance of 180.00 feet along the East right-of-way line of Linda Vista Drive to a set 5/8" rebar with yellow cap No. 5948 marking the Northwest corner of lot 1 Block 20 Meadow Vista Subdivision Plat 3; and being a point on the South R.O.W. line of Meadow Vista Blvd;

THENCE N 90° 00' 00" E., a distance of 60.00 feet along the North property line of Lot 1 Block 20, and the South R.O.W. of Meadow Vista Blvd. To a set 5/8" rebar with yellow cap No. 5948 marking the Northwest corner and "True Point of Beginning" of the parcel herein described;

THENCE from the "True Point of Beginning" and along the North property line of Lot 1 Block 20, and South R.O.W. line of Meadow Vista Blvd, N 90° 00' 00" E., 60.00 feet dis-

tance to a set 5/8 inch rebar with yellow cap No. 5948 marking the Northeast corner of the property herein describe, and being the common property corner between Lots 1 and 22, Block 20;

THENCE along the property line between lots 1 and 22, S 00° 00' 00" E., a distance of 100.00 feet to a set 5/8 inch rear with yellow cap No. 5948, marking the Southeast corner of the parcel herein described;

THENCE S 90° 00' 00" W., a distance of 60.00 feet to a set 5/8 inch rebar with yellow cap NO. 5948, marking the Southwest corner of the parcel herein described;

THENCE N 00° 00' 00" a distance 100.00 feet to the "True Point of Beginning" of the parcel herein described and containing 6,000 square feet or 0.137 acres of land, more or less

The address of the real property is 211 Meadow Vista, Sunland Park, NM 88063. 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 June 16, 2011 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 \$158,705.81 plus interest from June 30, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 8.000% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be 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

NM00-03068_FC01

Pub # 10946
Dates 7/29, 8/5, 8/12, 8/19,
2011

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

No. CV-2011-1533
Judge James T. Martin, Jr.

CITIZENS BANK OF LAS CRUCES, Plaintiff,

vs.

**APRILE ANN CARDON,
Defendant,**

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

**TO DEFENDANT APRILE
ANN CARDON**

You are hereby notified that Citizens Bank of Las Cruces, the above-named Plaintiff, has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose upon property based upon an alleged default on a Line of Credit executed in favor of Plaintiff Citizens Bank of Las Cruces on December 15, 2004. Unless you enter your appearance in this cause within thirty (30) days of the date of the last publication of this Notice, judgment by default will be entered against you.

RESPECTFULLY
SUBMITTED BY:
MARTIN, LUTZ, ROGGOW,
& EUBANKS, P.C.
By /s/ David P. Lutz
P.O. Drawer 1837
Las Cruces, NM 88004-1837
(575) 526-2449
(575) 526-0946 (FAX)
Attorneys for Plaintiff

Pub # 10947
Dates 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on July 13, 2011, Martha A. Lucero, 702 Sayles, La Mesa, NM 88044, filed application numbered LRG-1245-POD2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing the use of well

LRG-1245 located within the NE1/4 NE1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 26, Township 24 South, Range 02 East, NMPM on land owned by Juan Benavides and drilling new well LRG-1245-POD2 to a depth of approximately 160 feet below ground surface with 16-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the NW1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4 of said Section 26 at approximately X=1,498,470 Y=433,328 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83), for the combined diversion of shallow groundwater and surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District in that amount required for beneficial use for the irrigation of 7.87 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. S1/2 of said Section 26. Well LRG-1245 is located approximately 1,600 feet east southeast of the intersection of Eastside Canal Rd. and NM HWY 478. Proposed well LRG-1245-POD2 will be located approximately 1,830 ft. east southeast of said intersection, approximately 1.5 miles northwest of Mesquite, NM. Well LRG-1245 will be retained for other water rights.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show that you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

Pub # 10948
Dates 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 3, 2011, William C. Garcia on behalf of the William C. Garcia Living Trust, 8889 N. Valley Dr., Las Cruces, NM, 88007, filed application numbered LRG-11349 & LRG-11505 with the State Engineer for Permit Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG-7931 located on land owned by Kathryn Lacy and Wade Dougherty within the SW1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4 of projected Section 31, T21S, R01E, NMPM and instead to use existing wells LRG-11349 and LRG-11505 located on land owned by the applicant within the SW1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4 of said Section 31 at approximately X=1,446,010 Y=522,655 ft. and X=1,445,990 Y=522,444 ft. (NMSA, Cental, NAD83),

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respectively, for use with existing wells LRG-4065 and LRG-4338, located on land owned by the applicant with the SW1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4 of said Section 31, for the continued combined diversion of shallow groundwater combined with surface water received from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District in that amount required for beneficial use for the irrigation of 6.85 acres of land owned by the applicant located in Pt. S1/2 of said Section 31. Wells LRG-7931, LRG-11349, and LRG-11505 are located approximately 660 ft. northwest, 810 ft. west, and 840 ft. southwest, respectively, of the intersection of N. Valley Dr. and Rhodes Pl., approximately 4.85 miles northwest of Doña Ana, NM. Well LRG-7931 will be retained for other rights.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show that you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

Pub # 10949
Dates 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on July 18, 2011, Gose Farms, LLC, PO Box 128, Mesilla Park, NM 88047, filed application numbered LRG-1038-POD 2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Drill Supplemental Well to Supplement Ground or Surface Water within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling new well LRG-1038-POD 2 with 16-inch casing to 250 feet below ground surface on land owned by the applicant within the SW1/4 NE1/4 NW1/4 of said Section 08, T24S, R02E, NMPM at approximate Latitude/Longitude N32d14m24.82s W106d45m41.25s (NAD83) for use with existing wells LRG-1038, located on land owned by the applicant within the SW1/4 NE1/4 NW1/4 of said Section 08, T24S, R02E, NMPM; and LRG-14085-POD 1, located on land owned by Leslie L. Daviet II within the NE1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4 of projected Section 06, T24S, R02E, NMPM; and LRG-14085-POD 2, located on land owned by Leslie L. Daviet II within the SW1/4 NE1/4 SE1/4 of said Section 06, for the continued diversion of shallow groundwater combined with surface water received from

the Elephant Butte Irrigation District in that amount required for beneficial use for the irrigation of 47.1 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. N1/2 of said Section 08. Wells LRG-14085-POD1 and LRG-14085-POD 2 are located approximately 350 ft. northwest and 375 ft. west, respectively, of the intersection of Santa Cruz Rd. and NM HWY 28. Well LRG-1038 and the proposed location for well LRG-1038-POD 2 are located approximately 280 ft. southeast and 1,090 ft. east, respectively, of the intersection of Pajaro Rd. and NM HWY 28, approximately 2.9 miles southeast of Mesilla, NM.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show that you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

Pub # 10950
Dates 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 17, 2011, Pete & Paula Gibson, P.O. Box 229, Mesquite, NM 88048 filed application numbered LRG-70-POD2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well pertaining to file LRG-70-A & LRG-70-B within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by abandoning use of well LRG-70 located NE1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4, Sec.35, Twp24 South, Rge 2 East, NMPM, and by continuing the diversion of amount of water to be determined by the courts supplemental to the surface rights on record with the Elephant Butte Irrigation District (EBID) from a replacement well drilled to a depth of 140 feet and fitted with 8 inch casing and located where X=1499778feet, Y=428053 feet NMSA Coordinate System Central Zone, NAD83 on land owned by the applicant and the replacement well will not be drilled within 50 feet of a well of other ownership for the continued irrigation of the claimed 5.533acre(s) all of which is located within part of SE1/4 of said Sec.35. Proposed change location of well LRG-70-POD2 can be found near the intersection of the Lake Drain and Highway 478. The old well will be plugged.

Any person, firm or corpora-

tion or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-5246160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3.

Pub # 10951
Dates 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 9, 2011, Ramon and Velia Ortiz, 1063 Veterans Road, La Mesa, NM, 88044, filed application numbered LRG-4994-POD 4 with the State Engineer for Permit Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG-4994 located on land owned by Prudencio and Maria Garcia within the NE1/4 SW1/4 NW1/4 of projected Section 5, T26S, R03E, NMPM and drilling new well LRG-4994-POD 4 on land owned by the applicants within the SE1/4 SE1/4 NE1/4 of projected Section 6, T26S, R03E, NMPM at approximate Latitude/Longitude N32d04m35.86s W106d40m03.16s for the continued diversion of shallow groundwater, combined with surface water received from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, in that amount required for beneficial use for the irrigation of 2.0 acres of land owned by the applicants located in Pt. NE1/4 of said Section 6. Well LRG-4994 and the proposed location for well LRG-4994-POD 4 are located approximately 100 ft. northeast and 1,060 ft. west, respectively, of the intersection of Montes Rd. and Skeeter Rd., approximately 1.9 miles northeast of Chamberino, NM. Well LRG-4994 will be retained for other rights.

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

the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

Pub # 10952
Dates 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 17, 2011, the City of Las Cruces, Utilities Department, P.O. Box 20000, Las Cruces, NM 88004, filed application numbered LRG-5818 into LRG-15085 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well, Place and Purpose of Use of Underground Water within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by transferring the diversion and consumptive use of up to 15 acre-feet per annum of groundwater as part of up to 792 acre-feet per annum of groundwater otherwise permitted previously but subject to conditions requiring offset of depletions to the neighboring Rio Grande stream system for continued development of an inchoate water right beyond the maximum historical beneficial use to date from well LRG-5818-S-4 located on land owned by Billy and Cynthia Garrett in the SW1/4 SW1/4 SE1/4 of projected Section 33, Township 23 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, well LRG-5818-S-6 located on land owned by Billy and Cynthia Garrett in the S1/2 SE1/4 NE1/4 of said projected Section 33, well LRG-5818-S-7 (permitted but not yet drilled) located on land owned by West Mesa Holdings LLC in the NW1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 28, Township 23 South, Range 1 East, well LRG-5818-S-8 (permitted but not yet drilled) located on land owned by West Mesa Holdings LLC in the NW1/4 NW1/4 NW1/4 of said projected Section 33, well LRG-5818-S-9 (permitted but not yet drilled) located on land owned by Cinco LLC in the SW1/4 NW1/4 NW1/4 of projected Section 27, Township 23 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, for domestic, subdivision and related use throughout the SW1/4 SW1/4 SE1/4, N1/2 NE1/4 SE1/4 and S1/2 SE1/4 NE1/4 of projected Section 33, Township 23 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, enlarged under permit LRG-5818-S-7 to encompass all remaining lands in said Section 33, in addition to all of Sections 28, 21, the southeast part of Section 16, the southwest part of Section 15 west of the Rio Grande and south of Picacho Avenue, the west half of Section 22, the west half of Section 27, and the west half of Section 34, all in Township 23 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, including projected portions therein, as well as the south and west projected Section 3, Township 24 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, excluding any portion

within the Town of Mesilla, to a wetland restoration project encompassing 2.98 acres of land located within the NE1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 27, Township 23 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, also described as USRS/EBID parcel 10-88B1, 94 BLK C LT 5A and identified as owned by the Southwest Environmental Center, which includes an existing excavation in which the groundwater table is exposed and a pond persists, the center of which is located within the NE1/4 NE1/4 SW1/4 of said projected Section 27, also described by way of planar coordinates at X = 1,461,531 Y = 465,234 feet, NMSA, Central Zone, NAD 83 and assigned OSE file no. LRG-15085-POD 1 for the purposes of the subject application, for use in support of the Rio Grande Riparian Ecological Corridor Project of which the City of Las Cruces is a partner and the need to replace groundwater depletions that otherwise persist from the existing pond at the site have been identified.

The wells (those that actually exist, LRG-5818-S-4 and LRG-5818-S-6) from which the City of Las Cruces proposes to move are generally situated in the area known as Rassa Hills, at 6805 Cottontail Ln. and the wetland project underway is approximately 1.58 miles northeast of this location, immediately adjacent to the west side of the Rio Grande in the area, just east of the La Mancha Estates Subdivision.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show that you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT IN THE CHILDREN'S COURT

No. JQ-2011-10
Judge: Macias

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ex rel. CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES DEPARTMENT

In the Matter of M. M., and L. E., children, And Concerning

Crystal Estrada, and Santiago Chavez, Respondents.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

TO: Santiago Chavez, Respondent.

YOU ARE HEREBY 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 L.E., 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 hearing on the petition in the above court, a Judgment may be entered against you.

The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for the Petitioner is: Lynne Jessen, Children's Court Attorney, P.O. Box 2135 Las Cruces, NM 88004, 575-373-6400

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 of New Mexico.

(Seal)
Clerk of the District Court
by: Peggy R. Brock
Deputy

Date: June 22, 2011

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Dates 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 2011

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

NO. DM 2011-83
JUDGE Mike Murphy

Armando Polanco Cardenas Petitioner,

vs.

Margarita Acosta Gonzales, Respondent.

NOTICE OF SUIT

TO THE ABOVE-NAMED RESPONDENT:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the said Court and County by the above-named Petitioner, requesting a Divorce/ Dissolution of Marriage on the grounds of incompatibility, and a division of property, debts, and a determination of child custody, visitation, and child support.

You must file a Response or responsive pleading within 30 days of the date of the last publication of this Notice or judgment by default will be entered against you and the

relief requested in the Petition will be granted.

Armando Polanco Cardenas
801 W. Van Patten # B
Las Cruces, NM 88005
(Petitioner's Name and Address)

WITNESS the Honorable Mike Murphy, 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 31 day of January, 2011.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
BY: /s/ Jodie Castillo
DEPUTY

Pub # 10963
Dates 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-0307-CV-2011-00453

CITIMORTGAGE, INC., Plaintiff,

vs.

Laura D. Valdez, and if married, John Doe A (true name unknown), her spouse, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 7, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 2300 Stern Drive, Unit 118, Las Cruces, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Unit 118, Stern Place Condominium, located in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, more fully described in the Declaration of Condominium of Stern Place Condominiums, recorded in Book 721, at Pages 359-378, and Amended in Book 775 at Pages 1414-1436, records of Doña Ana County, New Mexico together with an undivided 2.0833333 percent interest in the common areas and limited common areas as defined in said declaration of condominium.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on July 27, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$102,842.79 and the same bears interest at 6.110% per annum from June 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$1,704.35. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the

purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

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

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

Pamela A. Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
PO Drawer 16169
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169
575-642-5567

Pub # 10965
Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2, 2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-0307-CV-2010-03101

RESIDENTIAL CREDIT SOLUTIONS, INC., Plaintiff,

vs.

RICARDO RODRIGUEZ; NORMA RODRIGUEZ; ARTURO RUIZ; and OFELIA RUIZ, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 7, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 7720 Onyx Circle, Las Cruces, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

LOT 461, AMBER MESA, 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 OCTOBER 20, 1988, IN BOOK 15 PAGE(S) 326-349 OF PLAT OF RECORDS.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on July

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27, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$156,425.94 and the same bears interest at 10.800% per annum from June 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$3,887.94. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

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

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

Pamela A. Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
PO Drawer 16169
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Pub # 10966
Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2,
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. CV-2010-253

**SUNTRUST MORTGAGE,
INC., Plaintiff,**

vs.

**EDWARD AVALOS and, if
married, JANE DOE AVALOS,
(True Name Unknown), his
spouse, Defendants.**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 7, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 4104 Calle Belleza, Las Cruces, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

LOT NUMBERED 3 IN BLOCK NUMBERED E OF PHASE 1 OF MISSION ESPADA-PHASES 1 AND 2A, LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID MISSION ESPADA-PHASES 1 AND 2A, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON FEBRUARY 21, 2006 IN PLAT BOOK 21, FOLIO 534-536.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on July 27, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$357,680.45 and the same bears interest at 6.5% per annum from July 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$1,465.02. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

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

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

Pamela A. Carmody,
Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. CV-10-1483

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK,
National Association,
Successor in Interest to
Washington Mutual Bank FA,
Plaintiff,**

vs.

THE ESTATE OF GARY D.

JAMES, Deceased; JULIE A. JAMES, individually and as Trustee of the James 1999 Family Trust u/d/t December 29, 1999; and JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, National Association, Successor in Interest to Washington Mutual Bank FA, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 7, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Doña Ana County Judicial Complex, 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 6105 High Desert Drive, Las Cruces, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 13, Block C, VISTA DE LA MONTANA, PHASE II, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on Plat No. 4010 thereof filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of said county on August 20, 2004, and recorded in Book 20, Pages 768-769, 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 July 20, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$175,628.26 and the same bears interest at 7.0% per annum from May 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$3,873.45. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

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

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

Pamela Carmody,

Special Master
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.
PO Drawer 16169
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169
575-642-5567

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Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2,
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

Cause No. CV 2011 - 916
Judge Douglas R. Driggers

**FIRSTLIGHT FEDERAL
CREDIT UNION, Plaintiff,**

v.

**GUILLELMO GARCIA,
Defendant.**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will, on the 8th day of September, 2011, at 11:00 a.m., at the east entrance of the Doña Ana County District Court, located at 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendant in and to the following real property located in said County and State:

Lot 7, Block D, HIGHLAND MANOR 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 August 19, 1959, in Book 8 Page(s) 48 of Plat Records.

Said sale will be made pursuant to the Amended Default Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure, entered on August 1, 2011, in the above-entitled and numbered cause, which, among other things, was a suit to foreclose a note and mortgage against all secured real property by the above Plaintiff and wherein Plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$141,821.88 through July 21, 2011, on which post-judgment interest shall run at 6.000% per annum until satisfied in full, which the Special Master calculates to be a per diem of \$23.065158 for 49 days to the date of the Special Master's sale (the "Sale"), for total post-judgment interest of \$1,130.19, together with attorney fees incurred and costs of sale to the date of sale, and a reasonable Special Master's fee. The Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit their 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 sale.

Bidders, to the extent that they do not have a judgment permitted to be bid in lieu of cash, must bid cash at the sale. The successful bidder will be given until the close of the second business day following the determination of the winning bidder to supply to the Special Master cash, certified check, or cashier's check in the amount of the bid. Failure to

do so will void that bid, and the Special Master shall either accept the next highest bid, or the Special Master may, in her sole discretion, telephone each bidder who attended the sale, using the telephone number each bidder submits at the sale, and communicate a new date and time for a subsequent sale, without republication of any further notice. Responsibility for reception of notice of any subsequent sale is on the bidder submitting the telephone number.

Notice is further given that the above-described real estate and improvements located on such real estate will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein and all recorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. All prospective bidders are notified that they are responsible for making their own determination as to the extent and nature of the title being conveyed by purchase at the Special Master's sale.

DATED at Las Cruces, New Mexico, this 5th day of August, 2011.

M. Lea Brownfield,
Special Master
P.O. Box 57
Mesilla, NM 88046-0057
Telephone (575) 524-4924

Submitted by:

Kelly P. Albers
LAW OFFICE OF KELLY P.
ALBERS, P.C.
650 Montana Avenue, Suite D
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001
Telephone (575) 527-9064

Pub # 10969
Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2,
2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on July 25, 2011, Joe B. and Kimberly R. Kuykendall, P.O. Box 1198, Anthony, NM 88021, filed application numbered LRG-1287-POD 2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Drill Supplemental Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County to drill new well LRG-1287-POD 2 to an approximate depth of 320 feet and to be fitted with 16-inch casing, to be located within the SE1/4 NE1/4 SE1/4 of projected Section 31, Township 26 South, Range 3 East, NMPM, also described approximately at planar coordinates X = 1,511,144 Y = 364,138 feet, NMSF Central Zone, NAD 83, on land owned by the applicant and supplemental to existing well LRG-1287-POD 1 located within the NE1/4 SE1/4 of said projected Section 31, also described at planar coordinates X = 1,511,058 Y = 364,829 feet, NMSF Central Zone, NAD 83, on land owned by the applicant and combined with surface water rights from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the continued diversion of that amount of water required for beneficial use from all sources combined for the irrigation of 82.10 acres of land owned in part by the applicant, and also the Testamentary Trust of Ralph E. Haas and William and Nancy Hass, located within the SE1/4 of said projected Section 31 and the SW1/4 of projected Section

32, Township 26 South, Range 3 East, NMPM also described as Tracts 26-78A and 26-80A of the EBID. Additionally, the applicant has identified another 1.5 acres of land owned by Ralph E. Haas located in the SE1/4 said projected Section 31 as receiving groundwater only from existing well LRG-1287 as supported by the findings of the Hydrographic Survey of the Lower Rio Grande, Subfile no. LRS-280150019(C).

The property in question is located west of Anthony, near the intersection of Hwy 28 and Haasville Rd.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show that you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

Pub # 10972
Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 23, 2011 McCilli Farms L.P., 500 W. O'Hara Road, Anthony, NM 88021 filed application numbered LRG-1195-POD5 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG-15014-POD1 to a depth of approximately 200 feet below ground surface with 8-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the NW1/4 NE1/4 SW1/4 of said Section 22 at approximately X=1,523,684 Y=375,182 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83), for the combined diversion of shallow groundwater and surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District in that amount required for beneficial use for the irrigation of 2.74 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. SE1/4 of said Section 17. Well LRG-8304 is located approximately 780 ft. southeast of the intersection of Yeso Rd. and Snow Rd. along Snow Rd. on the west side. Proposed well LRG-15014-POD1 is located approximately 675 ft. west of said intersection, approximately 3.0 miles south of Las Cruces, NM. Well LRG-8304 will be retained for other water rights.

well LRG-1195-POD5 and well LRG-1542 are located approximately 3,320 ft., 2,400 ft. and 3,700 ft. northeast, respectively, of the intersection of W. O'Hara Rd. and Opitz Rd. Recently proposed well LRG-1195-POD4 is located approximately 2,200 ft. north of said intersection, northwest of Anthony, NM. Old well LRG-1542-S will be plugged.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show that you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

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NOTICE is hereby given that on May 2, 2011, Patrick G. Elmore, 6480 Snow Rd., Las Cruces, NM 88005, filed application numbered LRG-15014-POD 1 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG-8304 located within the NE1/4 NW1/4 NW1/4 of projected Section 21, Township 24 South, Range 02 East, NMPM on land owned by the Salopek Foundation and drilling new well LRG-15014-POD1 to a depth of approximately 200 feet below ground surface with 8-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the SE1/4 SE1/4 SE1/4 of projected Section 17, Township 24 South, Range 02 East at approximately X=1,485,144 Y=442,356 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83), for the combined diversion of shallow groundwater and surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District in that amount required for beneficial use for the irrigation of 2.74 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. SE1/4 of said Section 17. Well LRG-8304 is located approximately 780 ft. southeast of the intersection of Yeso Rd. and Snow Rd. along Snow Rd. on the west side. Proposed well LRG-15014-POD1 is located approximately 675 ft. west of said intersection, approximately 3.0 miles south of Las Cruces, NM. Well LRG-8304 will be retained for other water rights.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having

standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show that you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

Pub # 10971
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NOTICE is hereby given that on July 29, 2011, Nichola A. Culcasi, 30 Egret Rd., Anthony, NM 88021, filed application numbered LRG-8-POD 4 with the State Engineer for Permit to Drill Supplemental Well to Supplement Ground and Surface Waters within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling new well LRG-8-POD 4 with 6-inch casing to 225 feet below ground surface on land owned by the applicant within the SW1/4 NE1/4 NE1/4 of Section 32, T27S, R03E, NMPM at approximate Latitude/Longitude N31d55m15.93s W106d39m12.38s (NAD83) for use with existing well LRG-8-S located on land owned by Triple D Farm, Inc. within the SE1/4 NE1/4 SW1/4 of Section 29, T27S, R03E, NMPM for the continued diversion of that amount of shallow groundwater combined with surface water received from Elephant Butte Irrigation District required for beneficial use for the irrigation of 4.7 acres of land identified as EBID/USRS Tract 31-231L5 located within said Section 32. Well LRG-8-S is located approximately 1,175 ft. north of the intersection of Sandy Creek Rd. and Alvarez Rd. The proposed location for well LRG-8-POD 4 is located approximately 1,445 ft. east of the intersection of Alvarez Rd. and Egret Rd., approximately 2.3 miles north of Santa Teresa, NM.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show that you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, New Mexico

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88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3 of NMSA 1978.

Pub # 10973
Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 2011

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

No. CV-11-1045

BOKE, N.A. dba BANK OF OKLAHOMA, N.A., Plaintiff,

vs.
MELISSA G. CORDERO, Defendant.

NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 2003 Crescent Drive, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 2, CRESCENT PARK ADDITION, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON MARCH 11, 1960, IN BOOK 1 PAGE(S) 47 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The sale is to begin at 10:15 a.m. on September 13, 2011, in front of the main door of 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, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the judgment granted BOKE, N.A. dba Bank of Oklahoma, N.A.

BOKE, N.A. dba Bank of Oklahoma, N.A. was awarded a judgment on August 1, 2011, in the principal sum of \$153,526.55, plus outstanding interest due on the Note through July 1, 2011, in the amount of \$12,506.05 and accruing thereafter at the rate of \$61.86 per diem, plus late charges of \$96.56, plus escrow advances of \$2,649.32, plus fee and cost advances of \$1,438.50, plus attorney's fees in the amount of \$950.00 and costs in the amount of \$593.61, with interest on the above-listed amounts, attorney's fees and costs at the rate of 5.750% 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 Defendant 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 OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

/s/ John A. Darden, III,
Special Master
c/o Leverick and Musselman,
L.L.C.
5120 San Francisco Road NE
Albuquerque, New Mexico
87109
(505) 858-3303

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Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2,
2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. CV-2011-00864

GMAC MORTGAGE, LLC, Plaintiff,

vs.

L. BERNICE WEBB aka LILLIAN BERNICE WEBB, if living, if deceased, THE ESTATE OF L. BERNICE WEBB aka LILLIAN BERNICE WEBB, DECEASED, and if married, JOHN DOE A (true name unknown) her spouse; THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISEES OR LEGATEES OF L. BERNICE WEBB aka LILLIAN BERNICE WEBB; BETTY JANE ORVIS; LARRY ORVIS; LAWEERANCE W. ORVIS, JR. aka LAWEERANCE WILLIAM ORVIS, JR., and JOHN DOE and JANE DOE, (true names unknown) tenants, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

Defendants L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, if living, if deceased, The Estate of L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, Deceased, The Unknown Heirs, Devises or Legatees of L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, Deceased, and Larry Orvis, are hereby notified that Plaintiff has filed a civil suit against Defendants L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, if living, if deceased, The Estate of L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, Deceased, The Unknown Heirs, Devises or Legatees of L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, Deceased, and Larry Orvis, in the above entitled cause of action, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on property located at 1725 Mariposa Dr, in the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, more particularly described as:

Lot numbered 12 in Block numbered SS of Mariposa Replat, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Mariposa Replat, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on February 15, 1978 in Plat Book 12, Folio 160.

Defendants L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, if living, if deceased, The Estate of L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, Deceased, The Unknown Heirs, Devises or Legatees of L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, Deceased, and Larry Orvis are 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 Defendants L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, if living, if deceased, The Estate of L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, Deceased, The Unknown Heirs, Devises or Legatees of L. Bernice Webb, aka Lillian Bernice Webb, Deceased, and Larry Orvis, fail to file a timely Answer or Motion, a default judgment may be entered against said Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Attorneys for the Plaintiff:
Susan C. Little & Associates,
P.A.
4501 Indian School Road NE,
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(505) 254-7767 FAX: 254-4722/4706

July 14, 2011
By: Karen H. Bradley
Attorney for Plaintiff

WITNESS the Honorable MANUEL L. ARRIETA, 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 29th day of July, 2011.

JAMES H. DEMPSEY
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT
COURT

By: Peggy Brock
(SEAL) Deputy

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. CV-2010-2793
Judge James T. Martin

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

VS.

ANTHONY GRAHAM, JOSH WHITLEY; AND 1991 NISSAN 300X, GRAY; VIN: JN1RZ26H6MX501738; California License Plate No. 2WCC851, Respondents.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

To:
Respondent Anthony Graham

1. The City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, seeks to forfeit all interest you may have in the following described motor vehicle: 1991 Nissan 300X, Gray; VIN: JN1RZ26H6MX501738; California License Plate No. 2WCC851.

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

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

Respectfully submitted,
CITY OF LAS CRUCES
By: /s/
Harry S. (Pete) Connelly
City Attorney
P.O. Box 20000
(575) 541-2128
(575) 541-2017 Fax
Attorney for the Petitioner

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 3 day of August, 2011.

JAMES H. DEMPSEY
COURT EXECUTIVE
OFFICER

By: /s/ Melissa A. Lundien
DEPUTY

Pub # 10976
Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on August 1, 2011, Billy D. Halsell; Halsell Family LTD Partnership, Box 695, Hatch, NM, 37937, filed application numbered LRG-3809-POD2 with the State Engineer for Permit for Supplemental Well pertaining to file LRG-3809 within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Sierra County to drill a new well to be located where X=1374407feet; Y=607759feet, NMSP Coordinate System, Central Zone, NAD83 on land owned by the applicant and to be supplemental to existing well LRG-3809 as recorded and on file with the State Engineer for the continued diversion of the amount of water as reserved for future determination by May 24, 1999 Order of the Court of which, is supplemental to surface rights on record with the EBID for the irrigation of 36.49 acres of land owned by the applicant and located within Pt. SE1/4 of Sec.11,T19S,R3W,NMPM as shown on Map no. LRR-1 of the Adjudication Subfile No.: LRR-280090004. The proposed supplemental well site is located approximately 1.5 miles East of Hatch, NM on the south side of State Road 154 on the applicants property.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application: (1) if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show you will be substantially effected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the Office of the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop Suite J, Las Cruces NM 88005 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will

be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6 and 72-12-3.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-2010-02165

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-4, Plaintiff,

v.

THOMAS R. BROWN AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF THOMAS R. BROWN, IF ANY, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 23, PRADERA DORADA, 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 March 19, 1996, in Book 18 Page(s) 436-437 of Plat Records.

ALSO KNOWN AS:

Lot 23, PRADERA DORADA, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on Plat No. 2785, thereof filed for record in the Office of the County Clerk of said county on March 19, 1996, and recorded in Book 18, Pages 436-437, Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 1523 Pradera Dorada Arc, Las Cruces, NM 88007-7232. 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 July 11, 2011 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 \$242,699.62 plus interest from

July 1, 2011 to the date of sale at the current rate per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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2011

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-2010-02806

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO CHASE HOME FINANCE, LLC, Plaintiff,

v.

BARRY WALTON, KAREN WALTON AND VICTORIA AVELLANEDA, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 58 in Block 2 of Northrise Estates Unit 4, located in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on January 16, 2003 and recorded in Book 20 at Pages 224-225, Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 2564 Millennium St, Las Cruces, NM 88011-1649. 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 July 11, 2011 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 \$232,695.46 plus interest from July 22, 2011 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 keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys

disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, 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
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Albuquerque, NM 87102

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-201003038

PNC MORTGAGE, A DIVISION OF PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO NATIONAL CITY MORTGAGE A DIVISION OF NATIONAL CITY BANK, Plaintiff,

v.

TRAVIS A. HALL AND LINDSAY M. HALL, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 4 in Block 3 of Country Club Heights Unit No. 2, located in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat thereof filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on February 14, 1994 and recorded in Book 18 at Pages 17-18, Plat Records.

ALSO KNOWN AS:

Property Description : Lot numbered 4 in Block numbered 3 of Country Club Heights Unit No. 2, Las Cruces, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Country Club Heights Unit No. 2, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on February 14, 1994 in Plat Book 18, Folio 17-18.

The address of the real property is 2625 Bearcat Dr, Las Cruces,

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NM 88001. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on February 16, 2011 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 \$159,853.54 plus interest from January 31, 2011 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 keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

Jeffrey Lake
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Southwest Support Group
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Albuquerque, NM 87102

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201002271

**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**CHRISTOPHER G.
GALLEGOS, BANK OF THE
WEST AND THE UNKNOWN
SPOUSE OF CHRISTOPHER
G. GALLEGOS, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 17, Block 1, DESERT GREENS SUBDIVISION, PHASE II, 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 November 1, 1996, in Book 18, pages 562-563 of Plat Records

The address of the real property is 1982 Desert Greens, Las Cruces, NM 88011. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on January 25, 2011 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 \$161,906.56 plus interest from January 29, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.0% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other condition that would cause

the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

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

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

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Special Master
Southwest Support Group
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Albuquerque, NM 87102

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2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201003329

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

v.

**NICHOLAUS F. WILLIAMS,
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,
INC. (SOLELY AS NOMINEE
FOR LENDER AND
LENDER'S SUCCESSOR AND
ASSIGNS), WELLS FARGO
BANK, N.A., OCCUPANTS,
WHOSE TRUE NAMES
ARE UNKNOWN, IF ANY
AND THE UNKNOWN
SPOUSE OF NICHOLAUS
F. WILLIAMS, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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:

APN: 02-32258
LOT 6, BLOCK M, DOS
SUENOS ESTATES, 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. 4230 ON 09/28/2005 IN BOOK 21 PAGE(S) 352-57 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 4805 Camino Dos Vidas, 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 June 30, 2011 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 \$252,780.05 plus interest from May 31, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.625% 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 at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN

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

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

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Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2, 2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201100638

**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**MANUEL R. GRANADOS
AND NANCY B. GRANADOS,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 24 IN BLOCK A OF SANDHILL CENTER HEIGHTS, PHASE 4, LOCATED IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON JUNE 20, 2005 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 21 AT PAGES 237-238, PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 4423 Kingston Court, 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 July 6, 2011 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 \$131,132.79 plus interest from April 13, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.000% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at

such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be 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, 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

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Pub # 10983
Dates 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2,
2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201003256

**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**LOUISETTE H. CONLEY
AND THE UNKNOWN
SPOUSE OF LOUISETTE
H. CONLEY, IF ANY,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 numbered 12 in Block numbered D of Parkhill Estates Subdivision, Phase 2, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Parkhill Estates Subdivision, Phase 2, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on November 7, 2007 in Plat Book 22, Folio 372-373.

The address of the real property is 4682 Rimrock 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 July 12, 2011 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 \$169,719.83 plus interest from May 30, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.875% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

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

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

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2011

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-20100-3239

**PNC MORTGAGE A
DIVISION OF PNC BANK,
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
SUCCESSOR BY MERGER
TO NATIONAL CITY
REAL ESTATE SERVICE
LLC, SUCCESSOR BY
MERGER TO NATIONAL
CITY MORTGAGE, INC.
F/K/A NATIONAL CITY
MORTGAGE CO., Plaintiff,**

v.

**EDWARD C. GIFT,
GLORIA J. GIFT, FIRST
NATIONAL BANK OF
DOÑA ANA COUNTY 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 September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 in Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as part of Lots 11 and 12 and all of Lots 13, 14 and 15, Block 16, Hermosa Second Addition Filed October 19, 1914 in book 1 page 11, Doña Ana County Records and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at a fence post at the West line of Willow Street for the Southeast corner of the tract herein described; whence the Southeast corner of Lot 11, Block 16 of the before mentioned Hermosa Second Addition bears S. 14°00'E., a distance of 34.62 feet;

THENCE from the point of beginning and leaving Willow Street S. 32°31'02" W., 21.19 feet to a fence post;

THENCE S. 52°12'14" W., 49.67 to an iron rod set at the North line of Convent Avenue;

THENCE along the North line of Convent Avenue S. 76°00'W., 69.18 feet to a nail set at the

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East line of a 20 foot alley for the Southwest corner of this tract;

THENCE leaving Convent Avenue and along the East line of the alley N. 14°00'W., 125.00 feet to the Northwest corner of this tract;

THENCE leaving the alley N. 76°00'E., 130.00 feet to an iron rod found at the West line of Willow Street for the Northeast

corner of this tract;

THENCE along the West line of Willow Street S. 14°00'E., 90.38 feet to the place of beginning containing 0.353 acre of land more or less.

The address of the real property is 448 S. Willow St, Las Cruces, NM 88001. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described prop-

erty; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on February 16, 2011 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 \$79,597.32 plus interest from January 31, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.875% 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 purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

bidder for any damages.

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

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

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

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-CV-2011-00690

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
TRUSTEE POOLING AND
SERVICING AGREEMENT
DATED AS OF AUGUST 1,
2005 ASSET-BACKED PASS-
THROUGH CERTIFICATES
SERIES 2005-WHQ4,
Plaintiff,

v.

ISIDRA AGUIRRE,
Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 5 in Block C of Sandhill Center Heights, Phase 1, located in the City of Las Cruces Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat thereof filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on January 21, 2005 and recorded in Book 21 at Pages 115-116, Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 4358 Kingston Road, 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 June 28, 2011 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 \$146,685.18 plus interest from July 15, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.650% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

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

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

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

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

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LAS CRUCES, New Mexico

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201002882

**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**THE ESTATE OF ANTHONY
L. ARANDA, DECEASED,
ANTHONY L. ARANDA
JR. 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 September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 4, VALLEY VISTA SUBDIVISION, UNIT 3, 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 19, 1997, IN BOOK 18 PAGES 632-633 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 4144 Broadview Road, 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, 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 May 31, 2011 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 \$69,873.20 plus interest from May 17, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.875% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other

condition that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

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

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

Jeffrey Lake
Special Master
Southwest Support Group
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Albuquerque, NM 87102

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

Case No.
D-307-CV-201100615

**WELLS FARGO FINANCIAL
NEW MEXICO, INC.,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**THE UNKNOWN HEIRS,
DEVISEES, OR LEGATEES
OF MARYLOU KERSEY,
DECEASED AND THE
UNKNOWN SURVIVING
SPOUSE OF MARYLOU
KERSEY, DECEASED,
Defendant(s).**

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 8, 2011 at 1:00 PM, 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 situated Northwest of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico and being part of Lots 5 and 6, Block 2, VALLE DEL SOL SUBDIVISION, filed April 14, 1978, in Plat Book 12, Page 177,

Doña Ana County Records and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at a shiner with a nail found at the Northeast corner of Lot 5, Block 2 of the mentioned Valle Del Sol Subdivision for an angle point of the tract herein described;

THENCE from the point of beginning and partially along a rock wall and the West boundary of Lot 6, Block 2, N. 61°28'34" E., 21.00 feet to a painted "X" found for the Northeast corner of the tract herein described;

THENCE partially along a rock wall S. 22°42'37" E., 189.32 feet to a point on the North line of Tierra Del Sol Drive for the Southeast corner of this tract;

THENCE along the arc of a curve to the right, having a radius of 175.00 feet through a central angle of 51°23'12" with an arc length of 156.95 feet whose long chord bears N. 76°55'37" W., a distance of 151.74 feet to the point of tangency;

THENCE N. 51°14'01" W., 116.08 feet to an iron rod found for the Northwest corner of this tract;

THENCE leaving Tierra Del Sol Drive and following along the Westerly boundary of the mentioned Lot 5, Block 2, N. 68°34'08" E., 157.67 feet to the point of beginning containing 0.511 acre of land or less.

The address of the real property is 1430 Tierra Del Sol Dr, 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 July 11, 2011 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 \$268,196.76 plus interest from June 23, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 10.000% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other condition that would cause

the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be 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

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2011

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

No. CV-09-1284

**BOKE, N.A. dba BANK OF
OKLAHOMA, N.A., Plaintiff,**

vs.

**MARCUS J. WHITE aka
MARCUS JOE WHITE,
BERNADETTE WHITE
aka BERNADETTE MARIE
ROSE WHITE, MARCUS JOE
WHITE AND BERNADETTE
MARIE ROSE WHITE,
Co-Trustees of the Marcus
and Bernadette White Trust,
dated October 20, 2005,
FIRST AMERICAN BANK
fka THE FIRST NATIONAL
BANK, JOHN DOE and JANE
DOE (unknown occupants)
and PHILIP J. MONTOYA,
Chapter 7 Trustee,
Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF SALE ON
FORECLOSURE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 2340 Santo Domingo Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88011, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 7, BLOCK 7, THE

MISSIONS SUBDIVISION, UNIT NO. 3, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON SEPTEMBER 11, 2000, IN BOOK 19, PAGE 504 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The sale is to begin at 11:45 a.m. on September 23, 2011, 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 BOKE, N.A.

BOKE, N.A. was awarded a Judgment on August 9, 2011, in the principal sum of \$121,334.47, plus outstanding interest through July 22, 2011, in the amount of \$20,170.66 and accruing daily thereafter at a rate of \$21.61 per day, plus late charges of \$157.48, plus escrow advances of \$2,838.16, plus fee and cost advances of \$1,632.75, plus attorney's fees in the amount of \$900.00 and costs in the amount of \$878.44, with interest on the above-listed amounts, attorney's fees and costs at the rate of 6.50% 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.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT THE SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND 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 # 10993

Dates 8/19, 8/26, 9/2, 9/9, 2011

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

Case No. CV-2011-0591
Judge James Martin

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

vs.

**ESTRELLA PANDO,
DERRICK DANIEL
MAESTAS, AND; 2002
DODGE NEON, RED; YIN:
1B3AS76F12D535032; New
Mexico License Plate No. 443
PWA, Respondents.**

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF
ACTION**

To: Respondent Derrick Daniel Maestas

1. The City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, seeks to forfeit all interest you may have in the following described motor vehicle: 2002 Dodge Neon, Red; VIN: 1B3AS76F12D535032; New Mexico License Plate No. 443 PWA.

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

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

Respectfully submitted,
CITY OF LAS CRUCES
/s/ Harry S. (Pete) Connelly
City Attorney
P.O. Box 20000
(575) 541-2128
(575) 541-2017 Fax
Attorney for Petitioner

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 12 day of August, 2011.

JAMES H. DEMPSEY
COURT EXECUTIVE
OFFICER

By: /s/ Joe M. Martinez
DEPUTY

Pub # 10994
Dates 8/19, 8/26, 9/2, 2011

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

Cause No. SA-2011-23
Judge Macias

**IN THE MATTER OF THE
ADOPTION PETITION OF
MICHAEL L. ARMENTA, SR.**

**AMENDED NOTICE OF
CIVIL ACTION PENDING**

To: GARY LENTINI

You are hereby notified that the Petitioner, Michael L. Armenta, Sr., has filed a Petition for the Adoption of Sunshine Lentini Delagardelle in the above entitled and numbered cause in the office of the Clerk of the Third Judicial District Court of Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico.

The object of the action is for the adult adoption of Sunshine Mae Delagardelle.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance or plead herein on or before the 16th day of September 2011, said adoption will be granted.

The Plaintiff's attorney is HOLT MYNATT MARTINEZ, P.C. (David K. Clements), P.O. Box 2699, Las Cruces, New Mexico, 88004. A copy of the Petition may be requested by calling David K. Clements at (575) 524-8812. If you file an Answer or any other pleading in this case, you must provide a copy to Plaintiff's attorney at the foregoing address.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the District Court of Doña Ana

County, New Mexico, this 11 day of August 2011.

District Court Clerk
By: PEGGY R. BROCK
Deputy

Pub # 10995
Dates 8/19, 8/26, 9/2, 2011

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

Cause No. 11-0167
Judge Alice M. Salcido

**IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF ANNIE L.
MANZENBERGER, 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 in care of The Darden Law Firm, P.A., P.O. Box 578, Las Cruces, New Mexico, 88004-0578, or filed with the Probate Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico.

Dated this 15th day of July, 2011.

/s/ Lyle James Manzenberger,
Personal Representative
THE DARDEN LAW FIRM,
P.A.
Attorneys for Personal
Representative
P.O. Box 578
Las Cruces, New Mexico
88004-0578
(575) 541-6655 (telephone)
(575) 524-2059 (fax)

Pub # 10996
Dates 8/19, 8/26, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on April 28, 2011, Frederick A. Gerber, PO BOX 400, Anthony, NM 88021, filed application numbered LRG-3904-S-2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Use Supplemental Well to supplement ground and surface waters within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by using existing well LRG-3904-S-2, located within the SE1/4 SE1/4 SE1/4 of Section 05, Township 27 South, Range 03 East, NMPM at approximately X=1,516,127 Y=357,680 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83) on land owned by the Joe Nelson, Inc., supplemental to existing well LRG-9234, located on land owned by Betty J. Pettit and others within the SW1/4 SE1/4 SW1/4 of Section 04, Township 27 South, Range 03 East, NMPM for the continued diversion of 72.24 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, for the irrigation of 12.04 acres of land located within Pt. SW1/4 of said Section 04. Well LRG-3904-S-2 is located approximately 100 ft. southeast of the intersection of Vinton Rd. and NM Hwy 28. Well LRG-9234 is located approximately 1,800 feet north of said intersection, approxi-

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Pub # 10998
Dates 8/19, 8/26, 9/2, 2011

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

NO. CV-2011-1918
Judge Manuel I. Arrieta

PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

COMES NOW the Petitioner, Sara Luz Nieto, and pursuant to §40-8-1, NMSA 1978, states:

1. Petitioner is a resident of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico.
2. Petitioner is over the age of fourteen (14) years.
3. Petitioner desires to change her name: from Sara Luz Nieto to Sara Luz Otero.
4. There is no sufficient cause to the contrary why her name should not be changed to and established as Sara Luz Otero.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays:

A. That the Court set a hearing in this matter; and

B. Following the time set for the hearing, the Court enter its Order changing and establishing Petitioner's name as Sara Luz Otero.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Sara Luz Nieto
615 Dyne Ave.
Las Cruces, NM 88005
(575) 524-1411

Pub # 10999
Dates 8/19, 8/26, 2011

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

No. PB-11-72
(Arrieta)

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF FREDERICK P. MONTEZ, 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 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, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

Dated: August 11, 2011.

/s/ Stella M. Montez
Personal Representative of the
Estate of Frederick P. Montez,
Deceased

PREPARED & SUBMITTED
BY:
JOSEPH M. HOLMES, P.A.
Attorney at Law
P.O. Box 366
Las Cruces, NM 88004-0366
(575) 524-0833
(575) 526-0960 (fax)

/s/ Joseph M. Holmes
Attorney for the Estate

Pub # 11000
Dates 8/19, 8/26, 2011

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

CV-2011-01769
Judge Arrieta

EZEKIEL MONTOYA, Plaintiff

vs.

ROGELIO MONTOYA,
ALBERTO MONTOYA, JR.,
DELFINA M. NARANJO,
CECILIA QUINONES,
EUGENE M. MORALES,
JR., ROBERT MORALES,
GEORGE M. MONTOYA,
JOSIE M. ESTRADA, FELIX
M. MONTOYA, ANDRES
M. MONTOYA, HENRY
SALCIDO, MARIA ELENA
MENCHAEA, JOSEFINA
MONTOYA MORALES,
DECEASED, ISABEL M.
SALCIDO, AND ALL
UNKNOWN PERSONS
WHO MAY CLAIM ANY
LIEN, INTEREST OR
TITLE ADVERSE TO
THE PLAINTIFF IN THE
PREMISES, and ANY
UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE
UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS, IF
DECEASED. Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

TO: The Unknown Heirs, Assignees, and Spouses of these Defendants and all Unknown persons whom may claim any lien, interest, or title adverse to the Plaintiff in the Premises, and any Unknown Heirs of the Unknown Claimants, if deceased

I, Clerk of the Third Judicial District Court in the County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, do hereby cause to be issued this Notice of Pendency of Suit, for the purpose of service of process on the above-named persons, and any and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiff by publication.

2. The name of the Plaintiff, Defendants, and the Court in which said cause of action is pending and the civil cause number are set out above.

3. The Defendants against whom service by publication is sought to be obtained is TheUnknown Heirs, Assignees, and Spouses of these Defendants and all Unknown persons whom may claim any lien, interest, or title adverse to the Plaintiff in the Premises, and any Unknown Heirs of the Unknown Claimants, if deceased

4. The general purpose of Plaintiff's complaint for Quiet Title is to determine whether Defendant's owe Plaintiff title of real property.

5. Plaintiff is the owner of the following described real property in Doña Ana County:

Property described in that certain Quitclaim Deed between Inez M. Montoya, a/k/a Inez M. Hernandez, as Grantor, and Inez M. Hernandez and Eugene M. Montoya as joint tenants with rights of survivorship, as Grantees, dated September 12, 1989, and recorded in Book 334 at Page 830 of the records of the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on September 12, 1989:

Commencing at the Northwest of this lot, being the Southwest Corner of a lot on this date conveyed by the party of the first part herein to one Tomas Montoya, and then South on the West twenty-five (25) yards, bounded by Street; thence East, on the South twenty-five (25) yards bounded by an alley, thence West on the North, twenty-five (25) yards bounded by Luciano Armijo, thence West on the North, twenty-five (25) yards, bounded by Juan Lopez and Tomas Montoya, to the place of beginning. This is the same lot which appears of record in Book 8, page 5 and Book 65 page 656 of Deeds of Doña Ana County, New Mexico. Parcel No. 03-07270.

6. The name of the Plaintiff's attorney is as follows: Jerome O'Connell of THE O'CONNELL LAW FIRM, P.A., P.O. Box 13388, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88013, (575) 525-8202.

7. THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY, and any and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiff, against whom constructive service is sought to be obtained, are hereby notified that unless they file a responsive pleading or motion with this Court within twenty (20) days after the date of the third and last publication of this Notice, judgment or other appropriate relief will be rendered in such suit against them by default.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL this 16 day of August, 2011.

JAMES H. DEMPSEY
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT
CLERK

By /s/ Joe M. Martinez
Deputy

Pub # 11001
Dates 8/19, 8/26, 9/2, 2011



New Mexico State University, an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer, will accept Proposals until 2 p.m. local time for the following project in the office of the Director of Purchasing.

Proposal Invitation: I0108519-RA Solar Recharging Station

Proposal Due Date & Time: 09/13/2011@ 2:00PM (local time)

Proposal documents will be sent on request by calling the Central Purchasing and Risk Management Office @ (575) 646-2916.

Pub # 11002
Dates 8/19, 2011



New Mexico State University, an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer, will receive Proposals until 2 p.m. local time in the office of the Director of Purchasing of the following:

Proposal Invitation: I0107478-P NMSU - FARMINGTON: AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE CENTER, GREENHOUSE RENOVATION

Proposal Due Date: 09/22/2011

A pre-proposal conference will NOT BE HELD. A site visit may be scheduled by contacting Orasa Vaught at 575-646-4549. Requests for interpretation must be submitted in writing.

Proposal documents will be available on Friday, August 19, 2011 from the Office of Project Design of the Office of Facilities & Services (OFS) of New Mexico State University. Tel: 575-646-1016. Complete sets may be obtained without deposit by licensed contractors.

Pub # 11003
Dates 8/19, 2011



New Mexico State University, an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer, will hold bids at 4 p.m. local time in the office of the Director of Procurement Services & Risk Management of the following:

Bid Invitation: I0107394-P Food Service Equipment Repairs

Bid Opening Date: 08/30/2011 @ 4:00PM (local time)

Vendors are encouraged to register with NMSU's Online Bidding System at <https://sciquest.ionwave.net/nmsu> to obtain a copy of this bid electronically and be registered for future bids for this commodity.

Pub # 11004
Dates 8/19, 2011



New Mexico State University, an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer, will hold bids at 4 p.m. local time in the office of the Director of Procurement Services & Risk Management of the following:

Bid Invitation: I0108148-F Thermometers for NMSU Ag and Home Economics

Bid Opening Date: 09/06/2011 @ 4:00PM (local time)

Vendors are encouraged to register with NMSU's Online Bidding System at <https://sciquest.ionwave.net/nmsu> to obtain a copy of this bid electronically and be registered for future bids for this commodity.

Pub # 11005
Dates 8/19, 2011

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The Doña Ana County Labor Management Relations Board

(the "Board") will hold a public meeting on September 26, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. At the meeting the Board will conduct a rule making hearing. The Board may vote to amend its rules following the hearing. The Board may also conduct other business as needed. The meeting will be held in the County Commission Chambers, located at Doña Ana County Government Center 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM. ADA Access Note: Should you require special accommodations as a result of a disability, please contact the County ADA Compliance Coordinator at 525-5884 (voice), 525-5591 (TTY), or 1-877-827-7200 (toll free), or write to 845 N. Motel Blvd Suite 2-190, Las Cruces, NM 88007.

Interested persons may present their views and comments in person at the rule making hearing or may submit their comments in writing prior to the hearing at the address below. A copy of the agenda and proposed rule changes may be obtained from the Doña Ana County Human Resources Office, 845 N. Motel Blvd. Las Cruces, NM 88007, phone (575) 647-7210 during regular business hours, commencing with the date of publication and continuing through the date of public hearing. Copies may be obtained, upon payment of .50 cents per page fee.

Pub # 11006
Dates 8/19, 2011

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

The City Council of The City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, Hereby Gives Notice of Its Adoption of The Following

Ordinances at a Regular City Council Meeting Held on August 15, 2011:

1. Council Bill No. 12-005; Ordinance No. 2627: An Ordinance Amending Sections 13-102, 13-105, and 13-106 of the City's Affordable Housing General Oversight Ordinance Within the Las Cruces Municipal Code, 1997, as Amended.

2. Council Bill No. 12-006; Ordinance No. 2628: An Ordinance Approving a Zone Change from R-1A (Single-Family Medium Density) to O-1 (Office, Neighborhood-Limited Retail Service) for 0.30 + Acres of Land Located at 2220 South Solano Drive. Submitted by Kirk Clifton on Behalf of Sandra Espiritu, Property Owner (Z2831).

3. Council Bill No. 12-007; Ordinance No. 2629: An Ordinance Approving a Zone Change From C-2 (Commercial Medium Intensity) to C-3 (Commercial High Intensity) for 1.55 + Acres of Land Located at 4790 Stern Drive. Submitted by Mario Manriquez on Behalf of A & E Enterprises Inc., Property Owner (Z2938). Copies Are Available for Inspection During Working Hours at the Office of the City Clerk. Witness My Hand and Seal of the City of Las Cruces on this the 16th day of August 2011.

Esther Martinez, CMC
City Clerk

Pub # 11007
Dates 8/19, 2011

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duties as outlined. Submit letter of application, resume, transcripts, DVD with your 3 best reports, and a list of three references to Yolanda Mendoza, KRWG MSC TV22, PO Box 30001, Las Cruces, NM 88003. Review of applicants will begin August 31, 2011 and will continue until the position is filled. Applications received after this date may be considered. Visit <http://www.nmsu.edu/~personel/postings/professional/> for more information. NMSU is an EEO/AA employer.

The Special Productions Unit at New Mexico State University seeks an innovative and energetic **TV Producer** (Requisition #: 2011003776) who will shoot, edit, and report for AggieVision. This position will serve as the producer for "New Mexico State Sports Weekly" as well as our live game productions. The ideal candidate will have understanding of sports statistics, TV news writing, nonlinear editing, and professional television equipment. The candidate might also have experience with Chyron Lyric Pro, EVS, and/or Adobe After Effects. Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in related field, 2 years experience related to standard duties as outlined or any equivalent combination of education, training and or experience as approved by HR Services. Submit letter of application, resume, transcripts, DVD with your recent work, and a list of three references to Joe Brackman, New Mexico State University, MSC TV22, PO Box 30001, Las Cruces, NM 88003. Review of applicants will begin August 31, 2011 and will continue until the position is filled. Applications received after this date may be considered. Visit <http://www.nmsu.edu/~personel/postings/professional/> for more information. NMSU is an EEO/AA employer.

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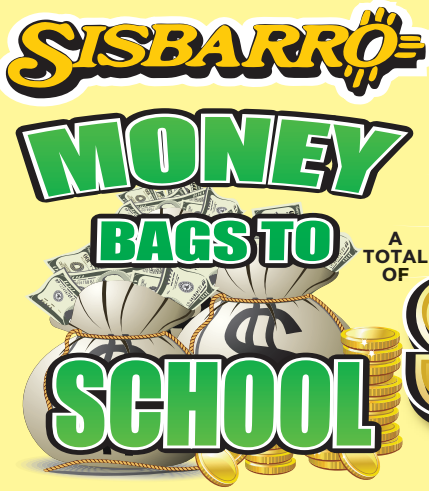
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NEXT WEEK

All things salsa
SalsaFest! Sunday, Aug. 28, is New Mexico's official centennial kickoff celebration



It may be a little festival now ...

But it could be the next Sundance

By **David Edwards**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Every year Park City, Utah – a city with a year round population of less than 10,000 people – becomes the center of the movie universe.

For 10 days in late January, studio executives, filmmakers and movie buffs focus their attention on the Sundance Film Festival held in Park City.

More than 47,000 people attended in 2011 and the economic impact on the state of Utah was in the neighborhood of \$62 million.

Darn it! Why couldn't we have something like that in Las Cruces?

Well, we could, we can and maybe we do – have at least the makings of something "like that." It could achieve world class status if White Sands International Film Festival (WSIFF) Artistic Director Ross Marks has his way, that is.

Marks, who has attended Sundance as both an observer and filmmaker, said "it does studio platform releases and it's very difficult for an independent film to even get into the festival."

Festival films usually appear in two categories – a studio that already has established distribution with the studio or independents who are looking for a distribution deal.

With about 4,000 films submitted, "it's tough for an independent filmmaker to be ac-

cepted," Marks said.

Marks said he thinks "there needs to be a film festival doing what Sundance was doing 15 years ago – a truly independent film festival. That's what we're trying to build here."

With the WSIFF in its sixth year – third in Las Cruces – Marks feels that the festival is in

“ We really put together a top-notch film festival ... ”

ROSS MARKS,
WSIFF artistic director

good position to do that.

"Las Cruces is a great arts town," he said. "It really gets behind the arts. And I think we can really support a film festival like this – really embrace the filmmakers."

"We've put together a really good team and they've worked really hard to get the filmmakers down here."

Marks' sales pitch to attract entries?

"I've told them, 'Wait 'til you see the experience you have and wait 'til you see the interaction with the audience and how supportive

they are,'" he said.

"What's exciting about being in a film festival, as a director, is that normally you direct a movie, turn it over to the studio and that's that. The audience responds by leaving the theater and throwing away their popcorn containers."

Marks likens the film festival experience to live theater where the audience feedback is instant.

"You have talkbacks and Q&A sessions. People can come up to you and tell you what they liked and didn't like," he said. "You interact with people in the industry and have an opportunity to have that intense feedback over three or four days. You don't get that in film except at a film festival."

Marks should know all about the festival circuit, having gone to approximately 50 festivals during his career as a filmmaker. (For more on Marks see the artist profile.) He has been on both sides of the equation as an independent filmmaker ("Homage," 1995) and with a studio film ("The Twilight of the Golds," 1996). Marks' professional filmmaking experience and his selection as the WSIFF artistic director has been a welcome addition to the festival.

His reputation as a filmmaker has enabled Marks and his team – drawn from students at New Mexico State University's Creative Media Institute – to be very aggressive in recruiting filmmakers to apply to have their films included in the WSIFF.

The final slate of films – which includes 18 feature films in addition to short films and student films – was selected by screening more than 200 entries. Studio films were not ignored completely as the festival will present "The Doors" and "Tombstone" as part of honoring actor Val Kilmer with its Lifetime Achievement Award.

"We were very aggressive when it came to soliciting entries," Marks said.

Student teams were built in order to view films in four categories – narrative feature, documentary, narrative short film and student short film. The films were ranked and the highest rated ones were sent on to Marks.

Putting together a film festival was valuable experience for students who also received college credit for their involvement.

"We really put together a top-notch film festival with no resources and not really much of a track record," said Marks, who has high praise for his team.

Another benefit of participating in the WSIFF is the opportunity for filmmakers to connect with others in the industry – the networking possibilities to connect with others in the industry make it like a film "convention."

"We have some great workshops lined up as well," Marks said. "We're offering a screenwriting workshop with Mark Medoff – which would be rapidly sold out were it held in Los Angeles. There is a casting auditions workshop with Sam Muir and perhaps some of the cast of Medoff's 'Refuge' interacting with the students."

"Veteran producers David Derks, Ginger

Details

White Sands International Film Festival

When
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Where
Screenings at Cineport 10,
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Student shorts at Rio Grande
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Perkins and Bill Immerman will present 'How to Make a Movie' and Medoff, Las Cruces Film Liaison Bill McCamey and director Rod McCall ('Becoming Eduardo') are offering 'Film-making in Southern New Mexico.' Promoting our area as a location and using our local talent is definitely one of our goals."

"We have really sold the hell out of Las Cruces as place that embraces film. It's important that we fill the seats so filmmakers know that this is a credible place for a festival."

WSIFF is open to the public and tickets are available at the Cineport 10, in Mesilla Valley Mall, 700 S. Telshor Blvd.

The perfect Hollywood ending for this year's WSIFF if it were left up to Marks?

"I want filmmakers to say, 'Thanks. I would never have had this audience interaction without this festival,'" he said. "And we have great movies – it's going to be a great audience experience. I want audiences to go to the theater and say, 'I would never have seen this movie if it weren't for this festival. Thanks.'"

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Featured artist: *Ross Marks*

Speaking up about movies

Experienced filmmaker takes the reins of local festival

By **David Edwards**

Las Cruces Bulletin

Ross Marks wants Las Cruces to embrace the opportunity they have, "which is to create a top-notch film festival for independent filmmakers from all across the world." He said he hopes the White Sands International Film Festival can be just that.

He wants to emulate the success of the Sundance Film Festival held every January in Park City, Utah, which has become a real launch pad for talent – both in front of and behind the camera.

Marks himself was on that launch pad in 1995 when he went to Sundance with his first full-length feature film "Homage," which had been filmed in Las Cruces.

"I had actually been to Sundance the year before, and I had determined through watching all those films who I wanted for my director of photography," he said. "I was able to basically put together my production crew for 'Homage.'"

While a student at UCLA, Marks met his future wife Debra Medoff, daughter of Tony award-winning playwright Mark Medoff.

"Mark suggested that if I wanted to be an actor, I should come to New Mexico State (University)," Marks said. "He told me that he could tell me within a year whether I could make it as an actor."

When that year had passed, Medoff told Marks that perhaps his talents lay in the area of directing instead. So he finished his college career at NMSU and applied to the American Film Institute and was the youngest ever to be accepted to the program at the age of 22.

One of 28 students asked back for a second year, Marks was then among the five invited to make a film. His short, "Showdown at Rio Road," was an adaptation of a short play by Medoff and starred Robby Benson. "Showdown" won several awards.

After finishing at AFI, Marks was asked to direct "Homage," starring Frank Whaley and Blythe Danner, produced by and adapted by Medoff from his play "The Homage That Follows." It was "Homage" that got Marks to Sundance again, but this time as a filmmaker. Along with other directors whose films had been accepted, he got to have lunch and meet with Sundance founder Robert Redford.

"Homage" did well at Sundance and Marks was approached by writer/director/actor Garry Marshall.

"He said there was a film that he was going to direct but thought I would do a better job," Marks recalled.

The film was "The Twilight of the Golds," based on a play Marks had seen on Broadway. He told Marshall he would love to direct.

"Golds" starred Marshall, Faye Dun-

away, Brendan Fraser, Jennifer Beals and Rosie O'Donnell. Sundance wanted to have the premiere of the film, but Marks – who grew up in Chicago – offered it instead to the Chicago Film Festival, which was struggling at the time.

"I explained to them that I was from there and asked if they would like to have this film with its all-star cast premiere at their festival," Marks said. "They were thrilled, and having it enabled them to draw some other films and enabled them to start building their festival."

"That was really when I realized the importance of film festivals. And even though it didn't premiere there and they were mad at me, 'Golds' still went to Sundance."

While "The Twilight of the Golds" was a studio film, Marks has a soft spot for the "indies" and believes WSIFF can be an important venue for filmmakers who are just finding their voices.

"Our focus is on the independent film," he said. "Other than the two studio films we are showing to showcase Val Kilmer's work (Kilmer is receiving a Lifetime Achievement Award and WSIFF is screening 'The Doors' and 'Tombstone'), all of our films are independently produced and financed."

Marks remembers being at Sundance when "Reservoir Dogs" was part of the festival.

"Here was a totally new voice, a totally fresh independent film that could never have been made as a studio film, and it really launched the career of Quentin Tarantino," he said.

He wants WSIFF to eventually do the same thing so that as it grows and builds, studio representatives, agents and other Hollywood-types will come down to see the slate of films looking for talent. But WSIFF is far enough away from Los Angeles and New York that filmmakers can screen their films without all that additional pressure.

"We have an opportunity to build a festival full of fresh, original ideas, films from fresh, original voices," he said.

Marks took a break from filmmaking – taking time to get married to Debra Medoff and have three children. He tried the business sector for a few years, but found after a while he "didn't like it much."

In addition to his film festival duties, he writes and teaches part time at NMSU's Creative Media Institute. Selected as the artistic director of WSIFF, he began working about eight months ago using his experience with festivals and expertise as a filmmaker to build the festival into something locals can be proud of.

He has an active board of directors and said he told them and his staff of CMI students, "I know how to do this. I've made films and been to about 50 festivals. Are you with me? They all said, 'Let's do this.'"

"Now directors make a film and they say, 'I want to go to Sundance.' I want them to say, 'I want to go to White Sands.' Right now, they aren't saying that, but we have some really, really good films this year."

That sound you hear is a familiar voice – that of Ross Marks – sounding loud and clear as he pumps some new energy into a growing local film scene.



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by David Edwards

Ross Marks, artistic director for the White Sands International Film Festival, relaxes in his Las Cruces home.



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"From the Ground Up XXV" contemporary ceramics LC Museum of Art	
FRI.+SAT. AUG 19+20	8 P.M.
No Strings Theatre Co: "THE IRIS INCIDENT" Black Box Theatre	
SAT. AUG 20	10 A.M.
Family Art Adventure, parents & children LC Museum of Art	
SAT. AUG 20	10 A.M.
Gallery Talk with Bruce Berman Branigan Cultural Center	
SAT. AUG 20	11 A.M.-Noon
Story Time: Thomas book video & crafts, all ages LC Railroad Museum	
SAT. AUG 20	11 A.M.-Noon
Scaly Slimy: with focus on fish & amphibians LC Museum of Natural History	
SAT. AUG 20	11:30 A.M.
Magic Carpet Story Time Branigan Cultural Center	
SAT. AUG 20	2 P.M.
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TUE. AUG 23	10:30 A.M.
Read To Me - stories for ages 3 and up Branigan Library	
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TUE. AUG 23	7 P.M.
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WED.+THU AUG 24+25	10 A.M.
Toddler Time! Stories for kids 1-3 Branigan Library	
WED. AUG 24	11 A.M.
Mother Goose Time - Activities for Infants Branigan Library	
THU AUG 25	5:30 P.M.
Science Cafe Burnin off the Woods - Dr John Mexal LC Museum of Natural History	
THU AUG 25	7 P.M.
5 Minute Mysteries: for teens, grades 6-12 Branigan Library	

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El Patio, an anchor on the plaza

Mesilla bar has been around for 77 years

By **David Edwards**
Las Cruces Bulletin

I don't know if there has always been music at El Patio Cantina, but it wouldn't surprise me.

El Patio has been around since 1934 in a historic building that dates back to the 1800s. And for a good portion of that time, it has been owned by the Fountain family. It has been a mail stop for the Butterfield Stage line, the Mesilla Times newspaper, Sam (brother to Judge Roy) Bean's saloon, a blacksmith's forge, the Albert Fountain Merchantile and a U.S. Post Office.

On the Mesilla Plaza, the place has always been a part of the entertainment scene – even if all that entertains you is having a cold one. When the Las Cruces Community Theatre was moving into the Fountain Theater just around the corner, Art Fountain let them put on some melodramas which were populated with the pre-requisite good guys, hapless heroines and villains (pronounced in this incarnation as “vee-yans”).

The late Arthur Fountain was a sax player and used to have

Dixieland jazz every week. His son Albert Fountain IV started booking rock 'n' roll bands and a lot of blues when he began managing the place. Woodstock veteran's Canned Heat played at El Patio as well as blues legend “Long John” Hunter among other musical luminaries. Now, Albert's son Altie books a lot of different types of bands – some local and some from the surrounding area – and the bar is still one of the hot places for live music in the Mesilla Valley.

The Mesilla watering hole is the quintessential bar with its pool tables, juke box, small stage and dance floor and it looks pretty much the same as it has for the 37 or so years that I have been going there. You could say, I guess, that El Patio is one of those constants in life. There are televisions but it's obvious that people don't come there to really watch them – this ain't no sports bar, you know.

El Patio has always had an eclectic clientele. There are the town regulars, college students, hipsters, yuppies, tourists, Mesilla shoppers and bikers. One of my favorite characters was one of those motorcycle jockies named “Grrrr” – who looked pretty much the way a biker guy named “Grrr” would look. People-watching at El Patio is almost as much fun as the music and during non-live band times there is a great jukebox.

Live music can be had Wednesday nights – with jazz that Art Fountain would love – and Fridays and Saturdays the stage is set for a variety of rock, blues, ska and country. Saturday, Aug. 27, will feature the rockabilly sounds of The Hillside Gamblers. There is usually a small cover charge of \$3 to \$5 depending on the act. But at El Patio just the atmosphere alone is worth the price of admission.

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Bill Bunting of Los Heatwaves rocks at El Patio Cantina.

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Remembering 9/11



The GFWC Progress Club of Las Cruces will present the 10th anniversary of the “5,000 Flowers” art exhibit to commemorate those lost on 9/11 during September. This has become a huge community project with more than 380 artists participating in the last two years. This year, the exhibit will include artists from 14 states, Canada and 24 communities in New Mexico. The exhibit has been the only continuous art show nationwide, and will run from Sept. 2-Oct. 1 at the Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Water St. For more information, call 541-2154.

Top 10 singles Tuesday, Aug. 16

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Maroon 5
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Galleries & Openings

LAST CHANCE

UNSETTLED GALLERY displays "It's 8AM," an exhibit featuring artists Roy van der Aa, Janice Cook, Raul Dorn, Bill Gambling, Or-DiMa and Jeanne Rundell. The show runs through Saturday, Aug. 20.

The gallery is located at 905 N. Mesquite St. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and by appointment. Call 635-2285.

OPENING

LAS CRUCES MUSEUM OF ART opens "From the Ground Up XXV," a regional, juried exhibition of contemporary ceramics. The exhibits opens Friday, Aug. 19, and runs through Saturday, Oct. 15. This biannual event is a collaboration between the Potters' Guild of Las Cruces and the Las Cruces Museum of Art. An artists' reception and awards presentation will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 2, in conjunction with the Downtown Art Ramble.

This exhibition features ceramic works, both functional and sculptural, by more than 60 artists representing the states of the Rocky Mountain Region – New Mexico, Texas, Arizona, Utah, Colorado, Wyoming, Idaho and Montana. The participating Las Cruces area artists are Aubrey de Cheubell, Janice Cook, Patricia Grace, Dana Kroos, Amanda Marcott, Sharon McCoy, Deborah Moore, Renate Muller, Linda Reeder-Sanchez, Glenn Schwaiger, Randy Summers, Barbara Williams, Cally Williams and Danielle Wood. El Paso artists include Andres Payan, Daniel Short and Cassandra Davisson.

The museum is located at 491 N. Main St. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call 541-2137.

ONGOING

MESQUITE ART GALLERY showcases 3-D ceramic pieces by Deming artist Diana LeMarbe through August. A spate in Alaska and then New Mexico gave her the intellectual material for ceramic masks. Poncho Villa photographs also are on display. The gallery is located at 340 N. Mesquite St. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday through Friday. Visit www.mesquiteartgallery.com.

NOPALITO'S GALERÍA presents an exhibit of student art works titled "From the HeART." Displayed is a collection of painting by students of Irma Lee, a local artist. The exhibit will be open through Sept. 4. The galería is located at 326 S. Mesquite St. Hours are 1 to 3 p.m. Friday and noon to 4 p.m. Saturday. Call 541-0003.

CUTTER GALLERY displays the complete contents of the former Mesillana Antique Store that was located east of La Posta in Mesilla. Mesillana Antiques was owned and operated by Ana Salcido Chavez from the 1940s to 2005. She was a collector of American Cut Glass and had hundreds of items in her shop. The display at the Cutter Gallery includes Depression glass, paintings, cake plates, chairs, hurricane lamps, tables, sun purple glass, china cabinets, flatirons, crystal stemware, lusterware, butter dishes, carnival glass and the stained-glass window from the original St. Genevieve's Catholic Church. Cutter Gallery is located at 2640 El Paseo Road. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. Call 541-0658.

BRANIGAN CULTURAL CENTER hosts "Bruce Berman: Border Stories in Black, White and Color," an exhibition of work by photographer Bruce Berman, during August. The exhibit highlights work from Berman's effort over the last 30 years to document life on the U.S.-Mexican border in El Paso and Juárez. "Border Stories" will be on display through Saturday, Aug. 27. Berman will present a gallery talk at 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 20.

The Branigan Cultural Center is located at 501 N. Main St. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call 541-2154.

QUILLIN STUDIO AND GALLERY finishes the summer with an early start on fall. Weavers, knitters and crocheters can all get head starts on their projects with Dedri Quillin's hand-dyed and handspun yarns. Quillin's yarns come in shapes, sizes, colors and textures beyond your wildest dreams. She will show some of the fun things she's been working on for the fall, and she will be spinning some of her yarns during the evening. The gallery is located at 317 N. Main St. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday. Call 312-1064.

RIO GRANDE THEATRE El Paso Electric Gallery displays the haunting works of award-winning conceptual artist Marilyn Sahs during August. Utilizing non-traditional media, such as wood, bed linen, dyes, glues, wax and even food condiments, Sahs employs a unique technique of adding and subtracting color values to create dreamlike images and permanent linen prints. The Rio Grande Theatre is located at 211 N. Main St. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 523-6403.

BLUE GATE GALLERY displays the plein air paintings of the ghost ranch environs throughout August. The gallery is at 311 N. Main St. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5

p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Saturday. Call 523-2950.

LAS CRUCES CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU features Las Cruces artist Melanie Stone Jack during August. Jack is a member of the Black Range Artists Inc. and the New Mexico Watercolor Society Southern Chapter. She has worked in oil, pastel and acrylic, but watercolor is her favorite medium. The bureau is located at 211 N. Water St. Hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 541-2444.

TOMBAUGH GALLERY features "Shrimp Boats: Lost Days and Landscapes in Black and White," the photography of Storm Sermay, for the month of August. The show will run through Friday, Aug. 26. Sermay began living in New Mexico in 1974 and moved to Las Cruces in 1986. She had been an avid birdwatcher, which led to an interest in photographing birds and other wildlife beginning in 2005. The gallery is located at 2000 S. Solano Drive. Hours are 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday through Friday. Call 522-7281.

MESILLA VALLEY FINE ARTS GALLERY features the artworks of Mayanna Howard and Callie Barker. Howard is a versatile watercolorist who depicts soft Southwest colors accented with blues and greens. Barker communicates color, shape, line and texture with vibrant acrylics bringing the viewer deeper into the painting. Carol Lopez, an encaustic artist, has rejoined the gallery and will display her artwork, along with the gallery's newest artist Kathy Jo Lovell. The gallery is located at 2640-A Calle de Guadalupe. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. Call 522-2933.

NEW MEXICO FARM & RANCH HERITAGE MUSEUM displays its collections items pertaining to Pat Garrett, the man who caught Bill the Kid, as part of New Mexico's "Catch the Kid" tourism campaign.

The Pat Garrett exhibit includes a clay bust and photograph of Garrett, along with two letters written by the former lawman. Also included is a certificate of recognition and badge presented to the Garrett family in 1995 by the Doña Ana County Sheriff's Department. The items were donated to the museum by Garrett's granddaughters, Patricia Garrett McCan and Helen Garrett Garner. The exhibit will be on display through the duration of the Catch the Kid campaign, which ends Sept. 24. Also, as part of the promotion, the museum is planning Billy the Kid and Pat Garrett living history performances from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Aug. 27.

The museum also displays "Capture the Spirit," a major

collection of animal paintings by artist Kathy Winkler. The exhibit will be on display through Dec. 4. The show features 30 paintings that are giclées and original artwork, featuring cattle, horses, buffalo and sheep. An artist's reception is planned for 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 8, in the museum's corridor.

The museum is located at 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Cost \$2-\$5. Call 522-4100.

The museum also continues to show "The Dust Bowl: Dark Times in New Mexico" through August. The exhibit revisits the dramatic Dust Bowl and sheds light on the causes, effects and aftermath in New Mexico in the 1930s.

"Greetings to You: Historic Postcards" is also on display through August. The exhibit traces the history of postcards and is an extensive exhibit that features more than 500 postcards that date back as early as the 1880s.

"Red or Green? The Origins and Cultural Significance of the Chile Pepper in New Mexico" is on display through September. The exhibit traces the origins of the chile, the emergence of regional production centers and how the Spanish brought the plant to the American Southwest in the early 1600s.

The museum is at 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Call 522-4100.

MILAGRO COFFEE Y ESPRESSO displays the photographic digital fine art creations of Kurt Van Wagner. Van Wagner uses his computer to digitally enhance, texture and paint over his original photographs. The exhibit "Far & Near, World Travels" takes the viewer from the desert sands of New Mexico to the Kauai, Costa Rica, England, Egypt, India and Nepal. The current exhibit will be on display through Sunday, Aug. 28. Milagro Coffee is located at 1733 E. University Ave. Visit www.artbykurtvanwagner.com.

NOPALITO'S GALERÍA continues its "Flower Power and More" exhibit. Also on display is "Random Visions," an assorted showcase of digital photography by Ali Keyes and Donovan Swann. Nopalito's Galería is located at 326 S. Mesquite St. Hours are 5 to 8 p.m. Friday and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday and by appointment. Call 541-0003.

VER'NADA ART STUDIO & GALLERY exhibits "Journey to Love," featuring the work of Kurt Van Wagner for the summer. Van Wagner has emerged as an accomplished self-taught photo digital artist. His artwork has gained international and local attention and has won numerous awards. His art reflects his extensive world travel with his exotic and local landscapes. He transports the viewer to varied cultures,

Coming Soon

Critters Juried Show

Tombaugh Gallery
2000 S. Solano Drive
522-7281
Opens Sunday, Aug. 28

Hetty Smith and Ray Baird

Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery
2470-A Calle de Guadalupe
522-2933
Opens Friday, Sept. 2

In a Funky Squint

Unsettled Gallery
905 N. Mesquite St.
635-2285
Opens Saturday, Aug. 27

Sizzling Chili Pepper exhibit

Main Street Gallery
311 N. Main St.
647-0508
Opens Saturday, Aug. 27

Fall 2011 Exhibition

Preston Contemporary Art Center
1755 Avenida de Mercado
523-8713
Opens Friday, Sept. 9

NMWS-SC Fall Members Show

Adobe Patio Gallery
1765 Avenida de Mercado
523-9310
Opens Friday, Sept. 9

peoples, vast landscapes and the heart. Van Wagner's art tempts and beckons the viewer to go on the journey he has for you. The gallery is located at 1910 Calle de Parian in Mesilla. Call 571-6139.

PRESTON CONTEMPORARY ART CENTER

hosts the gallery's Summer 2011 exhibition. Featured are paintings by Brian O'Connor and Gary Ruddell, sculptures by Michael Metcalf, fiber works by Joan Sowada and digital collages by Maggie Taylor. The show will continue through Saturday, Oct. 29. An international photography exhibition also at the center runs through Aug. 27. A total of 28 photographers from 23 photographers are included in the show. The gallery also brings a third exhibit through Aug. 27. Featured are works by Dan Olfe, textile; Nolan Preece, camera-less photography; Jeffrey Turner, metal sculpture; John Westmark, painting; and an outdoor sculptural installation created by the Desert Fish Collaborative. The Preston Contemporary Art Center is located at 1755 Avenida de Mercado. Hours are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call 523-8713.

LA MESA STATION GALLERY

is now open and occupies an 80-year-old former gasoline station that has been restored as an art gallery, representing local area artists including paintings, photography, woodturning and weavings. The gallery is located at 16205 Highway 28 in La Mesa, N.M. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday and by appointment. Call 233-3037.

BUILDING INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN NEW MEXICO

presents "Summer Dreaming," a new show provided by the members of the City of Artists Promotional Association through September. The show features works in glass, wood, metal, photography and fine painting that evoke the beauty of summer. Artists showing are Pat Bonneau-White, Greta Burger, Rebecca Courtney, Joe Dominick, Penny Duncklee, Les Fairchild, Susan Frary, George Matthews, Sandra L. Marshall, Hetty Smith and Kurt Van Wagner. The gallery is at 2825 N. Main St. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Call 526-6126.

THE ADOBE PATIO GALLERY & STUDIO

hosts an exhibition focusing on regional excellence, featuring the works of local and area artists. The exhibition includes the vinyl tile murals of Tony Pennock; Joseph Ireland, a long recognized regional artist; the powerful watercolor and pastels of Glenda Buccia; and many more. The building contains spaces that were designed to show off a variety of paintings and sculptures. The gallery is at 1765 Avenida de Mercado. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and by appointment. Call 523-0573.

THE STUDIO features the work of Robert Carlson, Tracy Jamison and Susan Loverin. The Studio is at 665 E. University Ave. Hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and Saturdays by appointment. Call 523-1809.

EventsCalendar

FRI. 8/19

10 a.m. Story time, Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 700 S. Telshor Blvd. "Ponyella" is a new story by author Laura Numeroff. Free. Call 522-4499.

6 to 7:30 p.m. The Great Conversation, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road, Suite M. A community dialogue series addressing matters that affect all. Free. Call 523-0436.

6 to 9 p.m. Live music featuring Daniel Park, Amaro Winery, 402 S. Melendres St. No cover. Call 527-7510.

7 to 9 p.m. Pride Cinema, Las Cruces GLBTQ Center, 1210 N. Main St. Free. Call 635-4902.

7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Tropical Contra Dance, Mesilla Community Center, 2251 Calle de Santiago. Dress for a Hawaiian luau beach theme. Cost \$5-\$6. Call 522-1691.

SAT. 8/20

8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market, Downtown Main Street. Wide variety of arts and crafts, food, fresh produce, unique fine art and much more. Free. Email fmarket@las-cruces.org.

9 a.m. to noon, Butterfly Flutterby, Chihuahuan Desert Nature Park. Featuring butterfly-related activities, face painting and Steven J. Cary, author of "Butterfly Landscapes of New Mexico." Cost \$2. Call 524-3334.

10 a.m. Photographer Bruce Berman presentation, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Photographer will speak about "Border Stories" exhibit currently on display. Free. Call 541-2154.

10:30 a.m. Storytellers of Las Cruces, COAS Bookstores, 317 N. Main St. and 1101 S. Solano Drive. Douglas Jackson will be the storyteller at the Downtown location, and Sonya Weiner will be

the storyteller at the Solano COAS store. COAS will give coupons for free books to all children who attend. Free. Call 526-8377.

11 a.m. to noon, "Thomas the Tank Engine" storytime, Las Cruces Railroad Museum, 351 N. Main St. Free. Call 647-4480.

11:30 a.m. to noon, Magic Carpet StoryTime, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Free. Call 541-2154.

1:30 p.m. Q&A with filmmaker Nicholas Eliopoulos, Fountain Theatre, 2469 Calle de Guadalupe. Eliopoulos will introduce the film "Mary Pickford, the Muse of the Movies." Cost \$3-\$5. Call 522-8287.

2 p.m. "Speaking of Art" lecture series, Las Cruces Museum of Art, 491 N. Main St. Ceramic artist Danielle Wood will discuss the evolution of her work. Free. Call 541-2137.

2 p.m. Amazing Musical Adventures presents "Aloha, Keiki," Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main St. Cost \$5. Call 523-1223.

5 to 6 p.m. Beginning drum class, My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Learn the basic Middle Eastern rhythms. Cost \$2. Call 526-9509.

6 p.m. Red Ribbon Bash, New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Cost \$75. Call 993-2121.

7 to 9 p.m. Swinging Dancers of Munson Center, Munson Senior Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Couples, singles and guests are welcome to dance to the music of Mark Coker. Cost \$6. Call 528-3000.

SUN. 8/21

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday Growers Market, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road. Featuring local vendors. Free. Call 523-0436.

11 a.m. to noon, Pizza Box Solar Ovens kids' workshop, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road, Suite M. Parents must attend with kids. Free. Call 523-0436.

Noon to 4 p.m. Uptown Craft and Growers Market, inside Mesilla Valley Mall near movie theater entrance, 700 S. Telshor Blvd. Shop for local arts, crafts and produce. Free. Call 650-7414.

1 p.m. Bingo, Las Cruces Event Center, 522 E. Idaho Ave. Doors open one hour before the games begin, with early-bird sessions. Cost \$10. Call 680-6515.

2 to 4 p.m. Bluegrass and folk music jam, Doña Ana Community College commons area, 3400 S. Espina St. All players are welcome. Park behind building on Gregg Street. Free. Call 526-5174.

6 to 7:30 p.m. The Great Conversation, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road. A community dialogue series addressing matters that affect all. Free. Call 523-0436.

7 p.m. The Muddy Hands Blues Band, First Christian Church, 1809 El Paseo Road. Performance is a part of the Mesilla Valley Jazz and Blues Society Summer Blues Festival. Cost \$1-\$8. Call 373-2188.

7 p.m. Music in the Park featuring Steve Smith & Hard Road and Billy Towne, Young Park, 1905 E. Nevada Ave. Free. Call 541-2200.

MON. 8/22

10 a.m. Yarn Junkies meeting, Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 700 S. Telshor Blvd. Meet to exchange knitting ideas. Free. Call 522-4499.

1:30 p.m. Bingo, Las Cruces Event Center, 522 E. Idaho Ave. Doors open one hour before the games begin, with early-bird sessions beginning before the regular games start. There is a snack bar available. Cost \$10. Call 680-6515.

Art in Las Cruces



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Niki Rhynes

Constructed in 1974, the sundial that sits off Horseshoe Circle on the New Mexico State University campus was gifted to the university by Elise Raye Rigney Carr and Jesse Lawrence Carr. Gerald Ohsfeldt designed the sculpture.

TUE. 8/23

5 to 6 p.m. Beginning belly dance class, My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Learn to dance and use props. Great exercise for the body and mind. Cost \$2. Call 526-9509.

5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Community and film industry mixer, De La Vega's Pecan Grill and Brewery, 500 S. Telshor Blvd. No cover. Call 521-6261.

6 p.m. Every Other Tuesday presents Remember Then, Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. The seven-piece group is in their fourth year together and specializes in the top favorites of the 1950s. Free. Call 523-6403.

7 p.m. Lydia Bandit and the Comers concert, Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main St. The progressive rock band was formed in 2009. Cost \$10. Call 523-1223.

7 to 9:30 p.m. Argentine Tango Group, Las Cruces Country Club, 2350 N. Main St. Beginners, singles and couples over 21 are welcome to join the Big Band Dance Club. Cost \$5-10. Call 642-1699.

WED. 8/24

8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market, Downtown Main Street. Wide variety of arts and crafts, food, fresh produce, unique fine art and much more. Free. Email fmarket@las-cruces.org.

6:30 p.m. Stitch & Visit meeting, Hastings, 2350 E. Lohman Ave. Creative ideas and good conversation are shared. To participate, bring a portable craft. Free. Call 525-1625.

7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Balanced Living Book Club with Siddeeq Shabazz, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road, Suite M. The group will discuss "The Four Agreements" by Don Miguel Ruiz. Free. Call 510-459-2671.

THU. 8/25

9 a.m. to noon, Fiber Club, My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Cost \$2. Call 526-9509.

5 to 6 p.m. Beginning belly dance class, My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Learn to dance and use props. Great exercise for the body and mind. Cost \$2. Call 526-9509.

6 to 7:30 p.m. The Great Conversation, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road. Free. Call 523-0436.

7 p.m. Bingo, Las Cruces Event Center, 522 E. Idaho Ave. Doors open one hour before the games begin, with early-bird sessions beginning before the regular games start. There is a snack bar available. Cost \$10. Call 680-6515.

8 to 10 p.m. Big Band Dance Club, Las Cruces Country Club, 2700 N. Main St. Dance ballroom, swing and Latin style. Beginners, singles and couples are welcome. Must be 21 years or older. Dress code. Cost \$7-\$9. Call 526-6504.

FRI. 8/26

10 a.m. Dragons and dinosaurs storytime, Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 700 S. Telshor Blvd. Free. Call 522-4499.

6 p.m. Las Cruces Relay for Life, Hadley Sports Complex. Participants run throughout the night, raising money for the American Cancer Society. Donations requested. Visit www.relayforlife.org/lascrucesnm.

8 p.m. "The Rocky Horror Picture Show," Hershel Zohn Theatre, New Mexico State University. The cult classic will be screened for one night only. Cost \$4-\$6. Call 646-4515.

SAT. 8/27

8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market, Downtown Main Street. Wide variety of arts

and crafts, food, fresh produce, unique fine art and much more. Free. Email fmarket@las-cruces.org.

10 a.m., AVANCE New Mexico book fair, Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 700 S. Telshor Blvd. Notable community leaders will be on hand for a special story time. Free. Call 522-4499.

10 a.m. to noon, Psychic readings and energetic healings, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road, Suite M. Dawn Cheney, Reiki master and reverend, and spiritual counselor of the Universal Life Church, will provide the readings. Free. Call 505-359-4594.

10:30 a.m. Storytellers of Las Cruces, COAS Bookstores, 317 N. Main St. and 1101 S. Solano Drive. Douglas Jackson will be the storyteller at the Downtown location, and Pat Gill will be the storyteller at the Solano COAS store. COAS will give coupons for free books to all children who attend. Free. Call 526-8377.

11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. "Catch the Kid" living history performances, New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. The museum will have two living history performances as part of the New Mexico Department of Tourism's "Catch the Kid" program, a statewide Billy the Kid scavenger hunt. Cost \$2-\$4. Call 522-4100.

11:30 a.m. to noon, Magic Carpet StoryTime, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Free. Call 541-2154.

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Reminiscing in Paris

Woody Allen film takes audience back in time

Review by **Jeff Berg**

For the Las Cruces Bulletin

Owen Wilson does a great Woody Allen in "Midnight in Paris," a romantic comedy tinged with a bit of drama, and directed by Allen.

Wilson plays Gil, a novelist on vacation with his wife Inez and her overbearing parents in Paris. No mistaking that, since the film opens with a fun montage of familiar Parisian sites before settling into the story.

Gil has fallen in love with the city, observing all of its culture and history, especially that of fellow writers from the distant past. Inez loves the city, but only for the shopping and the couple's unofficial guide, a-know-it-all named Paul. Later, we find out that Paul knows more about Inez than we originally thought.

Inez and her folks are at odds with Gil,

and that increases each time Gil opts out of a gathering in order to explore the nooks and crannies of his now beloved Paris. Curt and impetuous, Inez flits about as Gil searches for adventure, something he finds in an unexpected way.

One late rainy night (he loves rainy nights), Gil is slightly tipsy and resting on a step when a limousine of the 1920s pulls up. The occupants, celebrating and happy, invite him aboard to join their party, something he does with only a tad of reluctance.

Little does he know at first that his nostalgia for the '20s of the past has come to life. The huge, beautiful, old car (my best guess is an early Renault), whisks him away like Cinderella's pumpkin that was turned into a carriage. Soon he is sipping cocktails and

talking of literature with the likes of Zelda and F. Scott Fitzgerald, Hemingway and Gertrude Stein, who becomes his muse when she offers to read his latest novel, one in which the main character is involved in the nostalgia trade. Also present in Gil's fantasies are Picasso, Salvador Dali, Juan Belmonte and even filmmaker Luis

Bunuel.

Gil is at his apex. Nothing could be better, but he has to keep it all a secret, especially when he develops crushes on Zelda, who is not to be tied down, and with a real life shopkeeper, the lovely Gabrielle.

These rendezvous continue nightly and even include a trip further back in time, as Zelda, not happy with the present (the 1920s) boards a carriage with Gil that takes them back to the days of Lautrec and Gauguin.

The whole theme of Allen's movie becomes quite clear – nostalgia and how many of us think or feel that the "old days" were better in some way, shape or form. Was it because of a lamented, departed lover? Less infringement upon our lives by others? Perhaps it is because we tend to forget the bad parts of the past, leaving only the good and fun times intact.

Nonetheless, the film works in all possible ways. When Inez tells Gil she thinks he is pedantic, it becomes a source point for many parts of the story. Another character observes wryly and honestly that "this generation is empty and has no imagination."

True to my thoughts nowadays in so many ways, but if Allen is of this generation then that statement is somewhat inaccurate.

This is Allen at his best, even with the usual slight, but gently jazzy score.

Who would you like to go back in time and meet? Email me at jeffberg@lascrucesbulletin.com. Berg is a board member of the Mesilla Valley Film Society. These reviews are his own opinion and do not reflect those of the film society.

Something about Mary

Silent movie great tells her own story

The CineMatinee for 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, is "Mary Pickford: The Muse of the Movies" (2008, 100 minutes, not rated).

If people today know Mary Pickford – "America's sweetheart" – at all, it's most likely as one of the four founders of United Artists, or as half of the first superstar couple alongside her second husband, Douglas Fairbanks Jr.

The film covers the highlights of Pickford's life from her humble beginnings in Toronto to her early successes on Broadway before being discovered by D.W. Griffith and quickly rising to become the highest paid and most independent of movie stars in the silent era, but no one could do that better than Pickford herself.

Thankfully, director Nicholas Eliopoulos was able to secure hours of audio interviews done by British film scholar Kevin Brownlow, which allows the star, who passed away more than 30 years ago, to essentially narrate her own story.

"Muse of the Movies" intertwines this with a fine selection of footage from Pickford's best films as well as rare footage of the star with the likes of Amelia Earhart and Paramount Pictures founder Adolph Zukor, and offers a deep look at the early days of cinema as a bonus.

With Pickford telling her own story, "Muse" becomes the most magical of events – the autobiography of the world's first superstar that we were never given.

Even with a wealth of archival footage and some narration assistance by Michael York, "Muse of the Movies" breezes by far quicker than its actual 100-minute running time, leaving viewers with a rare feeling at the movies today – wanting more.

"Mary Pickford: Muse of the Movies" deserves to be put on the list of not just the best documentaries about cinema but the greatest movies about the movies ever.

CineMatinee is a unique blend of movies presented by the Mesilla Valley Film Society which showcases unique films, past and present, often with an emphasis on life in the West – which could mean the New West, the Old West or anything in between – and "movies that missed us," films that are notable but never had a lot of publicity.

The series is designed to show area residents that film is a form of art and education as well as entertainment. At least one film a month for this series has a New Mexico "connection," drawing from the vast pool of movies made in the state (nearly 500) or perhaps featuring a star/story from New Mexico talent.

Unless otherwise noted, screening time is 1:30 p.m., and admission is \$4 for everyone except film society members who are admitted for \$1. The Fountain Theatre is located at 2469 Calle de Guadalupe in Mesilla. For more information, call 524-8287 and leave a message.



Call to Artists

'NUTCRACKER' AUDITIONS

Auditions for the Las Cruces Chamber Ballet's 28th annual production of the "Nutcracker" ballet will be held immediately following the mandatory parent meeting at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, at Michele's Dance Academy, 1195 E. Madrid Ave. Dancers must be at least 8 years of age at the time of the performances. No prepared pieces are needed. Dress appropriately for dance. For more information, call 527-1893.

MESILLA VALLEY FINE ARTS GALLERY

The Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery, 2470-A Calle de Guadalupe in Mesilla, has openings for fine artists and photographers to display their artwork. For more information, call 522-2933, come by the gallery and pick up an application or visit www.mesillavalleyfineart.com.

PUMPKIN FESTIVAL PRINCESS

The New Mexico Pumpkin Festival is looking for the 2011 Pumpkin Festival Princess and runner-up. The Pumpkin Princess and runner-up are outgoing, positive fifth-grade girls who want to be a part of a fun fall celebration and be role models for younger girls. The Pumpkin Princess and runner-up will be the official representatives of the Pumpkin Festival and will need to be present at the following events: Maze Kick Off Party Thursday, Sept. 22; ride the Pumpkin Festival float in The Whole Enchilada Parade Saturday, Sept. 24; visit the Mesilla Valley Maze booth at the Southern New Mexico State Fair; attend both days of the festival to award prizes to different contest winners; and come back in 2012 to crown the new Pumpkin Princess.

Applications can be downloaded from www.mesillavallemaze.com/nmpumpkinfestival or by calling Helping Hands Event Planning at 522-1232. Applicants must also submit a photo and a paragraph on why you want to be the Pumpkin Princess. The application deadline is Friday, Sept. 9.

ASTC AUDITIONS

The American Southwest Theatre Company (ASTC) at New Mexico State University Theatre

Arts announces auditions for its Fall 2011 productions. Needed are men and women ages 18-60. Auditions will be held at the Hershel Zohn Theatre on the NMSU campus from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, with callbacks scheduled for Sunday, Aug. 21. Those interested may sign up for an audition slot on the callboard in the Hershel Zohn Theatre lobby Aug. 8-20.

All actors are asked to prepare one contemporary monologue running no longer than 60 seconds. NMSU Theatre Arts majors only are asked to prepare an additional contrasting contemporary monologue running no longer than 60 seconds.

Opening the fall season will be the classic drama "Miss Julie." Following will be the Theatre for Young Audiences production of "Hard 2 Spel Dad." The fall season closes with the screwball comedy "Once in a Lifetime." For more information, call Production Coordinator Mike Wise at 646-5418.

CELESTIAL SOUNDS

Celestial Sounds, a four-part women's singing group, is looking for new members. Rehearsals are held from 7 to 9 p.m. Mondays at Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 E. Missouri Ave., beginning Aug. 22. Musical selections range from classic and contemporary to popular selections. Rehearsals are always fun and challenging. For more information, call director Jeannine Vigerust 524-0930.

ARTS INTERNATIONAL

The El Paso Art Association's production of the 2011 Arts International Exhibit sponsored by the Cancer Treatment Institute will be held Oct. 15-Nov. 11. Artists are encouraged to submit their entries by Wednesday, Aug. 31, by visiting www.artsinternat.com, where an online registration and prospectus can be submitted. For more information, call the EPAA office at 915-534-7377.

ACLU SINGER/SONGWRITER COMPETITION

The Southwestern Chapter of the ACLU of New Mexico is sponsoring a singer/songwriter competition, in connection with its annual meeting, to be held on Oct. 7. The organization

is looking for songs that deal with issues of civil liberties relating to gays, lesbians, bisexuals and transgendered people.

The competition is open to all musicians in the border regions of West Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, who write and perform in any musical genre. The prize will be a four-hour recording session provided by Mountain Air Productions in Silver City, N.M. All submissions must be original compositions of the artist/performer with a maximum of two entries per artist/performer.

All entries must arrive no later than Tuesday, Aug. 30. For an official entry form and more information, email William Hudson at williamhudson43@msn.com.

BORDER BOOK PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION

The Border Book Festival (BBF) and Galería Tepín are calling for photo submissions for an upcoming juried exhibition, "México Lindo y Querido/Beautiful and Beloved Mexico." The exhibition will open with a reception from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 15, at Galería Tepín, 2220 Calle de Parian in Mesilla. The gallery is located a block from the Mesilla Plaza and is across from the Cultural Center de Mesilla.

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A taste of everything at Men Who Cook

Photos by Jim Hilley



City Councillor Nathan Small, right, and his wife Xochitl pass out cookies with oatmeal and cranberries.

Las Cruces Mayor Ken Miyagishima serves up yakitori, Japanese chicken on a stick.



Kiel Hoffman serves sweet cupcakes to Mesilla Valley Hospice Foundation Executive Director Terra Van Winter at the annual Men Who Cook held Saturday, Aug. 13, at the Las Cruces Convention Center. The event is a major fundraiser for hospice services.

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Watching the color return

'The Iris Incident' well thought out, directed

Review by **Gerald M. Kane**
For the Las Cruces Bulletin

Some irises need a great deal of care, especially in certain soils and environments.

I speak from personal experience. When we lived in Phoenix, our side yard became a rainbow of color for a few glorious spring weeks each year, full of irises and daffodils with very little attention needed from us. When we moved to Las Cruces, we planted a variety of colored iris bulbs in our backyard, which "bleached" pure white no matter what we did. The color simply disappeared.

Iris McIntyre, the title character in the world premiere presentation of "The Iris Incident" by Amy Lanasa, currently playing at the Black Box Theatre, also needs a lot of care. Much like our Las Cruces irises, she has all the "color" spiritually drained from her after serving as the primary caregiver for her dying, demanding father for several years.

The caliber of the performances by a good ensemble cast, all of whom were "in the moment," thanks to the thoughtful, skilled direction of one of the jewels in Las Cruces' theater/film crown, award-winning playwright director Mark Medoff, the pace is kept up, and the opening night's performance passed by all too quickly.

Now that her father has died, Iris must cope with his passing and the "baggage" that comes with it, not to mention a re-connection with her estranged mother who returns to participate in a memorial tribute to the husband she left so many years ago.

Iris does have a small quirky support system of friends who help her as best they can. There is a championship thumb wrestler, played with savvy, flair and a sense of humor by Medoff's grandson Kagan Marks. There is a dysfunctional couple — a post coma patient whose erratic behavior requires the ongoing supervision of her over-qualified, under-employed lawyer husband. Marcelle Bowman and Eric Young expend a great deal of energy to make these challenging roles work.

The arrival on the scene of Iris' mother and her "assistant," a pregnant teen played convincingly by Lila LeCuyer, add some zip to the play.

I was most deeply touched by the performances of Sam Muir as Maureen, Iris' eccentric estranged mother, and Katy Taylor in the multi-faceted title role. The chemistry between these two skilled actresses is complex and special, and alone makes this play worth seeing.

This is a finely constructed play with flashes of humor, but an awful lot of burden and pain. Some scenes and relationships developed in the play may touch so close to many audience members and may make them squirm. This is one of the best roles good innovative theatre can provide.

As always, the simple, scenic and light design of Peter Herman is spot on.

By evening's end, however, thanks to a thoughtful resolution of the issues, I had the distinct feeling that the color was beginning to return to the emotionally drained and blanched Iris.

Lanasa's writing is clever and her well-thought-out character development and dialogue come at us at a rapid pace. Much of this underlines the tempest of emotions which accompany coping with any loss.

In sum, "The Iris Incident" may have a nourishing future ahead of it, with the careful ongoing nurturing of its devoted caretakers, Amy Lanasa and Mark Medoff.

As always, special thanks goes to No Strings Theatre Company Producer Ceil Herman for her ability to scope out new plays and grow and harvest fine theater in our community.

"The Iris Incident" runs through Sunday, Aug. 28, at the Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main St. Performances are at 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays; at 2:30 p.m. Sundays, Aug. 21 and 28; and 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 25. Tickets are \$10 regular admission, \$9 for students and seniors over 65 and all seats on Thursdays are \$7. For reservations, call 523-1223.

Gerald Kane has reviewed theater and opera 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, is the Rabbi Emeritus of Temple Beth-El in Las Cruces and has taught "Jews on Screen" at NMSU for the past two years.



Katy Taylor (Iris) and Sam Muir (Maureen) star in "The Iris Incident," directed by Mark Medoff.

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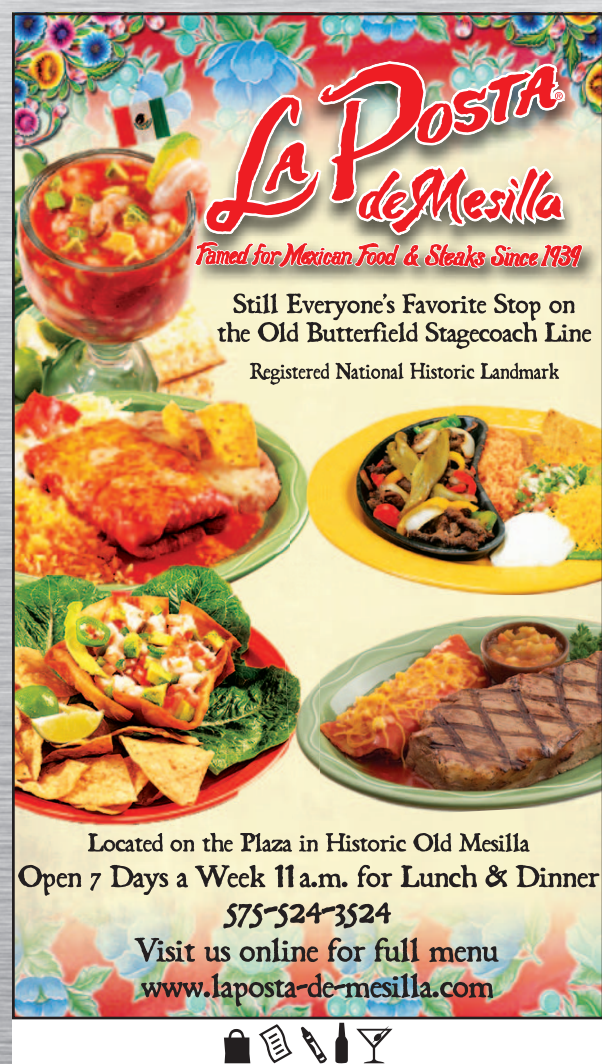
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A taste of spring ... rolls

Farmers market vendor offers Thai and Vietnamese specialties

By David Edwards
Las Cruces Bulletin

You might be tempted to call her by her real name Hataitip, but unusual as her nickname Aeh is, it's less intimidating than Hataitip.

You might also be tempted – as I was – to call her “The Egg Roll Lady,” but as I discovered, that would be a misnomer.

There is nothing “egg” about Aeh Lorenzi's rolls. We, as Americans I guess, tend to lump all Asian dishes that look sort of the same into one category – if it's rolled and fried it's an eggroll. I am gradually learning the differences.

A Vietnamese spring roll is wrapped in rice paper – which isn't paper of course, but basically rice flour, water and salt rolled out to paper thinness and either dried or used while still moist to wrap a variety of fresh ingredients. It is served cold, not fried, with dipping sauces.

What we think of as egg rolls usually served at Chinese restaurants are wrapped in a wonton wrapper made from – can you guess? – egg with water, salt and all purpose flour.

A Thai spring roll is made with another version of the non-egg wrapper and then deep fried with the yummy filling inside. They have a lighter feel than the Chinese wonton variety.

Lorenzi came to the United States from Thailand in 1992, and after some back-and-forth between here and her homeland, she found herself studying in Washington, D.C., and working at a Thai



Aeh Lorenzi sets up her booth at the Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market on Downtown Main Street every Saturday morning.

Las Cruces Bulletin photos by David Edwards

restaurant in Maryland. It was there she met her husband Dave Lorenzi. Dave Lorenzi built airport weather systems and had worked in a number of places around the world including Thailand but ironically didn't meet Aeh until she was waiting tables stateside. They married in 2001.

The couple found themselves in Las Cruces in 2005, and then left again briefly before returning in 2008. It was then that Aeh Lorenzi decided to turn her love of cooking into a side business.

“Dave doesn't eat that much and I like to cook,” she said, so she started selling Vietnamese spring rolls at the Saturday Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market.

The light, healthy rolls were popular, but she decided to start offering something cooked – knowing that customers would be drawn by the smell – so Thai spring rolls were added to the menu. Wanting to appeal to Southwest cuisine fans, she started doing spring rolls with green chile.

I had heard the legend of the Spring Roll Lady from my mom and sister who had first encountered them at the annual Franciscan Festival of Fine Arts at Holy Cross Retreat a year or so ago. The Lorenzis do a number of festivals during the year in addition to the farmers market.

The girlfriend had even experienced the joy of Aeh's rolls a couple of weeks ago. I was feeling left out. Lunch Buddy and I set off this past Saturday and found the booth on the east side of the market between the Rio Grande Theatre and La Iguana, right next to the Living Harvest Bakery booth.

The Vietnamese spring rolls come with a choice of grilled chicken, tofu or mushrooms in addition to the carrot, red leaf lettuce,

mint and rice vermicelli that fill the wrapper. They are seasoned with garlic, salt and pepper. The dipping sauces are a very spicy chili or a very light sweet and sour. LB and I were too late for the grilled chicken, but were very happy with the mushroom spring roll.

Having heard so much about the green chile spring roll and being a chile addict, we got two of those and two of the Thai spring rolls. All were very flavorful I felt almost no guilt having such a light and healthy repast.

A Thai tea brewed with spices and topped with either milk or lemon is quite refreshing according to my musician/storyteller friend Terry Alvarez who sets up nearby.

I have missed the boat twice in recent weeks when it comes to sticky rice with mango. Sticky rice is a traditional dessert in several Asian countries and it is steamed and sweetened with coconut milk. The fresh mango slices are placed on top of the rice mound.

We were too late for the mango, but Aeh offered sticky rice with toasted coconut and sesame seeds which I took home.

I will confess that I am not a big coconut fan – at least not the shredded type that commonly is added to pies and cakes – something about the texture. I will eat an Almond Joy or Mounds candy bar only if pressed and because there is chocolate.

Well, I could not have been more surprised by this dessert. It was great. The flavors just blended so well and I had no texture issues at all. So I look forward to the mango version but was more than satisfied with the coconut only version.

I have now discovered that the legend of the Spring Roll Lady is true and I now know why she's so popular.

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A dark night in 'August: Osage County'

Wheeler and Chambers perfectly develop roles

Review by **Natisha Hales**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Lead actress Gail Wheeler summed up "August: Osage County" best during a recent interview: "We all kinda like to slow down to watch a car accident ..."

Watching lo-fi productions' performance of "August: Osage County" was just like watching a wreck unfold – I couldn't wait to figure out what happened next, and as the play went along at a nice pace, we all were coming up with our own conclusions.

Even as the truth behind the Weston family unfolded over three hours and two intermissions, the time flew by for the intimate audience gathered in Mikey's Place – A Workshop for the Arts. Even during the intermission, patrons were remarking what they thought would unfold in the next act.

What unfolded was the dark history of the Weston family after patriarch Beverly Weston's disappearance in the play, which earned a 2008 Pulitzer Prize for Drama and Tony award for Best Play. The writing is just as outstanding as it was promised to be, and the cast – composed of longtime actors in the local theater scene – was well-selected by co-directors Brandon Brown and Patrick Payne.

Wheeler was amazing as Violet Weston, the prescription drug-addicted matriarch of the Weston family. Her accent, her sluggish body language and her off-the-wall, random remarks to her children had us lingering on every word she said and how she interacted with each member of her family. When Wheeler told me she was first cast as Violet's sister Mattie Fay Aiken, I am glad fate took the reins and she ended up in the role of Violet.



Barbara (Cindy Murrell) fights her mother Violet Weston (Gail Wheeler) for her pills during an explosive scene in "August: Osage County," now playing at Mikey's Place – A Workshop for the Arts.

Not just because of Wheeler's outstanding performance, but because of Melissa Chambers' great portrayal of Mattie Fay.

Chambers was over the top, poppin' her gum, wearing bright red glasses – as well as a shirt, with a rhinestone studded belt and heels – and interrupting side conversations to push her loud opinions. It was everything I wanted it to be, and everything I dreamed she should be. My boss, who was born and raised in Osage County, would say Mattie Fay's portrayal was more "Texas" than "Oklahoma," but I loved it just the same.

Chambers was complemented perfectly by David Edwards, who played Mattie Fay's husband Charlie Aiken. I couldn't help but have a smile on my face the whole time they went back and forth.

A pleasantly surprising performance was that of Violet's granddaughter Jean Fordham, played by Wheeler's daughter Alex. The lines

slipped off her tongue like second nature, and she was equally as natural in the role of the marijuana-smoking, too-mature-for-her-own-good 14-year-old.

Jean's mother, Barbara Fordham, played by Cindy Murrell, was a large role, and in some ways, I wondered if the play was really about Barbara. She's the most "responsible" of the three Weston daughters, although Ivy still lives in the same town. (Margie Brouhard played the role of Ivy, a timid, 40-something who has been berated by her mama, but knows much more about the world than she lets on.)

Barbara is dealing with a world of hurt in her own world – "big-time Colorado" – especially with her husband Bill (Mike Cook). Knowing Murrell's sweet nature, it was a little difficult for me to place her in the role of a bitter, sarcastic, middle-aged woman. Curse words didn't roll off her tongue very naturally, although it was a large part of Barbara's character, and I was a little distracted by that. However, Murrell did very well in developing the other aspects of her character.

I did spend time wondering why some had accents and some didn't. It did bother me that Sheriff Deon Gilbeau (Joe Pfeiffer), who had lived in the town all his life, did not have even a slight accent and sounded more like he

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taught English at the university level. Maybe it was my ignorance that wished he had more of a twang, but it still bothered me.

The accents – or lack thereof – weren't enough to deter me from enjoying the play immensely. Biting wit with perfect timing is my favorite kind of humor, and there was plenty of it. Just enough to break up any of the emotionally exhausting secrets exposed throughout the play.

It's understandable how a three-hour play can take its toll on the mind and the body, but when watching "August: Osage County," I didn't get up once, not even during the intermission. The only time my mind wandered was when I thought, "How is this going to end?"

Brown and Payne perfectly paired a talented cast with a complex script, and it is definitely worth seeing – without the kids.

A must-see play, "August: Osage County" runs through Saturday, Aug. 27, at Mikey's Place – A Workshop for the Arts, 3100 Harrelson St. Shows are at 7 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. Tickets are \$7 and available at the door.

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FOX	8	14	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Icons	Paid Prog.	House	Skin	Marketpl	Marketpl	
NBC	9	9	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Today Summer tipping. (N) (In Stereo) (CC)		Turbo	Sheldon	Magic Bus	Babar (E)	Willa's	Pearlie (E)	
CW	14	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Magi	Magi	Sonic X	Sonic X	Yu-Gi-Oh!	Sonic X	Dragon	
WGN	15	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Sexy Face	Paid Prog.	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	
ESPN	26	SportsCenter (CC)	SportsCenter (CC)	SportsCenter (CC)	SportsCenter (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (Live) (CC)						Little League Baseball	
ESPN2	27	Nation	English Premier League Soccer Arsenal vs. Liverpool. (N)	Nation	Nation	Baseball Junior League, Final: Teams TBA. (N)							
USA	31	Thin in 30!	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Makeover	Burn Notice (CC)	Suits "Undeclared"	*** "Blood Diamond" (2006, Adventure) (CC)					
TNT	32	Law & Order (In Stereo)	Law & Order (In Stereo)	Law & Order (In Stereo)	Hawthorne (CC)	Rizzoli & Isles (CC)			** "The Closer" (2005)	** "The Hulk" (2003)			
TBS	33	Harvey	Harvey	Yes, Dear	Yes, Dear	(:10) ** "The Whole Nine Yards" (2000) (CC)			(:10) ** "Fun With Dick & Jane" (2005)				
COM	35	Paid Prog.	Fat Loss	Comedy	Entourage	Entourage	(:36) ** "Mr. Woodcock" (2007, Comedy) (CC)	Scrubs	Scrubs	Scrubs			
LIFE	39	Sexy Face	Paid Prog.	Sexy Face	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	No Diets!	WEN Hair	Will/Grace	Project Runway "All About Nina"			
FOOD	40	Ultimate	Big Daddy	Day Off	Guy's, Bite	Aarti Party	Mexican	Cooking	Ingred. Fix	Paula	Home	Secrets	
HGTV	41	Outdoor	Curb/Block	Makeover	Property	Income	Yard	Yard	Yard	Crashers	Crashers	Bath	
A&E	43	Biography "Aerosmith"	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Flip This House (CC)	Flipping Vegas (CC)		
HIST	44	Heavy Metal (CC)	UFO Files (CC)	UFO Files (CC)	UFO Files (CC)	UFO Files (CC)			After Armageddon	Survived disasters of the past.			
TLC	45	Thin in 30!	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Property Ladder (CC)	Property Ladder (CC)	Property Ladder (CC)	Property Ladder (CC)	Property Ladder (CC)	Property Ladder (CC)		
DISC	47	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Discovery Channel CME	BBQ Pitmasters (CC)	BBQ Pitmasters (CC)	BBQ Pitmasters (CC)	BBQ Pitmasters (CC)	BBQ Pitmasters (CC)	BBQ Pitmasters (CC)	Man vs. Wild (CC)		
ANPL	50	Wild Russia "Primorje"	The Crocodile Hunter	Dogs 101 (CC)			It's Me or the Dog	Cats 101 (CC)			Confessions: Hoarding		
FAM	51	** "Jumanji" (1995, Fantasy) Robin Williams, Bonnie Hunt.	** "The Karate Kid" (1984) Ralph Macchio, Noriyuki "Pat" Morita.									Karate II	
DISN	52	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas	Chugging	Little	Agent Oso	Mickey	Never Land	Phineas	Phineas		
NICK	54	Parents	Parents	Parents	Parents	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Penguins	SpongeBob	Power	
AMC	57	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	*** "Chisum" (1970) John Wayne, Geoffrey Deuel.			"Support Your Local Sheriff!" (1969)				
SYFY	59	WEN Hair	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Wealth	** "Snakehead Terror" (2004) Carol Alt (CC)	"Supergator" (2007, Suspense) Brad Johnson.						
CNN	62	Saturday	Gupta	CNN Saturday Morning	Bottom	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)		
CNBC	63	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Math-Mind	Paid Prog.	Thin in 30!	Best Bra!	Sexy Face	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	
MSNBC	64	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	Murder Obs.		

SATURDAY AFTERNOON		AUGUST 20, 2011											
		11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30
PBS	22	Hometime	MotorWeek	Everyday	This Old House Hr	Garden	Garden	Cook	Cooking	Mexican	Lawrence Welk		
CBS	3	Drag Boat	College Football Prev.	PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Third Round. (N) (Live) (CC)							Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	
ABC	7	Hannah	Suite Life	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Little League Baseball World Series, Game 10: Teams TBA.					Paid Prog.	Storms	
FOX	8	14	Special	Paid Prog.	Eco Co.	Paid Prog.	Base	MLB Baseball St. Louis Cardinals at Chicago Cubs. (N) (CC)					
NBC	9	9	Pets.TV	3 Wide Life	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Estate	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Horse Racing	BackJoy	Paid Prog.	
CW	14	Yu-Gi-Oh!	Yu-Gi-Oh!	Into Wild	Wild Amer	Edgemont	Edgemont	Adventures	Adventures	WHAD	Edgemont	Funniest Moments	
WGN	15	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI				The Unit "Sacrifice"	Bones (In Stereo) (CC)		
ESPN	26	Little League Baseball	Countdown	NASCAR Racing Nationwide Series: NAPA Auto Parts 200. (N) (Live)							Little League Baseball		
ESPN2	27	ATP Tennis U.S. Open Series: Western and Southern Open, Men's Semifinals. From Cincinnati. (N)								Softball Junior League, Final: Teams TBA. (N)			
USA	31	(9:00) ** "Blood Diamond"	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU		
TNT	32	(10:00) ** "The Hulk" (2003) Eric Bana. (CC)	*** "Spider-Man" (2002, Action) Tobey Maguire. (CC)							*** "300" (2007) Gerard Butler.			
TBS	33	(:10) ** "She's the Man" (2006) Amanda Bynes.	Jim	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	
COM	35	Scrubs	(:40) * "Superhero Movie" (2008) Drake Bell.	(:42) * "My Best Friend's Girl" (2008) Dane Cook. (CC)						(3:59) ** "Year One"			
LIFE	39	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Russian	Russian	"The Stepson" (2010) Christina Cox. (CC)			
FOOD	40	Contessa	Giada	Food Network	Food Network Star	Food Truck Race	Iron Chef America	Challenge					
HGTV	41	Room Cr.	Makeover	Curb/Block	Novogratz	Bang, Buck Summer	Candice	Sarah 101	Design Star (CC)	Favorite	House		
A&E	43	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	Billy	
HIST	44	Nostradamus Effect	Nostradamus Effect	Modern Marvels (CC)	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	Modern Marvels (CC)					
TLC	45	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Cellblock 6	Cellblock 6	Cellblock 6	Cellblock 6	Cellblock 6	Cellblock 6	Cellblock 6		
DISC	47	One Man Army (CC)	Sons	Sons	D. Money	D. Money	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	
ANPL	50	Confessions: Hoarding	Confessions: Hoarding	Confessions: Hoarding	Confessions: Hoarding	Confessions: Hoarding	Pit Boss (In Stereo)	Pit Boss (CC)					
FAM	51	(10:30) ** "The Karate Kid Part II" (1986)	** "The Karate Kid Part III" (1989, Drama) Ralph Macchio.	** "The Next Karate Kid" (1994)									
DISN	52	Phineas	Fish Hooks	ANT Farm	ANT Farm	Wizards	Wizards	Good Luck	Good Luck	Shake It	Shake It	Phineas	
NICK	54	iCarly	iCarly	Victorious	Victorious	Victorious	Victorious	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Big Time	
AMC	57	Support	(:45) *** "Support Your Local Gunfighter" (1971) (CC)	** "The Cowboy Way" (1994, Comedy)	** "Swordfish" (CC)								
SYFY	59	** "Dinoshark" (2010, Horror) Eric Balfour.	** "Mega Piranha" (2010) Tiffany, Paul Logan.	** "Malibu Shark Attack" (2009) Peta Wilson.									
CNN	62	Your Money (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	CNN Newsroom (N)	Situation Room			
CNBC	63	Paid Prog.	Meals!	Best Bra!	Wealth	Paid Prog.	Sexy Face	Paid Prog.	WEN Hair	\$ Secrets	Meaningful	Paid Prog.	
MSNBC	64	Out for Revenge	Nightmare-31st	In Cold Blood	Chasing the Devil						Lockup: San Quentin		

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	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
PBS 22	News	Heartland	Ebert	News	Keep Up	Wait...	Antiques Roadshow	Austin City Limits	Red	History Detectives	Curiosity			
CBS 3	News	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	CSI: Crime Scene	Criminal Minds	48 Hours Mystery	News	Extra (N) CC	Judge J.				
ABC 7	News (N)	ABC	News (N)	Insider	"Phineas and Ferb: The Movie"		Funny Home Videos	ABC 7	(:35) Cheaters CC	Ent				
FOX 8	14	House CC	The Unit "Sacrifice"	Cops	Cops	American Cleve	News	Seinfeld	Fringe "Peter"	Crockett	Office			
NBC 9	9	Raymond	News	News (N)	Lopez	Gymnastics 2011 Visa Championships.	Law & Order: SVU	News (N)	(:29) Saturday Night Live CC					
CW 14	**	"The Man in the Moon" (1991)			*** "Fright Night" (1985, Horror)		The City	The City	Chris	Payne	South Pk	South Pk	South Pk	
WGN 15	15	MLB Baseball Texas Rangers at Chicago White Sox. (N) CC			WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	Mother	South Pk	South Pk	Entou	Curb		
ESPN 26	26	Little League	Little League Baseball		Baseball Tonight (N)		SportsCenter (N)		Baseball Tonight (N)		SportsCenter (N)			
ESPN2 27	27	ATP Tennis U.S. Open Series: Western and Southern Open, Women's Semifinals. (N)			NHRA Drag Racing						World, Poker			
USA 31	31	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU
TNT 32	32	(3:30) *** "300"	** "Watchmen" (2009, Action)	Billy Crudup.	Premiere. CC		** "The Mummy Returns" (2001)	Brendan Fraser.	Star Trek					
TBS 33	33	King	King	"Anchorman: Legend of Ron"	(7:50) ** "Yes Man" (2008)	Jim Carrey.	(9:50) ** "Nacho Libre" (2006, Comedy)							
COM 35	35	(3:59) "Year One"	(:01) ** "Tommy Boy" (1995) CC		(:03) ** "Zack and Miri Make a Porno" (2008) (PA)		(:20) "Napoleon Dynamite"							
LIFE 39	39	"Lies My Mother Told Me" (2005) CC		"Deadly Sibling Rivalry" (2011) CC		"The Stepson" (2010)	Christina Cox. CC	Mother	Mother					
FOOD 40	40	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Iron Chef America	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars					
HGTV 41	41	Hunters	Hunters	Green	Secrets	Room Cr.	Color	Novo	House	Hunters	Room Cr.	Color	Novo	House
A&E 43	43	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage
HIST 44	44	Modern Marvels	Meat America CC			The Lost Kennedy Home Movies CC		(:01) Meat America CC						
TLC 45	45	Cellblock 6	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC	20/20 on TLC CC
DISC 47	47	Sons	Sons	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC	Sons of Guns CC
ANPL 50	50	Dogs 101 (In Stereo)	Dogs 101 (In Stereo)	Cutest Cat	Pit Boss (N)	Cutest Cat	Swamp Wars CC	Dogs 101 (In Stereo)						
FAM 51	51	"Next Karate"	** "Home Alone 2: Lost in New York" (1992)		*** "The Rundown" (2003)	The Rock.	Prince	Prince	Prince	Prince	Prince	Prince	Prince	Prince
DISN 52	52	Good	Good	ANT	Random	Shake It	Vampire	Vampire	Good	Wizards	Random	Random	ANT	Random
NICK 54	54	iCarly	iCarly	Big Time	True Jackson, VP	iCarly	70s Show	70s Show	George	George	George	George	George	George
AMC 57	57	(4:00) "Swordfish"	*** "The Italian Job" (2003)	Mark Wahlberg. CC	*** "A Few Good Men" (1992, Drama)	Tom Cruise. CC	Carlitto's							
SYFY 59	59	** "Deep Blue Sea" (1999)		"Mega Shark vs Crocosaurus" (2010)	"Swamp Shark" (2011)	Kristy Swanson.	"Mega Shark"							
CNN 62	62	CNN Newsroom (N)	Blair Mountain	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom (N)	Blair Mountain	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom (N)						
CNBC 63	63	Money in American Greed	Debt/Part	Suze Orman Show	Princess "Neelam"	American Greed	Suze Orman Show	Princess "Neelam"						
MSNBC 64	64	San Quentin	Lockup Boston	Lockup Boston	Lockup Boston	Lockup Boston	Lockup: Raw	Lockup: Raw	Lockup: Raw	Lockup: Raw	Lockup: Raw	Lockup: Raw	Lockup: Raw	Lockup: Raw

SUNDAY MORNING AUGUST 21, 2011

	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30
PBS 22	Detectives	Curios-ity	McLaughlin	Contrary	Santa Fe	Scully	Need to Know (N)	Wash.	Inside	Religion	McLaughlin	
CBS 3	Home.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Bondage	CBS News Sunday Morning (N)	The Nation	Nieman	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	ATP Tennis		
ABC 7	Business	Wall Street	Good Morning El Paso	Good Morning America	Good Morning El Paso	This Week-Amanpour	Lose30Lb	Paid Prog.				
FOX 8	14	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Bndg Brkr	Abndnt L	Pilates	Fox News Sunday	Jones	Paid Prog.	*** "Three Kings"		
NBC 9	9	In Wine	Old House	Today (N) CC	Paid Prog.	Church	Flawless	Paid Prog.	Meet the Press (N)	Mthws	AAA	
CW 14	14	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.
WGN 15	15	Winston	Facts	Key/David	Beyond	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	"Give Me Your Life"		
ESPN 26	26	SportsCenter CC	SportsCenter (N) CC	Outside	Reporters	SportsCenter (N) (Live) CC				NASCAR Countdown		
ESPN2 27	27	SportsCenter CC	QB Rating	NASCAR Now (N) CC	Outside	Reporters	E:60	Football	Little League Baseball			
USA 31	31	Wealth	Paid Prog.	J. Osteen	Royal Pains (N)	Necessary Roughness	** "The Dukes of Hazzard" (2005) CC					
TNT 32	32	Law & Order (In Stereo)	Memphis Beat CC	Law & Order (In Stereo)	Leverage CC	Leverage CC	"The Mummy Returns"					
TBS 33	33	"Dick & Jane"	(:15) * "Not Another Teen Movie" (2001)		** "Nacho Libre" (2006, Comedy)	Jack Black.	** "Yes Man" (2008)					
COM 35	35	Take It Off!	Wealth	Comedy	(:20) * "Superhero Movie" (2008)	Drake Bell.	(:22) ** "The Heartbreak Kid" (2007)	Ben Stiller. CC				
LIFE 39	39	In Touch	Hour of Power CC	J. Osteen	Paid Prog.	Against the Wall CC	Against the Wall CC	Picker	Picker			
FOOD 40	40	Boitano	Dessert	Rachael Ray's	Dinners	Money	Hungry Girl	Guy's, Bite	Barbecue	Sand. King	Chopped	
HGTV 41	41	Outdoor	Curb/Block	Curb/Block	Holmes Inspection	Decked	Disaster	Disaster	Yard	Room Cr.	House	Hunters
A&E 43	43	Celebrity Ghost Stories	Celebrity Ghost Stories	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos CC
HIST 44	44	Modern Marvels CC	MonsterQuest CC	MonsterQuest CC	MonsterQuest CC	MonsterQuest CC	The Real Wolfman					
TLC 45	45	Dr. Frederick K.C. Price	Paid Prog.	Get Hot!	Say Yes	Say Yes	Randy	Randy	Randy	Randy	Randy	Randy
DISC 47	47	Paid Prog.	Jentezen	J. Osteen	In Touch	Curiosity CC	Auction	Auction	Sons	Sons	One Man Army CC	
ANPL 50	50	Weird	Weird	Untamed and Uncut	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 CC	Wild Kingdom CC	Wild Kingdom CC	Wild Kingdom CC	Wild Kingdom CC	Wild Kingdom CC	
FAM 51	51	** "The Karate Kid" (1984)	Ralph Macchio, Noriyuki "Pat" Morita.	** "The Karate Kid Part II" (1986, Drama)	Ralph Macchio.	Karatell						
DISN 52	52	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas	Chugging	Little	Agent Oso	Mickey	Never Land	Phineas	Phineas
NICK 54	54	Parents	Parents	Penguins	Penguins	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	T.U.F.F.	T.U.F.F.	iCarly
AMC 57	57	Mad Men CC	Mad Men CC	*** "A Few Good Men" (1992)	Tom Cruise, Jack Nicholson. CC	"The Italian Job" (2003)						
SYFY 59	59	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	WEN Hair	WEN Hair	"Children of the Corn" (2009)	Kandysse McClure.	** "FearDotCom" CC			
CNN 62	62	Newsroom	Gupta	CNN Sunday Morning	State of the Union	Fareed Zakaria GPS (N)	Reliable Sources (N)	State of the Union				
CNBC 63	63	WEN Hair	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Thin in 30!	Best Bra!	Paid Prog.	Sexy Face	WEN Hair	Paid Prog.	Best Bra!
MSNBC 64	64	Hardball	Business	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)

SUNDAY AFTERNOON AUGUST 21, 2011

	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30
PBS 22	News	News	New Mexico In Focus	Frontieras	Truth	Healing	Healthy	Growing	Generation	Growing	Antiques Roadshow	
CBS 3	3	ATP Tennis			PGA Tour Golf Wyndham Championship, Final Round. (N) (Live) CC						BackJoy	Meaningful
ABC 7	7	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Little League Baseball World Series, Game 14: Teams TBA.			Auto Racing				Entertainment Tonight	
FOX 8	14	(10:00) "Three Kings"	* "Primeval" (2007)	Dominic Purcell. CC		TMZ (N) CC					Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad
NBC 9	9	Paid Prog.	Estate	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	BMX Racing (Taped)	Gymnastics				Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.
CW 14	14	Edgemont	Edgemont	Funniest Moments	Storm	Storms	Kickin' It CC				Smash Cut	Smash Cut
WGN 15	15	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	Scrubs	Scrubs	Chris	Chris	
ESPN 26	26	NASCAR Racing Sprint Cup: Pure Michigan 400. (N) (Live)					SportsCtr	SportsCenter (N) CC	SportsCenter (N) CC	SportsCenter (N) CC	SportsCenter (N) CC	
ESPN2 27	27	Little League Baseball	Softball				ATP Tennis				Little League Baseball	
USA 31	31	* "Good Luck Chuck" (2007)	Dane Cook. CC	NCIS (In Stereo) CC	NCIS "Reveille" CC	NCIS (In Stereo) CC	NCIS "Twilight" CC					
TNT 32	32	(10:00) ** "The Mummy Returns"	(:45) ** "Watchmen" (2009, Action)	Billy Crudup, Malin Akerman. CC	(:45) **** "The Dark Knight"							
TBS 33	33	(10:00) ** "Yes Man"	MLB Baseball New York Yankees at Minnesota Twins. (N) (Live) CC	** "The Love Guru" (2008, Comedy)	Sweetest							
COM 35	35	Scrubs	Scrubs	(12:56) *** "Napoleon Dynamite" (2004) CC								
LIFE 39	39	Picker Sisters CC	*** "A Time to Kill" (1996)	Sandra Bullock, Samuel L. Jackson. CC	"Night of Terror" (2006)	Mitzi Kapture. CC						
FOOD 40	40	Restaurant: Impossible	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Cupcake Wars	Food Network Star	
HGTV 41	41	First Place	First Place	Property	Property	Get It Sold	Get It Sold	House	Hunters	For Rent	For Rent	House
A&E 43	43	The Glades CC	** "The Quick and the Dead" (1995) CC			Criminal Minds CC	Criminal Minds CC	Criminal Minds CC	Criminal Minds CC	Criminal Minds CC	Criminal Minds CC	Criminal Minds CC
HIST 44	44	Clash of the Cavemen CC		Modern Marvels CC	Modern Marvels CC	Modern Marvels CC	Modern Marvels CC	Alaska: Big America CC				
TLC 45	45	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	48 Hours: Hard Evid.
DISC 47	47	Surviving the Cut CC	Cops & Coyotes CC	Cops & Coyotes CC	Almost, Away	Almost, Away	Swamp Wars CC	Swamp Wars CC	Swamp Wars CC	Swamp Wars CC	Swamp Wars CC	Swamp Wars CC
ANPL 50	50	Super Snake										
FAM 51	51	(10:30) ** "The Karate Kid Part III" (1989)		** "The Next Karate Kid" (1994, Action)	Hilary Swank.	"Home Alone 2: Lost in New York"						
DISN 52	52	Good Luck	Shake It	Random	ANT Farm	Wizards	Wizards	Good Luck	Good Luck	Shake It	Shake It	ANT Farm
NICK 54	54	iCarly	iCarly	Big Time	Big Time	Victorious	Victorious	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Big Time
AMC 57	57	(10:00) *** "The Italian Job"	** "Swordfish" (2001)	John Travolta. CC	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003)	Uma Thurman, Lucy Liu. CC						
SYFY 59	59	(10:00) "FearDotCom"	"The Seamstress									

SUNDAY EVENING		AUGUST 21, 2011													
		5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
PBS	22	Globe Trekker	NOVA (In Stereo)	Nature (In Stereo)	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!	Masterpiece Mystery!
CBS	3	CBS News	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)	60 Minutes (N)
ABC	7	News (N)	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News
FOX	8	14	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy
NBC	9	9	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
CW	14	14	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"	*** "Hotel Rwanda"
WGN	15	15	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother
ESPN	26	26	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)
ESPN2	27	27	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League	Little League
USA	31	31	NCIS "Mind Games"	NCIS "Skeletons"	NCIS "Recoil"	NCIS "Borderland"	NCIS "Reveille"	NCIS "Twilight"	NCIS "Mind Games"	NCIS "Mind Games"	NCIS "Mind Games"	NCIS "Mind Games"	NCIS "Mind Games"	NCIS "Mind Games"	NCIS "Mind Games"
TNT	32	32	(3:45) *** "The Dark Knight" (2008)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)	Leverage (N) (cc)
TBS	33	33	"Sweetest Thing"	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005)
COM	35	35	*** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)	(:15) *** "The 40-Year-Old Virgin" (2005)
LIFE	39	39	"Nora Roberts' Carnal Innocence" (2011)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)	Drop Dead Diva (N)
FOOD	40	40	Food Truck Race	Challenge (N)	Food Truck Race	Iron Chef America	Extreme Chef	Food Truck Race	Iron Chef America	Food Truck Race	Iron Chef America	Food Truck Race	Iron Chef America	Food Truck Race	Iron Chef America
HGTV	41	41	Cash, Cash	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes	Holmes on Homes
A&E	43	43	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds
HIST	44	44	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers
TLC	45	45	48 Hours: Hard Evid.	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried
DISC	47	47	Almost, Away	Curiosity (N) (cc)	Science of Lust	Anatomy of Sex	Curiosity (N) (cc)	Science of Lust	Anatomy of Sex	Curiosity (N) (cc)	Science of Lust	Anatomy of Sex	Curiosity (N) (cc)	Science of Lust	Anatomy of Sex
ANPL	50	50	Hillbilly Handfishin'	Tanked (In Stereo)	River Monsters	Hillbilly Handfishin'	Hillbilly Handfishin'	River Monsters	Tanked (In Stereo)	River Monsters	Tanked (In Stereo)	River Monsters	Tanked (In Stereo)	River Monsters	Tanked (In Stereo)
FAM	51	51	"Home Alone 2"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"	"Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"
DISN	52	52	Fish	Phineas	Good	Good	Random	Shake It	Random	Shake It	Random	Shake It	Random	Shake It	Random
NICK	54	54	iCarly	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)	"Fred: The Movie" (2010) (In Stereo) (cc)
AMC	57	57	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 2" (2004, Action) Uma Thurman. (cc)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)	Breaking Bad (N)
SYFY	59	59	(4:00) "Mothman"	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)	** "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves. (cc)
CNN	62	62	CNN Newsroom (N)	Heart Attack	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom (N)	Heart Attack	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom (N)	Heart Attack	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom (N)	Heart Attack	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom (N)
CNBC	63	63	Diabetes	Wall St.	Millions	Millions	Big Mac: Inside	CNBC Titans	60 Minutes on	American Greed	Remington Un.	Remington Un.	Remington Un.	Remington Un.	Remington Un.
MSNBC	64	64	Caught on Camera	Caught on Camera	Erasing Hate	The Confessions of a Serial Killer	Predator Raw	Predator Raw	Predator Raw	Predator Raw	Predator Raw	Predator Raw	Predator Raw	Predator Raw	Predator Raw

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PBS	22	22	Business	PBS NewsHour (N)	News	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow
CBS	3	3	News	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	Wheel	Wheel	Wheel	Wheel	Wheel	Wheel	Wheel	Wheel	Wheel
ABC	7	7	News (N)	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News
FOX	8	14	Simpsons	Mother	News	Two Men	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)	Hell's Kitchen (N) (In Stereo) (cc)
NBC	9	9	News (N)	News	News	News	America's/Talent	American Ninja Warrior (N)	American Ninja Warrior (N)	American Ninja Warrior (N)	American Ninja Warrior (N)	American Ninja Warrior (N)	American Ninja Warrior (N)	American Ninja Warrior (N)	American Ninja Warrior (N)
CW	14	14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	Gossip Girl (cc)	One Tree Hill (cc)	The Hills	Punk'd	Cheaters	Law & Order: SVU	Access	Access	Access
WGN	15	15	Funny Home Videos	Chris	Chris	Funny Home Videos	WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs	South Pk	South Pk	Entou	Curb	Curb	Curb
ESPN	26	26	Monday Night	NFL Preseason Football	Chicago Bears at New York Giants. (N)	SportsCenter (N)	NFL Live	Baseball	SportsCenter (N)	NFL Live	Baseball	SportsCenter (N)	NFL Live	Baseball	SportsCenter (N)
ESPN2	27	27	Little League	Little League Baseball	Softball	NASCAR Now (N)	NFL	NFL	NFL	NFL	NFL	NFL	NFL	NFL	NFL
USA	31	31	NCIS "Boxed In"	NCIS "Deception"	WWE Monday Night RAW (N) (cc)	(:05) Suits (cc)	Law & Order: SVU	CSI: Crime Scene	CSI: Crime Scene	CSI: Crime Scene	CSI: Crime Scene	CSI: Crime Scene	CSI: Crime Scene	CSI: Crime Scene	CSI: Crime Scene
TNT	32	32	Law & Order	The Closer (cc)	The Closer (N)	Rizzoli & Isles (N)	The Closer (cc)	Rizzoli & Isles	CSI: NY (cc)	CSI: NY (cc)	CSI: NY (cc)	CSI: NY (cc)	CSI: NY (cc)	CSI: NY (cc)	CSI: NY (cc)
TBS	33	33	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy
COM	35	35	"Blue Collar Comedy Tour: One for Road"	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny
LIFE	39	39	* "Awake" (2007) Hayden Christensen.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.	"Secrets in the Walls" (2010) Jeri Ryan.
FOOD	40	40	Unwrap	Unwrap	Diners	Diners	Best	Best	Best	Best	Best	Best	Best	Best	Best
HGTV	41	41	Hunters	House	House	Hunters	Design Star (N)	HGTV'd (N) (cc)	House	Hunters	Design Star (cc)	HGTV'd (cc)	HGTV'd (cc)	HGTV'd (cc)	HGTV'd (cc)
A&E	43	43	The First 48 (cc)	Hoarders (cc)	Hoarders (N) (cc)	Intervention (N)	Intervention "Eddie"	(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders
HIST	44	44	How the Earth	Pawn	Pawn	American Pickers	Pawn	Pawn	Top Shot (cc)	Pawn	Pawn	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers
TLC	45	45	Ultimate Cake Off	Undercover Boss	Kate	Kate	Surprise Homecom	Undercover Boss	Kate	Kate	Surprise Homecom	Undercover Boss	Undercover Boss	Undercover Boss	Undercover Boss
DISC	47	47	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)	Dual Survival (cc)
ANPL	50	50	Untamed and Uncut	Wild	Wild	I Shouldn't Be Alive	River Monsters	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters
FAM	51	51	Secret-Teen	Secret-Teen	The Lying Game (N)	Secret-Teen	The 700 Club (N)	Whose? Whose?	Whose? Whose?	Whose? Whose?	Whose? Whose?	Whose? Whose?	Whose? Whose?	Whose? Whose?	Whose? Whose?
DISN	52	52	Good	ANT	Shake It	Wizards	Phineas	Good	Vampire	Vampire	Good	Shake It	"My Babysitter's a Vampire"	Good	Good
NICK	54	54	iCarly	Sponge.	Family	My Wife	Lopez	Lopez	'70s	'70s	Lopez	Lopez	Lopez	Lopez	Lopez
AMC	57	57	** "Pearl Harbor"	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.	*** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.
SYFY	59	59	Eureka (cc)	Eureka (N) (cc)	Warehouse 13 (N)	Alphas (N)	Eureka (cc)	Warehouse 13	Alphas	Alphas	Alphas	Alphas	Alphas	Alphas	Alphas
CNN	62	62	John King, USA (N)	Anderson Cooper	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	John King, USA	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	John King, USA	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	John King, USA	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper
CNBC	63	63	The Kudlow Report	Supermarkets	Millions	Millions	Biography on CNBC	Mad Money	Millions	Millions	Biography on CNBC	Mad Money	Millions	Millions	Biography on CNBC
MSNBC	64	64	Hardball Matthews	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show (N)	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show

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PBS	22	22	Business	PBS NewsHour (N)	News	History Detectives	Frontline (cc)	POV (N) (cc)	Charlie Rose (N)	World	T. Smiley	T. Smiley	T. Smiley	T. Smiley	T. Smiley
CBS	3	3	News	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	NCIS (cc)	NCIS: Los Angeles	NCIS (cc)	News	Letterman	Late	Late	Late	Late
ABC	7	7	News (N)	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News
FOX	8	14	Simpsons	Mother	News	Two Men	Glee (In Stereo) (cc)	Raising	KFOX News at Nine	Simpsons	Seinfeld	Entou	Curb	Curb	Curb
NBC	9	9	News (N)	News	News	News	It's Worth What? (N)	America's Got Talent	(N Same-day Tape)	News (N)	Jay Leno	Late	Late	Late	Late
CW	14	14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	90210 (cc)	Shedding for	The Hills	Punk'd	Cheaters	Law & Order: SVU	Access	Access	Access
WGN	15	1													

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PBS 22	Business	PBS NewsHour (N)	News	News	Nature (In Stereo)	NOVA (In Stereo)	Earth-Manual	Charlie Rose (N)	World	T. Smiley						
CBS 3	News	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	Big Brother	Criminal Minds	CSI: Crime Scene	News	Letterman	Late						
ABC 7	News (N)	ABC	News (N)	Ent	Middle	Family	Family	Happy	Primetime Nightline	News (N)	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live				
FOX 8	14	Simpsons	Mother	News	Two Men	Buried Treasure	House	KFOX News at Nine	Simpsons	Seinfeld	Entou	Curb				
NBC 9	9	News (N)	News	News (N)	News	Minute to Win It (N)	America's Talent	Law & Order: SVU	News (N)	Jay Leno	Late					
CW 14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	Top Model	Top Model	The Hills	Punk'd	Cheaters	Law & Order: SVU	Access					
WGN 15	Funny Home Videos	Chris	Chris	Mother	Mother	WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs	South Pk	South Pk	Entou	Curb				
ESPN 26	(4:00) SportsCenter	Little League Baseball				Baseball Tonight (N)	SportsCenter (N)	Baseball	NFL Live	SportsCenter (N)						
ESPN2 27	MLB Baseball Boston	Red Sox at Texas Rangers. (Live)				MLB Baseball Teams	TBA. (N Subject to Blackout) (Live)									
USA 31	NCIS "Bloodbath"	NCIS "Jeopardy"	Royal Pains (N)			Necess. Rough	Burn Notice	Royal Pains								
TNT 32	Bones	The Mentalist	The Mentalist			*** "The Bourne Supremacy" (2004)	Leverage									
TBS 33	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Browns	Browns	Payne	Payne	Payne	Conan	Lopez Tonight	Conan						
COM 35	Daily	Colbert	Chap	Chap	South Pk	South Pk	South Pk	South Pk	Daily	Colbert	South Pk	Futurama	Futurama	Sunny		
LIFE 39	Pawn	Pawn	Dance Moms	Rose	Rose	Dance Moms (N)	Mother	Mother	Chris	Chris	Will	Will				
FOOD 40	Restaurant: Im.	Restaurant: Im.	Restaurant: Im.	Restaurant: Im.	Restaurant: Im.	Food Truck Race	Restaurant: Im.	Restaurant: Im.								
HGTV 41	Hunters	House	Property	Income	Income	Property	Brothers	Hunters	House	Property	Income	Property	Brothers	Hunters		
A&E 43	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage		
HIST 44	Modern Marvels	American Pickers	101 Gadgets That Changed the World			Larry the Cable Guy	American Pickers	101 Gadgets								
TLC 45	Human Body	Hoard-Buried	Pregnant	Pregnant	Outra	Outra	Pregnant	Pregnant	Outra	Outra	Hoard-Buried					
DISC 47	Sons of Guns	Sons of Guns	Sons of Guns (N)	One Man Army (N)	Sons of Guns	One Man Army	Sons of Guns	One Man Army	Sons of Guns	One Man Army	Sons of Guns					
ANPL 50	Heidi Fleiss	Confessions	Confessions			Confessions										
FAM 51	Melissa	Melissa	Melissa	Melissa	** "The Wedding Date" (2005)	The 700 Club (N)	Whose?	Whose?	Paid	Paid						
DISN 52	Good	ANT	Shake It	Wizards	Phineas	Good	Vampire	Vampire	Good	Shake It	Wizards	Random	Fish	Good		
NICK 54	iCarly	Sponge.	Family	My Wife	Lopez	Lopez	'70s	'70s	Married	Married	Married	Married	Home Im			
AMC 57	"Rambo Part II"	** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.				** "Jurassic Park" (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern.										
SYFY 59	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters (N)	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Stargate SG-1			
CNN 62	John King, USA (N)	Anderson Cooper	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	John King, USA	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	John King, USA	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	Anderson Cooper					
CNBC 63	The Kudlow Report	New Wal-Mart	American Greed	Crime Inc.	Mad Money	American Greed	Crime Inc.									
MSNBC 64	Hardball Matthews	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show (N)	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show									

THURSDAY EVENING													AUGUST 25, 2011			
	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
PBS 22	Business	PBS NewsHour (N)	News	News	Travel	Globe Trekker	Fronteras	Wonders	Charlie Rose (N)	World	T. Smiley					
CBS 3	News	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	Big Bang	Rules	Big Brother	The Mentalist	News	Letterman	Late					
ABC 7	News (N)	ABC	News (N)	Ent	Wipeout (N)	Expedition Imp.	Rookie Blue (N)	News (N)	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live						
FOX 8	14	Simpsons	Mother	News	Two Men	Bones	Bones	KFOX News at Nine	Simpsons	Seinfeld	Entou	Curb				
NBC 9	9	News (N)	News	News (N)	News	Commun	Parks	Office	30 Rock	Law & Order: SVU	News (N)	Jay Leno	Late			
CW 14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	The Vampire Diaries	Plain Jane	WGN News at Nine	The Hills	Punk'd	Cheaters	Law & Order: SVU	Access				
WGN 15	Funny Home Videos	Chris	Chris	Mother	Mother	WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs	South Pk	South Pk	Entou	Curb				
ESPN 26	Monday Night	NFL Preseason Football: Redskins at Ravens				SportsCenter (N)	NFL Live	Baseball	SportsCenter (N)							
ESPN2 27	SportsCenter (N)	Little League Baseball				Baseball Tonight (N)	Football	ATP Tennis								
USA 31	NCIS "Shalom"	NCIS "Faking It"	Burn Notice (N)	Suits (N)	Suits "Bail Out"	Burn Notice	(:12) *** "Saving Private Ryan" (1998) Tom Hanks. (C)									
TNT 32	Bones	*** "Saving Private Ryan" (1998, War)	Tom Hanks. (C)													
TBS 33	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	*** "Mean Girls" (2004, Comedy)	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Conan	Lopez Tonight	Conan								
COM 35	Daily	Colbert	South Pk	South Pk	Futurama	Futurama	Ugly	Daily	Colbert	Futurama	Ugly	Futurama	Sunny			
LIFE 39	Project Runway	Project Runway	Project Runway (N)	Russian	(:02) Dance Moms	Chris	Mother	Project Runway								
FOOD 40	Chopped "My Way"	Chopped	Killer Food													
HGTV 41	Hunters	House	First Pla.	First Pla.	Selling	Selling	House	Hunters	House	Hunters	Selling	Selling	House	Hunters		
A&E 43	The First 48	The First 48	The First 48 (N)	Beyond Scared	Beyond Scared	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48									
HIST 44	UFO Hunters	Secret Access: UFOs on the Record (N)	Ancient Aliens (N)	UFO Hunters	(:01) Secret Access: UFOs on the Record											
TLC 45	Coll. Obsession	NY Ink	LA Ink "Addicted"	LA Ink (N)	LA Ink "Addicted"											
DISC 47	SEAL Team 6	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero	Rising: Ground Zero				
ANPL 50	Infested!	Infested!	Infested!	Bedbug Apocalypse	Infested!	Infested!	Bedbug Apocalypse									
FAM 51	(4:30) ** "Bring It On" (2000)	** "The Princess Diaries" (2001)	Julie Andrews.	The 700 Club (N)	Whose?	Whose?	Light	Paid								
DISN 52	Good	Random	Shake It	Wizards	Phineas	Good	Vampire	Vampire	Good	Shake It	Wizards	Random	Fish	Good		
NICK 54	iCarly	Sponge.	Family	My Wife	Lopez	Lopez	'70s	'70s	'70s	'70s	'70s	'70s	'70s	'70s		
AMC 57	"Marked for Death"	** "Jurassic Park III" (2001) Sam Neill.	** "Jurassic Park III" (2001) Sam Neill.	** "Jurassic Park III" (2001) Sam Neill.	** "The Sandlot" (1993) Tom Guiry.											
SYFY 59	"Lake Placid 2" (2007)	John Schneider.	** "Deep Blue Sea" (1999)	"Mega Shark vs Crocosaurus" (2010)	Stargate SG-1											
CNN 62	John King, USA (N)	Anderson Cooper	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	John King, USA	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	John King, USA	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper	Anderson Cooper					
CNBC 63	The Kudlow Report	The Facebook	Big Mac: Inside	CNBC Titans (N)	Mad Money	Big Mac: Inside	CNBC Titans									
MSNBC 64	Hardball Matthews	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show (N)	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show									

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

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS

BEGINNER	3 6 5	1 8 2	4 9 7
	1 7 8	3 9 4	6 5 2
	2 4 9	5 6 7	1 8 3
	8 3 2	7 1 9	5 6 4
CHALLENGER	6 9 1	2 4 5	3 7 8
	7 5 4	6 3 8	9 2 1
	9 2 6	4 7 3	8 1 5
	5 8 3	9 2 1	7 4 6
EXPERT	4 1 7	8 5 6	2 3 9
	1 8 2	5 4 6	9 7 3
	9 5 4	7 8 3	6 1 2
	3 6 7	9 2 1	4 8 5
EXPERT	7 3 6	2 1 8	5 4 9
	5 1 9	6 7 4	3 2 8
	2 4 8	3 9 5	7 6 1
	8 2 3	4 5 7	1 9 6
EXPERT	6 7 1	8 3 9	2 5 4
	4 9 5	1 6 2	8 3 7
	1 8 6	4 2 3	5 7 9
	5 9 7	6 8 1	2 4 3
EXPERT	3 2 4	9 7 5	1 8 6
	9 5 1	3 6 8	7 2 4
	6 3 2	1 4 7	8 9 5
	4 7 8	2 5 9	3 6 1
EXPERT	2 4 3	7 1 6	9 5 8
	7 1 5	8 9 4	6 3 2
	8 6 9	5 3 2	4 1 7

BEGINNER

1	9		6		8			
	3	2		1				
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9	2		7			6		
		6	5		4	9		
	4			9		8		2
3	8		7	1			5	
		5			9	4		
6			8			2		7

CHALLENGER

9	6			7			5	
			2				8	
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		1	3				2	
		3	9		1			
6			3					
1		6				4	7	

EXPERT

	5			9	6			3
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6	3	4		8				
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		5	3					
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	8		1	5				7

BrainGames



Word Salsa

Circle these English words and their Spanish equivalents that appear in the grid horizontally, vertically, diagonally and backward. Encierre estas palabras en inglés y sus equivalentes en español que aparecen al revés, horizontal, vertical y diagonalmente.

THE SAME IN SPANISH

ENGLISH	SPANISH
ABDOMEN	ABDOMEN
CHOCOLATE	CHOCOLATE
DATA	DATA
ERROR	ERROR
HOTEL	HOTEL
IDEA	IDEA
INVISIBLE	INVISIBLE
LOCAL	LOCAL
MEDIA	MEDIA
PRINCIPAL	PRINCIPAL
SIMILAR	SIMILAR
SOCIAL	SOCIAL

HOTELIMARLOCOHC
 OMI LMR TV ABDOMEN
 TINBEACERPINALR
 DVBIDLDAERRORAO
 BILSI IPLICNIRPR
 AEDIAMBISIVDNIR
 PPMVA I LBDMLCAPE
 RCENSSNEMOABD TT
 IODIMETALOCOHC A
 NTVDMEDIASOCIAL
 CNSOCIALAILCOSO
 I IDINVSIBLOCOHC
 PBSEPCOTMVISBTO
 ASIMILARIALETOH
 LACOLAPICNIRPHC

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Crossword Puzzles

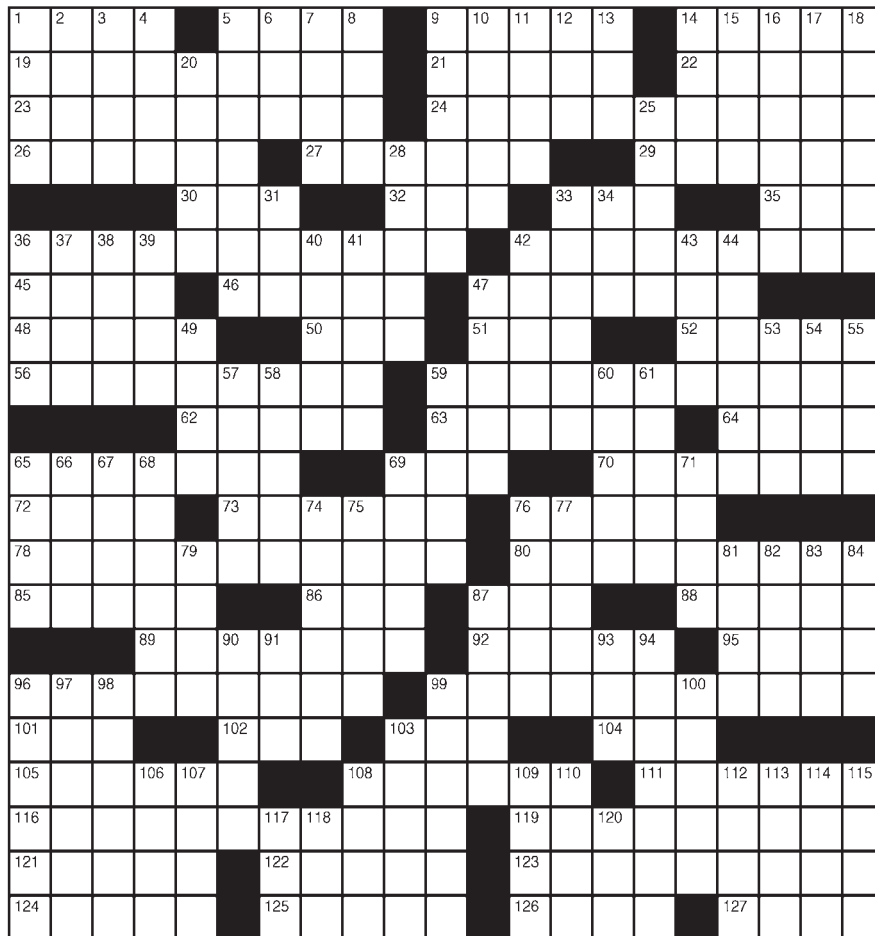
Diagramless, 21 x 21

Like a regular crossword but with an added challenge. Sleuths must also create the diagram and figure out where the numbers and black squares go.

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|---|---|
| ACROSS | DOWN |
| 1 Mixture | 92 Snuggle |
| 7 Holds | 1 Singers, Simply ____ |
| 13 Perpetual | 2 What the dog did to my homework.... |
| 15 Desert | 3 Bauble |
| 16 Possessed by an evil spirit | 4 Friend |
| 18 Relating to device in which data are constantly variable | 5 Mass. cape |
| 19 Berserk | 6 Goddess of the earth |
| 21 "The Brady Bunch's" Plumb | 7 Girl's org. |
| 22 Novelist, Kingsley | 8 Went helter-skelter |
| 24 Attorney's thing | 9 That's it! |
| 25 Tea in Chinese | 10 Public auction area |
| 28 Ill-gotten gains | 11 Brief epigrammatic saying that is a popular byword |
| 30 Left over | 12 Most wise |
| 31 Orchid arrangement | 14 Tibetan monk |
| 32 Palate part | 17 Madden, for one |
| 34 Horse | 20 Capital of Ukraine |
| 35 Deviate | 23 Inner city problem |
| 36 Sombrero | 25 Split |
| 38 One million ohms | 26 Concerning this |
| 40 Economy watchdogs | 27 Parachute |
| 41 Attribute | 29 Ran away |
| 42 CD of unknown artist | 33 All the years past |
| 43 Precious metal necklace | 34 St. Vitus' Dance |
| 45 Scuff | 36 Comfortable living alternative |
| 46 Intro word, King Henry VIII? | 37 Granted |
| 48 Froth | 39 Skip |
| 50 Unit of work | 44 Part of an ergonomic syndrome |
| 51 Supervise | 47 Coming |
| 53 Fore part of a ship | 49 Shed feathers |
| 55 Health product regulators | 52 Pay expenses |
| 56 Surroundings | 54 Distort from truth |
| 58 Goes with station | 57 Flaming |
| 60 Rock group who produced the album "Out of Time" | 59 Time past |
| 61 Not quite straight | 62 Write the check now, but pay later |
| 62 Security duty | 63 Auction segments |
| 64 Exalted poem | 66 Having great wisdom |
| 65 "Phenomenon" participant, first name | 68 Alpine comeback |
| 66 Coin of Peru | 70 Breaks a sentence down grammatically |
| 67 Preface | 75 Hair curler |
| 69 Blacken | 78 Middy |
| 70 Swan Lake steps | 80 Knighted one |
| 71 Engrain | 81 Galena, e.g. |
| 72 Shadow or lash? | 82 New |
| 73 Inclined | 84 Buddy Holly song, w/Peggy |
| 74 Look around for best prices | 85 ____ and outs |
| 76 Disencumber | 86 Outfielder Mel |
| 77 A bad sign | 87 None |
| 79 Spice up | 88 Notice |
| 83 Actions of wearing away | |
| 89 Complete | |
| 90 Dudley Do-Right | |
| 91 Has a treble and a bass | |

DO SOMETHING

- | | |
|---|---|
| ACROSS | |
| 1 Ring overhead | 99 Instruction to a judge after a mistrial? |
| 5 Treatment amount | 101 QB Manning |
| 9 Hire a new crew | 102 ____ Moines |
| 14 Rob | 103 High deg. |
| 19 Orphanage transactions | 104 Address of a DPL |
| 21 Muse of lyric poetry | 105 Look after |
| 22 Civic firm | 108 Supplication |
| 23 Instruction to a drinker? | 111 Upolu resident |
| 24 Instruction to a take-out diner? | 116 Instruction to a mime? |
| 26 Odors | 119 Instruction to a comic? |
| 27 Discombobulate | 121 Van Gogh location |
| 29 In a hopeful manner | 122 Face part |
| 30 Neath's opposite | 123 Silent quality |
| 32 Enzyme ending | 124 Color changers |
| 33 Ling of "Red Corner" | 125 Contract elements |
| 35 French wine | 126 Pig feed |
| 36 Instruction to a battery maker? | 127 "Dies ____" (day of wrath) |
| 42 Instruction to a lumberjack's assistant? | |
| 45 Jack-in-the-pulpit, e.g. | DOWN |
| 46 Tribal emblem | 1 Scoffing laughs |
| 47 Canary island | 2 Father of Seth |
| 48 Brother of Rebecca | 3 Zero in tennis |
| 50 Sheepish comment | 4 Autobahn auto |
| 51 Anger | 5 Cut apart for analysis |
| 52 Play part | 6 ____-la-la! |
| 56 Instruction to a sculptor? | 7 Prig |
| 59 Instruction to ship Styrofoam? | 8 Punta del ____ |
| 62 Dings | 9 Disqualify due to prejudice |
| 63 Spoke snake | 10 Rub out |
| 64 Block brand | 11 Virile |
| 65 Having made a will | 12 Part of AST |
| 69 Clan members | 13 Negative word |
| 70 Tailor, at times | 14 Scram! |
| 72 Valley where David and Goliath fought | 15 Rocky crags |
| 73 Of bears | 16 Salad green |
| 76 Parallel grooves | 17 Aquilar of Ariana Franklin novels |
| 78 Instruction to a talcum buyer? | 18 Voice box |
| 80 Instruction to a corporal punisher? | 20 Claw |
| 85 Hagar's dog | 25 Bay window |
| 86 Snaky swimmer | 28 Molten rock |
| 87 Storage container | 31 Greek letter |
| 88 Hindu teacher | 33 Upright walkers |
| 89 Picked for the wrong part | 34 Gardner of films |
| 92 Disguised, briefly | 36 Insect's feeler |
| 95 Nagy of Hungary | 37 Russian range |
| 96 Instruction to a wooer? | 38 Big, band tote |
| | 39 Somali model |



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| 40 Up, in the ballpark | 68 Dynamic leader? | 97 Chicago cow owner |
| 41 Is a bookworm | 69 Prepared to pray | 98 Small bell sound |
| 42 Senator/astronaut Jake and family | 71 New Mexico art colony | 99 Gratitude |
| 43 NBA all-star guard | 74 Takes an oath | 100 Astern |
| 44 Type of artificial fly | 75 That is: Lat. | 103 Preface |
| 47 Stay sleeping | 76 Glossy | 106 Venison |
| 49 Zilch | 77 Touch of color | 107 Pravda source |
| 53 Stadium level | 79 Fan extension? | 108 Boater's walkway |
| 54 "Picnic" playwright | 81 Tiny branch | 109 Young newts |
| 55 Mr. Sikorsky | 82 Writer Janowitz | 110 Actual |
| 57 Overly excited | 83 Actor Katz | 112 Type of bond |
| 58 Madrid month | 84 Bearing | 113 Unique individual |
| 59 More timid | 87 '84 Modine movie | 114 Latin handle |
| 60 Drummer of Rush | 90 Ancient sin city | 115 Wall St. letters |
| 61 Improvise | 91 Pool stick | 117 10th month |
| 65 Asian holidays | 93 Product to mine | 118 Definite article |
| 66 Spirited vigor | 94 Girl's school athletic uniform | 120 Author Umberto |
| 67 Japanese drink | 96 See red | |

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS

Word Salsa

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

Diagramless

B A A R E N E W S
 S E N N A U M B R A E
 S H A D O W E S C A P E
 I O D I N E S I T
 P E E R E T H S I E S T A
 D O W D Y S I E S T A
 N A P E T I M
 S H A G A R T Y
 I S L E N A I L
 T I N S E L T O W N D O G G Y
 O R I E L B E E O V U L E
 G O L E M E R A D I C A T O R
 S I G N S T E M
 A B L Y H U B S
 T I E C E R E
 E D D I E S E D I C T
 N T H L A P P
 S U I S A I L O R
 E D I B L E E M P L O Y
 R E T A I N A E S O P
 T S E T S E N E W

Avian Adventure

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

CRYPTOGRAM

H E H J Q M U J N V C T
 X H E Q H F R C N U F S Q
 T V X H S B , Y V Q R H M P Q U F
 H J Q M P V F Q B H E H Y H Q
 H F U J N V C T ?

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:
 My friend goes to the local gym a lot. His favorite machine is the vending machine!



At The Movies

High expectations pleasantly met

'The Help' brings heart-warming story to life in all the right ways

Review by **Beth Sitzler**
Las Cruces Bulletin

"I want to write a book from the point of view of the help."

With this simple sentence uttered to a publisher for Harper & Row in New York, Eugenia "Skeeter" Phelan opened a floodgate of emotion, secrets and insight to the other side of life in "The Help," a newly released movie based on the novel of the same title written by Kathryn Stockett.

Set in Jackson, Miss., in the 1960s, the novel explores what life was like for black maids in the small Southern town.

Raised by a mother who strongly believed in "You made the mess, you clean it up," I was unfamiliar with this lifestyle, especially the part about the maids raising the children. I also had no firsthand experience with the racial divide that occurred in the South at the time.

The book opened my eyes to a sadder experience while offering hope in the form of a few courageous women who wanted to tell their stories and evoke change or understanding.

Excited for the movie, I was concerned that it wouldn't capture the feel of the book or tell the story how it was intended. My excitement was well-met, however, so much so that I didn't even care that the film didn't follow the book exactly.

At age 21, Skeeter (Emma Stone), tall and lanky with wild curly hair, returns home to Jackson to find herself as the only one of her childhood friends who, No. 1, has a college degree and, No. 2, isn't married with kids of her own – a fact her cancer-ridden mother



Emma Stone, Octavia Spencer and Viola Davis play three brave women in "The Help," now playing at Allen Theatres.

Charlotte (Allison Janney) constantly harps on.

While slight looks and backhanded comments are shared within her social circle, Skeeter has bigger dreams of becoming a journalist or novelist or both.

Encouraged by publisher Elaine Stein (Mary Steenburgen) to gain more experience, Skeeter gets a job at the local newspaper writing the cleaning column. Stein also advises her to write about a topic close to her heart. Plagued with questions about her childhood maid Constantine (Cicely Tyson) – who raised her and gave her love when her mother wouldn't – Skeeter wants to tell the story of the maids, a taboo topic at the time.

Using her cleaning column as an excuse, Skeeter begins talking to Aibileen Clark (Viola

Davis), the maid of her close friend Elizabeth Leefolt. Aibileen has been a maid since she was 14 and has raised 17 white babies. After the death of her son, however, she begins to question her role in the world. Ready to walk away from it all, the only thing keeping her going is Mae Mobley – Elizabeth's love-starved toddler who unfortunately is chubby and "won't ever be a beauty queen."

Needing a dozen maids to talk to for the book, the duo has a hard time convincing others to participate because they're fearful of the ramifications if they were discovered. They then find an ally in Minny Jackson (Octavia Spencer).

A close friend of Aibileen, Minny hasn't been able to find a job since she was fired by Hilly Holbrook (Bryce Dallas Howard), a childhood friend of Skeeter, for using her bathroom. Hilly – the queen bee of Jackson who is starting an initiative to require homes to have an

outdoor bathroom for domestic help – spread a lie about Minny stealing, making her a pariah and the target of her husband's abuse.

She also manages to get hired by Celia Foote (Jessica Chastain) – a hick-ish dingbat who unfortunately married Hilly's ex-boyfriend, causing her to also be a social outcast.

As the story unfolds, Skeeter's eyes are opened to both the good and bad of being a maid in Jackson. Her view on her world and those she considers her friends begins to change.

Chock-full of characters and storylines, "The Help" never feels overcrowded or confusing.

A hodgepodge of well-known and lovable actresses, I have a few favorites who were able to bring their written characters to life on the big screen just as I had imagined.

Spencer does a wonderful job of being the intimidating yet kind sass mouth Minny. A strong woman who isn't always trusting of white people, it's great to see her come alive when dealing with Celia.

Speaking of Celia, I fell in love with the ditz blonde with a heart of gold. I can't imagine anyone else taking on the part and filling her hot pink pumps and skin-tight outfits.

As the lead character, Stone does a great job as Skeeter, even though she wouldn't have been my first pick for the role – she's too pretty. She especially had great chemistry with Janney. Together, they were able to capture the complexities of a mother-daughter relationship built on two people who just don't see things the same way.

While these women were great, no one could compare to Davis' portrayal of the sweet and lost Aibileen or Howard's downright evil Hilly.

Manipulative and on the verge of sadistic, doe-eyed Howard fully devoted herself to the ultimate mean girl.

A polar opposite of Hilly, I can't say enough about Davis' performance as gentle Aibileen. As a fan of the book, I was extremely pleased.

Whether you've read the book or not, "The Help" is an inspiring story that must be shared. Bring a box of tissues and a good friend.

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 Running time: 137 minutes
 Director: Tate Taylor

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Picking the Flicks


Movie information from www.rottentomatoes.com. Thumbs-up based on a 5-point scale.


Rise of Planet of the Apes 
Rating: PG-13
Plot Overview: Man's own experiments with genetic engineering lead to the development of intelligence in apes and the onset of a war for supremacy.
Starring: James Franco, Andy Serkis **Director:** Rupert Wyatt





Cowboys & Aliens 
Rating: PG-13
Plot Overview: A spaceship arrives in Arizona, 1873, to take over the Earth, starting with the Wild West.
Starring: Daniel Craig, Harrison Ford
Director: Jon Favreau

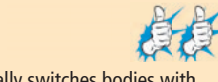



Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2 
Rating: PG-13
Plot Overview: Harry, Ron and Hermione continue their quest of finding and destroying the Dark Lord's three remaining Horcruxes.
Starring: Daniel Radcliffe, Emma Watson
Director: David Yates

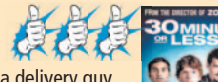



Final Destination 5 
Rating: R
Plot Overview: Survivors of a suspension-bridge collapse learn there's no way you can cheat death.
Starring: Nicholas D'Agosto, Emma Bell
Director: Steven Quale

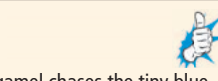



The Change-Up 
Rating: R
Plot Overview: A married father accidentally switches bodies with his best friend, leading to a series of wildly complex difficulties.
Starring: Jason Bateman, Ryan Reynolds
Director: David Dobkin





30 Minutes or Less 
Rating: R
Plot Overview: Two fledgling criminals kidnap a pizza delivery guy, strap a bomb to his chest and inform him that he has mere hours to rob a bank or else.
Starring: Jesse Eisenberg, Danny McBride
Director: Ruben Fleischer





The Smurfs 
Rating: PG
Plot Overview: When the evil wizard Gargamel chases the tiny blue Smurfs out of their village, they tumble from their magical world and into ours.
Starring: Hank Azaria, Katy Perry
Director: Raja Gosnell





Glee: The 3D Concert Movie 
Rating: PG
Plot Overview: A concert documentary shot during the "Glee Live! In Concert!" summer 2011 tour.
Starring: Cory Monteith, Dianna Agron
Director: Kevin Tancharoen





Captain America: The First Avenger 
Rating: PG-12
Plot Overview: After being deemed unfit for military service, Steve Rogers volunteers for a top secret research project that turns him into Captain America.
Starring: Chris Evans, Hugo Weaving **Director:** Joe Johnston





Crazy, Stupid, Love 
Rating: PG-13
Plot Overview: A father's life unravels while he deals with a marital crisis and tries to manage his relationship with his children.
Starring: Steve Carell, Ryan Gosling
Director: Glenn Ficarra, John Requa




Horrible Bosses 
Rating: R
Plot Overview: For Nick, Kurt and Dale, the only thing that would make the daily grind more tolerable would be to grind their intolerable bosses into dust.
Starring: Jason Bateman, Kevin Spacey
Director: Seth Gordon



The Help 
Rating: PG-13
Plot Overview: A look at what happens when a Southern town's unspoken code of rules and behavior is shattered by three women who strike up an unlikely friendship.
Starring: Emma Stone, Viola Davis
Director: Tate Taylor




One Day
Rating: PG-13
Plot Overview: After spending the night together on the night of their college graduation Dexter and Em are shown each year on the same date to see where they are in their lives.
Starring: Anne Hathaway, Jim Sturgess **Director:** Lone Scherfig
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Spy Kids: All the Time in the World in 4D
Rating: PG
Plot Overview: Retired agent Marissa Cortez Wilson gets back into action to stop a supervillain from taking over the planet.
Starring: Jessica Alba, Jeremy Piven **Director:** Robert Rodriguez
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Fright Night
Rating: R
Plot Overview: A teenager suspects that his new neighbor is a vampire.
Starring: Anton Yelchin, Colin Farrell
Director: Craig Gillespie
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Conan the Barbarian
Rating: R
Plot Overview: The tale of Conan the Cimmerian and his adventures across the continent of Hyboria on a quest to avenge the murder of his father and the slaughter of his village.
Starring: Jason Momoa, Ron Perlman **Director:** Marcus Nispel
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New this week on DVD Tuesday, Aug. 23

- Win Win**
Rating: R
Genre: Comedy, Romance
Starring: Paul Giamatti, Alex Shaffer
Director: Tom McCarthy
- The Beaver**
Rating: PG-13
Genre: Comedy, Drama
Starring: Jodie Foster, Mel Gibson
Director: Jodie Foster
- POM Wonderful Presents: The Greatest Movie Ever Sold**
Rating: PG-13
Genre: Documentary, Comedy
Starring: Morgan Spurlock, Ralph Nader
Director: Morgan Spurlock
- Troll Hunter**
Rating: PG-13
Genre: Action, Fantasy
Starring: Otto Jespersen, Hans Morten Hansen
Director: Andre Overdal

Top Grossing August 12-14

- 1 **Rise of the Planet of the Apes** (Week No. 2) **\$27,832,000**
- 2 **The Help** (Week No. 1) **\$22,044,000**
- 3 **Final Destination 5** (Week No. 1) **\$18,031,000**
- 4 **The Smurfs** (Week No. 2) **\$13,733,000**
- 5 **30 Minutes or Less** (Week No. 1) **\$13,330,000**
- 6 **Cowboys & Aliens** (Week No. 3) **\$7,811,000**
- 7 **Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 2** (Week No. 5) **\$7,251,000**
- 8 **Captain America: The First Avenger** (Week No. 4) **\$7,210,000**
- 9 **Crazy, Stupid, Love** (Week No. 3) **\$7,054,000**
- 10 **The Change-Up** (Week No. 2) **\$6,306,000**

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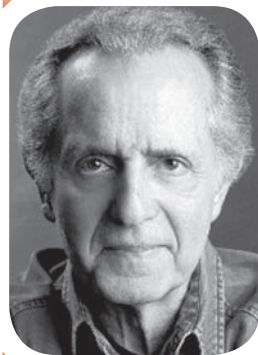
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When we were younger and got good grades, cleaned our rooms without being asked or were good children in any other kind of way, do you remember the reward you earned?

For my siblings and me, it was always, "You can pick wherever you want to go to eat today." Even the school – when we had perfect attendance or were listed on the honor roll – gave us gift certificates to restaurants.

Mom made dinner for us nearly every night, so when we got to go out, it was a special treat, and those are some of my favorite memories – the sizzling, cheesy personal pan pizzas with anchovies and the scoop of bubble-gum ice cream (my sister would save the pieces of bubble gum for later). When we did well, we were fed well.

For generations, at least in my family, we've always been rewarded with food (even my grandfather had a pizza party after we helped him pick pecans from his small orchard). I still use that method myself – my daughter worked hard, she gets to choose where she wants to eat.

But if you do it too much, it can have an adverse effect. Think about it, if my daughter does well every day, and she wants to head to Greasy Burger every time she is rewarded, she's going to gain weight and establish unhealthy eating habits. And so will I – as I have mentioned many times before, I'm not one to let people eat alone.

It has trained us to justify our actions of eating something bad, even after working out ("Well, I spent an extra 15 minutes on the treadmill, so I deserve this hot fudge sundae").

The solution is to break the vicious cycle. It may be easier said than done, but at the same time, it's not as difficult as you may think.

Instead of thinking food, find something else that you love, even more than chocolate cake. Maybe a new outfit, pair of shoes or highlights? When you really worked hard to meet a goal, there's no need for buyer's remorse. And admit it, you just feel better when you're wearing something new.

If it's about your children, think of different ways they can feel rewarded. Kids aren't too difficult to please, and as long as you're paying attention to them, they're just fine, right? How about an outing to the aquatic center? Family game night? Or a family gathering in the park (with healthy snacks)? You can create just as many happy memories, if not more, rewarding your children in healthier, more active ways than just going to a restaurant.

There's nothing wrong with giving yourself a pat on the back in the form of ice cream or a burger every once in a while; just don't make it a habit. After a while, it doesn't feel special anymore, and after a while, you'll regret those "rewards" every time you step on the scale.

Dance the day away

Zumba raises the roof for One Small Voice

By **Rachel Christiansen**
Las Cruces Bulletin

For this back-to-school season, the dance craze sweeping the country is getting pumped to help a good cause.

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, an energetic group of licensed Zumba instructors will be hosting a "Zumbathon" event at Court Youth Center to benefit the One Small Voice foundation, a non-profit organization that helps fund research for people diagnosed with optic nerve hypoplasia (ONH).

For one Las Cruces mother, Krisha DeLong, ONH is a very real and significant part of her life ever since her 12-year-old daughter, Kambree, was diagnosed with the disease at birth.

"Until someone famous or political has a child with (ONH), the rest of us are just out there dealing with it on our own," DeLong said.

In addition to being completely blind, Kambree, a student at Valley View Elementary, must be given several daily growth hormones. Although her prognosis is unknown, DeLong said, as the highest age for those living with the disease are in their early to mid 30s.

The specific cause of ONH is still undetermined, although it is formed during pregnancy and affects the optic nerves from the eye to the brain, causing partial to complete blindness, as well as adversely affecting other prominent growth hormones. There is also no known cure.

The One Small Voice Foundation was founded in Chicago by parents who, like DeLong, were frustrated with the lack of research and knowledge to treat their children who suffer from the disease.



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Rachel Christiansen

Krisha DeLong and daughter, Kambree, 12, bust a move with the Ultimate Fitness Zumba class Tuesday, Aug. 16. The pair is gearing up for the upcoming Zumbathon event Saturday, Aug. 20.

The foundation strives to help children with ONH and Hydrocephalus, a similar brain disease.

"One Small Voice is really the perfect name, because you feel so small and no one will listen no matter how many times you repeat yourself," DeLong said.

DeLong, owner of the Cupcake Hut in Las Cruces, hosted a fundraiser earlier in the summer in her business' parking lot in which

more than \$10,000 was raised to support the research of doctors such as Dr. Mark Borchert.

Based out of the Department of Ophthalmology at the Children's Hospital Los Angeles, Borchert has been conducting stem cell research for the past 12 years, and is currently tackling causes and treatments of ONH, but he can't do it alone.

DeLong said current medical speculation on
See **Zumba** on page D4

Encouraging healthy students



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Encourage children to wash their hands before and after eating and using the restroom. This healthy practice can help prevent the spread of illness and decrease kids' chances of missing school.

Health department gives tips for kids

Bulletin Staff Report

As students head back to school, the New Mexico Department of Health wants to encourage students and parents to implement healthy practices into their daily routines to ensure a healthy school year.

"Incorporating a few simple practices into your child's daily routine will help to prevent illness, maximize their ability to learn and enable them to reach their potential throughout the school day," said Health Secretary Dr. Catherine Torres. "We want all New Mexico students to enjoy a healthy school year."

The department of health suggests following these back-to-school health tips:

1. Handwashing. Consistent and proper handwashing is one of the best ways to prevent illnesses and days of being absent from school. Make sure your child knows how to wash their hands with plenty of soap and water and dry them well with a clean towel. Proper handwashing should take about 20 seconds (the

See **Healthy** on page D4



The Pet Review

Caring for pets during emergencies

The first minutes after an injury are critical

Bulletin Staff Report

Minutes can mean the difference between life and death when an emergency arises, and a walk around the block or a hike through the woods may be dangerous or fatal if you lack the right knowledge to care for a pet in an emergency situation.

Dr. Sonya Gordon, associate professor at Texas A&M University's College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences, gives pet owners helpful tips on taking care of an animal when time is limited.

There are many everyday activities that can be hazardous for pets if the right action is not quickly taken. One of the most common emergency situations is when an animal is involved in a car accident. Any time an animal collides with a motorized vehicle, it should be taken immediately to a veterinarian, even for what appears to be minor bumps and bruises.

"Dogs and cats do not have the ability to tell us where it hurts, and there may be internal problems that cannot be noticed by the owner," Gordon said.

When the damage caused by an accident leaves the pet immobile, Gordon suggests using a large towel or heavy blanket held tightly to simulate a stretcher to carry the animal. Never pick up an injured animal and hold it unless it is very small and can be sufficiently restrained.

It is important to be careful when working around injured animals that are in pain because they may accidentally bite or become aggressive, even toward their owner.

Remember to keep the pet warm and use clean fabric such as a towel, bandage or T-shirt to cover any open wounds. This will help keep the wound clean and allow the blood to clot to help limit bleeding.

If there is profuse bleeding from a wound, firmly apply a clean towel or some other fabric to the area and apply continuous pressure.

"It is best not to use a tourniquet, but if one is applied, release it every 10 minutes," Gordon said.

Danger can also occur on routine hiking and camping trips and immediate veterinary care may not be available. If a pet receives an open wound during the journey, use clean tepid water to cleanse the area. Dishwashing liquid, detergents, astringents and alcohol are too abrasive for use on open wounds and can actually cause additional damage to the tissue.

A veterinarian should treat any infections that arise. Gordon advises against administering any human pain relievers or other medications to an animal unless directed by a veterinarian because many human drugs are not safe for animals and can lead to severe complications such as ulcers, liver failure or even death.

While exploring the great outdoors, be wary of snakes. If an owner suspects a pet has been bitten by a venomous snake, examine the animal closely and try to identify the location of the bite, and if possible, the type of snake (take a picture with your phone, if possible). This information is helpful to the veterinarian when deciding how to care for

the pet.

Face and neck bites are by far the most serious, and require immediate veterinary care because severe swelling in this area can cause difficulty in breathing.

"Ice packs will help control the swelling and blood vessel dilation that allows the venom to spread," Gordon said.

Lakes and the ocean can present problems if a pet falls in and is not a strong swimmer. It is best to purchase a lifejacket for your animal to wear when participating in water activities such as boating.

"Most lifejackets come with a handle on the back allowing the owner to pick up the animal safely and easily from the water if it falls in," Gordon said.

If traveling to a natural setting, especially during the summer months, it is best to bring a lot of water as well as a leash, even if the pet is well trained to verbal commands.

"Pets and humans both require a lot of water, and leashes provide important restraint in case an owner needs to control their pet in a dangerous situation," Gordon said.

Gordon explained that dangerous situations can arise outdoors, but also inside a house. Hazardous chemicals and all medications should be kept out of reach at all times.

"Pets are like young children, and the same precautions should be taken with both," she said.

Being aware of potentially dangerous situations and keeping man's best friend in mind when emergency strikes is an important part of being a pet owner, and a special way of reciprocating the love that they provide every day.

Animal Resources

ACTion Programs for Animals
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actionprogramsforanimals@yahoo.com
www.actionprogramsforanimals.org

Animal Services Center of the Mesilla Valley
3351 Bataan Memorial West
Las Cruces, NM 88012
382-0018
www.ascmv.org

Doña Ana County Humane Society
P.O. Box 1176
Las Cruces, NM 88006
647-4808
www.donaanacountyhumanesocietyinc.org

New Mexico State University Feral Cat Management Program
P.O. Box 3912
Las Cruces, NM 88003
639-3036
fcamp@nmsu.edu
www.nmsu.edu/~fcamp

Humane Society of Southern New Mexico
P.O. Box 13826
Las Cruces, NM 88013
523-8020
mail@hssnm.org
www.hssnm.org

Las Cruces Dog Park Coalition
P.O. Box 13345
Las Cruces, NM 88013
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Pet Help Line
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523-8020

Safe Haven Animal Sanctuary
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www.snapnewmexico.org

Pet briefs

APA hosts low-cost clinic

ACTion Programs for Animals (APA) and the Blue Moon Bar are hosting a low-cost dog and cat vaccination clinic from 8 a.m. to noon Saturday, Aug. 20, on the Blue Moon Bar's patio, 13060 State Highway 185, in Radium Springs. On a first-come, first-served basis, rabies shots will be given for \$5, cat/dog combo shots

will be given for \$10 and other services available include heartworm preventive medication (\$10 for six months), free deworming for puppies and kittens and a dog flea/tick dip and/or nail trimming by donation. All fees must be paid in cash, and the administering veterinarian is Laura Henckel, DVM. For more information, about the clinic and/or to volunteer, contact APA at 644-0505 or visit www.actionprogramsforanimals.org.

Volunteers, donations needed

The Animal Services Center of the Mesilla Valley is in need of donations of dog crates, towels, blankets and long-strand shredded paper. Volunteers also are needed to assist with animal care and socializing. For more information, call 382-0018.

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TOPS MEETING CHAPTER 381

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 381 is open to new members of all ages at its Thursday morning meetings, which starts 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.

CARING BRIDGE SUPPORT GROUP

Caring Bridge, an activity support group for adults in recovery from mental illness, meets from 4 to 6 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. For more information, call Kathy or David at 522-6404 or email bridge@nmsu.edu.

CITY RECREATION SCHEDULE

The City of Las Cruces offers recreation and fitness classes at city recreation and community centers.

The following classes are held at Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave.:

- **Aerobics:** 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays
- **Yoga:** 9 to 10 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays
- **Spinning:** 6 to 7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays
- **Pilates:** 5:45 to 6:45 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays
- **Zumba:** 7 p.m. Monday through Friday.

For more information, call 541-2563.

The following class is held at Benavidez Community Center, 1045 McClure Road:

- **Zumba:** 6 to 7 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays
- For more information, call 541-5185.

The following class is held at Club Fusion Teen Center, 101 E. Union Ave.:

- **Zumba:** 7 to 8 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

For more information, call 541-5181.

All classes are \$2. For more information, call the City of Las Cruces Parks and Recreation Department at 541-2550.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Overeaters Anonymous is a 12-step, spiritual program for those with a desire to stop eating compulsively. There are no fees. The program meets at 7 p.m. Mondays at Unity of Las Cruces, 125 Wyatt Drive. Enter through the back door.

Overeaters Anonymous is also offered at noon each Wednesday at the St James Episcopal Church, 105 Saint James St., in the library for

more information, call Wayne at 647-5684.

The group also has a big-book meeting at 2 p.m. Fridays at Newman Center, 2615 S. Solano Drive.

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 who have been raised in an 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 647-5684.

CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP

A family caregiver support group meets from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursdays at Café España in the Hotel Encanto de Las Cruces, 705 S. Telshor Blvd.

Co-facilitators with many years of experience in senior-care issues will be on hand.

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 both 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.

PARENTING CLASSES

Free parenting classes will meet at the Child Crisis Center, 999 W. Amador Ave., Suite A, at 6 p.m. each Wednesday through August. The Circle of Security Parenting is a relationship-based parenting program.

For more information, call 525-1277.

WATER AEROBICS CLASSES

Water aerobics classes will be held at 1 p.m. each Monday, Wednesday and Friday in a shaded outdoor pool at The Village at Northrise, 2880 N. Roadrunner Parkway. Cost is \$3 per session or \$35 monthly.

For more information or to register, contact Pam at 382-8218 or sfurandfeathers@aol.com.

STRENGTHENING HIV+ INDIVIDUALS

The support group Strengthening HIV+ Individuals thru Never ending Enlightenment & Encouragement (SHINE) meets from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at Unitarian Universalist Church, 2000 S. Solano Drive, in the Red

Room. Cold refreshments are provided.

The support group is open to all men and women, regardless of their sexual orientation. The support group is held in a confidential, safe and welcoming atmosphere where participants can come together to support one another.

For more information, call 652-9100.

STROKE SURVIVORS SUPPORT GROUP

A stroke survivors support group meets at 1 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at Munson Senior Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. The facilitator is Dolores Hendricks. For more information, call 528-3000.

BRAIN INJURY GROUP (BIG)

The Brain Injury Group meets from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. each Friday at the Housing Authority of Las Cruces, 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.

DITCH RUNNERS MEET SUNDAYS

The Las Cruces Ditch Runners hold group runs every Sunday morning from the Jason Jiron Park on Three Crosses Avenue.

For more information, call Lynn at 373-0982, John at 532-8151 or email jleroy@q.com.

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For more information, call June Donohue at 522-0289. For information in Spanish, call Beatriz Favela at 202-2376.

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An introduction to Zen meditation class is held from 6 to 7 p.m. each Tuesday at the Clear Mind Zen Temple, 642 S. Alameda Blvd., Suite E. A small donation is asked for each class. For more information, call Rev. Harvey Hilbert at 680-6680.

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Olivia Solomon is offering 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.

YOGA CLASSES BY KAREN NICHOLS

Karen Nichols is offering 90-minute yoga classes for adults and upper teens at 6 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays

at My Place Jewel, 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 suitable for all levels of experience. For more information, email Nichols at karen_fn@yahoo.com or leave a message at 882-4943.

TAIJI QIGONG DANCE

Mei Ling Po McKay is offering a slow and relaxed moving meditation exercise with gentle elements of dance from 11 a.m. to noon Tuesdays and Fridays at My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Donation is \$2. Classes are suitable for all levels of experience. For more information, email McKay at harmeizianet.com or call 382-8978.

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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.

ZUMBA EXERCISE

Zumba exercise classes are available at 6 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays at the Las Cruces Event Center, 522 E. Idaho Ave. Doors open at 5:45 p.m. Cost is \$5 for one hour. For more information, call 680-6515.

T'AI CHI CHIH CLASSES

Instructor Rose Alvarez-Diosdado will T'ai Chi Chih: Joy Thru Movement classes from 9 to 10 a.m. the second and fourth Thursday of each month at Young Park, 1905 E. Nevada Ave.

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APHASIA SUPPORT GROUP

The Southern New Mexico Aphasia Support Group is a community group for social conversation, support and education about aphasia. The group meets at 4 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of each month at the Rehabilitation Hospital of Southern New Mexico, 4441 E. Lohman Ave. For more information, call 521-6400.

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A low vision support group meets from 9:30 to 11 a.m. the first Tuesday of the month, except during the summer, at the Mesilla Park Recreation Center, 304 W. Bell Ave., and from 2:30 to 4 p.m. at Munson Senior Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Facilitator is psychologist Cheryl Black. The groups next meeting will be Sept. 6.

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Healthy

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time it takes to sing "Happy Birthday" twice). Everyone should wash their hands before and after eating and after using the bathroom. Talk with your child's teacher about having hand sanitizer in the classroom available to students and staff.

2. Immunizations. Keep all of your child's immunizations up to date and have your child immunized against the flu every year during flu season. The flu can be very dangerous for children and teens and will keep them out of school a long period of time, which makes it tough to catch up on school work and activities.

3. Sleep. Keep a regular schedule for bedtime and make sure children and teenagers get the sleep they need. Lack of sleep is associated with obesity, depressed mood and poor learning. School-aged kids and teens generally need nine to 10 hours of sleep per night. Limit screen time (including computer, TV and video games) before bedtime because it can interfere with falling and staying asleep.

4. Backpack and helmet safety. The American Academy of Pediatrics currently recommends that children's backpacks weigh no more than 10 to 20 percent of their body weight. Check and clean out your child's back-

pack daily to get communications from school and keep the load as light as possible. Helmets are a must if your child rides a bike to school. Make sure the helmet fits snugly around the head and the chinstrap is in place. Helmets are the best way to prevent severe head injuries.

5. Good Nutrition. Students should eat a good breakfast every day. Students who eat breakfast are more alert during class than those who don't eat breakfast. Plus, the right foods combined with adequate sleep and exercise will help their bodies to fight off infections easier. Add plenty of fruits, vegetables, water and foods high in protein and fiber to your child's diet. Shopping together for healthy foods helps motivate kids to make healthier choices.

6. Keep up the exercise. Combined with a healthy diet, adequate and appropriate exercise will help boost your child's immunity, help them sleep better, keep their weight in check, and improve their concentration during class. Make exercise a regular part of your child's day.

7. Keep sack lunches cool. To avoid sack lunches reaching unsafe temperatures, lunch bags should be well-insulated and contain an ice pack or a frozen juice box to cool down the bag's contents.

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Zumba

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causes of the disease include environmental factors, but factual evidence to support that theory have not yet been released.

"New Mexico is currently dominating the map with over 33 known cases, with eight right here in Las Cruces," Delong said.

Local Zumba instructors Ryan Grovey and Linda Perez said they came up with the idea of hosting a back-to-school event because a large part of their clientele are college students, and they thought it would be fun to dressup for an event for such a good cause.

For those unfamiliar with the Zumba epidemic, it is an aerobic workout that combines Latin-style music with fun dance moves. Developed in the mid '90s, a small group of aerobic instructors started using salsa and merengue beats to teach their classes, and it took hold and has been growing in popularity ever since.

Zumbathon participants are encouraged to dress in their favorite school look, whether it be nerdy, teacher, student, athletic or cheerleader.

"It's a great feeling, this is the first time we're doing this in Las Cruces, and it's really cool to bring something like it to the community," Grovey said of his participation in the event.

Details

Zumbathon

When
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 20

Where
Court Youth Center
402 W. Court Ave.

Cost
• \$10 in advance
• \$15 at the door

Contact
575-441-0966

Grovey has been a Zumba instructor for the past two years, and said he is excited about having a "life changing experience for my little Kambree."

Perez, a friend of Delong's, said that Kambree is such a "bright and amazing girl," that she is happy to be spreading awareness about her condition.

The event will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Aug. 20, at Court Youth Center, 402 W. Court Ave. Tickets are available for \$10 in advance or \$15 at the door. Call 575-441-0966 for tickets or more information.

Health Briefs

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Fundraising for disaster relief at *Ride for the Red*

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Kassandra Roybal, Michael Sanchez, American Red Cross Southwestern New Mexico Community Chapter Manager Patricia K. Phillips, Josh Ortega and Stephanie Mendonca take time to pose for a group shot before helping riders.



Myra and Jose Santiago stand next to Myra's Batgirl-themed motorcycle before taking off from Barnett's Las Cruces Harley-Davidson/Buell during the third annual Ride for the Red event held by the American Red Cross Sunday, Aug. 14. All of the proceeds from the event will benefit the American Red Cross Southwestern New Mexico Chapter.



Joe Contreras and Leslie Hennessey smile before taking off on their ride. Stops included the New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, Pic Quik on Picacho Avenue, Caliche's on Valley Drive, Blue Moon Bar in Radium Springs, Rio Grande Winery and the American Red Cross.



Harold Pace stands while Karen Caudill sits in their 1941 model Ural Russian motorcycle, and Craig Wright stands by his 1995 BMW motorcycle while Laura Wright sits in the Russian "Sputnik" sidecar.

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Starting the school year right



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Beth Sitzler
Central Elementary School fourth-grader Joslynn Muñoz, 9, carefully selects a backpack Tuesday, Aug. 16, from St. Paul's United Methodist Church. The church donated 50 backpacks full of school supplies to the elementary school.

Well-wishes before school at the *Blessing of the backpacks*

Photos by Philip VanVeen

Rev. Norman Story, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, is surrounded by children from the community during a backpack blessing ceremony held Sunday, Aug. 14.



Eli Merchant shares a laugh with his fellow backpack blessing participants.



Molly Schroeder holds onto her backpack during the blessing, which was held to prepare kids for the upcoming school year.

Church News

CALL FOR CHORAL SINGERS

Experienced choral singers are invited to participate in an interfaith community choir at the fourth annual U.N. International Day of Peace Celebration held at 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 18, at Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 E. Missouri Ave. Director Nancy Ritchey will hold Sunday rehearsals from 10:30 a.m. to noon at the church Aug. 27 and Sept. 3, 10 and 17. For more information, call 647-2560.

PRAYER AND LIFE WORKSHOP

Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Center, 5480 Lassiter Road, will hold a Prayer and Life Workshop in English by Father Ignacio Larranaga from 1 to 3 p.m. Wednesdays. For 25 years, the workshop has changed lives and opened doors to a rich prayer life for participants. For more information, call 647-1117.

GUEST PASTOR

Rev. Jesse Bernúdez, interim pastor, will preach at the 11 a.m. bilingual worship service Sunday, Aug. 21, at El Calvario United Methodist Church, 300 N. Campo St. A Spanish language worship service will also be held at 9 a.m. For more information, call 524-1230.

ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE

The second annual rummage sale to benefit the Carmelite Sisters will be held from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, Aug. 19, and 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, at the Basilica of San Albino Roman Catholic Church on the Mesilla Plaza. For more information, call the church at 526-9349 or contact Lori Dahlstrom at 647-2367 or loridahstrom@live.com.

ECKANKAR EVENT

Eckankar, Religion of the Light and Sound of God, will hold a free discussion from 11 a.m. to noon Saturday, Aug. 20, at Ramada Palms de Las Cruces, 201 E. University Ave. The topic will be "Beyond Astral Projection." For more information, call 524-2580 or visit www.eckankar-nm.org.

INSPIRATIONAL CHOIR MUSICAL

Bethel Second Baptist Church, 405 E. Hadley Ave., presents the fifth annual Inspirational Choir Musical at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 26. The featured guest will be Elder Rafael Juarez III from the Spirit Life Christian Center in El Paso. For more information, call 523-7850.

DOK ARTIST

The Daughters of the King will host a show by DOK artist Jane Madrid from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 27, at St. James Episcopal, 105 St. James St. Refreshments will be served. Other artists interested in showing their art or crafts should call Barbara Borrett at 524-6933.

5K RUN/WALK PRO-LIFE

Registration for the 5K Run or Walk Pro-Life will begin at 7 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 27, on the Triviz Drive walking path at University Avenue. The race will begin at 8 a.m. The first 30 people to pre-register will receive an aluminum water bottle with a religious medal. First-, second- and third-place ribbons will be awarded. There is a \$10 fee that will benefit "Project Gabriel." For more information, call 524-9649.

COPPER TOP SUNDAY

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 225 W. Griggs Ave., will host Copper Top Sunday beginning at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 28. The event will include fun, food and fellowship. A talent show will be held at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Everyone is invited. For more information, call 541-3180.

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 225 W. Griggs Ave., will host a jazz concert by the Bill Thomson Jazz Quartet at 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 28. For more information, call 526-6689.

AWANA PRE-REGISTRATION

East Mesa Baptist Church, 6160 Moongate Road, will hold a pre-registration event for its children's ministry Awana from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 30. Awana is free for children age 3 through fifth grade. For more information, call 382-0386.

FAMILY-FRIENDLY COMEDY

Mesilla Valley Christian Schools will host family-friendly comedy with the King of Family Comedy Jeff Allen at 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 1, at First Assembly of God, 5605 Bataan Memorial West. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at MVCS, the New Mexico State University Box Office and online at www.

ticketmaster.com. For more information, call Lisa Tillery at 621-0301.

ACTS RETREAT FOR MEN

An ACTS (Adoration, Community, Theology and Service) Retreat for men ages 21 and older will take place Sept. 8-11 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Cathedral, 1240 S. Espina St. The free retreat is an opportunity to deepen your relationship with Jesus and build lasting relationships. For more information, call 524-8563.



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The reality is that there are only 24 hours in the day. If a person applies self-discipline, hard work and proven organizational techniques, they will have a successful and enjoyable life. What does a daily routine for a successful life look like?

Too many people just let life happen and do not plan or organize their day. The key components of organizing a standard eight-hour work day for an individual with one full-time job are:

Preparation and travel to work	2 hours
Work	8 hours
Travel from work.....	1 hour
Dinner and relaxation	5 hours
Sleep.....	8 hours
Total.....	24 hours

Preparation for work includes waking up, breakfast, personal hygiene and commuting to work. Two hours is more than enough time to accomplish these tasks. The only legitimate reason for more than two hours of preparation for work is that an individual has to commute more than an hour to work. Spending eight hours at work is self-explanatory. The time a person spends at work provides the necessary income for shelter, food, clothing and the other necessities for a happy, healthy life. The focus of work is not to socialize or earn income for recreation.

Work can, and should be, meaningful and rewarding. American history has proven if you work hard and focus on success, that will be your outcome. Unfortunately, a large number of Americans are more like the guinea pig on the wheel in a cage than providing for their family or contributing to society.

These people have bought into the "big lie." This is the failed idea that instant gratification will get you what you want. A large number of our fellow citizens are robbing themselves of the huge opportunities and advantages of fulfilling work or a career. This problem is too large to address in this article and will be discussed at a later date.

At the end of the work day, an individual heads home to enjoy the remaining hours of the day. This should take an hour of the day to accomplish. An individual has five hours to enjoy family, friends, physical fitness, recreation or any other appropriate hobby. Due to the economically challenging times, some people use this time to engage in a second part-time job. It is important that a second job does not override the primary and main income-earning vocation. A person should not let the job designed to eliminate debt or vacation money to interfere with the job that provides food, water and shelter (basic life requirements).

The last part of a person's day should be the goal of eight hours sleep. Most Americans struggle with this and are only getting between four and six hours' sleep. When a person fails or sabotages body recharging, the outcome is numerous issues and problems in an individual's life.

If individuals follow this basic blueprint, they will have the best opportunity for a successful and happy life. I am one of those people, except I only get around seven hours sleep.

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Capturing tranquility

Territorial-style home highlights the peace of Westwind Pines Estate

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Featured home: 4774 Forest Park Drive

Photos by Angela Kurz



The home at 4774 Forest Park Drive features a New Mexico territorial style and was built in 2001 by Bill Quiñones.



Rustic beams cover the ceiling in the great room.



Blue walls are used throughout the house to evoke a serene surrounding.



Large windows and plenty of room for art are staples of the home.



The linear kitchen opens up to the great room.



A formal seating area placed near the stairs to the second floor includes a fireplace for warmth and comfort.



A swimming pool with an attached spa can be found in the backyard of the 2-acre property.

A home designed around tranquility

Pine-covered area takes guests out of the Mesilla Valley

By **Beth Sitzler**
Las Cruces Bulletin

A home is a destination, a place one goes to escape the chaos of the world and relax in a personal sanctuary.

This was the idea Angel Saenz had in mind when he teamed up with builder Bill Quiñones and architect Steve Newby to create his tranquil palatial estate at 4774 Forest Park Drive.

"My favorite thing about this place is the peacefulness and quiet," he said.

Located on more than 2 acres in the Westwind Pines Estates off North Valley Drive, Saenz said he was drawn to the tree-covered area because of its atmosphere, which makes residents feel as if they're not in the Mesilla Valley.

"I was just blown away," he said. "I was amazed by this area in Las Cruces that was so unique, it had the look and feel of Ruidoso."

"I originally bought one 1-acre lot and then I decided to buy the second acre. It was very quiet and private, and I wanted to keep that."

Wanting a style to reflect that feeling of serenity and peacefulness of the last two lots available in the neighborhood, Saenz chose a territorial design.

"It fit into the area and led itself into a transition into our little forest here," he said.

Working with Steve Newby Architects and Associates for seven months to create the perfect design for the area, Saenz said it took Quiñones of Quiñones Homes about six months to build.

"One thing with Bill is that there aren't any glitches," Saenz said. "It was all super smooth."

Completed in 2001, the 3,863-square-foot home located on the end of the cul-de-sac is hidden behind a wall and gate erected by Quiñones in 2003. After punching in the code, drivers are transported to a mountain resort.

"You drive in and you're surrounded by the forest immediately," said Saenz, adding that he wanted to create a total feeling, not just a house. "The nature of the grounds is a feeling of relaxation. I wanted to capture that from the moment you drive in."

Because the two lots are shaped like a dunce cap, Saenz said they placed the home toward the back to create an open, welcoming space littered with several pine trees and a few deer – made of scrap metal by a New Mexico artist.

The gravel path splits with one portion leading to the back of the home, which houses the attached three-car garage, and the other to

the front patio area. The large space features a concrete pallet surrounded by rock landscaping speckled in shrubbery.

Off the patio is access to the home – a 4-by-7-foot wooden front door.

"I wanted the door to go with the dimensions of the house," he said. "It's a large house, so I wanted the front door to match that."

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Las Cruces that was
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the look and feel
of Ruidoso. ”

ANGEL SAENZ,
homeowner

For a look that's simple yet elegant, Saenz selected a dark wood with a linear detail, just another element to reflect the square and rectangular theme of the home.

A cream color tile covers the floor of the entrance, which adds a soothing contrast to the bright blue accent wall. The blue paint is used sporadically throughout the home to add a little drama to the space, Saenz said.

To the left of the entrance is a half bathroom. As with all of the rooms, it features light switches placed lower on the wall.

"That way it's convenient for everyone," Saenz said.

A bedroom, which has access to the front patio as well as its own bathroom, completes that end of the home.

To the right, the cream tile transitions into oak floors with radiant heating.

"Anyone who has radiant heating knows that it spoils you," Saenz said.

A formal living room, which has one of three fireplaces in the home, sits across from the formal dining room. The hall then continues to the great room and kitchen space.

Featuring tall walls to showcase his

extensive art collection, Saenz said the great room also includes several built-ins to complete the feel of the grand space. Exposed beams cover the ceiling of the two-story room to add a rustic factor and complement the outside pine trees.

"We were going for that wow factor," he said.

Granite tile covers the countertops in the linear kitchen, which also includes custom-made oak cabinets. Using every inch of space, Saenz said Quiñones included an oversized pantry that also features under-stair storage.

A casual eating area overlooks an enclosed pool area. In addition to the rectangular pool and attached spa with waterfall, the patio includes an outdoor kitchen and dining space. A fire pit finishes off the entertainment location, which Saenz said has helped a large number of people.

An office, tucked behind double doors, completes the downstairs area. Painted a soothing green, Saenz said he planned ahead and included a closet and bathroom, which features a sauna, in case it needed to be used as a bedroom.

Up the solid oak stairs is another bedroom, this time painted light blue, and the master suite. Dividing the large master suite is a three-way fireplace, which surrounds the TV area. Beyond is a hallway that leads to a balcony that looks out the back of the house and the bathroom – which features a tiled walk-in shower as well as a deep Jacuzzi bathtub.

A second balcony is off of the bed area. "You can watch the sunrise and the sunset," Saenz said.

In 2003, in addition to the fence, Saenz hired Quiñones to construct a detached garage. Resembling a barn, the two-story structure, which has its own air conditioner, heater and water, has enough space for three cars.

Upstairs is an open area that is used as an at-home gym, but can be transformed into another bedroom. In addition to a kitchenette area and walk-in closet, the space also includes a balcony that looks over the entire property.

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Featured home
4774 Forest Park Drive

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Record holding insects

Summertime bugs have a variety of remarkable abilities



Scott Svenheim
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Insects have amazing abilities that even human record holders can't beat. They have marvelous adaptability, which have allowed them to survive in difficult climates for millions of years and can also make controlling these insects a challenge at times.

A great example is the flea. Fleas are known for jumping long distances, which is how they find new places to feed. This long jump is what makes the flea sometimes hard to control. They can jump farther and higher than the best human long and high jumpers. A flea's 13-inch long jump, when translated into the length of a human's jump, would be 450 feet. The current world record for a human long jump is 29.4 feet, which was set in 1991.

The world's best power lifters can find inspiration in a small insect – the ant. Ants can drag food that is 25 times heavier than their own body weight. That's the equivalent of a 100-pound human carrying around one of our Volkswagen bug Mousecars.

Ants are also tremendous organizers. In times of flooding, red imported fire ants will clump together in balls and float to higher ground. The leaf cutter ant is another extreme ant that works like a team on a farm. Workers bring pieces of leaves deep into the colony. The leaves then act as compost for a fungus crop that becomes food for the ants.

The fastest flying insect is the dragonfly. This insect is known to travel at about 35 mph. The hawk moth is in close second with a speed of about 33.7 mph. Although the dragonfly is known to be the fastest, the desert locust has actually been studied and clocked at an average airspeed of about 21 mph.

Cicadas are the champions for being the



The Australian tiger beetle is the fastest running insect with the ability to run as fast as 5.6 mph.

loudest insect. The African cicada produces a song with an average sound level of 106.7 decibels. Two species of North American cicadas produce a sound with an average sound level of 105.9 decibels. These high decibel levels are close to the sound made by a snow blower or jet plane.

The longest living insects are the queens of African mound building termites. They can live up to 60 years. The queen can sometimes grow up to six centimeters long while the other termites in the mound are generally less than one centimeter.

The Australian tiger beetle is the fastest running insect. Some can run as fast as 5.6 mph. These insects have deformed wings and cannot fly, so they run from any prey. The fastest of them can travel about 170 times their body length per second. If the average human ran 170 times their body length, they would be running about 340 mph.

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An old flowerpot can be repurposed into a fountain by simply adding a pump.

Be creative, give new life to outdoor spaces

Ways to freshen backyard without breaking the bank

Sprucing up outdoor spaces doesn't have to cost a lot to create a big impact. Rather than buying new, consider refreshing or upgrading furnishings, equipment and features you already have.

You will save some green and give new life to items that might otherwise wind up in the trash – and ultimately in the landfill. Here are some summer spruce-up ideas:

Reviving patio furniture

Time, use and weather can leave outdoor furnishings looking withered and faded. Whether your patio set is wooden, painted aluminum, cast iron or even wicker, you can make it look new again with a fresh coat of paint. Gentle sanding and the right type of paint will have your set looking new in no time. Add in new cushions in bright colors and you've created a whole new look at a fraction of the cost of buying new.

Winning water features

Water features can add a splash of beauty and relaxation to an outdoor environment. Consider repurposing a flowerpot or large colorful vase into a fountain by waterproofing it and adding a pump. Or if you bought a fountain a few seasons ago and it's sitting there unused because the original pump has burned out, it's actually simple and cost-effective to get it going again with a replacement fountain pump found at your local home improvement store.

As the weather heats up and evaporation causes water levels to drop in fountains, traditional pumps can burn out from too-low

water levels. There are energy-efficient pumps available that are ideal for small- to medium-sized fountains. Check out your local home improvement store.

Fences and decks

Large surface areas, such as fences and decks, are the first to get noticed. Improve the aesthetics of worn, neglected surfaces with a new coat of waterproofer and stain. First, inspect for damaged boards and replace with appropriate materials when necessary. Check to be sure deck fasteners are secure and tighten them if they've come loose over the winter. If a fastener can't be tightened, you may need to replace it. Next, power wash and waterproof (either in clear or stain finishes) decks and fences.

You can also spruce up decks by making small changes, such as adding decorative rails or post caps. Lighting, décor and accessories can also freshen the look of an existing deck.

Keeping your grill great

New gas grills can cost from a few hundred to several thousand dollars. You can refurbish your old grill for a fraction of the cost. Start by cleaning all parts and surfaces by following the manufacturer's instructions. If you no longer have the manual that came with your grill, check the manufacturer's website to see if you can download one. It's possible to repaint rusted, faded or scratched parts as long as you use a paint rated for high temperatures. For stainless steel surfaces, use an appropriate polish to freshen the shine.

Worn-out igniters are also a common problem with gas grills, so check yours to see if it still works. If it doesn't, you can likely buy a replacement either through a home center or from the manufacturer.

With a few cost-effective upgrades, it's possible to spruce up the outdoor equipment you have, so you can enjoy it – and the savings you'll reap – for another season.

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Featured Builder: Tom Capron

A hands-on approach to building

Tom Capron shows variety with four spec homes in Desert Mirage

By **Beth Sitzler**
Las Cruces Bulletin

After more than 30 years in the building industry, Tom Capron is continuing to do what he does best – create elegant and functional homes filled with unique details.

Growing up in Artesia, N.M., Capron said he played football for the Bulldogs before entering the Marine Corps and doing two tours in Vietnam. After he left the service, he traveled the world.

He eventually ended up in Guatemala, where he owned a company that provided guide services to hunters and photographers. Around this time, his mother moved out of his hometown to join his brother, who was attending New Mexico State University in Las Cruces.

"I would come visit and I started to call this place home," he said. "After awhile, I decided to go back to school and moved to Las Cruces."

Attending NMSU in 1970 to study agricultural business, Capron said he became interested and involved in real estate.

"It started in college," he said. "I would buy properties and fix them up to sell."

Spending much of his time also taking real estate classes, Capron said after he graduated in 1974 with his bachelor's degree, he went straight into the real estate sector full time.

"It was my real interest," he said. "I've been in sales, brokerage, real estate development, residential construction."

Having a hand in multiple facets, he found his place in the building world and created Capron Building & Design Co.

"I loved construction," he said. "Probably what I loved the most was having an idea and designing it and meeting all of the elements of the client and the site. It's amazing to see it from a design to standing, and having that ability to make a dream come true. It's like bringing the house up from out of the ground."

Always fascinated by design, Capron said he taught himself how to create floor plans and still does them by hand before transferring them to a computer.

"I don't think you can design on a computer," he said. "I don't think you can get the feel of the space. Space planning is first, while you



Builder Tom Capron stands on the porch of his recently completed, pueblo-inspired home at 8705 Regal Mist Court. It is one of four homes he is building in the area.

also think about the architecture and style."

Building in a variety of styles – from Tuscan and Southwest to contemporary – Capron said he also constructs homes in just about any price range, adding that "it doesn't matter if the house is small or large, you can put something creative into any floor plan."

"If I had to pick, I'd say a blend of the Tuscan and Southwest styles is my favorite," he said, "but I can do so many styles. Each style creates a different challenge. I enjoy the elements of each style. They each have a different form and shape, a different characteristic."

A "very hands-on builder," Capron said from the beginning, he and his crew – some of whom are the grandchildren of previous crew members – strived to create handcrafted elements with a close attention to detail.

"We've been able to maintain that and even enhance those details," he said. "My crew, they're craftsmen. I'm willing to say that no builder has a staff of craftsmen and a shop with (a better) ability to fabricate custom details."

Building custom architectural features, such as doors, fireplace mantels, columns and trim, Capron said in 2006 he created Architectural Elements for the Home.

"We were always making them to put in our homes, so I thought that we'd expand and become a wholesaler," he said. "I took all of the elements that made a home special and I focused on those elements and created a company that provided those special elements."

From selecting the materials to doing the design work, Capron dedicated himself to the new company and took a break from building spec homes, although he still did custom creations and remodels.

In addition to the cast-stone items – including the columns in the newly renovated Downtown Main Street area – as well as cantera stone and wood work, Capron said they also create foam trim. A lightweight and durable material used for crown molding and other interior and exterior architectural details, Capron said it's a Styrofoam that is covered in plaster and can be used to create different profiles, shapes and details.

“ Each style creates a different challenge. I enjoy the elements of each style. ”

TOM CAPRON,
builder

Going back to building spec homes last fall, Capron purchased four lots in the Desert Mirage subdivision in the Dripping Springs Road area. "It's a great neighborhood and a great value," he said. "The homes are in the \$500,000 range so I thought I'd build in the \$400,000 range. It's a niche in the market that isn't being satisfied."

Building the homes one at a time in four different styles, he recently finished the pueblo-influenced home at 8705 Regal Mist Court in time for the 2011 Spring Showcase of Homes in April.

With the design of the next home – a classic Southwest style with vigas, exterior wood accents and hand-trim elements – completed, Capron said he is still in the design process of the third home.

"It's more of a Spanish-mission style," he said. "It's going to have a tile roof and I'm going to give it that smoother, hand-plastered look."

Not one to plan too far in the future, Capron said he is still working on ideas for the fourth home.

Capron said he recently selected Realtor Christi Koch of EXIT Realty Horizons as his Realtor.

Constructing more than 100 homes throughout his career, Capron said he has

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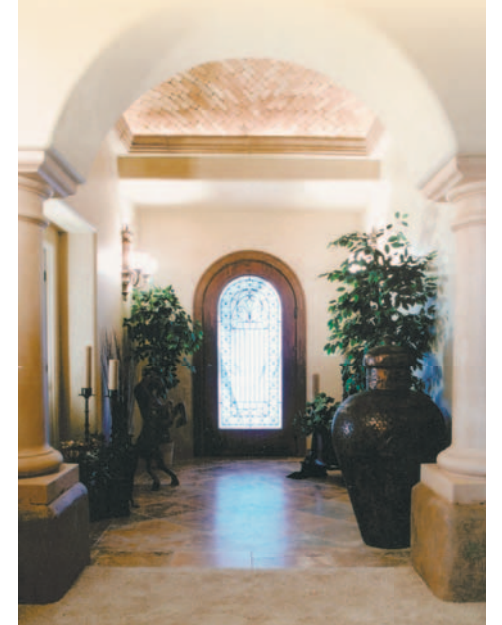
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- Three sons
- Six grandchildren



Capron is known for his fine detailing, such as stone columns and brick accents.

discovered that the biggest challenge is being able to do everything he wants in a home while staying within budget.

"(To do this) you maximize what would be the most appreciated," he said, adding that this can be an ornamental design around the fireplace, the fine detailing along the windowsills and base boards or a window that perfectly frames the view of the Organ Mountains.



Capron uses a lot of stone work in his homes and owns Architectural Elements for the Home, which is a wholesaler for such details.



Wood also plays an important role in Capron's homes.

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Stocking up for your green chile fix

With harvest in swing, learn the ins and outs of selecting, storing chile

By **Beth Sitzler**
Las Cruces Bulletin

The green chile – a staple of New Mexico’s culinary and cultural uniqueness.

While used as a spice, coloring agent and decorative plant, the best employ of the chile pepper is most likely cooking the vegetable to create hot, flavorful dishes.

Beginning around the middle of August, the Las Cruces air is accented in a hint of smoky chile as pepper roasters pop up throughout the area. This marks the time for community members to restock their freezers with the colorful goodness.

For those new to the green chile buying game, there are a few things to consider when selecting, roasting and storing your supply.

Selecting

While green chiles look very similar, they’re not all the same.

“You can’t tell how hot a chile will be by looking at it,” said Paul Bosland, co-founder of the Chile Pepper Institute on the New Mexico State University campus. “A mild Joe Parker will look the same as a hot Sandia.”

No matter the variety, Bosland said when selecting chile peppers, it’s important to choose those that have a nice green color, smooth and shiny appearance and are firm, crisp and symmetrical. If the chile is shriveled, then it is too old. If it is soft, then it is too immature, he added.

When it comes to the taste and heat of a chile, as with different types of wine, there is an array of chile varieties to fit any preference.

“The same thing is true with chile,” he said. “You have to be somewhat educated on the different types of chile to know what you’re getting. That’s why NMSU has the Teaching

& Demonstration Garden (109 W. University Ave.) to help educate the public on the different varieties out there.”

A relatively new variety introduced by NMSU is the NuMex Heritage 6-4. The original NuMex 6-4 was introduced about 60 years ago, Bosland said, and has since lost its identity and those characteristics that made it special.

“We reselected the variety and went back for a real flavorful chile,” said Bosland, adding that the new variety has five times the aromatic characteristic than the chile did five years ago. “I’m sure after someone tries the Heritage 6-4, they’ll never go back to any other variety.”

For those looking for a lot of heat, NMSU also introduced the NuMex Heritage Big Jim. Created in the 1970s by Roy Nakayama, the original NuMex Big Jim was the world’s largest chile pepper.

“One of the distractions with the NuMex Big Jim was its varying heat level,” said Bosland, adding that it was distributed before Nakayama had a chance to perfect the variety. “Sometimes you get mild, medium and hot peppers.”

Bosland said NMSU made the Heritage Big Jim variety very hot, featuring 7,000 scoville heat units – the 6-4 has 1,600.

Those who want a much more mild chile can select NuMex Joe Parker, which Bosland said has 800 scoville heat units.

“Often times, people get Parker mixed up with Barker, which is very hot,” he said.

With such mix-ups taking place, Bosland said it’s important for consumers to know their stuff and not be afraid to ask for what they want.

“When you go to the grocery store or wherever they’re roasting, ask for the chile you want by name,” Bosland said.

Those who don’t want to search for NuMex

“You have to be somewhat educated on the different types of chile to know what you’re getting.”

PAUL BOSLAND,
Chile Pepper Institute



Las Cruces Bulletin photos by Niki Rhynes

NuMex Easter is an ornamental chile created by New Mexico State University to resemble water color or Easter eggs.

Heritage 6-4 or NuMex Heritage Big Jim can purchase these varieties at the Chile Pepper Institute in Gerald Thomas Hall, Room 265, beginning next week from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

These varieties will also be roasted, frozen and sold at the Biad Chili Products plant, 6060 S. Main St., Bosland said. Known as the Biad Reserve, the proceeds from the chile sales will go into an endowed chair at NMSU.

Roasting

Important not only to improving its flavor, roasting chile is a necessary step because it helps remove the skin, which shouldn’t be eaten. Only green chiles are roasted, Bosland

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Chile Pepper Institute co-founder Paul Bosland explains how the Teaching & Demonstration Garden can be used as a tool for community members to learn more about the amazing chile plant.

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said, adding that red and pinto chiles – which are green chiles that have begun to turn red – can't be peeled.

Chile roasters set up shop throughout the Mesilla Valley, but consumers can roast their chile themselves at home using an oven or broiler, stove top, outdoor grill or microwave. For more information about these methods, visit the NMSU Cooperative Extension website at www.cahe.nmsu.edu.

Whether roasting at home or by the professionals, it's important to refrigerate the peppers within two hours of being exposed to heat.

"If they're going to roast chile, they don't want to leave it in their trunk and run errands," Bosland said. "They should either race home or put it on ice if they're going to travel with it."

Bosland said chile heat isn't the same as temperature heat and if not properly chilled and stored, salmonella or botulism can grow.

In the refrigerator, the chile must be used or properly stored within three days, but the sooner the better to ensure the best flavor and texture, said Extension Food Technology Specialist Nancy Flores.

Freezing

While there are a variety of ways to store your green chile so it lasts all season, Flores said the most popular method is freezing.

Although a relatively simple concept, freezing isn't simply throwing your pile of chile in a bag and tossing it into the freezer – it takes a little more work than that.

"A big mistake people make when storing chile is they put it directly into the freezer," Flores said. "The freezer can't bring down hot temperatures efficiently. One thing that can happen is you can have a core or portion of the chile in the middle of the pack that is still warm."

This warm center will spoil and allow bacteria to grow. The bacteria can become dormant during its frozen storage and will be revived when the peppers are thawed, causing illness.

Even if a warm spot doesn't form, storing the peppers in too large of a container can result in a mushy texture. This is because ice crystals will form within the chile tissue.

Ideally, the chiles should be cooled in the refrigerator or an ice bath to 40 degrees before being placed in the freezer.

Details

Roasting chile at home

- **Oven or broiler method:** Place peppers in a hot oven or broiler set at 400 to 450 degrees for 6 to 8 minutes; using tongs, carefully turn pepper often until skin blisters evenly on all sides.
- **Range top method:** Place peppers on wire mesh over a hot electric or gas burner; using tongs carefully turn peppers frequently, exposing all surfaces to the heat source until skin blisters evenly on all sides.
- **Outdoor grill method:** Place peppers on a charcoal grill about 5 to 6 inches above glowing coals; using tongs carefully turn peppers frequently, exposing all surfaces to the heat source until skin blisters evenly on all sides.
- **Microwave oven method:** Place peppers in a microwave safe dish; cover with secure air-tight lid to allow for steam build up. Place container on rotating plate in the center of the oven, then microwave for 7 to 8 minutes depending the oven wattage and power level (settings may vary depending on microwave oven used). Blistering is not apparent with this method. However, the skin will have a tougher, more brittle texture compared to the raw pepper. Allow steam to fully develop in the covered container for 1 to 2 minutes after microwave cooking. Caution: Steam will be released from container when the lid is opened.

Source: www.cahe.nmsu.edu

Using

No matter the way you store your roasted green chile, when it comes time to use it, it's important to properly thaw and cook the vegetable.

"When people are using green chile, it's not a fully cooked product," Flores said. "The safest thing to do is to fully thaw the chile in the refrigerator or in water and then fully cook it."

Before cooking, however, the skin will need to be removed because it is difficult to chew and can affect the texture and appearance of a dish.

Whether peeling before or after storing, chefs may need to wear gloves or protective eyewear because the capsicum in the chile can be irritating. Also, if the chile skin isn't completely blistered, a knife or vegetable peeler may be needed to remove it.

Green chile is as intricate and complex as a fine wine, and consumers can learn more about the fiery pepper by visiting the NMSU Chile Pepper Institute website at www.chilepepperinstitute.org.



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A home for a flying friend at the Bat house workshop

Photos by Niki Rhynes



Tony Huelin puts some glue down for added staying power.

Cassi Huelin paints a strip of wood to be assembled into a bat house during a bat housemaking workshop held Saturday, Aug. 13, at the Southwest Environmental Center. The finished houses will later be placed at SWEC's La Mancha Wetland Project along the Rio Grande.



Kevin Bixby explains the finished house and why it is so compact. The brown bats that will occupy the houses like small dark places.



Samantha Frederich places a screw down for Jason Frederich to drill.

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I think I can, I think I can

Coffee container not restricted to one use

By **Beth Sitzler**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Since the discovery of brewing coffee beans to create a delightful and energetic beverage, there has been a search for the perfect way to store it.

While several different containers have been used, including burlap, plastic and paper bags, the best way to store the beans was in a vessel that would reduce their exposure to water, light, oxygen and heat – which is where the coffee can comes in.

Usually created from tin, but also plastic, the coffee can is a large container with a lid that creates a seal, locking in the coffee beans' goodness. Although designed for your morning pot of joe, the coffee can isn't restricted to just that use. In fact, it has several other purposes around the house.

1. Store prepared hamburgers: In preparation of the upcoming Labor Day Weekend, you might decide to get your hamburger meat early while the deals are still good. Keep them fresh by storing them in a coffee can in the freezer until the big day. Portion and flatten the patties and place each in a plastic baggie. Stack them in the coffee can and freeze. This will help them keep their shape and allow them to be removed and cooked easily.

2. Craft a scrap bucket: Working in the kitchen can be a messy job – just think of the orange peel, garlic skin and carrot stubs that cover your countertop when preparing dinner. Instead of make one trip after another to the trashcan, keep an old coffee can near by. Toss the scraps in them and empty it into a mulch pile when full. Line the can with a plastic bag to cut down on the need to constantly wash your container.

3. Save your change: Emptying your pockets at the end of the day can reveal a pile of loose change – change that will likely end up on the floor or forgotten about. Keep track of your change by storing it in an empty coffee can. Cut a 1/8-inch slit into the center of the lid and you instantly have a bank for your coins. The lid can be taped to the canister if you're trying to save up your money or keep someone out.

4. Declutter your laundry: That same loose change can also find its way into your laundry. Keep it and other forgotten pocket items out of the wash by placing it in a coffee can. Set the can close to wherever you sort your laundry. It will work as a lost-and-found that your family can search through for those lost quarters, packs of gum and lip balm.

5. Make a dehumidifier: While an overabundance of humidity isn't a problem for us in the Chihuahuan Desert, educate family members in sweatier climates about this coffee can trick. The next time Aunt Kathy in North Dakota tells you about how her basement is too damp, inform her that she can solve her

problem by simply filling a coffee can with salt and placing it in a corner. It will act as a dehumidifier and absorb the excess moisture. Also remind her that the salt will need to be changed on a monthly basis.

6. Stop your potted plant from leaking: If you don't have a saucer on hand to catch any water drips from your potted plant, reach for a coffee can lid. Just slide the plastic circle under your houseplant and it will collect any runaway water, protecting your carpet, floor and furniture.

7. Keep your toilet paper dry when camping: Braving the great outdoors can be an adventure, but there are a few modern amenities you'll need to take with you, such as a flashlight, water bottle and toilet paper. A common camping problem is keeping your toilet paper dry. Do this by storing it in an empty coffee can. Come rain or shine, you're paper will be dry as a bone.

8. Measure rainfall: Living in the desert, we appreciate every drop of rain that falls from the sky. Those who are curious about how much downpour they receive can measure it using an old coffee can. Set several cans at different locations throughout your backyard. When the water has stopped coming down, gather each can and measure the contents with a ruler. The amount you've received can help you gauge whether or not you need to water.

9. Seed specific lawn spots: The next time you have to reseed those bare spots on your lawn, instead of wasting the seed by spreading it everywhere, use a coffee can to put it in select locations. Drill small holes in the bottom of the can large enough for the grass seeds to pass through. Place the lid on the bottom of the can as you fill it with the seed. When you're ready to spread the seed, remove the lid and sprinkle it around the area. The lid can then be reattached to the bottom to store the seed without dripping out.

10. Organize your workshop: Small items such as screws, nuts and nails can easily get lost in your workshop while larger objects including scraps of wood can clutter the area. Get your workspace organized with a few leftover coffee cans. Label each can and stuff them with these items. Not only will they be out of the way, but they'll be easy to find the next time you need them.

11. Bake a loaf of bread: Rather than a boring loaf tin, the coffee can is a perfect container to make a circular loaf of bread. Using any bread recipe you choose, grease a thoroughly washed coffee can and its lid. If making yeast bread, separate the dough into two cans. After the lid pops off, you'll know it's time to bake the bread. Place the cans without the lids upright in the oven to bake according to its instructions.



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Beth Sitzler

Around-the-house item: Coffee can

12. Make a bird feeder: Besides feeding yourself, a coffee can could be used to feed your feathered friends. Turn it into a bird-feeder by poking holes around the entire bottom portion of the can. Glue the bottom to a plate so the birds have something to stand on. Near the top, punch two holes across from each other. Loop a coat hanger or piece of string through these two holes and hang it from a tree or pole. Fill the container with birdseed. They will seep through the holes and onto the plate, where birds can easily get them.

13. Guard your seedlings: Known for its high winds, New Mexico can be a dangerous place for a weak seedling trying to grow its roots. All it takes is one mighty gust to crack its stem in half. Give it some protection by covering it with a coffee can. Push the can down into the dirt so it isn't easy to blow away. Be sure to remove the can when the strong windstorm is over.

14. Create a frozen treat: A great project for the kids is to make homemade ice cream using a coffee can. Fun for a rainy day, find a recipe online and fill the can with your ingredients, tape the lid closed and place it into a larger, ice filled can. Roll them around your house for about 10 minutes before popping it into the freezer for two to three hours.

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Eat smarter on the go

Magic Bullet makes fresh food in seconds

By **Rachel Christiansen**
Las Cruces Bulletin

As students and staff begin to flow back into their busy routines filled with classes and studying this week, making time for healthy, home-cooked meals may find its way to the bottom of priority lists.

Signs of the dreaded "Freshman 15" may even soon begin to appear as a result of over-indulging in drive-thrus and developing poor eating habits.

Another obstacle could be the lack of kitchen space in dorms or new apartments needed to produce such health-conscious meals.

If chosen wisely, however, some appliances may actually combine the option of smarter meal choices while also offering to be time and space efficient.

One of the smallest blenders on the market, The Magic Bullet, boasts of giving its users the same foods that one might get from using food processors or blenders, minus the bulk or mess, within about 10 seconds.

Throwing a few fresh ingredients into this miniature device can produce instant smoothies, dips, salsas, frozen drinks and more, all while on the run.

What is it?

Taking up about as much space as a coffee mug, the Bullet's multiple sized cups can be used not only to make the chosen treat of the day, but also to run out the door with. Once blending is complete and the cup is removed from the power base, a comfort lip ring or lid can be easily twisted on to avoid dirtying a new serving glass.

It's versatile enough to be used as a coffee grinder, cheese grater or even to blend fresh facial and hair creams. The product comes

with a complete book of simple and nutritious recipes.

There is also an entire section on how to blend one's own fresh baby food. Store-bought baby food can be filled with preservatives, not to mention they are pricey. Making fresh food for those little ones can be nutritionally beneficial as well as cost effective.

The Magic Bullet is a Homeland Housewares product, which offers a one-year warranty to fix and replace your device of any defects or malfunctions at no cost to the consumer.

How does it work?

The Magic Bullet is a blender with stainless steel blades and a design that forces its ingredients in a cyclonic motion up and quickly back down to the blades for speedy results.

It has no complicated buttons or settings to figure out, as it is operated by simply pressing the cup down on the power base to turn on, and letting go to turn off. All three sizes of cups are dishwasher safe.



*Featured kitchen gadget:
Magic Bullet*

Where can it be found?

The Magic Bullet trademark is available online through its official website as well as other retail stores that sell kitchen appliances, such as Target, Walmart and Bed, Bath & Beyond.

How much does it cost?

The Magic Bullet costs about \$48 to \$54, depending on the store, and the official website always offers special two-for-the-price-of-one deals.



Graduate student Sarah Padilla and professor Lisa McKee measure the color and viscosity of their own chile gelato base liquid inside a food science laboratory in Gerald Thomas Hall. Padilla's graduate thesis centers on product development of chile-flavored gelato.

Cold and refreshing with a side of spice

NMSU graduate student ready to taste test chile gelato recipes

By **Janet Perez**
For the Las Cruces Bulletin

Imagine taking a bite of a cold, frosty treat such as a gelato. The tip of your tongue feels cool as the sweet frozen dessert coats it. Just as you're about to take another bite, the back of your throat starts feeling hotter and hotter.

That's the taste sensation you'll experience when you try Sarah Padilla's chile gelatos.

The New Mexico State University Family and Consumer Sciences graduate student has created recipes for chile gelato using three varieties of the hot stuff developed by the university's Chile Pepper Institute: Heritage 6-4 (mild), Cayenne (medium) and Bhut Jolokia (hot).

The chile gelatos come "hot" on the heels of the Family and Consumer Sciences' successful chile brownie taste test in July.

The chile gelato recipes are part of Padilla's master's thesis and, not surprisingly, she has a good handle on her creations.

"It's a very weird sensation. It's very hot and cold at the same time," Padilla said. "It takes a few seconds to hit you because the fat in the gelato coats the chile. As the fat dissolves you get the heat sensation."

"You can't taste the chile; it's more the sensation of the spiciness. I wasn't sure I was going to like it, but I actually do. It tastes very good. It's very creamy with a light flavor. It's not too sweet."

The base gelato is made from a mixture of sugar, vanilla, milk and half-and-half. The chiles are in a powdered form and are added to the basic gelato mix. The combined ingredients are then aged for 24 hours in a refrigerator before being put into the ice cream maker. Only half a teaspoon of chile powder per gallon of ice cream is used.

"The Bhut Jolokia is so hot that any more than a half teaspoon you probably wouldn't be able to eat it unless you were a huge chile head," Padilla said. "I think the majority of people won't think the gelatos are so hot that they will need to get a drink of water after."

Padilla, who hopes to finish her thesis and graduate in December, knows she has a good product, but so far she hasn't given much thought to marketing her dessert. Right now, her aspirations are modest.

"Eventually we're going to be selling ice cream out of Gerald Thomas Hall," she said. "If (the chile gelatos) are popular enough, they will be regular flavors in the display case."

Home Sales Scoreboard

LAS CRUCES AREA

	This Week	Last Week	Same Week Last Year
Closed Sales New Homes	4	2	3

Closed Sales Existing Homes	18	11	14
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Pending Home Sales (All)	162	170	178
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	This Week	Last Week	Same Week Last Year
Average Days on Market (All)	181	89	92

	This Week	Last Week	Same Week Last Year
Median Price New	\$152,250	\$148,600	\$149,990

Median Price Existing	\$123,500	\$173,315	\$149,450
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	This Week	Last Week	Same Week Last Year
Total Homes on Market (All)	1,151	1,130	1,190

Real Estate Agents	407	407	454
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"Homes" include detached single-family homes, townhomes and condominiums

Source: Las Cruces Multiple Listing Service (MLS)* for the period 8/8/11 - 8/14/11
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Get feelin' groovy fare

Spicy meals for a relaxing weekend

Sunny Conley
Chile Knights



Valley weekend breakfasts require three major fixes: a hearty, homemade flame-roasted green chile-charged breakfast; a mug full of steaming brew; and a copy of the Las Cruces Bulletin (turned to page E11, of course!).

These three "must-haves" help chileheads get a jump-start on "honey-do" lists, mall parking challenges, kid carpooling and other miscellaneous yet necessary yawners. But don't rush. Slow down. Be lazy. Don't move too fast. Make the morning last – with the best breakfast in town – at your place. Plug in the pot and get goin' with one of these feelin'groovy weekend recipes I've selected just for you.

Old World Breakfast Casserole

2 cups medium-hot Hatch green chiles, roasted, stemmed, seeded (if desired) and chopped
6 large eggs
1/4 cup cilantro, chopped
1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
1/2 teaspoon ground cumin
1/2 teaspoon ground coriander
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon black pepper
1 (14-ounce) can diced tomatoes, drained
1 cup fresh corn kernels, scraped from cob
1 1/3 cup scallions, sliced and divided
1 (16-ounce) loaf sourdough bread, cubed and divided
8 slices smoked applewood bacon, cooked, chopped and divided
1 1/2 cups (about 6 ounces) smoked provolone cheese, shredded and divided

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Whip together green chile and next eight ingredients until well blended. Combine the tomatoes, corn and 1 cup green onions in a medium-sized bowl. Spray a 13-by-9-by-2-inch baking dish with olive oil cooking spray. Add half of the bread cubes to the bottom of baking dish. Sprinkle half tomato mixture, 1 cup cheese and half of the bacon. Repeat with remaining bread and tomato mixture. Pour milk mixture over top and sprinkle with remaining cheese, bacon and scallions.

Cover and refrigerate 8 hours or overnight. Bake uncovered for 1 hour or until set. Makes 12 servings.

Hearty Hatch Breakfast in a Muffin

12 medium to large eggs
1/2 cup Hatch Barker green chile peppers (or other favorite chile), roasted, chopped, stemmed and seeded
2 cups grated or shredded four-cheese Mexican blend cheese
2 tablespoons milk
2 tablespoons fresh cilantro, minced
1/2 teaspoon kosher salt
1/2 teaspoon fresh black pepper



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Sunny Conley

Begin a groovy weekend with a hearty chile-charged breakfast.

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Spray a standard-sized 12-muffin tin with olive oil or canola oil spray. In a large bowl, whip the eggs until smooth. Add the remaining ingredients, and whisk to combine.

Use a 1/3-cup measuring cup to fill the muffin tin. Bake for 35 minutes muffins are brown on top. Remove the muffin tin from the oven and allow to cool for 5 minutes before serving. Serve immediately with butter or cool completely to freeze in small plastic freezer bags. Makes 12 servings.

Four Pepper Quiche Squares

8 ounce tube refrigerated crescent roll dough
3/4 cup shredded Monterey Jack cheese
3/4 cup shredded Colby cheese
1/2 cup green chiles, fresh roasted, peeled, stemmed and diced
1/2 cup white onion, diced
4 large eggs, beaten to blend
1 cup milk
1/3 cup Dijon mustard
1 tablespoon fresh cilantro leaves, chopped
1/2 teaspoon chili powder
1/4 cup tomato, diced
1/4 cup red bell pepper, diced
1/4 cup yellow bell pepper, diced

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Grease the inside of a 13-by-9-inch baking pan. Unroll the crescent dough onto a flat surface and carefully press perforations together with index finger. Transfer the dough to the prepared pan and gently press evenly over the bottom, and about 1 inch up the sides. Bake the crust 5 to 8 minutes until light golden color.

Sprinkle the crust with 1/2 of the Monterey Jack and Colby cheese. Top with the green chiles and onion and sprinkle with the remaining cheese. Whisk together the eggs, milk, Dijon, cilantro and chili powder in a medium bowl. Pour the egg mixture over the crust and bake about 20 to 30 minutes until set. Sprinkle the diced tomato and bell peppers over the top of the quiche and let stand 5 minutes before cutting into squares and serving.

Snappy Green Chile Chorizo Burrito with Verde Salsa

2 (6 to 8 inch) flour tortillas
2 large eggs
1 small potato
1/8 cup milk or cream
1/4 cup white onion, chopped
Fresh veggies, shredded
1/4 cup extra-sharp cheddar cheese, shredded
1/2 cup ground chorizo
1/4 cup hot green chile, roasted, stemmed, seeded, peeled and chopped
Salt and pepper
Zesty Pico de Gallo

Bake a small potato in the microwave until almost done. Remove, peel and dice into 3/8- to 1/2-inch cubes. Fry chorizo in a hot skillet until almost done. Remove most of the grease; add veggies, chopped onion and sauté until limp. Add diced potato, stirring occasionally until heated thoroughly.

Mix the eggs and milk, and pour into the

skillet with the meat and vegetable mixture. Stir gently until done. Place the egg mixture on the tortillas in a straight line down the center. Sprinkle with salt, pepper and cheese. Do not over-fill. Fold and wrap each tortilla around the mixture and top with Zesty Pico de Gallo. Makes 2 servings.

Zesty Pico de Gallo:
5 Roma tomatoes, seeded and diced
1 medium white onion, diced
1/4 cup of cilantro, finely chopped
2 to 4 serrano or jalapeño chiles, seeded and finely diced
Juice of one lime
Salt to taste

Add diced tomatoes, onion, cilantro and chile peppers in a large bowl. Add the lime juice and salt. Mix thoroughly with a spoon and chill in the refrigerator for at least 30 minutes to allow flavors to meld. Makes 3 to 4 cups.

Sunny Conley, a former Las Crucean, is an award-winning cookbook author and food columnist. If you have a chile recipe or idea to share, contact Conley at sunny.conley@gmail.com.

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Slow and easy can be the best

Take your time putting the finishing touches on your home



Maureen Villmer
Practical Design

I just left a client's home after delivering a chair pad, some decorative pillows and a kidney pillow. This delivery has been three years in the making. Many of the decisions have been made gradually over the three-year period to finish the look of the house. But are you ever finished? If you do think you're finished, it's probably time to start over.

I say "wise decisions" in this particular home because we

took our time and got it right. I helped to design their new home three years ago – including floor plans, kitchen layout, cabinetry, window selections, paint colors, faux finishing, tile selection and layout, wood and carpet selections, fireplaces, crown molding designs, front door design, closet layouts and even how the home was placed on the property.

While there was a lot that needed to be decided upon, there were still many things that were left undone. I remember when the client said, "I just can't make any more decisions" and "But I just can't visualize what it is going to look like."

Not everyone visualizes the end result in 3-D like I do. So, a lot of drawings and sketches of how I visualized it coming together were shared with the client to help them see the final

results before it was complete.

Since then, we have gradually worked to complete those things left undone. Today, when I walked in, my client showed me a beautiful Tiffany lamp she bought at an auction. The style is beautiful, the stained-glass colors were lovely and it just fit in the office perfectly. She had made a great decision.

The chair pad and one of the pillows I delivered went on an accent chair my client found at a consignment shop for \$40. What a find! The chair was interesting, with a little touch of oriental style, a woven seat and a pierced barrel shape in the back. The new pad looks like miniature giraffe skin in burgundy and gold and just fit the room as an accent. (It also looks great with the new Tiffany lamp.) Together, we worked to achieve a finished look in this room.

Over time, the client is gradually finding wonderful pieces to use in her home; I would say, a better result than if we had done it all when the house was originally built.

For 10 years, my client has had another chair that needed re-upholstered. She found it at an estate sale. We found moss green chenille and upholstered the old wingback. After checking on it with the upholsterer, he proceeded to tell me it had a metal frame and small wood legs. It was stuffed with horsehair and cotton batting. He had never seen anything like it, nor had I. Normally, the frame would be made of wood.

The end result was a beautiful chair with classic good looks. My client could have purchased a new chair for less than was invested in the old chair, but the results would have never been as beautiful. This chair has character, good bones, comfort and durability. It's a showpiece of the room, and it took time.

In the last six months, we added a tile backsplash that finishes the look of the kitchen. The granite had been selected three years ago, but the backsplash had not been decided upon. With the right tiles selected, we were able to have it ordered and installed within a month. They, too, are beautiful, even if I say so myself.

A paint color was selected to give the nichos an added boost of interest. A deep rusty red was selected as the backdrop to existing artwork and furniture. The final thing to be added will be faux finishing over that deep rusty red color to give it a leatherized look.

In the past two months, we have added architectural detail to the fireplace by adding crown moldings and stone around the face of the fireplace. The area with the flat screen TV has been tiled with 1-by-2-inch copper tile. Both of these areas give more prominence to the architectural focal point of the room. The last item to be added to this space will be faux finishing.

Don't think you have to complete everything the week you move in or build a new house. Live with it a while. Take your time – slow and easy. Have fun and enjoy the results of your efforts. It's an investment in your home.

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