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## Change in weather expected

Forecast calls for arrival of annual Southwest monsoon

By **Jim Hilley**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

According to the National Weather Service (NWS), Las Cruces can expect to see monsoon conditions develop in the Mesilla Valley and surrounding areas by Monday, July 11. Potentially, a plume of monsoonal moisture could be in place over the area through next week.

It will be quite a change for southern New Mexico, which has been experiencing extreme drought conditions.

“Monsoon is probably an accurate description,” said Greg Lundeen of the NWS. “We’re expecting more moisture to move into the area, increasing our chances for more showers and thunderstorms.”

Lundeen said it will begin to happen Saturday and Sunday and there may be an increase in rain activity the first part of next week.

“There may be a potential for some heavy rain and localized flooding, that’s what we’re looking at, possibly, for that period of time (Monday through Wednesday),” he said.

In looking toward the next weekend, Lundeen said the forecast models they use typically cover a 10-day period, and the models indicate a possibility the moisture plume may stay over the area.

The last substantial moisture in the area was in October, Lundeen said, though there have been some rains in very light amounts.

Other areas in New Mexico have already begun to get some significant rains, Lundeen said.

“Just recently, north of Las Cruces from Radium Springs and northward into Sierra County they’ve had half an inch of rain in some areas, and of course the mountains have started getting rain again. It’s mainly right here on the border

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## Veterans pay tribute



Merrill’s Marauder Lloyd Hackenberg and Stuart Meerscheidt, both veterans of the China Burma India theater in World War II, and Gary Sparks, a Vietnam veteran, wait for a wreath ceremony to begin at Veterans Memorial Park Monday, July 4. Alan Griffiths of the Royal British Legion visited the park to leave a wreath he brought from England.

Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Todd Dickson

## Farmers could get more water

EBID to decide on water loan offer

By **Marvin Tessneer**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

State Engineer John D’Antonio reportedly has offered to loan 100,000 acre-feet of water to the Elephant Butte Irrigation District to help supply farmers for the remainder of the 2011 season.

Because of the extreme drought, EBID’s allocation to farmers is only 4 acre-inches, which is the

smallest allocation of Rio Grande water to southern New Mexico farmers in more than 40 years and would end the irrigation season after a single watering.

A normal water allocation to a farmer would be 3 acre-feet with several releases over the spring and summer.

Farmers are getting so little Rio Grande water they must rely

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## City Council draws new boundaries

As Las Cruces completes redistricting, County Commission begins debate

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

After reviewing 10 plans, the Las Cruces City Council Tuesday, June 20, settled on new council districts that will bring the city’s six districts in better balance.

In a 5-2 vote, the council settled on plan F2, despite appeals from residents in historic neighborhoods to accept plan F3 that

they said would better keep them represented by one councillor.

City Council district lines are redrawn every 10 years based on U.S. Census data, because the city’s growth – especially on the East Mesa – has meant that those districts with more people dominate city politics.

A consulting firm and a citizen ad hoc committee gave the

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#### Lawmakers visit Spaceport America

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# Redistricting

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council different plans to choose from, and by Tuesday it was down to two revisions of plan F.

Mayor Ken Miyagishima said he spent part of his Fourth of July weekend crunching numbers on voting precincts in the two plans. He said plan F2 didn't drastically change those neighborhoods current sitting councillors represent. For example, District 1 Councillor Miguel Silva would keep about 90 percent of the same residents, he said.

District 4 Councillor Nathan Small said he felt plan F2 struck the best balance, as did District 3 Councillor Olga Pedroza, who said she felt it adequately kept the established historic neighborhoods intact. Also, she said, the districts were more compact in plan F2.

Silva said he would have liked to have seen a better population balance and was concerned that F2 did divide some historic neighborhoods.

Miyagishima said the historic neighborhoods could get more attention with two councillors.

District 2 Councillor Dolores Connor said this decision will have to stand for a decade.

"Ten years is a very long time," Connor said.

Connor said she still struggles with districts 5 and 6 having higher numbers.

The district populations must be no more than 5 percent plus or minus a statistical average. Some residents – which Connor agreed with – wanted the council to reduce the size of districts 5 and 6 so they came in close to 5 percent under. That approach would have given other districts in the city more balance, even if that balance held for only a couple of years, she said.

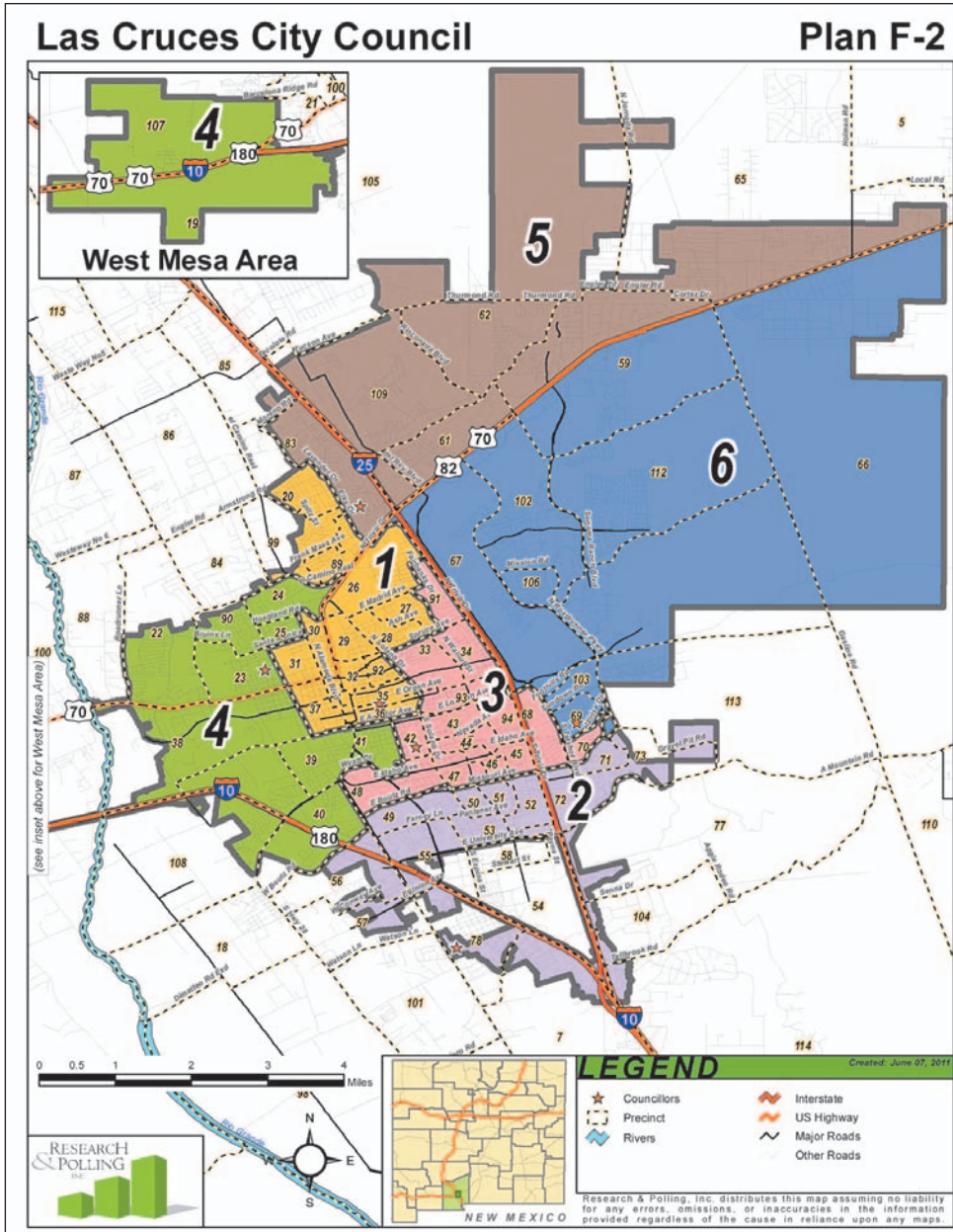
Mayor Pro Tem Sharon Thomas said she felt the two plans were very close.

Becky King, a resident of District 4, said she supported plan F2 because it better met the redistricting guidelines. Also, she said she liked that the plan consolidated Hoagland Road into one district, which has huge traffic problems.

David Chavez, president of Las Esperanzas, advocated for F3 because it would bring the Mesquite Street and Alameda Depot historic neighborhoods together.

But only Silva and Thomas voted for putting F3 to a vote. That left F2, which passed with Silva and Connor voting no.

“The district populations must be no more than 5 percent plus or minus a statistical average.”



This is the map of the new Las Cruces City Council boundaries approved Tuesday, July 5. The population of the new boundaries based on the last U.S. Census count are 15,814 in District 1; 15,566 in District 2; 16,055 in District 3; 16,211 in District 4; 17,024 in District 5; and 16,998 in District 6.



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# Opinions



## From the publisher

BY DAVID MCCOLLUM

### It's Burger Time

#### 18th annual golf scramble expected to raise more than \$270,000 for local high schools

The venue is different, but the purpose is the same – to raise money for Las Cruces high school activities.

After 17 years of being played at the Las Cruces Country Club, the 2011 version of the It's Burger Time Sandra B. McGrath All-Activities High School Golf Tournament is being played at the Sonoma Ranch Golf Course. Nearly 700 golfers will fill the course Thursday through Saturday July 7-9, competing in five rounds over three days.

In 1993, Kevin McGrath, owner of the Las Cruces-based Burger Time restaurants, developed the tournament as a way to raise public money to supplement our local high school football programs in order to be more competitive with other large New Mexico high schools. As the event grew in support and income, McGrath's weekend golf fundraiser evolved into a full-fledged nonprofit foundation. The foundation initially created an endowment specifically to support the local football programs. In 2007, the foundation expanded its endowments to include other high school clubs and activities. Through last year, the event has raised more than \$1.5 million.

There will be intense golfing competition for the coveted plaques that are awarded to the winners in each of the five rounds. The quality of participating golfers will range from scratch golfers, who could compete with the pros, to the guys like me with a 31 handicap, who escape their offices for a few hours to support our local youngsters.

The tournament is a scramble format where the worst score a team can make is par. Teams consist of four players. Each team member can hit a tee shot on each hole. After the tee shot, each player then hits their next shot from the "best ball" hit by one of the team players. In other words, a team gets four shots for each "stroke."

At the end of each round, flight winners are announced and awarded the coveted Burger Time plaques. Awards are given to the overall low score, usually in the low 50s, which means the team has claimed at least a birdie on each of the 18 holes. Occasionally, teams will report a score in the 40s, which means they eagled five or more holes and birdied all the rest. To score in the 40s, a team must be really good, or they might have accidentally made a mistake or two on their scorecard, or they are just outright liars.

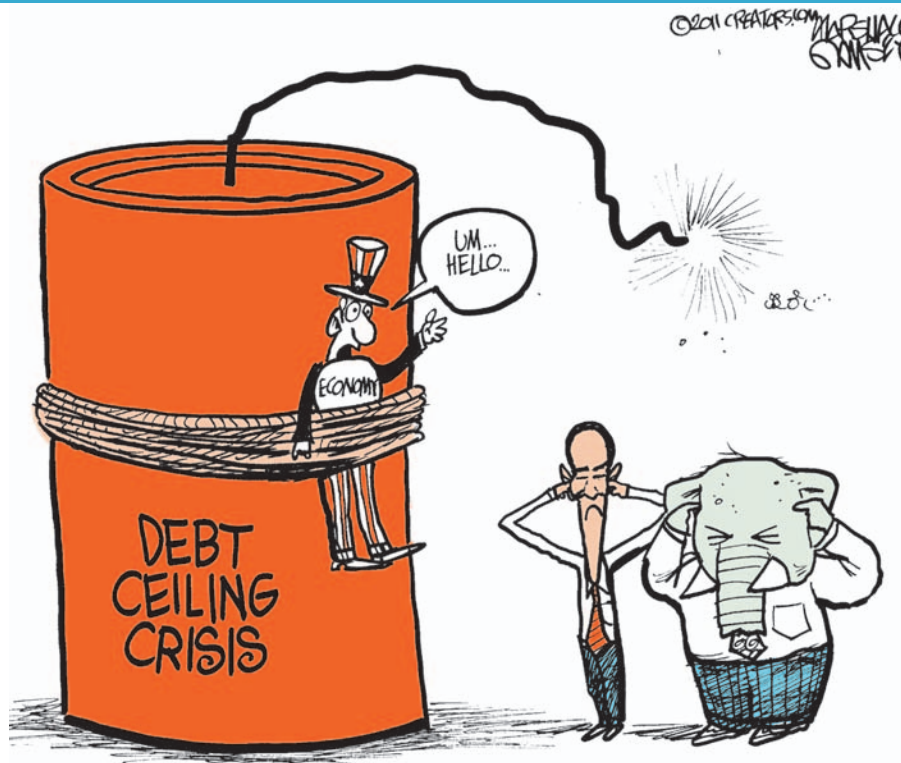
The real winners are the students at our public schools. The Burger Time Foundation has expanded the endowments to participating school clubs and activities. Now, every booster club for every sport and extra-curricular activity has the opportunity to benefit from the proceeds of each year's tournament. Over the years, the Burger Time investment in sports and activities has helped our local high school teams compete, especially in football. Since 1993, Las Cruces high schools have participated in 15 state championship football games and have brought home 12 state championship trophies.

Kevin McGrath and his team of volunteers have worked tirelessly to ensure his vision. Kevin's generosity and impassioned persuasiveness have made the Burger Time event one of the top high school fundraising activities in the nation. This year, more than 100 local businesses have chosen to participate as sponsors of the tournament at levels from \$100 to more than \$10,000. This unselfish support is what makes our Las Cruces community so special.

It's good to live in Las Cruces, where life is good, and we give back when needed.

Thanks, Kevin, for your vision and leadership, and thanks to all the tournament's sponsors and participants for your investment in our youth.

“The real winners are the students at our public schools.”



## Letter to the Editor

### Praise for City Council

The present City Council and mayor receive plenty of criticism on a daily basis. It seems we humans can "find fault" much quicker than we bestow compliments.

We believe the council deserves a positive assessment for what it has accomplished the past few years. We appreciate having district meetings with our councillor. We appreciate the fact that all the councillors and the mayor take time to listen to our concerns. A spirit of openness and cooperation is evident during meetings. When we contact our representative, we receive a response.

We are impressed with the emphasis on cost reduction, evidenced by the City Hall and the convention center being LEED-certified. The definition of LEED is "Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design." This designation means energy costs are reduced for both city buildings.

As our nation and state cope with a serious recession and high unemployment, Las Cruces is in a good financial position. We as residents are fortunate that we have seen our city managed by such capable people.

We will not agree with every decision made by the city, but the "big picture" illustrates a forward-looking council and mayor who work hard and take their jobs very seriously.

Ronald and Violet Cauthon

### Commission's bad moves

At the recent State Game Commission meeting in Las Cruces, the commission voted to give up New Mexico's seat at the table in the lobo reintroduction program run by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. This decision caught many by surprise because the current chairman of the commission, who is responsible for the agenda, provided no advance notice that the commission might end New Mexico's participation.

Unfortunately, this type of behind-the-scenes maneuvering is nothing new to those who have followed the commission's actions. The chairman is a Bill Richardson appointee who donated thousands of dollars to the campaigns of both Richardson and Susana Martinez.

Not only did the chairman fail to notify the public the commission might end long-standing participation in New Mexico's most high-profile wildlife issue, he also steered through an initiative to reduce public notice for other upcoming decisions. For upcoming rule changes that affect hunters, anglers and other citizens who care about wildlife issues, the commission cut its public notice policy in half, from 60 to 30 days.

The commission's public notice vote was a clear step backward in transparency, coming at a time when the public had been hoping for the opposite – more public input and greater transparency in state government.

Don Patterson

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# Feds still considering Anthony casino

## Advocates point to area population as a reason for approval

**Jay Miller**  
Inside the Capitol



The battle is hot and heavy over whether southern New Mexico needs another Indian casino. Jemez Pueblo has been trying for years to get clearance to open a casino near Anthony, N.M., 300 miles to the south.

The U.S. Department of the Interior is considering the application as of July 1. Many good arguments, pro and con, have been advanced over the past several months.

The Jemez application was set aside by the George W. Bush administration several years ago because the proposed casino was not within commuting distance of the pueblo.

That requirement was not part of the federal law authorizing Indian gaming. It was a policy decision termed a "guidance memo," issued by the administration of former President

George H. W. Bush.

Early in the administration of President Barack Obama, the Department of the Interior indicated it would be willing to review the rejection of applications by the Bush administration that were based on distance.

In late June, the guidance memo was rescinded. Up until that time, both sides, assuming the memo would be rejected, made arguments to the Department of the Interior for and against approval of the casino.

The public comment period ended July 1. The Department of the Interior will now, at some point, make a decision on the Jemez casino at Anthony.

David Wilson, a marketer for the proposed casino says approval of the Jemez application will not set a precedent as has been claimed. Off-reservation casinos have been approved in several different states, some at a greater distance from their tribe than is the case here.

The major opponent of the Anthony casino is the Mescalero Apache tribe, which operates casinos more than 100 miles away.

There are no other Indian casinos in southern New Mexico. There are three horse track casinos, which offer slot machine gambling, in southern New Mexico.

The closest is the nearby Sunland Park Racetrack & Casino. It has strongly opposed the Anthony casino, but since it does not come under the federal Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, its objections do not carry the weight of a tribe with a casino.

The New Mexico Indian Gaming Association, which represents tribal casinos in the state, opposes the Jemez plan, according to Mark Chino, president of the Mescalero Apache tribe.

It must have been a very close vote because Wilson tells me a majority of the 19 pueblos in the state either are in support of the Jemez plan or have agreed not to oppose it.

Most of the Indian casinos in the state are pueblo owned. At least 10 of them are clustered in an area ranging from Albuquerque to Española. The population in that area is far less than the population the same distance from Anthony. According to Wilson, the population

around Albuquerque is under 800,000, with 7,250 slot machines, while the population of Doña Ana County and El Paso is well over 900,000, with only 700 slots. That's not counting the 2 million population of Juárez, which provides a significant market.

The Fort Sill Apache Tribe in Oklahoma has weighed in on the Jemez request, disagreeing with some of the pueblo's contentions and suggesting that Apaches have a much greater claim to southern New Mexico being their homeland than do the pueblos.

That contention is not entirely accurate, however. Spanish colonist Juan de Oñate met his first Pueblo Indians near the present Las Cruces on his journey north in 1598. They were the Piro, Manso and Tiwa Indians.

Later, during the Pueblo Revolt of 1680, the Spanish, fleeing southward, were joined by members of the Isleta Pueblo, who also were Tiwa and took refuge in the Piro, Manso and Tiwa vicinity. The Tigua Tribe, south of El Paso, also is a Pueblo tribe.

Finally, the Fort Sill Apaches, of Oklahoma, would like to open gaming on property they purchased at Akela, west of Las Cruces. But Wilson says they had to agree not to use the land for gaming.

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## Letter to the Editor

### More bait and switch

In, "The Consent of the Governed" (Las Cruces Bulletin, July 1), columnist Michael Swickard again adopts a bait-and-switch rhetoric which begins with Independence-Day talk about the consent of the governed and ends with talk about the national debt, which lacks his consent.

Allow me to remind Swickard that, when Republicans controlled the White House and both chambers of Congress from 2001-07, they increased the deficit by more than \$4 trillion dollars, in large part by cutting taxes – cuts which disproportionately favored the rich – and initiating two wars funded by off-budget borrowing ("printing bogus dollars," as he puts it, but how "bogus" can they be if they buy something?).

Since fiscal responsibility and balanced budgets have been Republican mantras for generations, their indifference to raising the debt ceiling seven times in those eight years re-

veals their hypocrisy and self-serving.

Anyone who cares about political honesty – admittedly hard to come by these days – admits the Democrats have increased the debt by several trillion in the face of a recession (officially ended by pursuing late Bush and early Obama administration efforts), economic stagnation, continuing wars initiated by Republicans and the growth of social and educational programs, which American majorities want but at costs which neither party can control.

Obama's additional efforts to put assistance money in the hands of people who would spend it almost immediately and thereby invigorate the economy have been blocked by Republicans. My sense is Republicans want the economy to idle, if not fail, for their political advantage.

Obviously, the Republican concern with economic issues in the Obama administration, which did not trouble them in the Bush administration, shows Republicans are playing budget politics to advance their social agenda. In the fall campaign, they talked about health

care and jobs; once swept into office, their main concerns have been the social issues of the culture wars and long-standing objections to Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid, among others.

On health care, all but four House Republicans voted (that is, 235 of 239) for Paul Ryan's gut-Medicare reform proposal, but they are now running from it as fast as they can. (Do not forget, or let Steve Pearce forget, that he voted to gut Medicare.)

So I cannot make the connection, which is Swickard's constant theme, between "consent

of the governed" and budget issues. On the basis of legislation passed by Congress and signed by the president, the programs, wars, tax cuts and social programs reflect the decisions by a majority in both chambers of elected representatives with the "consent of the governed."

If those representatives, politicians all, have promised more and spent more, than balanced budgets and fiscal responsibility would permit, they have done so seeking and receiving, therefore with, the consent of the governed. What is the problem?

Michael L. Hays

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# American danger then and now

## Throw out the socialists and elect American patriots

**Michael Swickard**  
In My Opinion



A pessimist friend used to say, "It is always darkest before it turns completely black."

On the other hand there are optimists like myself who believe our country will be fine, despite the challenges. We are a strong country with dedicated patriots sworn to defend and protect our Constitution.

How many? Less than before, but there are still many.

While great evil exists both outside and inside our nation as we are in our 236th year, it is much like every other year. There have been and will always be great dangers. It does not look worse today than it did at other times in our country. Start with the Revolutionary War.

After signing the Declaration of Independence, what was on the minds of our founding patriots as they went home? They put the names and sacred honor in a way certain to anger the most powerful man in the world, King George III of England. Each signatory knew that if the revolution failed, or if they were captured by British forces, they and their families would be killed.

History does not record the conversations the night each arrived home. Family members huddled together in those first days, and in the years that followed, trusting in God but fearing for the worst. The pessimists were affected the most.

What were the odds that England could be beaten? It might have been 100 to 1. Most educated people in the world thought the Brits would make short work of us. But the United States did survive and even prospered.

In the years leading up to the Civil War there was great despair because the challenges to holding our nation together seemed overwhelming. Many Americans felt it a sin to engage in slavery while others felt it their right. Citizens grappled with this and the notion that our country should

remain one country.

Families and our nation were torn apart. Other countries wished our nation would split so it would be easier to handle two smaller countries. It was thought our nation might end up being three separate countries with a much-reduced ability on the world's stage.

This was a bad time in our country that took the last full measure of many Americans. It also took several generations to heal the wounds. But we emerged as a nation stronger, much stronger.

In the 1930s, a dark curtain descended over Europe and Asia. Millions upon millions of innocent people were killed or enslaved. At the darkest hours America stood almost alone in the world. A very feisty England spear-headed the drive to take the world back from dictators. That effort reached one milestone in 1945, another in 1989.

We must recognize that about half of the members of the United Nations are dictatorships. Ultimately, the people in our nation will never be completely free as long as people in other countries are enslaved.

That brings us to where we are now in our country. To some it seems there is no way out of the debt problems in our country. America is plagued with weak leadership by

both political parties who lie to the people and embrace populist/socialist agendas.

We have leaders who would disband our Constitution and allow us to be ruled by the International Courts. How much worse is that than if we had remained a vassal of England? Or if we had remained a country tolerating slavery? Or if we were a nation beaten by the Nazis? Our present challenges are just another series of threats for us to overcome.

The effort to destroy our country begins with a socialist agenda, which cannot function under our Constitution. Something has to go. We know that socialism does not work, it destroys the country that employs it, but we seem unable to discard it.

All of our problems as a nation are just continuing challenges to be overcome. There are threats that remains while the details of the threats change. I am optimistic that our country will not fail nor will we fail to find leaders who will not fail our country. We must throw the socialists out of our government and elect American patriots as our leaders.

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“ The effort to destroy our country begins with a socialist agenda ... ”

## Letter to the Editor

### Thanks from the Kiwanis

On June 18, the Las Cruces Kiwanis Community Foundation hosted the 12th Annual "Kars for Kids" Car Show at Young Park. With the support of the following sponsors: Barnett's Harley Davidson of Las Cruces, Pumphrey Arts, Bravo Mic Communications, El Paso Electric Co., Newman Outdoor Advertising, Pic Quik, La Posta, Starbucks, Texas Roadhouse, Wal-Mart and the Pepsi Beverage Co., the event was deemed a huge success. The proceeds from this event will help Kiwanis provide educational and improved health opportunities for the children of Las Cruces and Doña Ana County.

A special thanks also goes to the New Mexico Department of Game and Fish for sponsoring our second annual Kids Fishing Clinic and to Rudy Trevino and his staff with the parks department for helping us keep the park litter free.

The special gleam in the eyes of the youngsters who cast their line, whether they caught a fish or not, is not one we will soon forget.

Additionally, we would be remiss if we didn't thank the car show participants and the general public for attending this event, and the numerous businesses who donated prizes for our raffles. The children at Jardin de Los Niños, and the Child Crisis Center are grateful for the community's continued support and generosity.

Kiwanis has been a thriving part of the Las Cruces community for 85 years. To learn more about what we do as Kiwanians, be our guest at one of our weekly meetings at 5:30 p.m. each Monday at IHOP, 2900 N. Telshor Blvd.

*Debra Melcher*  
Kiwanis Club of Las Cruces

## BaxterBlack



ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

### Donkey dressage

I was reminiscing with a group of Dexter breeders. A Michigan farmer named Lew said when he was a boy, his grandpa hired a mule man to clear some timber. It was raining like a cow pouring hot tea on a flat rock.

The mule man sat in his old Chevy coupe with his arm out the window holding onto his harnessed log-skipping mules, Bob and Jim. Bob got agitated. His mule logic could not understand why he, as the acknowledged smartest, cleverest and most dexterous of the equids, was forced to stand in the rain, while the laziest, densest and most fragile of the primates sat in a car two feet away. Did he think mules were stupid?

The man enforced his dominance by popping Bob on the end of his nose. Bob took umbrage and responded by jerking back, dragging pole of Jim over the coupe, smashing the trunk, collapsing the rear window, flattening the roof, exploding the windshield and crushing the hood. We all agreed Bob had reaffirmed his place in the pecking order.

Rob, a Virginia farmer, took the baton and announced he was into donkey dressage. He explained that to truly appreciate it, one must understand the donkey attitude toward exertion - "pace yourself." So rather than leap over the jumps at a high lope, you accrue points by walking through them at a comfortable pace, pushing the horizontal poles over and walking around the water traps. The objective in each event is to do everything wrong.

In pole bending you walk between the poles, knocking them over and not crossing the finish line. In the performance class you get points for stumbling, going the wrong direction, dragging the rider against the fence and star gazing.

Donkey basketball has long been popular but can you imagine Clydesdale basketball? It would be like watching the NBA. It just wouldn't work.

So, I'll be watching for Rob's Donkey Dressage. Donkey hockey, donkey water polo, maybe even donkey bulldogging. But, instead of bulls or steers, they would use something more suited for the donkey attitude.

How 'bout tortoise dogging? Obviously, it wouldn't be a timed event.

*Baxter Black may be contacted through his website at [www.baxterblack.com](http://www.baxterblack.com).*



— PUBLIC NOTICE —

### Members Sought For Capital Improvements Advisory Committee

The City of Las Cruces is currently accepting applications for an opening on the Capital Improvement Advisory Committee. Interested applicants cannot be representatives of the real estate, development or building industries, including businesses that finance, underwrote or lend money for real estate, development or building purposes, and cannot be an employee or official of the city, county or other governmental entity.

The Capital Improvement Advisory Committee serves in an advisory capacity in accordance with the Las Cruces Development Impact Fee Ordinance and shall:

- Advise and assist the city in adopting land use assumptions, which include a description of the service area and projection of changes and land uses, densities, intensities and population in the service area over at least a five-year period;
- Review the capital improvements plan that identifies capital improvements or facility expansion for which impact fees may be assessed, and file written comments;
- Monitor and evaluate implementation of the capital improvements plan;
- File annual reports with respect to the progress of the capital improvements plan and report to the city through its city manager any perceived inequities in implementing the plan or imposing impact fees;
- Advise the city of the need to update or revise the land use assumptions, capital improvements plan and impact fees; and
- Advise the city regarding growth management strategies.

Applications can be picked up at the City Clerk's Office inside City Hall at 700 N. Main Street. For more information, contact the City Clerk's Office at 541-2115. The TTY number is (575) 541-2182.

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# Voyage to moon dramatized

Heinlein published an account of work on 'Destination Moon'



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

The manned rocket lifted off from the New Mexico desert in 1950 and the space race was on. When the four astronauts stepped onto the lunar surface, America won.

"By the grace of God and in the name of the United States of America, I take possession of this planet on behalf of and to the benefit, of all mankind," the mission commander declared.

In actuality, man wouldn't go to the Moon for another 19 years, but the Technicolor film so realistically depicted the future that the website [imdb.com](http://imdb.com) praised "Destination Moon" as "highly informative about basic science facts regarding space travel."

Screenwriter and science-fiction author Robert Heinlein, born on July 7, 1907, described the production when *Astounding Science Fiction* magazine hit newsstands the first of July 1950.

"The greatest difficulty we encountered in trying to fake realistically the conditions of space flight," Heinlein wrote, "was in producing the brilliant starry sky of empty space. In the first place, nobody knows what stars look like out in space."

The storyline tells of a private United States company that builds the world's first spacecraft. When the astronauts learn the government intends to stop the launch because of negative "public opinion" over the nuclear-powered rocket, they rush to lift off.

"There's no law in taking off in a spaceship. It's never been done, so they haven't gotten around to prohibiting it," one of the characters argued.

The escape scene takes place 37 minutes into the film; but, to set the space ambiance, the opening sequence shows a launch of a Bumper: a V-2 first stage with a WAC-Corporal missile (an acronym for Without Attitude Control). The rocket appears to be actual footage from White Sands Proving Ground's Launch Complex 33.

"I arrived in Hollywood with no knowledge of motion picture production or costs, no experience in writing screenplays, nothing but a yen to write the first Hollywood picture about the first trip to the Moon," Heinlein said.

He and Alford van Ronkel turned out a screen play from one of Heinlein's space travel stories, Heinlein said. They got their script into producer George Pal's hands, but a year went by before Pal convinced anyone to finance the movie.

On the set, according to Heinlein, "actors, grips, cameramen, office people – became imbued with enthusiasm for producing a picture which would be scientifically acceptable as well as a box office success. Waits between takes were filled by discussions of theory and future prospects of interplanetary travel." Cast and crew pored over "Willy Ley's 'Rockets and Space Travel,' and 'Conquest of Space' by Ley and Chesley Bonestell.

Ley, a native Berliner who escaped Nazi Germany, helped found the Society for Space Travel in his early twenties. He became a public spokesman for rocketry and space travel over the next half century, said Ted Spitzmiller in "Astronautics: Book 1." In the July 1948 *Astounding* he reported on an early V-2 flight at White Sands.

Bonestell, whom *The Washington Post* called "the acknowledged 'dean of space art,'" was an architect on such projects as the Supreme Court and Chrysler buildings, and the Golden Gate Bridge. In 1938 he headed to Hollywood and painted background scenes for many films including *Citizen Kane*, *The Hunchback of Notre Dame*, *War of the Worlds* and *Destination Moon*. On the latter he modeled the lunar landing site.

"I had selected the crater Aristarchus," Heinlein said. "Chesley Bonestell did not like Aristarchus; it did not have the shape he wanted, nor the height of crater wall, nor the distance to apparent horizon. Mr. Bonestell knows more about the surface appearance of the Moon than any other living man; he searched around and found one he liked."

Bonestell proceeded to model it on his dining room table, using beaver board, plasticine, tissue paper, paint, anything at hand, Heinlein said. "Most of creating the illusion of space travel lay not in such major efforts, but in constant attention to minor details."

When *Destination Moon* grossed \$5 million worldwide, Hollywood churned out space opera. Thrillers such as *Rocket Ship X-M*, with Lloyd Bridges, competed with camp, as in 1953's *Cat-Women of the Moon*, in 3-D.

The space marketing race was on. Capitol Records released *Destination Moon* on vinyl, which earned the coveted Bozo Approval seal for kids, according to [kiddierecords.com](http://kiddierecords.com).

"The very first record album of 'outer space exotica' was *Music Out of the Moon* on the Capitol label, and it was arranged and conducted by Les Baxter" in 1947 said [exotica/outerspace/destination](http://exotica/outerspace/destination) on [google.com](http://google.com). In 1953, Larry Elgart released *Impressions of Outer Space*, on Brunswick. "Although borrowed from *Startling Stories* magazine, the artwork on the front cover is as good as it gets, with spacemen floating around a spectacular crater-worn asteroid."

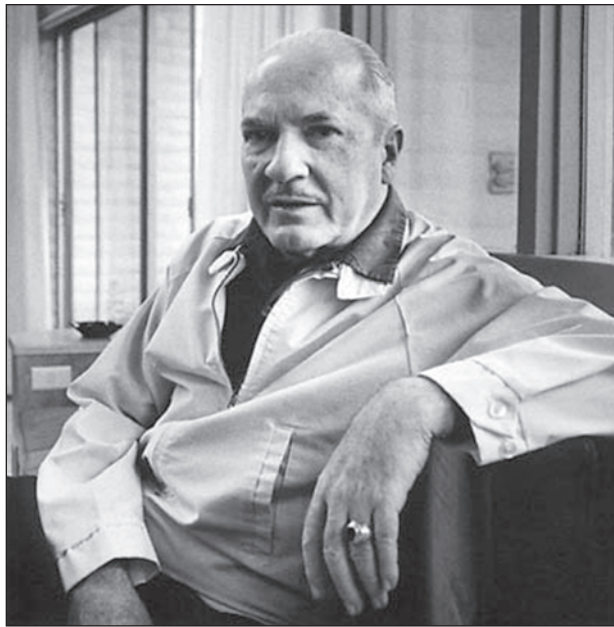
Harry Revel's *Music From Out of Space* hit shelves two years later. For years, a plethora of albums ensued, including *From Another World*, in 1956. On the cover was a headshot of a happy woman in a fishbowl helmet.

Pianists Ferrante and Teicher released four early albums with outer space titles and covers, the site said. In late 1957, after the Soviet Union launched *Sputnik I*, Baxter

recorded *Space Escapade*.

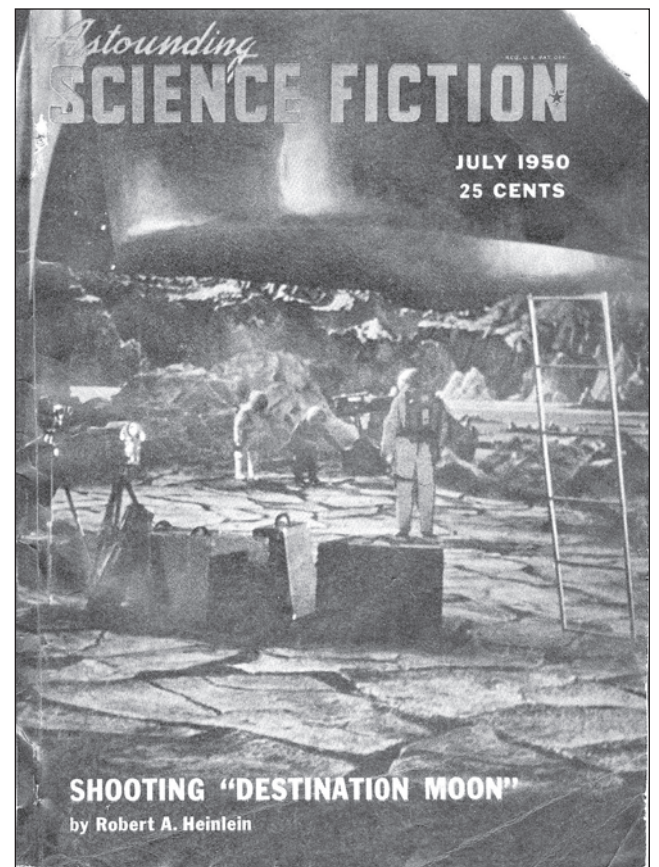
*Music for Heavenly Bodies*, in 1958, had a titillating cover for the era and general public; song titles included *Holiday on Saturn*.

Around the time of John Glenn's actual journey into orbit, RCA Victor released *Futura*, the site said. In the 1970s, Isao Tomita recorded, completely electronically, Gustav Holst's 1914 work *The Planets*. The website said of Holst's original composition: "The suite was so far ahead of its time that it still remains today as the best loved and most influential musical depiction of outer space."



New Mexico Museum of Space History archives

**Robert Heinlein was one of the most influential writers in his genre and author of acclaimed novels such as "Stranger in a Strange Land" and "The Moon is a Harsh Mistress."**



New Mexico Museum of Space History archives

Heinlein detailed his experiences on the set of "Destination Moon," in this *Astounding Science Fiction* magazine.

Early TV fare entranced the public as well. The first *Twilight Zone* episode, "Where is Everybody?," which aired in October 1959, dramatized a potential astronaut in a sensory deprivation chamber. His mind, which could not cope with the solitude and loneliness he would experience in space, fantasized that he was the sole occupant of a fictitious small town. He slowly went mad.

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— PUBLIC NOTICE —

## LAS CRUCES UTILITIES BOARD VACANCY

Qualified applicants are being sought to fill a vacancy on the Board of Commissioners for the City of Las Cruces Utilities.

**TO QUALIFY FOR APPOINTMENT AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD, A RESIDENT MUST:**

**Be a registered voter and a Las Cruces utilities customer for at least a year.**

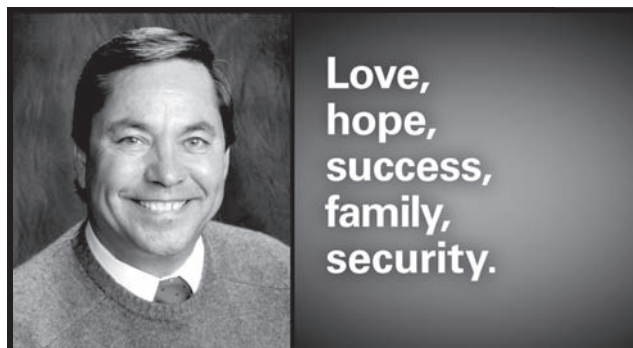
- THE APPLICANT CANNOT BE:
  - An elected official,
  - Have been appointed to public office,
  - Be a current city employee,
- Be a contractor or consultant, or
- Have a contractual relationship with the City for the benefit of the Las Cruces utilities.

Applicants must also have technical expertise in one or more of the following fields: banking and finance, business, economics, engineering and related utility management.

The objectives of the board include providing greater public access and participation in utility issues; ensuring more independent oversight and accountability for utility policy decisions; allowing for more time to focus on utility matters and less political influence in business-decision making; setting City utility rates based on a utility cost-of-service methodology; setting water and wastewater development impact fees in compliance with the City's Development Impact Fee ordinance; and developing long-range and strategic policy recommendations to the city council.

People interested in applying for the City's Utilities Board should call the City Clerk's Office at (575) 541-2115. People who are hearing impaired can call (575) 541-2182.

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# Coming Up

## Model railroad club meets

Division 7, the Road Runner Division, of the Rocky Mountain Region-National Model Railroad Association, will have its monthly meeting at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, July 9, at the Las Cruces Railroad Museum, 351 N. Mesilla St. The meeting is free and open to the public.

For information, contact Mike Weiss at 532-1051 or mikeweiss65@gmail.com.

## Retired police weapons qualification

The Las Cruces Police Department will conduct

a safety and weapons qualification course for retired law enforcement officers from southern New Mexico 8 a.m. Saturday, July 9, at the Las Cruces Police Department's Training Academy. Live-fire qualifications will be conducted the same day at the Butterfield firing range.

The four-hour HR-218 course, which allows retired law enforcement officers to maintain qualifications under New Mexico state statutes, includes classroom instruction and field training.

Retired law enforcement officers residing in southern New Mexico who are interested in maintaining their New Mexico qualifications can register for the course by calling Sgt. Pat Doyle at 202-4136.

## Share the Road Visibility Ride

A Share the Road Las Cruces Visibility Ride (STRLC) will be held at 7:05 a.m. Monday, July 11, starting at the Las Cruces Railroad Museum, 351 N. Mesilla St., and will end at Starbucks, 945 E. University Ave., at 7:30 a.m.

STRLC Visibility Rides are monthly events to support the Share the Road Las Cruces Educational Campaign. The ride is a real-life, real-time demonstration of how bicyclists can safely ride with traffic. Additionally, it has begun to raise awareness among motorists of the presence of cyclists,

motorists' ability to safely share the road with cyclists and of how cyclists behave while riding among vehicles while following traffic laws.

All participants are asked to follow the rules of the road and must wear helmets.

For more information, email [visibilityride@gmail.com](mailto:visibilityride@gmail.com) or visit [visibilityride.blogspot.com](http://visibilityride.blogspot.com).

## Native plant society events

The Las Cruces Native Plants Society will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 13, at the Good Samaritan Society-Las Cruces Village, 3011 Buena Vida Circle in the Conference Room. Lisa Mandelkern will present "Botanizing in Big Bend."

The majority of the flora featured in this talk does not extend into the Las Cruces area. Get ready for many special and unfamiliar Chihuahuan Desert plants. There will be no field trip this month because of the drought.

For more information, call Carolyn Gressitt at 523-8413.

## Camera club meets July 19

Las Cruces-based photographer Peter Goodman will show photos taken on a 2008 trip to Peru at the Doña Ana Camera Club meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, July 19. Goodman's photos cover the country from life in the Amazon Basin to the high Andes.

The photo subjects of the month are fireworks and light shows.

The camera club meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Southwest Environmental Center, 275 N. Main St. Club members are asked to use the west side entrance. Visitors and members are also encouraged to bring their own photos to the monthly programs, for display and discussion.

For more information, visit [www.dacameraclub.org](http://www.dacameraclub.org) or call Ron Wolfe at 546-1184.

## Audubon hosts talk, field trip

The Mesilla Valley Audubon Society will host Harold Harrison, a club member and master story-teller/bird impersonator, at 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 20, at the Village at Northrise, 2882 N. Roadrunner Parkway, in the Hallmark Building. Harrison, will share tales from some of his many birding adventures, as well as some tips about several good birding destinations. For more information, call Kate McLane at 639-3814.

The society will also guide a field trip to Percha Dam State Park Saturday, July 23. Anyone interested should meet at Lowe's Home Improvement, 3200 N. Main St., in the southwest parking lot near the Border Patrol Station at 6:45 a.m. Binoculars, hat, sunscreen, sunglasses and plenty of water are recommended provisions. The park charges a \$5 per vehicle entry fee for vehicles without an annual pass. For more information, contact Wayne Treers at 528-8696 or [way1mike@yahoo.com](mailto:way1mike@yahoo.com).

## Donate Life car show July 23

The fifth-annual Donate Life Car show will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursday, July 23, at Young Park, 1905 E. Nevada Ave. For more information, call 496-2627.

## Checkpoints for month of July

The Las Cruces Police Department plans to conduct at least four sobriety checkpoints within city limits in July. This month, LCPD also will include saturation, underage and party patrols.

Residents of Doña Ana County can take advantage of Project HOME (Helping Others Make it home Every time), an initiative of the local DWI Program. For a minimal fee, Project HOME offers a safe ride home to anyone

who may have consumed too much alcohol. Project HOME is available Fridays, Saturdays and holidays between the hours of 5:30 p.m. and 3 a.m. For more information, call 524-TAXI (8294).

## Genealogy society tours foundation

The Doña Ana County Genealogical Society will tour the Institute of Historical Survey Foundation, 3035 S. Main St., in Mesilla Park at 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 13. Evan Davies and his staff will lead the tour. All meetings are open to the public and the group encourages anyone interested to join. For more information, email [dacgslc@gmail.com](mailto:dacgslc@gmail.com).

## Bosque park events

Mesilla Valley Bosque State Park, 5000 Calle del Norte, has announced its schedule of events for early July.

- **7:30 a.m. Saturday, July 9 and 30:** Birding tour. A park volunteer will guide the tour and visitors can learn about the birds found in the park.
- **9 a.m. Saturday, July 16:** Nature hike. A park ranger will guide nature hikes about an hour long. Visitors can learn about the history of the park. Closed-toed shoes, sunscreen and water are recommended.
- **10 a.m. Saturday, July 9:** Cacti of the Trans-Pecos Area with author Ad Konings.
- **10 a.m. Saturday, July 16:** Desert Creatures. State Entomologist Carol Sutherland will speak in the classroom about arthropods found locally. Summer hours at the park are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Daily entrance fee is \$5 per vehicle and annual passes are \$40. For more information, call LuAnn Tafoya at 523-4398.



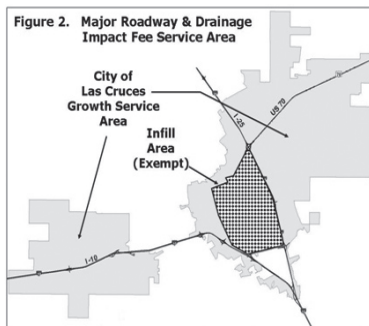
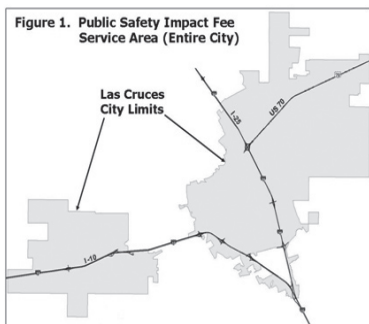
— PUBLIC HEARING —

# IMPACT FEE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PLAN AND ADOPTION OF IMPACT FEES

The City of Las Cruces will hold a public hearing to consider the proposed Impact Fee Capital Improvements Plan and the adoption of impact fees. The proposed impact fees will be used to finance major roadways, stormwater drainage, and public safety facilities. Please refer to the adjacent maps of the services areas to which the proposed impact fees will be imposed (see Figure 1 and Figure 2).

**THURSDAY, JULY 14  
5:30-7 P.M. City Hall  
Council Chambers  
700 N. Main St.**

Any member of public has the right to appear at the meeting and present evidence for or against the impact fee capital improvements plan and proposed fees.



Land Use	Unit	Major Roads	Storm-Water	Public Safety	Total
Single-Family (Flat Rate Option)	Dwelling	\$1,056	\$438	\$639	\$2,133
Single-Family (Variable Rate Option)					
< 1,500 sf	Dwelling	\$972	\$403	\$588	\$1,963
1,500-2,499 sf	Dwelling	\$1,056	\$438	\$639	\$2,133
2,500 + sf	Dwelling	\$1,162	\$482	\$709	\$2,353
Multi-Family	Dwelling	\$655	\$272	\$466	\$1,393
Hotel/Motel	Room	\$634	\$263	\$313	\$1,210
Commercial/Retail	1000 sq. ft.	\$1,542	\$639	\$735	\$2,916
Office	1000 sq. ft.	\$972	\$403	\$364	\$1,739
Institutional	1000 sq. ft.	\$665	\$276	\$204	\$1,145
Industrial	1000 sq. ft.	\$739	\$307	\$185	\$1,231
Warehouse	1000 sq. ft.	\$380	\$158	\$83	\$621
Mini-Warehouse	1000 sq. ft.	\$264	\$110	\$26	\$400

Copies of the plan are available for public review inside City Hall, 700 N. Main St. in the Public Works Department, 2nd floor. The plan is also available online in PDF format at: [www.las-cruces.org/Departments/Public%20Works/ServicesEngineering%20Services/Resources.aspx](http://www.las-cruces.org/Departments/Public%20Works/ServicesEngineering%20Services/Resources.aspx).

**For additional information or questions, please contact the Public Works Department, Engineering Services Section at 575-528-3171.**

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# Monsoon

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region that things are still really, really dry," he said. With the change in the weather from abnormally dry, Lundeen said local residents need to be aware of the dangers associated with the monsoon season.

"People should stay out of drainage ditches and don't try to drive through flooded roadways. Take the standard flood-type precautions to stay out of low-lying areas. If you do see water rising in your area, move to higher ground," he said.

With the influx of monsoonal moisture, temperatures in the area should be on the decrease, Lundeen said.

"When the clouds build up quickly, the cloudier it gets the less heating we get. That can sometimes slow down the rain production if it gets to be a thick overcast. We can have all the moisture in the world and if we don't get warm enough we won't develop the thunderstorms."

In the past few days, southern Arizona has seen a taste of the monsoonal moisture, and has experienced dramatic frontal dust storms sometime called "haboobs" Lundeen says the dust storms are less likely to develop in this area.

"Until we get enough moisture on the ground dust storms are a possibility," he said. "Hopefully we'll go right into a more rainy type season pattern relatively quickly and that will keep the dust down."

"It's possible, initially, we might see some (dust storms) but I don't think we'll see anything quite as strong as they've seen the last couple of nights in southern Arizona."

"We had our opportunity at that earlier back in June and we didn't see too much of that," he said, "I can't rule it completely out for this upcoming event."

As for the strength of the monsoon season, Lundeen said predictions of a weak monsoon season this year were "probably a lower confidence prediction."

"The El Niño, La Niña patterns that tend to dominate our winter and spring periods have less of a correlation in the summer," he said. "The fact that we've been kind of dry up to now seems to indicate we might have a lower than normal monsoon pattern. That doesn't preclude that might still have some heavy rain events."

Currently, Pacific Ocean temperatures are moving out of the La Niña pattern, which has tended to steer storms north of the desert Southwest, causing the dry conditions, but Lundeen said the pattern is currently in a transition or neutral stage, which he said may last for the next few months.

# EBID

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on well water, which is more expensive and less efficient.

D'Antonio is making the offer as New Mexico's commissioner for the Rio Grande Compact, which sets the terms for distributing Rio Grande water to not only New Mexico, but also Texas and Mexico. Under terms of the compact, land south of the Elephant Butte Reservoir is considered the Texas section of the compact.

The EBID board had been scheduled to meet with the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation Thursday, July 7, and hold a special meeting Friday, July 8, to discuss the loan and its obligations.

If EBID gets the additional water, it would have to pay back the 100,000 acre-foot loan the following year by having it subtracted from next season's allocation. That, however, would depend on having better snowfall in the mountain watershed.

# Mountain lion spotted in city

Authorities are warning residents of the Regal Ridge and Fairway Drive neighborhoods that a mountain lion was spotted roaming the area early Wednesday, July 6.

The mountain lion was spotted at around 8 a.m. by more than one person on the 1800 block of Salinas Drive. The big cat was seen jumping a fence leading to the backyard of a residence. Officers conducted a home-to-home search but was unable to find the big cat.

Officers suggested that residents of the neighborhood stay indoors and keep all pets inside. Joggers and hikers should be wary as well. Anyone who spots a mountain lion is asked to call 911 immediately.



## Saturday, August 6

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# Classes start again at the Early College High School

Photos by Niki Rhynes

## College is home to 241 high-schoolers

Arrowhead Park Early College High School (APECHS) welcomed 241 students when classes resumed Tuesday, July 5.

"We will begin with 116 sophomores and 125 new freshmen – 63 percent of whom are first-generation college students," said Principal Jennifer Amis.

Doña Ana Community College, 3400 S. Espina St., will continue to provide classroom space for APECHS students until its new 8-acre campus opens Aug. 18 at New Mexico State University's Arrowhead Research Park.

"I can't believe it is time to begin a second year at the early college high school, with a new class of freshmen," Amis said. "We had a successful first year, with 62 percent of our students completing a rigorous freshmen year with a 3.0 or greater GPA. They are amazing students. I must compliment the APECHS staff for their tireless dedication to all of our students, and thank DACC for providing ongoing support; this is what made our first year a success."

There is currently a waiting list of five students. When the 2013-14 school year begins, APECHS will be home to approximately 500 freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. Students will graduate with a high school diploma and up to two years of college credit or an associate degree.

For more information, contact Amis at 527-9540 or jamis@lcp.k12.nm.us.



Tammy Miller-Dwake calls roll in her ninth-grade science class.



Ninth-grader Breeze Duran, 14, took charge in Miller-Dwake's science class during a seating chart exercise when classes resumed for Arrowhead Park Early College High School (APECHS) at Doña Ana Community College Tuesday, July 5.

Jocelyne Chavez and Bobbi Chavez look over their syllabi in their freshman science class.

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# Honoring WWII vets on Independence Day

Photos by Todd Dickson



World War II veterans Harlan Long, Sam Holt, Emelia Maese and Felix Provencio stand next to a display honoring them at a Fourth of July celebration at Mira Vista Villas. The senior living community where they live chose to make them the main event for an Independence Day barbecue for residents and their families Monday, July 4.



Emelia Maese's nieces, Wilma and Emma Jean Maese, performed songs for residents Sunday, July 3, for an Independence Day celebration at the Mira Vista Villas. Emelia Maese was one of four World War II veterans recognized at the senior living community's Fourth of July barbecue.

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# Celebrating a spectacular Fourth of July

Photos by Todd Dickson, Niki Rhynes and Rafael Torres

The City of Las Cruces put on a fireworks display for this year's Fourth of July extravaganza July 3-4. Other festivities included concerts, a street festival and the annual Light Parade.



Hot air balloons brought some heat to the annual light parade.



Solano Drive was filled with paradegoers who started reserving their spots to watch the parade throughout the day.



The Crossroads City Derby entered a larger-than-life skate float.



The Las Cruces Police Department cleared the way for the parade to begin.



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Asaya Montanez, 6, dances to local music.

Hope Ibarra applied patriotic eye shadow to celebrate Independence Day during the Fourth of July Street Fest held at Meerscheidt Recreation Center Monday, July 4.



The Las Cruces Garrison Flag is raised Monday, July 4, at Veterans Memorial Park.



A.J. Alba of the local band Crooked Beaver Creek sings and plays guitar for the gathering crowd at Meerscheidt.

The float by Friends of Fort Selden featured members in period costumes.



Ezekiel Renteria, 10, enjoys a carnival ride during the Fourth of July Street Fest.

Don Risinger plays taps during the wreath ceremony Monday, July 4, at Veterans Memorial Park.



Brynn Charity is all eyes for the sights of the Electric Light Parade.

A group of kids decorate themselves with various glowing objects.



A pink fire truck entered in the light parade was decorated in honor of Sandra Grace.



Abbey Road and Brynn Charity play with glow sticks while waiting for the light parade to begin.



# NM STATE FOOTBALL

## 2011 Home Schedule

- Sept. 3 vs. Ohio (Beach Party)
- Sept. 17 vs. UTEP (I-10 Rivalry)
- Oct. 15 vs. Idaho (Tough Enough to Wear Pink)
- Oct. 29 vs. Nevada (Homecoming/Halloween Theme)
- Nov. 12 vs. Fresno State (Military Night)
- Dec. 3 vs. Utah State (Country Music Night)



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## Vaqueros look to top the Osos

### Eight Vaqueros on Pecos League all-star roster

By **Jimmy Currier**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

With the Fourth of July in the rearview mirror, you might be asking what else is there to do outdoors at night. Fortunately, baseball season is in full swing and Las Cruces' hometown team, the Vaqueros, are in the midst of a pennant race in the Pecos League.

The Vaqueros wrap up a four-game series with the Ruidoso Osos Friday, July 8, and Saturday, July 9, with the first pitch scheduled for 7:05 p.m. at Apodaca Park. The Osos won 12-11 Wednesday.

This season, the Osos lead the series between the two teams 5-4.

The Vaqueros are jockeying for position, currently in third place in the six-team league) at 23-19, 5 games behind the first-place White Sands Pupfish.

The Vaqueros have hit a rough patch lately, dropping 11 of their last 15.

While the Vaqueros are off Sunday, July 10, several of the players will be driving east on U.S. Highway 70 to Alamogordo to play in the Pecos League All-Star Game. Henry Feuntes, Clint Stroud, Steve Detweiler, Raphael Anzola, Harry Williams Jr., Kyle Boggio, Rob Herrmann and Mike Duckworth will represent Las Cruces as members of the Zias, which is composed of ballplayers from Las Cruces, White Sands and Carlsbad. The Zias will play the Mountaineers, which is composed of Ruidoso, Alpine and Roswell. The All-Star game is at 3 p.m. with a home-run derby at 1 p.m.

Williams leads the Vaqueros in batting average with a .398 clip. Stroud and Fuentes share the team's home run lead with nine apiece. Detweiler is a scoring machine, leading the team in RBI with 40 and runs scored with 35. Herrmann has played solid behind the plate and with the bat, hitting .381 and the only player to walk more than strike out - 16-14. Boggio is the Vaqueros' ace pitcher, winning five of his eight starts, and among starting pitchers, is posting a team-best 4.11 earned run average and a team-leading 44 strikeouts. He also leads the team's starters in walks and hits per inning pitched at .98. Duckworth is having a solid season as a relief pitcher, posting a 3.55 era in eight appearances and pitching 12-2/3 innings. Anzola has also performed well coming out of the bullpen, earning two saves and posting a 3.60 era in 11 appearances. His WHIP is .7.

Tickets to the Vaqueros games can be purchased for \$6 at the park or online at [www.lascrucesvaqueros.com](http://www.lascrucesvaqueros.com)

Tickets to the All-Star game can be purchased at Griggs Sports Complex, 3000 N. Florida St., Alamogordo.

## Muscle up with the Aggies

### Primetime Fitness to host meet and greet, fundraiser for Pink campaign

By **Jimmy Currier**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

Primetime Fitness wants to do more than just help you achieve your fitness goals. Justin Estes, owner of the gym, wants you to come support the New Mexico State Aggies football team and muscle up to help fight cancer.

Fortunately, you can do all that Sunday, July 10, at Beverly Hills Hall, 150 N. Hermosa St. The Muscle Your Way to Beat Cancer event will run from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and will give participants the opportunity to meet the Aggie football players and head coach DeWayne Walker.

"We want to show that we're giving our support to Las Cruces and get people to come out and see Aggie football games," Estes said.

Estes said he wants to provide that human, tangible connection between the players and fans, which he hopes will improve attendance at the games.

"They don't get enough support from local people, and the city of Las Cruces doesn't support them enough," he said. "When you have 20,000 people show up for the Mayfield-Las Cruces game, it motivates you to win, so I kind of started thinking that I want people to come meet the football players, cheerleaders and the NMSU Sundancers, and get bags,

T-shirts and posters

"Come meet the guys, shake their hands, take pictures and you'll have a reason to go and support them in a game. When you know people on the field, it makes it much more fun to go to a game."

The event, including food, costs \$8 for one ticket or \$12 for two tickets. If you purchase your tickets at Primetime Fitness before the event, there's a \$2 discount. T-shirts will be for sale and there will be raffles for a flat-screen television, a laptop computer and gym memberships. The National Guard will be on hand with games and activities and there will be live music and prizes.

All the proceeds go to the New Mexico State University Aggies are Tough Enough to Wear Pink (TETWP) Campaign, which teams with the Cowboys for Cancer Research (C4CR) to raise money for research to one day cure this life-altering disease. TETWP and C4CR are local campaigns that have generated enough money to establish a \$1.5 million endowment at NMSU. This year, the TETWP game is Oct. 15 versus Idaho.

"I had a friend diagnosed with breast cancer, so it hit home," Estes said. "I've always donated to them one way or another and when it hits home and it's someone you love, it makes you want to do it that much more."



The Muscle Your Way to Beat Cancer fundraiser at Beverly Hills Hall at 11 a.m. Sunday, July 10, will support the Aggies are Tough Enough to Wear Pink campaign. Shown here in last year's Pink game, Aggie Taveon Rogers heads for pay dirt in NMSU's 16-14 win over the University of New Mexico Lobos. The Aggie host the University of Idaho on Oct. 15 for this year's TETWP game.

## Tony Delk joins Aggie basketball staff

### New assistant coach brings NBA experience

Bulletin staff report

New Mexico State University men's basketball head coach Marvin Menzies has announced the hiring of former NBA and University of Kentucky standout Tony Delk as an assistant coach. Menzies also announced that Paul Weir is now recognized as the associate head coach and Tom Lewis as an assistant coach.

Delk arrives in Las Cruces after two seasons as the assistant director of basketball operations at Kentucky. He helped the Wildcats to a 2011 Final Four appearance, 2010 Elite Eight finish, SEC Championship and SEC Tournament Championship.

"The hiring of coach Tony Delk will give us instant credibility with not only our current players but with recruits that are familiar with all of his NBA accolades and not to mention his national championship at Kentucky," Menzies

said. "Tony is a very high character individual, who will undoubtedly bring a lot of positives to the program."

Delk began his coaching career as an assistant coach for the Carolina Gigantes a team

“The hiring of Tony Delk will give us instant credibility.”

MARVIN MENZIES,  
NMSU basketball coach

in the National Superior Basketball league in Puerto Rico. As a player at Kentucky, Delk was a second team AP All-American in 1996 after leading the Wildcats to the 1996 NCAA National Championship. As the 16th pick of the Charlotte Hornets, he spent 10 years in the NBA

including stints with Golden State, Sacramento, Phoenix, Boston, Dallas, Atlanta and Detroit.

Weir begins his fifth season with the Aggies after spending the previous three seasons (2008-11) as an assistant coach and one year (2007-08) as the director of operations.

"This move was well earned by Paul," Menzies said. "He has done a fantastic job here in the past four years. He will have a very successful head coaching career someday."

Lewis becomes an assistant coach in his second season with the Aggies after joining NMSU in 2010-11 as the coordinator of player development.

"Tom Lewis has been with the program for a year and when I originally hired him my thought process was to move him up when the opportunity presented itself," Menzies said. "Based on his experience and resume, he will be an instant benefit in the areas of X's and O's and player development."



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# Summer fun at the Oñate football camp

Photos by Niki Rhynes



Oñate High School football coach Caleb Hull runs down the itinerary to campgoers at the Oñate youth football camp Friday, July 1, at the school on the East Mesa. The camp offered a 7-on-7 tournament, obstacle course and strength training.

Ethan Johnson, 10, catches a pass before making a touchdown.



Fernando Loera, 10, races down the football field after an interception.



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# Fans show support at the Aggie Athletic Club

Photos by Richard Coltharp



Tommy Esparza, past president of the New Mexico State University Alumni Association, and his son Thomas attended the Aggie Athletic Club Membership Celebration Thursday, June 30.



Dr. Jo Raabe-Asprey was Aggie Athletic Club Supporter of the Month.



Father-daughter duo Bob and Brenda Porter were Aggie Athletic Club Supporters of the Month, earning the appreciation of Aggie men's basketball coach Marvin Menzies.



Claire Frohs of the Las Cruces Bulletin and Laura Porter



Sally and Chuck Bisbee are active boosters of NMSU sports.



Wayne Stickney and wife Kierstin attended the event.



Barbara Couture, president of NMSU, and her husband Paul listen to Aggie football coach DeWayne Walker.

## Aggie teams not standing pat

Track, softball teams add outstanding New Mexico athletes



**Jack Nixon**  
*Jack's Corner*

A pair of incoming recruits to the Crimson and White cause enter heralded by some exciting headlines and credentials.

The men's cross country program has added Eric Fenton of Hope Christian School in Albuquerque to run for the thin-clad program. Fenton is the 2010-11 Gatorade New Mexico Boys Track & Field Athlete of the Year, making him the first Gatorade New Mexico Boys Track & Field Athlete of the Year to be chosen from Hope Christian School.

The award, which recognizes not only outstanding athletic excellence, but also high standards of academic achievement and exemplary character demonstrated on and off the track, distinguishes Fenton as New Mexico's best high school boy's track and field athlete.

Those credentials fit perfectly to

NMSU coach Orin Richburg's game plan. Fenton won three individual state championships this spring and led the Huskies to the Class 3A state title. His individual titles include the 800-meter run, the 1,600-meter and the 3,200-meter run. Fenton was the 2011 Marilyn Sepulveda Invitational 3,200 champion as well as the three-time individual state champion in the 1,600.

Fenton's name is all over his high school record books with the top times in the 800, 1,600 and 3,200.

The WAC softball champs aren't standing pat. Head coach Kathy Rodolph signed a pitcher who has won five straight New Mexico high school softball state championships. Karysta Donisthorpe inked a letter of intent with NM State and then earned 2011 Louisville Slugger/NFCA High School All-American Second Team honors. Donisthorpe earned NFCA All-West Region First Team honors earlier for the second straight season.

The incoming Aggie freshman hurler set the state of New Mexico high school record for strikeouts in a

season with 346 in 2010. Donisthorpe followed that up with 307 strikeouts her senior year. As a junior, she set the state record for strikeouts in a game with 19.

Donisthorpe garnered her second straight Gatorade State Softball Player of the Year Award for New Mexico after winning the honor in 2010 as a junior.

It's always good to hear the Aggies aren't taking success for granted by continuing to add top athletes and quality people.

**Every girl crazy bout a sharp dressed man:** The New Mexico State football team took part in the La Casa Girls Night Out in June. This event was for girls and women of all ages to just enjoy a fun-filled night geared towards pampering and doing everything women like to do to relax, while at the same time helping to raise awareness and money towards domestic violence. Eight football players in tuxedos helped out at the event by serving as the event's official valets.

## 1st Annual CSA 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT



Community Sports Association has teamed up with the Las Cruces Gospel Rescue Mission for a food drive for the inaugural CSA Basketball Tournament.

All players are required to bring a canned food item for entry. All spectators and supporters are also encouraged to bring non-perishable items to the tournament for donation to the Gospel Rescue Mission.

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# Onthegreen

## The long road back

The golf doc returns to the golf course

**Charlie Blanchard**  
Golf Doctor



Since I've been back on the golf course playing something that vaguely resembles golf, I have been blown away by all the friends who have expressed their well wishes and gladness for me to be out playing golf once again.

It's been 22 weeks since the accident in early February that almost ended my golfing activities altogether, and came frighteningly close to ending my life. I hope I'm not guilty of "over-sharing," but some readers have asked about the progress I'm making and how I've been doing.

Just to bring some of you up to date, very briefly, I fell off of a roof at home during the early February freeze, when I went up on a ladder to check on a water leak – trust me, I will never go up on my roof again. Landing on the concrete below, I broke part of my pelvic bone, six ribs, my shoulder and my sternum. Even more serious was a fractured left wrist and a subdural hematoma for which they needed to open my skull to remove a measure of blood. Essentially, I was in a coma for a few days at the trauma center in El Paso. I spent a month at the Rehabilitation Hospital of Southern New Mexico before going home.

While physical therapy (at Del Valle Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation) helped return some range of motion and balance, I was still faced with debilitating weakness due to a 26-pound weight loss and being laid up for so long. I had carpal tunnel wrist surgery in April, but it didn't seem to be much help.

Friends who came to see me at the rehab hospital have shared with me that, given the sad way I looked, they thought it would be a year or two before I could play golf. Some said

they felt I may never be able to play golf again, but even from the start of this ordeal I felt differently.

A few weeks after I returned home, I joined Club Fitness, which is part of Millennium Health and Wellness, owned by chiropractor Dr. Brian Hesser. I went to hand

and wrist therapy several times a week at MountainView Regional Medical Center and Millennium. I have gained 15 of the 26 pounds I lost.

Best of all, I am able to work professionally again, almost full time. The workouts at the gym have helped immensely, giving me back some of the strength I lost. But I'm a long way from healed and a long way from playing the kind of golf I used to play.

The good news in all of this is I found a new dedication of purpose with my golf passion. After a few sessions with teaching pro Herb Wimberly (my longtime partner in Performance Golf Schools), I have come to the realization that it is an absolutely necessary I change my golf swing to play again at a competitive level.

Right now, I can take a full swing with any club, without any pain in my still-fractured wrist, but I have lost 50 yards off the tee, and about two clubs with my irons. That's terrible, I know, but it has given me a new appreciation for folks that aren't very long and who struggle with higher handicaps.

When I last posted a score in late January, my handicap index was 3.5; now it is approaching about 10 or 11. I'm happy about being able

to go out and finish 18 holes with my friends, feeling slightly tired, but it looks like it may take more like six months to get comfortable with an altered swing and get my game back.

Lessons with Wimberly have been immensely helpful. Here's some advice to you folks who have struggled with your game, injuries notwithstanding: ask your teaching pro for lessons because there is no substitute.

For Herb, it's back to fundamentals. He is working with me on correcting some bad habits that have slipped in, such as bad ball position, poor shoulder alignment, bent left elbow, improper set-up and aim and lack of body turn. Those are mistakes that happen with the passage of time and rust.

Like good golf teachers are supposed to be, Herb is supremely supportive. He knows I'm impatient to return to the game that I used to play, but he is quick to point out the progress is coming along nicely and will get better with work and practice.

One thing that I've noticed from being away for so long is the tendency to fall into lapses with the mental game. I'm talking instances where I take the wrong club, even to the

point where I intend to hit a certain club, but end up pulling the wrong number out of the bag.

Sometimes I swing far too quickly when I know I should slow down. At other times I'm too impulsive with certain shots that are mistakes. Occasionally, I will take aim at a spot that I used to when I hit the ball 250 yards, even though it will only go 200 right now.

One mistake I won't make is to get mad on the golf course. I often mark my golf ball with something to remind me of some battle (like Iwo Jima), and remind me how stupid it is to fret over a 6-foot putt.

During my rehab and over the past 12 months, I have read a couple dozen books

recounting World War II history, and the condition that some of those men returned home in was horrific. Despite my injuries and temporary disability, my problems are minuscule compared to World War II sailors, combat infantrymen, Marines, airmen, medics and merchantmen, who served valiantly and are my heroes – The Greatest Generation.

On my long road back to respectable golf, I've set a few goals for myself. One is to become stronger physically than I was before. These days, I'm pretty rigorous with my workout schedule, and Tony at Club Fitness helps me with my routine. Since starting at the gym nine weeks ago, I have almost doubled the weight on every machine.

Not only strength matters, but I'm after a lot more flexibility than before. My somewhat permanent stiff and gimpy wrist has forced me to adopt a different golf swing, one that has a much shorter backswing. It demands more flexibility.

Another goal is the ritual of practice. A high-maintenance swing requires a lot of practice. According to Herb, each change in the golf swing, however minor it may be, needs at least 500 solid swings to make it feel normal. I believe it.

My last goal is a commitment to a different attitude about golf in general. A big one is realizing how much I enjoy and appreciate the friends I have and golf buddies I play with.

There are enough parts of my game that are in reasonably good working order that it won't be a total overhaul. I know enough about the golf swing that it shouldn't be agony coming back to shoot good scores; plus, I have Herb's wisdom and coaching going for me. And lately, every few shots gives me the sense that it's coming back. Right now, my game reminds me of the Toby Keith song, "I'm not as good as I once was, but I'm as good once as I ever was."

*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.*

“ I often mark my ball to remind me of some battle (like Iwo Jima) and remind me how stupid it is to fret over a 6-foot putt. ”



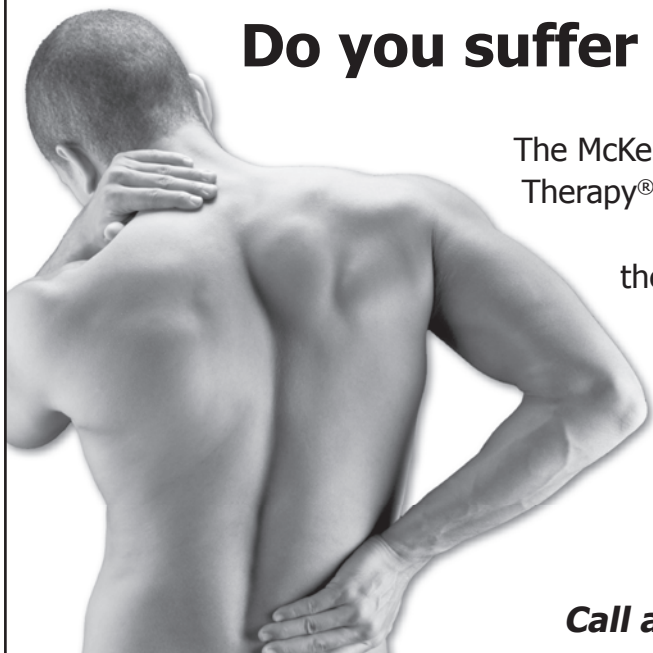
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### 75yearsago

#### 1936

• A petition circulated by the Chamber of Commerce asked businessmen and their employees to park their cars off Main Street during business hours in order to make room for customers and out-of-town visitors. The chamber said unless the request was adhered to, the one-hour parking limit would be enforced.

• The Popular Dry Goods Company suffered a loss of 80 percent of its inventory in a fire, but would not be holding a fire sale. Manager

Oscar Rosen said the losses were quite heavy and the store would re-open as soon as possible. Damaged goods were to be sold elsewhere.

• The Mesilla Valley was expecting to ship more than 400 car loads of cantaloupe to eastern destination by rail. Farms shipping cantaloupe included Dean Stahmann, Stanley Fruit Company, Dawson Brothers and A.E. Barker and Co.

• Employees of the Mesilla Valley Electric Co. enjoyed a Fourth of July company picnic at Tonoco.

### 50yearsago

#### 1961

• Slow rain ruined almost all activities planned for the Fourth of July. The city fireworks show that cost more than \$900 was postponed to the next day. The Mesilla fiesta was reported as “all but ruined.”

• Lemke Construction was the apparent low bidder for the new New Mexico State University agriculture building at \$1.3 million.

• CR Anthony and Co. advertised men’s shirts for \$2.99, ties for 88 cents, high-heel shoes for \$4.66 and house dresses at two for \$5.

• Precipitation in June was recorded at 2.29 inches, 1.72 inches more than average.

• An advertisement announced that Charles Day was the new owner and operator of the former Malone Drug No. 2, 1206 E. Foster Road, which was renamed Day’s Pharmacy.

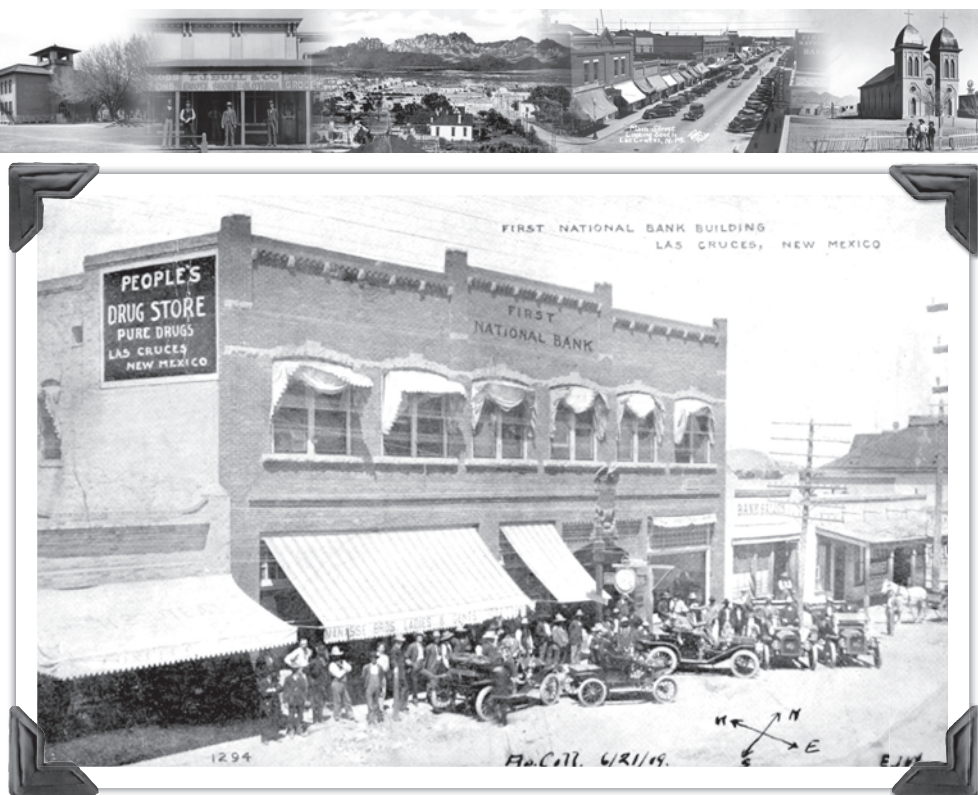


Photo reproduced courtesy of the New Mexico State Library Rio Grande Historical Collection. **The First National Bank Building on Main Street appears to be the scene of a lot of activity in this photograph from 1919.**

• Frank Adams, owner of E. Frank Adams, Registered Accountant, was recognized by the American Legion as an “outstanding employer.” Adams had two employees out or four who were over age 45. Adams said he never placed any restriction on hiring “handicapped” applicants.

• The Cork and Bottle was the scene of going-away parties for Richard Aken and Jack Bramble, two Douglas Aircraft employees at White Sands Missile Range who were being transferred to the company’s facilities on Kwajelein.

### 25yearsago

#### 1986

• Las Cruces City Council disappointed both sides in the ongoing debate on a civic center when it voted four to two not to put the question of the \$10 million project up

to voters on Sept. 4. Mayor David Steinborn said he felt two months was not enough time before the election.

• Investigators were still gathering information on the arson-caused fire at the Las Cruces Bulletin on June 27. Director of Public Safety Tony Gomez said investigators were pursuing leads and the case “was definitely not on the back burner.” Bulletin owner Steve Klinger said he had received death threats prior to the fires.

• As of July 1, state gross receipts taxes for Las Cruces were 5.625 percent and for Doña Ana County were 5.375 percent. Cigarette taxes were raised from 12 cents to 15 cents per pack and a new 25 cent tax on non-cigarette tobacco products went into effect.

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

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# IRS warns about email scams

## Requests most likely 'phishing' for information

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) wants taxpayers to be aware of unsolicited emails.

Unsolicited email may be a type of tax scam known as phishing to trick unsuspecting victims into revealing personal and financial information. The information is then used to steal the taxpayer's identity and financial assets.

Many email scams are fairly sophisticated and hard to detect. However, there are signs to watch for, such as an email that:

- Requests detailed or an unusual amount of personal and/or financial information, such as name, Social Security number, bank or credit card account numbers or security-related information, such as mother's maiden name, either in the email itself or on another site to which a link in the email

sends the recipient.

- Dangles bait to get the recipient to respond to the email, such as mentioning a tax refund or offering to pay the recipient to participate in an IRS survey.
- Threatens a consequence for not responding to the email, such as additional taxes or blocking access to the recipient's funds.
- Gets the Internal Revenue Service or other federal agency names wrong.
- Uses incorrect grammar or odd phrasing (many of the email scams originate overseas and are written by non-native English speakers).
- Uses a really long address in any link contained in the email

message or one that does not start with the actual IRS website address ([www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov)).

If you receive a suspicious email claiming to come from the IRS, take the following steps:

- Do not open any attachments to the email, in case they contain malicious code that will infect your computer.
- Do not click on any links, for the same reason. Also, be aware that the links often connect to a phony IRS website that appears authentic and then prompts the victim for personal identifiers, bank or credit card account numbers or PINs. The phony websites appear legitimate because the appearance and much of the content are directly copied from an actual page on the IRS website and then modified by the scammers for their own purposes.

The IRS does not send out unsolicited emails to taxpayers, nor will the IRS ask for detailed personal and financial information in an email. The IRS will never ask for the PIN numbers, passwords or similar secret access information regarding a taxpayer's credit card, bank or other financial accounts and the IRS does not discuss tax account matters with taxpayers by email.

Contact the IRS at 800-829-1040 to determine whether the IRS is trying to contact you.

Forward the suspicious email or url address to the IRS mailbox [phishing@irs.gov](mailto:phishing@irs.gov), then delete the email from your inbox.

All IRS.gov webpage addresses begin with [www.irs.gov/](http://www.irs.gov/). Anyone wishing to access the IRS website should initiate contact by typing the IRS.gov address into their browser.

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We can also send you information on how your business or organization can get involved.

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## CrimeStoppers

### Copper thefts

Las Cruces Crime Stoppers is offering a \$1,000 reward for information that leads to the arrests of a man and woman who took



copper from the Burlington Northern rail yard on at least two occasions since May 6.

At around 4:30 a.m. Friday, May 6, and at around 4 a.m. Tuesday, June 28, two people – a man and woman – were seen stealing copper from the Burlington Northern Santa Fe rail yard at 3110 S. Main St. The suspects were observed loading the stolen copper into a light-colored automobile.

The vehicle the couple was seen driving appears to be a two-door, possibly a light-colored Hyundai, Honda or similar-type car.

If you have any information on the identities of these suspects, 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.



## LAS CRUCES FIRE DEPARTMENT PUBLIC MEETING

The Las Cruces Fire Department will hold a public meeting to discuss a proposed fee schedule for fire sprinkler, fire alarm and commercial hood suppression system plan reviews.

**WEDNESDAY**  
**JULY 13TH, 5 -7 p.m.**  
**City Council Chambers**  
**City Hall, 700 N. Main St.**

For more information, contact the Las Cruces Fire Department at 528-3473. The TTY number is 528-4211.

People needing special accommodations should contact the city 48 hours in advance at (575)528-3473/v or (575)528-4211/TTY.

[www.las-cruces.org](http://www.las-cruces.org)

# Good school leaders keep learning

## NMSU researcher studies superintendent success

Beyond formal education, public school superintendents must continue to sharpen their skills and rely on knowledge obtained on the job to be successful, said Gary Ivory, an associate professor of educational management and development at New Mexico State University.

“Preparation programs target proficiency, but we need to look at helping people become life-long learners and how to use different types of knowledge to be good leaders,” Ivory said.

Ivory and colleagues Adrienne Hyle and Rhonda McClellan, both at the University of Texas at Arlington, conducted a qualitative study of small district (1,000 or less students) superintendents in the Midwest, Southwest and West, and Southeast, to determine the types of knowledge superintendents were most using to inform their decisions.

Ivory said traditional types of knowledge are declarative and procedural – declarative being facts, while procedural is how to do things. However, the study indicated superintendents are often using what the researchers defined as “hidden content knowledge.” Ivory said there are three types of hidden content knowledge – informal or educated common sense, impressionistic or intuition and self-regulating or knowledge of how to handle oneself in a variety of situations.

Ivory said it is important preparatory programs make their students aware of the need for these types of knowledge, but can be hard to actually emulate them in a classroom setting. This is why Ivory said professional development is critical beyond formal education, but that it should be broader.

“Superintendents have a lot of opportunities for professional development, but they focus on declarative and procedural knowledge. We think school leadership can be improved if we offer them more opportunities to grow as problem solvers,” Ivory said.

Ivory indicated this will be an important consideration as the leadership of public school systems continues to get more complicated.

“ We think school leadership can improve if we offer them more opportunities to grow as problem solvers. ”

GARY IVORY  
NMSU associate professor

“Our society is asking for and needing better and better education out of its public school systems, but because we are a diverse democracy and we have different views on how we should accomplish this, leadership of school systems is becoming more complex,” he said. “We are asking for better learning under more difficult conditions, so the role of the superintendent and the need for life-long learning is more important than ever.”

Ivory and his colleagues recently discussed their work on a blog/talk radio program hosted by the University Council for Educational Administration (UCEA), a consortium of higher education institutions committed to advancing the preparation and practice of educational leaders for the benefit of schools and children.

# Torres thanked



Just prior to his last day with Las Cruces Public Schools, Herb Torres gets a Nambé plaque from Superintendent Stan Rounds in recognition of his four years with the district as associate superintendent of operations. Torres began his retirement July 1.

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# Senior Activities

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.

## 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.

## 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.

## 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, 975 S. Mesquite St. Trips currently being booked include:

## DAY TRIPS

Day trips depart from and return to Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. For more information, call 528-3005.

## THE THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge Club meets for lunch and bridge at 11 a.m. Thursdays at the Las Cruces Country Club, 2350 N. Main St. Anyone who plays bridge is welcome. For more information, call Judy at 373-9306, Ann at 522-7240 or Bev at 523-6106.

## WALKING GROUP

All walks depart from Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St., at 9 a.m. and return at 10:45 a.m.

- Week of June 27, Triviz Multi-Purpose Trail at Walton Boulevard.

## SWING DANCE

The Swinging Dancers of Munson Center meet at 7 p.m. Saturdays at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Couples, individuals and guests are welcome. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Cost is \$6. For more information, call 523-1871.

## 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:

- **Cielo Vista Shopping Mall/Helen of Troy:** Tuesday, July 19, day trip, \$16 per person.
- **Amarillo/Palo Duro Canyon:** Aug. 9-12, four days, three nights \$415 double, \$475 single.
- **Branson Show Extravaganza:** Nov. 12-20. \$869 double, \$1,109 single. For more information, call Helen Glover at 528-3166.

## ARTIST OF THE MONTH

Each month a selected artist displays his or her 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.

## MONTHLY POTLUCK

A potluck is held from noon to 2 p.m. the second Sunday of the month at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Anyone age 50 or over is invited to bring a covered dish along with eating utensils.

Call 528-3000 for more information.

## GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN

A Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Support Group is held from 10 a.m. to noon the second Tuesday of the month at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. Grandparents raising grandchildren on a full time basis are asked to join. There is no cost to participate. For more information, call 528-3301.

## ART CLASSES

Registration for art classes starts Saturday, July 18. Participants must be age 50 and over and be members of Senior Programs. Classes offered are: beginning, intermediate and advanced stained glass, watercolor painting, Retablos, beginning pottery, china painting, beginning jewelry, wood carving, clay works, advanced ceramics, drawing and oil painting. Classes are held at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. and Eastside Community Center, 310 N. Tornillo St., and Mesilla Park Recreation Center, 304 W.

Bell Ave. 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.

## 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.

## 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 is donated to local organizations.

## SPANISH CLASSES

Conversational Spanish for anyone over age 50 is taught by volunteer instructor Angela Miller is at 1:30 p.m. each Tuesday at Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. There is no charge to participate. For more information, call 528-3000.

## 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; snacks; 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, July 14. Three Rivers. Check in at 7 a.m., trip departs at 7:30 a.m. and returns around 3:30 p.m. Cost is \$8.
- Thursdays, Aug. 11 and 18. Cloudcroft. 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. Check in at 7 a.m., trip departs at 7:30 a.m. and returns around 3:30 p.m. Cost is \$8.

## FISHING CLUB

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

- Tuesday July 12: Grindstone 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. Sign up begins July 5. For more information, call 528-3005.

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Las Cruces Public Schools photo

Las Cruces Public Schools high school redistricting committee members Irene Montoya, Lucy Rathgeber and Chairwoman Merrie Lee Soules discuss various neighborhoods within the school district on maps that outline the current high school boundaries.

## Committee starts work on high school redistricting Centennial to change attendance zones

As the new Centennial High School continues to take shape on Sonoma Ranch Boulevard in east Las Cruces, members of the committee charged with coming up with recommendations for the school's attendance zone are busy at work.

The high school redistricting committee will continue its meetings throughout the summer months as it combs through vast amounts of demographic, socio-economic and enrollment data.

The school's boundary must be carved out of the existing zones for Las Cruces, Mayfield and Oñate high schools, said Jo Galván, LCPS communications director.

The district's two other high schools – Arrowhead Park Early College High School and San Andres High School – accept students from throughout the district and do not have definable attendance zones.

Galván said even though Centennial won't open for another 13 months, in August 2012, the boundary lines must be prepared well in advance and will be presented to the community before any decisions are made.

"The redistricting committee has a good cross-section of residents who live throughout the school district," Galván said. "The committee is doing a lot of homework this summer, reviewing a mountain of data, which will provide the basis for their recommendations that go before the public in the coming months."

MerrieLeeSoules, who chairs the committee,

said they plan to meet several times a month. Other committee members also appointed by the LCPS School Board are: Tracey Alexander, Gilbert Apodaca, Cindy Aragon, David Fierro, Larry Garcia, Michael Hays, Patty Hughes, Irene Montoya, Earl Nissen, Janel Ortiz, Susan Palmer, Lucy Rathgeber and Dawn Starostka. LCPS employees on the committee include the high school principals from Las Cruces, Mayfield and Oñate high schools as well as the newly appointed Centennial High Principal, Michael Montoya.

For Centennial's first year, the school will house freshmen and sophomores; juniors will have the option to attend their existing school or go to Centennial if they live in the attendance zone.

School officials say the new school will not open with a senior class.

"Based on experience, most 12th graders don't want to leave their current high schools since they are so close to graduating with their existing classmates," said Superintendent Stan Rounds. "We will honor that tradition and seniors will not be added at Centennial until the following school year."

Additional information about the redistricting committee's work and photographs of Centennial's construction are online on the district's website, [www.lcps.k12.nm.us](http://www.lcps.k12.nm.us).

The school is 62 percent complete with a portion of the academic wings and gymnasium as the first structures erected. Eventually it will house about 2,000 students.

## Jet crashes near Roswell Pilot ejects safely, but wreck causes fire

An Air Force QF-4 Phantom fighter jet crashed southwest of Roswell, N.M., Wednesday, July 6.

The fighter jet from Holloman Air Force Base crashed in grasslands between Roswell and Artesia, sparking a fire that covered at least 80 acres.

No structures were threatened, according to state forestry spokesman Dan Ware.

"The pilot of the aircraft ejected safely and is in good condition at this time," said Col. David Krumm, 49th Wing commander. "We're

working with local agencies, and we are asking the public to cooperate with military and civilian authorities at the scene to ensure the safety of everyone involved."

The aircraft was assigned to Detachment 1, 82nd Aerial Target Squadron, according to a Holloman press release. A board of officers will investigate the accident, the release stated.

For more information on the QF-4, visit the Holloman website at [www.holloman.af.mil](http://www.holloman.af.mil) or the official Holloman Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/hollomanonfb](http://www.facebook.com/hollomanonfb).

## Neighbors We've Lost

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Silvino Ortiz Cereceres - On June 29, 2011 our beloved and devoted husband, father and grandpa passed away at his home in Derry, NM surrounded by his loving family following a difficult fight with pancreatic cancer.

Silvino was born November 4, 1936 in San Andres, Riva Palacio, Chihuahua, Mexico to Heraclio and Julia Ortiz. He worked on several farms and ranches in Hillsboro, Ruidoso, and the Hatch Valley.

In the early 1960's he went to work for Price-Black Farms in Arrey. It was then that he fell in love and married the love of his life, Annie Mae Apodaca in Garfield. Silvino and Annie Mae's dream was always to have a place to call their own. In the 1970's Silvino began his own small farming operation eventually expanding the farm to over two hundred acres along with two cattle grazing allotments.

In 2004 he fulfilled a lifelong dream of building and owning his own dairy farm. A man of deep faith, he was completely devoted to God. He never complained about any of the numerous hardships and difficulties that he encountered, always relying on his faith to get past them.

Silvino had been a communicant of San Isidro Parish in Garfield since his marriage



to Annie Mae. He was completely and unconditionally devoted to his family; loved life and enjoyed it to the fullest. He loved all people and had numerous friends scattered throughout the world who regularly called him for advice or just to visit. Silvino had a firm commitment to never refuse to aid those in need.

He is survived by the love of his life, Annie Mae; son, Herman Ortiz and wife, Gavi; daughter, Sylvia McGuire and husband, Casey; seven grandchildren; nine brothers and sisters, as well as numerous nieces and nephews whom he also loved very much. He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother Gonzalo Ortiz.

A Prayer Vigil was held Friday, July 1, 2011 at 7 PM in San Isidro Catholic Church where family and friends joined together to celebrate the Funeral Mass at 10 AM Saturday, July 2, 2011 with the Reverend Carlos Espinoza, Celebrant. The Rite of Committal and Interment followed in the Garfield Cemetery where he will be laid to rest.

Service arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Baca's Funeral Chapels, 300 E. Boutz Road, Las Cruces 575-527-2222. For online condolences log on to [www.bacasfuneralchapelslascruces.com](http://www.bacasfuneralchapelslascruces.com)

## DEATH NOTICES

### CADENA

Gilbert E. Cadena, 32, passed away in El Paso, Texas on Monday, July 5, 2011. Services are pending with La Paz - Graham's Funeral Home. 575-526-6891.

### GLENN

George Glenn, 86, of Las Cruces, New Mexico died Saturday, July 2, 2011 at Mountain View Regional Medical Center. Services are pending at Baca's Funeral Chapels. 575-527-2222

### CORRAL

Jesus Corral, 67, of Las Cruces, New Mexico died Sunday, July 3, 2011 at Memorial Medical Center. Services are pending at Baca's Funeral Chapels. 575-527-2222

### GOLCHER

Mildred Golcher, 94, of Las Cruces, New Mexico died Monday, July 4, 2011 at La Posada - Mesilla Valley Hospice. Services are pending at Baca's Funeral Chapels. 575-527-2222

### CASTILLO

Annie Castillo, 83, of Las Cruces, New Mexico died Monday, July 4, 2011 at La Posada - Mesilla Valley Hospice. Services are pending at Baca's Funeral Chapels. 575-527-2222

### ROQUE

Charles Roque, 78, of Las Cruces, New Mexico died Monday, July 4, 2011 at Memorial Medical Center. Services are pending at Baca's Funeral Chapels. 575-527-2222

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## To plan or not to plan?



**Samantha Roberts**  
Business Editor

I recently met with a business in Las Cruces – imagine that. During the interview, one of the men made a comment that came at the perfect time.

“I like living in a city with a plan,” he said in regard to his favorite aspect of Las Cruces.

Conveniently, I had just left Business on the Border – hosted by Mesilla Valley Economic Development Alliance – and the topic was Vision 2040, aka “One Valley, One Vision 2040.”

During Business on the Border, I never thought about it in the same sense of this businessman. Actually, while I was there, I thought the whole plan seemed like a waste of time and money.

But then I started to think about it.

What if Las Cruces didn't have a plan?

What if the prosperous city grew and grew, but in separate directions? There would be little-to-no collaboration and people would work against each other. In fact, I would suspect more game playing and double crossing would also occur.

“Hey, let's build a subdivision here.

Joe told me he's going to open a grocery store across the street next year, but don't tell the other guys. It will be fun to see them put a lot of money into their developments and then watch them fail. The Las Cruces economy will benefit from more foreclosures and businesses being shut down.”

I may be wrong, but according to most local economists, Las Cruces is still in a recession. Promoting growth for everyone would help the local economy, right?

There has been talk about a very large – as in \$150 billion large – company looking at leaders in tertiary markets as the next best place to invest. According to this same company, Las Cruces is a leader. I can't help but think our plan has made Las Cruces that much more attractive. If you were going to invest in a city, knowing where that city plans to be in 29 years might be helpful.

My only gripe about Vision 2040 is the plan is so broad, but then I guess it has to be. After all, predicting where Las Cruces will be in 29 years is a bit taxing. I can't even predict where I will be in 29 years, let alone everyone else in the city as well as their spending habits, procreation patterns, work ethic and

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## Future travel gets electrified

### EPE applies for grant to fund charging infrastructure research

By **Samantha Roberts**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

The electric car has been around since the late 19th century, but recent strains on the environment, including the need to offset greenhouse gas emissions, have caused their popularity to increase.

Powered by an electric motor, the non-gas car caught wave until advances in engine technology and the mass production of cheaper gasoline vehicles led to a decline in their use. But the cars are making a comeback, and El Paso Electric Co. (EPE) is noticing.

A federal grant application was recently submitted by EPE for more than \$250,000 that would help fund research for charging stations throughout New Mexico and west Texas.

“The Department of Energy (DOE) is making 10 to 13 grants available,” said Richard Turner, director of corporate development for EPE. “The objective is to have entities develop plans and infrastructure for electric car charging stations.”

Turner said the company is taking an all-encompassing perspective, including

area entities, such as Public Service Company of New Mexico (PNM); the Land of Enchantment Clean Cities Coalition (LOECC); University of Texas at El Paso; New Mexico State University; and the cities of El Paso, Las Cruces and Santa Fe.

“Initially, we looked for the grant focus to cover territory in west Texas and southern New Mexico,” Turner said. “But we were contacted by other entities, such as public service companies and Santa Fe. They are not filing a grant, but they would like to partner with us.”

After a few collaborative meetings, Turner said they set a goal for their research – to get an electric car from El Paso to Santa Fe, charging at strategic stations along the way.

“The infrastructure deals with different types of charging stations for electric cars,” Turner said. “Their batteries can last for 100 to 130

miles, but to travel a long distance, infrastructure and policies have to be developed.

“There are a lot of needs to be addressed. During the research, should we receive the grant, we want to figure out a simple way to get stations out there.”

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**El Paso Electric Co. is teaming up with Texas and New Mexico entities in hopes of receiving a federal grant to fund research for electric car infrastructure studies.**

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## Storage tanks are still not enough

### Farmers holding on to well supplies and praying for more water



By **Marvin Tessneer**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

With a scant four-inches of surface water allocation for the 2011 irrigation season, Elephant Butte Irrigation District farmers are forced to rely on wells to water their crops.

Farmers were required to pump water during the 1950s, a practice that most present-day farmers don't remember. But one man who survived that dry period was Max Johnson, who used to grow crops on New Mexico State University's Lyendecker Experimental Farm south of Las Cruces.

Johnson had grown alfalfa and cotton on about 300 acres, and when vegetables entered the market, he added lettuce and onions on part of the 150 acres NMSU acquired for its experimental farm.

“In the 1950s when surface water ran short, I had to punch a couple of holes in the ground to get some water, and I put in a couple of wells,” said Johnson, who will turn 90 years old next month.

Johnson is retired in the Fort Selden-Radium Spring area and said later, the university replaced the wells. He has been in farming all his life and settled in the Mesilla Valley in 1928.

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Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Niki Rhynes  
**Water pumps, such as this one on a farm in Mesquite, are keeping farmers in southern New Mexico afloat. Though crops can get a sufficient amount of water from pumping, problems are still accruing for local farmers.**



## EPE grant

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### Types of charging stations

Electric cars can be charged in more than one way – a “quick” charge or overnight.

“Both types need to be available,” Turner said. “The quick charge would be a portion of the overall capacity of the battery and take about an hour or two. This will help get you from point ‘A’ to point ‘B.’”

Turner said their research would also cover finding convenient places to house these charging facilities, such as movie theaters, shopping malls and supermarkets.

“These are places people would already plan on spending a few hours,” he said.

Overnight charging stations would be installed at people’s garages and driveways.

“This type of charging would take six to eight hours,” Turner said. “Early models of these stations are coming out still, but this process is so new there and there is so much to learn.”

### Using more electricity

If this is the way of the future, electric providers can expect to see a major boost in energy usage, a problem for some that are not ready.

“Obviously, El Paso Electric would be supplying the power in this region, so we are going to see what kind of rates are needed to meet the demand,” Turner said. “We can’t have everyone charging their cars at the same time, so maybe a variety of rates will be needed – more expensive to charge your car at peak times.”

### Why southern New Mexico?

After the 10 to 13 grants have been selected, Turner said the chosen applicants would have one year to put together a plan.

“We are expecting the DOE to choose different regional areas and have a lot of confidence because we are covering such a broad area,” Turner said.

In addition to the stable electric provider, Turner said NMSU and UTEP are on board, which help their chances of being selected.

“The DOE is looking for universities to develop the plans because of their standing research capabilities and expertise,” he said. “We thought it was a great idea for NMSU to get involved and help with transportation patterns, penetration rates and those studies.”



Most electric cars, such as the Nissan Leaf, have a battery charge that will last 100 to 130 miles.

### The effect on Las Cruces?

For Satish Ranade, an NMSU professor, the grant will have specific impacts on Las Cruces.

“The DOE has invested money in cities in terms of buying electric energy,” Ranade said. “One of the results from the studies is a tremendous level of planning needs to be done in order to effectively field or transform current roadways to electrical communities. Should Las Cruces get this (research grant), we will immediately be on the top of the list when the DOE decides to invest in actually creating the infrastructure from the plans.”

According to Ranade, Las Cruces would become a frontrunner in technology, which could attract people and perspective companies.

“Sooner affects could be institutional fleets being converted to electric,” Ranade said. “For example, NMSU has several campuses, and they have already looked at how it uses vehicles. Perhaps electric would be more efficient. The same thing applies to the (City of Las Cruces).”

“The big questions is ‘How do we do this?’ We need to understand driving patterns and commuter patterns in the area.”

Ranade said he expects in as little as 10 years, people will start seeing plug-in stations and electric fleets.

“In the next five years, maybe 2 to 5 percent of cars will be electric. Until, all of the sudden something is going to happen, and we will see them everywhere,” he said.

Las Cruces does not have the same smog problems that larger cities incur, so the reduced amount of pollution from fewer gas-powered cars on the road may not be as noticeable.

“It is hard to see that impact on the community, since we don’t face the pollution. That will be seen more on a global level,” Ranade said. “We could see other noticeable aspects like mass transportation. Maybe a city could only provide two buses, but on electric, they can pay for six. All of these impacts are going to creep up on us 10 years from now, and the benefits will look natural.”

### The city’s perspective

“Where the charging stations need to be strategically located to get the most use is a big question we have, but also putting in the right kind,” said Tom Schuster, sustainability officer for the City of Las Cruces. “We have to think what technology is going to become the standard because if we invest, we don’t want to invest in the wrong equipment. That is a big part of it.”

Right now, Schuster said the price of electric cars still makes selling them by the masses

difficult, but he said the grant is still positive, should we get it.

“We could be are ahead of the curve,” Schuster said. “There aren’t too many cities at the stage we are at, but first we have to have a plan in place that is regional in nature and makes us more competitive for federal dollars down the road.”

### Electric cars

Though some are still pricey, electric cars have come a long way. As of early 2011, series production models available in some countries include the Tesla Roadster, REVAi, Buddy, Mitsubishi i MiEV, Th!nk City and Nissan Leaf.

“The leading manufacturer is still Leaf,” Ranade said. “Everyone has a plan, but the leaders have already established themselves.”

Benefits of owning an electric car include a significant reduction of air pollution from tailpipes, reduced greenhouse gas emissions and reducing the dependence on foreign oil.

However, these eco-friendly cars still have their problems, including price, lack of public charging stations and “range anxiety” – the fear that the battery will run out before the desired destination.

Recently, the U.S. has pledged \$2.4 billion in federal grants for electric cars and batteries. In addition, China has pledged \$15 billion to kick off an electric car industry within its borders.

“In the future, we hope to serve as a road map for future infrastructure, and feel that by having this grant we would be more likely to receive larger grants that will be made available by the DOE to cover the infrastructure,” Turner said.

Winners of the grants will be notified in the early fall.

## Well

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“My home farm now belongs to NMSU, and I’ve seen a lot of changes during that time,” Johnson said. “During the 1950s, we got water for a couple of years with supplemental wells. It’s the only alternative we have. We need more snow and rain in the watersheds to the north to get water into the lake. Without water, this valley would become a desert.”

Retired farmer Stuart Meerscheidt recalled installing hundreds of well pumps in the mid-1950s for farmers up and down the valley. At that time, Elephant Butte Reservoir was down to 50,000 acre-feet, and with the heavy pumping, the water table had been drawn down.

The volume from wells on his farm dropped from 15,000 gallons-a-minute to 500 gallons, Meerscheidt said.

Farmers prefer to irrigate their fields with Rio Grande surface water because well water is salty, contains minerals and is expensive because it needs diesel, electric or natural gas energy to lift the water and is not as efficient for delivery.

“And you don’t get a high flow to push the water to the end of the field,” said Phillip King, civil engineer professor at NMSU and serves as a consultant to EBID, working with the district and farmers. “It’s slower and takes a long time to get the water to the end of the field. And you have a recharge of the

aquifer when you use river surface water.”

Well drilling and maintenance companies are busy trying to keep up with costumers’ demands.

The increased pumping is drawing down the subsurface water table. A problem, because if the pumping draws the water down below submersible pumps, continued operation could burn up the pumps, said Al Carrisonn of Heil Pump Sales and Service.

The Magee Associates is busy replacing old wells and sinking pumps for new sources. Older wells become degraded, and when farmers are pumping large volumes of water in these older wells, problems can occur. Magee management also said a big problem is the amount of time required to push the well water to the end of the field.

Well water also costs the farmers more money. They have the added expense of lifting water to the surface and still paying the EBID fees.

El Paso Water Conservation District No. 1 still has about 110,000 acre-feet of irrigation water preserved from previous years and is continuing to supply water to farmers.

“The water is running short, and the district is planning to shut down Sept. 3,” said District Manager Jesus “Chuy” Reyes. “That’s what is keeping us going, but if these drought conditions continue and we don’t get more snow in the mountains, Elephant Butte Reservoir is going to be the lowest it’s been in 20 years. So it’s important to conserve water.”

David McCollum, I found myself reading the signs in his office. One says, “If you don’t know where you are going, any road will do.”

Las Cruces is not a city in which “any road will do.” Local business owners have worked too hard to be taken down just any road and this city has far too much potential.

*I know this is a controversial topic, but email me. I am always open to learning something new – samantha@lascrucesbulletin.com.*



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potentially unstable jobs, such as agriculture, that depends on weather. Sorry, Mr. Weatherman, but I think even you will have a hard time with this one. No offense.

I have to agree with my interviewee. I too am glad that I live in a city with a plan.

After a few meetings with our publisher,

# By the Numbers



## Building Las Cruces



### Holiday Inn Express

Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Samantha Roberts

The Holiday Inn Express on Telshor Court off North Telshor Boulevard past UNO Chicago Grill is well under way, and work on the parking lot structure has begun. The other Holiday Inn Express in Las Cruces is located at 2635 S. Valley Drive.

#### Recent projects featured in Building Las Cruces

Publish date	Building	Address	Contact
July 1	<b>Fitness One</b>	4655 Sonoma Ranch Blvd.	524-2447
June 24	<b>Valley Drive rehabilitation</b>	Valley Drive	528-3125
June 17	<b>St. Clair Winery &amp; Bistro</b>	1720 Avenida de Mesilla	341-0822
June 10	<b>Winery and pizzeria</b>	1321 Avenida de Mesilla	494-3537
June 3	<b>Hooters</b>	3530 Foothills Road	521-9898

### Our numbers

**In Las Cruces ... 1.4**

inches of precipitation on average accumulates during July

**107**

degrees set a record high in July 1994; 55 degrees was the record low in July 1983

**-10**

degrees is the record low, set in 1962; 110 degrees in 1994 was the record high

**43**

percent of your utility bill goes toward heating or cooling your home

**8**

hours of turning your thermostat back 10 percent can save 10 percent on your utility bill

### Gas update

**For the week of July 5**

Average retail gasoline prices in New Mexico have **fallen 1.4** cents per gallon in the past week, averaging **\$3.39** per gallon. This compares with the national average that has **increased 0.5** cents per gallon in the last week to **\$3.57** per gallon.

Including the change in gas prices in New Mexico during the past week, prices **Monday, July 4**, were **72.7** cents per gallon **higher** than the same day one year ago and are 21.7 cents per gallon **lower** than a month ago. The national average has **decreased 19.8 cents** per gallon during the last month and stands **84 cents** per gallon **higher** than this day one year ago.

<b>1. Bradley's</b>	920 El Paseo Road	\$3.24
<b>2. Bradley's</b>	1260 El Paseo Road	\$3.24
<b>3. Circle K</b>	2698 W. Picacho Ave.	\$3.25
<b>4. Eagle Qwik Mart</b>	440 W. Picacho Ave.	\$3.26
<b>5. Diamond Shamrock</b>	2695 W. Picacho Ave.	\$3.29

Source: [www.newmexicogasprices.com](http://www.newmexicogasprices.com)

### Adventure Travel Airfare Watch

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<b>Albuquerque</b>	\$180	Southwest Airlines
<b>Atlanta</b>	\$225	American Airlines Delta Airlines
<b>Austin</b>	\$153	Southwest Airlines
<b>Chicago</b>	\$209	US Airlines
<b>Dallas/Fort Worth</b>	\$176.70	American Airlines
<b>Houston</b>	\$204.70	Southwest Airlines
<b>Las Vegas</b>	\$90.40	American Airlines
<b>Los Angeles</b>	\$110.40	US Airlines
<b>Phoenix</b>	\$69.70	Southwest Airlines
<b>San Antonio</b>	\$149.90	United Airlines
<b>San Diego</b>	\$110.40	US Airlines
<b>London</b>	\$351	US Airlines
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<b>Rome</b>	\$463	Delta Airlines
THIS WEEK'S "SCREAMING DEALS"		RATES PER PERSON
<b>China Experience</b>	\$3,079	24 Days, including air from Los Angeles)
<b>Costa Cruises</b>	\$449	<b>Nov. 11</b> Western Mediterranean

Source: Adventure Travel

### Money

#### Comparing the U.S. dollar

**Euro**  
\$1.43349 in U.S. dollar  
0.69760 per U.S. dollar

**Mexican Peso**  
\$0.08592 in U.S. dollar  
11.639 per U.S. dollar

**Japanese Yen**  
0.01236 in U.S. dollar  
80.89 per U.S. dollar

Source: [www.msn.com](http://www.msn.com)



#### Market Snapshot

As of Wednesday, July 6, the market reports:

<b>Dow</b>	12616.83	+46.96	0.37%
<b>Nasdaq</b>	2832.61	+66.84	0.24%

**Strong:** Agricultural chemicals, tobacco, distributors, airfreight and logistics, railroads, casinos and gaming, health care technology and general merchandisers

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# Facing a foreclosure?

## Emergency Homeowner Loan Program may help

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With the number of home foreclosures at an all-time high and still climbing, chances are that you or someone you know may be facing the scary prospect of foreclosure.

Uncle Sam to the rescue? Perhaps.

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) is offering an

emergency loan program designed to get a homeowner through a rough financial patch and help them keep their home.

As is the case with any other federal program, only certain people will qualify for the assistance. Applicants for the program must be at least three months delinquent on their mortgage as of June 1, and have experienced an income reduction of at least 15 percent, which was caused by involuntary unemployment or underemployment due to adverse economic conditions and/or a medical emergency. Applicants must also have received notification

of his or her lender/servicer's intent to foreclose and must certify to the likelihood their mortgage will be foreclosed upon.

This assistance program is limited to households that have income equal to or less than the greater of either \$75,000 or 120 percent of the area median income (AMI) for a household size of four persons previous to loss of income resulting from one of the causes previously mentioned. In the Las Cruces area, for example, that translates to Doña Ana County being limited to \$75,000.

Additionally, the homeowner must currently be spending more than 31 percent of their income on their monthly mortgage payment and have a reasonable likelihood of being able to resume repayment of their monthly mortgage and all other household debts once re-employed.

While there are several other very specific conditions that must be met in order to qualify, those who do can expect to receive help paying 100 percent of their eligible arrearage. Additionally, the portion of the monthly mortgage obligation that exceeds 31 percent of the homeowner's income will be covered for a maximum of 24 months or \$50,000, whichever occurs first.

The assistance is given in the form of a 0 percent interest, forgivable bridge loan. The loan will be secured by a junior lien against the approved homeowner's principal residence and is forgivable over a five-year principal reduction period. There is no monthly payment due on the EHLF loan during the five-year term, so long as the assisted borrower remains current on their monthly mortgage payment and continues

to meet other program requirements.

The application and screening process for the EHLF program is being handled by Tierra Del Sol Housing Corp., a local nonprofit housing organization. All borrowers wishing to apply for assistance will be asked to provide numerous personal financial documents, such as tax returns and W-2 statements, pay stubs, bank statements, mortgage loan statements and information about all other household debts. Additionally, applicants will be required to estimate all monthly expenditures, such as utility costs, food expenses, insurance and medical bills. Tierra Del Sol will advise applicants of any additional documentation that may be required.

According to Art Marrujo, Homeownership Center director of Tierra Del Sol Housing, all applications must be submitted by July 22. At that point, Tierra Del Sol will send the applications to HUD, who will then make a determination as to which area homeowners will be EHLF recipients.

Homeowners who think they might qualify should call Tierra Del Sol at 541-0477, or pick up an application at its office, 210 E. Idaho Ave., Suite B.

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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## Playing a dangerous game

### Raise the debt ceiling or create economic problems



**Chris Erickson**  
State of the Economy

Las Cruces is suffering from a double dip recession; employment fell 2.4 percent in May compared to May 2010. This is the third monthly decline in a row.

The last thing we need is for White Sands Missile Range to have to furlough civilian government employees, but that is an example of the kind of thing that will happen if Washington doesn't raise the debt limit.

The economic problems facing Las Cruces from a partial shutdown of WSMR will repeat across the country, should the debt ceiling be breached. The effect will be likely to push the fragile recovery into recession.

The Bipartisan Policy Center estimates that if the debt ceiling is reached, the federal government will be able to pay 44 percent of its bills in August. There would be enough to pay constitutionally mandated expenditures such as interest on the debt and the salary of Congress and the judiciary. There will also be enough to pay Social Security, but after that, the treasury will have to prioritize what is and isn't paid.

It is likely to be a mess. The treasury will have to sort through its bills, deciding who to pay and who to stiff. This will be an unprecedented task for which there is no clear institutional capacity to perform. Procedures and protocols will have to be done on the fly – no way to run a government.

One thing for sure is that funding all popular programs will not be possible. Medicare and Medicaid providers, such as Memorial Medical Center of Las Cruces and MountainView Regional Medical Center, may go unpaid, or it could be local defense contractors who find themselves

stuffed by the government. Or perhaps it will be funding for federally mandated state programs that will go unfunded. Failure to fund any of these will significantly dampen the Las Cruces economy.

Of course, we don't know exactly what will happen, and that illustrates another problem, which is the uncertainty that failure to raise the debt limit will create, especially for those dependent on government programs – the poor, the disabled and the elderly – the anxiety will be considerable.

The treasury will need to roll more than \$467 billion in debt that matures in August. This debt is already authorized under the current debt ceiling, but managing the roll over will be made more difficult and substantially complicated if the ceiling isn't raised. Moreover, the uncertainty if the crisis continues will cause skittish investors to demand higher returns on new treasury debt.

Part of the frustration with the current situation in Washington is the utter artificiality of the situation. Other nations don't have debt ceilings – the United States didn't either prior to World War I. The debt ceiling is an institutional constraint we impose on ourselves, and in a real way, the situation is pretty silly. Congress has already authorized the spending and already set tax rates. The debt follows as a mathematical consequence. So why do we need a separate authorization for the debt ceiling?

Failure to raise the debt ceiling is playing with fire. At risk is the United States' role as a financial leader. Also threatened is the recovery of our local economy.

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# Pushing education forward

## SpringBoard! grants were awarded for the second time this year

*Courtesy of the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico*

For the second time this year the Community Foundation of Southern New Mexico (CFSNM) awarded scholarships through SpringBoard! in an effort to help improve the lives of women in southern New Mexico by providing opportunities for advanced education.

The SpringBoard! Scholarship program was established in 2004 when the CFSNM and Ammu Devasthali, secretary of the CFSNM Board of Directors, realized there was a need for educational advancement among community women. Since 2004 SpringBoard! has awarded \$1,000 scholarships, including the "Over the Rainbow Scholarship" established to honor the memory of Dorothy Ellen Baker, a daughter of an Appalachian coal miner who valued higher education for women.

"I have been out of school since 1984 and was not able to complete school until now," said Cosetta Lewis, who received a scholarship to attend Western New Mexico University on the Deming campus studying nursing. "My children are old enough to allow me to return to school part time and focus on my studies. Having the scholarship will provide me with the ability to finish the Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) course in one semester rather than split it into two semesters. Also, having the scholarship will allow me to go through the CNA, take the licensing exam and become employed so that I will have an income to continue my studies."

Continuing her education is important to Lewis, who is married to husband Gene Lewis. The couple has three children Joshua, Jonathan and Jason, 14.

"I will be enrolled in the nursing program after I finish and complete the CNA course and then I will be able to take the CNA license exam after that. Once

the pre-requisite for the CNA has been met I can enroll in the nursing program," she said.

SpringBoard! committee members usually receive 30 applications each year and then they make a recommendation to the CFSNM for scholarships and grants. This is the second time this year SpringBoard! was able to award seven scholarships of \$1,000 each to area women, thanks to generous contributions from private donors in the community.

Recipients for the second grant include Rebecca Gomez, Rossy Muñoz-Mendoza, Cosetta Lewis, Maria Isabel Morales, Yesica Ortiz, Dalys Sanchez de Arroyo and Ana Peña de Soto.

Ana B. Peña De Soto is attending Doña Ana Community College (DACC), majoring in radiology technology. The scholarship helped her advance her career.

"The scholarship helped very much. I was able to buy a laptop and books for my summer classes," she said.

The program specifically targets young women who have a hard time getting into an educational program because they either dropped out of school and had children or had to go to work and now realize they need more of an education to do better in life.

*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.*

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(Front) Rebecca Gomez, Rossy Muñoz-Mendoza, Cosetta Lewis, Maria Isabel Morales, Yesica Ortiz, Dalys Sanchez de Arroyo and Ana Peña de Soto pose with (back) CFSNM Executive Director Luan Wagner Burn and board members Ammu Devasthali, Donna Tate and M. Lea Brownfield.

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# So what's the bottom line?

## Investment in education can lead to big rewards



**Tracey Bryan**  
*Bridging the Workforce*

Alarming low graduation rates and the related forecast for under-qualified future employees are huge challenges facing businesses today.

That's why business and industry leaders are bringing their gifts and expertise into the schools to help generate the products they need: a strong pool of well trained, highly qualified workers.

The stakes are high for everyone involved. Students who dropout suffer lifetime consequences that range from limited earning potential and dependence on social services to lifelong health and wealth issues. Schools operating on reduced budgets lose even more when students walk out and don't come back. Businesses ultimately absorb the costs of an unqualified, under-prepared workforce on their bottom line:

- United States companies spend \$1 billion a year on turnover and costs to replace an employee
- According to the U.S. Department of Labor, the cost of "mis-hiring" (based on wasted salary, benefits, severance pay, headhunter fees, training costs and hiring time) are: entry level, \$5,000 to \$7,000 after three months; supervisor, a \$20,000 salary costs \$40,000 over a year; and manager, a \$100,000 salary costs \$300,000 over a year.

According to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, for the first time in New Mexico's history, we have a generation that is less educated than the

previous. A lower percentage of adults 25 to 44 years old in the state hold college degrees (two-years or higher) than those 45 to 65. The state of affairs in New Mexico is further compounded by a recent report from the Public Education Department that revealed graduation rates in the state are increasing (up 1.2 percent to 67.3 percent), but still places New Mexico at 49th in the nation.

Those in the scientific fields have seen the shortage of qualified candidates coming at them like a tidal wave. Some of the finest minds in our country are hitting the retirement age, and there are simply too few equally qualified young people to replace them. Jamai Blivin, president of Innovate+Educate, said the critical need for highly qualified STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) graduates is creating a national security crisis.

In response to this need, businesses are stepping into the conversation on improving educational outcomes in a significant way. Two national examples of this include:

- The Gates Foundation, led by Microsoft's Bill Gates, is pouring millions of dollars into developing a network of early college high schools, among other investments in innovative education models.
- Some large comprehensive high schools around the country have been turned into smaller "career academies," focused on training students for specific career fields and using curriculum developed in partnership with local businesses. These businesses are shaping the training of their future employees, ensuring that graduates have the foundational knowledge they'll need to be successful in their careers.

Here in Doña Ana County, that partnership with and commitment from the business community began with the education committees



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Chris Mortenson

**With campus opening Aug. 18, the Arrowhead Park Early College High School will enroll more than 500 students in the 2013-14 school year, including 241 returning students. The dropout rate for the high school has been an impressive 0 percent.**

of the chambers of commerce, and became the Regional Education Initiative, which now continues through The Bridge of Southern New Mexico. Since 2007, some of the county's top business and industry leaders have been working alongside the top educational leaders to build a strong, sustainable approach for helping young people hit those critical completion points, such as high school graduation, two-year college degrees, career certifications and/or four-year degrees or higher.

Their investment is why we have what may be the only public high school in the state with no dropouts (Arrowhead Park Early College High School). In addition, we have doubled the number of students taking dual credit courses, and a comprehensive mentoring program is currently in development.

Recently, the business community increased its commitment to the county's youth even more by investing in The Bridge financially. These organizations are leading the way by supporting the strategies and partnerships that will build a stronger future for youth, families, the economy and the county at large. Thanks to Las Cruces Machines, Pioneer Bank, NewTec, Citizens Bank of Las Cruces, Northrise Ventures, Adventure Travel and the Mesilla Valley Economic Development Alliance for making this groundbreaking

commitment to building better pathways for youth success. Other businesses are joining in as well, and we look forward to making those announcements soon.

So why is this investment so good for business?

When one student stays in school to graduate – just one – the county gains between \$4,000 and \$14,000 in additional income and between \$3,600 and \$12,700 in additional spending and investing each year. By contrast, one dropout costs society between \$250,000 and \$450,000 over his or her lifetime. When you consider that there are almost 58,000 youth under the age of 18 in Doña Ana County, those numbers add up quickly.

If you are interested in joining The Bridge's work or for more information, call 528-7092.

*Tracey Bryan is president and CEO of The Bridge, a nonprofit organization that brings together business, economic development, government and education to create a stronger, well-qualified workforce in Doña Ana County. The Bridge's top priority is to increase the high school graduation rate in the county and the nonprofit's work has led to the creation of the state's first Early College High School on the Arrowhead Center campus at New Mexico State University. To contact Bryan, email tbryan@dacc.nmsu.edu.*

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## Briefs

### New Mexico has triggered HUP benefits

The New Mexico Department of Workforce Solutions announced that New Mexico has triggered off High Unemployment Period (HUP) federal-state extended benefits. The last payable date for HUP benefits will be Saturday, July 9. HUP benefits were a total of seven additional weeks of unemployment insurance benefits and were 100 percent federally funded.

"The state has seen a drop in the unemployment rate over the last three months, and HUP extended benefits have triggered off as a result of the change in the unemployment rate. Workforce Solutions is working to identify affected claimants and will be mailing information in July," said Celina Bussey, cabinet secretary of the New Mexico Department of Workforce Solutions.

Claimants affected by the change in HUP benefits do not need to contact the unemployment insurance call center.

### Early-bird Registration for ISPCS 2011 opened July 1

Register now and save \$150 on 2011 International Symposium for Personal and Commercial Spaceflight (ISPCS) registration. The value of the commercial spaceflight industry's innovations and technologies will be showcased in both the presentations and exhibits at ISPCS 2011.

"As we create new technologies, there is also value in creating competitive advantages that drive business growth in the emerging commercial space industry," said Patricia Hynes, ISPCS chair. "Speakers and exhibitors coming to ISPCS continue to confront the reality of building an industry both as competitors and as collaborators."

This year's conference is expected to draw more than 500 international company executives, entrepreneurs and government officials from across the entire space industry. The conference will feature a new indoor Commercial Space Exhibit Hall and a separate symposium room just added to the New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road.

### Volunteers needed for volleyball tournament

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwestern New Mexico will hold the second annual Mudd Volleyball Tournament Saturday, Aug. 6, at the Southern New Mexico State Fairgrounds Rodeo Arena.

Volunteers are needed to help support this fun event, including members of the planning committee, referees and assistants for the game-day activities.

Teams are available for \$400, and several affordable sponsorships opportunities are still available. For more information, call BBBS at 523-9530 or visit [www.bbbsofswnm.org](http://www.bbbsofswnm.org).

### Unemployment insurance benefit changes

The New Mexico Department of Workforce Solutions (NMDWS) announced unemployment insurance benefit changes to the dependent allowance benefit and full-time student eligibility, effective July 3. The changes are a result of legislation adopted during the 2011 legislative session.

For all new claims filed on or after July 3, claimants approved for unemployment insurance benefits may be eligible to receive an additional \$25 weekly for each dependent child up to the maximum of two dependents. Prior to July 3, claimants could be eligible for the allowance up to four dependents.

Starting July 3, claimants enrolling in school must be able, available and actively seeking work and will be required to conduct work searches. Students will be required to complete and submit a school questionnaire and submit an official school

schedule to NMDWS. The eligibility requirements, process and procedure for those enrolled in official department-approved training, such as through the Workforce Investment Act or Trade Adjustment Assistance, will remain unchanged.

For more information, visit [www.dws.state.nm.us](http://www.dws.state.nm.us) or call 877-664-6984.

### NMPRC approves construction on power plant

The New Mexico Public Regulation Commission (NMPRC) approved an order that will see El Paso Electric (EPE) construct a multi-million dollar power plant near Sunland Park.

The natural gas-fueled plant, which is expected to cost approximately \$84 million, will serve an estimated 50,000 customers in the Las Cruces-El Paso area.

Commission Chairman Patrick H. Lyons, one of three commissioners to vote in favor of the project, said the plant will bring much needed electricity to one of the state's fastest growing areas.

"This is a very important project that will serve tens of thousands of customers in that particular region, including White Sands Missile Range and Holloman Air Force Base, among others," Lyons said. "In addition to the benefit of serving the electricity needs of customers, the project is good for economic development and job creation in one of the state's fastest growing regions."

For more information, visit [www.nmprc.state.nm.us](http://www.nmprc.state.nm.us).

### New Mexico counties eligible for drought aid

U.S. Sen. Jeff Bingaman announced that several New Mexico counties have been declared eligible for disaster assistance due to their proximity to Texas counties that were declared disaster areas due to continuing drought.

As a result of the declaration, farmers and ranchers in Doña Ana, Lea, Otero, Curry, Quay, Roosevelt and Union counties are now eligible to be considered for low-interest emergency loans from the Farm Service Agency, which is part of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

"The drought is having a terrible affect on New Mexico's agricultural sector," Bingaman said. "I'm glad several New Mexico counties are now eligible for USDA loan assistance."

### Golf tourney save the date

Join the Hispano Chamber of Commerce de Las Cruces Sept. 16 – Mexican Independence Day – and celebrate local and regional heritage with a golf tournament and an after-hours fiesta. The event will include beer tasting, a shotgun start, midnight fiesta and piñata contest. The event will be held from 1 p.m. to midnight at Sonoma Ranch Golf Course. For more information, call 532-9255.

### Changes to chamber event

Big changes are coming to Las Cruces' premier networking event, Good Morning Las Cruces. The event, typically held early in the morning, will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 10, at the Hilton Garden Inn, 2550 S. Don Roser Drive. The evening will begin with a continental breakfast and special presentation by Barbara Couture, president of New Mexico State University.

The cost for the event is \$15 for members or \$30 for nonmembers and includes the continental breakfast. Registration will be limited to two representatives per company or organization. The sponsors for Good Morning Las Cruces are Comcast, Council of Conquistadores, Las Cruces Sun-News and the Las Cruces Bulletin. To RSVP, call the chamber office at 524-1968.

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## On the Agenda

### Film Festival focus of AdFed meeting

The melding of marketing and movie making will be the feature presentation of the Advertising Federation of Las Cruces at its next meeting from 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. July 12, at Lorenzo's Ristorante Italiano, 1750 Calle Mercado.

The marketing and promotion of the White Sands International Film Festival will be presented at the monthly Ad Fed meeting in addition to a special preview of Mark Medoff's new film "Refuge."

The program is \$15 for members and students and \$18 for guests and a buffet luncheon is included. For more information, call 647-4676.

**Date:** Saturday, July 9

**Time:** 1 to 3 p.m.

**Location:** Hastings  
2350 Lohman Ave.

### Osso Bucco Wine Dinner

The Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce will host Osso Bucco Wine Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, July 14, at Lorenzo's de Mesilla Ristorante Italiano, 1750 Calle de Mercado. Live Jazz with Roman Chip and vocalist Rene Sosa-Provencio will accompany dinner. Tickets are \$65 and must be purchased by Tuesday, July 12. For more information, call 525-3170.

**Date:** Thursday, July 14

**Time:** 6:30 p.m.

**Location:** Lorenzo's de Mesilla Ristorante Italiano  
1750 Calle de Mercado

**Contact:** 525-3170

### AAA New Mexico open house

The Las Cruces branch of AAA New Mexico will have an open house from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, July 16, at the Citizen's Bank building, 3991 E. Lohman Ave. AAA will showcase to the community all that AAA has to offer, including roadside service; auto, home and life insurance; and expert travel planning.

Open house activities include a free car battery check, free insurance policy review, door prizes, travel specials, refreshments and lots more. For more information, call 523-5681.

**Date:** Saturday, July 16

**Time:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Location:** Citizen's Bank building  
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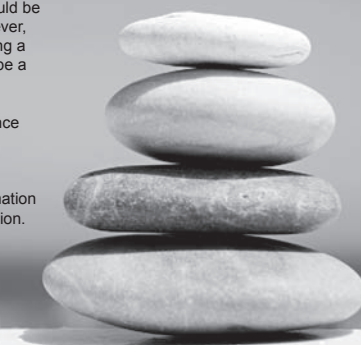
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Building Industry Association of Southern New Mexico						
Permit #	Permittee	Owner	Project	Address	Value	Permit
20113529	Freilino Properties LLC	Blue Horse Development Inc.	Res/New	2931 La Union Court	\$138,990	\$1,456
20113542	Pioneer Roofing and Specialties Inc.	Donald L. Kurtz	Reroof	2952 Missouri Ave.	\$4,678	\$55
20113543	Saenz Jose A. and Amanda	Jose A. and Amanda Saenz	Res/Add	1934 Poplar Ave.	\$2,500	\$42
20113549	Catwalk Enterprises LLC	Antonio S. and Socorro S. Armenadariz	Reroof	5117 Hacienda Ave.	\$6,000	\$63
20113550	Milagro Maintenance and Repair LLC	Tommy P. and Cynthia M. Valenzuela	Reroof	245 Esperanza St.	\$3,910	\$51
20113555	Jarrett W. Smith General Contractor LLC	Louis and Joan Abbadnaro	Res/Add	3618 Arroyo Verde St.	\$3,800	\$50
20113553	Radium Springs Construction	Angelica R. Aguilar	Reroof	3906 Elks Drive	\$5,371	\$59
20113560	Debco Construction Inc.	Rodney Glen and Debra Ann Pollard	Reroof	3435 Ridgeline Drive	\$7,380	\$74
20113563	Noble Journeymen Construction	Pioneer Bank	Comm/Alt	189 Howard Place	\$135,345	\$557
20113591	Hakes Brothers Construction LLC	Hakes Brothers LLC	Res/New	7547 Concho Place	\$152,274	\$2,279
20113562	AREI LLC	Stephen K. and Laura K. Reynolds	Reroof	4606 Rock Canyon Loop	\$10,420	\$89
20113571	Five Storie Construction	E. Arvizu Edgar	Reroof	2568 Sonrisa Loop	\$3,800	\$50
20113578	G L Green and Associates LLC	GL Green & Associates LLC	Res/New	1017 Calle Griega	\$189,092	\$4,101
20113611	Sweetwater Homes LLC	Sweetwater Homes LLC	Res/New	4229 Ceres Court	\$237,226	\$4,183
20113624	LC Structural Inc.	Johnny D. and Mary Helen Tapia	Res/New	4119 Crianza Way	\$0	\$4,062
20113631	Progreen Superior Coating and Roofing Inc.	Ofelia Polanco	Reroof	1135 Poplar Ave.	\$7,500	\$72
20113588	Shane R. Gilbert	Shane R. and Andresa I. Gilbert	Res/New	4116 Calle de Estrellas	\$390,566	\$667
20113614	JC Roofing Inc.	Noel and Maria Ortiz	Reroof	1100 Circle Drive	\$2,850	\$45
20113613	Sweetwater Homes LLC	K.B. and Elizabeth J. Chang	Res/New	4266 Ceres Court	\$271,256	\$4,241
20113626	LC Structural Inc.	Johnny D. and Mary Helen Tapia	Res/New	4131 Crianza Way	\$0	\$4,062
20113590	Hakes Brothers Construction LLC	Hakes Brothers LLC	Res/New	7513 Sierra de Oro Place	\$169,740	\$2,309
20113527	Future-Tech Inc.	Camino Real Builders Inc.	Reroof	2909 E. Springs Drive	\$7,434	\$72
20113537	Summit Development	Hunt Los Pueblos LLC	Res/New	4243 Lyra Court	\$195,160	\$4,111
20113552	A & A Roofing Inc.	Helen M. Lara	Reroof	1421 Walden Drive	\$3,500	\$48
20113566	Gilbert & Sons Roofing & Plastering	Jesus E. and Guadalupe Silva	Reroof	1655 Dogwood St.	\$7,250	\$70
20113559	JC Roofing Inc.	First Valley Tower LP	Reroof	1155 S. Telshor Blvd.	\$2,600	\$43
20113574	JDI Construction	Isaias and Mirna Loya	Res/Add	539 Villamora Ave.	\$4,435	\$54
20113583	Christopher Zubia	Christopher Zubia	Reroof	1934 Pebble Beach Road	\$6,000	\$63

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36689	Self	Francisco A. and Maribel Lopez	Reroof	5824 Sanderling Drive	\$90
36690	Self	Leazar Avita	Res/New	2745 Miami Drive	\$686
36691	Self	Guadalupe Flores	Res/New	19 Aceitunas Lane	\$341
36699	Self	David and Maria Espinoza	Reroof	166 Swift Court	\$90
36705	Noah Construction	Donna Legarreta	Res/New	641 Two Counties Road	\$284
36707	DJ Walker Construction	Susan and Paul Berver	Reroof	1 Lebanon Arc	\$210
36709	Sonrisa Builders	A.L. Pierce	Res/New	1296 Bazille Place	\$621
36710	Badlands Inc.	Linda Castro	Reroof	166 Swallow Court	\$100
36711	Badlands Inc.	Gayle White	Reroof	102 Casas Lindas Lane	\$110
36712	Pools By Design	Kim and Kathryn Stewart	Swimming Pool	230 Vista Del Rey	\$139
36713	Self	Arturo H. Brito	Res/Add	1345 Regis Road	\$550

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Plaintiff,**

vs.

**LAURA CARRASCO; THE  
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Defendants.**

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 13, 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 1365 W. Amador Avenue, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

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**THENCE** leaving Amador Avenue S. 14° 50' 00" E., 119.05 feet to an iron pipe found on the west side of a rock wall for the southeast corner of this tract;

**THENCE** following along a wire fence S. 73° 26' 00" W., 39.26 feet to an iron pipe found for the southwest corner of this tract identical to the southwest corner of Lot 13;

**THENCE** following along the west line of Lot 13 and along the wire fence N. 15° 11' 00" W., 118.57 feet to the place of beginning, containing 0.108 acres of land, more or less. Subject to easements of record. Field notes by Botsford Land Surveying, Inc..

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on June 2, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$39,846.25 and the same bears interest at 5.375% per annum from April 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$610.25. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of 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  
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## STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. CV-2011-1316

Judge:

**HENRY F. CRAGIN, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JACK N. WILKINSON,  
Deceased His unknown heirs,  
and any other Person or persons  
claiming through Him,  
and any other person making  
Claim adverse to the Plaintiff,  
Defendants.**

### NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

To: Unknown heirs of the following deceased person: JACK N. WILKINSON

Greetings: you are hereby notified that a civil action is now pending in the Third Judicial District Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico wherein Henry F. Cragin is the Plaintiff, and you are the Defendants.

The general object of said action is to obtain a Judgment and Decree of Quiet Title to the property described in the complaint in the cause.

Unless you file a responsive pleading in this action within thirty (30) days of this publication, Judgment granting the relief prayed for will be granted.

The Attorney for the Plaintiff is Ben A. Longwill, 741 N. Alameda Blvd. #4, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Witness my hand and seal of the District Court of Doña Ana County on this 7 day of June, 2011.

James H. Dempsey  
Clerk of the District Court  
By Joe M. Martinez

Submitted By:  
/s/ Ben A. Longwill  
Attorney for the Plaintiff

741 N. Alameda Blvd. #4  
Las Cruces, NM 88005  
575-524-4141

Pub # 10774  
Dates 6/17, 6/24, 7/1, 7/8, 2011

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

Case No.  
D-307-CV-2010-01583

**U.S BANK NATIONAL  
ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE  
FOR THE HOLDERS OF  
GSA HOME EQUITY  
TRUST 2006-19, ASSET-  
BACKED CERTIFICATES  
SERIES 2006-19, Plaintiff,**

v.

**LISSETTE M. MERCHANT,  
TOP NOTCH EXTERIORS  
BY ALBERT ORDUNEZ AND  
CARNERO'S PAINTING  
BY ERIC CARNERO,  
Defendant(s).**

### NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on July 14, 2011 at 11:00 AM, Front entrance to the Doña Ana County District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title, and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:

Lot 20 in Block A of Cave Creek Subdivision, Phase I At Sonoma Ranch South, Las Cruces, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Cave Creek Subdivision, Phase I At Sonoma Ranch South, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on 09/24/1999 in Plat Book 19, Folio 322-325

The address of the real property is 1145 Cave Springs Trail, 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 May 9, 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 \$530,482.15 plus interest from May 13, 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.

**and CANDELARIA VALLES OROZCO, a/k/a CANDELARIA VALLES, a/k/a CANDELARIA OROZCO, husband and wife, Defendants.**

### NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Default Judgment issued out of the District Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on June 6, 2011, in the above entitled cause in which it was determined that Plaintiff had a judgment against the Defendant and the amount of the judgment is \$1,399,900.60, together with interest at the rate of 18% per annum, from and after May 1, 2011, and by which judgment I am among other things commanded to sell all of the lands described in said judgment which real estate is to be sold in this foreclosure sale as more particularly described in the Judgment in said cause and hereafter described.

**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

NM00-02370\_FC01

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Dates 6/17, 6/24, 7/1, 7/8, 2011

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

Case NO: CV-11-596

Judge Manuel I. Arrieta

**DAVID BINGHAM and TIM  
GRAY, Plaintiffs,**

**THE NATIONAL BANK OF  
EL PASO, a branch of First  
National Bank of Edinburg,  
Texas, Involuntary Plaintiff,**

**CARLOS OROZCO  
ARMENDARIZ a/k/a  
CARLOS OROZCO,**

**and CANDELARIA  
VALLES OROZCO, a/k/a  
CANDELARIA VALLES,  
a/k/a CANDELARIA  
OROZCO, husband and wife,  
Defendants.**

### NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Default Judgment issued out of the District Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on June 6, 2011, in the above entitled cause in which it was determined that Plaintiff had a judgment against the Defendant and the amount of the judgment is \$1,399,900.60, together with interest at the rate of 18% per annum, from and after May 1, 2011, and by which judgment I am among other things commanded to sell all of the lands described in said judgment which real estate is to be sold in this foreclosure sale as more particularly described in the Judgment in said cause and hereafter described.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of July, 2011 at the hour of 1:30 p.m. in the front of the Doña Ana County

Judicial Complex located at 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005, I will in obedience to said Judgment sell the following described real estate to wit:

### PARCEL ONE

A portion of Section 5, Township 29 South, Range 4 East, New Mexico Principal Meridian, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, being the same property conveyed from E.V. Higgins to Albert Viron Higgins and Kathleen Ann Higgins, Trustees, by deed of record in Book 368 at Page 271, Deed Records, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and being more particularly described as follows:

The POINT OF BEGINNING being the Texas and New Mexico Boundary Monument No. 97, a brass tablet or disk located on top of a cylindrical concrete monument;

Thence, with the northeast boundary line of said Higgins parcel, South 39°06'00" East, 639.54 feet to a rebar with plastic cap stamped "NM 5948";

Thence, with the southeast boundary line of said Higgins parcel, South 45°00'00" West, 66.33 feet to a 1/2" dia. rebar with plastic cap set;

Thence, with the southwest boundary line of said Higgins parcel, North 62°35'00" West, 704.73 feet to a 1/2" dia. rebar with plastic cap set;

Thence, with the northwest boundary line of said Higgins parcel, North 50°54'00" East, 346.80 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING, and containing 3.0573 acres.

Bearing basis is true north for a local surface plane.

This parcel if bounded on the northeast by Emory Road, bounded on the southeast by USRS Tract 21B1, bounded on the southwest by the Montoya Main Lateral, and bounded on the northwest by that certain parcel of record in Book 247 at Page 136.

### PARCEL TWO

Tract 41, Section 5, Township 29, Range 4 East, N.M.P.M., Doña Ana County, New Mexico, being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a found 3" pipe on the southeasterly line of Sunland Park Drive, being the southwesterly corner for said Tract 41 as recorded in Book 136, Page 629, Doña Ana County, New Mexico;

Thence, N 49°57'00" E a distance of 461.34 feet along said southeasterly ROW line of Sunland Park Drive to a set 5/8" iron with cap;

Thence, S 40°45'00" E a distance of 261.49 feet along the southerly ROW line of Main Lateral to a set 5/8" iron with cap;

Thence, S 82°30'00" E a distance of 987.35 feet along the southerly ROW line of Main Lateral to a set 5/8" iron with cap;

Thence, S 45°00'00" W a distance of 80.80 feet to a found 3" pipe for corner of this Tract,

Thence, N 72°51'00" W a distance of 1404.98 feet along the northerly line of Montoya Drain to the POINT OF BEGINNING, containing 6.271 acres more less.

Said Mortgage was recorded

in Book 722, at Pages 1871 through 1883 of the Records of Doña Ana County, New Mexico.

which property is located at or near 3801 Emery Road, Sunland Park, New Mexico.

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances belonging to said real estate and in any way pertaining to said premises to satisfy Plaintiff's Judgment in the amount of \$1,399,900.60, together with interest thereon to the date of sale in the amount of \$54,538.44 together with all costs of said sale.

If the amount bid is over and above the amount due the Plaintiff, plus costs of sale, the amount of the proceeds shall, pursuant to said Judgment, be paid into the registry of the Court for determination of the amounts to be paid, and to whom said amount shall be paid. Said sale shall be to the highest bidder for cash or certified funds provided however that Plaintiffs shall be entitled to bid all or a part of their judgment.

DATED this 14th day of June, 2011.

RESPECTFULLY  
SUBMITTED,  
By /s/ Stephen Hosford  
Special Master  
P.O. Box 420  
Arrey, NM 87930-0420  
(575) 644-6068

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Dates 6/17, 6/24, 7/1, 7/8, 2011

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

Case No. D0307CV200901442

**BANK OF AMERICA N.A.,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**CRISTA B. AMEZQUITA,  
MARK A. AMEZQUITA,  
WELLS FARGO BANK,  
N.A., SUCCESSOR BY  
MERGER TO WELLS FARGO  
HOME MORTGAGE, INC.,  
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF  
CRISTA B. AMEZQUITA, IF  
ANY, UNKNOWN SPOUSE  
OF MARK A. AMEZQUITA,  
IF ANY, OCCUPANTS  
WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE  
UNKNOWN, OCCUPANTS,  
WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE  
UNKNOWN, UNIT B AND  
OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE  
NAMES ARE UNKNOWN,  
UNIT C, Defendant(s).**

### NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the above-named Defendant(s) Crista B. Amezcuita and Unknown Spouse of Crista B. Amezcuita, if any.

### GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on property located at 1018 Ivydale Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88001, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, said property being more particularly described as: Lot 10, Block 109, COUNTRY CLUB ESTATES NO. 3, PLAT NO. 4, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on Plat No. 705, thereof filed for record in the Office of the County Clerk of said county on December 23, 1968, and recorded in Book 10, Pages 44, Plat Records.

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

Respectfully Submitted,  
CASTLE STAWIARSKI, LLC

By:  
Elizabeth Mason  
Keya Koul  
Steven Lucero  
Lorili Powell  
20 First Plaza NW, Suite 602  
Albuquerque, NM 87102  
Telephone: (505) 848-9500  
Fax: (505) 848-9516  
Attorney for Plaintiff

WITNESS the Honorable  
MANUEL I. ARRIETA,  
DISTRICT COURT JUDGE,  
of the Third Judicial District  
Court, Doña Ana County, New  
Mexico, this 8th day of June,  
2011.

James Dempsey  
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT  
COURT

By: Nancy Heavner  
Deputy

NM00-04577\_FC01

Pub # 10795  
Dates 6/24, 7/1, 7/8, 2011

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

No. CV-2010-2587

**US BANK NATIONAL  
ASSOCIATION as Trustee for  
JD ALT 2006-S2, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**TOM TALBOT, Defendants.**

### FIRST AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 20, 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 220 Mesa Vista Road, Anthony, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico Mortgage, and is particularly described as follows:

A tract of land situate about 4 1/2 miles southwest of Anthony, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, in Section 7, T.27S., R.3E., N.M.P.M. of the U.S.R.S. Surveys and being more particularly described as follows, to wit;

Beginning at a 1/2 inch rebar set on the south line of a 30 foot wide road easement for the southeast corner of this tract, Whence the New Mexico Reference Monument No. 40 marked by a brass cap set in concrete bears N. 80 deg. 10' 30" E., a distance of 477.29 feet;

Thence from the place of beginning S. 80 deg. 10' 30" W., 167.92 feet to a 1/2 iron pipe found for the southwest corner of this tract;

Thence leaving the south line of the 30 foot wide road easement N. 9 deg. 49' 30" W., 258.08 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar set for the northwest corner of this tract;

Thence N. 79 deg. 16' 25" E., 167.94 feet to a 1/2 rebar set for the northeast corner of this tract;

Thence S. 9 deg. 49' 30" E., 260.72 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1.000 acres of land, more or less, subject to a 30 foot wide road easement north of and adjacent to the south boundary line.

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on February 14, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$172,042.75 and the same bears interest at 7.500% per annum from January 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$7,105.61. 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-2010-2549

**CITIMORTGAGE, INC.,  
successor in interest to ABN  
AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc.  
by merger, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**MARY B. MARR; PIONEER  
BANK, Defendants.**

### FIRST AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 20, 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 10085 Achenbach Canyon Road, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County,



## Profile

# Jason White: Golf pro combines work with play

## White leads by example, sets high expectations for the course

By **Samantha Roberts**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

While some people consider golf a sport for the retired, Las Crucesans are proving differently, especially New Mexico State University Head Golf Professional Jason White.

Born overseas “by chance,” White spent his first few days as an infant in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia, his birthplace.

“My grandfather was working for an (international company), and my mom was visiting him in Saudi Arabia when she went into labor,” White said. “We came back to the United States the first chance she could.”

Though his father was in the Army and his grandfather’s work led him to different countries, White still considers one place home – Washington.

While growing up, White said he spent his summers at Rosarito Beach in Mexico with his grandfather.

“He’s the first one to put a golf club in my hands,” White said. “I remember one summer, I was about 12 or 13 and my grandfather gave me a few clubs and told me to go talk to a guy named Dale. ‘He will teach you how to play,’ he told me. Turns out, Dale was a retired PGA professional.”

White said he picked up the sport naturally and has been “decent” at the game ever since.

When it came time for college, White said he scouted junior colleges where he could play golf, but never thought his career would extend into golf management.

“A friend told me about NMSU’s professional golf management program around December of my senior year,” he said. “I visited the school during my spring break and decided to enroll.”

“NMSU’s PGA golf management program is one of the oldest programs in the country, originally one of only four programs – there are now about 20.”

Not only did White graduate from the university with a bachelor’s degree in 2003, he also met his future wife, Traci, a biology/chemistry major who was pursuing a career in pharmacy. The two were wed in 2004.

The couple moved to Albuquerque, so Traci could attend pharmacy school at the University of New Mexico, but Jason said he did not have a job lined up.

“I started looking for any kind of golf job I could find,” he said. “And the first one I got worked out quite well.”

White was greeted into the “golf-is-your-career” world with an amazing opportunity

– Tournament Director for the Sun Country PGA. For those who are unfamiliar with golf, the Sun Country is the New Mexico and El Paso division of the PGA (professional golf association).

“I basically got to set up and help run tournaments,” said White, adding that his favorite part about the job was meeting and interacting with the professionals and building relationships in the golf community. “John Sperry took a big chance on hiring someone right out of college. I am so grateful he had faith in me.”

White also said he ran the junior tour, working with kids and young golfers.

“We were introducing people to the game,” he said. “Giving them an avenue to compete.”

In addition, White also coordinated the advertising and marketing materials for the tournament.

“If golf weren’t my career, I would probably want to do something related to advertising. I enjoy creativity, and I think that is why I really liked working at the tournaments,” he said.

White agreed to follow Traci, who was applying for residencies across the country, and submitted his letter of resignation.

“I didn’t know where she would be going, but I knew I wanted to follow her,” he said. “Pat Gavin, the director of NMSU’s PGM program was also on the Sun Country board, so he was one of the first to know I was leaving. I got lucky again, and he offered me a job as the assistant director of the professional golf management program. I ended up back at NMSU, teaching

on-campus PGA golf management classes that only four years prior I was attending.”

White took the job and he and his wife spent the next year apart.

“She was in Washington for that year. It was hard, but we made it,” he said.

For White, the “luck” has kept coming in. After four years of working with NMSU, he was promoted to head pro at the university’s golf course. Though he is not on the move as much, White said he still has a creative outlet.

“All of my bosses really give me the freedom to develop new programs and revamp existing ones,” he said. “We are starting a youth golf academy to introduce new people to golf.”

Also in support of junior golf, White raised almost \$900, playing 108 rounds of golf in one day. The six-round golf experience took 12 hours and White, the “decent” golfer, said he shot 422, 10-under-par.

“It was very cool how everyone supported me throughout the day and, of course, how everyone was so willing to give money for the cause,” he said.

In addition to his already busy schedule, White is also on the Board of Directors for the Sun Country PGA, has won two notable Sun Country Section awards – the Bill Strausbaugh award for employment and club relations and the Horton Smith award for education – before the age of 30 and still manages to have time for his wife and two kids – Marley, 2, and Hogan, two weeks.

“Yeah, maybe just a little bit,” White said in regards to naming his son after the famous golfer.

## La Iguana ribbon cutting



Owners Michael and Mary LeBlanc cut the ribbon Friday, July 1, celebrating the grand opening of La Iguana Restaurant, 139 N. Main St. Also in attendance were La Iguana kitchen and wait staff and members of the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce and Hispano Chamber of Commerce de Las Cruces.

Las Cruces Bulletin photo by David McCollum

## Details

### Jason White

Head golf professional

### Company

New Mexico State University Golf Course

### Family

- Wife Traci
- Daughter Marley, 2
- Son Hogan, 2 weeks

### Education

- Bachelor’s degree in marketing with an emphasis in professional golf management, New Mexico State University
- Master’s degree in business, New Mexico State University

### Organizations

Board of Directors for the Sun Country PGA

### Awards

- Bill Strausbaugh award
- Horton Smith award

### Website

- [www.nmsugolf.com](http://www.nmsugolf.com)
- [www.playgolfamerica.com](http://www.playgolfamerica.com)

### Contact

- 646-3219
- [jaw@nmsu.edu](mailto:jaw@nmsu.edu)



# In Good Company: Sky's the Limit

## Q&A

### Talking business with owner Donna Bassett

**What inspired you to go into business?**

My fascination with the retail business and its challenges, and the opportunity to be my own boss

**What is unique about your business?**

The unusual blend of merchandise at reasonable prices

**Who are your customers?**

All types and walks of life – the business has served tourists, locals and the general public in Ruidoso for more than 20 years

**Where do you see the business in five years?**

Successful and going strong

**What is your business philosophy?**

To bring a unique and quality product to my customers, while offering reasonable prices

**What is the best part of your job?**

Interacting with the public and my customers. I also enjoy going to market and selecting the right merchandise for resale.

**How do you keep your competitive edge?**

By staying on top of current trends and by listening to my customers' ideas and suggestions

**How are you marketing the store?**

Through advertising and the media, but mostly through word of mouth and loyal repeat customers

**What do you look for in an employee?**

I look for someone who is personable and cheerful – and product-smart individuals

**What is the best business decision you've made so far?**

Moving to Mesilla

**What adjustments or improvements have you made so far?**

I have made revisions and updates to my inventory based on customer input

**What best prepared you for entrepreneurship?**

My patience and desire to succeed – I come from a strong-willed family

**What advice would you give to others starting a business?**

Don't give up and be prepared for hard work and long hours

**What items do you carry, in brief, and their price ranges?**

Jewelry, clothing and specialty T-shirts, such as firefighters, police, motorcyclists, religious, etc. Prices vary anywhere from \$5 to \$80.

**What is your most popular item?**

Cotton wrap tops and inexpensive jewelry

## No limit for new retail shop

Mesilla store provides another option for unique gifts

By **Samantha Roberts**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

It is the title of many songs, included in inspirational sayings and, now, the name of a unique boutique shop in Mesilla.

Still in its soft-opening phase, Sky's the Limit, located across from the front door of La Posta de Mesilla, offers exclusive gifts for any budget.

The shop is run by owner Donna Bassett, who has operated the same store in Ruidoso for the past 20 years.

"A friend in Las Cruces told me this spot was going to come available," said Bassett in regard to her new location. "I thought it would be great to open a second store there, but I never thought I would get the space."

To her surprise, Bassett was able to acquire the property and said she decided to move her whole operation to Mesilla.

"Having two separate stores was just going to be too much," she said. "Plus, I already like Las Cruces so much. The people are so great."

Previously an old antique shop, Sky's the Limit still has the old, welcoming antique feel, but instead of being filled with used treasures, the current store is stocked with fun gift ideas, creative T-shirts and comfortable fashions.

"I have picked out everything that I sell," Bassett said. "I only put things in my store that I would want to buy, and hope other people do to."

Although owning your own business can be very rewarding, Bassett said it is still a lot of hard work and budgeting skills.

"This business is very iffy and very seasonal," she said. "So many factors go

into running a successful company, such as this one, and it requires one to budget so the hard times are not as hard."

Since business in Ruidoso is more seasonal and flows with travel of the skiers and summer horse track fans, Bassett said she hopes the Las Cruces area provides more consistency.

"We are already getting a lot of locals at the shop," she said, "but we cater to both locals and tourists with a variety of gifts at a variety of price points."

Bassett said Sky's the Limit's best seller are the distinctive T-shirts that celebrate various professions, such as firefighters, nurses, motorcyclists, police officers, band members and much more.

"People come in all the time and are so surprised by the wide variety we offer," Bassett said. "These shirts are unique to different niches, but also have a little bit of flair."

Although she has been in the business for more than 20 years, Bassett said she is still motivated and excited about coming to work.

"I managed Sky's the Limit for several years, until I bought it, and I still love it," she said, adding that her store neighbors, particularly friends at the Rustic Olive, have been helpful and welcoming. "This whole community is great, and I look forward to being more involved once I get settled in."

Since Bassett is doing limited advertising for her store, she said she is relying on repeat customers and word-of-mouth marketing.

"I can tell (Las Cruces) supports local businesses and that is important for someone like me. I am really excited to be here," she said.

## Details

### Sky's the Limit

**Address**

2411 Calle de San Albino

**Phone**

523-0991

**Hours**

11 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
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Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Samantha Roberts  
Donna Bassett, owner of Sky's the Limit, poses with some of the store's specialty T-shirts.

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New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 27B, TALAVERA SUBDIVISION UNIT 2, TRACT 3 REPLAT NO. 4, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on the plat thereof, filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on May 23, 1994, in Book 18 Page(s) 81 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 December 13, 2010, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$307,409.06 and the same bears interest at 6.500% per annum from November 16, 2010, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$13,521.79. 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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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA  
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

No. CV-2010-2173

**BAC HOME LOANS  
SERVICING, LP fka  
Countrywide Home Loans  
Servicing LP, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JASON KELLEY;  
FARRAH KELLEY; and  
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC  
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,  
INC., Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 20, 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 5228 Nephite Court, Las Cruces, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 17 in Block 28 of Las Colinas Planned Unit Development, Phase VI-D Subdivision, located in the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat thereof filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana, New Mexico on October 17, 2003 and recorded in Book 20 at Pages 458-459, 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 June 15, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$235,838.70 and the same bears interest at 6.125% per annum from July 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$791.52. 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.

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

No. CV-2011-846

**BOKE, N.A. dba BANK OF  
OKLAHOMA, N.A., Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JAVIER DIAZ, JR., and LISA  
BARON, 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 3802 Stoney Brook Cir, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT NUMBERED 10 IN BLOCK NUMBERED 3 OF RIOS ENCANTADOS SUBDIVISION PHASE 1, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID RIOS ENCANTADOS SUBDIVISION PHASE 1, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON MAY 8, 1991 IN PLAT BOOK 17, FOLIO 28-31.

The sale is to begin at 11:00 a.m. on July 27, 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 June 14, 2011, in the principal sum of \$189,203.40, plus outstanding interest due on the Note through May 1, 2011, in the amount of \$11,030.58 and accruing thereafter at the rate of 7.628 per diem, plus late charges of \$1,314.35, plus escrow advances of \$3,304.43, plus a fee advance of \$700.00, plus attorney's fees in the amount of \$503.61, with interest on the above-listed amounts, attorney's fees and costs at the rate of 6.360% 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/ John A. Darden, III,  
Special Master  
P.O. Box 578  
Las Cruces, NM 88004-0578  
(575) 541-6655

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

Cause No. CV 2006-0919  
Judge Robert E. Robles

**TIMOTHY C. GRAY,  
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JOSE LUIS REYES,  
Defendants.**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special

Master will, on the 21st day of July, 2011, at 10:00 AM, 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:

Lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, Block 16, of Townsite of Chamberino, located in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as 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 29, 1917 and recorded in Book 5 at Page 16, Plat Records.

Said sale will be made pursuant to the Agreed Judgment for Plaintiff, entered on July 6, 2006 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 \$32,634.00 through July 6, 2006, on which post-judgment interest shall run at 13% per annum until satisfied in full, which the Special Master calculates to be a per diem of \$11.623068 for 1805 days to the date of the Special Master's sale (the "Sale"), for total post-judgment interest of \$20,979.64, 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 his bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of his 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 his 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 20th day of June, 2011.

Submitted by:

Kelly P. Albers, Special Master  
650 Montana, Suite D

Las Cruces, NM 88001  
Telephone (575) 527-9064

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Dates 6/24, 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

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

Case No.  
D-307-CV-201100125

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

vs.

**HARLEY E. SCHWARTZ, JR.;  
THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE  
OF HARLEY E. SCHWARTZ,  
JR., IF ANY, Defendant(s).**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on July 19, 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 87 OF AVALON PARK SUBDIVISION-CORRECTED PLAT, LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT OF SAID AVALON PARK SUBDIVISION-CORRECTED PLAT, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON NOVEMBER 28, 2006 IN PLAT BOOK 22, FOLIO 62-64.

The address of the real property is 920 Glimmer Way, 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.

**SALVADOR ROBLES JR. AND  
THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE  
OF SALVADOR ROBLES JR.,  
IF ANY, Defendant(s).**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on July 19, 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 1 in Block numbered 4 of Vista Del Rio Subdivision, Phase II, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Vista Del Rio Subdivision, Phase II, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on January 13, 1993 in Plat Book 17, Folio 267-268.

The address of the real property is 1003 Rio Vista Drive, 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

**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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Pub # 10802  
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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA  
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

Case No.  
D-307-CV-201100261

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

vs.

**SALVADOR ROBLES JR. AND  
THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE  
OF SALVADOR ROBLES JR.,  
IF ANY, Defendant(s).**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on July 19, 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 1 in Block numbered 4 of Vista Del Rio Subdivision, Phase II, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Vista Del Rio Subdivision, Phase II, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on January 13, 1993 in Plat Book 17, Folio 267-268.

The address of the real property is 1003 Rio Vista Drive, 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 May 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 \$165,733.84 plus interest from May 2, 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.

**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.

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

NM00-00947\_FC01

Pub # 10803  
Dates 6/24, 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on May 26, 2011, Randy L. and Laura E. Stadjuhar, 4480 Overlook Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-15056 POD1 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by abandoning the use of existing well LRG-12220, also known as well LRN07-0049, located at Lat/Long: 32° 21' 14.957"N, 106° 49' 54.58"W, on land owned by David and Susan Olguin, and drilling a replacement well to a depth of 150 feet for 6-inch casing to be located at Lat/Long: 32° 20' 58.628"N, 106°

49' 59.01"W, on land owned by the applicants, for the continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by the May 24, 1999 Order of the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico for the irrigation of 1.50 acres, owned by the applicant, located within the SW1/4 of projected Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 1 East, NMPM. The site for new well LRG-15056 POD1 is located north of Las Cruces, NM and may be found at the physical address of 4480 Outlook Lane. Old well LRG-12220 (LRN07-0049) 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 affected. 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 # 10806  
Dates 6/24, 7/1, 7/8, 2011

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on May 27, 2011, Virginia Ward, 340 Armstrong Rd., Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-15058-POD4 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 drilling proposed well LRG-15058-POD4, located within the SW1/4 SW1/4 NW1/4 of projected Section 36, Township 22 South, Range 01 East, NMPM at approximately X=1,470,227 Y=492,115 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83) to an approximate depth of 140 below ground surface with 16-inch casing on land owned by the applicant, supplemental to existing wells LRG-15058-POD 1 located on land owned by Michelle R. Duran within the SW1/4 SE1/4 NW1/4 of said Section 36; LRG-15058-POD2 located on land owned by Corine D. Caraway, et al. within the SE1/4 SE1/4 NE1/4 or projected Section 35, Township 22 South, Range 01 East, NMPM and LRG-15058-POD3 located on land owned by the Virginia L. Brown Revocable Trust within the SE1/4 NW1/4 SW1/4 of said Section 36 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 58.57 acres of land owned by the applicant and Eloise H. Gillett located within Pt. SE1/4 of said Section 35 and Pt. W1/2 of said Section 36. Existing well LRG-15058-POD 1 is located approximately 1,250 ft. north of the intersection of Armstrong

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Rd. and Shady Grove Ln. at the northern end of Shady Grove Ln. Well LRG-15058-POD2 is located approximately 360 ft. north northeast of the intersection of Olde Country Rd. and Doña Ana Rd. Well LRG-15058-POD3 is located approximately 400 ft. southwest of the intersection of Armstrong Rd. and Shady Grove Ln. Proposed well LRG-15058-POD4 will be located approximately 1,175 feet northwest of said intersection, approximately 1.0 mile northwest of Las Cruces, 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.

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

No. CV-2011-190

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK,  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
successor in interest to  
Washington Mutual Bank,  
FA, successor to Washington  
Mutual Home Loans, Inc.,  
successor in interest by  
merger to Fleet Mortgage  
Corporation, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**EDWARD R. SALAZAR  
and, if married, JANE DOE  
SALAZAR, (True Name  
Unknown), his spouse,  
Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 20, 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 2245 Bex Street, Las Cruces, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 11, Block 1 of ROSE VILLAGE 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 September 25, 1978 and recorded in Book 12 at Pages 219-220, Plat Records.

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judg-

ment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on June 17, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$121,946.44 and the same bears interest at 8.375% per annum from April 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$2,686.17. 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.

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Pub # 10810  
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**NOTICE** is hereby given that on May 24, 2011, Eddie J. Silva, 1863 Burke Rd., Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-668-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-668 located within the SE1/4 SE1/4 NE1/4 of projected Section 10, Township 23 South, Range 01 East, NMPM on land owned by Robert and Barbara Cosimati and drilling new well LRG-668-POD2 to a depth of approximately 160 feet below ground surface with 6-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the NW1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4 of said Section 10 at approximately X=1,462,323 Y=481,415 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 4.79 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. SE1/4 of said Section 10. Well LRG-668 is located approximately 1,000 feet east northeast of the intersection of Bales Rd. and Burke Rd. at the physical address of 2005 Burke Rd. Proposed well LRG-668-POD2 will be located approximately 470 ft. west of said intersection at 1863 Burke Rd., Las Cruces, NM. Well

LRG-668 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.

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 27, 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 6020 Becca Drive, Sunland Park, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Pub # 10812  
Dates 6/24, 7/1, 7/8, 2011

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on June 7, 2011, Carlos and Sharon Ann Prats, 315 Alvarez Road, Anthony, NM 88021 filed application numbered LRG-15062 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 abandoning the use of existing well LRG-15062 POD1 located at Lat/Long: 31° 54' 55.766"N, 106° 39' 34.338"W, on land owned by the applicants, and drilling a replacement well to a depth of 120 feet for 4-inch casing to be located at Lat/Long: 31° 54' 55.955"N, 106° 39' 34.316"W, on land owned by the applicants, for the continued diversion of 3.0 acre-feet per annum for domestic one household and related purpose. The site for replacement well LRG-15062 POD2 is located southwest of Anthony, NM and may be found at the physical address of 315 Alvarez Road. Existing well LRG-15062 POD1 will be plugged.

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on June 17, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$154,841.87 and the same bears interest at 6.125% per annum from May 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$1,896.82. 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.

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 affected. 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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Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**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.

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

No. CV-2010-3327

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK,  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
Successor in Interest to  
Washington Mutual Bank, FA,  
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**CARRIE HOBURG; JED  
VANE; and JPMORGAN  
CHASE BANK, National  
Association, Successor in  
Interest to Washington  
Mutual Bank, FA, Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 27, 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 6020 Becca Drive, Sunland Park, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 6, Block 3, MASON FARMS SUBDIVISION UNIT 2, in the County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico, as shown and designated on the plat thereof, filed in the office of the County Clerk of said county as Plat No. 4040 on 10/26/2004 in Book 21 Page(s) 18-21 of Plat Records.

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on June 17, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$154,841.87 and the same bears interest at 6.125% per annum from May 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$1,896.82. 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.

PO Drawer 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169  
575-642-5567

Pub # 10814  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011

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

No. CV-2011-00920

**GMAC MORTGAGE, LLC,  
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**THE ESTATE OF GARY  
W. MAYHOOD, Deceased;  
and if married, JANE DOE  
MAYHOOD (true name  
unknown) his spouse;  
GENEVIEVE BAUER,  
Individually, and as Personal  
Representative of THE  
ESTATE OF GARY W.  
MAYHOOD; DOROTHY  
MADER; ARLINE MADER;  
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS,  
DEWISEES OR LEGATEES  
OF GARY W. MAYHOOD,  
Deceased; JOHN DOE  
and JANE DOE, (true  
names unknown), tenants,  
Defendant(s).**

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF  
ACTION**

Defendants The Unknown Heirs, Devisees or Legatees of Gary W. Mayhood, Deceased, are hereby notified that Plaintiff has filed a civil suit against Defendants The Unknown Heirs, Devisees or Legatees of Gary W. Mayhood, Deceased, in the above-entitled cause of action, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on property located at 2318 La Paloma Dr, in the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, more particularly described as:

Lot 12 in Block 6 of La Buena Vida Subdivision Phase IIA, located in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat thereof filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on April 2, 1986 and recorded in Book 14, at Page(s) 175-176, Plat Records.

Defendants The Unknown Heirs, Devisees or Legatees of Gary W. Mayhood, Deceased, 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 The Unknown Heirs, Devisees or Legatees of Gary W. Mayhood, Deceased, fail to file a timely Answer or Motion, a default judgment may be entered against Defendants The Unknown Heirs, Devisees or Legatees of Gary W. Mayhood, Deceased, for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Attorneys for the Plaintiff:  
Susan C. Little & Associates,  
P.A.  
4501 Indian School Road NE,  
Suite 101  
P.O. Box 3509  
Albuquerque, NM 87190-3509  
(505) 254-7767 FAX: 254-4722/4706

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on April 4, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$335,713.19 and the same bears interest at 6.500% per annum from March 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$3,826.22. 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, 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.

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 21st day of June, 2011.

**JAMES H. DEMPSEY  
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT  
COURT**

By Peggy R. Brock  
(SEAL) Deputy

Pub # 10815  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

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

No. CV-2010-1653

**FLAGSTAR BANK, FSB,  
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**MARIA A. GARZA and, if  
married, JOHN DOE A, (True  
Name Unknown), her spouse;  
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC  
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,  
INC., as nominee, Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on May 18, 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 40 Cielo Dorado, Anthony, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 3, Block 9, CIELO DORADO 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. 1027 on 01/22/1980 in Book 13 Page(s) 15-24 of Plat Records.

**THE FOREGOING SALE** will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on April 4, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$335,713.19 and the same bears interest at 6.500% per annum from March 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$3,826.22. 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, 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.

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 # 10816  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011

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

No. D-307-CV-2010-02912

**THE BANK OF NEW  
YORK MELLON, FKA THE  
BANK OF NEW YORK,  
AS TRUSTEE FOR THE  
CERTIFICATEHOLDERS  
CWALI, INC., ALTERNATIVE  
LOAN TRUST 2006-OC11,  
MORTGAGE PASS-  
THROUGH CERTIFICATES,  
SERIES 2006-OC11, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**ROBERT BRANDT;  
GAYLE BRANDT; and  
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC  
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,  
INC., AS NOMINEE,  
Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 27, 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 4311 Kingston Court, Las Cruces, and is situated in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 4, Block E, SANDHILL CENTER HEIGHTS PHASE 3, 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. 4098 on 01/21/05 in Book 21 Page(s) 117\_18 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 June 17, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$120,088.69 and the same bears interest at 7.000% per annum from July 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$621.83. 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, 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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Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169  
575-642-5567

Pub # 10817  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011

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

No. CV-11-1315  
Judge Arrieta

**BARBARA LOU KLING,  
Individually, And as Personal  
Representative of THE  
ESTATE OF BARBARA  
ADELE POLLOCK, Deceased,  
JACQUELINE GALE  
STARKEY, Involuntary  
Plaintiff, and LESLIE ANN  
POLLOCK, Involuntary  
Plaintiff, Plaintiffs,**

vs.

**DR. JAMES L. POLLOCK,  
JR., Deceased, his Unknown  
heirs, and any person or persons  
Claiming through him,  
and, JAMES T. POLLOCK,  
Deceased, his unknown heirs,  
and any person or Persons  
claiming through him.  
Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

To: Unknown heirs of the following Deceased persons: James L. Pollock and James T. Pollock.

Greetings: you are hereby notified that a civil action is now pending in the Third Judicial District Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico where-in Barbara Lou Kling is the Plaintiff, and you are the Defendants.

The general object of said action is to obtain a Judgement and Decree of Quiet Title to the property described in the complaint in the cause.

Unless you file a responsive pleading in this action within thirty (30) days of this publication, judgement granting the relief prayed for will be granted.

The Attorney for the Plaintiff is Ben A. Longwill, 741 N. Alameda Blvd. #4, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Witness my hand and seal of the District Court of Doña Ana County on this 24 day of June, 2011.

Melissa A. Lundien  
Clerk of the District Court  
Submitted By:  
/s/ Ben A. Longwill  
Attorney for the Plaintiff  
741 N. Alameda Blvd. #4  
Las Cruces, NM 88005  
575-524-4141

# LEGAL NOTICES

Las Cruces Bulletin - your legal publication for Las Cruces and Doña Ana County, New Mexico

Pub # 10818  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on April 8, 2011, JoAnn Hoffman, 2900 Willow Creek Ln., Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-14993-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-1167-S located on land owned by Josh A. Brill within the NW1/4 SE1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 34, T22S, R01E, NMPM and drilling new well LRG-14993-POD 1 with 8-inch casing to an approximate depth of 150 feet below ground surface on land owned by the applicant within the SW1/4 NW1/4 NW1/4 of projected Section 3, T23S, R01E, NMPM at approximate Latitude/Longitude N32d20m32.73s W106d50m6.56s (NAD83) for the continued diversion of shallow groundwater, combined with surface water received from the E.B.I.D., in that amount required for beneficial use for the irrigation of 7.02 acres of land owned by the applicant located in Pt. NW1/4 of said Section 3, further described as USRS/EBID Tract 6-3B6. Well LRG-1167-S is located approximately 785 ft. southeast of the intersection of Wildwind Rd. and Sandollar Way. The proposed location for well LRG-14993-POD 1 is located approximately 410 ft. northwest, of the intersection of Willow Creek Ln. and Happy Pl., approximately 2.4 miles northwest of Las Cruces, NM. Well LRG-1167-S 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 # 10819  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 16, 2011, Eddie S. Rodriguez, 680 Copa Ln., Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-15030-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-12712 located within the SW1/4 NW1/4 NE1/4 of projected Section 35, Township 22 South, Range 01 East, NMPM on land owned by Monica Lopez and Mark Leisher and drilling new well LRG-15030-POD1 to a depth of approxi-

mately 120 feet below ground surface with 4-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the NE1/4 NW1/4 NE1/4 of said Section 35 at approximately X=1,468,058 Y=494,098 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 0.99 acres of land owned by the applicant located within the NE1/4 NW1/4 NE1/4 of said Section 35. Well LRG-12712 is located approximately 1,700 feet west of the intersection of Loomis Rd. and Doña Ana Rd. at the physical address of 683 Loomis Rd. Well LRG-15030-POD1 is located approximately 675 ft. west of said intersection at 680 Copa Ln., northwest of Las Cruces, NM. Well LRG-12712 will be retained for other water rights.

Any person, firm or corporation, or other entity having standing to file objections or protest, 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 # 10820  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 6, 2011, Yvonne Richardson, 2610 W. Union Ave., Las Cruces, NM 88005, filed application numbered LRG-796 POD2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Drill Supplemental Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling a well to a depth of 140 feet for 6-inch casing to be located at Lat/Long: 32° 17' 9.519"N, 106° 48' 13.979"W, on land owned by the applicant, to supplement existing well LRG-796, located at Lat/Long: 32° 17' 8.117"N, 106° 48' 13.155"W, on land owned by the applicant, for the continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by the May 24, 1999 Order of the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, for the irrigation of 11.54 acres, owned by the applicant, located within the SE1/4 of projected Section 23, Township 23 South, Range 1 East, NMPM and within the NE1/4 of projected Section 26, Township 23 South, Range 1 East, NMPM, as described by Subfile Order No.: LRN-28-012-0221 of the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico. The site for proposed supplemental well LRG-796 POD2 is located north of Mesilla, NM

and may be found at the physical address of 1140 S. Highway 292.

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 affected. 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 # 10821  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 6, 2011, Yvonne Richardson, 2610 W. Union Ave., Las Cruces, NM 88005, filed application numbered LRG-1896 POD2 with the State Engineer for Permit to Drill Supplemental Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling a supplemental well to a depth of 140 feet for 6-inch casing to be located at Lat/Long: 32° 15' 44.163" N, 106° 47' 47.64"W, on land owned by the applicant, to supplement existing well LRG-1896 located at Lat/Long: 32° 15' 44.045"N, 106° 47' 47.441"W, on land owned by the applicant, for the continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by the May 24, 1999 Order of the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, for the irrigation of 2.6 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the SW1/4 of projected Section 36, Township 23 South, Range 1 East, NMPM. The site for new supplemental well LRG-1896 POD2 is located south of Mesilla, NM and may be found at the physical address of 2610 W. Union Ave.

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 affected. 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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## IN THE PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. 2011-0153

## IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CARMELITA S. GUNTHER, DECEASED

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHARLOTTE G. WHEELER 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 personal representative in care of Alan D. Gluth, 2455 E. Missouri, Suite A, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001, or filed with the Probate Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico, 845 N. Motel Blvd. Rm. 1-201, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88007.

DATED: June 24, 2011.

CHARLOTTE G. WHEELER  
8328 W. 90th Ave.  
Westminster, CO 80021

Prepared by:  
ALAN D. GLUTH  
New Mexico Bar #14980  
Gluth Law, LLC  
2455 East Missouri, Suite A  
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001  
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## STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. PB 2011- 53  
Judge Martin

## IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN DEMARTINO, DECEASED.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of John DeMartino, deceased, and all persons having claims against said Estate are required to present their claims within two [2] months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned at: Stacy DeMartino, 100 Taylor Rd., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88007 or filed with the Clerk of the above entitled Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico.

/s/ Stacy Martino  
100 Taylor Rd.  
Las Cruces, NM 88007

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

No. CV-2010-3116

M&T BANK, Plaintiff,

vs.

BRANDI VALENZUELA aka BRANDI L. VALENZUELA; and STEPHEN VALENZUELA aka STEPHEN P. VALENZUELA, Defendants.

### NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on July 27, 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 1137 Kilbourne Hole Dr., Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot numbered 40 in Block numbered A of Sandhill Center Heights, Phase 4, Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the pat of said Sandhill Center Heights, Phase 4, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on June 20, 2005 in Plat Book 21, Folio 237-238.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on June 22, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$179,499.62 and the same bears interest at 3.00000% per annum from March 16, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$1,976.96. 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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NOTICE is hereby given that on May 11, 2011, Kathy Terranova, PO BOX 1480, Mesilla, NM 88046, filed application numbered LRG-15066-POD1 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-9397, on land owned by the Leslie and Betty Clayshulte, LP located within the NE1/4 NW1/4 NE1/4 of projected Section 26, Township 23 South, Range 01 East, NMPM and drilling new well LRG-15066-POD1 to a depth of approximately 150 feet below ground surface with 8-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the NW1/4 SE1/4 NW1/4 of said Section 26 at approximately X=1,466,481 Y=466,635 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 5.12 acres of land owned by the applicant within Pt. NE1/4 of said Section 26, otherwise described as EBID Tract Nos. 10-45B and 10-46B LT 1. LRG-9397 is located approximately 1,900 ft. east southeast of the intersection of Glass Rd. and Paisano Rd. Proposed well LRG-15066-POD1 is located approximately 1,500 ft. south of said intersection, in Mesilla, NM. Existing well LRG-9397 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.

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

Case No.  
D-307-CV-201001177

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.,  
Plaintiff,

v.

THOMAS E. GARCIA,  
VERONICA SEPULVEDA,  
LUIS MONTES, THE  
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF  
THOMAS E. GARCIA, IF  
ANY AND THE UNKNOWN  
SPOUSE OF VERONICA  
SEPULVEDA, IF ANY,  
Defendant(s).

### NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on July 27, 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

A tract of land situate Northeast of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, located in Section 14, T.22S., R.2E., N.M.P.M. of the U.S.G.L.O. Surveys, and being more particularly described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING at a point on the centerline of a 50.00 foot wide roadway easement, known as Rexview Road, for the Northwest corner of this tract:

WHENCE the Northwest corner of Section 14, T.22S., R.2E., N.M.P.M. of the U.S.G.L.O. Surveys, bears N. 39°02'02" W., 1315.44 feet;

THENCE from the point of beginning, along the centerline of Rexview Road, S. 89°20'30" E., a distance of 57.13 feet to a point on the centerline of a 40.00 foot wide gasoline easement for the Northeast corner of this tract;

THENCE, leaving Rexview Road, and along the centerline of said 40.00 foot wide gasoline easements, S.17°34'30" E., a distance of 321.12 feet to a ½" iron road found on the Northerly line of Melody Lane for the Southeast corner of this tract;

THENCE, leaving the centerline of said 40.00 foot wide gasoline easement, and along the Northerly line of Melody Lane, N. 89°20'30" W., a distance of 155.15 feet to a ½" iron road found for the Southwest corner of this tract;

THENCE, leaving Melody Lane, N.00°14'00" E., at 280.01 feet to a ½" iron road found on said 50.00 foot roadway easement, known as Rexview Road, and at 305.01 feet to point of beginning, enclosing 0.745 acre of land, more or less.

The address of the real property is 5171 Melody 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 property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on August 19, 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 \$157,931.45 plus interest from June 17, 2010 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.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
Case No. D0307CV200901769

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  
PO Box 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

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

Case No. D0307CV200901769

NATIONAL CITY MORTGAGE, A DIVISION OF NATIONAL CITY BANK, Plaintiff,

v.

BENJAMIN ALEXANDER, JR. AKA BENJAMIN ALEXANDER; DEBRA B. ALEXANDER, Defendant(s).

### SECOND NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on July 27, 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 117, TIERRA VERDE-PHASE 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 20, 2000, in Book 19 Page(s) 511-512 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 2047 Coratbella, Las Cruces, NM 88005. Plaintiff does not

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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 1, 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 \$515,516.74 plus interest from July 15, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 8.750% 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.

Pamela Carmody  
Special Master  
PO Box 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88004

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

Case No.  
D-307-CV-200903146

**PNC MORTGAGE, A  
DIVISION OF PNC BANK,  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION**

**SUCCESSOR BY MERGER  
TO NATIONAL CITY  
MORTGAGE, A DIVISION  
OF NATIONAL CITY BANK,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**EMMANUEL OBI, MARY  
ANN OBI 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 July 27, 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 4, BLOCK 5, DESERT SHADOW SUBDIVISION PHASE V, 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. 3389 ON 9/20/2000 IN BOOK 19 PAGE(S) 15-16 OF PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 5806 Willet Dr, Santa Teresa, NM 88008. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on April 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 \$177,852.60 plus interest from April 9, 2010 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.

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  
PO Box 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88004

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

Case No.  
D-0307-CV-201000342

**US BANK NATIONAL  
ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE  
FOR CSAB MORTGAGE-  
BACKED PASS-THROUGH  
CERTIFICATES, SERIES  
2007-1, Plaintiff,**

v.

**JESUS B. BRIVIESCA,  
MARIA S. BRIVIESCA AND  
OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE  
NAMES ARE UNKNOWN, IF  
ANY, Defendant(s).**

**SECOND NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on July 27, 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 in Block numbered M of Sandhill Center Heights Phase 7, Las Cruces, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Sandhill Center Heights Phase 7, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Doña Ana County, New Mexico on May 17, 2006 in Plat Book 21, Folio 625-626.

The address of the real property is 1230 Lea Ranch Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88012. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on April 2, 2010 in the above entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to foreclose a mortgage held by the above Plaintiff and wherein Plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$158,266.99 plus

interest from April 19, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.625% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid 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  
PO Box 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

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

Case No.  
D-307-CV-201002089

**BAC HOME LOANS  
SERVICING, LP FKA  
COUNTRYWIDE HOME  
LOANS SERVICING LP,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**STEVE Y. WU AKA  
STEVE WU, SCOTT  
ENGEL, JAMIE ENGEL,  
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC  
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,  
INC. (SOLELY AS NOMINEE  
FOR LENDER AND  
LENDER'S SUCCESSORS  
AND ASSIGNS) AND THE  
UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF  
STEVE Y. WU AKA STEVE  
WU, IF ANY, Defendant(s).**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on July 28, 2011

at 9:00 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 61, Block K, of DOS SUENOS ESTATES (REPLAT NO. 1), located in the City of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, State of New Mexico as shown on Plat thereof recorded on January 29, 2007 in plat Book 22, at page 116-122 as Plat No. 4524, records of Doña Ana County.

The address of the real property is 4408 Camino Dos Vidas, Las Cruces, NM 88012-7607. 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 1, 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 \$225,780.97 plus interest from June 24, 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.

**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.

Dated: , 2011.

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-201100247

**WELLS FARGO BANK  
FINANCIAL NEW MEXICO,  
INC., Plaintiff,**

v.

**ROSEMARY GONZALEZ  
AND THE UNKNOWN  
SPOUSE OF ROSEMARY  
GONZALEZ, IF ANY,  
Defendant(s).**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on July 28, 2011 at 9:00 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 58, THE BLUFFS SUBDIVISION, in the County of Doña Ana, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on Plat No. 1009 thereof, filed for record in the Office of the County Clerk of said county on October 31, 1979, and recorded in Book 12, Page 294, Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 5777 Ridge Drive, Santa Teresa, NM 88008. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on June 1, 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 \$146,876.97 plus interest from March 22, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 10.750% 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.

The address of the real property is 5777 Ridge Drive, Santa Teresa, NM 88008. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on June 1, 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 \$146,876.97 plus interest from March 22, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 10.750% 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

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

Case No.  
D-307-CV-201100462

**WELLS FARGO FINANCIAL  
NEW MEXICO, INC.,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**ROBERT A. SINGER AND  
THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE  
OF ROBERT A. SINGER, IF  
ANY, Defendant(s).**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on July 28, 2011 at 9:00 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 64, Block 3 of Cimarron Hill Subdivision Number 7, 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 September 17, 1987 and recorded in Book 15 at Pages 46-48, Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 2677 Caballo Ct, 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 1, 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 \$65,090.87 plus interest from June 14, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 10.130% 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.

Dated: , 2011.

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

NM00-01769\_FC01

Pub # 10835  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011

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

Case No.  
D-307-CV-201100249

**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

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**JAMIE M. COWGER, JESSE L. COWGER 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 July 28, 2011 at 9:00 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 44, AVALON PARK SUBDIVISION-CORRECTED PLAT, 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 28, 2006 in Book 22 Page(s) 62-64 of Plat Records.

The address of the real property is 2105 Briarwood Lane, 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 1, 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 \$209,216.18 plus interest from March 31, 2011 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.750% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

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

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a 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 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

NM00-01013\_FC01

Pub # 10836  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT

Notice is hereby given that the Las Cruces City Council will hold a Public Hearing to discuss approval or disapproval of the Transfer of Location of State Liquor License #4065 to Diamond Shamrock Stations, Inc. d/b/a Corner Store #1289, located at 1401 East Lohman Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

The Public Hearing will be held in conjunction with the regular meeting of the Las Cruces City Council to be held on Monday, July 18, 2011, at 1:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 700 North Main Street, City Hall. If passed, the State of New Mexico Regulation & Licensing Department may approve the issuance.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Las Cruces on this the 21st day of June 2011.

Esther Martinez, CMC,  
City Clerk

Pub # 10837  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 2011

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

No. D-307-CV-2010-01384

**BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING LP, fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JEFFREY A. LYNN, if living; if deceased, THE ESTATE OF JEFFREY A. LYNN; and if married, JANE DOE LYNN, (true name unknown), his spouse, Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 27, 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 1237 Lea Ranch Drive, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 18, Block L, SANDHILL CENTER HEIGHTS, PHASE 7, in the City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on the plat thereof, filed in the office

of the County Clerk of said County on May 17, 2006, in Book 21 Page(s) 625-626 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 June 23, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$146,799.81 and the same bears interest at 6.125% per annum from July 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$665.13. 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.  
PO Drawer 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169  
575-642-5567

Pub # 10838  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011

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

No. D-307-CV-2011-00031

**BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP, fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**JACK MALONE, if living, if deceased, THE ESTATE OF JACK MALONE, Deceased, and if married, JANE DOE MALONE, (true name unknown), his spouse; NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY; and THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES OF JACK MALONE, Deceased, Defendants.**

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on July 27, 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 2655 La Luz Street, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

LOT 11, TIERRA DEL SOL, IN DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON JANUARY 10, 1973, IN BOOK 11 PAGE(S) 36 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 June 23, 2011, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$159,663.59 and the same bears interest at 5.750% per annum from July 1, 2011, to the date of sale. The amount of such interest to the date of sale will be \$679.12. 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.

Pamela A. Carmody,  
Special Master  
c/o Bobby M. Mayfield, P.A.  
PO Drawer 16169  
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169  
575-642-5567

Pub # 10839  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on June 15, 2011, Nelson F. Clayhult, PO Box 430, Mesilla, NM 88046, filed application no. LRG-1558-POD 6 with the State Engineer for Permit to Drill Supplemental Well to Supplement Ground and Surface Water within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by drilling supplemental well LRG-1558-POD 6, to be on located on land owned by the applicant within the SE1/4 SE1/4 of projected Section 29, T26S, R03E, NMPM, at approximately N32d00m42.28s Latitude W106d38m58.41s Longitude (NAD83) with 16-inch casing to a depth of 500 ft. below ground surface, for use in conjunction with well LRG-1558, located on land owned by the appli-

cant within the NW1/4 SE1/4 NW1/4 of projected Section 33, T26S, R03E, NMPM; well LRG-1558-S, located on land owned by the applicant within the SW1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 28, T26S, R03E, NMPM; and well LRG-1558-POD 5, located on land owned by the applicant within the SE1/4 NW1/4 NW1/4 of said Section 33 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 246.25 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. SW1/4 of said Section 28, Pt SE1/4 of said Section 29, Pt. W1/2 of said Section 33, and Pt. E1/2 of said Section 32, T26S, R03E, NMPM. Existing wells LRG-1558, LRG-1558-S, and well LRG-1558-POD 5 and the proposed location for well LRG-1558-POD 6 are located approximately 2,420 ft. northeast, 4,340 ft. north, 2,900 ft. north, and 4,895 ft. north, respectively, of the intersection of Westside Rd. and Washington St, approximately 2.3 miles west of Anthony, 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 # 10840  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on March 18, 2011, Bailey and Clint Schurr, 16044 County Rd. AA, Pleasant View, CO 81331, filed application numbered LRG-3321-POD 2 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-3321 on land owned by Chad and Dawn Scarbrough located within the SW1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 36, Township 22 South, Range 01 East, N.M.P.M., and drilling new well LRG-3321-POD 2 with 4" casing drilled to a depth of 200 ft. below ground surface on land owned by the applicant located within the SW1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 of said Section 36 at approximately X=1,470,178 Y=490,382 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83), for the continued 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 2.197 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. SW1/4 of said Section 36. Wells LRG-3321 and LRG-3321-POD

2 are located approximately 800 ft. and 375 ft. south of the intersection of Engler/Armstrong Rd. and Doña Ana Rd., on the west side of Doña Ana Rd., north of Las Cruces, NM. Well LRG-3321 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 # 10841  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on June 10, 2011, Les Williamson, PO BOX 613, Mesilla, NM 88046, on behalf of the Helen Williamson Revocable Trust, filed application numbered LRG 15063-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-3249 located within the SE1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 25, Township 23 South, Range 01 East, NMPM on land owned by Robert and Priscilla McComas and drilling new well LRG-15063-POD1 to a depth of approximately 180 feet below ground surface with 6-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the SW1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 of said Section 25 at approximately X=1,469,887 Y=463,505 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 4.0 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. SW1/4 of said Section 25. Well LRG-3249 is located approximately 1,100 feet southeast of the intersection of Calle de Los Huertos and Calle del Norte at the physical address of 2191 Calle del Oeste. Proposed well LRG-15063-POD1 will be located approximately 450 ft. south of said intersection at 2532 Calle del Norte, Mesilla, NM. Well LRG-3249 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 # 10843  
Dates 7/1, 7/8, 7/15, 2011

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

NO. D-307-CV-201003117

**CHARTER BANK, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**DIANA YBARRA AND ELIZABETH SNOW AND JOHN DOE AND JANE DOE, WHOSE REAL NAMES ARE UNKNOWN, TENANTS, Defendant(s).**

## NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned Special Master will on August 3, 2011, at 10:00am, Doña Ana County Courthouse, 201 West Picacho Avenue, #A, Las Cruces NM 88005, 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 5, DALE BELLAMAH MANOR PLAT NO. 1, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON PLAT NO. 448 THEREOF FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON JULY 27, 1956, AND RECORDED IN BOOK 7, PAGE 74, PLAT RECORDS.

The address of the real property is 1400 Stull Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88001. Said Sale will be made pursuant to the Decree of Foreclosure entered on June 2, 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 \$119,176.14, plus interest from January 1, 2008 to the date of sale at the rate of 6.04% 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.

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

Dated: July 5, 2011.

Pamela Carmody  
Special Master  
c/o Robert J. Hopp & Associates, LLC  
333 West Colfax, Suite 200  
Denver, CO 80204  
(303) 225-0800

Pub # 10844  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 7/29, 2011

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

No. CV-2009-424

**COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP, Plaintiff,**

vs.

**ANTONIO R. GONZALEZ, and if married, JANE DOE GONZALEZ, (true name unknown), his spouse; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as nominee; JOHN DOE and JANE DOE, (true names unknown), tenants, Defendants.**

## FIRST AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on August 3, 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 4637 Camino Dos Vidas, Las Cruces, and is situate in Doña Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 26 in Block L of Dos Suenos Estates, 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 December 23, 2004 and recorded in Book 21 at Pages 84-89, 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 May 7, 2009, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$158,922.34 and the same bears interest at 7.5% per annum from April 16, 2009, to the date of sale. The amount

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of such interest to the date of sale will be \$27,430.45. 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 A. 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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## STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D307CV201101267

### BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP, Plaintiff,

v.

**CARLOS LOPEZ AKA  
JOSE CARLOS LOPEZ  
AND VERONICA LOPEZ,  
Defendant(s).**

### NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the above-named Defendant(s) Carlos Lopez aka Jose Carlos Lopez and Veronica Lopez.

### GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on property located at 5723 Pecan Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88012, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, said property being more particularly described as: Lot numbered 17 in Block n umbered D 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.

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

Respectfully Submitted,  
CASTLE STAWIARSKI, LLC

By:  
Elizabeth Mason  
Keya Koul  
Steven Lucero  
20 First Plaza NW, Suite 602  
Albuquerque, NM 87102  
Telephone: (505) 848-9500  
Fax: (505) 848-9516  
Attorney for Plaintiff

WITNESS the Honorable  
MANUEL I. ARRIETA,  
DISTRICT COURT JUDGE,  
of the Third Judicial District  
Court, Doña Ana County, New  
Mexico, this 27 day of June,  
2011.

James H. Dempsey  
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT  
COURT

By:  
Deputy

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

Case No. D307CV201101180

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK,  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
SUCCESSOR BY MERGER  
TO CHASE HOME FINANCE  
LLC, Plaintiff,**

v.

**CARLOS J SERNA, MARIA  
DEL ROCIO SERNA AND  
JPMORTGAGE CHASE  
BANK, N.A., Defendant(s).**

### NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the above-named Defendant(s) Carlos J Serna and Maria Del Rocio Serna.

### GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on property located at 2058 Reina Dr, Las Cruces, NM 88001, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, said property being more particularly described as: Lot 7, Block 4, Vista Del Rio, Phase III, 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 20, 1996, in Book 18 pages 571-572 of Plat Records.

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

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Fax: (505) 848-9516

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Court, Doña Ana County, New  
Mexico, this 27 day of June,  
2011.

Gregory Toomey  
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT  
COURT

By:  
Deputy

NM00-02669\_FC01

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

CV 2009-1232

**WASHINGTON FEDERAL  
SAVINGS, successor by merg-  
er to FIRST FEDERAL BANK,  
Plaintiff,**

vs.

**THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF  
DAVID FLOREZ, deceased,  
Defendant,**

and

**SANDRA SINGH and  
SHANNON DIANE FLOREZ,  
Defendants by Intervention.**

CV 2009-2983

**WELLS FARGO FINANCIAL  
NEW MEXICO, INC.,  
Plaintiff,**

v.

**THE UNKNOWN HEIRS,  
DEWISEES, OR LEGATEES  
OF DAVID FLOREZ, et al.,  
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 1940 Camelot Drive, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 3, BLOCK 2, CAMELOT GARDENS SUBDIVISION UNIT NO. 1, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON MARCH 4, 1977 RECORDED IN BOOK 12, PAGE(S) 93, MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS, DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

The sale is to begin at 11:45 p.m. on August 12, 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 Washington Federal Savings, successor by merger to First Federal Bank, was awarded a Judgment on June 23, 2011, in the principal sum of \$56,192.07, plus interest due on the Note through April 11, 2011, in the amount of \$7,191.60, and accruing thereafter at the rate of \$7.80 per diem until paid, plus late charges of \$375.18, plus escrow advances due in the amount of \$735.41, plus inspection fees of \$25.00, plus attorney's fees in the amount of \$2,395.00 and costs in the amount of \$1,875.21, with interest on the above-listed

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amounts, attorney's fees and costs at the rate of 5.00% 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

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### NOTICE

is hereby given that on June 10, 2011, George L. Carver, PO BOX 1237, Mesilla Park, NM 88047, filed two applications numbered LRG-498-POD4 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well and Permit to Use Supplemental Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Doña Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG-498, on land owned by the Paul Feil Revocable Trust located within the SE1/4 NW1/4 NE1/4 of projected Section 27, Township 24 South, Range 02 East, NMPM and using existing well LRG-498-B located on land owned by the applicant within the NE14 SE1/4 NE1/4 of said Section 27 and drilling new well LRG-498-POD4 to a depth of approximately 180 feet below ground surface with 8-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the NW1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 of projected Section 26, Township 24 South, Range 02 East, NMPM at approximately X=1,496,065 Y=434,945 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 3.68 acres of land owned by the applicant within Pt. NW1/4 of said Section 26, otherwise described as EBID Tract Nos. 15-82A1 TR1, 3, 4 and 15-82A1 TR3, respectively. LRG-498 is located approximately 3,200 ft. west northwest of the intersection of Snow Rd. and S. Main St. Wells LRG-498-B and proposed well LRG-498-POD4 are located approximately 1,400 ft. and 1,175 ft. northwest of said intersection, approximately 2.0 mi. northwest of Mesquite, NM. Existing well LRG-498 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 fac-

simile. 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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Unit Consists of: Boxes and Suitcase

Inventory was taken from outside the units only, units may consist of more misc. items than listed.

CONTENTS WILL BE SOLD TO HIGHEST BIDDER TO COVER UNPAID CHARGES FOR RENT AND ASSOCIATED FEES.

### CASH SALES ONLY

If you purchase a unit there will be a \$25/unit Refundable cleaning deposit in addition to your bid amount.

Please bring your own brooms & locks to secure any purchased units. (Locks are also for sale in the office.)

Registration will be from 9AM - 10AM in the office. If you are not registered you will not be able to bid.

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Dates 7/8, 7/15, 2011

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

No. PB-2011-62

**IN THE MATTER OF THE  
ESTATE OF EDWARD B.  
KRIEGEL, SR., Deceased.**

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned has been appointed Co-Personal Representatives of the estate of EDWARD B. KRIEGEL, SR., deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present their claims within the time prescribed by law, after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Co-Personal Representatives or to the Attorney for the Co-Personal Representatives, Sarah A. Snook of ScottHulse PC, 201 North Church Street, Suite 201, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001, Phone: (575)522-0765, FAX: (575)522-0006, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court, 201 E. Picacho, Suite A, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Dated this 22 day of June, 2011.

/s/ Nettie C. Kriegel  
Co-Personal Representative  
of the Estate of EDWARD B.  
KRIEGEL, SR., Deceased

/s/ Edward B. Kriegel, Jr.  
Co-Personal Representative  
of the Estate of EDWARD B.  
KRIEGEL, SR., Deceased

Pub # 10852  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 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 July 5, 2011:

1. Council Bill No. 12-001; Ordinance No. 2623; An Ordinance Approving a Zone Change From C-2 (Commercial Medium Intensity) to C-3 (Commercial High Intensity) for 0.27 + Acres of Land Located at 1300 S. Solano Drive. Submitted by Borderland Engineers & Surveyors, LLC on Behalf of Resources for Children & Youth

Inc., Property Owner (Z2836).  
2. Council Bill No. 12-003; Ordinance No. 2625; An Ordinance Redistricting the City of Las Cruces' Six (6) Districts, Redrawing District Lines, and Repealing LCMC 1997, Sec. 8-2 in Its Entirety and Enacting a New Sec. 8-2.

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 6th day of July 2011.

Esther Martinez, CMC  
City Clerk

Pub # 10853  
Dates 7/8, 2011

### PUBLICATION NOTICE

The Doña Ana County Labor Management Relations Board (the "Board") will hold a public meeting on July 20, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. At the meeting the Board will conduct a hearing on the merits regarding the prohibited practice complaint filed against the county by its CWA union. 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.

A Copy of the filings in the matter and/or the Board's agenda may be viewed at: The Office of the County Clerk, Doña Ana County Government Center, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 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.

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**NOTICE** is hereby given that on May 26, 2011, Nelson Martin, PO Box 187, La Mesa, NM 88044, on behalf of Christina Delgado Vega, filed application numbered LRG-1596-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 wells LRG-1596 and LRG-1596-S located on land owned by the Boyd Lee Welch Rev. Tr. within the NW1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4 and NW1/4 NE1/4 SW1/4, respectively, of projected Section 15, T24S, R02E, NMPM and well LRG-1596-S-2 located on land owned by the Dale J. and Sara L. Hopkins Rev. Tr. and the Boyd Lee Welch Rev. Tr. within the NW1/4 SE1/4 SW1/4 of said Section 15 and drilling new well LRG-1596-POD 4 on land owned by Christina Delgado Vega, Claudia Gonzalez Delgado, Maria Gonzalez Delgado, and Jaime Gonzalez Yorpor within the SW1/4 NE1/4 SE1/4 of said Section 15 at approximate Latitude/ Longitude N32d13m09.29s W106d43m11.80s 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



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the irrigation of 5.01 acres of land owned by Christina Delgado Vega, Claudia Gonzalez Delgado, Maria Gonzalez Delgado, and Jaime Gonzalez Yapor located in Pt. SE1/4 of said Section 15. Wells LRG-1596, LRG-1596-S, LRG-1596-S-2, and the proposed location for well LRG-1596-POD 4 are located approximately 1,690 ft. northwest, 3,000 ft. northwest, 2,390 ft. southwest, and 90 ft. southeast, respectively, of the intersection of Secluded Ln. and Secluded Ct., approximately 4.5 miles southeast of Mesilla Park, NM. Wells LRG-1596, LRG-1596-S, LRG-1596-S-2 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.

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**NOTICE** is hereby given that on June 6, 2011, Paskell L. Vaughn, 10021 Doña Ana Rd., Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-15060-POD1 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-1059 located within the SW1/4 NE1/4 NE1/4 of Section 25, Township 21 South, Range 01 West, NMPM on land owned by Mary H. and Barry W. Smith and drilling new well LRG-15060-POD 1 to a depth of approximately 120 feet below ground surface with 8-inch casing to be located on land owned by the applicant within the NE1/4 NE1/4 NE1/4 of said Section 25 at approximately X=1,443,433 Y=531,383 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 4.72 acres of land owned by the applicant located within Pt. NE1/4 of said Section 25, Pt. SE1/4 of Section 24, Township 21 South, Range 01 West and Pt. NW1/4 of Section 30, Township 21 South, Range 01 East, NMPM. Well LRG-1059 is located approximately 550 ft. northeast of the intersection of Homer Rd. and N. Valley Dr. Proposed well LRG-15060-POD 1 will be located approximately 360 ft. southwest of the intersection of Baca Rd. and Doña Ana Rd., in Radium Springs, NM. Well LRG-1059 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.

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**NOTICE** is hereby given that on May 27, 2011, Enrique Solis, 661 Agua Caliente, El Paso, TX 79912, in conjunction with Isabel Uranga, filed application numbered LRG-1022-POD3 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 proposed well LRG-1022-POD3, located within the NW1/4 SW1/4 NW1/4 of Section 15, Township 26 South, Range 03 East, NMPM at approximately X=1,521,954 Y=381,998 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83) on land owned by the applicants, supplemental to existing well LRG-1022, located on land owned by Juanita N. Silva within the NE1/4 NW1/4 NW1/4 of said Section 15 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 12.736 acres of land owned by the applicants located within Pt. NW1/4 of said Section 15. Existing well LRG-1022 is located approximately 730 ft. west of the intersection of Harding Rd. and NM Hwy 478 immediately southwest of the intersection of Harding Rd. and the Eastside Canal. Proposed well LRG-1022-POD3 will be located approximately 560 feet north of the intersection of Bullock Rd. and Opitz Rd. on the east side of Opitz Rd., approximately 2.0 miles northwest of Anthony, NM.

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**AAA Affordable Self Storage LLC**  
**5495 Lassiter Rd.**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88001**

TO:  
**Donald Biggs**  
**PO Box 13422**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88013**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that all the contents of your storage unit #B 36 at AAA Affordable Self Storage will be publicly disposed of to satisfy our lien in the amount of \$410.00, which includes legal costs and fees.

The contents of the unit consists of: Garden tools, ice chest, rugs, boxes and misc.

Date of public disposal:  
July 16, 2011

Time:  
10:00 am

Place:  
AAA Affordable Self Storage  
5495 Lassiter Rd.  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Sherry Owens  
LLC member

Pub #10858  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**AAA Affordable Self Storage LLC**

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July 16, 2011

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AAA Affordable Self Storage  
5495 Lassiter Rd.  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Sherry Owens  
LLC member

Pub #10858  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**AAA Affordable Self Storage LLC**

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**5495 Lassiter Rd.**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88001**

TO:  
**Nancy Urbina**  
**200 San Luis**  
**Chamberino, NM 88027**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that all the contents of your storage unit #A 30 at AAA Affordable Self Storage will be publicly disposed of to satisfy our lien in the amount of \$305.00, which includes legal costs and fees.

The contents of the unit consists of: clothes, boxes, and misc.

Date of public disposal:  
July 16, 2011

Time:  
10:00 am

Place:  
AAA Affordable Self Storage  
5495 Lassiter Rd.  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Sherry Owens  
LLC member

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**AAA Affordable Self Storage LLC**  
**5495 Lassiter Rd.**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88001**

TO:  
**Ms. Stephanie Hyatt & Terry**  
**1960 Peri Ann Dr.**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88001**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that all the contents of your storage unit #D 17 at AAA Affordable Self Storage will be publicly disposed of to satisfy our lien in the amount of \$480.00, which includes legal costs and fees.

The contents of the unit consists of: clothes, fans, micro, file cabinet, desks, toys, printing machine, boxes and misc.

Date of public disposal:  
July 16, 2011

Time:  
10:00 am

Place:  
AAA Affordable Self Storage  
5495 Lassiter Rd.  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Sherry Owens  
LLC member

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**AAA Affordable Self Storage LLC**  
**5495 Lassiter Rd.**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88001**

TO:  
**Raul F. Villalobas**  
**272 Shadow Mountain**  
**El Paso, TX 79912**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that all the contents of your fork lift at AAA Affordable Self Storage will be publicly disposed of to satisfy our lien in the amount of \$325.00, which includes legal costs and fees.

Date of public disposal:  
July 16, 2011

Time:  
10:00 am

Place:  
AAA Affordable Self Storage  
5495 Lassiter Rd.  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Sherry Owens  
LLC member

Pub #10861  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on May 27, 2011, Debra S. Stadjuhar, 4460 Overlook Lane, Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed application numbered LRG-15056 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 abandoning the use of existing well LRG-12220, also known as well LRN07-0049, located at Lat/Long: 32° 21' 14.957"N, 106° 49' 54.58"W, on land owned by David and Susan Olguin, and using replacement well LRG-15056 POD 1 located at Lat/Long: 32° 20' 58.628"N, 106° 49' 59.01"W, on land owned by Randy L. and Laura E. Stadjuhar, for the continued diversion of an amount of water reserved for future determination by the May 24, 1999 Order of the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, State of New Mexico for the irrigation of 1.93 acres, owned by the applicant, located within the SW1/4 of projected Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 1 East, NMPM. The site for new well LRG- 15056 POD 1 is located north of Las Cruces, NM and may be found at the physical address of 4480 Overlook Lane. Old well LRG-12220 (LRN07-0049) 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 affected. 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.

Date of public disposal:  
July 16, 2011

Time:  
10:00 am

Place:  
AAA Affordable Self Storage  
5495 Lassiter Rd.  
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Sherry Owens  
LLC member

Pub #10859  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**AAA Affordable Self Storage LLC**  
**5495 Lassiter Rd.**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88001**

TO:  
**Ms. Stephanie Hyatt & Terry**  
**1960 Peri Ann Dr.**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88001**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that all the contents of your storage unit #D 17 at AAA Affordable Self Storage will be publicly disposed of to satisfy our lien in the amount of \$480.00, which includes legal costs and fees.

The contents of the unit consists of: clothes, fans, micro, file cabinet, desks, toys, printing machine, boxes and misc.

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Dates 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**AAA Affordable Self Storage LLC**  
**5495 Lassiter Rd.**  
**Las Cruces, NM 88001**

TO:  
**Raul F. Villalobas**  
**272 Shadow Mountain**  
**El Paso, TX 79912**

**NOTICE OF VEHICLE SEIZURE**  
**June 2011**  
**TO REGISTERED OWNERS, SECURED PARTIES AND ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS:**

You are hereby notified that the Doña Ana Sheriff's Office has seized the following vehicles and intends to proceed with forfeiture of each vehicle to the County of Doña Ana pursuant to DAC Ordinance #232-07 pertaining to the seizure and forfeiture of vehicles related to DWI Offenses:

Description  
VIN#  
REGISTERED OWNER  
1992 BLACK CHEVROLET

ASTRO VAN  
1GNDM19Z0NB154160  
PRISCILLA APODACA

1987 TAN BUICK SKYLARK  
4 DOOR  
1G4ND51L5HM044012  
PAUL MONTOYA

2004 SILVER CHEVROLET  
4 DOOR  
1G1ND52FX4M656318  
JAIME SERBANDO

1994 WHITE FORD  
EXPLORER  
1FMDU34XXRU09420  
MIGUEL PENA

1992 WHITE TOYOTA 2  
DOOR  
JT2EL46B9N0201750  
JAMES ZIMMERMANN

1976 BROWN FORD VAN  
E12HHC53647  
DARREL HUGHES

2000 RED FORD 4 DOOR  
3FAKP1130YR106484  
STACY PACHECO

1975 GRAY CHEVROLET  
SUBURBAN  
CCY165F154884  
MARIA APODACA

1988 YELLOW CADILLAC 4  
DOOR  
1G6CD5150J4226061  
JOHNNY CHAVEZ

2000 BLUE FORD ESCORT  
3FAKP1135YR113236  
JOSE VASQUEZ

1990 BLUE HONDA 4 DOOR  
1HGED3647LA044566 ERICA  
OR ADRIANA ORTIZ

1997 RED CHEVROLET  
MONTE CARLO  
2G1WW12M9V9115538  
JORGE YNOSENSIO

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MIA VALENCIA

2001 RED KIA RIO 4 DOOR  
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CRYSTAL GAMBLE

1992 POWERSPORT  
GO-CART BLK  
32755  
DAVID JAY

If you do not demand judicial review within 30 calendar days from the date this notice was published by filing a claim for the described vehicle with the Doña Ana County Sheriff's Office or filing a suit in court, you lose the right to a judicial determination of this forfeiture, and you lose any right you may have to the described vehicle.

Pub # 10864  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**NOTICE OF AUCTION**

There will be an auction of storage unit contents to be held on August 6, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at North Telshor Self Storage, 300 N. Telshor, Las Cruces, NM. The following units will be auctioned to satisfy the lien for monies owed:

Unit G129  
Gary Lerman  
1636 Ash  
Las Cruces, NM 88001  
Unit consists of furniture, sofa, dresser, chairs, ladder

Unit H217  
Natalie Lucero  
4098 Inca Avenue  
Las Cruces, NM 8005  
Unit consists of mattress, children's bicycles and toys

Unit B026  
Norma J. Rede

2201 Cimarron Drive  
Las Cruces, NM 88011  
Unit consists of couch, boxes of miscellaneous

Unit H206  
William Robinson  
1101 E. Boutz, Apt 41  
Las Cruces, NM 88001  
Unit consists of a desk

Unit H223  
Maria Vasquez  
813 Kansas  
Las Cruces, NM 88001  
Unit consists of desk chairs

Pub # 10865  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 2011

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on June 22, 2011, Don A. Beasley and Patricia A. Beasley, 1014 Engler Rd, Las Cruces, NM 88007 filed application numbered LRG-15071-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 abandoning use of well LRG- 15071 (LRG- 7993) located NW1/4 SW1/4 SE1/4, Sec.35,T22S,R01E, where X=1433117feet, Y=545239feet NMSP Coordinate System Central Zone, NAD83, 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 150 feet and fitted with 8 inch casing and located SE1/4 SE1/4 SW1/4, Sec.35,T22S,R01E where X=1466594feet,Y=489884feet NMSP 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 4.65acre(s) on land owned by the applicant all of which is located within part SW1/4 of said Section 35, map LRN-8 of the Lower Rio Grande Basin Hydrographic Survey Subfile No. 280080282. Proposed change location of well LRG-15071-POD1 can be found at 1014 Engler Rd, Las Cruces, NM. The old well will be retained for other users.

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 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.

Pub # 10866  
Dates 7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 2011



**INVITATION  
B/P/RFQ (BID/PROPOSAL/REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATION)**

Description	Number	Pre-Bid/ Pre-Proposal Meeting	Opening
3/8" Crusher Fines & Delivery Price Agreement	11-12-158	None	July 19, 2011 / 2:00 pm
Rehabilitate Taxiway A	11-12-329	Non-mandatory July 11, 2011 / 10:00 am LC Airport, 8990 Zia Blvd, Las Cruces	July 26, 2011 / 2:00 pm
Pump and Water Well Repair and Maintenance Price Agreement	11-12-159	None	July 28, 2011 / 4:00 pm
Union Street and Stern Drive Intersection Improvements	11-12-328	Mandatory July 19, 2011 / 10:00 am Room 2104, 700 N. Main, Las Cruces	August 2, 2011 / 2:00 pm

Please use this link to access all City of Las Cruces solicitations:  
<http://www.govbids.com/scripts/nm1/public/OpenBids/viewopentitles1.asp?agency=1757&AgencyName=City+of+Las+Cruces>

Sealed bids/proposals will be received by the City of Las Cruces Purchasing Department, at 700 N. Main, 3rd Floor, Room 3134.

Copies of bid documents and additional information/clarifications regarding solicitations may be obtained by contacting the City Purchasing Department by mail at P.O. Box 20000, Las Cruces, NM 88004; by phone at (575)-541-2525; by fax at (575)-541-2515, by email at bidclerk@las-cruces.org; or physical address at City Hall, 700 N. Main St, Room 3134, Las Cruces, NM 88001.

Pub # 10863  
Dates 7/8, 2011

# Classifieds

## LOST & FOUND

**90 year old man lost his wallet** June 28 around Walmart on Walnut. Would like his identification returned. Reward offered. 621-0920

**Found a male Cocker Spaniel Mix** Friday July 1, on Main Street by the Wells Fargo Tower, Las Cruces. He's obviously from a loving home, very trusting, good manners, and quiet. Contact: 501-208-6830.

**LOST PET? Check first at the Animal Services Center of the Mesilla Valley at 3551 Bataan Memorial West (Sonoma Ranch exit off of Hwy. 70 East) for your furry friend. Need a furry friend? Come see us to adopt - there are many great animals that need a loving family! Open 7 days a week. 382-0018**

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

**As seen on TV, Lucha Libre Pro Wrestling.** July 15 at Zero Gravity Gymnastics - 3030 Harrelson, Las Cruces. Starts at 6:30 p.m. Tickets start at \$4. Call 575-571-5852 for more information.

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For more information on these and other current listings, please visit our website at [www.las-cruces.org](http://www.las-cruces.org)

For those that wish to apply, computer kiosks are available at the City of Las Cruces Human Resources Department, 700 N. Main, Suite 2200, Monday thru Friday from 7:30 am to 5:00 pm.

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## WORK WANTED

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## HELP WANTED

**Full Time Material Testing Tech.** Lab and field, soils, concrete, asphalt. Experience and/or certification a plus. Resume to ATMI, 1630 Hickory Loop, Suite G, Las Cruces, NM 88005

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**Carpet cleaning tech needed.** Doesn't need to be certified, but needs

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## GARAGE & YARD SALE

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## HEALTH & FITNESS

**A public service message from The Las Cruces Bulletin and the Federal Trade Commission.** Tips for Consumers: Trying to lose weight? Many claims for diet products and programs that promise easy weight loss are false. To lose weight, eat healthy food and exercise.

## PETS

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## STEREOS, TV'S, VIDEO

**Report Animal neglect and abuse confidentially.** 382-9462

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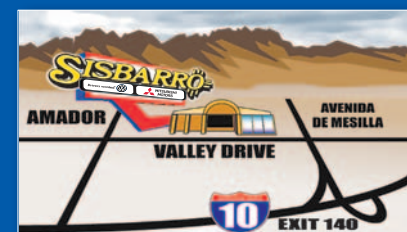


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## NEXT WEEK

**Going back home**  
Howling Coyote Coffehouse returning to Downtown area

# 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'

Starlight Children's Theater opens show Friday, July 8



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# Dream a midsummer dream in this classic

## Starlight Children's Theatre to present a Shakespeare favorite

By **David Edwards**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

In ancient Athens, a young woman resists her father's orders to marry the man he has selected for her by running off with the man she truly loves. The pair is followed by the chosen mate and the girl who truly loves him. They encounter fairies in the forest, and through some mistaken spell-casting, end up loving different – not to mention the wrong – people.

Meanwhile, a group of amateur actors meets to rehearse a play in honor of the upcoming nuptials of the Duke of Athens and his Amazonian bride-to-be. Our fairy friends cause some mischief there as well. By the way, who will get custody of that changeling boy – the King or Queen of the Fairies?

The latest reality show or cable series? The new season of "Greece's Got Talent?" Today's episode of "Swift Justice?"

Nope. It's one of William Shakespeare's most popular plays "A Midsummer Night's Dream," performed by a talented group of young people not afraid to tackle the likes of Gilbert and Sullivan or Charles Dickens. As if doing Shakespeare wasn't enough, they're throwing in some Felix Mendelssohn as well.

The Starlight Children's Theatre (SCT) Company of Las Cruces will present the Shakespearean comedy at the Las Cruces Community Theatre Friday, July 8, and Saturday, July 9.

SCT had its beginning in the summer of 2007 when director Ginger Scarbrough Andersen recognized that the local children's theater scene didn't include much opportunity for the musicals she had loved since first appearing

onstage at age five.

"I originally did plays that I had written myself using songs from popular musicals," Andersen said. "The next year I thought the children really needed to learn the classics of the theater. So my first show (in summer 2008) was 'Pirates of Penzance.'"

Since that time, Andersen has directed "H.M.S. Pinafore," done "A Christmas Carol" as a radio drama, presented another very challenging Gilbert and Sullivan work "The Gondoliers" and put together a festival of carols performed at the Winter Fest 2010 City of Las Cruces tree-lighting ceremony.

She also adapts the material – editing it to a reasonable length, sometimes adding characters or making dialogue more accessible to modern audiences. Every child who wants a line gets one, even if it means borrowing dialogue from other characters.

Andersen oversees every aspect of the production but has invaluable assistance from her musical director Ruth Wong and production manager Alejandra del Plain as well as dedicated, willing parents. She has even done the orchestration of the music utilized in "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

Andersen said she was "ready to do some Shakespeare. I felt it lend itself very well to children – it was a fun piece and I knew Mendelssohn wrote incidental music to go with it. And music is a very important part of Starlight Children's Theatre."

"So many productions want to set the fairy songs to music," Andersen said. "After looking all around, I thought there was nothing better than Mendelssohn. It's where his famous Wedding March is from. There are two songs the fairies sing, and the rest is incidental music – which is normally just used as a ballet."

In addition to

## Details

### The Starlight Children's Theatre presents A Midsummer Night's Dream

By William Shakespeare with music by Felix Mendelssohn

#### Where

Las Cruces Community Theatre  
313 N. Main St.

#### When

7 p.m. Friday, July 8  
1 and 7 p.m. Saturday, July 9

#### Cost

\$4 in advance  
\$6 at the door  
Tickets available at:  
Spirit Winds, 2260 S. Locust St.  
Salon Allure, 1001 N. Solano Drive

#### Contact

521-7400

her role as director, Andersen is an educator – utilizing even the audition process as an opportunity for learning.

"I must confess all the time I am a teacher at heart really," she said. "I sneak in history. They had to bring in three facts about ancient Greece and two drawings of clothes they wore. Just to start them thinking about things. I am always thinking, 'What could I teach them? What could they learn from this?'"

Andersen has teaching in her blood, with both her parents being educators. She took all the necessary courses to fulfill elementary education requirements, but got a degree in geophysics from the University of Texas-El Paso. Her doctorate is in structural geology from Purdue University. She is a firm believer that theater helps young people develop poise and confidence.

"I have a group of kids who just want to do everything," she said. "I have seen them just bloom."

A good test of the cast's adaptability was the recent street performance of songs and scenes at the Saturday Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market, where they utilized a number of different environments in less-than-performer-

friendly conditions.

The people at the Las Cruces Community Theatre – where the actual performances will be held – have been "wonderful to work with" according to Andersen.

"They (LCCT) have been so supportive. Joe Pfeiffer has come in to work on the sound. Larry Chandler has worked on the lights," Andersen said. "Doug Roby has been amazing working on our sets and P.J. Waggaman has been the liaison between the two groups. They have wanted to get a children's theater group to work at the theater."

Andersen stresses that "with us, quality is everything. We have high quality in every aspect – from the sets, costumes, music and acting down to the scripts and playbills. But it's not about the show, it's about developing children – helping them learn and grow."

There are 32 kids in the cast – with 18 onstage at any one time. Three additional youths assist with backstage assignments. Look for plenty of physical action – including an opening scene sword fight – love entanglements, donkey transformations and "that merry wanderer of the night," Puck, who creates all sorts of mischief and fun.



Fairies of a "Midsummer Night's Dream" are ready to create mischief.

Estep Photography photos



John Paul Andersen and Heather Hosford star as Oberon and Titania, the king and queen of the fairies.

## Featured artists: *Friendship Painters*

# From sea to shining sea

Show at Blue Gate Gallery celebrates a love of America

By **David Edwards**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

Alejandrina Nuñez is a patriot – and one can't always say that when it comes to someone not born in the United States. However, it may be because of that fact that she appreciates the freedoms we enjoy all the more. She certainly doesn't take them for granted.

Nuñez became a U.S. citizen 28 years ago, and she said she really loves this country – thinking of it as “hers.” She is an artist and belongs to a group called the Friendship Painters. The name is just as it implies – a group of friends who get together and paint, occasionally putting together group shows.

Nuñez, along with other group members Regina Nelson and Kaye Faircloth, is generally in charge of organizing those shows, including hanging them and arranging for their highly theme-oriented and deliciously done-up opening receptions. The other members of the group work together to present the show according to the selected theme's guidelines.

“The group genuinely enjoys each other's company,” Faircloth said. “We celebrate any and all holidays, including birthdays. Those celebrations are accompanied by refreshments or ‘pitch-in’ lunches after our Wednesday classes.”

The group meets weekly at the studio of watercolor instructor Marie Siegrist – also a friend and member of the group.

The current show at the Blue Gate Gallery “For the Love of America” was the brain child of Nuñez, who is, Faircloth said, “The most patriotic person I have ever known. One day several months ago she emailed me about an idea she had for a show.”

It seems Nuñez had a small vintage rhinestone U.S. flag pin and she had decided that she wanted to make a painting of it.

“Why not have a show with all of us doing paintings about the Fourth of July?” Nuñez said. “Then in thinking some more, I thought, ‘Wouldn't it be nice to get the whole class to paint all things related to the celebration of the Fourth of July?’ Then I thought some more ... How about we pitch the idea to Marie (Siegrist) to have her sponsor the whole class for an exhibition on July 1 as part of the Ramble? We can paint houses with flags, picnic scenes, fireworks, hot dogs, balloons and cakes, etc.”

Faircloth said she thought it was a grand idea, and since Nuñez was so excited about it, she knew that would infuse the rest of the group with that excitement.

“We took the idea to Regina (Nelson), and we all discussed



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Natisha Hales

**Artist Alejandrina Nuñez came up with the idea for the “For the Love of America” exhibit after painting a small, vintage American flag pin.**

it,” Faircloth said. “All three of us thought it was a good idea, and we presented it to the group who agreed with us. We then took the idea to Flo Dougherty at Blue Gate Gallery and asked if we could put the show on in her gallery for the July Ramble.”

Dougherty agreed to put the show in her gallery, and Nelson had the idea of painting to interpretations of lines from four patriotic songs. Chosen were “The Star-Spangled Banner,” “God Bless America,” “America, the Beautiful” and “America (My Country 'Tis Of Thee).” The group followed through with the theme.

At the Downtown Art Ramble Friday, July 1, the Friendship Painters had their usual bang-up opening reception.

“We also played patriotic music and had some really beautiful and unique paintings,” Faircloth said. “The response from the public was great and we had some very good words from the people attending the Ramble.”

Members of the Friendship Painters, in addition to Nuñez, who participated in the show were: Faircloth, “Spacious Skies and Amber Waves of Grain”; Nelson, “Oceans White With Foam”; Arlene Tugel, “Music from all the trees”; Barbara Lewis Dean, “From Sea To Shining Sea”; Donna Carpenter, “Spacious Skies, Purple Mountains Majesty”; Diana Ayres, “Purple Mountains Majesty”; Judi Franzak, “Amber Waves of Grain”; Laurie Kibbe, “Land That I Love”; Nancy Diaz, “Land of the Free”; Pat Bonneau-White, “Crown Thy Good With Brotherhood From Sea to Shining Sea”; Marie Siegrist, “God Bless America, Land That I Love”; and Vera Schwartz, “By Dawn's Early Light.”

The Friendship Painters' current show “For the Love of America” continues at the Blue Gate Gallery during the month of July.

The whole idea started because of a little rhinestone flag pin, which is on display next to Nuñez's painting titled “From The Mountains To The Prairies To The Oceans White With Foam” – from “God Bless America.”

## Details

### For the Love of America by The Friendship Painters

#### Where

Blue Gate Gallery  
311 N. Main St.

#### When

10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday  
9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Saturday

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Rhythm Roundup – Music/Movement for 1-3	Branigan Library
FRI. JULY 8	3 P.M.
Make a Parrot Shadow Puppet (for kids 4 & up)	Branigan Library
FRI. JULY 8	8 P.M.
Return of hometown heroes, NOSOTROS	Rio Grande Theatre
FRI.+SAT. JULY 8+9	8 P.M.
“25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee”	Black Box Theatre
SAT. JULY 9	9 A.M.
Saturday Summer Art Fiesta + Painting Sampler	LC Museum of Art
SAT. JULY 9	10 A.M.
Family Art Adventure, parents & children	LC Museum of Art
SAT. JULY 9	10 A.M.
Family Game Day: Jacks, Cup&Ball toss, puzzles	LC Railroad Museum
SAT. JULY 9	11 A.M.–3 P.M.
Camino del Arte!	Mesquite Street Gallery Walk
SUN. JULY 10	230 P.M.
“25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee”	Black Box Theatre
MON. JULY 11	1030 A.M.
Worldwide Knitting in Public Day	Branigan Library
MON. JULY 11	1 P.M.
“A Funny Thing Happened On My Trip”	Branigan Library
TUE. JULY 12	1030 A.M.
Read to Me! Storytime for children ages 3 & Up	Branigan Library
TUE. JULY 12	Noon
Brown Bag Lecture: “American Railroads in WWII”	LC Railroad Museum
TUE. JULY 12	130 P.M.
Monthly Book Review, “People of the Book”	Branigan Library
TUE. JULY 12	530 P.M.
Every Other Tuesday: Squeaky Wheel	Rio Grande Theatre
WED.+THU JULY 13+14	10 A.M.
Toddler Time – Storytime for ages 1-3	Branigan Library
WED. JULY 13	11 A.M.
Mother Goose Time: for babies (up to 13 mos)	Branigan Library
WED. JULY 13	2 P.M.
Read Around the World: North America	Branigan Library
WED. JULY 13	6 P.M.
Books into Movies. Movies made from books!	Branigan Library
WED. JULY 13	7 P.M.
FILM LAS CRUCES FORUM + teaser for “Traficante”	Rio Grande Theatre
THU. JULY 14	2 P.M.
Summer Screen. Movies for kids.	Branigan Library

### ONGOING EVENTS:

- Downtown Arts RAMBLE - 1st Friday of the Month 5-7pm
- Camino del Arte - 2nd Saturday of the Month 11am-3pm
- Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market - Wed. and Sat. Morn.

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# The Music Scene

## Top 10 singles Tuesday, July 5

- 1 **Party Rock Anthem**  
LMFAO featuring Lauren Bennett and GoonRock
- 2 **Last Friday Night (T.G.I.F.)**  
Katy Perry
- 3 **Give Me Everything**  
Pitbull featuring Ne-Yo, Afrojack and Nayer
- 4 **Rolling in the Deep**  
Adele
- 5 **Good Life**  
OneRepublic
- 6 **Super Bass**  
Nicki Minaj
- 7 **Tonight Tonight**  
Hot Chelle Rae
- 8 **How to Love**  
Lil Wayne
- 9 **Dirt Road Anthem**  
Jason Aldean
- 10 **The Edge of Glory**  
Lady Gaga

## Top 5 albums

- 1 **4**  
Beyonce
- 2 **21**  
Adele
- 3 **When the Sun Goes Down**  
Selena Gomez & The Scene
- 4 **Finally Famous (Deluxe Edition)**  
Big Sean
- 5 **Bon Iver**  
Bon Iver

Source: iTunes

## Featured venue: *Mikey's Place*

# A haven for local music

## Mikey's Place has been hosting acts since 2009

By **David Edwards**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

In early 2010, there weren't any music venues for local bands, according to Alec Dean, a local musician and concert promoter.

"That summer, we had no shows going on. Nothing like that," Dean said. "Then September rolled around, and Mikey's Place got discovered. People started doing shows there. That's the first time I went to a show there."

After that show, Dean got in touch with Mikey's Place facilitators Bill and Pinky Kingsley and asked if he could rent out the place and start doing shows there.

"They really helped us out a lot," Dean said. "For a while, none of the local bands really had places to play other than houses. Mikey's Place helps out our community (the music

community) a lot because they give us a spot to have these shows. There's not really anywhere else in Cruces that we can have them especially if we want to bring bigger acts in – there's no place to put them. For a while, all the acts I was bringing in would go to El Paso."

“Mikey's Place gave local bands a shot. Also they're really friendly people.”

ALEC DEAN,  
musician, concert promoter

"Mikey's Place gave local bands a shot," he said. "It gave touring bands coming through a place to play. Also they're really friendly people."

The Kingsleys established Mikey's

Place: A Workshop for the Arts in memory of their son who passed away in 2007 and opened the space April 1, 2009.

"He had always wanted to do something cool with this building," Bill Kingsley said, which had been Precision Engineering since about 1998. "What Mikey's Place does is try to encourage up-and-coming artists, people who can't get into the mainstream art scene. We don't judge, we just try to give them a place for their art. A place to start."

There are dance troupes, theater companies and filmmakers who use the old Mendenhall Produce building for rehearsal and performance space as well as individual artists who rent out space for studios.

As far as music, there are shows about once a month and it fills a void, particularly for those performers and their fans who are under age

## Details

### Mikey's Place: A Workshop for the Arts

**Address**  
3100 Harrelson St.

**Contact**  
640-3869  
www.mikeysplacem.com

and can't perform in or get into a bar. The group Sum Art brings in music, art and vendors the third Saturday of the month.

"We give them a place to go," Kingsley said. "They like it. It feels good to them. We just want to foster as many up and coming young artists and people that need a place to go as we can."

Dean is planning a large show on July 30 and has 11 bands booked so far – some local, some from El Paso and Albuquerque. There are a variety of musical genres on the bill and the Kingsleys hope the number of musicians of different styles and other artists will continue to grow in a safe positive and affordable environment.

## The heat is on, Las Cruces

### Rio Grande Theatre provides summer relief



**David Salcido**  
Art Happens

Ah, the dog days of summer, when the heat index is so high there seems to be no end in shimmering sight and rain is like little more than a whispered promise, not quite realized. All seems quiet here at the Rio Grande Theatre and the offices of the Doña Ana Arts Council (DAAC), but like the never-ending summer, looks can be deceiving. There's a monsoon of possibilities building on the horizon and when it breaks, the changes could prove to be quite dramatic.

Take this first example, for instance ... I am thrilled to introduce a project that has been in the works for several long, grueling months. A collaboration with the City of Las Cruces Film Liaison Bill McCamey and called, appropriately enough, Film Las Cruces, it is a forum by and for local filmmakers, digital media artists, students and interested citizens with the express purpose of showcasing local talent.

The hope is that this forum will eventually serve to lure more film and television productions to Las Cruces. How? By raising the profile of filmmaking in southern New Mexico while at the same time dispelling some of the rumors and myths surrounding it.

Debuting at 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 13, and continuing on the second Wednesday of every month thereafter, Film Las Cruces will be a showcase in which trailers for locally produced

films will be screened alongside short films by student filmmakers, followed by Q&A sessions with the filmmakers and breaking industry news as it pertains to our area. These showcase evenings are open to film enthusiasts and armchair cinephiles alike.

Though I can't really say what some of the surprises will be on July 13 (they wouldn't be surprises if I did, would they?), I can say there are already several trailers lined up for feature films which have been entered into the White Sands International Film Festival, as well as short films featured in the recent Roswell Sci-Fi Shoot Out Film Festival and a teaser trailer for a large-scale feature that will be filmed in Las Cruces in the coming months.

The second project coming to the Rio Grande Theatre is the long-awaited return of the Howling Coyote Coffeehouse and Open Mic to the Downtown area. Starting out as a jam session, Howling Coyote has been a staple of the Downtown Art Ramble since 2006, bringing local musicians together and letting them do what they do best.

Originally presented at the Mastery of Life Center on the Downtown Mall, the Coyote moved to the First Christian Church on El Paseo Road in summer 2010, but because of steadily decreasing numbers, the organizers felt it best to return Downtown. I'll be honest, Bob Burns and I have been plotting this for well over a year, but had a few obstacles to overcome. Just goes to show that sometimes good things do come to those who wait.

The Howling Coyote performances will begin on at 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 5, directly following the Literary Open Mic, which will continue



The Howling Coyote Coffeehouse will return to the Downtown area Friday, Aug. 5, at its new home, the Rio Grande Theatre.

in its 5:30 p.m. time slot. The monthly event features, primarily, acoustic musicians, singers and songwriters, but will also welcome poets, storytellers and comedians with family-appropriate material. The result will be a full evening of entertainment for Art Ramblers who just aren't ready to call it quits at 7 p.m., something I've been working toward ever since taking the position as theater manager.

The hope is that both programs will help to revitalize interest in live entertainment and get people out of the house and away from their television and computer screens long enough to find out what Las Cruces really has to offer.

As the city continues to grow, opportunities present themselves to create a vital arts community, but it can't be done without the support of the community at large. There are plenty more projects in the works, so make an effort to drop by the Rio Grande Theatre and check them out. Both programs, like the Every Other Tuesday showcase, are free to the public. It's a price you simply can't beat.

I would be remiss if I didn't mention some of the exciting news brewing right outside my door, in the DAAC offices, where planning

for fall events like Color Las Cruces and the Renaissance ArtsFaire (which will be celebrating its 40th anniversary this year) are still under way. Artists are being sought for both, with application forms available online at the arts council website, [www.las-cruces-arts.org](http://www.las-cruces-arts.org). Volunteers are also being sought to help with both events. If you're interested, call 523-6403.

Oh, and let's not forget the return of one of the arts council's flagship events, Missoula Children's Theatre, which will hit the Rio Grande Theatre this July. Auditions for "Pinocchio" will take place at 10 a.m. Monday, July 25, on the Rio Grande Theatre stage, with rehearsals running all week long and performances July 29-30. If you haven't already signed your kids up, do so. It'll be an experience they'll carry with them for the rest of their lives.

So there you have it. It may seem quiet at the historic Rio Grande Theatre right now, but sometimes things aren't always what they seem. A quick glance at our website, [www.riograndetheatre.com](http://www.riograndetheatre.com), will show that sometimes it's just the calm before the storm. And sometimes those whispered promises are well worth the wait.

# Galleries & Openings

## OPENING

**VER'NADA ART STUDIO & GALLERY** will exhibit "Journey to Love," featuring the work of Kurt Van Wagner for the summer. The show will open with a reception from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, July 8.

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, 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 571-6137.

## PRESTON CONTEMPORARY ART CENTER

will celebrate the gallery's third anniversary and the opening of its Summer 2011 exhibition with a reception for the artists from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Friday, July 8. 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.

Saturday, July 9, will bring the next in the gallery's popular Artists Dialogue series beginning at 1 p.m. Visitors will get a chance to join in conversation with painter O'Connor and sculptor Metcalf who will talk and answer questions about their works in the new exhibition. The center is located at 1755 Avenida de Mercado. Hours are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call 523-8713.

## NOPALITO'S GALERIA

will be open for the monthly Camino del Arte art tour from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 9, continuing its "Flower Power and More" exhibit. The gallery will open "Random Visions," an assorted showcase of digital photography by Ali Keyes and Donovan Swann.

Keyes is a digital photographer whose artwork is eclectic in nature. Her art has become well known among the artist community and admirers of her technique in Las Cruces.

Sixteen-year-old Swann composes her photos to express the world through her eyes. Her art captures magnificent items of beauty and is demonstrated through the essence of her work. The gallery will hold an artist's reception from 5 to 8 p.m. July 9. Local musician Bob Hull will provide a combination of Spanish classical, Celtic and jazz standard

instrumentals in the patio behind the gallery. Nopalito's Galeria 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.

## ONGOING

**BLUE GATE GALLERY** hosts "For the Love of America," a show presented by the Friendship Painters. Artists participating include Alejandrina Nuñez, Arlene J. Tugel, Barbara Lewis Dean, Diana Ayres, Donna Carpenter, Judi Franzak, Laurie Kibbe, Nancy Diaz, Pat Bonneau-White, Regina Nelson, Vera Schwartz and Kaye Faircloth. The show is based on four patriotic songs – "The Star-Spangled Banner," "America, the Beautiful," "God Bless America" and "America, My Country 'Tis of Thee." 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.

**QUILLIN STUDIO AND GALLERY** displays art pieces of Sally Quillin, Dedri Quillin and Aline Fister.

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 GALLERIES** shows the work of local artist Jeri Langlois during July. Langlois works in several different media, including acrylic, oil and watercolor. 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.

## MESILLA VALLEY FINE ARTS GALLERY

features the artworks of Louise Lockhart and Patricia Burnett during July. Lockhart works primarily in transparent watercolor, with occasional side trips into pastels. Burnett works in acrylic, creating textures, highlights and shadows of collected treasures.

The gallery is located at 2460-A Calle de Guadalupe. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Call 522-2933.

## MAIN STREET GALLERY

hosts Native American rock art yard sculptures of Lay Powell through July. Also on display are new works by Marie Siegrist, Linda Gendall, Fred Chilton, Nancy Frost Begin, Margaret Berrier, Kelley Hestir and Tomi LaPierre. The gallery is located at 311 N. Main St. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday. Call 647-0508.

**BRANIGAN CULTURAL CENTER** exhibits "Views from the Life of a Photojournalist: The Work of Alan Solomon." Solomon has forged a career spanning nearly 50 years, during which time he chronicled historic moments for periodicals such as the New York Times, USA Today, Life, Newsweek, Time and People. The center is located at 501 N. Main St. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call 541-2154.

## 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.

## LAS CRUCES MUSEUM OF ART

presents three summer exhibitions through Aug. 6. Music will be provided by the Dan Lambert Trio. "Lived:living" is a collaborative exhibition by Las Cruces artists Isadora Stowe and Jordon Schranz, and features intimately scaled paintings. Monique Janssen-Belitz's "Lost Connections" is comprised of paintings and drawings of swirling color. "Clay and Smoke" is an exhibition of Sandria Hu's paintings and prints that were inspired by her travels both in the United States and abroad. The Las Cruces Museum of Art is located at 491 N. Main St. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call 541-2137.

## 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.

## NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY ART GALLERY

presents "Milford Zornes: California Watercolorist" exhibition, featuring works from the collection of Robert and Mary Culpepper through July 22. The gallery is located in D.W. Williams Hall on



"Balarina" will be on display as part of the "Random Visions" show, opening Saturday, July 9, at Nopalito's Galeria.

the NMSU campus. Hours are noon to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call 646-2545.

## PRESTON CONTEMPORARY ART CENTER

hosts an international photography exhibition through Aug. 27. A total of 28 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.

## NEW MEXICO FARM & RANCH HERITAGE MUSEUM

features "Bonnie Mandoe: Gifts of the Rio Grande" in the museum's Arts Corridor. The exhibit will be on display through July 31.

The museum 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.

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July 8 – Oct. 29

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# EventsCalendar

## FRI. 7/8

**10 a.m. Storytime**, Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 700 S. Telshor Blvd. Free. Call 522-4499.

**6 to 9 p.m. Live music**, Amaro Winery, 402 S. Melendres St. No cover. Call 527-5310.

**9 p.m. The Strange**, Hurricane Alley, 1490 E. Missouri Ave. Cost \$5. Call 532-9358.

## SAT. 7/9

**8 a.m. to noon, Pet adoptions**, Downtown Main Street. Available will be cats, kittens, dogs and puppies. Cost \$50-\$75. Call 382-0018.

**8 a.m. to noon, Yard sale**, 1280 Med Park Drive. Proceeds will go to student scholarships awarded by the Las Cruces International Mariachi Conference. Call 644-3338.

**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 fcmarket@las-cruces.org.

**10 a.m. to noon, Family Game Day**, Las Cruces Railroad Museum, 351 N. Mesilla St. Free. Call 647-4480.

**10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Pet adoptions**, PetCo, 3050 E. Lohman Ave. Available will be cats, kittens, dogs and puppies. Cost \$50-\$75. Call 382-0018.

**10:30 a.m. Storytellers of Las Cruces**, COAS Bookstores, 317 N. Main St. and 1101 S. Solano Drive. Louise O'Donnell will be the storyteller at the Downtown location, and Judith Ames 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.

**11:30 a.m. to noon, Magic Carpet StoryTime**, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Free. Call 541-2154.

**1 p.m. Artists Dialogue series**, Preston Contemporary Art Center, 1755 Avenida de Mesilla. Artists Brian O'Connor and sculptor Michael Metcalf will answer questions and talk about their works in the exhibition. Call 523-8713.

**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 to 9 p.m. Live music**, Amaro Winery, 402 S. Melendres St. No cover. Call 527-5310.

**6:30 to 9:30 p.m. La Cella Bella**, St. Clair Winery & Bistro, 1800 Avenida de Mesilla. No cover.

**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. Cost \$6. Call 528-3000.

## SUN. 7/10

**10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday Growers Market**, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road. Featuring local vendors. 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.

## MON. 7/11

**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. Cost \$10. Call 680-6515.

## TUE. 7/12

**Noon, Brown bag lecture**, Las Cruces Railroad Museum, 351 N. Mesilla St. Stephanie Long will present "American Railroads in WWII." Free. Call 647-4480.

**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, Suite M. Free. Call 523-0436.

**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.

**7:30 p.m. Literary open mic**, Palacio Bar, 2600 Avenida de Mesilla. Bring up to three poems or five minutes of prose to read. Free. Call 521-7311.

## WED. 7/13

**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



Glen Schwaiger, the artist behind Entrada del Sol, will speak at 2 p.m. Saturday, July 16, at the Museum of Art, 491 N. Main St.

fcmarket@las-cruces.org.

**3 to 4:30 p.m. "Let's Talk About Energy" presentation**, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road. Free. Call 505-359-4564.

**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, email meadows@zianet.com or visit lascrucsstitches.multiply.com.

**7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Balanced Living Book Club**, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road. The book club will continue its discussion of "The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People" by Stephen Covey. Free. Call 510-459-2671.

## THU. 7/14

**9 a.m. to noon, Fiber Club**, My Place Jewell, 140-A Wyatt Drive. Cost \$2. Call 526-9509.

**2 p.m. "History Notes" lecture**, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Terry Reynolds will give a presentation about the historic Jacinto Armijo family of Las Cruces. Free. Call 541-2154.

**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.

**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. 7/15

**10 a.m. Ice cream story time**, Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 700 S. Telshor Blvd. Free. Call 522-4499.

**6 to 7:30 p.m. The Great Conversation**, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road, Suite M. Free. Call 523-0436.

**6:30 p.m. Howling Coyote**, First Christian Church, 1809 El Paseo Road. Open to acoustic musicians, singers, poets and storytellers. A full stage, sound and lights are provided by Skip Connelley. Free. Call 525-9333 or 915-799-5684.

**7 to 10 p.m. Live classic country music by The Spur Ride Band**, Cattleman's Steakhouse, 3375 Bataan Memorial West. Cost \$5. Call 649-7165.

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**11:30 a.m. to noon, Magic**

**Carpet StoryTime**, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Free. Call 541-2154.

**2 p.m. "Speaking of Art,"** Las Cruces Museum of Art, 491 N. Main St. Glen Schwaiger is the featured artist. Free. Call 541-2137.

**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.

**5 p.m. to midnight, Co-op Rocks! monthly concert series**, Mikey's Place, 3100 Harrelson St. Free. Email mvm.cooprocks@gmail.com.

**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. Cost \$6. Call 528-3000.

**8 p.m. Oldies But Goodies dance**, Las Cruces Event Center, 522 E. Idaho Ave. Call 680-6515.

## SUN. 7/17

**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, Kids crafts**, Mountain View Market, 1300 El Paseo Road, Suite M. Free. Call 523-0436.

**1 p.m. Bingo**, Las Cruces Event Center, 522 E. Idaho Ave. Doors open one hour before the games begin. Cost \$10. Call 680-6515.

**3 to 7 p.m. Tardeada featuring Genie and the Starliners**, Palacio Bar, 2600 Avenida de Mesilla. Event is a fundraiser for Las Cruces International Mariachi Conference. Cost \$5. Call 640-9642.



Mesilla Valley  
Film Society

## Mesilla Valley Film Society

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July 8 - 14

#### Meek's Cutoff

2010, 104 min., starring Michelle Williams and Bruce Greenwood, directed by Kelly Reichardt.

July 15 - 21

#### Small Town Murder Songs

2010, 75 min., directed by Ed Gass-Donnelly.  
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at 1:30 only

July 9 only - FREE

#### New Mexico Filmmakers Showcase

2011, 140 min., may contain some adult content, featuring the winners of the Filmmaker's Showcase, co-sponsored by MVFS & NM State Film Office.

# AtTheMovies

## NM films roll through town Society hosts showcase

The CineMatinee for 1:30 p.m. Saturday, July 9, is the New Mexico Filmmakers Showcase (2011, may contain some adult content). Admission is free.

The Mesilla Valley Film Society and the New Mexico Film Office are co-sponsoring this annual event, featuring the winners of the Filmmakers Showcase which took place in late May. The following films will be screened.

"Flamenco School," 52 minutes, directed by Brent Morris and Reinhard Lorenz, Albuquerque. The film tells the story of Eva Encinias Sandoval and the National Institute of Flamenco – a behind-the-scenes portrait of the teaching and discipline required to master this beautiful art form.

"Shakespeare's Women," 15 minutes, directed by Rudy J. Miera, Albuquerque. Essential female monologues are passionately delivered by several local actresses with commentary and insight by critics, directors, actors and others.

"I Can't Wait," 5 minutes, directed by Christopher Columbus, Albuquerque. The short is a music video for up-and-coming artist Alex Carbonel.

"Baby Monitor," 28 minutes, directed by Jocelyn Jansons, Santa Fe. A rocker turned unexpected single mom is tormented by phantom crying coming from her baby monitor.

"Torcida," 27 minutes, directed by Diego Joaquin Lopez, Española. After drugging her father, a defiant teenager struggles for freedom, finding herself unexpectedly trapped in a brutal underworld.

"The Astronomer's Sun," 6 minutes, directed by Peter M. Kershaw, Santa Fe. This is a stop animation about Henry, his bear and what it means to be human.

"Energy Tap Out," 8 minutes, directed by Adrien W. Colon, Albuquerque. Mixed martial arts fighter Rex Sharpe takes energy conservation to the extreme in this comedic documentary.

*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 ... film-festival quality movies in an old adobe theater.*

*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 theater is located at 2469 Calle de Guadalupe, one-half block south of the Mesilla Plaza. For more information, call 524-8287, and leave a message.*

## Playbill

### Opening

**A Midsummer Night's Dream**  
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## Not your ordinary pioneer story 'Meek's Cutoff' takes us along the 'real' Oregon trail

Review by **Jeff Berg**  
For the Las Cruces Bulletin

Throughout the 1970s a new breed of Western started to appear on movie screens across the land. Labeled "revisionist" Westerns, the filmmakers took the beloved genre on a decidedly different course, one they hoped viewers would see as a look at how things in the highly mythical Old West might have really appeared, rather than what we all labeled the West – films by John Ford, John Wayne and others of their day.

Titles included such magnificent films as Peter Fonda's made-in-New Mexico classic "The Hired Hand," Robert Altman's sometimes-hard-to-follow "McCabe and Mrs. Miller," Cliff Robertson's esoteric view of Jesse James in "The Great Northfield Minnesota Raid" and Robert Aldrich's pious look at the Vietnam conflict, substituting the US Cavalry and a small band of Apache Indians, in "Ulzana's Raid."

The Western has come and gone since then and is currently reveling in still another revival, with such films as the excellent remake of "True Grit," the so-so remake of "3:10 to Yuma" and even the umpteenth version of "The Lone Ranger" currently in the planning stages.

As good as this news is to Western aficionados, perhaps the best news of all in the new revival is "Meek's Cutoff," which revives revisionism, if that makes sense.

"Meek's Cutoff" is the story of three families and three wagons traveling across the high desert of southeastern Oregon, led by a sometimes blustery and always know-it-all guide, Meek.

There are but eight humans in this little caravan, with a ninth on the way, as one of the wives is about halfway through a pregnancy.

Meek has offered his guide skills as a way to get them to the beautiful Willamette Valley, but it is apparent to everyone except Meek that they are lost.

Director Kelly Reichardt, whose previous offerings include the dry and curious "Old Joy" and the dry and "so what" provoking "Wendy



The outlook is grim for travelers who have lost their way in "Meek's Cutoff," a unique take on a Western, now playing in Fountain Theatres.

and Lucy" has created a masterpiece of the Western genre, not an easy thing to do or want to do in these days of 3-D and big-budget movies. Women have had minimal opportunities, but great success in directing Westerns, such as Nancy Kelly's "Thousand Pieces of Gold" or Maggie Greenwald's "Ballad of Little Jo."

"Meek's Cutoff" allows us on the "real" trail with this small band. There is no water. There are no trees. There are no other people or animals. What they do have is dirt, miles of sage prairie and diminishing hope. Their clothes are dirty, their mouths are dry and their bellies are soon to be acquainted with their ribs.

There are no heroes here, only pitiful circumstances that require these people to continue to shed their belongings and cling to the pitiful hope that their prayers to an unseeing and possibly uncaring maker will somehow be answered.

Upon this scene comes, not by choice, a lone Nez Perce Indian warrior. He has been following the party from afar for a while, but for reasons unclear, Meek and one of the travelers take off after him and capture him. Perhaps it is their hope, slim as it might be, especially since there is no way at

all for these two parties to communicate, that he will lead them to water or sanctuary. Most of the rest of the band are terrified of him or ignore him, except Meek who wants to kill him and Emily (Michelle Williams) who wants him to "owe" them something.

However, it is soon apparent except to these travelers, that the Indian is just as lost as they are. But hope prevails, always the next to last thing to death.

Reichardt has filled her film with superb imagery of her protagonists and the landscape they cross. Filled with a delicious sameness, the landscape never fails to fascinate and challenge. We rarely care about the characters, which often is a drawback in a film, but not this one.

A tiny soundtrack adds to the emotional balance of the film, as does the acting and the completely believable story, flawed only by sometimes being a bit too minimalist.

As I often do, I warn those who come to see such a movie expecting to see heroes, heroines and mass amounts of gunplay and action. Be prepared – none of that exists in this languidly paced film.

But if you want a picture that might give you a real feeling of what it was like to travel in the 1840s, wearing the same clothes, making 10 miles a day and trying to atone for the never-ending boredom of such a journey, do be the first in line to see this superb film.

You won't be sorry.

Jeff Berg feels cut off from the world ...  
jeffberg@lascrucesbulletin.com

**FILM REVIEW**

Screenings of "Meek's Cutoff" begin Friday, July 8, at the Fountain Theatre. Those hoping for a good, old-fashioned Western are advised to look elsewhere.

**GRADE**  
**A+**

### "Journey to Love"



### Kurt Van Wagner

Kurt Van Wagner has roots in photographic art back to when he was a child. His digital art reflects his world travel and transports the viewer to varied cultures, peoples, vast landscapes and the heart.

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# Embracing the heat at Vans Warped Tour 2011

Photos by Niki Rhynes and Steven Parra

Mike Hranica, lead singer of The Devil Wears Prada, screams into the mic during his band's set at Vans Warped Tour 2011 Wednesday, July 29, at the New Mexico State University intramural fields.



Saul Sadela crowd surfs during The Devil Wears Prada performance.



We Came As Romans vocalist Kyle Pavone sings to the camera.

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The Devil Wears Prada



Jayy Von Monroe of Blood on the Dancefloor sings to the crowd.



Keeping cool was a high priority at the daylong event.



The crowd throws up 3OH!3, the symbol of the popular alternative band.

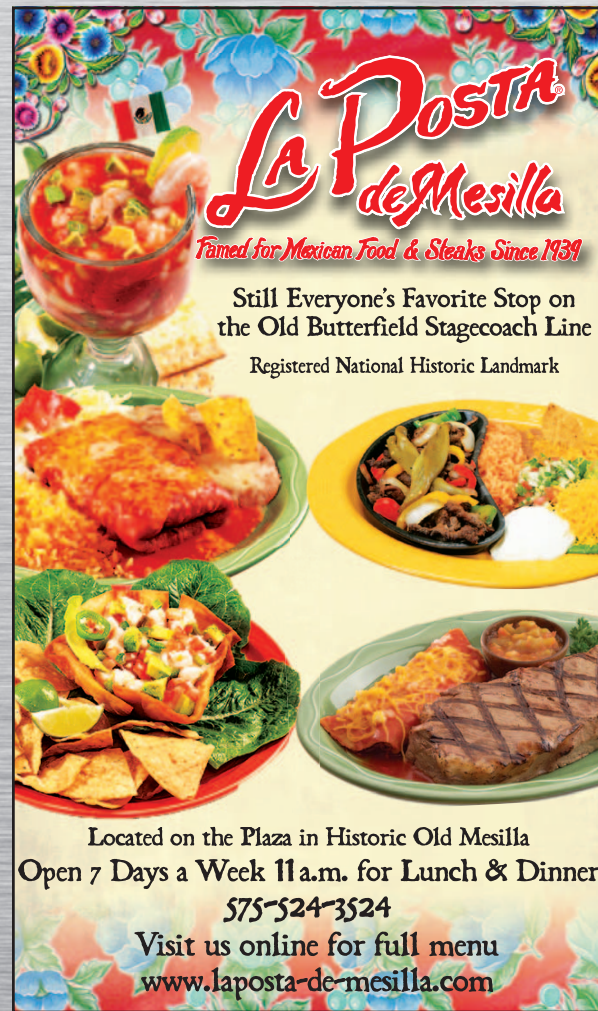


Nine thousand people packed the intramural fields in 100-degree weather.



Foxy Shazam bass player Daisy does a balancing act while singer Eric Sean Nally performs for the crowd.

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## How about dinner and a movie?

### Take off for some good eats at the Launch Pad Café

By David Edwards  
Las Cruces Bulletin

Got a craving for an Ultimate Megatron Burger? The one with 8 ounces of beef, two slices of pepper jack cheese, bacon strips, jalapeños, green chile and "Buffalo" mayo?

How about the "Optimus Prime" roast beef sandwich? Four ounces of roast beef, two slices of American or provolone cheese, shredded cheddar cheese and green chile - with fries, cookie wedge and pickle spear.

Even a Decepticon would love those sandwiches - if Transformers ate people food.

Maybe you need a cure for your "Hangover Part II"? Try the sandwich named after the hit movie. Either regular or "Buffalo" chicken strips on Texas toast with lettuce, tomato, onion, one slice of provolone, Swiss or pepper jack cheese, one slice of gouda cheese, two strips of bacon, aioli (mayo with garlic, salt, pepper and basil) and you can have some pepperoncini (those little pickled salad peppers) either on the sandwich or on the side. This special sandwich comes with fries, cookie wedge and a drink.

Where can one go to get these movie-themed meals? The Launch Pad Café inside the Cineport 10 movie theater at Mesilla Valley Mall.

I have wanted to write about the Launch Pad for quite a while, mostly because it combines two of my favorite things - eating and the movies.

Now let me clarify a little. You don't have to go to the movies to eat at the Launch Pad. But if you're going to see the latest flick, why not go ahead and grab a meal? Maybe the best part - next to the good food quality - is that you can take it with you into the theater.

When the Cineport was in the planning stages, the idea was to have a malt/shake shop, but according to manager and head chef Kyle Johnson and head manager Nicole Leake, the concept changed a bit.

"Larry Allen (one of the theater chain's owners) wanted to put burgers and fries in there," Johnson said. "So we started making sandwiches, salads and pizza." "Allen's idea was to make it more of a café," Leake said.

So the Launch Pad opened when the Cineport premiered two-and-a-half years ago, and it is the only site in statewide chain of Allen Theatres that has a café.

Different specials are available every day, and there are some pretty good deals. If you spend \$25 (before taxes) at the Launch Pad, you get two movie passes. They aren't good for 3-D movies, but they are good for 2-D prints of movies in that increasingly prevalent format and are good at any Allen Theatre location as long as you use the passes the same day.

Spending \$25 isn't as hard as you think - if you wanted to order five pieces of cheesecake and a flavored lemonade that would cover it. How about six smoothies and a cookie? Not that you'd want to do that because there are plenty of other tasty options on the menu.

Want to go out with the family? Mondays are family night and you can get a 14-inch, two-topping pizza, an order of 10 wings - spicy or teriyaki - a pitcher of drinks (not including flavored teas or lemonade), four cups and four movie passes for \$35.

Now how much would you normally spend on movie tickets and at the concession stand? When you remember that, it becomes clear what a good deal that is.

Girlfriend and I tried the chicken Caesar sandwich (and a drink), the Hangover Cure (came with a drink) and green chile cheddar bites for \$28 and change. We ate most of them then got our free drink refills, took



Las Cruces Bulletin photos by David Edwards  
**Nicole Leake, head manager, and manager/head cook Kyle Johnson can hook you up with movie theater-friendly food at the Launch Pad Café inside Cineport 10.**

the remainder of our fries (she likes the sweet potato ones) and chile cheese bites and went downstairs to see "Bridesmaids" - which was very funny by the way. Like I said, taking your food with you into the theater is one of the best parts.

The individual meat pizza with pepperoni, ham, sausage and bacon that I had the next day was also very good.

You need to make sure you give yourself enough time to get your food if you care about seeing the movie from the beginning because this isn't "fast" food - everything is made when you order it.

I am looking forward to "Cowboys & Aliens" which opens July 29, and now I am looking forward to the Western-style burger they come up with at the Launch Pad.

**Details**

**Launch Pad Café**

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# African tales at the Children's Theatre Workshop

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Alban Huhmann smiles to the audience.



Nora Hudson acts in "Why Turtle Lives on Land."

Director Ruth Cantrell gives the opening remarks at the start of "African Tales," performed by the 2011 summer Children's Theatre Workshop presented by the New Mexico State University Department of Theatre Arts at the Hershel Zohn Theatre Friday, June 24.



A group of children performs "The Gourd's Gift."



Lizzy Pritchard plays the part of the river in "Haste, Haste Has No Blessing."

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FRIDAY EVENING		JULY 8, 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	Wash.	McLughlin	Need to Know (N)	Frontline	Charlie Rose (N)	World	T. Smiley				
CBS	3	CBS	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	Flashpoint (N)	CSI: NY "Vigilante"	Blue Bloods	News	Letterman	Late				
ABC	7	7	News (N)	ABC	News (N)	Ent	Shark Tank	Primetime: What	20/20	News (N)	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live			
FOX	8	14	Simpsons	Mother	News	Two Men	Bones	House	KFOX News at Nine	Simpsons	Seinfeld	Entou	Curb		
NBC	9	9	News (N)	News	News (N)	News	Friday Night Lights	Dateline NBC (In Stereo)	News (N)	Jay Leno	Late				
CW	14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	News	Smallville	Supernatural	The City	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	NASCAR	NASCAR Racing	Nationwide Series: Feed the Children	300. (N)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)		Baseball	NFL Live	SportsCenter (N)					
ESPN2	27	Golf				Boxing Friday Night Fights. (N)		Live	SportsNation	SportsNation	NASCAR				
USA	31	NCIS		NCIS		Law & Order: SVU	CSI: Crime Scene	Royal Pains	Law & Order: SVU	Ice-Coco					
TNT	32	Law & Order		** "The Da Vinci Code" (2006, Mystery)	Tom Hanks.			Memphis Beat	** "The Brave One" (2007)						
TBS	33	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	** "Last Holiday" (2006, Comedy)	Queen Latifah.	(:25) *** "Selena" (1997)	Jennifer Lopez.						
COM	35	Daily	Colbert	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	B. Bailey/Road	Comedy	Comedy	Chap	Chap	Epps, Rated				
LIFE	39	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Drop Dead Diva	Chris	Mother	Will			
FOOD	40	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Food	Best	Unwrap	Unwrap	Diners	Diners	Food	Best
HGTV	41	Hunters	House H.	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters
A&E	43	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	The Glades	(:01) Criminal Minds	(:01) Criminal Minds					
HIST	44	Modern Marvels	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	How the States	American Pickers	American Pickers	Pawn	Pawn			
TLC	45	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes
DISC	47	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Swamp Loggers (N)	Swamp Loggers	Swamp Loggers	Swamp Loggers	Dual Survival			
ANPL	50	Whale Wars	Whale Wars	Whale Wars	Whale Wars	Whale Wars	Whale Wars	River Monsters	Whale Wars	Whale Wars					
FAM	51	** "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets" (2002, Fantasy)	Daniel Radcliffe.	The 700 Club (N)	Who?	Who?	Thin	Take It							
DISN	52	Good	ANT	Shake It	Wizards	Random	Good	ANT	Vampire	Wizards	ANT	Fish	Phineas	Vampire	Random
NICK	54	Sponge.	iCarly	Big Time	Victo	My Wife	My Wife	70s Show	70s	Lopez	Lopez	Nanny	Nanny	My Wife	My Wife
AMC	57	(3:00) "The Matrix"	** "The Matrix Reloaded" (2003)	Keanu Reeves.	** "The Matrix Revolutions" (2003)	Keanu Reeves.									
SYFY	59	"Star Trek VI"	WWE Friday Night SmackDown! (N)	Haunted Collector	Holly	Holly	Stargate SG-1	Stargate SG-1							
CNN	62	John King, USA (N)	In the Arena (N)	Piers Morgan	CNN Presents	Anderson Cooper	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper							
CNBC	63	The Kudlow Report	60 Minutes on	Crackberry'd	Crime Inc.	Mad Money	60 Minutes on	Crime Inc.							
MSNBC	64	Hardball Matthews	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary							

SATURDAY MORNING		JULY 9, 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	PBS NewsHour	Bob Build	Dinosaur	Thomas	Mr Rogers	W'dwright	Best of Joy	Fine Art	Sews	organic	Liv'g	
CBS	3	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	The Early Show (N) (In Stereo)			Busytown	Busytown	Doodlebop	Trollz (E)	Horseland	Horseland	
ABC	7	Sports	Reporter	Good Morning El Paso	Good Morning America		Good Morning El Paso	Good Morning El Paso	Marketpl	Marketpl	Marketpl	Marketpl	
FOX	8	Auction	Paid Prog.	Auction	Paid Prog.	Icons	Auction	House	Auction	Marketpl	Marketpl	Marketpl	Marketpl
NBC	9	Paid Prog.	Walk Fit	Today Jill Biden; Linda Hogan. (N)			Turbo	Sheldon	Magic Bus	Babar	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	Dragon
WGN	15	WITCFB	Emergency	Ninja	Anderson	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger				
ESPN	26	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter (N) (Live)		Women's Soccer					
ESPN2	27	AFL Premier. Football	Bassmasters	Bassmasters	Bassmasters	NFL Live	SportsNation	SportsCtr	NASCAR Now (N)				
USA	31	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Makeover	White Collar	Covert Affairs	Burn Notice	Suits "Inside Track"				
TNT	32	Law & Order (In Stereo)	Law & Order "Amends"	Hawthorne		Southland		"John Grisham"					
TBS	33	Harvey	Harvey	Prince	(:35) *** "Selena" (1997, Biography)	Jennifer Lopez.	(:10) ** "Meet the Browns" (2008)	Tyler Perry.					
COM	35	Bikini Bod	Paid Prog.	Comedy	Ben Bailey: Road Rage	(:45) ** "Bringing Down the House" (2003)	Scrubs	Scrubs	Scrubs				
LIFE	39	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Look Sexy	Paid Prog.	No Diets!	Paid Prog.	WEN Hair	"Mother Knows Best" (1997)	Joanna Kerns.			
FOOD	40	Ultimate	Big Daddy	Day Off	Guy's, Bite	Aarti Party	Mexican	Cooking	Ingrid. Fix	Paula	Home	Secrets	30-Minute
HGTV	41	Outdoor	Curb/Block	My Yard	Yard	Yard	Yard	Property	Income	Crashers	Crashers	Bath	Bath
A&E	43	Biography	Toby Keith.	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Flip This House		Flipping Vegas (N)	
HIST	44	Heavy Metal		Journey to the Earth's Core			Exorcism: Driving Out the Devil					Ancient Ink	
TLC	45	TRIALaser	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	1st Home	1st Home	Moving Up		Moving Up			Moving Up	
DISC	47	MathMind	Thin in 30!	Paid Prog.	Meaningful	Brothers	Brothers	Brothers	Brothers	Swamp Loggers		Swamp Loggers	
ANPL	50	Wild Russia "Primorye"	The Crocodile Hunter	Dogs 101		It's Me or the Dog	Dogs 101 "Puppies"	Dogs 101				Dogs 101	
FAM	51	** "Jurassic Park III" (2001)	Sam Neill.	** "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone" (2001)	Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint.	Harry P							
DISN	52	Movers	Jungle	Little	Little	Chugging	Manny	Agent Oso	Mickey	Never Land	Phineas	Phineas	
NICK	54	Parents	Parents	Penguins	Penguins	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	T.U.F.F.	T.U.F.F.	Power	SpongeBob
AMC	57	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	Rifleman	** "Death Wish" (1974)	Charles Bronson.	** "Dirty Harry" (1971)				
SYFY	59	WEN Hair	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	\$ Secrets	"Jack Hunter: The Lost Treasure of Ugart"	** "Lost City Raiders" (2008)	James Brolin.					
CNN	62	Saturday	Gupta	CNN Saturday Morning	Nepal's Stolen Chil	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom					
CNBC	63	Concerts	Oreck Vac	Zumba	Paid Prog.	Best Bra!	Thin in 30!	Look Sexy	Paid Prog.	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)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)	MSNBC News Live (N)

SATURDAY AFTERNOON		JULY 9, 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's	Avec Eric	Mexican	Lawrence Welk		
CBS	3	U.S. Open of Surfing (N)	Future Is Now	PGA Tour Golf John Deere Classic, Third Round. (N)	(Live)			Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.				
ABC	7	Hannah	Suite Life	Auction	Paid Prog.	Shark Tank	Auction	Paid Prog.	ESPN Sports Saturday (N)				
FOX	8	Gadget	Auction	Eco Co.	Auction	70s Show	Base	MLB Baseball Regional Coverage. (N) (In Stereo Live)					
NBC	9	Pets.TV	3 Wide Life	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Golf U.S. Women's Open Championship, Third Round. (N)		AAA	Paid Prog.				
CW	14	Yu-Gi-Oh!	Yu-Gi-Oh!	Into Wild	Wild Am.	Edgemont	Edgemont	Adventures	Adventures	WHAD	Edgemont	Funniest Moments	
WGN	15	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI	The Unit "M.P.s"		Bones (In Stereo)		Videos	Lead-Off		
ESPN	26	Women's Soccer	(:15) Women's Soccer FIFA World Cup: Quarterfinal. (N)			World Cup	SportsCenter (N) (Live)						
ESPN2	27	Bowling	Bowling	Bowling	Bowling	2010 Poker	2010 Poker	2010 Poker	2010 Poker				
USA	31	Necessary Roughness	** "Welcome Home Roscoe Jenkins" (2008)	** "The Pacifier" (2005)	Vin Diesel.	** "The Break-Up"							
TNT	32	(10:00) *** "John Grisham's The Rainmaker"	** "The Da Vinci Code" (2006, Mystery)	Tom Hanks, Audrey Tautou.		Green							
TBS	33	(:10) ** "Last Holiday" (2006, Comedy)	Queen Latifah.	Jim	Jim	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Seinfeld	Seinfeld			
COM	35	Scrubs	(:45) * "My Best Friend's Girl" (2008)	Dane Cook.		** "Napoleon Dynamite" (2004)	Jon Heder.	** "American Pie"					
LIFE	39	"Caught in the Act" (2004)	Lauren Holly.	"Til Lies Do Us Part" (2007)	Thomas Calabro.	"Joy Fielding's The Other Woman" (2008)							
FOOD	40	Contessa	Giada	Food Network Star		Diners	Diners	Diners	Iron Chef America	Challenge			
HGTV	41	Room Cr.	Prof.	Curb/Block	Design	Bang, Buck	Summer	Candice	Sarah 101	Genevieve	Color Spl.	Favorite	House
A&E	43	** "The Pelican Brief" (1993)	Julia Roberts, Denzel Washington.	Hoarders		Hoarders		Hoarders	"Carolyn; Jo"	Hoarders			
HIST	44	(10:00) Ancient Ink	Woodstock: Now & Then	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs	Hooked: Illegal Drugs
TLC	45	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER
DISC	47	Swamp Loggers	Man vs. Wild "Texas"	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild "China"	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival	Dual Survival
ANPL	50	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101	Dogs 101
FAM	51	(10:30) *** "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets" (2002)	Daniel Radcliffe.	** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004)									
DISN	52	Phineas	Fish Hooks	ANT Farm	ANT Farm	Wizards	Wizards	Good Luck	Good Luck	Shake It	Shake It	Wizards	Wizards
NICK	54	iCarly	iCarly	Big Time	Big Time	Victorious	Victorious	Penguins	Penguins	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Big Time	Victorious
AMC	57	Dirty Harry	* "Death Wish II" (1982)	Charles Bronson.	* "Death Wish 3" (1985)	Charles Bronson.	** "Magnum Force" (1973)						
SYFY	59	*** "Raiders of the Lost Ark" (1981)	Harrison Ford.	(:34) *** "Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom" (1984)	"Indiana Jones"								
CNN	62	Your Money	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	Nepal's Stolen Chil	CNN Newsroom	Situation Room					
CNBC	63	Paid Prog.	Best Bra!	Meals!	SaladChef	Paid Prog.	Look Sexy	Paid Prog.	WEN Hair	\$ Secrets	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.
MSNBC	64	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary

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**Wednesday, July 13**  
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PBS 22	News	Heartland	Ebert	News	Monarch of the Glen	Antiques Roadshow	Austin City Limits	Red	History Detectives	Curiosity				
CBS 3	News	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	CHAOS (N) CC	48 Hours Mystery	48 Hours Mystery	News	Extra (N) CC	Judge J.				
ABC 7	News (N)	ABC	News (N)	Insider	Game Show	Expedition Imp.	Rookie Blue CC	ABC 7	(:35) Cheaters CC	Ent				
FOX 8	14	House "Hunting"	The Unit "M.P.s"	Cops	Cops	Fam. Guy	Cleve	News	Seinfeld	Fringe "Snakehead"	Fame	Office		
NBC 9	9	Raymond	News	News (N)	Lopez	Minute to Win It	Law Order: CI	Law & Order: SVU	News (N)	(:29) Saturday Night Live CC				
CW 14	14	Movie			Movie			The Hills	The Hills	Chris	Payne	South Pk	South Pk	
WGN 15	15	MLB Baseball Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates. (N) CC						WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Mother	South Pk	South Pk	Entou	Curb
ESPN 26	26	Horse Racing	Gruden QB Camp	J. Rollins	Baseball Tonight (N) CC			SportsCenter (N)	Baseball Tonight (N)	SportsCenter (N)				
ESPN2 27	27	MLL Lacrosse All-Star Game. From Boston. (N) (Live)			NHRA Drag Racing			E:60	Bowl	Bowl	NFL's Greatest			
USA 31	31	(4:00) ** "The Break-Up"			** "I Now Pronounce You Chuck and Larry" (2007)			In Plain Sight CC	** "The Pacifier" (2005)	Vin Diesel.				
TNT 32	32	Green	NASCAR Racing Sprint Cup: Quaker State 400. (N) (Live) CC					*** "Twister" (1996)	Helen Hunt. CC	Falling Skies CC				
TBS 33	33	King	King	Browns	Browns	** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman" (2005)		"Tyler Perry's the Family That Preys"		Pursuit				
COM 35	35	"American Pie"	** "Just Friends" (2005) CC			Chris Rock: Never Scared		(:31) ** "Bad Santa" (2003) CC		Amer Pie				
LIFE 39	39	** "Mini's First Time" (2006) CC			** "Fool's Gold" (2008)	Matthew McConaughey. CC		The Protector CC	Mother	Mother	Mother			
FOOD 40	40	B. Flay	Flay	Chopped		Chopped		Iron Chef America	Chopped	Chopped				
HGTV 41	41	Block	Candice	HGTV'd	Secrets	Room Cr.	Color	House	House	Hunters	Hunters	Room Cr.	Color	House
A&E 43	43	Hoarders	"Claudie"	Hoarders CC		Hoarders CC		Hoarders CC	Hoarders CC	(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders			
HIST 44	44	Hitler-Occult		Apocalypse Island CC				Seven Signs of the Apocalypse CC	(:01) Apocalypse Island CC					
TLC 45	45	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life	Dateline: Real Life
DISC 47	47	Dual Survival CC	Dino Gangs (N)	Dino Gangs (N)	MythBusters CC	MythBusters CC	MythBusters CC	MythBusters CC	MythBusters CC	MythBusters CC	MythBusters CC	Dino Gangs CC	Dino Gangs CC	
ANPL 50	50	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 (N)	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 (In Stereo)	Dogs 101 CC				
FAM 51	51	Harry	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire" (2005)	Daniel Radcliffe.				*** "Jurassic Park" (1993)	Sam Neill, Laura Dern.					
DISN 52	52	Wizards	Wizards	Good	ANT	Random	Shake It	Vampire	Vampire	Vampire	Vampire	Wizards	Wizards	
NICK 54	54	iCarly	iCarly	Big Time	Victo	iCarly	iCarly	70s Show	70s Show	Lopez	Lopez	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny
AMC 57	57	"Magnum Force"	** "The Enforcer" (1976) CC			** "Death Wish 4: The Crackdown" CC		** "Death Wish V: The Face of Death"						
SYFY 59	59	"Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade"	(:04) "Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull"	(:01) Mystery of the Crystal Skulls CC										
CNN 62	62	CNN Newsroom	CNN Presents (N)	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom	CNN Presents	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom	CNN Presents	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom			
CNBC 63	63	Money in American Greed	Debt/Part	Suze Orman Show	Princess "Ashley"	American Greed	Suze Orman Show	Princess "Ashley"	American Greed	Suze Orman Show	Princess "Ashley"			
MSNBC 64	64	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary			

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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
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.	Paid Prog.	
ABC 7	Business	Wall Street	Good Morning El Paso	Good Morning America	Good Morning El Paso	This Week-Amanpour	Auction	Auction	Paid Prog.	Formula One Racing		
FOX 8	14	Auction	Paid Prog.	Auction	Bndg Brkr	Abndnt L	Auction	Fox News Sunday	Auction	Paid Prog.	Mthws	AAA
NBC 9	9	In Wine	Old House	Today (N) CC		Youtholgy	Church	Secrets	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	*** "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels" (1988) CC				
ESPN 26	26	Women's Soccer FIFA World Cup: Quarterfinal.				SportsCenter (N) (Live) CC		Women's Soccer FIFA World Cup: Quarterfinal.				
ESPN2 27	27	SportsCenter CC	SportsCenter CC	Outside	Reporters	Winners Bracket (N)	SportsCenter (N) CC	Baseball Tonight (N)				
USA 31	31	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	J. Osteen	Royal Pains CC	Necessary Roughness	In Plain Sight CC	** "The Break-Up"				
TNT 32	32	Law & Order (In Stereo)	Law & Order (In Stereo)	Memphis Beat CC		Franklin & Bash CC	Leverage CC	Falling Skies "Grace"				
TBS 33	33	Home Imp.	Home Imp.	Home Imp.	*** "The Pursuit of Happyness" (2006)	Will Smith. CC	** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman" (2005)					
COM 35	35	Paid Prog.	Thin in 30!	Entourage	(:45) * "My Best Friend's Girl" (2008)	Dane Cook. CC	*** "Napoleon Dynamite" (2004)	Jon Heder.				
LIFE 39	39	In Touch	Hour of Power CC	J. Osteen	Meaningful	Will/Grace	Will/Grace	** "William & Kate" (2011)	Ben Cross. CC			
FOOD 40	40	Unique	Unique	United	Hook, Line	Dinners	30-Minute	Hungry Girl	Guy's, Bite	Barbecue	Sandra Lee	Chopped
HGTV 41	41	Outdoor	Curb/Block	Curb/Block	Holmes	Holmes Inspection	Decked	Disaster	Yard	Outdoor	House	Hunters
A&E 43	43	Celebrity Ghost Stories	Celebrity Ghost Stories	The Sopranos CC	The Sopranos "Eloise"	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 Water.	How the Earth Was Made	Geological history.	How the Earth	How the Earth	How the Earth	How the Earth	How the Earth	How the Earth	How the Earth	How the Earth
TLC 45	45	Dr. Frederick K.C. Price	Paid Prog.	Thin in 30!	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes
DISC 47	47	Paid Prog.	Jentezen	J. Osteen	In Touch	Two Weeks in Hell	Two Weeks in Hell	Cops & Coyotes CC	Cops & Coyotes CC	Cops & Coyotes CC	Cops & Coyotes CC	Cops & Coyotes CC
ANPL 50	50	Weird	Weird	Untamed and Uncut	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 CC	Dogs 101 CC	Wild Kingdom CC	Wild Kingdom CC	Wild Kingdom CC	Wild Kingdom CC	Wild Kingdom CC
FAM 51	51	*** "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone" (2001)	Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint.	*** "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets" (2002)								
DISN 52	52	Movers	Jungle	Little	Chugging	Manny	Agent Oso	Mickey	Mickey	Never Land	Phineas	Phineas
NICK 54	54	Parents	Parents	Penguins	Penguins	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	T.U.F.F.	T.U.F.F.	SpongeBob
AMC 57	57	Stooges	*** "Bowfinger" (1999)	Steve Martin. CC	** "Big Trouble in Little China" (1986) CC	*** "Batman" (1989, Action) CC						
SYFY 59	59	Acne	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	WEN Hair	Two. Zone	Two. Zone	*** "Raiders of the Lost Ark" (1981)	Harrison Ford.	Indiana J.		
CNN 62	62	Newsroom	Gupta	CNN Sunday Morning	State of the Union	Fareed Zakaria GPS	Reliable Sources CC	State of the Union				
CNBC 63	63	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Wealth	Paid Prog.	Thin in 30!	Best Bra!	Paid Prog.	Look Sexy	WEN Hair	Paid Prog.	TRIALaser
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 JULY 10, 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	Newsmake	New Mexico In Focus	Fronteras	Truth	Opinion	Healthy	Greener	Field Trip!	Growing	Antiques Roadshow		
CBS 3	3	Cars.TV	Paid Prog.	Latin Lif.	Auction	PGA Tour Golf John Deere Classic, Final Round. (N) (Live) CC		BackJoy	Meaningful			
ABC 7	7	*** "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels" (1988)			Auction	Paid Prog.	Game Show	Wipeout "Feed Jill"	Entertainment Tonight			
FOX 8	14	Formula One Racing	*** "The Queen" (2006)	Helen Mirren. CC	TMZ (N) CC	The Unit CC	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad				
NBC 9	9	Estate	Makeover	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Golf U.S. Women's Open Championship, Final Round. (N) CC		Paid Prog.	Auction			
CW 14	14	Edgemont	Edgemont	Funniest Moments	Storm	Storm	Kickin' It CC	Latino TV	LatinoNation	Smash Cut	Smash Cut	
WGN 15	15	Videos	MLB Baseball Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates. (N) CC		Inning	Videos	Scrubs	Scrubs	Chris	Chris		
ESPN 26	26	Soccer	World Cup	Women's Soccer FIFA World Cup: Quarterfinal.	MLS Soccer: Sounders at Timbers				SportsCenter (N) CC			
ESPN2 27	27	Auto Racing	2010 Poker		2010 Poker				Minor League Baseball			
USA 31	31	(10:00) ** "The Break-Up" (2006)	** "I Now Pronounce You Chuck and Larry" (2007) CC		Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU						
TNT 32	32	** "The General's Daughter" (1999)	John Travolta. CC	** "Murder by Numbers" (2002)	Sandra Bullock. Premiere.	*** "Forrest Gump"						
TBS 33	33	Diary-Black	MLB Baseball Atlanta Braves at Philadelphia Phillies. (N) (Live) CC		Browns	Browns	Browns	Browns	"Family That Preys"			
COM 35	35	Scrubs	Scrubs	Scrubs	** "National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation"		*** "Bad Santa" (2003)	Billy Bob Thornton.				
LIFE 39	39	"Taken in Broad Daylight" (2009) CC		"Like Mother, Like Daughter" (2007) CC		"The Perfect Child" (2007)	Rebecca Budig. CC					
FOOD 40	40	Restaurant: Impossible	Extreme Chef	Diners	Diners	Meat	Candy	Cupcake Wars	Food	Food-Star		
HGTV 41	41	First Place	First Place	Property	Property	Get It Sold	Get It Sold	House	Hunters	For Rent	Unsellable	Hunters
A&E 43	43	*** "A Time to Kill" (1996)	Sandra Bullock, Samuel L. Jackson. CC	Criminal Minds CC	Criminal Minds 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	Last Stand of the 300	Prehistoric Monsters Revealed CC									
TLC 45	45	Say Yes	Say Yes	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive
DISC 47	47	FBI's 10 Most Wanted	FBI's 10 Most Wanted	Texas Drug Wars CC	Almost, Away	Almost, Away	Almost, Away	Almost, Away	Almost, Away	Almost, Away	Almost, Away	Almost, Away
ANPL 50	50	Whale Wars CC	Whale Wars CC	Whale Wars CC	Swamp Wars CC	Croc Keeper CC	Finding Bigfoot CC					
FAM 51	51	"Harry Potter-Chamber"		*** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004)	Rupert Grint	"Harry Potter-Goblet of Fire"						
DISN 52	52	Good Luck	Shake It	Random	Random	Wizards	Wizards	Good Luck	Good Luck	Shake It	Shake It	ANT Farm
NICK 54	54	iCarly	iCarly	Big Time	Big Time	Victorious	Victorious	Penguins	Penguins	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Big Time
AMC 57	57	(9:30) *** "Batman" (1989) CC	** "Batman Returns" (1992, Action)	Michael Keaton, Danny DeVito. CC	** "Batman Forever" (1995) CC							
SYFY 59	59	"Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom" (1984)	(:11) *** "Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade" (1989)	Harrison Ford.	"Indiana Jones"							
CNN 62	62	Fareed Zakaria GPS	CNN Newsroom	Your Money	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom
CNBC 63	63	Paid Prog.	Meals!	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Meaningful	Paid Prog.	WEN Hair	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.
MSNBC 64	64	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC									



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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	Globe Trekker	NOVA "Ape Genius"	Nature	Masterpiece Mystery!	Sky Is	Toolbox	Spain	Europe	Equitrek					
CBS	3	CBS News	60 Minutes	Big Brother	Undercover Boss	CSI: Miami	News	Cold Case	"Bulle"	Paid					
ABC	7	News (N)	ABC News	Extreme Makeover	A Special Edition of Primetime	News (N)	News	Insider	Betty						
FOX	8	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	American Burgers	Simpsons	Cleve	Fam. Guy	American	KFOX News at Nine	Seinfeld	Mother	Office	Mother		
NBC	9	News	News	Dateline NBC	America's Got Talent	(In Stereo)	The Marriage Ref	News	Lopez	Nieman	Paid				
CW	14	Movie		Movie			Access Hollywood	Ugly Betty		Brothers & Sisters					
WGN	15	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	News	Replay	Monk		Monk					
ESPN	26	Baseball Tonight	MLB Baseball	New York Mets at San Francisco Giants	(Live)		SportsCenter	(N) (Live)		SportsCenter					
ESPN2	27	Minor League Baseball			NHRA Drag Racing	O'Reilly Auto Parts	Route 66 Nationals	X Games Classix		X Games Classix					
USA	31	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	In Plain Sight	(N)	White Collar		Law & Order: SVU	In Plain Sight					
TNT	32	(4:00) *** "Forrest Gump"	(1994)	Leverage	(N)		Falling Skies	(N)	Leverage		Falling Skies				
TBS	33	"Family That Preys"	"Why Did I Get Married Too?"		(:12) "Tyler Perry's Why Did I Get Married Too?"		(:45) "I Think I Love My Wife"								
COM	35	*** "Just Friends" (2005)		Jeff Dunham	Tosh.0	South Pk	Ugly	Futurama	Jon	(:33) *** "Scary Movie 4"					
LIFE	39	"The 19th Wife" (2010)	Chylar Leigh		Drop Dead Diva	(N)	The Protector		Drop Dead Diva	Chris	Chris				
FOOD	40	Food Network Star	Challenge	Food Network Star	T. Cook	Diners	Extreme Chef		Food Network Star	T. Cook	Diners				
HGTV	41	My Yard	House H.	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Inspection	HGTV'd	Income	Holmes	Inspection	House	Hunters	
A&E	43	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	The Glades	(N)	The Glades		(:01) Criminal Minds	(:01) Criminal Minds					
HIST	44	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers	Swamp People		Modern Marvels		Ice Road Truckers	Ice Road Truckers					
TLC	45	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Lies and Power		Hoard-Buried		Lies and Power	Hoard-Buried					
DISC	47	Almost, Away	Secret Service	Seal Team 6	Killing bin Laden		Seal Team 6		Killing bin Laden	Secret Service					
ANPL	50	Finding Bigfoot	Whale Wars	Swamp Wars	(N)	Finding Bigfoot	(N)	Finding Bigfoot	Swamp Wars	Whale Wars					
FAM	51	"Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"		*** "Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix" (2007)			J. Osteen	Ed Young	Zola Lev	Paid					
DISN	52	Fish	Phineas	Good	Good	Random	ANT	Random	Good	Shake It	Random	ANT	Shake It	Shake It	
NICK	54	iCarly	iCarly	My Wife	My Wife	Lopez	Lopez	70s Show	70s Show	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	My Wife	My Wife	
AMC	57	"Batman Forever"	*** "Batman Begins" (2005, Action)	Christian Bale		*** "Batman Returns" (1992, Action)	Michael Keaton								
SVFY	59	"Indiana Jones and Crystal Skull"		(:01) *** "National Treasure: Book of Secrets"		Holly	Holly	Holly	Holly	Holly	Holly	Holly	Holly	Holly	
CNN	62	CNN Newsroom	CNN Presents	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom	CNN Presents	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom	CNN Presents	Piers Morgan	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	CNN Newsroom	
CNBC	63	Millions	Wall St.	Made-Millions	Trash Inc: The	CNBC Titans	60 Minutes on	American Greed	Porn: Business						
MSNBC	64	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary	Documentary					

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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	Business	PBS NewsHour	News	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	Abraham-Mary	Charlie Rose	(N)	World	T. Smiley				
CBS	3	CBS News	Jeopardy	Wheel	Mother	Mike	Two Men	Mike	Hawaii Five-0	News	Letterman	Late			
ABC	7	News (N)	ABC News	Ent	The Bachelorette	(N)	(In Stereo)	Extreme Makeover	News (N)	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live				
FOX	8	Simpsons	Mother	News	Two Men	MasterChef	MasterChef	(N)	KFOX News at Nine	Simpsons	Seinfeld	Entou	Curb		
NBC	9	News (N)	News	News	News	America's/Talent	Law Order: CI	Law & Order: LA	News (N)	Jay Leno	Late				
CW	14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	90210	Gossip Girl	The City	Punk'd	Cheaters	Law & Order: SVU	Access			
WGN	15	Funny Home Videos	Chris	Chris	Funny Home Videos	WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs	South Pk	South Pk	Entou	Curb			
ESPN	26	Baseball Tonight	(N)	2011 Home Run Derby	(N) (Live)		Softball		SportsCenter	(N)	Baseball Tonight	(N)	SportsCenter		
ESPN2	27	Football	NFL Live	The Fab Five			2010 Poker		2010 Poker	NFL Live	SportsNation	Home			
USA	31	NCIS "Ex-File"	NCIS "Chimera"	WWE Monday Night RAW	(N)		(:05) Suits		Law & Order: SVU	CSI: Crime Scene					
TNT	32	The Closer	The Closer	The Closer	Rizzoli & Isles		The Closer		Rizzoli & Isles	Falling Skies					
TBS	33	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Conan	Lopez Tonight	Conan				
COM	35	*** "Scary Movie 4"	(2006) Anna Farris	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Daily	Colbert	South Pk	South Pk	Futurama	Sunny		
LIFE	39	"Accused at 17"	"Born Bad" (2011)	Meredith Monroe	Vanished, Beth		Mother	Mother	Chris	Chris	Will	Will			
FOOD	40	Chopped	Unwrap	Candy	Diners	Diners	T. Cook	T. Cook	Challenge	Diners	Diners	T. Cook	T. Cook		
HGTV	41	Hunters	House	House	Hunters	Design Star	Room Cr.	Hunters	House	House H.	Design Star	Room Cr.	Hunters		
A&E	43	The First 48	Hoarders	Hoarders	Intervention	(N)	Intervention		(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders					
HIST	44	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	American Pickers	American Pickers	American	American	Pawn	Pawn	American Pickers	American Pickers			
TLC	45	Surprise Homecom	Cake	Cake	Cake	Cake	Surprise Homecom	Cake	Cake	Cake	Surprise Homecom	Surprise Homecom			
DISC	47	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild	Surviving the Cut	Man vs. Wild	Surviving the Cut	Man vs. Wild	Surviving the Cut	Man vs. Wild	Surviving the Cut	Man vs. Wild			
ANPL	50	Untamed and Uncut	Wild	Wild	I Shouldn't Be Alive	River Monsters	Wild	Wild	I Shouldn't Be Alive	River Monsters					
FAM	51	Secret-Teen	Secret-Teen	Switched at Birth	Secret-Teen	The 700 Club	Whose?	Whose?	Paid	Paid					
DISN	52	Good	Random	Shake It	Wizards	Phineas	Good	Vampire	Vampire	Good	Shake It	ANT	Wizards	Random	Good
NICK	54	iCarly	Sponge.	My Wife	My Wife	Lopez	Lopez	70s Show	70s Show	Lopez	Lopez	Lopez	George	Lopez	Lopez
AMC	57	(3:00) "True Lies"	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1"	(2003) Uma Thurman	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 2"	(2004, Action) Uma Thurman									
SVFY	59	"Nat'l Treasure"	Eureka "Liftoff" (N)	Warehouse 13	Alphas "Pilot"	Alphas "Pilot"							Eureka "Liftoff"		
CNN	62	John King, USA (N)	In the Arena	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper 360	(N)			Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper					
CNBC	63	The Kudlow Report	Ford: Rebuilding	Walt: The Man Behind the Myth	Mad Money				Walt: The Man Behind the Myth						
MSNBC	64	Hardball Matthews	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show	(N)			Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show					

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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	Business	PBS NewsHour	News	History Detectives	Frontline	POV Cambodia's Khmer Rouge	Charlie Rose	(N)	T. Smiley					
CBS	3	CBS News	Jeopardy	Wheel	NCIS	(DVS)	NCIS: Los Angeles	48 Hours Mystery	News	Letterman	Late				
ABC	7	News (N)	ABC News	Ent	Wipeout		Game Show	Combat Hospital	(N)	News (N)	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live			
FOX	8	KFOX News at Six	2011 MLB All-Star Game	From Chase Field in Phoenix	(N)	News	Two Men	Simpsons	Seinfeld	Entou	Curb				
NBC	9	News (N)	News	News	America's/Talent	America's Got Talent	(N Same-day Tape)	News (N)	Jay Leno	Late					
CW	14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	One Tree Hill	Hellcats	The City	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	SportsNation	(N)	Year/Quarterback	Year/Quarterback	SportsCenter	(N) (Live)		Baseball	SportsCenter	(N)			
ESPN2	27	Football	NFL Live	2010 Poker	2010 Poker	2010 World Series of Poker			NFL Live	SportsNation	NASCAR				
USA	31	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	White Collar	(N)	Covert Affairs	(N)	Necess. Rough	White Collar		Covert Affairs				
TNT	32	Law & Order	Rizzoli & Isles	Memphis Beat	(N)	HawthoRNe	(N)	Memphis Beat	HawthoRNe		Franklin & Bash				
TBS	33	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Office	Office	Office	Office	Conan	Lopez Tonight	Conan					
COM	35	Daily	Colbert	Kevin James	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Work.	Daily	Colbert	Tosh.0	Tosh.0	Futurama	Sunny	
LIFE	39	Pawn	Pawn	American Pickers	American Pickers	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Chris	Chris	Will	Will		
FOOD	40	Restaurant: Im.	Cupcake Wars	(N)	Chopped	Chopped	T. Cook	T. Cook	Chopped	Chopped					
HGTV	41	Hunters	House	First Pla.	First Pla.	Property	Property	House	Hunters	For Rent	Property	Property	House	Hunters	
A&E	43	The First 48	Hoarders	Hoarders	Intervention	(N)	Intervention		(:01) Hoarders	(:01) Hoarders					
HIST	44	Larry the Cable Guy	Larry the Cable Guy	Larry the Cable Guy	How the States	Stan Lee's	Larry the Cable Guy	Larry the Cable Guy	Larry the Cable Guy	Larry the Cable Guy					
TLC	45	Surprise Homecom	I Kid	I Kid	19 Kids	19 Kids	Couple	Couple	I Kid	I Kid	19 Kids	19 Kids	Couple	Couple	
DISC	47	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	(N)	After the Catch	(N)	Deadliest Catch	After the Catch	Deadliest Catch					
ANPL	50	Untamed and Uncut	Mutant Planet	The power of evolution.	(N)	Wild Amazon		Mutant Planet	The power of evolution.	Wild Amazon					
FAM	51	Pretty Little Liars	Pretty Little Liars	Nine Lives	Pretty Little Liars	The 700 Club	Whose?	Whose?	Paid	Paid					
DISN	52	Good	Random	Shake It	Wizards	Phineas	Good	Vampire	Vampire	Good	Shake It	ANT	Wizards	Random	Good
NICK	54	iCarly	Sponge.	My Wife	My Wife	Lopez	Lopez	70s Show	70s Show	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	
AMC	57	"Rambo Part II"	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1"	(2003) Uma Thurman	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 2"	(2004, Action) Uma Thurman									
SVFY	59	(4:30) *** "Total Recall" (1990)		*** "The Fifth Element" (1997)	Bruce Willis	*** "Total Recall" (1990)	Rachel Ticotin								
CNN	62	John King, USA (N)	In the Arena	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper 360	(N)			Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper					

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WEDNESDAY EVENING												JULY 13, 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	Nature	NOVA (In Stereo)	JM Cousteau	Charlie Rose (N)	World	T. Smiley					
CBS 3	CBS	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	Big Brother	Criminal Minds	CSI: Crime Scene	News	Letterman	Late					
ABC 7	News (N)	ABC	News (N)	Ent	Lucy	Middle	Family	Happy	Primetime Nightline	News (N)	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live			
FOX 8	14	Simpsons	Mother	News	Two Men	So You Think You Can	Dance	KFOX News at Nine	Simpsons	Seinfeld	Entou	Curb			
NBC 9	9	News (N)	News (N)	News	Minute to Win It (N)	America's Talent	Love in the Wild (N)	News (N)	Jay Leno	Late					
CW 14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	Top Model	Top Model	The City	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	2011 ESPY's Countdown (N) (Live)	2011 ESPY's (N) (Live)							SportsCenter (N)	2011 ESPY's					
ESPN2 27	Football	NFL Live	Soccer	Baseball	Tonight (N)	SportsCtr	Baseball	SportsNation	SportsCenter (N)	SportsCenter (N)					
USA 31	NCIS "Stakeout"	NCIS "Dog Tags"	Royal Pains (N)	Necess. Rough	Burn Notice	Royal Pains	Necess. Rough								
TNT 32	The Mentalist	The Mentalist	Franklin & Bash (N)	Bones	Block party.	Franklin & Bash	Leverage								
TBS 33	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Browns	Browns	Payne	Payne	Conan	Lopez Tonight	Conan						
COM 35	Daily	Colbert	Chap	Chap	South Pk	South Pk	Daily	Colbert	South Pk	Jon	Futurama	Sunny			
LIFE 39	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Rose	Rose	Dance Moms	Mother	Mother	Chris	Chris	Will	Will		
FOOD 40	Cupcake Wars	Chopped	Food Network Star	Restaurant: Im.	Diners	Diners	Food Network Star	Restaurant: Im.							
HGTV 41	Hunters	House	Property	Income	Income	Property	House	Hunters	Property	Property	Income	Property	House	Hunters	
A&E 43	The First 48	The First 48	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Family Jewels	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	
HIST 44	Modern Marvels	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American	Pawn	How the States	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	American Pickers	
TLC 45	To Be Announced	Hoard-Buried	Pregnant	Pregnant	Toddlers & Tiaras	Pregnant	Pregnant	Toddlers & Tiaras	Pregnant	Pregnant	Toddlers & Tiaras	Hoard-Buried			
DISC 47	Sons	Sons	Sons	Sons	Sons of Guns	One Man Army	Sons of Guns	One Man Army	Sons of Guns	One Man Army	Sons	Sons			
ANPL 50	Untamed and Uncut	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	I Shouldn't Be Alive	
FAM 51	Georgia	Melissa	Melissa	Georgia	** "Two Weeks Notice" (2002)	The 700 Club	Whose?	Whose?	Recovery	Paid					
DISN 52	Good	Random	Shake It	Wizards	Phineas	Good	Vampire	Vampire	ANT	Shake It	"Lemonade Mouth" (2011, Musical)				
NICK 54	iCarly	Sponge.	My Wife	My Wife	Lopez	Lopez	70s Show	70s Show	To Be Announced						
AMC 57	"From Dusk"	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	
SYFY 59	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters Inter.	Legend Quest	Ghost Hunters Inter.	Legend Quest	Alphas "Pilot"								
CNN 62	John King, USA (N)	In the Arena	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper 360 (N)	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper									
CNBC 63	The Kudlow Report	The Facebook	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	Mad Money	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	BMW: A Driv.	
MSNBC 64	Hardball Matthews	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show (N)	The Last Word	Rachel Maddow	The Ed Show								

THURSDAY EVENING												JULY 14, 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	Field	Globe Trekker	Fronteras	Wonders	Charlie Rose (N)	World	T. Smiley				
CBS 3	CBS	News	Jeopardy	Wheel	Big Bang	Rules	Big Brother	The Mentalist	News	Letterman	Late				
ABC 7	News (N)	ABC	News (N)	Ent	Wipeout	"All Stars"	Expedition Imp.	Rookie Blue (N)	News (N)	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live				
FOX 8	14	Simpsons	Mother	News	Two Men	So You Think	Glee	KFOX News at Nine	Simpsons	Seinfeld	Entou	Curb			
NBC 9	9	News (N)	News (N)	News	Commun	Parks	Office	30 Rock	Love Bites (N)	News (N)	Jay Leno	Late			
CW 14	Chris	Chris	Payne	Chris	The Vampire Diaries	Nikita "Phoenix"	The City	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	2011 British Open Golf Championship	Best of the First Round.	Baseball	Tonight (N)	SportsCenter (N)	Baseball	NFL Live	SportsCenter (N)							
ESPN2 27	2011 World Series of Poker Day 3, Part II.	WNBA Basketball: Storm at Silver Stars	2011 World Series of Poker Day 3, Part III.	From Las Vegas. (N)											
USA 31	NCIS "Recoil"	NCIS "About Face"	Burn Notice (N)	Suits (N)	Covert Affairs	Burn Notice	Suits								
TNT 32	Bones	Bones	Bones	Bones	CSI: NY Parts.	Franklin & Bash	Memphis Beat								
TBS 33	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	** "The Bucket List" (2007)	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Conan	Lopez Tonight	Conan							
COM 35	Daily	Colbert	South Pk	South Pk	Futurama	Futurama	Daily	Colbert	Futurama	Ugly	Futurama	Sunny			
LIFE 39	Pawn	Pawn	To Be Announced	Mother	Mother	Chris	Chris	Will	Will						
FOOD 40	24 Hour Rest. Battle	24 Hour Rest. Battle	Chopped	Extreme Chef (N)	Iron Chef America	Chopped	Extreme Chef								
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)	First 48: Missing	First 48: Missing	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48	(:01) The First 48	
HIST 44	Modern Marvels	Swamp People	Swamp People (N)	Ancient Aliens	Ancient Aliens	(:01) Swamp People	(:01) Swamp People	(:01) Swamp People	(:01) Swamp People	(:01) Swamp People	(:01) Swamp People	(:01) Swamp People	(:01) Swamp People	(:01) Swamp People	
TLC 45	Police Women	NY Ink	NY Ink	Tattoo School (N)	NY Ink (N)	Tattoo School	NY Ink	NY Ink	NY Ink	NY Ink	NY Ink	NY Ink	NY Ink	NY Ink	
DISC 47	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Seal Team 6	Surviving the Cut	Seal Team 6	Surviving the Cut	Seal Team 6	Surviving the Cut	Seal Team 6	Surviving the Cut	Deadliest Catch				
ANPL 50	Untamed and Uncut	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	
FAM 51	(4:00) *** "Dirty Dancing"	** "Overboard" (1987) Goldie Hawn, Kurt Russell.	The 700 Club	Whose?	Whose?	Paid	Paid								
DISN 52	Good	Random	Shake It	Wizards	Phineas	Good	Vampire	Vampire	Good	Random	"Sharpay's Fabulous"	Phineas			
NICK 54	iCarly	Sponge.	My Wife	My Wife	Lopez	Lopez	70s Show	70s Show	70s Show	70s Show	70s Show	70s Show	70s Show	70s Show	
AMC 57	(3:00) "Batman"	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	*** "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003) Uma Thurman.	
SYFY 59	(4:30) *** "Dawn of the Dead" (2004)	*** "The Bourne Ultimatum" (2007) Matt Damon.	*** "Dawn of the Dead" (2004) Sarah Polley.												
CNN 62	John King, USA (N)	In the Arena	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper 360 (N)	Piers Morgan	Anderson Cooper									
CNBC 63	The Kudlow Report	Supermarkets	CNBC Titans (N)	CNBC Titans	Mad Money	CNBC Titans	CNBC Titans	CNBC Titans	CNBC Titans	CNBC Titans	CNBC Titans	CNBC Titans	CNBC Titans	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](http://www.sudoku.com)

## LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS

**BEGINNER**

3	2	7	5	9	6	4	1	8
5	4	8	2	1	7	3	9	6
9	1	6	8	4	3	5	7	2
7	6	1	9	2	4	8	5	3
2	5	4	1	3	8	9	6	7
8	3	9	6	7	5	1	2	4
1	8	3	7	5	2	6	4	9
6	7	5	4	8	9	2	3	1
4	9	2	3	6	1	7	8	5

**CHALLENGER**

4	2	1	5	8	7	3	9	6
3	6	5	2	4	9	7	8	1
7	9	8	1	6	3	4	2	5
6	4	7	9	3	2	1	5	8
1	3	9	6	5	8	2	7	4
5	8	2	4	7	1	6	3	9
2	1	3	8	9	4	5	6	7
8	5	4	7	2	6	9	1	3
9	7	6	3	1	5	8	4	2

**EXPERT**

7	9	6	4	5	3	1	2	8
3	1	4	8	2	7	6	5	9
5	8	2	6	1	9	7	4	3
8	5	3						

# 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.

### YOUR COMPUTER

ENGLISH	SPANISH
TO BOOT	ARRANCAR
TO CLOSE	CERRAR
TO COPY	COPIAR
TO CUT	CORTAR
TO DELETE	BORRAR
TO DOUBLE-CLICK	HABER DOBLE CLIC
TO GO ONLINE	CONECTARSE
TO SAVE	GUARDAR
TO SCAN	ESCANEAR
TO SCREEN	EXAMINAR
TO SCROLL	DESPLAZARSE
TO SEARCH	BUSCAR

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 O O T O B H C R A E S O T C K  
 C O O N O E S R A T C E N O C  
 L B S A R Z A R S O T X T P I  
 O O A C R A C N A R R A O I L  
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 L R A C I G U A R D A R L R U  
 E E C O K D O B L E C T O O O  
 D E S P L A Z A R S E O R C D  
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## Crossword Puzzles

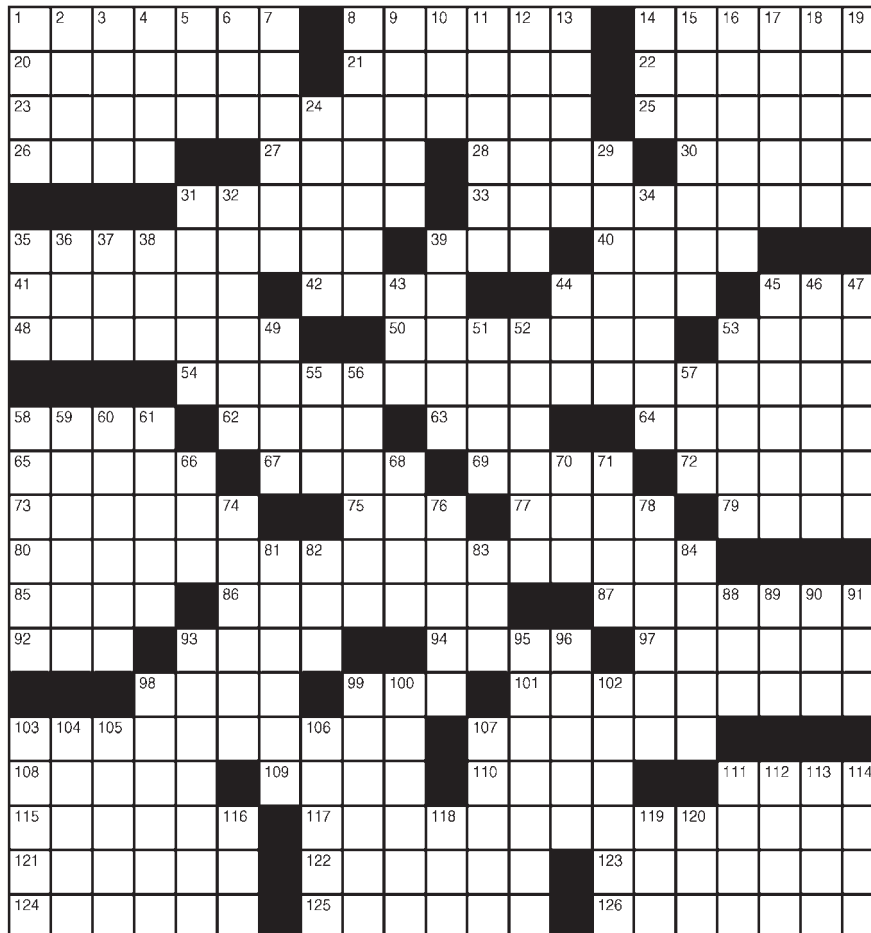
### Diagramless, 21 x 21

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.

- ACROSS**
- 1 Programming language
  - 4 Nixon has two
  - 7 Brand spankin'
  - 10 Saloon
  - 11 Check over
  - 12 Pride
  - 13 Political group
  - 15 Inspiration
  - 16 "National Treasure" star
  - 17 Each one
  - 19 Go down
  - 20 LL Cool J genre
  - 21 Native of Mogadishu
  - 23 Special sense, abbr.
  - 24 Assistance
  - 25 Alsatian
  - 32 Temperamental
  - 33 Traditional beliefs
  - 34 Christmas carol
  - 35 Drum or ring?
  - 36 Arrogant person
  - 38 Polish the floor
  - 39 Jotted down
  - 41 Orchid arrangement
  - 42 Watchman
  - 44 '60s and '70s rock band
  - 45 Eatery
  - 48 Send back facilitator
  - 49 Mislead
  - 51 Nasty dogs
  - 52 Scout's quality
  - 54 Position summary
  - 59 Secure
  - 60 Sentence starter
  - 61 Serve as a go-between
  - 65 Portly
  - 66 Can be prime....
  - 67 Fluffy things in the dryer
  - 68 Paper stack
  - 70 Hirobumi \_\_\_\_\_, Japanese statesman
  - 71 Tire problem
  - 72 Curve type
  - 73 Dove call
  - 74 Gone by days
  - 75 Old pistol
  - 76 It's like dynamite
  - 77 Sure enough!
- DOWN**
- 1 Clergymen, French term
  - 2 Bunch of shots
  - 3 Introduction
  - 4 Cleverly escapes
  - 5 Fairly recent
  - 6 Vast plain
  - 7 Tide type
  - 8 Oval object
  - 9 Trouble
  - 14 Rugged rock
  - 16 Immoral character
  - 18 Scientists say this was the universe's initial substance
  - 20 Offload
  - 22 Fence material
  - 24 Nirvana song "Come as you \_\_\_\_"
  - 26 Field noises
  - 27 Red Sea city
  - 28 Synthetic fiber
  - 29 Talk for a client
  - 30 Fool
  - 31 Botch
  - 37 Soft, roundish lump
  - 38 Unusual
  - 40 Brew
  - 42 High flyers
  - 43 New \_\_\_\_\_, in India
  - 44 Ground surrounding a house
  - 46 Out of the \_\_\_\_\_ (not in the know)
  - 47 "\_\_\_\_ She Lovely", Wonder song
  - 48 Hero sandwich
  - 50 Exhausting labor
  - 51 Portable bed
  - 53 Badger
  - 54 Powerful engine
  - 55 Closely enforced
  - 56 Ancient Greek tunic
  - 57 Get the computer going again
  - 58 Artless
  - 59 School of whales
  - 62 Decorate with fine materials set into a surface
  - 63 Place for showmanship
  - 64 Bar, legally
  - 65 True information
  - 68 Throw a red \_\_\_\_\_ to a bull!
  - 69 Big Band \_\_\_\_\_

### WHAT'S COOKING

- ACROSS**
- 1 Shout approval
  - 8 Aerie youngster
  - 14 Zero of Broadway
  - 20 Young or Swit
  - 21 Sustained note
  - 22 Speak mechanically
  - 23 Ideas to consume?
  - 25 East African country
  - 26 Protection grp. for pets
  - 27 Any time now
  - 28 Billfold bills
  - 30 Subatomic particle
  - 31 Hit the slopes
  - 33 Regain one's cool in the kitchen?
  - 35 Much to do in the dining room?
  - 39 \_\_\_\_\_ 'em, Fido!
  - 40 Additional conjunctions
  - 41 Queasiness
  - 42 Certain NCO
  - 44 World Series semis
  - 45 Rap-sheet letters
  - 48 Bees' finds
  - 50 Fabric with a slight sheen
  - 53 Way of old Rome
  - 54 Chef's doomed instructions?
  - 58 French cleric
  - 62 Yellowtail or albacore
  - 63 Opponent
  - 64 Lancelot's lady
  - 65 Brave feats
  - 67 Fifth of MMMDV
  - 69 Future atty.'s exam
  - 72 Household gods of Rome
  - 73 Narrow back streets
  - 75 Muckracker journalist
  - 77 Rocky outcrop
  - 79 Sure thing
  - 80 Take in dinner conversation?
  - 85 Bad day for Caesar
  - 86 Resin used in plastics
  - 87 Associations of teams
  - 92 Two-time loser to D.D.E.
  - 93 Dog dogger
  - 94 Grade sch.
  - 97 Hypnotic state
  - 98 La Scala highlight
  - 99 Pres. Coolidge
  - 101 Dispense freely in the lunch line?
- DOWN**
- 103 Steamed on the stove?
  - 107 Rouses from sleep
  - 108 \_\_\_\_\_ Park, CO
  - 109 Dublin's country
  - 110 Tibetan priest
  - 111 LeSage's "Gil \_\_\_\_\_"
  - 115 Trousers
  - 117 Entree at a tribute?
  - 121 Askew
  - 122 Wound, as a fishing line
  - 123 Retired faculty members
  - 124 Netlike caps
  - 125 Bean and Welles
  - 126 Palindromic vehicle



- 38 D-Day craft
- 39 Office support
- 43 Verizon, formerly
- 44 Actor Beatty
- 45 Apparel
- 46 More incisive
- 47 Staunch
- 49 Gust of wind
- 51 Hoodwink
- 52 Soft-drink choice
- 53 Musician Hayes
- 55 End of a bus.?
- 56 Conciliate
- 57 Every one
- 58 Maine national park
- 59 Meteoric fireball
- 60 Protruding parts
- 61 Fencing tools
- 66 Part of CBS
- 68 False god
- 70 Gallery work
- 71 Kite part
- 74 Soviet dictator
- 76 "The Tempest" role
- 78 "Faust" poet
- 81 Glacial epoch
- 82 Gun lobby initials
- 83 Twice DLXXV
- 84 Nostril
- 88 Mobster's rod
- 89 One in Toledo
- 90 Old French coin
- 91 TV soundstage
- 93 Patted down
- 95 Blake or Ralph
- 96 Biscayne Bay city
- 98 One of The Furies
- 99 Walk of life
- 100 Simpson and Astaire
- 102 Boitano or Button
- 103 George and Edna
- 104 Singer K.T. \_\_\_\_\_
- 105 Aviator Balbo
- 106 Small-scale
- 107 Truman's V.P. Barkley
- 111 Cylinder diameter
- 112 Secular
- 113 Nora's dog
- 114 Mix up
- 116 '60s radical org.
- 118 "Do Ya" rockers
- 119 Vocalist Sumac
- 120 TiVo button

### LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS

#### Word Salsa

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

#### Diagramless

P O T A S H B L O T C H Y  
 V N E C K E D L I B E R I A  
 C O N T I N U O U N L A T C H  
 O R T E G A  
 B E G E T  
 E R R E D  
 A S S A Y  
 C H E E T A H S H E M E  
 T O U R N E D O S A I L  
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**LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:**  
 This is perfect! I am a nobody. Nobody is perfect. Therefore, I am perfect.

# AtTheMovies

## This film isn't a Crowne-ing achievement

### Result of Hanks' multi-tasking is not too shabby

Review by **David Edwards**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

My son flatly declared that he would rather see "Transformers: Dark of the Moon" than "Larry Crowne."

As bad as the two previous giant robot movies have been, his choice was clear. He does live in Chicago, and the Windy City is pretty much laid to waste in the latest megatron bomb from Michael Bay. He feels it is his civic duty to see his town get wrecked.

"Larry Crowne" looks like "the educated man's 'Billy Madison,' according to him, and there are some similarities I guess.

Older guy has to go back to school to take over his father's company/reinvent himself when he loses his job. One has to start completely over in elementary school and the other has to go to (community) college. That must be where he gets

the "educated" part of the equation. They do both end up having a thing for their teachers.

But "Larry Crowne" is in a way more simple and in another way has more depth than "Billy Madison." (Wait a minute – I am referring to an Adam Sandler movie as having depth?) Sorry Jordan. I know you like Billy. And after all, what 21-year-old would want to go see a film about some old toot losing his job, going to college for the first time, hanging around with a bunch of motor scooter fanatics and falling in love with his middle-aged, but still hot teacher?

I can't think of a single reason why I would recommend this movie to someone under 25. I even think the 40-something (and under) had a hard time relating to the aging Tom Hanks title character and were scoffing mightily at the romance angle of the movie, which Hanks co-wrote, directed and stars in. Me – not so much.

It is difficult to dislike Hanks and his friend/fellow performer Julia Roberts – they have both long ago proved to me they are more than just movie stars. They are believable actors well. The two have



Though Julia Roberts and Tom Hanks have good chemistry in "Larry Crowne," their characters keep the audience guessing.



Tom Hanks plays Larry Crowne, an employee at a big-box retailer who gets laid off because he never went to college.

a lovely ease and chemistry with each other.

So it isn't the performances in "Larry Crowne" that I found lacking.

I heard Hanks say that he and co-writer Nia Vardalos ("My Big Fat Greek Wedding") worked on the script for six years. Now, Hanks especially has been around the movie set enough times to know what makes a good script, so while the script isn't bad or even below average, it still left me wondering about a bit too much.

We know that Mercedes Tainot (not "Tie not") hates her job teaching at the community college. Why? She appears to be highly intelligent and knowledgeable – she teaches literature and communication courses. She is capable of inspiring her students. Is it because she hasn't been hired at a full-fledged university that she is so bitter and prone to having a big margarita each day after work?

Does she resent her husband

(Bryan Cranston of "Breaking Bad") because he has had two books published but hangs around the house looking at Internet porn and pretends to blog while she has had nothing published? Has she failed at this, too? We just don't know. It seems that all Larry has

to do to win her over is to give her a ride on his scooter – giving her a ride home after a fight with her husband and too much wine.

We do know more about Larry at least. He was in the Navy – a cook (excuse me, "culinary specialist") works at some giant Target/Home Depot-type chain and is laid off

because he never went to college. He is divorced and is upside-down in his mortgage. He is likeable and gets along with the other college "kids," especially Talia (Gugu Mbatha-Raw) who rather inexplicably takes him on as a project much to the jealous consternation of her boyfriend Dell Gordo. (Gordo? Really?) Wilmer Valderama doesn't look too fat to me.

We know pretty early that Larry is going to succeed in his classes – even economics taught by Dr.

Matsutani (a quirky performance by "Star Trek's" Mr. Sulu George Takei) – and that he is going to score high marks with the soon-to-be unmarried Mrs. Tainot. I think it's because he's a gentleman.

Some characters seem to be around for no real reason – Cedric the Entertainer as Lamar and Taraji P. Henson as his wife B'ella are Larry's across-the-street neighbors who have a daily elaborate yard sale despite Lamar having won half a million dollars on a game show. I guess someone wanted to give Pam Grier a job because she serves no purpose other than being Mercedes' across-the-hall colleague. That's right, Coffy became a college professor.

When Talia drops out of school to start a vintage thrift shop, it causes no flap whatsoever. I guess while college is right for Larry, it's OK for some people to give it up.

Still, we like and root for Larry in both school and love, and it's a very mild, entertaining movie. When I said it's more simple and deeper than "Billy Madison," I guess I meant to say it doesn't have to stoop to gimmicks like showing Hanks in a tiny school desk and the story is more real and reflective of a situation that actually happens quite often in our crazy times. It just doesn't make the effort to explore that in a more intellectually and emotionally satisfying way.

“ Still, we like and root for Larry in both school and love

... ”



Pop topic – talk about it for two minutes. How to write a more realistic screenplay. Ready? Go.

Grade  
**B**

**LARRY CROWNE**

Starring: Tom Hanks, Julia Roberts

Rated; PG-13

Running time: 99 minutes

Director: Tom Hanks



# AtTheMovies

# Picking the Flicks

Movie information from [www.rottentomatoes.com](http://www.rottentomatoes.com). Thumbs-up based on a 5-point scale.

<p><b>Bridesmaids</b>  <b>Rating:</b> R  <b>Plot Overview:</b> Picked as her best friend's maid of honor, lovelorn and broke Annie looks to bluff her way through the expensive and bizarre rituals with an oddball group of bridesmaids.  <b>Starring:</b> Kristen Wiig, Maya Rudolph  <b>Director:</b> Paul Feig</p> 	<p><b>Mr. Popper's Penguins</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG  <b>Plot Overview:</b> The life of a businessman begins to change after he inherits six penguins.  <b>Starring:</b> Jim Carrey, Carla Gugino  <b>Director:</b> Mark Waters</p> 
<p><b>Green Lantern</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG-13  <b>Plot Overview:</b> A test pilot is granted a mystical green ring that bestows him with otherworldly powers, as well as membership into an intergalactic squadron tasked with keeping peace within the universe.  <b>Starring:</b> Ryan Reynolds, Blake Lively  <b>Director:</b> Martin Campbell</p> 	<p><b>Cars 2</b>  <b>Rating:</b> G  <b>Plot Overview:</b> Star race car Lightning McQueen and his pal Mater head overseas to compete in the World Grand Prix race.  <b>Starring:</b> Owen Wilson, Larry the Cable Guy  <b>Director:</b> John Lasseter, Brad Lewis</p> 
<p><b>Kung Fu Panda 2</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG  <b>Plot Overview:</b> Po joins forces with a group of new kung-fu masters to take on an old enemy with a deadly new weapon.  <b>Starring:</b> Jack Black, Angelina Jolie  <b>Director:</b> Jennifer Yuh</p> 	<p><b>Transformers: Dark of the Moon</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG-13  <b>Plot Overview:</b> The Autobots learn of a Cybertronian spacecraft hidden on the moon, and race against the Decepticons to reach it and to learn its secrets.  <b>Starring:</b> Shia LaBeouf  <b>Director:</b> Michael Bay</p> 
<p><b>The Hangover Part II</b>  <b>Rating:</b> R  <b>Plot Overview:</b> Right after the bachelor party in Las Vegas, Phil, Stu, Alan and Doug jet to Thailand for Stu's wedding. Stu's plan for a subdued pre-wedding brunch, however, goes seriously awry.  <b>Starring:</b> Bradley Cooper, Zach Galifianakis  <b>Director:</b> Todd Phillips</p> 	<p><b>Larry Crowne</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG-13  <b>Plot Overview:</b> After losing his job, a middle-aged man reinvents himself by going back to college.  <b>Starring:</b> Tom Hanks, Julia Roberts  <b>Director:</b> Tom Hanks</p> 
<p><b>Fast Five</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG-13  <b>Plot Overview:</b> Dominic and his crew find themselves on the wrong side of the law once again as they try to switch lanes between a ruthless drug lord and a relentless federal agent.  <b>Starring:</b> Vin Diesel, Paul Walker  <b>Director:</b> Justin Lin</p> 	<p><b>Super 8</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG-13  <b>Plot Overview:</b> After witnessing a mysterious train crash, a group of friends in the summer of 1979 begin noticing strange happenings going around in their small town.  <b>Starring:</b> Elle Fanning, Amanda Michalka  <b>Director:</b> J.J. Abrams</p> 
<p><b>Water for Elephants</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG-13  <b>Plot Overview:</b> A veterinary student abandons his studies after his parents are killed and joins a traveling circus as their vet.  <b>Starring:</b> Robert Pattinson, Reese Witherspoon  <b>Director:</b> Francis Lawrence</p> 	<p><b>Bad Teacher</b>  <b>Rating:</b> R  <b>Plot Overview:</b> A foul-mouthed, junior high teacher who, after being dumped by her sugar daddy, begins to woo a colleague – a move that pits her against a well-loved teacher.  <b>Starring:</b> Cameron Diaz, Jason Segel  <b>Director:</b> Jake Kasdan</p> 
<p><b>X-Men: First Class</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG-13  <b>Plot Overview:</b> In 1963, Charles Xavier starts up a school and later a team of humans with superhuman abilities.  <b>Starring:</b> James McAvoy, Michael Fassbender  <b>Director:</b> Matthew Vaughn</p> 	<p><b>Monte Carlo</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG  <b>Plot Overview:</b> Three young women vacationing in Paris find themselves whisked away to Monte Carlo after one of the girls is mistaken for a British heiress.  <b>Starring:</b> Selena Gomez, Lighton Meester  <b>Director:</b> Thomas Bezucha</p> 
<p><b>Horrible Bosses</b>  <b>Rating:</b> R  <b>Plot Overview:</b> 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.  <b>Starring:</b> Jason Bateman, Kevin Spacey  <b>Director:</b> Seth Gordon  <b>OPENING FRIDAY, JULY 8</b></p> 	<p><b>Zookeeper</b>  <b>Rating:</b> PG  <b>Plot Overview:</b> The animals at the Franklin Park Zoo try to keep their caretaker from finding a more glamorous job and reveal their biggest secret – they can talk.  <b>Starring:</b> Kevin James  <b>Director:</b> Frank Coraci  <b>OPENING FRIDAY, JULY 8</b></p> 

## New this week on DVD Tuesday, July 12

- Rango**  
**Rating:** PG  
**Genre:** Comedy, Family  
**Starring:** Johnny Depp, Abigail Breslin  
**Director:** Gore Verbinski
- The Lincoln Lawyer**  
**Rating:** R  
**Genre:** Drama, Crime  
**Starring:** Matthew McConaughey, Ryan Phillippe  
**Director:** Brad Furman
- Insidious**  
**Rating:** PG-13  
**Genre:** Horror, Suspense  
**Starring:** Patrick Wilson, Rose Byrne  
**Director:** James Wan
- Arthur**  
**Rating:** PG-13  
**Genre:** Comedy  
**Starring:** Russell Brand, Helen Mirren  
**Director:** Jason Winer
- Miral**  
**Rating:** PG-13  
**Genre:** Drama  
**Starring:** Freida Pinto, Willem Dafoe  
**Director:** Julian Schnabel

## Top Grossing July 1-3

- Transformers: Dark of the Moon** (Week No. 1)  
**\$97,500,000**
- Cars 2** (Week No. 2)  
**\$26,170,000**
- Bad Teacher** (Week No. 2)  
**\$14,500,000**
- Larry Crowne** (Week No. 1)  
**\$13,111,000**
- Super 8** (Week No. 4)  
**\$7,820,000**
- Monte Carlo** (Week No. 1)  
**\$7,425,000**
- Green Lantern** (Week No. 3)  
**\$6,520,000**
- Mr. Popper's Penguins** (Week No. 3)  
**\$5,450,000**
- Bridesmaids** (Week No. 8)  
**\$3,653,000**
- Midnight in Paris** (Week No. 7)  
**\$3,566,000**

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# Call to Artists

## DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS

The Calavera Coalition is looking for artists to submit original artwork for the 2011 Día de los Muertos on the Mesilla Plaza official T-shirt and poster design.

Artists of all ages and regions are eligible, and all work submitted for consideration must reflect the spirit and celebration of El Día de los Muertos. The artwork must be in a black and white format, and artists are encouraged to

work in a variety of media with the understanding that their work must be easily converted for screen printing.

The winner will receive one free booth space for Mesilla's Día de los Muertos on the Plaza 2011, valued at \$175. Entries should be submitted on a CD or through email as JPEG or PDF files. Files must be accompanied by a list detailing artwork title, size, a brief description, artist's name, email address, mailing address and phone number.

Digital files can be emailed

to calaveracoalition@q.com. CDs can be mailed to P.O. Box 1308, Mesilla, NM 88046. The Calavera Coalition is a nonprofit organization and all proceeds from T-shirt sales will be donated to charity.

## 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 Aug. 31 by visiting [www.artsinternat.com](http://www.artsinternat.com), where an online registration and prospectus can be submitted. For more information, call the

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EPAA office at 915-534-7377.

## 516 ARTS

In the fall of 2012, a group of New Mexico and regional organizations will present ISEA2012 Albuquerque: Machine Wilderness, a symposium and season-long series of public events exploring the discourse of global proportions on the subject of art, technology and nature. The prestigious ISEA symposium is held every year in a different location around the world, and it is an international honor for Albuquerque to be selected as the first host city in the U.S. since 2006. This project will draw a wealth of leading creative minds from

around the globe, and engage our local community through in-depth partnerships. The ISEA2012 symposium will consist of a conference based in Albuquerque (Sept. 19-24, 2012), a multi-site exhibition at The Albuquerque Museum and 516 ARTS (Sept. 20, 2012-Jan. 6, 2013), and an expansive, regional collaboration throughout the fall of 2012, including art exhibitions, public events, performances and educational activities. ISEA2012 is seeking proposals from exhibition artists and conference presenters. To apply, visit [www.isea2012.org](http://www.isea2012.org). For more information, email [info@isea2012.org](mailto:info@isea2012.org)

## ROKOKO ART GALLERY

The Rokoko Art Gallery in Mesilla is having an art opening, "Celebrate Summer, Salute the Snake" from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, July 8. The gallery is looking for artists to participate in the show by creating their own interpretation of the snake. The entry fee is \$15. For more information, call 405-8877.

## RAILYARD ARTS PILOT PROJECT

The Railyard Arts Committee is accepting applications for temporary public artworks to be installed in designated areas on the Railyard Park + Plaza in Santa Fe. The Railyard is a "cohesive urban art environment," designed and intended as a "work of art in itself." Artists, organizations and collaborative, creative teams are encouraged to propose projects, particularly those that respond to the landscape of

## Friday, July 8, 2011

the Railyard Park + Plaza and that emphasize community engagement and participation. Collaborations across disciplines of artists, scientists, historians, sociologists, etc. are especially encouraged, and various art forms from visual to performing arts are welcome. Projects will be temporary in nature and must be able to be installed and removed from the Railyard within a six-month period. For more information, visit [www.railyardpark.org/programs/railyard-art-project](http://www.railyardpark.org/programs/railyard-art-project).

## 'THE 39 STEPS' AUDITIONS

No Strings Theatre will hold auditions for "The 39 Steps" at 7 p.m. Sunday, July 31, at the Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main St. The play is adapted by Patrick Barlow from the novel by John Buchan, the movie of Alfred Hitchcock and an original concept by Simon Corbie and Nobby Dimon, and will be directed by NSTC's Artistic Director Ceil Herman.

Needed are three men (ages mid-20s and up) and one woman (mid-20s to mid-40s). Two of the men and the woman will be playing multiple roles.

Auditions will be cold readings from the script. A perusal copy of the script is on reserve at the Branigan Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave.

The scheduled production dates for "The 39 Steps" are Sept. 16-Oct. 2 with the possibility of extending a fourth weekend to Oct. 9 if audience response warrants. For more information, contact Herman at 523-1223 or [nstcbt@zianet.com](mailto:nstcbt@zianet.com).

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## Art in Las Cruces



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Home to Mesilla Valley Satellites and Verizon Wireless, the building at 900 N. Main St. features a tribal dancer depicted through colorful tiles on the side of the building.

## A time to heal?

**Natisha Hales**

*Adventures  
in Dieting*



As of Tuesday, July 5, it had been eight weeks since I had undergone a major surgery. To think that just two months ago, I was barely able to walk and severely anemic, I am amazed at the recovery I have made.

After week one, I was ready to drive. Week two, I went grocery shopping – at Walmart. By week three, I was ready to go back to work. I wasn't cleared to go back to work yet, so I didn't, but I promise you, I was ready.

No one believed me. Everyone was convinced I was going to be exhausted. "Give your body time to heal," they told me, all while I was thinking, "How much more time could my body possibly need?"

The answer: A lot more than I thought.

After week four, my doctor cleared me for work – as long as I didn't lift more than 15 pounds – and light exercise, as in a stationary bike and elliptical machine. After six weeks, he cleared me for lifting and full-body workouts.

I returned to work in the thick of our "Life is Good in Las Cruces" community guide. With my history of non-compliance, of course, I didn't listen to my boss when he told me to go home at 5 p.m. The whole office worked a pretty long week, and, as a result, the magazine is amazing.

The following week – last week, or seven weeks after surgery – I started to go to the gym. I had never been so excited to go. I even got up at 5 a.m. to make it there by 5:30. Although I was cleared for everything, I took it slowly at first, 30 minutes on a stationary bike, burning just under 60 calories, and very light weights, as in 3-pound dumbbells. On Tuesday, I moved up to the treadmill and walked for 30 more minutes, burning almost 200 calories. Wednesday? The same thing. I was proud of myself for getting back in the swing of things.

By the time my alarm went off Thursday morning, I felt like I was drowning. I could hear the ringing in the distance, but I couldn't shake myself out of sleep. I fell right back asleep and woke up just in time to be 15 minutes late for work.

Within half an hour, I felt like a sack of laundry, bulky and useless, and I asked to go home. I don't think I was awake for more than four hours the entire day, and I still was able to sleep through the night.

I was a little nervous that I had overdone it, pulled a muscle or staple I was unaware of, but the response from my complaint was typical.

"Your body is still healing," I was told. "You're going to be sore, and you're going to feel pain. It takes a lot of energy for your body to fix what it just went through."

And when you think you know better, your body will set you straight.

*Who's ready for another weight loss challenge? Email me at natisha@lascrucesbulletin.com.*

## It's no walk in the park

### Hiking can be fun, but dangerous too

By **Natisha Hales**

Las Cruces Bulletin

As the summer progresses, it's only natural for people to want to spend as much time as possible outdoors. For many in the area, the summer is a time to learn more about the desert that engulfs the Mesilla Valley and the animals that reside in it.

Perhaps the best way to get up close and personal with the region's flora and fauna is to hike through it, and the area offers hundreds of breathtaking views with easy hiking trails. However easy the trail, hikers should be prepared for their trip outdoors, starting with their clothes.

"Dress appropriately," said Paula Bowman, who volunteers at the Dripping Springs Natural Area visitor center with her husband, "and by that I mean a hat and a short- or long-sleeved shirt, depending on your skin, but make sure you have something to cover up with."

Though the weather seems to call for tank tops, shorts and flip-flops, a trek through the desert calls for almost the opposite. Covering up the skin with a hat and long-sleeved shirt, Bowman said, protects skin from the sun. While wearing pants instead of shorts may serve the same purpose, the extra clothing also protect legs from getting scratched by any "bushwhacking" that may be done while hiking through the desert. Hiking boots or sneakers are a must, said Bowman, who hikes with her husband whenever they get the chance.

"I see people do (the hiking trail) in flip-flops, which I would never do," she said.

Offering a "relatively easy" trail that winds for three miles round trip, Dripping Springs Natural Area doesn't offer as many perils as



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Niki Rhynes

**When hiking in the desert during the summer months, it's important to dress appropriately, with hiking boots, a light-colored, long-sleeved shirt and long pants. Also, bring plenty of water with you.**

hiking through the rough terrain on your own. However, once the sun hits, heatstroke can take over, if not prepared.

"For our trail, 20 ounces or a liter of liquid would suffice, but it's always good to have as much water as you feel comfortable," Bowman said. "We do have water here at the visitor center, but once you go on the trail, there's no liquid available."

To escape the heat, Bowman said to go as early as possible, or even take an umbrella to

"carry your own shade with you."

Even if you're well-prepared to beat the heat from the glaring sun, walking the unfamiliar, rough terrain may require the use of a walking stick for extra footing. Bowman recommends one, no matter the hiker's age.

The summer months also see more activity from the area's wildlife.

"Because it is summer, all of the cold-blooded creatures, such as snakes, are awake

See **Hiking** on page D2

## Slowly overcoming obstacles

### Free parenting classes assist with stressful situations

By **Natisha Hales**

Las Cruces Bulletin

No matter how many children you have or how long you have been a parent, raising children is not an easy task, and each child, despite how hard you try, comes out differently.

In a program through the Child Crisis Center, Circle of Security parenting classes can help parents find alternatives to dealing with stressful situations that could lead to violence against children. The program was in the works as the crisis center was being built, and its first class starting Wednesday, June 29.

"It's giving the parents the resources and the tools to be able to handle raising children," said Bernadine Dallago, child crisis coordinator. "Children don't come with an instruction guide."

The eight-week class includes a curriculum that builds up week after week. New students are being accepted through the third week – Wednesday, July 13. After the third week, however, interested parents will have to wait until the next class, which begins Wednesday, Aug. 31.

The class is instructed by Stacy Clark, who runs the Sexual Assault Nursing Examiner Unit at La Piñon Sexual Assault Recovery Services of Southern New Mexico. Clark, who has a degree in social work, said she volunteered to teach the class to help the child crisis center.

"With any parent, there's always more to learn," she said. "The more education that you can receive, it just gives you more of a basis for why you do what you do."

When the class started, there

were just two parents, but the class was well-received.

"The response was very good," Clark said. "The good part about having only two parents is that it gave us time to be interactive and express what they felt about the class. They were able to open up and talk about that. (If there is a higher response in the coming weeks) I would like to keep it to a class of 10, so that we can still have that interaction."

The course itself is evidence-based, meaning the people who produced the curriculum had to show years of research in order for it to be approved. The class is voluntary, Clark said, although a certificate of completion may satisfy the requirements of a court-ordered class.

But above that, it helps parents – and children – have an alternative to a potentially dangerous

situation.

"It was part of a program we wanted to do from the beginning," Dallago said. "We don't want parents coming and having a timeout. Our objectives were to keep providing them with the resources."

The crisis center offers a safe place for children whose parents need a "time out," in order to prevent a situation of child abuse.

"We're working with children (at the center) on how to redirect behavior, and we want to follow through with the parents," Dallago said. "We can't correct one side without correcting the other. It goes both ways."

For parents who may not have access to day care during the hour the parenting class is held, Clark said child care is provided at no cost. For more information about the class, call 525-1277.

# Garage sale to offer printers, desks, clothing and much more

## NAMI seeks to educate and provide support for mentally ill

By **Jimmy Currier**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

Mental illness is a serious medical issue affecting one in four families. To help convey the message of mental health, the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) was created. The organization is dedicated to improving the lives of individuals and families affected by mental illness.

NAMI has three goals, according to NAMI-DAC (Doña Ana County) president Pam Field, which are advocacy, education and support.

Field, a psychiatrist nurse, has been involved with NAMI off and on since the early '90s and was recently elected president of the NAMI-DAC chapter. She said NAMI is an important organization that is needed for not only those suffering with mental illnesses, but also their family members.

"We're trying to build in all those areas, and we want to be supportive with their family members and provide education to the community," she said. "We want to increase our advocacy in the legislature and start to have an increased force and the only way to achieve it is if we increase our fundraising and become more visible through our membership. We want to achieve these goals and become a more vibrant organization."

There's a shortage of mental health care and support, according to Field, which would enable people to live independently.

For the long term, she is working on NAMI to have an increased voice in the community and to be involved in the political process. In the short term, Field is busy working on fundraising and increasing membership.

To help accomplish the goal of raising funds, NAMI is hosting a garage sale at 7 a.m. Saturday, July 9, at 314 Torrinno Road. Items for sale include office furniture, a wooden table and chairs, printers, small household items, some clothing and metal desks.

The money will also go toward paying bills and build money for a new place to meet. NAMI-DAC currently meets at 225 Idaho No. 35 and uses the house at 314 Torrinno Road for storage.

"We're not using it for a meeting place and it wasn't feasible to use because membership dropped," Field said.

She doesn't have an accurate roster count, but said it ranges from 10 to 40.

NAMI-DAC normally meets at 6:30 p.m. the third Tuesday of the month, with support groups meeting at 6:30 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays.

NAMI New Mexico held a fundraising walk in May, which raised more than \$100,000. NAMI-DAC raised the most money – \$8,660.80.

It's not always easy to recognize the symptoms of mental illness, but NAMI can help individuals be more astute to the problem with its family-to-family program. This is a 12-week class offered in September, which offers information on the five major illnesses of schizophrenia, depression, bipolar disorder, panic disorder and anxiety. The class updates participants with information about medications, side effects and strategies for medication adherence as well as current research related to the biology of brain disorders and the evidence-based, most effective treatments to promote recovery. In addition to the educational component, participants will also gain empathy by understanding the subjective, lived experience of a person with mental illness.

Field believes there is still a stigma for those suffering with mental illness.

"I think the incident that happened in Tucson (Ariz.) (Jared Loughner killing six people and seriously injuring Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords) and the things written after that about Loughner – the person found mentally ill – really demonstrates that and some of the things I read on the Internet were not very positive and understanding of what mental illness is," she said. "People think mentally ill people are violent. Sometimes it's true and sometimes it isn't."

## Hiking

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and functioning," Bowman said. "As long as you stay on the trail, you're not going to have a problem, but snakes have been spotted, usually on a rock sunning themselves. If you don't bother them, they won't bother you, but if you do get bitten, get down to the hospital as soon as possible."

Along with snakes, there are plenty of bugs in the area, including the state insect, the tarantula wasp, that can pose a threat to hikers if they are cornered.

Though Bowman said the wasp is lovely to look at and is fairly docile, its sting brings an excruciating pain.

"You won't die from it, but you might wish you did," she said.

Throughout the area, hikers can catch a glimpse of mule deer,

rabbits and lizards. On rare occasions, Bowman said, cougars and javelinas have been spotted.

"They're usually across a ridge, way far away," she said. "Most of the animals, the minute they see you, they disappear. Man seems to dominate, but this is their home. We're the intruders."

This season, respecting the wildlife of the area is even more important. Since the area has been extremely dry, a single spark can lead to a wildfire that can engulf thousands of acres. Therefore, Bowman said, there are no fires allowed of any kind. There is no smoking allowed, and fireworks have been banned. The only use allowed is lighting charcoal in grills of designated picnic areas.

Managed by the Bureau of Land Management, Dripping Springs is one of several recreational areas that provide hiking opportunities. For more information, call the BLM at 525-4300.



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Niki Rhynes

The "relatively easy" trail at Dripping Springs Natural Area includes stunning views of rock formations.

## Health Briefs

### Tracey-Hosa elected to advisory committee

Las Cruces Louise Tracey-Hosa is one of three new members elected to the Con Alma Health Foundation statewide Community Advisory Committee (CAC).

"The Community Advisory Committee, Board of Trustees, and staff are happy to welcome new volunteers that represent Carlsbad, Bloomfield/Farmington and Las Cruces areas. The Foundation's Community Advisory Committee is critical to our commitment to include community voices in grant making and program initiatives that work to improve health for all New Mexicans," said Dolores E. Roybal, CAHF executive director.

Tracey-Hosa is retired from Con Alma Health Foundation after serving as Southern Outreach Coordinator. For 11 years, she was executive director of La Piñon Sexual Assault Recovery Services. She is currently a member of the Doña Ana County Health Alliance, and current president of the Doña Ana County Humane Society.

Beverly Allen, a field representative for U.S. Sen. Tom Udall, based in Carlsbad and covering southeast New Mexico, and Pamela Drake, CEO for the San Juan County Partnership in the Farmington area, were also elected to the committee.

### Morales named MMC's July Shining Star



MORALES

Dolores Morales was recognized as Memorial Medical Center's Shining Star for the month of July. For more than 13 years, Morales has been serving in the Health Information Management department of MMC. As a physician liaison, Morales supports the physicians by overseeing medical records and ensuring they are accurate and complete.

"Dolores is extremely polite, energetic and outgoing. She is always willing to help all MMC Team Members and physicians,"

said Sandra Saunders, director and privacy officer for MMC's Health Information Management department.

As MMC makes the shift to electronic medical records, Morales will be imperative to the success of the transition.

The Shining Star of the Month is nominated by peers and supervisors based on a team member's commitment to excellence and contribution to MMC's vision of being the hospital where patients choose to come for care, physicians want to practice and team members want to work.

### Visibility Ride is July 11

The next Share the Road Las Cruces Visibility Ride will meet at 7:05 a.m. Monday, July 11, at the Las Cruces Railroad Museum, 351 N. Mesilla St.

The Share the Road Visibility Ride was developed to build awareness that cyclist and motorist can share the road safely and commuting to work on a bicycle is a viable transportation choice. Commuting by bicycle has multiple benefits for cyclists by saving money, cutting down on carbon dioxide emissions, burning calories and helping to keep you fit and stress free.

The ride is a real-life, real-time demonstration of how bicyclists can ride with traffic safely. Participants bicycle together once a month to help raise awareness among motorists of the presence of cyclists, of motorists' ability to share the road safely with cyclists and of how cyclists behave while driving in traffic.

The group will depart from the Las Cruces Railroad Museum at 7:15 a.m. and will meet for coffee at Starbucks on the corner of University Avenue and Espina Street at 7:45 a.m. Those interested in attending are asked to follow the rules of the road and wear helmets.



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# Healthy Happenings



## TOPS MEETING CHAPTER 381

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 381 is open to new members of all ages at its Thursday morning meetings, which start with a private weigh-in from 10 to 10:30 a.m. Weigh-ins are followed by group discussions of weight loss, dietary help and nutrition. The group meets at Trails West Senior Community Clubhouse, 1450 Avenida de Mesilla, in the Main Room. For more information, call 523-6240.

## 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](mailto:bridge@nmsu.edu).

## MEDITATION CLASSES

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.

## 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:** 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Mondays and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays

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. 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.

## 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.

## TRANSPLANT SUPPORT GROUP

The Southern New Mexico Transplant Support Group – TRIO meets from 6:30 to 8 p.m. the second Thursday of the month at MountainView

Regional Medical Center, 4311 E. Lohman Ave., in the conference room located on the right side at the entrance to the cafeteria. The group provides information and support to individuals who have lost a family member, donor family members, transplant recipients or individuals interested in receiving an organ transplant.

For more information, call Susan at 496-2627.

## 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, beginning July 4. Cost is \$3 per session or \$35 monthly. For more information or to register, contact Pam at 382-8218 or [sfuranfeathers@aol.com](mailto:sfuranfeathers@aol.com).

## 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.

## CROHN'S AND ULCERATIVE COLITIS SUPPORT GROUP

Crohn's and Ulcerative Colitis are collectively known as Irritable Bowel Disease or IBD. As many as 1 million Americans have IBD and both illnesses are similar. They are marked by an abnormal response by the body's immune system and include chronic inflammation of the intestines. There are no cures and management of the diseases includes medications, diet and surgery.

The Crohn's and Ulcerative Colitis support group meets from 3 to 5 p.m. the second Sunday of each month in the Community Education Room of Mountainview Regional Medical Center, 4311 E. Lohman Ave. The support group is sponsored by the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America ([www.cdfa.org](http://www.cdfa.org)).

For more information about the Crohn's and Colitis support group, call Jo Tice Bloom at 382-0722.

## 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](mailto:jleroy@q.com).

## YOGA CLASSES AT UU METHODIST

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](mailto:wildyoga@yahoo.com).

## 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.

## 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 Jardin 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\\_f\\_n@yahoo.com](mailto:karen_f_n@yahoo.com) or leave a message at 882-4943.

## TESERO CENTER LISTS EVENTS

The Tesero Integrative Health Center, 207 Avenida de Mesilla July events:

- **9 p.m. Friday, July 15:** Full Moon Yoga. The Full Moon Yoga ceremony is meant to honor the monthly phenomenon and reap the benefits. Louie Speaking Eagle is the guide. Cost is \$7 for non members, \$5 for members.
  - **1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, July 16:** Free Reiki Share. Open to all levels and lineages of Reiki practitioners, and the general public interested in learning about Reiki.
  - **6:30 p.m. Saturday, July 16:** Full Moon Drumming. With Yolanda Martinez, master drummer and Grammy winner. July is Thunder Moon. Bring drums, rattles and musical instruments. \$5 donation.
  - **6:30 p.m. Saturday, July 30:** Women's Moon Lodge Circle. With Yolanda Martinez. Cost is \$8.
  - **8 p.m. Saturdays, July 9, 23 and 30:** Yoga under the Stars. With Louie Speaking Eagle. Speaking Eagle yoga is a blend of Meso-American yoga and Hatha yoga from the East by Louie Speaking Eagle. Cost is \$7 for non-members and \$5 for members.
- For more information, call 652-0076.



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# Don't let diabetes ruin your summer barbecue

A good balance and knowledge are keys to enjoying any event

By **Jimmy Currier**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

Diabetics have enough to worry about with pricking their fingers and constantly monitoring their blood sugar. When friends and family are out having a good time at a barbecue, it's OK to partake and imbibe, just check with your physician or nutritionist first.

You don't have to swear off the potato salad or just stick with a diet soda. Keep in mind when choosing an adult beverage to make sure it isn't high in carbohydrates or calories. Alcohol makes the blood sugar drop, while sugary juices and mixes cause blood sugar to rise.

"Clear it with your physician because with certain medications you can't drink alcohol," said Charise Ellsworth, a local registered dietician and certified diabetes educator. "You have to eat while drinking and the alcohol, depending on what kind, will lower your blood sugar and you could have hyperglycemia if you're just drinking and not eating."

DLife, an online resource for those with diabetes, has the 411 on cocktails.

**Wine:** Both red and white wines contain about 3 to 4 grams of carbohydrates per 5-ounce glass. Here's another reason to celebrate, champagne and sparkling wine have only 1 gram of carbs per 4-ounce flute.

**Beer:** Perfect for the hot weather and drinking outdoors are the light beers. Michelob

Ultra has 2.6 carbs and Miller Lite comes in with 3.2 carbs. If you want a regional brew, go for the Coors Light, which has 5 carbs. Corona Light, a popular Mexican beer, also has only 5 carbs.

**Mixed drinks:** Be careful with prepared mixed drinks, because they are often loaded with sugars and carbohydrates. A Manhattan is a good choice, with only 3 grams of carbs per standard 3-ounce serving. A popular drink in the Mesilla Valley is the margarita, but make it the original way to have only 7.5 grams of carbohydrates. Just use tequila, orange liqueur and limejuice. Avoid cocktails such as a pina colada, which has 32 grams of carbs, a white Russian with 39.4 grams of carbs and even a cape cod has 17 grams of carbs.

No one just drinks at a barbecue, so you have to choose your food carefully. Don't eat a whole bowl of macaroni salad, but you don't have to pass on it either.

"Watch your portions and stick to a half a cup of something so you have more to choose from," Ellsworth said. "If you don't know what the ingredients are then ask. Don't assume you know what's in it. With something like baked beans, depending on who makes it, will have a lot of sugar in it."

Use moderation. Some folks at a barbecue like a hot dog, hamburger, potato salad, coleslaw, beer and dessert. While that may be good for some, and even some diabetics, it's best to have a game plan before heading out of the house.

"It depends on whether you're a man or a woman, whether or not you're trying to lose weight and whether or not you're on medication," Ellsworth said. "You should know before you go to an event how many vegetables and



When it comes to meals, those with diabetes can enjoy their favorite foods, as long as their meals are balanced with the right amount of greens, carbohydrates and protein.

fruits you should be eating, your weight goals and other health problems you may have."

It's summer and a lot of outdoor activities occur, such as swimming, hiking and backyard games. Diabetics should take extra precaution.

"When out in the sun, you really need to keep hydrated and want to avoid heat stroke," Ellsworth said. "You get dehydrated and sometimes it's the same kind of symptoms when blood sugar goes low so you should check your blood sugar more often if you're outside."

She also recommends wearing a bracelet identifying that you're diabetic and to carry a sugar source so you don't have an insulin reaction.

If you're looking for support or more information on diabetes, then call the Southern New Mexico Diabetes Outreach (SNMDO) at 522-0289. This organization has been serving Doña Ana, Catron, Grant, Hidalgo, Lincoln, Luna, Otero and Sierra counties since 1998. Local health professionals and other citizens who are dedicated to help prevent and manage diabetes formed the SNMDO in 1998. The group provides educational support groups, diabetes talks and screening services, free of charge.

The SNMDO can also get you a new set of wheels. The outreach group is hosting the Great Car Giveaway where participants have the chance to win a 2011 Toyota Yaris four-door sedan. Tickets are \$75 apiece and the drawing will take place at 2 p.m. Saturday, July 16, at Las Cruces Toyota, 935 S. Valley Drive.

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- 2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
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- 2 tablespoons Caribbean jerk seasoning
- 1 tablespoon peanut oil (or other vegetable oil)
- 1 tablespoon Dijon mustard
- 1 tablespoon fresh thyme, chopped
- 1/4 cup scallions or onions, chopped
- 2 tablespoons fresh ginger root, chopped
- 1/2 teaspoon poultry seasoning
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon ground red pepper (cayenne) (to taste)
- 1 pound boneless skinless chicken breasts (4 ounces each)

In shallow baking dish, combine lime juice, soy sauce, jerk seasoning, oil, mustard, thyme, scallions or onions, ginger, poultry seasoning, ground black pepper and ground red pepper. Add chicken, turning to coat completely. Cover and refrigerate for at least 4 hours, or up to 2 days. Coat grill rack with cooking spray and preheat grill to medium. Grill chicken, turning once, until it registers 160°F on an instant read thermometer and the juices run clear, approximately 5 to 8 minutes per side. (Recipe adapted from www.dlife.com.)

## Mediterranean Burger

- 1 pound ground beef, extra lean, raw
- 1 ounce roasted red peppers with brine, chopped
- 1 tablespoon oregano leaves, chopped
- 1 red onion, sliced
- 8 fresh spinach leaves
- 1 pinch salt (optional)
- 1 cup black pepper
- 1 cooking spray

In medium mixing bowl, blend meat, roasted red pepper and oregano with a fork. Form into 4 patties. Coat skillet or grill with cooking spray. Heat to medium. Cook burgers over medium-high, flipping burgers once, until juices run clear. Add salt and pepper to taste. Top with red onion and spinach. (Recipe adapted from www.dlife.com.)



# The Pet Review

## Shoo fly, don't bother me

### Fly control is important to livestock productivity

Bulletin Staff Report

Summertime is prime for an increased number of pesky bugs that can irritate humans, their pets and livestock. Flies are not only a source of irritation, but they can carry with them diseases that pose a huge hazard to animals.

Because it has been a dry season, there aren't as many flies or other insects that are drawn by moisture, but they are still around. The types of flies around the area are not just the common housefly.

"Stable flies, horse flies, black flies, deer flies, sand flies and biting midge flies – so many flies," said Dr. Glennon Mays, clinical associate professor at the Texas A&M College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences. "They all can bite your horse, draw blood and possibly cause allergic reactions. But there are control measures that can be put in place to decrease the fly population in your horse facilities."

When it comes to horses, stable flies are the most common summer pests. They feed on the blood of warm-blooded animals, piercing the skin and injecting saliva containing an anticoagulant that keeps the blood flowing.

"The female stable fly requires blood meals to produce viable eggs and surprisingly, eggs are deposited in decaying animal and plant waste, generally not in fresh manure," Mays said. "Fly larvae can develop in stable waste that is a combination of damp straw and manure, or under hay bales that are in contact with moist soil. In the warm summer, the entire life cycle from egg to adult can be completed in three to six weeks."

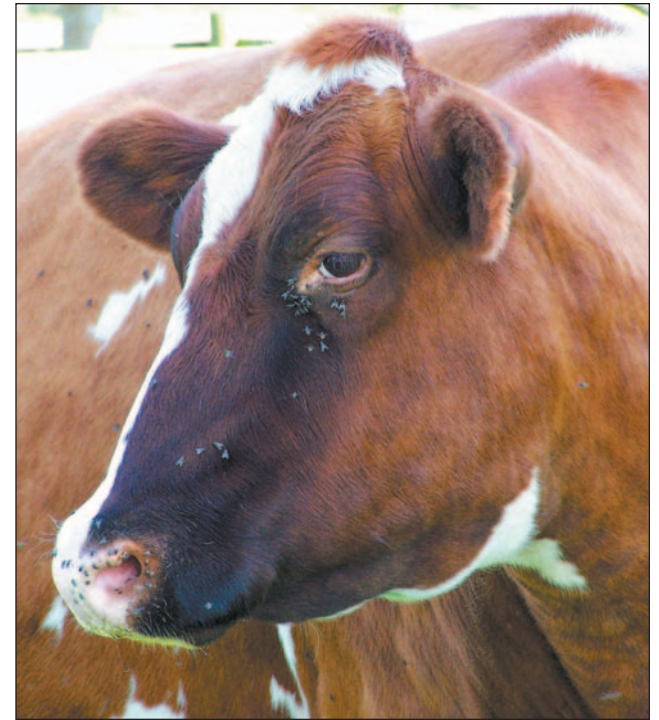
To reduce larvae development – which if undisturbed, can be in the millions – Mays suggests spreading manure and stable bedding regularly so that it will dry out as quickly as possible. Also, modify drainage areas so that excess water is eliminated.

A sound sanitation program is the first step needed to decrease stable fly populations at horse facilities.

"It will take a combination of controls to decrease stable fly numbers," he said. "You need to implement measures to decrease fly breeding and larvae hatching."

In addition to horses, flies can affect other livestock and can spread disease, such as anaplasmosis or pink eye. They can also be responsible for a tremendous amount of lost production in the form of decreased weight gain or lower milk yields in cattle. Rather than eating, cattle will spend time stomping and tail-swishing, lying down, standing in groups or in the middle of a stock pond.

When it comes to household pets, such as dogs, the bottom line is keep the dog's environment sanitary. Do not let waste build up in the yard, give your dog fresh water regularly and throw out any uneaten food as soon as possible. Reducing the areas for flies to breed and lay eggs should help reduce the population.



A fly problem doesn't just irritate livestock, it can lead to decreased production.

## Animal Resources

### ACTION Programs for Animals

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644-0505  
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  
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523-8020  
mail@hssnm.org  
www.hssnm.org

### Las Cruces Dog Park Coalition

P.O. Box 13345  
Las Cruces, NM 88013  
525-8694

### Safe Haven Animal Sanctuary

840-D El Paseo Road  
Las Cruces, NM 88001  
527-4544  
safehaven@nightfury.com  
www.safehavenanimalsanctuary.net

### Spay and Neuter Action Program

2405 W. Picacho Ave.  
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## Pet events

### Vaccination clinic

ACTion Programs for Animals (APA) is administering a low-cost dog and cat vaccination clinic from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, July 16, at the Blue Moon Bar, 13060 Highway 185 in Radium Springs. On a first-come, first-served basis while supplies last, rabies shots will be given for \$5 and cat/dog combo shots will be given for \$10. Other services available include heartworm preventative medication, \$10 for six months; de-worming for puppies and kittens, \$5; and a dog flea/tick dip provided by the Blue Moon Bar by donation to benefit APA. All fees must be paid in cash. For more information, call 644-0505.

### Pet adoptions

The Animal Services Center of the Mesilla Valley will conduct two off-site pet adoption events Saturday, July 9. Available for adoption will be dogs, puppies, cats and kittens.

Adoptions will take place from 8 a.m. to noon at the Las Cruces Farmers & Crafts Market on Downtown Main Street. From 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., adoptions also will be facilitated at PetCo, 3050 E. Lohman Ave.

Adoption fees are \$75 for dogs/ puppies and \$50 for cats/kittens. The fee includes the first set of vaccinations, spay/neuter and microchip. At the PetCo event, microchipping for pets that already have homes will be available to the public for \$20, and city pet licenses will be available to neutered pets for \$5 each. Licenses for unneutered pets are \$25 each. Proof of spay/neuter is required before a \$5 license will be issued. Pet owners also must bring current proof of rabies vaccination for each animal to be licensed.

For more information, call the Animal Services Center of the Mesilla Valley at 382-0018.

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Unity of Las Cruces is celebrating "Christmas in July" during which gifts will be collected and donated to the children in Jardín de los Niños the last week of the month. Items include clothing, toys and general school supplies. Everyone is welcomed to visit the church, 125 Wyatt Drive, to get a tag from the tree and bring back the wrapped gift to put under the Christmas tree. For more information, call 523-5592 or visit www.unityoflascrucos.org.

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# The spirit of giving comes a little early

## Christmas in July aims to give a smile to the children of Jardín de los Niños

By **Beth Sitzler**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

With temperatures reaching into the 100-degree range, it may not feel like it's time to deck the halls, but one local church is trying to get Las Cruces into the Christmas spirit this July.

For a second year, Unity of Las Cruces, 125 Wyatt Drive, has recently kicked off its Christmas in July endeavor, which works to collect gifts for the children of Jardín de los Niños, a child care facility for homeless and near-homeless children housed on the Mesilla Valley Community of Hope campus.

"We as a church feel it's very important to serve our community because we've gotten so much," said Rev. Terry Lund of Unity of Last Cruces.

While the church conducts a yearlong food drive, collects stuffed animals for the Doña Ana County Sheriff's Department and supports the Step House – an addiction recovery house in Alamogordo – Lund said they wanted to do more. The idea for Christmas in July came out of a meeting with church board members.

"We were brainstorming how we could give back to our community and how we could generate some enthusiasm in the hot summer month," she said.

One board member, who Lund said felt a heart connection with the child care operation, suggested they provide gifts to Jardín de los Niños – a sort of Christmas in the summer.

The 2010 Christmas in July was a great success, Lund said. Teaming up with the Center for the Spiritual Living and Wellspring Church, the group collected more than 75 gifts for the children ages 1 to 9.

"I was very pleased with how it turned out," she said. "The kids were thrilled and very happy last year."

Hoping to go beyond that success this year, Lund said they currently have a Christmas tree set up in the sanctuary covered in paper ornaments that state the name and age of a child along with an essential item they need and a toy they want, as well as new clothing and school supplies.

"Every child should have new clothes and school supplies when they start school," said Lund, adding that they will also collect diapers



Volunteers, church members and Jardín de los Niños employees admire the donated items collected during the 2010 Christmas in July held by Unity of Las Cruces.

and baby wipes to donate.

Congregation and community members are encouraged to stop by the sanctuary to lend a hand with the collection.

"They can just come on over and pick up an ornament," Lund said. "If anyone wants to get involved, they are certainly welcomed to."

Unwrapped gifts need to be dropped off at the church by Sunday, July 24. During the last week of the month, Lund said girls from the Rivers Academy, an outreach program for teenage moms conducted at the church, will wrap the gifts.

After the gifts have been wrapped, Lund said volunteers will gather to deliver the presents to Jardín de los Niños. The date of delivery has yet to be selected.

With Christmas in July now in full swing, Lund said they have had a great response so far from community members and other churches. She added that she hopes the effort will encourage others to become involved and informed.

"We want to raise awareness in our community that we have needs," she said.

For more information, call 523-5592.

## Church News

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performance of the Brahms Requiem for the 10th anniversary remembrance of Sept. 11. Rehearsals will be from 7 to 9 p.m. each Thursday throughout the summer at the church, 225 Griggs Ave. Copies of the choral score along with a rehearsal CD will be available for \$5. For more information, call 526-6689.

### GUEST PASTOR

Rev. Jesse Bernúdez, interim pastor, will preach at the 11 a.m. bilingual worship service Sunday, July 10, 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.

### YOUTH GROUP CAR WASH

The Cornerstone Baptist Church Youth Group will hold its annual car wash from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, July 9, in the parking lot of Sandoval Construction, 2000 E. Lohman Ave. Cars will be washed and towel-dried free of charge, but donations will be accepted. For more information, call 532-0902.

### ZEN RETREAT

Clear Mind Zen Temple, 642 S. Alameda Blvd., Suite E, will host a three-day silent meditation retreat from 7 p.m. Friday, July 8, to midnight Sunday, July 10. This is a serious and intense

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### SUNDAY NIGHT DOCUMENTARY

Calvary Chapel of Las Cruces, 139 S. Main St., parking lot No. 1, will show "Taking The Hill – A Warriors Journey Home" during its Sunday Night Documentary beginning at 6 p.m. Sunday, July 10. The documentary by Pastor Raul Ries, a former Vietnam Marine, looks at his old squad members go back to the jungles of Vietnam 40 years later. For more information, call 524-0485.

### WHAT IS UNITY

Unity of Las Cruces, 125 Wyatt Drive, will hold a program from 12:45 to 2:15 p.m. Sundays, July 10, 17 and 24, open to those in the community who would like to learn more about Unity beliefs and the teachings of Jesus. For more information, call 523-5592 or visit www.unityoflascruces.org.

### PEACE CAMP

Registration for Peace Camp Las Cruces has begun. The camps held this year, with the theme of "Think Globally – Act Locally," will be from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. July 11-15 at Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave., for children

in grades eight to 10; 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. July 18-22 at Unitarian Universalist Church, 2000 S. Solano Drive, for children in grades four to seven; and 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. July 25-29 at First Christian Church, 1809 El Paseo Road, for children in grades one to three. For more information, contact 522-7119 or peacevillagenm@gmail.com or visit www.peacevillagenm.org.

### ECKANKAR EVENT

Eckankar, Religion of the Light and Sound of God, will hold a free discussion from 11 a.m. to noon Saturday, July 16, at Ramanda Palms de Las Cruces, 201 E. University Ave. The topic will be "Grounded Living through Divine Love." For more information, call 524-2580 or visit www.eckankar-nm.org.

### NEW PROJECT LINUS GROUP

A new Project Linus group will meet from 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesdays at St. Mary's at Hill

Parish Hall, 7975 Doña Ana Road. Community members are encouraged to attend and bring supplies to knit, crochet and quilt for children in need. For more information, call Sally at 525-0062.

### SPIRITUAL CINEMA MATINEE

The Center for Spiritual Living, 575 N. Main St., will hold its Inspirational Cinema Matinee at 7 p.m. the first Friday of the month as part of the Downtown Art Ramble. A \$5 donation is suggested. There will be a discussion after the movie at the center's bookstore, Wisdom Through the Pages. For more information, call 523-4847.

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES MARKETPLACE

The Catholic Charities Marketplace is partnering with artisans and farmers, locally and abroad, to bring unique, handmade gifts and treasures to the Las Cruces

area. Marketplace partners are receiving a fair wage for their work. The Catholic Charities Marketplace is located at 2205 S. Main St., Suite B. It is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. If you're an artisan interested in partnering with the marketplace, contact Monita Chip at 523-7577 or mma@catholiccharitiesdlc.org.

### PEACE LUTHERAN PRAYER GROUPS

Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave., is providing two prayer groups. A centering prayer group will meet weekly at 9:30 a.m. Saturdays, and will include 20 minutes of meditation. A prayer group focused on support, healing and gratitude will be held at 4:30 p.m. Mondays, in Classroom 107. For more information, call 522-7119.

### SPIRITUAL HEALING

Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Center, a Roman Catholic community, offers spiritual healing programs and ministry. Holy Mass is held weekdays at 11:15 a.m. at 5480 Lassiter Road. Also on Mondays, the Healing Prayer Team meets to pray for anyone who is interested. If you or someone you know would like to meet with the team, call 647-1117 for an appointment.

### DIVORCE CARE

Morning Star UMC, 2941 Morning Star Drive, will hold a 13-week, video-based discussion and support group for those suffering from the pain of separation or divorce at 6:30 p.m. Mondays. Participants can enroll at anytime for the free group, and child care will be provided. For more information, call 521-3770.

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# Students RISE to the top

## NMSU program assists with further research

By **Donyelle Kelser**  
For the Las Cruces Bulletin

Gaining hands-on experience and insight into their future careers, three undergraduate students from New Mexico State University's Minority Biomedical Research Support - Research Initiative for Scientific Enhancement (MBRS-RISE) to Excellence Program are spending their summer in internships at prestigious institutions around the country.

Developed by the National Institutes of Health, RISE programs nationwide emphasize academic achievement, professional development and research training for graduate (doctoral) and

undergraduate students in pursuit of biomedical and biobehavioral research careers. As part of the NMSU program, students are encouraged to take on summer internships.

Senior Ana Cadena will be immersed in a 10-week internship with Harvard Medical School's Summer Clinical and Translational Research Program. Cadena will analyze data obtained from magnetic resonance spectroscopy to determine if there is a connection between diabetes and Alzheimer's disease based on the chemistry of the brain.

"I am truly looking forward to conducting the research itself," Cadena said. "My family has a history of diabetes and Alzheimer's disease, so these are both topics that are of interest to me.

I am also finding it extremely exciting and delightful, meeting both the other individuals taking part in this internship and the individuals I work with."

Majoring in biochemistry, Cadena has taken part in the RISE since 2009 and credits the program for her opportunity to work in her field of interest this summer.

"Without a doubt I would not have applied to this internship if I had not been in the RISE program," Cadena said. "I only found out about this internship through professor Elba Serrano, my mentor and RISE program director. My goal is to become an M.D./Ph.D. and focus on the neurology/neuroscience field. Consequently, I am deeply interested in the research I am doing since I will be able to determine the chemical changes that take place in the brain in the different stages of Alzheimer's disease."

While RISE offers workshops for students on how to find summer internships and provides students with a list of programs they can apply for, senior Jessica Garcia did additional research to find her ideal internship.

"Using the skills that NMSU professor Graciela Unguez taught us during the RISE to the doctorate professional development weekly workshop, I found the Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF) at the Mayo Graduate School College of Medicine," Garcia said. "I then asked my RISE research mentor, Dr. Unguez, to approve the internship and school, to make sure that applying for the internship was a good decision. I also asked for RISE director and NMSU professor Elba Serrano's input because she is knowledgeable about summer internships and very willing to help."

Encouraged by her RISE mentors, Garcia set out to Rochester, Minn., for 10 weeks, where she is conducting research on how the digestive system moves food through the body.

"My summer research laboratory is interested in digestive system motility," Garcia said. "Food is moved through the digestive system with the aid of muscles. I am conducting a collaborative research project where cultured intestine muscle cells are subjected to mechanical stress in order to help the cells regain their in vivo gene expression. The results of this study will help scientists have a more accurate in vitro research model when they are researching on a treatment for digestive system motility diseases."

Garcia, who is majoring in biology, has been involved with the RISE program for a year and a half. She said RISE has given her opportunities to conduct research throughout her undergraduate career and better prepare for her future.

"The Mayo Graduate School of Medicine is one of the schools I will be applying to for my Ph.D. studies. I am therefore mostly excited to experience the school and medical center to find out if this school is a good fit for me and a good fit for the school," Garcia said.

Senior Kacie Boden is an animal science major with an emphasis in pre-veterinary medicine. Returning for her second year in the RISE program, Boden applied for various internships this past spring found through RISE, and landed an internship opportunity with the Southern Great Plains Dairy Consortium.

The six-week summer internship includes 52 students from around the U.S. and provides classes and dairy visits in Clovis, N.M., and the surrounding areas.

"The internship provides multiple, highly professional individuals from the dairy industry to come speak with us about everything that is involved with running a successful dairy business including finances, feeding and nutrition, facilities, diseases, reproduction and management systems," Boden said.

During her experience, Boden had the opportunity to travel to a diagnostic lab in Amarillo, Texas, where she dissected a cow.

"From this internship, I hope to learn all about the duties and future for a veterinarian in the dairy industry," Boden said. "I have a new appreciation for how we get milk and the prices that we pay as a consumer. Before I wanted to be a large-animal veterinarian. Now, I am leaning more towards becoming a food-animal veterinarian with an emphasis in dairy global medicine."

At the end of the six weeks, Boden will return to NMSU to begin research in the laboratory of NMSU Animal and Range Sciences professor Ryan Ashley, studying reproduction in farm animals. Boden has already been active in her own research project under NMSU Animal and Range Sciences professor Clint Loest, studying ruminant nutrition.

"The RISE program has allowed me to perform research, present oral and poster presentations and this coming year have my first publication," Boden said.

Boden will be applying to DVM/Ph.D. programs this summer. RISE is funded by a National Institutes of Health initiative that supports student scientific development activities in minority-serving institutions through awards from the Division of Minority Opportunities in Research (Grant #R25GM061222). The goal of NIH MBRS-RISE is to build and diversify the nation's health sciences workforce by increasing the number of students from underrepresented groups who complete Ph.D. degree programs in biomedical and behavioral research.

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## Completing the masterpiece

After two years, Camino Bonito home is finished and ready for an owner

See featured home on pages E2-3

# Featured home: 4131 Camino Bonito

Photos by Niki Rhynes



Large windows frame a portion of the Organ Mountains.



While construction began in 2009, the 3,600-square-foot home at 4131 Camino Bonito was finished in June.

Ceramic and tumbled marble tile surround the jetted bathtub, which is nestled against a bay window.



A built-in desk and shelving unit with in-cabinet lighting fills the at-home office.

A circular tray ceiling accents the dining area.



Stone and rich wood play an important role in the kitchen.



The master suite includes French doors to a secluded patio, where residents can enjoy the scenery.



# Ready for a resident

## Tuscan home recently completed after a short break

By **Beth Sitzler**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

After sitting in near completion for almost two years, the more than 3,600-square-foot home at 4131 Camino Bonito has finally been completed.

The grand home, designed in a Tuscan fashion, was almost finished when the then builder was foreclosed on. The building sat on the cul-de-sac located off Dripping Springs Road until about two months ago, when Harlo Dynek of Summit Development was selected to complete the residence.

"The home was completed 10 days ago," said Realtor Billie Haynie of Steinborn & Associates Real Estate, who represents the listing.

After being chosen from three builders who put up bids for the project, Haynie said Dynek took care of the "behind-the-scenes" things, such as updating the electrical system to bring it into compliance with current codes.

"It was bringing it up to current standards," she said Thursday, June 30. "The design of the home stayed the same."

Set on 2 acres, guests are taken around the side of the home, past a manicured landscape of rocks with grass and green native plants, to the front patio.

"All of the homes in the area incorporate native landscaping with their yards," Haynie said.

From this area, Haynie said residents can look out to see the city lights as well as visiting wildlife.

Through the front door is a formal sitting area. Designed to be elegant, the room includes a 14-foot tray ceiling as well as three large pane windows that capture the Organ Mountains. Ceramic tile lines the floor, a feature that can be found throughout the home except in the four bedrooms and at-home office.

Designed in a split-floor plan, beside the entrance is the master suite. Also accented in a tray ceiling, the room features French doors that lead to a secluded portion of the wrap-around patio.

The bathroom was designed to be both relaxing and breathtaking, Haynie said. Surrounded by a large bay window, the jetted bathtub is covered in ceramic and tumbled marble tile and looks out to the surrounding landscape. The bathroom also includes a tiled shower as well as double sinks and vanity encased in a red and black granite.

Beside the master suite is another bedroom.

"Every guest bedroom is like a private suite," Haynie said. "Each has a private bathroom and a walk-in closet."

Back near the entrance is the at-home office. Lined with a deep laminate wood flooring, the room is brightly lit thanks to the windows that overlook the front of the home and the 12-foot tray ceiling. A large built-in executive cabinet wired for lighting adds style to the room's functionality.

A wide hallway leads to the shared living spaces. The kitchen features a statement-making

darkly painted island covered in the same red and black granite found in the bathrooms. These deep colors are contrasted by the light cream and tan tumbled marble backsplash and light color cabinets.

"With the tile and the granite and the cabinetry, it all just reminds you of a home back in Italy," she said.

Attached to the kitchen is the dining room. Unique in design, it is enclosed by a seamless rounded wall of windows. The circular theme is then repeated on the tray ceiling, which features a different shade of brown Venetian plaster on each tier.

The family room with a stacked-stone fireplace completes the area. Prewired for speakers, Haynie said it's a great place to entertain guests and loved ones.

"Every room has its own characteristic, although they all flow together very well," she said. "The home is big enough that you can have your own space and yet still congregate in the middle."

Another hallway leads to the last two bedrooms, which are mirror images of each other, Haynie said, as well as a media room that includes a media package and is wired for speakers.

While the combination of pitch and flat roof as well as earthy color scheme express the Tuscan style of the home, Haynie said it has a slight Southwest flair.

Outside, the wrap-around porch is broken into three different areas. In addition to the private area off the master suite, it also features room for a table as well as a seating area around a fireplace. Haynie said it is also plumbed for an outdoor kitchen.

Leaving it a blank canvas for the homeowners, Haynie said it is large enough for a pool to relax in and enjoy the view.

"The home offers someone a fabulous opportunity," she said.

## Details

### Featured home

4131 Camino Bonito

### Square footage

More than 3,600

### Acres

2

### Bedrooms

Four

### Bathrooms

Four and a half

### Fireplaces

Two

### Price

\$499,000

### Special Features

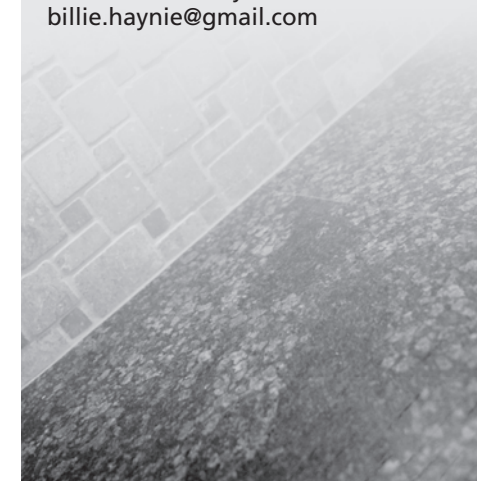
At-home office, media room, tumbled marble accents, tray ceilings and views of the Organ Mountains and city lights

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The wrap-around patio is divided into three different living areas to allow for more entertainment opportunities.



The combination of granite and tumbled marble in the kitchen adds to the home's Tuscan style.

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# You've got questions ...

## Answers to common decorating queries



**Maureen Villmer**  
Practical Design

I am constantly asked questions about decorating and design. Here are some I would like to share with you. If you have questions, please email me and I will be happy to answer them directly or in my column.

### I'm tired of the way my house looks, but I don't know where to start, can you help me?

First, I would determine what you like. To do that, do your homework. Go online, read decorating magazines and get pictures of things you do like. Put them in a file folder and soon you will see a thread running through these pictures. It may be style, a particular pattern or a particular color that shows up in these pictures.

Small things such as rearranging existing furniture, painting a piece of existing furniture, painting a room a different color, adding a window treatment to a room that's never had one or slip covering an existing piece of furniture could be just the thing to give you a new lease on life.

### I have an older home, what can I do to update it?

Open style floor plans have become very popular in new homes so my advice to update an older home is to either take down one non-weight bearing wall or open up a pass-through in the wall that can't be removed to create a great room concept.

By adding barstools on the other side, you will make the area more user friendly. Sometimes, just removing cupboards that

block visibility into another room will work in updating an older home.

### I'm looking for a theme to decorate a guest bedroom, what can I use?

No matter the room, a theme is great fun to decorate a room around. If it's not a theme, it could be a special interest, such as a favorite sport, a travel destination, hats, dolls, maps, gloves, computers, hunting, fishing or just outdoors or animals – the sky's the limit.

Choose a theme, then think of everything you already own that lends itself to that theme. I bet you'll be halfway there without having to buy a single thing.

### My bathroom is all white. It feels so antiseptic. What can I do to warm it up and make it more elegant?

The first thing I'd recommend is to add lush colorful towels, a candle or two, a rug with color or pattern and you might consider adding a dimmer switch on the lighting to change the mood from functional to relaxing. Install simple but soft window coverings. You might even consider painting a faux finish over the white paint with a tone of beige, cream or another shade of white.

### My kitchen cabinets are so plain and flat, what can you do to make them more special?

First, I would consider adding moldings. You can make your cabinets have detail and look special with moldings. Cutting moldings is easy with an inexpensive tool available at home improvement stores. Build frames by applying molding to the doors with wood glue and finishing nails. Stain or paint the molding to match your cabinets. You could

“ The key to good looking blinds is accurate measuring and installation. ”

take it a step farther by adding an inset of copper, stainless steel, faux finished marble, animal skin (fake) or a stencil.

### What size chandelier do I get for my table?

My rule of thumb for chandelier selection is about half the width of the table. If it's a 60-inch roundtable, then a general rule of thumb would be about 30 inches round. What about a long narrow table? I recently hung two chandeliers over a table that was long and narrow to be able to get appropriate light for all areas.

Not every chandelier has to be round. Some chandeliers are made long and skinny. Those will fit over a rectangular table nicely.

Look at the space, is the ceiling high? Then find a chandelier that has some high levels. It could have two to three levels of globes that make it high to go along with your space.

### I love plantation shutters, but can't afford custom shutters. What are my other options?

The best way to get a similar look from the outside-in is through 2-inch wide wooden blinds. The wider the wooden blind, the more it looks like a plantation shutter from the outside. The key to good looking blinds is accurate measuring and installation. They are fairly easy to install. If you can use a screwdriver, you can put up a blind. Measure to the 1/8 of an inch to get a proper fit.



The cricket can be heard during summer around the world.

## The sound of silence

Insect, the bearer of good luck or is it a seasonal annoyance?



**Scott Svenheim**  
ACE Pest Detective

While some find the chirping of a cricket on a warm summer night peaceful, others find it to be an irritating sound that sticks around all season.

In some countries, such as in China, Japan and other Asian nations, the insect is considered to be a symbol of good luck. In these countries, some keep the crickets in cages and value them for their beautiful sounds. Even in the United States, many people are fond of cricket's thanks in part to its portrayal in popular culture, such as Disney's animated film "Pinocchio," which features the guardian cricket Jiminy.

In some countries, people make sport of cricket fighting, while in other countries, such as in parts of Mexico, they eat crickets and consider it a delicacy. In Brazil, some see the insect as a sign of things to come, including rain, money or death.

But not all crickets bring good fortune. Nevada residents annually face a battle with the Mormon cricket, which is actually a katydid despite its name, which migrates in very large numbers and can terrorize residents, destroy crops and eat holes in

anything else in its path.

Only the male cricket chirps, and it has songs for different phases of courtship. The hotter the weather gets, the faster the rate of chirping. The chirping sound is made by the insects rubbing its forewings together. It is then heard by the female who has ears on her front legs.

The cricket is only about 1-inch long and has wings, but it doesn't fly. It is able to jump 20 to 30 times its body length. So it's able to easily escape from predators, which include birds, spiders, rodents and lizards, according to the Department of Entomology at the University of Arizona.

Crickets eat decaying vegetation, some crops and will devour other dead crickets if there's nothing else to eat. Inside however, they can feed on cotton, wool, leather, paper and cardboard. Many crickets are nocturnal, living in logs and meadows.

Crickets aren't harmful outside, and for the most part avoid direct human contact, except for their chirping that can fill the nighttime air.

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# Year-round 'oohs' and 'ahhs'

## Sparklers aren't just for the Fourth of July

By **Beth Sitzler**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

Pop, pop, boom!

With the Fourth of July passing us on Monday, you may still have the distinctive sound of fireworks ringing in your ears.

This year, your personal fireworks show may have been lacking a few of the big number displays, what with the drought and all, but most likely you had an abundance of sparklers on hand.

An inexpensive firework created from aluminum, iron filings, barium nitrate, dextrin and boric acid, sparklers are handheld and can be used by just about anyone.

As with all fireworks, sparklers were first

invented in China in A.D. 670, although the exact date is unknown. During this time, the design was similar to a Roman candle, only smaller.

Nowadays, the slow-burning dazzler comes in a variety of sizes and types. While traditionally they emit white sparks, some modern-day sparklers change into a variety of colors. These sparklers, known as "Morning Glory," are made up of a long, thin paper tube filled with a color-changing composition and covered in tissue paper.

A Fourth of July staple, you may have a box or two laying around after the fireworks-centered holiday. Not just for celebrating Independence Day, sparklers can be used every day in some fun ways.

Just like any other firework, however, it is important to exercise precaution and common sense when using sparklers.

**1. See newlyweds off:** A common practice for weddings is to shower a newly married couple with rice as they head off to their honeymoon. For those who don't want rice, there are several other options, and while you can sprinkle them with birdseed or bubbles, why not send them off with a bang? Give each wedding guest a sparkler to make a glistening arch for the couple to run under as they make their way to the car. You won't have to worry about leaving a mess and the bright firework is visually dazzling in photographs.

**2. Get creative:** Speaking of photographs, you can create some breathtaking images with the help of sparklers. Setting your shutter speed to a very low setting, in a darkly lit area, wave the sparkler around to make interesting shapes or even words. Thanks to the long exposure, the magic will be caught on film.

**3. Replace candles:** Whether it's a birthday, anniversary or some other celebratory cake, forget plain old candles, and use sparklers instead. A more exciting sight, the sparklers can be used indoors because they last about 30 seconds and don't produce smoke or ash. Plus, the glittering flame can be seen in day or night.

**4. Enhance a party:** Not just for the Fourth of July and weddings, sparklers can add a little



## Around-the-house item: Sparklers

pizzazz to any occasion. Along with entertaining the wee ones, sparklers can also decorate your bottle of bubbly. Specially designed champagne sparklers can be attached to the neck of the bottle. Safe and fun, this is a good way to wow party guests.

**5. Create a sparkle bomb:** Recommended to only be done under the close supervision of an adult, a good way to use up those leftover sparklers is by creating a sparkle bomb. Easy to make, bundle together about 10 to 20 sparklers and secure them together with either electrical or duct tape. Light all of the ends at once and set in on a hard surface. It can also be placed

inside PVC pipe to lift it off the ground. Sit back and watch the show. Be sure to exercise caution when using a sparkle bomb and never light it indoors.

**6. Make interesting centerpieces:** Liven up your backyard barbecue by making your own centerpieces using fireworks. Simple to create, just place a sparkler or two into the center of a mini Play-Doh container. The dough will keep the sparkler in its place and the container can be picked up, if needed, and protect your hands from burns. Decorate the containers with ribbon and string that match the theme or color scheme of your party.

### Details

#### Sparkler safety tips

- Never hand a lighted sparkler to another person. Give them an unlit sparkler and then light it. If a youth is holding the sparkler, have an adult light it.
- Only light one sparkler at a time and hold one sparkler at a time.
- Those using sparklers should stand at least six feet away from each other. Never use a sparkler when sitting down or holding a child.
- Be aware that sparks can ignite clothing, so avoid loose fitting clothes that could catch fire. Closed-toe shoes help prevent foot burns.
- The sparkler wire stays hot long after the flame has burned out, so drop the used sparklers directly in a bucket of water.

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Fourth of July partygoers celebrate independence with sparklers, a common staple of the holiday. In addition, the sparkler can be used in several different ways every day.



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# Neighborhood unites on the Fourth of July

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Elijah Green, 5, enjoys an icy treat.



Tommy Workman, 6, braces for water balloon impact.



Kids holding the New Mexican and American flags lead the parade



After a neighborhood breakfast, children living in the Sedona Hills East subdivision begin to line up for the third annual parade held by families in the area Monday, July 4.

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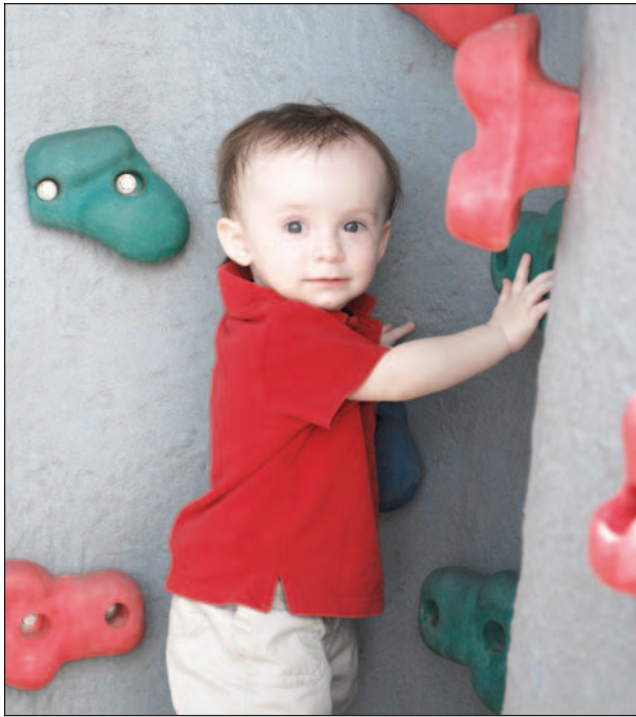
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Mason Rogers, 1, gets adventurous at Sam Graft Park.



A group of girls work as a team to toss up and safely catch a water balloon.



Kendrick Frank, 6, and Hyrum Park, 5, anticipate the start of the parade.

Gwynavere Griffith, 6, looks back at little brother Demetryous, 7 months, as they near the end of the first lap of the parade.

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## Featured company: *JR Hernandez*

# Team creates a one-stop shop

## Builder finds new way to give back to community

By **Beth Sitzler**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

As many in the home industry try to navigate through the current market, builder John Hernandez is trying something new.

In June, Hernandez opened JR Hernandez Home Décor & Remodeling at 1128 S. Solano Drive with the intention to bring a variety of products and services to area homeowners while at the same time giving back to the community.

"I've heard of so many people getting ripped off, I thought I could help the community by providing quality subcontractors and a better service," he said.

Originally from Deming, Hernandez began his career in the homebuilding world. While he built his first house in 1999, his first experiences in construction and remodeling were as a child.

"(I owe my success in homebuilding to) my mom," he said. "When I was little, she bought a one-bedroom, one-bathroom house. By the time I left, it had four bedrooms and two more bathrooms, and we moved the kitchen three times. ... I didn't even know you could move a kitchen."

Hernandez said his mother Mercy Flores, a woman of great vision, would work with her three children – especially Hernandez and his brother Rick Flores – on creating her dream home, which included re-roofing the house and updating the plumbing and electrical systems.

"I probably worked on it since I was 5 until I was in eighth grade," Hernandez said. "She had all of us out there. ... I just learned (how to do everything) from her."

While the time spent working on the home inspired his brother to go into landscaping, Hernandez entered the home industry through construction.

Traveling around the Southwest, Hernandez said he was doing framing until he decided to open his own homebuilding company, JR Hernandez Custom Homes and Remodeling, in Las Cruces in 1999, with Larry Fernandez, his "right-hand man."

Beginning his solo career building houses in the middle-price range, he then transitioned into the custom-home market, which allowed him to express his creativity and include extensive amounts of detailing.

Finding a place in this home industry niche, he said he restructured his product after the housing market took a dive.

"I went to under \$200,000," he said. "It's affordable but still with that same quality."

While Hernandez said he was able to remain busy with steady

work coming in, he noticed several of his subcontractors – many of whom he has worked with for years – weren't as lucky.

"When I do a house, I'm busy working three or four months," he said. "The other guys, like my plumbers and electricians, it's shorter. They come in, do their part and then are gone."

Trying to find a way to keep his top-quality subcontractors working, Hernandez decided to expand his company into a new direction and created the JR Hernandez Home Décor & Remodeling with Fernandez.

"The idea was to have them working more," he said.

Hernandez said what makes his showroom special is that it's a one-stop shop for those who are looking to take on either major or minor remodeling projects.

"Here, we have a team of subcontractors," he said, explaining that this includes a plumber and electrician, among others. "I can't say that one person is higher than another. We all work as a team."

After discussing his idea with people he knew, Hernandez said he received a great deal of support. Hernandez said he currently has more than 25 team members who cover just about every facet of the home industry with even more interested in coming aboard.

"The response has been great," he said. "Everyone is very



Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Beth Sitzler  
**John Hernandez is surrounded by loved ones and Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce Conquistadores during the grand opening of JR Hernandez Home Décor & Remodeling Wednesday, June 22.**

excited because rather than open up the Yellow Pages and getting frustrated, they can just call us for everything," he said.

Not just building materials, Hernandez said he wants to focus largely on local Realtors, who are a great resource and often make recommendations to their clients on who to hire to make repairs. One way the company is doing this is by teaming up with The Basketier Gift Basket Co.

"Sometimes after a Realtor has sold a home, they want to give the homeowners a gift of some sort," he said.

Another important thing Hernandez said the company will do is support local charities.

"A lot of people are just trying to put money in their pockets, I came up with the idea to give back," he said. "I want to help other organizations and give back."

Hernandez said a portion of the company's profits will go to the Boys & Girls Club of Las Cruces and Mesilla Valley Hospice – two organizations he said he feels personally connected to.

"Growing up in Deming, I had nothing to do when I was a kid. I thought of the Boys & Girls Club because it's important to get kids involved when they're young," he said. "And I chose hospice because I've almost had to use them for my mom."

Hernandez said as business progresses, they will look into helping other organizations.

"We're going to keep on moving from here, I have big plans," he said. "I want to help as many people as I can."

On Wednesday, June 22, a grand opening with the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce at the showroom was held. Among the guests who attended, Hernandez said, were Mayor Ken Miyagishima and representatives from the Boys & Girls Club of Las Cruces and Mesilla Valley Hospice.

"It was awesome to have them here," Hernandez said. "We're not just here for us, we're here to give something back."

Already looking to the future, Hernandez, who continues to build custom and affordable homes, said his goal is to open an even larger showroom that includes even more services.

"I want the whole team to have success," he said.

## Details

### Featured company

JR Hernandez Home Décor & Remodeling

### Owner

John Hernandez

### Phone

524-4282

### Address

1128 S. Solano Drive

### Organizations

Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce

### Family

- Wife Zenia
- Daughter Valerie
- Son Nathan



JR Hernandez Home Décor & Remodeling, 1128 S. Solano Drive, not only focuses on the renovation needs of Las Cruces, but also is using a portion of its proceeds to support local organizations.

## Team members

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# Know your boundaries – your thermal boundaries

A critical element that is crucial to efficiency, comfort of a home

**Miles Dyson**  
Living Green



Boundaries are important. They let us know how far to mow on Saturday mornings, which school we visit when we vote and whether or not we owe a state sales tax.

Boundaries are also critical for keeping homes efficient and comfortable, too – most notably thermal boundaries.

The air that is heated and cooled within a home should have a good container to keep it in place. If the envelope enclosing the conditioned space of a house is air-tight and well insulated, a good thermal boundary has been put in place.

There are lots of different methods and materials used to build high-performance walls, ceilings and floors in a house, but any good thermal boundary must include two key components. To be effective, a thermal boundary must include insulation and an air barrier in continuous contact with that insulation. Although this sounds simple, misalignment of insulation and an air barrier are common defects in at least some areas of nearly every home's construction.

The amount of heat transmission through a wall, ceiling or floor – also known as the shell of a home – depends on the amount of insulation, or thermal

resistance, and the surface area of the shell. Heat is also transmitted through the shell or envelope of a house by air passing through or around installed insulation.

If insulation can be bypassed by moving air then it is no longer an effective thermal barrier. Igloo coolers and refrigerators have great thermal boundaries. The hard plastic inner liners and gasketed doors and lids stop air movement in and out of the cooled space. Insulation placed against the plastic liner is continuous at nearly every point surrounding the cooled space, keeping the contents frosty cold. (Why do I want a beer now?)

Energy Star for Homes was created when a group of residential building science experts got together and developed a set of best practices to remedy common thermal boundary defects noted in new and existing homes. The Thermal Bypass Checklist (TBC), developed by Energy Star for Homes, gives homebuilders an easy reference that helps eliminate the worst thermal boundary problems by identifying the most common defects in an easy to use one page check sheet.

Visual inspections using the TBC at key times during framing and insulation installation of new homes in combination with follow-up air infiltration testing (whole-house blower door assessments) insure air barriers and insulation are installed and performing to provide the desired thermal barrier.

This process has been successful in improving the comfort and decreasing the utility use of new homes. More than 1 million homes have been built nationwide following these TBC best practices. Dozens of builders have built hundreds of Energy Star (and TBC) certified homes in Las Cruces and Doña Ana County.

National, state and local residential builders, code officials and municipalities have recognized the effectiveness of installing good thermal boundaries in new homes. The 2009 IECC Residential code (being adopted statewide in New Mexico) includes provisions to limit thermal boundary bypass defects in new homes and will require third-party inspection and infiltration testing.

Some homebuilders who have educated themselves on the importance of thermal boundaries have moved way beyond what is required by green programs, Energy Star or building codes. It is common to see new home envelopes in our area

“Boundaries are also critical for keeping homes efficient and comfortable, too ...”



Insulated concrete form walls combined with spray foam insulation fill the attic and wall sections in this David Coyle Home currently under construction and targeting Build Green New Mexico gold certifications in Las Cruces.

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It is good to know our boundaries, be more comfortable and more efficient by learning about your home's thermal boundaries at these websites:

- Oak Ridge National Laboratories – Building Technology & Research Center  
[www.ornl.gov/sci/ees/etsd/btrc/factsheets.shtml](http://www.ornl.gov/sci/ees/etsd/btrc/factsheets.shtml)
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# Slice and dice safely

## Finger guard protects from chopping mishaps

By **Beth Sitzler**  
Las Cruces Bulletin

At-home chefs can create a variety of tasty and visually appealing dishes by using one of the five most common cutting techniques – mincing, chopping, dicing, slicing and Julienne.

The art of mincing requires cutting the food item into the tiniest pieces possible. To mince, rotate the knife around the board as you rock the blade back and forth across the ingredients. The food should be in relatively uniform pieces. A trick to this technique is to never let the knife leave the cutting board.

On the other hand, when chopping, the pieces don't have to be exactly the same in size, although they do have to be small – approximately 1/4 inch in diameter. Recipes that call for "coarsely chopped" ingredients should be done to a larger size.

Unlike chopping, dicing – also known as cubing – does require the food item to be cut in uniform pieces. The best way to do this is by chopping your ingredient into strips and then lining up the strips and cutting them into squares. Most recipes state how large the pieces should be, so be sure to follow along.

Slicing creates strips of food that can vary in width, depending on its use. An incredibly easy way to cut your ingredients, do this by cutting it vertically across the cutting board.

Lastly is the Julienne style. This technique requires your ingredients to be sliced very thin – usually the width of a matchstick. Often hard to achieve by hand, many chefs use a mandolin to accomplish such a feat.

No matter your cutting style, the hazard of nicks and cuts are around whenever you use a

knife. For those who have yet to master the art of chopping or anyone fearful of losing a finger while slicing, a simple way to keep your digits protected is with the finger guard.

### What is it?

The finger guard is a barrier between your fingers, the item you're cutting and the sharp blade of the knife.

There are two types of finger guards available – one that is plastic and another that is stainless steel. Although both utensils get the job done, they have different designs.

The plastic finger guard features two sheets attached to a rubber hinge. The guard's flexible hinge should line up with the natural bend in your finger, which allows it to protect the top as well as the front of your fingers. The base of the plastic type is curved, allowing it to conform to whatever item you're cutting, chopping or slicing – especially onions. These two characteristics allow you to easily grip the item you're chopping.

Different in design, the stainless-steel finger guard features a solid piece of metal that covers the tips of your extremities. This simple design also provides protection to the top and front of your fingers.

Neither variety of the finger guard will damage the blade of your knife.

### How does it work?

Whether it's plastic or stainless steel, the finger guard is easy to use.

The plastic variety has two rings that slide over your middle finger. Make sure your finger is in the gadget far enough so the hinge aligns

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Las Cruces Bulletin photo by Beth Sitzler

## Featured kitchen gadget: Finger guard

with the natural bend of your finger.

When you're done using the finger guard, toss it into the top rack of your dishwasher or hand wash it with soap and water.

To use the stainless-steel finger guard, slip the open end over the tips of your fingers. Keep your fingers behind the guard and rest them on the item you're cutting.

When you're done chopping, hand wash the metal item.

No matter which style you use, it's important to remember to keep the bottom of the guard parallel with the knife blade.

### Where can it be found?

A kitchen necessity, the finger guard can be

found at cookware supply stores around town, including Target and Bed, Bath & Beyond as well as online at websites such as [www.organizeit.com](http://www.organizeit.com) and [www.chefscatalog.com](http://www.chefscatalog.com).

### How much does it cost?

Depending on the type of finger guard you purchase, it can cost anywhere from \$4 to \$10.

### Helpful hint

Although the finger guard will give extra protection, there is still a chance you can be cut or injured if you're not careful. It is important to exercise the same knife-handling safety techniques you would if you weren't using the gadget.

## Home Sales Scoreboard

LAS CRUCES AREA

	This Week	Last Week	Same Week Last Year
<b>Closed Sales New Homes</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>Closed Sales Existing Homes</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>25</b>
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<b>Pending Home Sales (All)</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>178</b>
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	This Week	Last Week	Same Week Last Year
<b>Average Days on Market (All)</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>176</b>

	This Week	Last Week	Same Week Last Year
<b>Median Price New</b>	<b>\$179,500</b>	<b>\$173,212</b>	<b>\$157,000</b>

<b>Median Price Existing</b>	<b>\$150,000</b>	<b>\$169,750</b>	<b>\$164,350</b>
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	This Week	Last Week	Same Week Last Year
<b>Total Homes on Market (All)</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,183</b>	<b>1,192</b>

<b>Real Estate Agents</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>454</b>
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\*Homes include detached single-family homes, townhomes and condominiums

Source: Las Cruces Multiple Listing Service (MLS)\* for the period 6/27/11 - 7/03/11  
\* MLS is wholly owned by the Las Cruces Association of Realtors  
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### Easter Grass Coleslaw

**6 cups coleslaw mix**  
**2 large carrots, shredded**  
**1 medium sweet yellow pepper, chopped**  
**1 large apple, chopped**  
**3 green onions, sliced**  
**1/2 cup celery, chopped**  
**1 cup mayonnaise**  
**1/2 cup sugar**  
**2 tablespoons cider vinegar**  
**1 teaspoon salt**  
**1/4 teaspoon pepper**

In a large bowl, combine the first six ingredients. In a small bowl, combine the mayonnaise, sugar, vinegar, salt and pepper. Pour over the cabbage mixture and toss to coat. Cover and refrigerate until serving. (Recipe adapted from <http://allrecipes.com>.)





# ChileKnights

## Using juicy watermelon

Summer staple can enhance any dish

**Sunny Conley**  
Chile Knights



Most home cooks rarely consider using watermelon in recipes. They're more likely to cut it into slices to serve as a side or to enjoy as a snack.

Watermelon's sweet-and-juicy goodness can be used in innovative ways – think lemonade mocktails, barbecue sauces, kabobs, purees and salsa. Another perk – watermelon has nutritional and healthful benefits similar to our beloved chile pepper. It's packed with vitamins A and C, cholesterol free and virtually fat free. Watermelon is a powerful hydrator too, containing 92 percent water.

Last week, I prepared the pork loin, spicy honey mustard and watermelon sandwich. Wow!

### Watermelon Raspberry Jalapeño Lemonade Mocktails

6 cups watermelon cubes (seeds removed)  
1/4 cup raspberries  
1 cup water  
1/3 cup sugar  
1/4 teaspoon jalapeño powder  
1/2 cup lemon juice  
Garnishes

Place watermelon, raspberries, jalapeño powder and water in container of electric blender, cover and blend until smooth. Strain through fine mesh strainer into a pitcher. Stir in sugar and lemon juice until sugar dissolves. Refrigerate until chilled, about 1 hour. Serve in a cocktail glass garnished with an array of fruit. Makes 4 servings.

### Roasted Pork Loin and Watermelon Sandwich with Honey Mustard

1 piece poppy seed or Kaiser roll, split  
Honey mustard, to taste  
6 ounces thinly sliced roasted pork loin  
1 slice 3/4-inch thick slice watermelon, about the size of the roll  
1/2 teaspoon mild chile powder  
2 ounces fresh baby greens

Spread honey mustard liberally over the inside of the roll and layer the pork over the

bottom piece. Sprinkle the watermelon with chile powder and place over the pork. Top the watermelon with the greens and the roll top, mustard side down. Makes 1 serving.

### Watermelon Apricot Barbecue Sauce

This barbecue sauce, with an Asian influence, is particularly tasty on shrimp, pork and fowl. Baste your food with the sauce just before it comes off the grill to prevent burning on the outside. Serve extra sauce on the side and top with minced watermelon. It also makes a wonderful glaze for roasted ham.

2 tablespoons olive oil  
1 onion, minced  
3 cloves garlic, minced  
1 tablespoon fresh ginger, minced, or 1 teaspoon powdered  
1/2 teaspoon cayenne pepper  
1/4 cup sesame seeds  
10 ounces apricot all fruit preserves  
1/3 cup extra dry vermouth  
1 cup watermelon purée  
1 tablespoon soy sauce, or to taste  
1 cup watermelon, minced

Heat the oil in a 3-quart non-corrosive saucepan over medium high heat. Add onion and garlic and sauté until the onion is soft and golden, about 8 minutes. Add the ginger and sesame seeds and sauté another minute. Reduce heat to medium low and add the remaining ingredients. Bring to a simmer and adjust heat to maintain a slow simmer and simmer gently for 20 minutes, stirring frequently. Makes about 4 cups.

### Grilled Scallop and Watermelon Kebabs

12 pieces sea scallops  
4 cups boiling vegetable or chicken broth  
24 1-by-1-inch seeded watermelon cubes  
1/4 cup soy sauce  
1/2 teaspoon New Mexico medium-hot red chile powder  
1 tablespoon sesame oil  
1 tablespoon garlic, minced  
1 tablespoon fresh ginger, minced

Cut the scallops into halves across the diameter to create half-moon shapes. Place them in a heatproof casserole dish in a single layer. Pour the boiling clear broth over the scallops and let them poach for 5 minutes. Drain and cool the scallops. On each skewer alternate 1 half-moon scallop, 2 watermelon cubes and another half-moon scallop. Mix together the soy sauce, chile powder, sesame oil, garlic and ginger and brush the kebabs as they are grilled over a medium hot grill for about 90 seconds per side turning once. Serve warm. Makes 12 servings.



Treat yourself to a refreshing, nutritional watermelon mocktail.

### Watermelon Scallop Ceviche

1 cup watermelon purée  
1/2 cup fresh lime juice  
1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice  
1 tablespoon premium vodka (optional)  
1/8 cup fresh parsley, minced  
1 tablespoon fresh chives, minced  
1 dash salt and pepper to taste  
Tia Rita's No Salt Red Chile Seasoning to taste

1 pound sushi grade fresh sea scallops  
Mix together all of the ingredients except the scallops and place in a glass serving bowl. Slice the scallops into 1/4-inch thick "coins" and drop into the dressing. Cover and refrigerate 2 hours and serve.

Serve with rice crackers or crispy flatbread. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

### Crab Cakes with Watermelon

8 ounces cooked, shelled and picked over crabmeat, drained  
2 eggs lightly beaten  
1 tablespoon mayonnaise  
1/2 cup seasoned breadcrumbs  
1/4 cup drained sweet pickle relish  
1 serving butter for frying  
1 cup watermelon, minced and drained  
1/2 cup bottled chili relish

In a bowl, mix the crab, eggs, mayonnaise, breadcrumbs and sweet pickle relish. Heat a generous amount of butter (you may use a combination of canola oil and butter, if desired) in a 10- to 12-inch sauté pan over medium high heat. Using 2 teaspoons as tools, drop small dollops (about 1 teaspoon full) of the crab mixture into the butter and fry, turn-

ing once, until golden brown on each side. Fry the puffs in batches keeping them warm on a baking sheet in the oven as they come out of the pan. Mix together the watermelon and relish and serve with the crab cakes for dipping. Makes 16 servings.

### Watermelon Pad Thai

8 ounces flat rice noodles  
1 tablespoon garlic, minced  
1/4 cup canola oil  
1 tablespoon fresh ginger, minced  
1 pound medium shrimp, cleaned  
2 teaspoons soy sauce  
1 cup fresh bean sprouts  
1/2 cup fresh cilantro leaf  
1 cup scallions, chopped  
1/8 cup ketchup  
1 cup seedless watermelon purée  
1 tablespoon sesame oil  
1 cup dry roasted red chile seasoned peanuts, chopped

Place the noodles in a heatproof bowl and cover with boiling water. Allow to stand, nudging them apart with a fork, until tender. About 10 to 15 minutes. Drain. Heat the oil in a large heavy sauté pan or wok over medium high heat. Sauté the garlic and ginger for 60 seconds and add the shrimp. Stir fry, while adding the soy sauce, for 2 to 3 minutes. Add the noodles and stir fry another minute or two and stir in the sprouts, cilantro leaf and scallions. Mix the ketchup into the watermelon and stir into the pan with the sesame oil. Cook until hot, sprinkle with the chopped peanuts and serve immediately. Makes 4 servings.

### Fluffy Watermelon Dessert Salad

3 envelopes plain gelatin  
1 cup boiling water  
3 cups watermelon purée  
1 cup lightly toasted coconut  
4 cups whipped topping  
2 cups shredded sweetened coconut  
2 chiles de arbol crushed

Dissolve the gelatin in the boiling water and stir into the watermelon purée. Pour the mixture into a 9-by-13-inch casserole dish and chill overnight or until very firm. Lightly toast cup of coconut and set aside to cool. Add layer of whipped cream to serving dishes. Cut chilled gelatin/purée mixture into small squares and place in serving dishes over layer of whipped cream. Top with coconut. Add dollop of whipped topping and sprinkle with toasted coconut and crushed chiles de arbol. Serve immediately. Makes 8 to 12 servings. (Recipes adapted from <http://watermelon.org>.)

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# Dealing with summer weather

## Maintain your swamp cooler to survive the heat, humidity

By **Beth Sitzler**  
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With temperatures still in the 90- to 100-degree range and monsoon season just around the corner, some Las Cruces may notice the inside of their homes also reaching scorching temperatures.

While many who use refrigerated air may not notice a shift in indoor temperature, those with evaporative coolers, also known as a swamp cooler, may not be as lucky.

"Swamp coolers usually only drop temperatures 15 degrees or so," said Zach Rios, a salesman with Samons Electrical and

Plumbing Supply. "At 100 degrees, you're looking at it being 85 inside."

Although it may not feel like it, Rios said those swamp coolers are working.

"We get kind of a second push in cooler business this time of year because people don't think their swamp coolers are working," said Sutherlands General Manager Gary Mook.

There are some things that can be done to help your swamp cooler run as efficiently as possible.

Rios said it begins with the placement of your unit. Those using a MasterCool system should try to keep the one-sided opening out of the sun by setting it so it faces either north or south.

Four-sided units should be placed in the shade if possible.

Systems can be installed at ground level; however, Rios said sometimes this causes the machine to pick up more dust.

In addition to placement, both Rios and Mook said it is important to inspect the swamp cooler because any clogged hoses, loose belts or damaged pumps can cause the unit to run ineffectively.

"You need to make sure the pump is working well and that the pads are getting wet to their full potential," said Rios, explaining that even in our extreme heat, the pads should never be completely dry. "If the pads aren't getting wet, something is wrong."

Mook said it is also important to make sure the pads are clean and clear. Because our water is high in calcium, he said the pads can become clogged and less likely to absorb water.

"(Users) just have to take them out and wash them," he said, adding that pads for MasterCool systems should be replaced every two to three years and every one to two years for a four-sided unit.

Mook said a purge pump can also be added. This will help circulate cool, fresh water.

Rust is another issue swamp cooler users can face. To help prevent rust, which can cause holes to show up in the pan or clog the pads with flakes, Rios said the unit should be painted. While just about any paint will do, a specially designed submarine paint should be used to coat the bottom of the cooler.

Although it may seem like a contradiction to open a window on a 100-degree day to cool down a home, Mook said residents should crack their windows about an inch or so to help create air flow, which allows the machine to work.

"If the house is closed up, pressure will build and the cool air won't be able to get in," he said.

Up ducts, which open when too much pressure has been built up and release it in the attic, can also be added. Not only will this help cool the indoor air, Mook said it will also slightly cool down the attic, which can reach extreme temperatures in the summer.

Another common problem Rios and Mook said they often see are units that aren't equipped to accommodate the square footage of the home.

"The cooler on their roof might be undersized," said Mook, adding that it is better to buy a bigger unit so it isn't running on its maximum speed constantly.

Possibly worse than extreme heat is when there is a lot of humidity, a common occurrence around this time of year in Las Cruces.

"During monsoon season, the coolers just don't work," said Mook, adding that in July they'll see an increase in the purchase of window units.

An advantage of using a swamp cooler rather than refrigerated air is that the swamp cooler uses significantly less energy, which is why El Paso Electric Co. has a rebate program for MasterCool units, Rios said.

Through the program, Mook said homeowners can receive a \$300 rebate on units with an 8-inch pad and a \$500 rebate for those with a 12-inch pad. El Paso Electric also offers rebates for the installation of up ducts.

"I can't sing the praises of the EPE rebate enough," he said. "If a homeowner thinks it's time for their swamp cooler to go away, the EPE rebate is their best friend."

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**Sutherlands General Manager Gary Mook explains all of the intricate pieces that must be well maintained for a swamp cooler to run properly.**

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