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Some 800 cars flowed through the parking lot at Telshor 12 on Tuesday, Dec. 22, for a Revolution-120 food distribution event. Organization chair Marci Dickerson said food was provided through a \$30,000 donation from the Albertson's Foundation. The local Pepsi distributers threw in 2,000 liters of Pepsi to add to the bounty. Volunteers from multiple local businesses were on hand to hand out the food and wish folks happy holidays. After the Las Cruces distribution, the crew headed to southern Doña Ana County towns for the afternoon to distribute some more.

Thank you to our community businesses!

The Board of County Commissioners received \$3 million dollars from the CARES Act Small Business Continuity Grant funds. We are proud to announce the County was able to provide this assistance to 131 small businesses throughout our community.

We thank the Federal government and the State of New Mexico for providing this critical funding to assist small businesses during this time of need.

The distribution of these funds was accomplished through collaborative partnerships with the Town of Mesilla, the Cities of Anthony and Sunland Park, and the Village of Hatch. Thank you all for this important partnership with Doña Ana County and for your support and dedication to your respective communities.

A special recognition to Debbi Moore, Stacie Allen, and Cyndi Armijo and the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce for reviewing and certifying the applications for businesses. We also recognize the County's Finance Department, especially John Gomez, Emma Johnson-Ortiz and Alysha Morales, who played an integral part in the distribution of these monies to businesses.

We know these funds will provide needed assistance to these businesses that have been negatively impacted by COVID 19. We recognize the hardships our community businesses and individuals are facing and will continue to look for ways to provide continued support throughout the County.

Jenna Emerick, Business Owner

Lynn Ellins,

Board of County Commission

Biden's challenge is Trump's wall

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

"It's just really important that we not just stop wall construction but that we take it down wherever we can." Southwest Environmental Center (SWEC) **Executive Director Kevin** Bixby said.

Bixby said Presidentelect Joe Biden has pledged to stop construction of the border wall "on Day One" of his administration, and has said he will rescind the emergency declaration that has allowed President Donald Trump to take money from the U.S. Department of Defense budget to pay for wall construction.

But "whether [he] actually takes down the wall in certain places or not is still undecided," Bixby said.

He said SWEC is part of a coalition supporting the identification and prioritization of sections of the wall for removal. Those that have impacted tribal lands and wildlife corridors "will be at the top of the list," Bixby said.

He said SWEC and other groups supporting the removal of the wall are encouraged because Biden has nominated U.S. Rep. Deb Haaland. D-N.M., to be the new secretary of the U.S. Department of the Interior. Haaland is an outspoken opponent of the wall.

"One of the worst things Trump did in building the wall is he desecrated tribal lands, in Arizona," Bixby said. Haaland is a member of Laguna Pueblo and a native of Winslow, Arizona.

"I think we'll see the wall come down in places, particularly in Arizona and the Bootheel of New Mexico," Bixby said. "I don't know about Doña Ana County."

Even though the wall has impacted wildlife in Doña Ana County, its



KEVIN BIXBY



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nation, he said, although Organ Mountain Desert Peaks National Monument does come close to the U.S./Mexico border.

"I'm hoping the (Biden) administration will understand the impact of the wall on wildlife everywhere and put in gaps everywhere," Bixby said. "You can make an ecological case for doing that. Mountain lions, mule deer, coyotes, javelina, badgers and other animals of the Chihuahuan Desert that aren't on the endangered species list "would benefit from having gaps opened in the wall every few miles or so."

Republicans in Congress.

"It's not going to be easy to take down any part of the wall," he said. Biden will "have to make the case that taking down the wall "is not going to compromise security," Bixby said.

Bixby said reports have dismissed the significance of 400 miles of wall as "just replacing existing barriers." But, he said. those were mostly vehicle barriers, four feet tall with gaps where animals can get through. They were replaced with 30-foot barred walls that have very small gaps between their uprights that are impossible for any wildlife larger than a rabbit to get through, Bixby said.

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Bixby praises Biden's choice for Interior secretary

Southwest Environmental Center of Las Cruces Executive Director Kevin Bixby said President-elect Joe Biden's selection of U.S. Rep. Deb Haaland. D-N.M. as the next secretary of the U.S. Department of the Interior is "going to be a great choice for a lot of reasons.

"She really gets it." Bixby said of Haaland, who has represented New Mexico's first congressional district since January 2019 and was just re-elected to her second term in the U.S. House.

Haaland will bring "a Native American perspective" to the job of Interior secretary, Bixby said. And, he said, she understands the urgency of climate-change and biodiversity, and the environmental issues that threaten human life and all life on earth.

"I think she's going to be great," he said.

He said the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers recently estimated the federal government could save more than \$2 billion if it cancelled additional wall construction on Jan.

20 — the day Biden is inaugurated. Bixby said that money could be used to create green jobs taking down the wall and restoring lands that have been damaged by it.



Food insecurity, depression increase in New Mexico, Doña Ana County

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

New Mexico performs well on access to health care but is falling short on food security and mental wellness, according to the recent household data in "Kids. Families and COVID-19: Pandemic Pain Points and a Roadmap for Recovery," a 50-state report developed by the Annie E. Casey Foundation (AECF) analyzing how families are faring during the COVID-19 pandemic.

A news release from the nonprofit New Mexico Voices for Children (NMVC) said the report, citing U.S. Census data. shows 20 percent of New Mexico households with children sometimes or often do not have enough to eat. Only one other state — Mississippi has as high a rate, while the national average for food insecurity is 14 percent.

New Mexico also has the highest rate — 27 percent – of adults living in households with children who feel down.



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The nonprofit Feeding America shows 2018 food insecurity statistics for Doña Ana County.

depressed or hopeless. Mississippi and Pennsvlvania also have a rate of 27 percent in this category, while the national average is 21 percent, the report said.

New Mexico's overall food insecurity rate increased from 15 percent in 2018 to an estimated 21 percent in 2020, NMVC said, based on the na-

tional nonprofit Feeding America's "Impact of the Coronavirus on Local Food Insecurity" report. For Doña Ana County, the report showed overall food insecurity increased from 15.7 percent in 2018 to 21.3 percent in 2020, and child food insecurity increased from 25.8 to 35.8 percent during the same period.

The AECF report also looked at whether families believe they will be able to make their next rent or mortgage payment and if they have health insurance. In New in Doña Ana County Mexico, 18 percent of adults with children said they have slight or no confidence in being able to pay their rent or mortgage, which is the same

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national rate. Eleven percent do not have health insurance, which is

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better than the national rate of 12 percent.

An August 2020 report from WalletHub (https://wallethub.com/ edu/best-worst-statesunderprivileged-children/5403) showed New Mexico with the most underprivileged children per capita in the United States, and with the second highest rate of child food-insecurity. New Mexico was the fourth highest in children living in single-parent families and the second highest in percentage of children living in households with below-poverty income, WalletHub said.

Casa de Peregrinos emergency food program

"Food insecurity has been an issue in our county for some time now. Right now, the pandemic has put it in the spotlight," said Lorenzo Alba, executive director of Casa de Peregrinos

emergency food program.

Alba said food insecurity is much higher in some parts of Doña Ana County than others, with communities in the southern part of the county, including Sunland Park, Anapra, Santa Teresa, La Union and Chaparral, dealing with the most serious food-insecurity issues.

"We are working on a project to distribute more food in the southern part of Doña Ana County," Alba said. "We're in this for the long haul. The pandemic will take a few years to recover from economically. We are planning for the worst to come in the next few months. We can always use monetary donations."

Fifty dollars, he said, provides 300 meals at Casa de Peregrinos, while \$100 feeds an average family for a month. Donations of any amount are welcome.

To donate, visit www. casadeperegrinos.org or call 575-523-5542.

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Las Cruces legislator: Diversify the state's economy

By MIKE COOK

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Dealing with food security and mental health issues in New Mexico is "really about economic diversification and how we invest in our communities," said state Rep. Angelica Rubio, D-Doña Ana, who is a professional community organizer.

"It's really how we are actually looking at this from building a new economy for New Mexico," Rubio said.

"With our volatile relationship with oil and gas and the ups and downs of that economy, it's really put us in dire straits in terms of our ability to look ahead and plan ahead," said Rubio, who begins her fifth year in the New Mexico House of Representatives in January. "I feel like we operate from year to year, and that impacts our communities, especially our children."

Reforming the state's tax code is an important part of diversifying New Mexico's economy, Rubio said, and that is "actively being done at the moment," as individuals and organizations across the state talk to legislators about the issue.

Rubio said she has had nearly 200 conversations with people across the state to gather their thoughts and ideas about economic diversity.

"We always talk about it, but nobody does anything about it," Rubio said. Now, however, "there are some of us trying to do something about it."

People are "super excited" about the work that is going on to rebuild the state's economy, she said.

It's "exciting to hear," Rubio said, "especially when folks have been feeling so hopeless around COVID and feeling like there's no hope for small business. We are in position to re-imagine — and create — something different for ourselves."

"I think there are a lot of opportunities," she said. "We've just got to be bold and not be afraid to take some chances. Our kids, the next generation, are depending on it."





Las Cruces Utilities Christmas Tree Recycling Underway Until January 30

By Cassie McClure



Keep an eye out for the roll-off that allows you to drop off your Christmas tree, without fake snow or ornaments. after hours at the LCU **Foothills** Landfill Composting Facility at 555 Sonoma Ranch Blvd. While the landfill is open. residents can drop off their trees inside for free.

If you're ready to clean up from 2020, the Las Cruces Utilities (LCU) Foothills Landfill Composting Facility at 555 Sonoma Ranch Blvd. is ready for the free disposal of your Christmas tree.

During business hours, Monday

through Friday 8
A.M. to 4 P.M. and
Saturday 9 A.M. to 3
P.M., residents can
bring their trees
directly to the green
waste area. After
hours and on Sunday
when the landfill
is closed, a roll-off
container will be
placed outside the

gate at the landfill starting Saturday, December 26th through Saturday, January 30th.

LCU repurposes the cut trees – and other green waste like leaves and sticks – into composted mulch that can be used at homes and businesses all over town for dust control, weed control, and moisture retention for plantings. The mulch is available free of charge.

For easy disposal, please keep a couple of things in mind before you bring in vour tree. Remove all decorations. ornaments, icicles, tinsel, and lights before recycling. Also, LCU cannot recycle trees with fake flocked "snow" - those must go into the trash container or set out for pick up by the regular Grappler.



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A rough 2021 in store? America's seen worse

Almost no one was happy with 2020.

There are presumable exceptions. Many people chose to get

married during the year. Many babies were born. And, I'm pretty sure, it was a banner year for Sonic Drive-In, the restaurant built for a pandemic. For most of us, though, we never want a year like it again.

A lot of people are making predictions for 2021. Some say it will be better than 2020; some say it will be worse.

I have no clue. So, instead of looking ahead at 2021, I'll look back, with 20/20 hindsight, to another pivotal year in American and world history.

On Jan. 1, 1945, the world was in more doubt and chaos than it is now. Before the year was through, however, many monumental events happened to secure American freedom and world security, at least

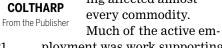
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Picture life in America Dec. 31, 1944, with World War II raging. Millions of American

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soldiers, sailors and Marines were scattered throughout the globe, constantly in harm's way. Stateside, the economy was at a standstill, and rationing affected almost every commodity.



ployment was work supporting the war effort. The bitter Battle of the Bulge, mired in snow and bad weather in Germany, was ongoing, a pivotal battle that could turn the tide one way or another. Nazism was in power in Europe, millions of Jews, gypsies and gays were dying in concentration camps, and the future of the free world hung in the balance.

So, what happened in 1945? A lot of important things happened but, with everything gained, there is a cost, a price to pay. Often a terribly dear price.

Jan. 25, 1945: The Allies, with support from the Soviets, declare victory in the three-week long Battle of the Bulge. The victory put the Germans on their heels, giving the Allies the edge in the European Theater. The cost, though, was more than 19,000 American lives.

March 26: After more than a month of fighting, Americans claim victory in the Battle of Iwo Jima, the fight for an obscure but strategic island in the Pacific Ocean. The battle gave Americans an edge against the Japanese, and the famous flag-raising photos provided inspiration for those stateside, as well as those still fighting. The cost: more than 26,000 U.S. casualties, including 6,800 killed.

February/March: The date is uncertain, but 15-year-old

Anne Frank dies of typhus, not before leaving her famous diary, which gave voice and a face to millions of Holocaust victims. The sad, disturbing post-script: Millions of people worldwide still insist the Holocaust never happened, calling it a hoax, or propaganda.

April 12: U.S. President Franklin Roosevelt dies unexpectedly. Vice President Harry Truman is sworn in as President that night.

April 28: Benito Mussolini, the fascist dictator of Italy, and fellow Axis Leader to Germany's Adolf Hitler, is executed by Italian partisans, and publicly hung by his feet.

April 30: Hitler commits suicide. He had made his retreat to his bunker Jan. 16, and made his last public speech Jan. 30, broadcast on radio, insisting the Germans would still win the war. In less than three

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Embarrassment (Usually) Ain't Funny

Embarrassing moments. Nobody likes to talk about them.

Oh, they'll talk about slipping on the ice on their first date or getting bucked off a gentle horse. Other folks empathize and usually laugh. But it makes people

uneasy when it's really embarrassing. They might titter nervously, but if it's really awful it makes us uncomfortable. It could happen to me!



BAXTER BLACK On the Edge of Common Sense

Like the time I leaned into a car window and asked a new acquaintance to dance and she didn't have any legs. It was shattering to a high school boy, not to mention the girl. Or introducing an old friend and his wife to my family and

calling his wife by his ex-wife's name.

Faux pas are always exaggerated when you are in the company of someone other than your family. Cocktail or diner parties with guests are fertile ground for embarrassment: Halfway through dinner you glance in the mirror and discover you should have blown your nose an hour ago: finding gravy (dried, of course) on your black dress; sneaking off to powder your nose, quietly closing the door, gently running the water – then you flush and it sounds like a dump truck unloading nine yards of gravel into an empty grain bin.

In veterinary work, there is an association of vets who have spayed tomcats. Cowboys take a great delight in runnin' a rangy ol' steer in with a bunch of cows at cow-workin' time. I've preg-checked a thousand steers – but at least I've never called one bred.

Then there was poor ol' Fred (an alias) who was worried about climbing on his roof to shovel off the snow. So, he took

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Texit: Let's put the lone in the Lone Star State

When I heard that the chairman of the Texas Republican Party wanted

to secede from the union, I had the same thought as when then-Gov. Rick Perry floated the idea in 2009. What can we do to give them a nudge?



The View From Here

I wrote a column back then suggesting a new federal law prohibiting oversized belt buckles. I think we should do what-

The Brits can have Brexit. Why can't the Texans have Texit?

ever we can to turn all that big talk into action.

Both then and now, the sudden desire to flee the union followed a presidential election that didn't go their way. Kind of like when Lincoln beat Douglas in 1860.

Perry was speaking at a Tea Party meeting shortly after the election of Barack Obama when he said, "When we came into the nation in 1845, we were a republic. We were a stand-alone nation. And the deal was we can leave anytime we want. So, we're kind of thinking about that again."

What a tease. I was already dreaming of life without Texas when Perry claimed he was misquoted or taken out of context or didn't really mean it.

I'd pretty much given

up on the idea until this year, when the election of Joe Biden brought a

> similar reaction from some of our more rebellious neighbors to the east.

First, Texas led an effort to overturn the results in four other

states, arguing they should be able to dictate how those elections were run.

It was the second lawsuit seeking to overturn the election that was rejected unanimously and without comment by the Supreme Court.

Which was, of course, the result everybody expected. I was a bit disappointed. If we get to tell other states how they should run their election, I've got something to say about the number of ballot drop-off locations in Houston (one).

It's fair to say Texas Republican Party Chairman Allen West was more than just a bit disappointed. But unlike Perry, he wasn't planning to go it alone.

"Perhaps law-abiding states should bond together and form a union of states that will abide by the Constitution," West said.

Alas, there were no takers for this new union of states. Not even Oklahoma. And now West claims he never meant to suggest what he obviously meant to suggest.

"I am still trying to find when I said anything about secession," he whined.

If these guys keep this up, I'm going to start thinking they aren't serious the next time somebody starts blustering on about how great things are going to be in the new Republic of Texas.

There is a mythology Texans are in love with that suggests they are independent and apart from the rest of us. The Lone Star State. They don't need or want any outsiders telling them what to do. "Don't mess with Texas!"

Shouldn't that work both ways? Is it OK for them to mess with Pennsylvania?

Now, I'll admit that I haven't really thought this all the way through, and there may be some complications to Texas becoming its own country that I haven't fully considered. But this doesn't seem to be a time for careful consideration. And, wiser men than I apparently think it's a good idea.

So, I say if they want to go, we should let them. There's nothing in Texas that's worth fighting a war over.

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weeks, three key figures of World War II are gone.

May 8: Germany officially surrenders, marking V-E Day (Victory in Europe Day).

July 16: The world's first atomic bomb detonation takes place at New Mexico's Trinity Site, the result of months of research and testing. The cost: For generations,

rural New Mexicans suffer disproportionate incidences of cancer, likely due to the radioactive fallout of the blast.

July 26: British
Prime Minister Winston
Churchill resigns, after
his Conservative Party
loses to the Labour Party.
A fourth World War II
figurehead is out.

Aug. 6, Aug. 9: Atomic bombs are dropped on the Japanese cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, effectively shocking Japan into defeat. The cost: The actual figures may never be known, but best estimates conclude more than 105,000 dead in the two cities, and more than 94,000 injured.

Aug. 15: V-J Day. Japan officially surrenders. The day is known in the U.S. as Victory over Japan Day.

Sept. 30: Mohandas Gandhi and Jawaharlal Nehru demand British troops leave India. The

resulting efforts would lead to India's independence, but less than three years later, with controversy swirling over the way territories were claimed, Gandhi would be assassinated. India's independence no doubt changed the course of world history, and Gandhi's teachings of peace and nonviolence would influence millions, including a young Dr. Martin Luther King.

Oct. 23: The Brook-

lyn Dodgers sign Jackie Robinson to a minor league contract with its Montreal affiliate. In less than two years, Robinson would debut with the Dodgers in Ebbetts Field, breaking Major League Baseball's longstanding barrier against African-American players. Robinson's efforts changed baseball and American sports forever and helped spur the Civil Rights Movement. The cost: No doubt abetted

by the stress of years of public abuse and private torment, Robinson dies young in 1972, at 53 years old.

Whatever worries and complaints we have about 2021, they're less critical than the issues of 1945. Through perseverance, ingenuity, hard work and faith, we made it through 1945 better on the other side. There will be costs, as there always are, but I'm betting on America again in 2021.

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his rope and tied it to the back bumper of his pickup in the front yard. Looping it around his waist he went up on the roof and over the peak. His wife left for town...in his pickup. Broke both his legs, his pelvis and one wrist.

During recovery, he was sitting around the

house in a cumbersome body cast. His wife had the habit of filling her cigarette lighter with fluid over the commode. Later that afternoon ol' Fred creaked his way into the bathroom like a NASA moonwalker. He maneuvered himself into position and lowered himself, cast and all, down on the seat. Exhausted, but smugly satisfied with his achievement, he lit a cigarette and dropped the

match into the lurking lighter fluid. It blew him into the tub and broke his other wrist!

Were talkin' hot cross buns! If you ever wondered where the word "embarrass" came from...

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Border Servant Corps helps asylum seekers trapped in Juarez with supplies, hope, love

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

Border Servant Corps (BSC) is really living up to its name.

The Las Cruces-based nonprofit, founded in 1997, is part of a local collaborative, the Hospitality Coalition, formed nearly two years ago when asylum seekers from Central and South America and elsewhere began coming to Las Cruces. BSC volunteers helped find temporary housing for the refugees, connected them with the care and services they needed and helped get



National award-winning author and Las Cruces bookstore owner Denise Chávez provides books for asylum seekers on both sides of the U.S.-Mexico border.

them to final destinations throughout the United

The coalition's work



Border Servant Corps and the Hospitality Coalition provide over-the-counter medications to asylum seekers in Cuidad Juarez migrant shelters.

changed when the Trump administration barred asylum seekers from crossing the U.S./Mexico border after the onset of COVID-

expelled from the U.S., and many began living in temporary shelters and even under bridges and in parks in Cuidad Juarez, Mexico. 19. Tens of thousands were waiting for their visa hear-

ings, said BSC Executive Director Kari Lenander.

Instead of providing temporary hospitality to asylum seekers, BSC and its coalition partners transitioned to supplying food, clothing, blankets, medical supplies, school supplies and other necessities across the international border to families in Juarez, Lenander said.

Coalition members also have supplied medicine. PPEs and payment for COVID-19 tests in Juarez. along with Internet service, books and other educational materials for children and families.

"We've been putting together humanitarian bags every month," Lenander said. The bags include snacks and other necessities for "a ton of families that would love to be working at this point," she said, but are either surviving without paying jobs or with a fraction of the pay they would normally be receiving if the parents were working.

The bags also contain personal, handwritten messages from someone in Las Cruces or another part of the U.S. or another country, she said. One card, written by an immigrant to the U.S. and delivered to an asylum seeker who had been returned to Mexico, said, "Never give up hope. There are people who love and care for you

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Virtual Zoom Meeting Notice for City of Las Cruces:

McFie Ave. Reconstruction, First Street Waterline, & Village Plaza Utility **Replacement Project** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 5:30 P.M.

The City of Las Cruces is hosting a public awareness Virtual Zoom meeting for the McFie Avenue Reconstruction & First Street Waterline. Anyone interested in attending this Zoom meeting must register first and then access a separate link to attend the meeting.

Go to www.las-cruces.org/Engage for complete directions on how to register for a Zoom account, and how to access the meeting. The meeting name is "McFie Avenue Reconstruction & First Street Waterline Meeting".

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even if they are not physically able to be with you."

The coalition also provided 1,300 holiday humanitarian baskets to asylum seekers in shelters and houses in Juarez, Lenander said.

With support from groups and individuals in Las Cruces and across the country — as well as organizations like Save the Children and UNICEF — every holiday basket included a book courtesy of Casa Camino Real Bookstore of Las Cruces. owned by award-winning author Denise Chávez. The baskets also included winter hats, gloves and ageappropriate gifts ranging from baby blankets and rattles to children's tovs

and crayons to playing cards for adults.

"It's been really incredible to be part of this network of people who are still doing so much within the safety precautions of the pandemic," Lenander said.

Hospitality Coalition partners in Juarez include the staff that run the shelters, she said.

A combination of individual support, partnerships and grants, volunteers and sponsors has allowed BSC and its partners "to meet the need where the people were," Lenander said.

And, while they can't have direct contact, providing donations to support the delivery of food and supplies means "people can still meaningfully connect." she said.

Lenander said a Save

the Children staff member in El Paso was carrying coalition supplies across the border to refugees in Juarez earlier this year. Since November, the coalition partnership has included social workers and nuns who regularly cross into Mexico and now deliver the supplies.

"This is what people do, right?" Lenander said. "Things change all the time. Everyone learns how to be flexible. It's a blessing to be a small part of that big community effort."

One positive change that has resulted from the pandemic is that all the shelters located along the U.S.-Mexico border from San Diego to Brownsville, Texas, are working together, sharing best practices and helping each other fill gaps wherever they occur to "make sure

the services we provide are consistent and sustainable," Lenander said.

"It's changing the face of how we're working together to care for these families in some ways," she said. "The world is changing and so are we. Collaboration is the name of the game."

"I'm really inspired and grateful for how Kari and her team have stepped up to help the 17 shelters and other encampments in Juarez," BSC board member Christine Eber said. "People in Las Cruces and Doña Ana County would be proud of what organizations and people in our border communities are doing to help people suffering from inhumane immigration policies."

To donate and for more information, visit www. borderservantcorps.org



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Each month, Ventura receives a box with basic supplies (food, toiletries, etc.) supported by donors near and far. This past August, when Ventura came to the library in Anapra to pick up her box for the month, she brought this photo (of some who had helped support July's box) with her. When a Border Servants Corps partner in Anapra asked her about it, she said, "I carry this photo with me every day and I pray for them. They remember me and I remember them."

and www.facebook.com/borderservant.

Contact Lenander at 575-

522-7119, extension 16, and kari@borderservantcorps.org.



OBITUARIES

Jorge Raul Jimenez

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, and I have remained faithful. And now the prize awaits me—the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give me on the day of His return. And the prize is not just for me but for ALL who eagerly look forward to his appearing." – 2 Timothy 4:7-8 NLT

It is with heavy hearts we announce the passing of our beloved Jorge Raul Jimenez. He was welcomed at the gates of Heaven by his Heavenly Father Nov. 6, 2020. He was born Oct. 4, 1982. Jorge found great joy in gathering with his family and delight in being helpful in any way he could. He enjoyed working for the Las Cruces Bulletin in his spare time. Jorge loved sports in high school and was a part of the Mayfield High School wrestling

team. He was a big fan of the Denver Broncos and boxer Canelo Alvarez.

Raul, or Uncle Jorge, was fondly known and loved by many, and leaves behind his loving wife. Becky T. Jimenez, and a beautiful daughter whom he loved very much. Anjolie E. Jimenez. He also leaves behind his parents, Luis Raul and Marisa Jimenez: his brother. Ricardo Jimenez; sisters Isabel Ramos, Nancy Villegas and Adriana Rodriguez; inlaws Lorenzo Truiillo and Elisa Gutierrez: sistersin-law Lorena Ramirez. Alicia Truiillo and Havdee Trujillo; nieces Anissa Torres, Galilea Flores, Xiena Jimenez, Gabby Ramos and Sophia Villegas; nephews Josiah Torres, his football little buddy, Elijah Ramirez, Angel Ramirez, Richard Martinez, Lincoln Ramos, Leon Jimenez and



JORGE RAUL JIMENEZ

Diego Villegas Jr. Also left to mourn his passing are his longtime best friend and partner in crime, Edgar Sifuentes, his carpool work buddy, Jesse Cervantes, with whom he had good laughs, and Gabriel Ruiz, his spiritual mentor, teacher, work partner and best friend.

The most joy, comfort and love Jorge found was in the Lord Jesus Christ. He continuously searched for the Lord and longed to have him in his life. Now, Jorge forever will have eternal life with our Lord. Jorge will be forever loved and greatly missed.

ACADEMY FOR LEARNING IN RETIREMENT JANUARY 2021 RUSSIA AND UKRAINE DR. ELMO E. ROACH

The Academy for Learning in Retirement's first Spring 2021 series will be held in January and will discuss Russia, Ukraine, and Vladimir Putin.

Dr. Elmo E. Roach, Emeritus Professor, Bradley University and previous Director of Bradley's International Programs

Office, will discuss the geographical and cultural features that shaped Ukraine and Russia, and examine the progression from Kyivan Rus' to Muscovite Russia and to Imperial Russia. He will then discuss the historical narrative from the Russian Revolutions of 1917 to the rise of Vladimir Putin in 2000. An overarching thesis will be on USA-USSR relations. The final sessions focus upon Putin's strategic objectives and his record of expansionism in Ukraine and beyond. Dr. Roach hopes to share some of his experiences of two dozen or more trips to Ukraine, Russia and Siberia, from his days as a naive graduate student to those as a senior researcher and project manager.

This will be a Tuesday-Thursday series.

Tuesday, January 12. Russia and Ukraine: Geography and Early Culture

Thursday, January 14. History, 1917 to Putin

Tuesday, January 19. Putin's Strategic Objectives

Thursday, January 21. Putin's Expansionism

The Academy for Learning in Retirement will also present two free orientation sessions in January that will provide an overview of our entire Spring 2021 set of presentations. Though the orientation presentations will begin at 10:30 am on Tuesday, January 5 and Thursday, January 7, you may join the Zoom sessions at 10:00 am to ensure you can see and hear the presentations. ALR Board members will be available to assist with any Zoom issues. If you are interested in attending these free presentations, please request a Zoom link by e-mailing nmsu.alr@gmail.com and letting us know that you wish to attend. Please include a telephone number where we may reach you in the event Zoom is not working for you.

Please go to <u>dacc.nmsu.edu/ALR</u> to register for sessions. Your e-mail address will go into our database and we will e-mail you the Zoom link the evening before each presentation you purchased.





For more information 575.522.1938 nmsu.alr@gmail.com dacc.nmsu.edu/alr

Arvel Dewey Thomas, Jr.

Arvel Dewey "A.D." Thomas, Jr., aka Mr. T., is now at peace, having passed away in Las Cruces on Dec. 2. He was 88.

He leaves behind wife, Barbara W. Thomas, children, Steve, Julene, Gailee and Paul, his wife's children, Mike, Neil and Rebecca, his brother, Jim, his sister, Maryann, his ex-wife, Barbara J. Thomas, and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

He spent most of his life in New Mexico, much of it in the Mesilla Valley. where he created loving family ties and enjoyed many outdoor activities including hiking, caving, photography, Senior Olympics, etc.

He was a graduate of Las Cruces High School and attended NMSU. He retired from White Sands Missile Range, where he worked as an optical tracking operator and surveyor, as well as making two trips to Alaska to help survey.

No services are planned at this time. In lieu of flowers, please donate to



ARVEL DEWEY THOMAS, JR.

charity of your choice or have a tree planted in his name.

He will surely be missed by us all. Arrangements are with La Paz-Graham's Funeral Home. To send condolences, visit www. lapaz-grahams.com.

2020: A (brief) year in review

Here is a small sampling of what happened in 2020 in and around Las Cruces. Since March, nearly every phase of our lives has been impacted by COVID-19.

January

1: Ken Miyagishima began his 13th consecutive year as mayor of Las Cruces. He was first elected and took office in November 2007, and reelected in 2011, 2015 and 2019. He served six years on the city council before being elected mayor and eight years on the Doña Ana County Commission before that.

February

19: LC 3 Behavioral



Donut day in June at Haciendas of Grace Village Alzheimer's and Dementia Care

Health Collaborative formed in Las Cruces and began monthly meetings. **22:** Oñate High School senior Angelita Altamirano becomes New Mexico's first ever girls' high school wrestling champion.

28: Ribbon cutting, Devasthali Hall, New Mexico State University's new art museum.

29: Antonio Valenzuela

was killed while in Las Cruces Police Department custody. Former LCPD Officer Christopher Smelser will later be charged with second-degree murder.

March

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12: Las Cruces Public Schools closed schools

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High school graduations were held in May as drive-through ceremonies.

because of COVID-19 and began online education.

14: The Las Cruces High School Bulldawgs, playing in an empty Pit arena in Albuquerque, won the 5A boys state basketball championship.

April

3: Las Cruces City
Council awarded more
than \$1 million to a number of local nonprofits,
governmental agencies
and city programs to assist those most in need because of job and income
losses due to COVID-19.
The council awarded
several million dollars
in additional support
throughout the year.

May

8: 133 medical students in the Class of 2020 earned doctor of osteopathic medicine degrees as part of Burrell College of Osteopathic Medicine's first ever graduating class

26: NMSU Aggie baseball player Nick Gonzales was named National Player of the Year, leading the nation in home runs and runs batted in during the shortened season. Gonzales was also named first-team All-American and was the seventh pick overall in the Major League draft, the highest selection ever for an

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YEAR

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June

After two years of traffic-binding construction, the Valley Drive project was finally completed.

6: Primary election sees the defeat of long-time Democratic lawmakers serving Doña Ana County, including state Senate President Pro-Tempore Mary Kay Papen of Las Cruces, state Senate Finance Committee Chair John Arthur Smith of Deming and state Rep. Rudolfo "Rudy" Martinez of Silver City.

18-22: During a special session, the New Mexico Legislature passed a bill sponsored by state Sen. Joseph Cervantes, D-Doña Ana, requiring New Mexico police officers to wear body cameras "as a deterrent against unlawful use of force ..." Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham signed the bill into law

July 8.

30: Rabbi Larry Karol retired after nine years at Temple Beth-El and a 39-year rabbinate.

July

20: Las Cruces City Council unanimously voted to increase the fee for monthly residential solid waste service by \$2, to \$15.25 for a 96-gallon container. The increase was necessary to cover a \$1.34 million shortfall and to maintain the city's current level of service.

August

4: Doña Ana County Commission voted to award a management contract for the county Crisis Triage Center to Recovery Innovations International (RI), a Phoenix-based nonprofit.

4: Las Cruces Public Schools Board of Education voted to rename Oñate High School as Organ Mountain High School.

17-20: The Democratic National Convention in



July saw produce given away to lines of vehicles at Heart for the World Church.

Milwaukee included 23 New Mexico delegates, including U.S. Rep. Xochitl Torres Small and National Committeewoman Joni Gutierrez from Las Cruces.

24-27: The Republican National Convention in

Charlotte, North Carolina and Jacksonville, Florida included 22 delegates from New Mexico, including Doña Ana County Commissioner Isabella Solis and Paul Smith of Las Cruces as alternates.

24: Retired educator first ever climate action and state legislator J. Paul plan. The plan will guide the city in reducing its

September through November

More than 300,000 votes were cast in the Inaugural Bulletin's Best contest, resulting in winners in 379 categories.

September

1: Doña Ana Arts Council moved to 250 W. Amador Ave.

8: Ifo Pili became Las Cruces city manager.

30: Mesilla Valley Community of Hope earmed \$53,000 in its fourth annual all-virtual Tents to Rents fundraiser to move

people struggling with homelessness into their own homes.

October

5: Las Cruces City Council voted unanimously to adopt the city's first ever climate action plan. The plan will guide the city in reducing its greenhouse gas emissions by 73 percent by 2050.

8: The Three Crosses Medical Center, Las Cruces' newest full-service hospital, opens.

November

3: The voter turnout in Doña Ana County for the general election was 64.42 percent. The statewide turnout was 68.67 percent and the national turnout was 66.7 percent.

25: City of Las Cruces named Miguel Dominguez as the 20th chief of the Las Cruces Police Department. 30: City of Las Cruces named Fire Chief Eric Enriquez as assistant city manager. Jason Smith was named interim fire chief.

December

5: Mountain View Market Co-op, after 45 years in business, closes its doors.

25: Long-time Las Cruces resident Clayton Flowers turned 105. He was born Dec. 25, 1915 in rural Surry County, Virginia and was a member of the Tuskegee Airmen, the Army's first black pilots. He was a housing contractor and taught school for many years in Manhattan and moved to Las Cruces in 1984.

Ongoing

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scheduled monthly meeting VIA TELEPHONE ONLY on January 13, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. The transfer hearing will be handled during the regularly scheduled board meeting VIA TELEPHONE ONLY on January 13, 2021. Protest or protests from any person or persons interested may be heard at the hearing. At the end of the hearing, the Board of Directors shall take formal action upon the Resolution. Any protestant or protestants may appeal the decision of the Board directly to District Court within 10 days of the adoption or rejection of the Resolution '

Date: 01/01/2021

NOTICE is hereby given

that on November 25, 2020,

Claude and Elizabeth Sapi-

en, 4141 Stryker Rd. Las Cruces, NM 88005 filed with the STATE ENGI-NEER Application No. LRG17829-PODI, OSE File No. LRG-17829-1, for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by drilling new well LRG-17829-POD1 toa depth of 280 ft. with a 10 in. casing, to be located within the NW1/4 NW1/4 of projected Section 5, Township 24 South. Range 2 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Latitude intersect at 32 ° 15' 24.75" N. 106 ° 45' 57.08" W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicants, and by discontinuing the use of well LRG-01 447, located within the NW1/4 NW1/4 of projected Section 5, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32 ° 15' 24.82" N, 106 ° 45' 59.81 " W (WGS84), located on land owned by Roberto Marquez, for the continued diversion of the amount of

water subject to all condi-

tions and provisions con-

tained in the August 22,

2011 Final Judgment and

Settlement Agreement in

Stream System Issue No.

101, SS-97-101, combined

with surface water from the

Elephant Butte Irrigation

District for the irrigation of

0.88 acres of land, owned by

the applicant, located within

the NW1/4 of projected

Section 5.

Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), as described by Subfile Order No. LRS-28-0027004 of the Third Judicial District Court, Dona Ana County, State of New Mexico.

Dates: 12/18, 12/25, 2020, 01/01/2021

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 17, 2020, Willie Hernandez, 4052 HWY 478, Las Cruces, NM 88021, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application in No. LRG-12828-POD3, OSE File No.LRG-12828-1 for Permit to Change an Existing Water Right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico.

Dona Ana is the County affected by the diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Las Cruces Bulletin.

Use of LRG-12828-POD2, located near the intersection of X=1522823' Y=387062' NMSP Central NAD83, on land owned by the applicant, will be discontinued and replacement well LRG-12828-POD3 will be drilled near the intersection of X=1522864' Y=387075', for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the August 22, 2011 Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the irrigation of 33.96 acres of land as identified in LRG Subfile Order N o LRS-28-012-0071, owned by the applicant, located within the NW1/4 of Section 1 0, Township 26S, Range 3E, NMPM. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to use replacement well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22. Well LRG-12828-POD3 will be properly plugged.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J. Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity asserting standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be



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"Movie: How to Fake a War"

An arrogant rock star (Jay Pharoah, "Saturday Night Live") tries to manufacture conflict between warring factions when an unexpected cease fire threatens his heavily hyped Piece of Peace global charity concert in this 2020 British comedy from first-time feature filmmaker Rudolph Herzog.

"Movie: Mr. Jones"

Polish filmmaker Agnieszka Holland helmed this 2019 drama about Welsh journalist Gareth Jones (James Norton, "Little Women"), who risked his life to expose the truth about a famine devastating the Soviet Union in the 1930s. Vanessa Kirby, Peter Sarsgaard, Joseph Mawle and Krzysztof Pieczynski also star.

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"Movie: The Hero"

Sam Elliott stars in this 2017 drama as a Western movie icon who attempts to reconnect with his estranged daughter (Laura Prepon) and establish a relationship with a stand-up comic (Krysten Ritter) after he's diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. Nick Offerman, Katharine Ross and Max Gail are also in the cast for director Brett Haley.

tonight's **picks**6 p.m. on HGTV HGTV Dream Home 2021

Someone's about to start 2021 off in grand style as owner of a three-story Cape Cod-style home with classic coastal flair located in Portsmouth, R.I. Reflecting the creative vision of designers and hosts Brian Patrick Flynn and Tiffany Brooks, this waterfront haven draws on the region's rich maritime history and culture to come up with a look Flynn calls "Americana with a twist." The home and its furnishings are part of a \$2.8 million grand prize package that also includes a Camping World motorhome and \$250,000.

8 p.m. on KRWG Great Performances

Hugh Bonneville ("Downton Abbey") returns for the fourth time to host this annual musical tradition, although in this case, "returns" is a relative term: While Riccardo Muti conducts the acclaimed Vienna Philharmonic orchestra in a waltz-heavy program from Austria, Bonneville will fulfill his hosting duties remotely from England, owing to COVID-19 travel restrictions. The musical selections include compositions by Josef Strauss, Johann Strauss Sr. and Jr. and Franz von Suppé.



Riccardo Muti

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sports zone

BASKETBALL

Saturday

4:30 p.m. NBCSN Massachusetts at Saint Louis. From Chaifetz Arena in St. Louis. (Live)

Tuesday

6:00 p.m. ESPN North Carolina at Miami. From Watsco Center in Coral Gables, Fla. (Live)

8:00 p.m. ESPN Kansas at TCU. From Ed & Rae Schollmaier Arena in Fort Worth, Texas. (Live)

Wednesday

5:30 p.m. ESPN Boston
Celtics at Miami Heat.
From the AmericanAirlines
Arena in Miami. (Live)

8:00 p.m. ESPN Los Angeles Clippers at Golden State Warriors. From Chase Center in San Francisco. (Live)

Thursday

5:30 p.m. TNT Philadelphia
76ers at Brooklyn Nets.
From Barclays Center in
Brooklyn, N.Y. (Live)
6:30 p.m. ESPN Women's
College Teams TBA. (Live)
8:00 p.m. TNT Dallas Mavericks at Denver Nuggets. From Ball Arena in
Denver. (Live)

FOOTBALL

Friday

6:10 p.m. ESPN CFP Semifinal at the Allstate Sugar Bowl Ohio State vs Clemson. The No. 2 Tigers (10-1) and the No. 3 Buckeyes (6-0) meet in the CFP semifinals for a second straight year. Clemson has won all four meetings after a 29-23 victory in 2019. The Tigers routed the then-No. 2 Fighting Irish 34-10 in the ACC title game. (Live)

Saturday

6:00 p.m. ESPN Capital One
Orange Bowl Texas A&M
vs North Carolina. The No.
5 Aggies (8-1) tangle with
the No. 13 Tar Heels (8-3)
in the Orange Bowl. Texas
A&M was nosed out by Notre Dame for the final CFP
berth. North Carolina's
Sam Howell has tossed
27 TD passes this season.
These schools have never
previously met. (Live)

Sunday

6:20 p.m. KTSM Teams TBA. (Live)

GOLF

Thursday

4:00 p.m. GOLF Sentry
Tournament of Champions, First Round. From
the Plantation Course at
Kapalua. (Live)

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PGA Tour Golf WGC/FedEx St. Jude Invitational, Final Round **PGA Golf** 58 | 185 | 312 | "Good Morning" "Five Star Christmas" (2020) "Cross Country Christmas" (2020) 'Christmas by Starlight" (2020) "On the 12th Date of Christmas" (2020) "If I Only Had" HALL **HGTV** 41 112 229 Flip Flip Flip Good Bones **Good Bones Good Bones Good Bones** Good Bones Good Bones Good Bones Good Bones 44 120 269 (5:00) "Wyatt Earp" *** "Unforgiven HISTORY (1992) Clint Eastwood, Gene Hackman. *** "Tombstone" (1993, Western) Kurt Russell, Val Kilmer **History's Greatest Mysteries** History's-Mysteries "I Was Lorena Bobbitt" (2020) 39 108 252 Paid Prg. Paid Prg. Rizzoli & Isles "Secrets in the Woods" (2020) LIFE Rizzoli & Isles Rizzoli & Isles "The Bad Seed" (2018) Mckenna Grace. LIFEMOV 119 109 253 "Stalked by My Ex" (2017) Yves Bright "Psycho Ex-Girlfriend" (2018, Suspense) "Deadly Ex" (2016) Natasha Henstridge. "Ex-Wife Killer" (2018) Jordan Belfi "Betrayed by My Husband" (2017) College Basketball College Basketball 25 159 220 Premier League Soccer Premier College Basketball College Basketball Davidson at VCU. **NBCSN** 34 241 241 ** "2 Guns" (2013, Action) Denzel Washington. *** "The Italian Job" (2003) Mark Wahlberg. ** "Fast & Furious" (2009) Vin Diesel. "The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift" "Fast & Furious" **PAR** (:33) ★★ "Paul" (2011) Simon Pegg. 59 122 244 Futurama Futurama Futurama * * "Valerian and the City of a Thousand Planets" (2017) (:37) ★★ "X-Men III: The Last Stand" (2006) "Zombieland" SYFY **TBS** 33 | 139 | 247 | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Wipeout Wipeout *** "Ocean's Eleven" (2001) George Clooney ★★★ "Ocean's Twelve" (2004) George Clooney. (:15) ★★★ "Ocean's Thirteen" (2007) 169 132 256 (:08) "The Girl From Mexico" A Mod ★★★ "Treasure Island" (1934) ** * "The Story of G.I. Joe" (1945) *** "Lawrence of Arabia: Director's Cut" (1962, Biography) Peter O'Toole. **TCM** 45 183 280 Say Yes, Dress Say Yes, Dress 90 Day Fiancé TLC TNT 32 | 138 | 245 | NCIS: New Orleans NCIS: New Orleans ** "Godzilla" (2014) Aaron Taylor-Johnson *** "King Kong" (2005) Naomi Watts, Jack Black *** "Ant-Man and The Wasp" (2018, Action) The Dead Files The Dead Files 49 196 277 Kindred Spirits Kindred Spirits The Dead Files TRAV The Dead Files TRU TV 30 242 246 World's Dumbest .. World's Dumbest ... *** "This Is the End" (2013) Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes (11:50) ** "Next Friday" *** "Friday" (1995) Ice Cube. 31 105 242 Chicago P.D. (:40) ★ "Friday After Next" (2002) Chicago P.D. ★★★ "Friday" (1995) Ice Cube. Next USA

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AMC	57	131	254	*** "Lethal V	Veapon 3" (1992	, Action) Mel Gi	bson, Danny Glo	ver.	** "Lethal We	apon 4" (1998,	Action) Mel Gibs	son, Danny Glove	er, Joe Pesci.	,	** "Outbreak"	(1995) Dustin I	Hoffman.
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tonight's picks



Adam Berry and Amy Bruni 7:16 a.m. on STARZ Movie: Critical Thinking

John Leguizamo both directed and stars in this well-received 2020 biographical drama inspired by the true story of the Miami Jackson High School chess club, which became the first inner-city team to win the U.S. National Chess Championship. Leguizamo plays Cuban-American teacher Mario Martinez, the faculty advisor for the club. The cast also

includes Michael K. Williams, Rachel Bay Jones, Jorge Lendeborg Jr., Angel Bismark Curiel and Will Hochman.

7 p.m. on HALL Movie: Taking a Shot at Love

Jenna (Alexa PenaVega) was a professional dancer until an injury ended her career. Now, she teaches dance, and her sports agent cousin hopes she may be able to help a hockey client, Ryan "Coop" Cooper (Luke Macfarlane), recover from a very similar sports injury. Jenna needs the money, so she takes the gig, although Coop is initially really skeptical about this unconventional therapy. Eventually, though, they get on the same page, and as he makes impressive strides in his recovery, the pair strike romantic sparks as well.

8 p.m. on TRAV Kindred Spirits

Paranormal investigators and real-life BFFs Amy Bruni and

Adam Berry reteam with psychic medium Chip Coffey as they return for another season of this hit series, which finds them digging deeply into America's past to contact and identify some of the restless spirits that are said to haunt some of the country's oldest inns, homes and estates. The premiere, "Devil in Salem," takes the trio to Massachusetts to the home of John Proctor, one of the men found guilty and executed during Salem's infamous witch trials.

9 p.m. on KRWG ACL Hall of Fame: The First Six Years

As with so many other awards shows, this annual ceremony has been canceled for 2020 due to the coronavirus pandemic and related public health proscriptions against large public gatherings. In its place, this new one-hour special presents highlights from ceremonies over the past six years. Established in 2014, the Austin City Limits Hall of Fame has featured more than two dozen inductees during

its relatively short history, honoring those artists whose performances on this long-running TV series have had a significant impact on the show's identity.

9 p.m. on HBO Movie: The High Note

A good cast elevates Nisha Ganatra's somewhat familiar 2020 comedy-drama about a longtime personal assistant (Dakota Johnson) to a veteran R&B singer (Tracee Ellis Ross) who yearns for a career of her own as a music producer. Kelvin Harrison Jr. ("Godfather of Harlem") co-stars as an aspiring young musician who catches her attention. Johnson's mom, Melanie Griffith, has a cameo; Ice Cube, Jonathan Freeman, June Diane Raphael, Bill Pullman and Eddie Izzard also are featured.

10 p.m. on SHOW Movie: Dark Waters

Based on a 2016 article in the New York Times Magazine, this 2019 legal thriller from Todd Haynes ("Far From Heaven") dramatizes corporate defense lawyer Robert Bilott's (played by Mark Ruffalo) 20-year legal battle against the chemical manufacturing corporation Dupont. Initially summoned to a community in West Virginia to investigate a series of unexplained animal deaths, Bilott uncovers evidence that Dupont has contaminated the town with unregulated chemicals. The fine cast also includes Anne Hathaway, Tim Robbins, Victor Garber, Bill Camp, Mare Winningham and Bill Pullman.



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tonight's picks



Mayim Bialik

6 p.m. on HGTV Home Town

As a new season opens, Ben and Erin Napier help newlywed friends find their first home. In the aftermath of a tragic loss, the bride, her young son and their newly blended family look forward to a happier journey together. Accordingly, Ben and Erin try to weave the personal story of this newly forged clan throughout the space, which includes a dramatic dining room featuring a hand-crafted wood table, a play area with an upcycled and personalized toy box and a living room with a custom family-tree painting.

6 p.m. on BBCA The Watch

Adapted from the Discworld fantasy novels of Terry Pratchett, this new limited series follows the comic misadventures of the City Watch, the, um, highly diverse squad entrusted with keeping order in the crime-ridden metropolis of Ankh-Morpork. Led by the world-weary Sam Vimes (Richard Dormer, "Game of Thrones"), these improbable heroes — who include a werewolf and a troll — must stop some rogue wizards from resurrecting a great dragon that threatens their city. Wendell Pierce, Anna Chancellor, Lara Rossi, Adam Hugill and Matt Berry (in a voice role) also star.

7 p.m. on KFOX Call Me Kat

Very freely adapted from a hit British sitcom starring Miranda Hart, this new character-driven comedy stars Mayim Bialik in the title role of an eccentric woman who has made such unconventional life choices as being happily single as she approaches middle age. Oh, and spending her entire life savings to open a cafe for cats in Louisville, Ky. Kat's exasperated mother (Swoosie Kurtz) would like to see her daughter happily married, although Kat has the warm support of cafe colleagues Phil and Randi (Leslie Jordan, Kyla Pratt).

7 p.m. on FOOD Worst Cooks in America

Chefs Carla Hall and Anne Burrell vie to see who better can transform totally hapless home cooks into kitchen masters in Season 21 of this hit culinary competition series. In the premiere, the two professionals size up the potentials in the new field of 14 rookies by having them prepare their dishes for a date night. The premiere is followed by a new companion talk show, "Worst Cooks in America: Dirty Dishes."

8:22 p.m. on DSC Cal Fire

Produced by Discovery Channel in partnership with the California Department of Forestry and Fire Prevention (Cal Fire), this new docuseries embeds multiple camera crews with the department's frontline firefighters during the 2020 fire season, the worst in that state's history. The footage acquired during filming gives viewers a harrowing front-row look at some of California's most damaging infernos, from the Apple Fire near the Cherry Valley neighborhood in Southern California to the El Dorado Fire near San Bernardino County.

8:31 p.m. on KFOX Last Man Standing

Brace yourself for a time jump as Tim Allen's family sitcom returns for its ninth and final season, which ended Season 8 with daughter Kristin (Amanda Fuller) going into labor with her baby daughter, and Mandy (Molly McCook) expecting her own first child. As the action resumes, Mike (Tim Allen) and wife Vanessa (Nancy Travis) reflect on what their own senior years will be like, as he prepares to retire from his long employment at Outdoor Man. Christoph Sanders, Jordan Masterson, Jonathan Adams and Héctor Elizondo also star.

9 p.m. on KVIA The Rookie

Nathan Fillion returns to his role as John Nolan, the oldest "rookie" in the Los Angeles Police Department, as this new crime drama opens Season 3. As longtime fans of the show know, Nolan occasionally has been pushed to keep up with cop colleagues 20 years his junior, but his life experience, sense of humor and sheer grit have stood him in good stead so far. As the action resumes, however, Nolan faces his biggest career challenges yet when he is forced to come to terms with past choices.



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7:30 p.m. HGTV Self-Made Mansions (N)

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Saturday

8:00 p.m. HGTV Love It or List It A mother of three boys wants to sell the house they've called home for eight years.

9:00 p.m. HGTV Love It or List It A couple love their home's location, but it's dated and does not have space, function or style.

10:00 p.m. HGTV Love It or List It Anu and Samir rushed their first house purchasing shortly after getting married.

Sunday

9:00 a.m. HGTV Celebrity IOU Actress Allison Janney teams up with Jonathan and Drew Scott to give back to her assistant, Ilana.

10:00 a.m. HGTV Celebrity IOU Justin Hartley gives

back to his friend Mat for being the rock that saved him in rough times.

Monday

8:00 p.m. HGTV Ty Breaker

8:05 p.m. HGTV Celebrity IOU Actor Justin Hartley thanks his loyal friend Mat by renovating his broken backyard. (N)

9:05 p.m. HGTV Flip or Flop Tarek and Christina get a tip on a four-bedroom home, but they find the layout strange.

9:32 p.m. HGTV Flip or Flop Tarek and Christina try to nail a hip design in a trendy neighborhood.

10:00 p.m. HGTV Celebrity
IOU Actor Rainn Wilson
surprises his son's nanny,
Leslie, with a home makeover. After wielding Viking
weapons for demolition,
Rainn works with Drew and
Jonathan Scott to completely update her home, including adding a new kitchen,
deck and more.

Tuesday

7:00 p.m. HGTV Fixer to Fabulous (N) 10:00 p.m. HGTV Fixer to Fabulous

Wednesday

9:00 a.m. HGTV Flipping
101 With Tarek El Moussa
A mother and son struggle
to build their family flipping

A mother and son struggle to build their family flipping business when a project causes tension.

9:30 a.m. HGTV Flipping 101 With Tarek El Moussa Contractor and real estate agent brothers' business is a flop due to different priorities.

Thursday

6:00 p.m. HGTV Flipping Across America (N)

7:01 p.m. HGTV Flip or Flop Tarek and Christina take on one of their biggest projects to date in Anaheim Hills, Calif. (N)

7:32 p.m. HGTV Flip or Flop Tarek and Christina team up with their friend Pete De Best on a house in Yorba Linda. Calif.

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10:31 p.m. HGTV Flip or Flop Tarek and Christina team up with their friend Pete De Best on a house in Yorba Linda. Calif.

tonight's picks



Matt James

6 p.m. on HGTV 100 Day Dream Home

Brian and Mika Kleinschmidt return with new episodes of their hit home improvement series, in which they take clients on "inspiration tours" of various properties to select preferred exteriors, interiors and finishes, then design a completely personalized, move-in-ready home before the new homeowners can count to 100. This new season finds the couple racing against Mother Nature's clock to build various styles of homes during Florida's hurricane sea-

son. The Kleinschmidts also share the realization of their very own dream home.

7 p.m. on KVIA The Bachelor

North Carolina-born real estate broker, entrepreneur and community organization founder Matt James goes looking for love in the title role of this hit relationship series as it opens Season 25. This edition's Bachelor now lives in New York. where he founded an organization designed to find creative ways to engage young people from under-served communities in the area, encouraging both physical and mental wellness. Chris Harrison returns to his familiar role as host.

7 p.m. on HGTV Celebrity IOU

Actor Rainn Wilson ("The Office") delivers a major surprise to his son's nanny, Leslie,in the form of a home makeover. After dramatically wielding Viking weapons and working out personal tensions during the demolition stage of the process, Rainn works with Drew and Jonathan Scott to completely update Leslie's home, including adding a new kitchen, deck and more.

9 p.m. on KVIA The Hustler

Comic and actor Craig Ferguson hosts this diabolical new game show in which five contestants collaborate to answer questions worth \$10,000 each. One of them — the Hustler – knows the answers in advance. however. As the game unfolds, the Hustler anonymously eliminates two of the players, leaving three contestants, one of them the Hustler That last trio must collectively decide which of them is the Hustler. If the Hustler evades detection, he snags the team's communal earnings. If he is unmasked, though, the other two players split the pot.

9 p.m. on KTSM The Wall

Chris Hardwick returns as host as one of the simplest yet most suspenseful game shows on television opens Season 4. Teammates can receive some truly life-changing cash prizes simply by answering a question correctly. Tonight's contestants are Lisa and Dan, a married couple from Wanatah, Ind. Lisa is a mental health counselor who started a non-profit confidence camp for young women called "Own It"; Dan is a construction analyst and woodworker who likes to donate his crafts to his community.

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Listening to the echoes

By DEBBI MOORE

GLCCC CEO/President

Contemplating my article for this, the very first Bottom Line of 2021, I remembered an article written many years ago. I believe it was January 2009 and I in Santa Fe during the session. Walking from one hotel to another for an event, surrounded by snow on the ground with snow softly coming down, in the quietness of the moment, I listened to the echoes of my footsteps on the cobblestone sidewalk. At that time I spoke to the importance of listening to the echoes of those who have gone before us and building on their foundations in our communities.

Remembering that speech, I realized that over this year we have been creating echoes of our own in so many ways. Taking this quite person-



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Debbi Moore

ally, I pondered the question, "What are my echoes that future generations will build upon or history will remember and value?"

Both collectively and individually, we have, and will continue to navigate this uncharted journey. As often when a new year arrives, reflection of the past year always comes to the forefront of our minds. Reflection on

the impact of this pandemic includes grief, loss and profound sadness. My heart aches for those who have lost loved ones this year, as I know all too well this grief journey. We salute, and continue to do so, our healthcare workers and first responders who have been there for our community from the very beginning of this pandemic.

And vet, in the middle of so much sadness, we witnessed our community rise to the challenge. We are a phoenix rising in the midst of it all to create those echoes of resilience, of hope, of gentleness and genuine kindness creating the ultimate echo of love that will long transcend this pandemic. We've talked in previous articles about the giving nature of our community to help those in need, to promote shopping among our local businesses.

to donate funds, to help our children...over and over during this year we have created the echoes of community, our giving, wonderful community.

My echoes...Iy echoes...I hope my echoes will be ones of servant leadership, of inspiration in the darkest of times and of a listening ear. I trust my echoes will give confidence that no matter how dire, how impossible, the situation seems to be, there is always hope. Echoes of the simple power of working together as a team can move mountains and make our community stronger than ever. Echoes our future generations will look back and say those are echoes, those foundations, are ones we can build upon.

I wish I could say that this

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FROM THE CHAIR

New chair ready to serve

Happy New Year to everyone! As much as we were all ready to put 2020 behind us, I believe the challenges of the year did much to bring out the best in all of us. The beginning of a new year prompts us to reflect on the year we just completed. As I think about how our Las Cruces business community adjusted and adapted in so many ways for so many months, it makes me proud to call Las Cruces home!

It has been my pleasure to serve on the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors for the last several years, and I look forward to serving our membership as Chairman for 2021. I want to recognize and thank Sabrina Martin for her leadership as Chair of our board during 2020. She and our President and CEO Debbi Moore, along with the support of our entire board, were effective in leading the Chamber through the unusual year of 2020. Under Sabrina's leadership, Debbi, with the support of her very capable staff of Brandi Misquez, and Cyndi Armijo, adopted the theme of "Pivot. Navigate. Reset. Recover" to deal with the impacts of COVID-19. The objective was to provide current and critical information and resources to our membership as they dealt with the effects of the pandemic to their businesses. Based on feedback from members, I believe our chamber achieved those goals. Throughout the hectic year that none of us will forget, the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce also continued to advocate with law makers regarding policies that were important to business owners, and through various leadership programs also developed skills and talents that will make businesses and our business community stronger.

Looking into 2021, I am personally honored to be leading our board for the year. For those of us that have the privilege of doing business in our community, I feel strongly that we have a responsibility to do what we can to make the community better. Being part of the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce is in my view an effective way to fulfill that responsibility. In the way of a brief introduction, I'll share a little about my background. My wife Susan and I are both native New Mexicans, and we are the proud parents of a son and a daughter, and proud grandparents to three grandkids. I am a graduate of NMSU, and I serve as President and CEO of Citizens Bank of Las Cruces. I've spent most of my 35 year banking career in New Mexico, and much of that has been right here in Las Cruces. As

a community bank that is locally owned, Citizens Bank has for 50 vears been an avid supporter of Las Cruces, and in many ways has helped this community grow. We are a firm believer that in addition to our employees and custom-



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ers, the communities we serve are key stakeholders that deserve our resources and energy. Supporting our Chamber is an effective way to give back and to help make Las Cruces a better place to live and work.

Our Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce is committed to our membership and this special community of Las Cruces and Doña Ana County. I look forward to the positive difference we can make as we enter 2021, which will hopefully be the year we beat this pandemic and come out even stronger than we were before.



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is all behind us and 2021 will find us back to normal. Unfortunately, I cannot. I can say that the light, the horizon before is brighter than before. There is still much more navigation of these uncharted waters to be done. We still don't know what our "new normal" will look like. I do know, with great confidence, the echoes of this community, our home, will continue to echo resilience, agility, gentleness and kindness. We are, of course, now more than ever, #lascrucesstrong.



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Looking back with love, forward with hope

Dear Community Partners.

I hope you all had a blessed Holiday Season. I want to take this opportunity to thank my Chamber Family for the opportunity to serve as the Chair of the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors. Also, my Aprendamos Family for their continued support.

As we look forward to 2021, it's important that we look back with love and forward with hope. 2020 was a challenging year. There were many losses. loss of connection, life, and to become more creative

business. With the bad also comes the good. In 2020 I spoke to my friends and family over video

chat more than

ever before. I sent more random text messages to friends than ever before. I also become quite skilled at ordering take-out and jumping on a Zoom call. And I became the best stayat-home dog mom I could ever be.

Many businesses had

and innovative than ever before. Creativity such as building social media fol-

> lowings, adding ordering options to a website, organizing curbside pick-up, and delivery

> > options. To

me, innovation means getting comfortable in the uncomfortable, embracing new ideas and ways of doing things, and exploring different avenues of growth and learning.

In the new year of 2021,

I believe prosperity will be the embrace of change through creativity and innovation. As the Ambassadors Chair, I see our Ambassadors continuing to support our local business. Of course, we'll get creative, and we'll continue to highlight success stories in our community. And we'll continue supporting our local non-profit organizations, and we'll continue learning, innovating, celebrating, and growing together as the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors.

I want to thank Diana

Peru, who is now our Immediate Past-Chair, for her friendship and guidance. Also, thank our new **Executive Council for** their continued support of the Ambassadors and Greater Chamber, Also. to the Board of the Great Chamber, we look forward to our continued collaboration. I must also add a particular moment of gratitude to Debbi Moore, Cyndi Armijo, and Brandi Misquez for their continued guidance and support. We are looking forward with hope to an excellent 2021. Happy New Year!



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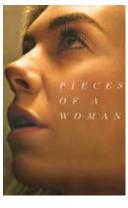
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"Headspace Guide to Meditation" In this new animated series, Andy Puddicombe, a former Buddhist monk and cofounder of the

Headspace

meditation app, takes viewers through the benefits and science behind meditation. Each 20-minute episode showcases a different mindfulness technique that aids in the practice of meditation, focusing on subjects such as stress, anger and letting go. (ORIGINAL)



Your Bulletin TV & Entertainment pullout section

"Movie: Pieces of a Woman" A hit at the 2020 Venice Film Festival, this drama movie stars Vanessa Kirby ("The Crown") as a woman who

embarks on an

emotional journey

in the year following the loss of her baby in a home birth. The impressive cast for this Canadian/Hungarian/ American production also includes Sarah Snook ("Succession"), Molly Parker ("Deadwood"), Shia LaBeouf ("American Honey") and Ellen Burstyn ("The Exorcist"). (ORIGINAL)



"Cobra Kai"

The former YouTube Premium series moves over to Netflix for its third season, which finds everyone reeling after a violent

brawl between their high school dojos puts Miguel (Xolo Mariduena) in the emergency room fighting for his life. Ralph Macchio, William Zabka, Martin Kove, Mary Mouser and Jacob Bertrand are among cast returnees. (ORIGINAL)

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tonight's picks

7 p.m. on KTSM Chicago Med

Dr. Charles and April (Oliver Platt, Yaya DaCosta) work together to treat a mysterious patient who has come into the ED in the new episode "Do You Know the Way Home?." Elsewhere, Dr. Halstead (Nick Gehlfuss) is forced to make a life-or-death judgment call for one of the patients in his trial. Meanwhile, Dr. Marcel (Dominic Rains) must confront his enigmatic past when a former acquaintance is brought into the emergency room.



Oliver Platt

8:01 p.m. on A&E Nature Gone Wild

In this new half-hour docuseries, professional back-country guide and explorer Greg Aiello highlights and analyzes some of the most startling viral video footage that captures unbelievable activities and occurrences in nature. Among the featured highlights are animal attacks, scenes of natural disasters in full fury and much more. Tonight's premiere, "Run, Bro, Run!," includes two determined fishermen in a tug-of-war with a massive crocodile, a father and son who get trapped in a wildfire, and a bow hunter who gets a bear hug. Another episode follows.



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tonight's picks



Holly Hunter 7 p.m. on KVIA Celebrity Wheel of Fortune

Two authentically iconic game show personalities — Pat Sajak and Vanna White — return in their thrice-familiar roles as host

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and "letter turner" for this new primetime spinoff of a venerable game that has proven remarkably resilient in both network daytime and syndication. For this new prime time version, though, celebrity contestants are the guests spinning the show's big wheel to solve word puzzles and win up to \$1 million. All winnings are donated to the charity of the stars' choice.

7 p.m. on KTSM Mr. Mayor

Ted Danson returns to the NBC comedy lineup in this smart new sitcom created by "30 Rock"

colleagues Tina Fey and Robert Carlock. The Emmy-winning actor stars as retired businessman Neil Bremer, who decides to run for mayor of Los Angeles just to prove he's still got it. Spoiler alert: He wins, but now Neil must figure out what he stands for and how he's going to run this ultra-high-maintenance town. Holly Hunter, Vella Lovell, Kyla Kenedy and Bobby Moynihan co-star.

7 p.m. on WE Growing Up Hip Hop Atlanta

Political tensions collide with the tensions of life under a

seemingly endless pandemic as this hit docuseries opens Season 4. Among the story lines, a mystery woman leaks a shocking secret that leaves Bow Wow haunted by his past, while Da Brat tries to keep unwanted drama from sabotaging his latest romance. Elsewhere, Ms. Deb drops a bombshell that threatens some of Waka and Tammy's core beliefs, and COVID-19 literally takes Ayana Fite's breath away, leaving her fighting for her life.



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"Pequeña Victoria"

Titled "Victoria Small" in English, this Argentine comedy follows four very different women who agree to violate surrogacy protocols and co-parent a baby together. Luciano Castro, Facundo Arana, Nicolás Francella, Daniel Hendler and Julieta Díaz head the cast.



"Movie: Euphoria"

Italian actress Valeria Golino ("The Summer House," "Fortuna") co-wrote and directed this 2018 Italian drama about two distant brothers (Riccardo Scamarcio, Valerio Mastandrea) forced by circumstance to come together and eventually learn they're more alike than they previously had thought. Isabella Ferrari, Valentina Cervi and Jasmine Trinca are also in the cast.



"Movie: The Little Hours"

Set in the Middle Ages, this 2017 comedy stars Dave Franco as a young servant, on the run from his master, who takes refuge at a convent full of unstable nuns who find his presence too distracting. The solid cast includes Alison Brie ("GLOW"), Kate Micucci ("The Last Hurrah"), Aubrey Plaza ("Parks and Recreation"), John C. Reilly ("Moonbase 8") and Fred Armisen ("Portlandia").



"Clifford the Big Red Dog"

Clifford, Emily Elizabeth and their friends return for more adventures in the new season, including a day at the Birdwell Fun Fair, building the coolest clubhouse ever, throwing a welcome party for a new islander and turning the sounds of a thunderstorm into a song. No matter the situation, they always know they can always depend on one another in good times and bad. (ORIGINAL)



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cooking log

Friday

9:00 p.m. COOK Kids Baking Championship The eight remaining bakers carve potato cutouts and create colorful potato-print cookies.

9:01 p.m. FOOD Beat Bobby Flay New York chef Anastacia Song and Southern sweetie Joey Ward face each other before one faces Bobby.

9:30 p.m. FOOD Beat Bobby Flay Colombian restaurateur Sam Gorenstein and Mexican chef David Vargas compete to take on Bobby Flay.

Saturday

9:00 p.m. COOK Iron Chef America Chef Maneet Chauhan enters kitchen stadium to challenge Iron Chef Morimoto.

FOOD Guy's Grocery Games Pork plates; competitors will have to show snout if they want to win the all-bacon battle.

Sunday

8:30 p.m. COOK Yum and Yummer Eddie Jackson dives into some deep-fried dishes that are sure to satisfy the craving for crunch.

9:00 p.m. COOK The Best Thing I Ever Ate Martha Stewart in New York; Alex Guarnaschelli in Minneapolis; Wolfgang Puck's favorite Asian dish.

FOOD Beat Bobby Flay Iron Chef Alex Guarnaschelli shows Bobby Flay no mercy with actress Tina Fey.

9:30 p.m. COOK The Best Thing I Ever Ate Gnocchi in New York City; a 14-karat-gold cake in Chicago; Johnny Weir and Tara Lipinski

FOOD Beat Bobby Flay Chef Michael Voltaggio gets help from an extra special guest, Drew Barrymore, to take down Bobby.

Monday

9:00 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations From creamy hairy crab and savory pork-filled dumplings to rice winesoaked chicken.

FOOD Chopped Chopped's second teen competition; tuna and cereal; the entree round requires some skilled butchery.

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9:30 p.m. COOK Bizarre
Foods: Delicious Destinations Puffy tacos and a giant chalupa burger; slow-cooked brisket; melt-in-yourmouth barbacoa.

Tuesday

8:30 p.m. COOK Burgers, Brew & 'Que A burger that originated as an off-menu secret; a mammoth, pretzel-breaded, deep-fried pork shank.

9:00 p.m. COOK Burgers, Brew & 'Que A triple-layered twist on regional dryrub ribs; corned beef that's a 30-day labor of love.

FOOD Supermarket Stakeout The tables are turned as Alex Guarnaschelli takes on Stakeout's toughest carts in her own backyard.

9:30 p.m. COOK Burgers, Brew & 'Que Pork belly sliders with bacon jam and bourbon sauce; eggs baked in a tomato and pepper stew.

Wednesday

9:00 p.m. COOK Food Paradise Joints that have upped the Happy Hour ante with outrageous, tummy-tantalizing appetizers.

FOOD Guy's Grocery Games Guy invites chefs to Flavortown and tells them they can shop for ingredients under five dollars.

Thursday

9:00 p.m. COOK Man v. Food Casey counts down the five fish feasts; Hall of Fame.

FOOD Beat Bobby Flay Scott Conant's daughter Ayla helps him try to beat Bobby Flay; chefs Lee Knoeppel and Max Hardy.

9:30 p.m. COOK Man v. Food Enchiladas, burritos and fajitas; a Tex Mex treat. FOOD Beat Bobby Flay Iranian competition junkie Kevin Naderi battles Polish-Italian chef Mark Vecchitto.

tonight's movies

Ant-Man and The Wasp ★★★ (2018, Action) Paul Rudd. Ant-Man and the Wasp battle a powerful new enemy. (2:30) TNT Fri. 5:45 p.m.

Avengers: Endgame ★★★½ (2019, Action) Robert Downey Jr. The Avengers prepare for an epic showdown with Thanos. (3:55) TNT Sun. 6 p.m., Mon. 5:30 p.m.

Back to the Future Part III ★★★ (1990, Comedy) Michael J. Fox. Marty McFly visits the Old West to save the imperiled Doc. (2:30) TBS Fri. 5 p.m.

City Lights ★★★★ (1931, Comedy-Drama) Charlie Chaplin, Silent, A vagrant gets a drunken mogul to aid a blind flower girl. (1:45) TCM Sat. 6 p.m.

Coming to America ★★★ (1988, Comedy) Eddie Murphy. An African prince and his royal sidekick come to Queens. (2:30) PAR Wed. 7:30 p.m.

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The Dark Knight *** (2008, Action) Christian Bale. Batman battles a vicious criminal known as the Joker. (3:30) PAR Mon.

4 p.m. Dark Victory ★★★ (1939, Drama) Bette Davis. A dying heiress embarks on a social whirl. (2:00) TCM Tue. 6 p.m.

Forrest Gump ★★★★ (1994, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks. A slow-witted Southerner experiences 30 years of history. (3:00) AMC Sun. 6 p.m.

Furious 7 *** (2015, Action) Vin Diesel. A dead man's brother seeks revenge on the Toretto gang. (3:00) **FX Thu. 8 p.m.**

G.I. Jane ★★★ (1997, Drama) Demi Moore. A female Navy SEALs recruit completes rigorous training. (3:00) AMC Thu. 6 p.m. The Godfather, Part II ***

(1974, Crime Drama) Al Pacino. Michael Corleone moves his father's crime family to Las Vegas. (4:10) PAR Fri. 5:50 p.m. The Goonies *** (1985, Children's) Sean Astin. Young misfits find a 17th-century pirate's treasure map. (2:30) SYFY Tue. 7 p.m., Wed. 4:30 p.m.

The Hangover $\star\star\star$ (2009,

Comedy) Bradley Cooper. Three pals must find a missing groom after a wild bash. (2:00) FX Fri. 5 p.m.

The Help ★★★½ (2011, Drama) Viola Davis. An aspiring writer captures the experiences of black women. (3:15) PAR Sun. 5 p.m.

I Love You Again ★★★ (1940, Comedy) William Powell. A boating mishap transforms an unhappy businessman. (2:00) TCM Sun. 8 p.m.

The Italian Job ★★★ (2003. Drama de Crimen) Mark Wahlberg. Un ladrón y su equipo intentan recuperar un cargamento de oro. (2:00) KTFN Fri. 5 p.m. It's a Gift ★ ★ ★ (1934, Comedy) W.C. Fields. A grocery store owner inherits an orange plantation. (1:15) TCM Fri. 6 p.m.

Kill Zone 2 ★ ★ ★ (2015, Acción) Tony Jaa. La identidad de un policía es descubierta. (N) (2:30) KTFN Sun. 7:30 p.m.

Lethal Weapon 3 ★ ★ ★ (1992, Action) Mel Gibson. L.A. detectives and a wild woman crush a

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guns-to-gangs deal. (2:30) AMC Sat. 6 p.m. A Little Romance ★★★ (1979,

Romance-Comedy) Laurence Olivier. An elderly con man helps out two love-struck teenagers. (2:00) TCM Sun. 4 p.m. Lover Come Back *** (1961) Romance-Comedy) Rock Hudson. An ad executive competes to land a nonexistent account. (2:00) TCM Fri. 4 p.m.

The Maltese Falcon ★★★★ (1941, Crime Drama) Humphrey Bogart. Detective Sam Spade searches for a jewel-encrusted statue. (2:00) **ŤCM Tue. 8 p.m.** Mission: Impossible Rogue Nation $\star \star \star$ (2015, Action) Tom Cruise. Èthan Hunt and his team square off against the Syndicate. (3:00) FX Thu. 5

O Brother, Where Art Thou? *** (2000, Comedy-Drama) George Clooney. Three escaped convicts embark on an unusual odyssey. (2:30) AMC

Tue. 6 p.m. Ocean's Thirteen ★★★ (2007, Comedy-Drama) George Clooney. Danny Ocean and his gang seek to right a wrong. (2:30) TBS Sat. 4:15 p.m.

Please Don't Eat the Daisies * ★ ★ (1960, Comedv) Doris Day. Jean Kerr's comic account of a drama critic and his family. (2:15) **TCM Fri. 7:15 p.m.** Pretty Woman *** (1990, Romance-Comedy) Richard Gere. A corporate raider hires

a hooker to act as a business escort. (3:03) LIFE Fri. 6 p.m., Thu. 6 p.m.

The Private Life of Henry VIII *** (1933, Historical Drama) Charles Laughton. A portrait of the 16th-century monarch and his many wives. (1:45) **TCM** Mon. 7:15 p.m.

Rise of the Planet of the Apes ★★★ (2011, Ciencia Ficción) James Franco. Experimento médico resulta en un chimpancé superinteligente. (N) (2:30) KINT Sun. 7 p.m. Rocky Balboa ★★★ (2006. Drama) Sylvester Stallone. Rocky, now retired, fights the world heavyweight champion. (2:15) AMC Fri. 7:30 p.m.

The Shawshank Redemption * * * * (1994, Drama) Tim Robbins. An innocent man goes to a Maine penitentiary for life in 1947. (3:00) AMC Wed. 6 p.m. The Smiling Lieutenant

*** (1931, Musical Comedy) Maurice Chevalier. An Austrian army officer is forced to marry a princess. (2:00) TCM Thu. 6

Spider-Man: Homecoming ★★★ (2017, Action) Tom Holland. Peter Parker harnesses his new powers to battle the Vulture. (3:00) FX Mon. 8 p.m., Tue. 5 p.m.

The Tender Trap ★★★ (1955, Comedy) Debbie Reynolds. A New York bachelor is fair game for marriage-minded women. (2:00) TCM Mon. 4 p.m.

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The Revenant ★★★½ (2015, Aventura) Leonardo DiCaprio. Un trampero intenta vengarse de sus compañeros. (3:00) KTFN Fri. 7 p.m.

Thor: Ragnarok ★★★ (2017, Action) Chris Hemsworth. Thor must battle the mighty Hulk and the all-powerful Hela. (2:45) TNT Sat. 6 p.m.

Trouble in Paradise ★★★½ (1932, Comedy) Miriam Hopkins. Two thieves compete to fleece a wealthy Parisian widow. (1:30) TCM Thu. 8 p.m.

Vertigo ★★★★ (1958, Suspense) James Stewart. A detective with a fear of heights falls for his quarry. (2:15) TCM Sat. 7:45 p.m.

Zombieland ★★★ (2009, Comedy) Woody Harrelson. Survivors of an apocalypse join forces against zombies. (2:00) SYFY Sat. 5 p.m.

Bingo — Solution

	E	Α	U	S	С
South American Nations	Ecuador	Argentina	Uruguay	Suriname	Chile Colombia
Punctuation Marks	Ellipsis Exclamation point	Apostrophe		Semicolon	Colon Comma
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High School Classes	Electronics English	Algebra Art		Science Spanish Speech	Chemistry Civics
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Crossword Solution

James Spader Solution

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crossword puzzle



The identity of the featured celebrity is found within the answers in the puzzle. In order to take the TV Challenge, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

ACROSS

- New series about a doctor
- With 10 Across, fast-paced sport (2)
- See 9 Across
- Brain wave test, for short American living abroad
- Singer Frankie
- Actor on "Modern Family" (2)
- "Santa __ Trail"; Errol Flynn western
- MMXXI for one: abbr
- Neon or nitrogen "the Bounty Hunter"

- "Joan of __"; Ingrid Bergman movie
- Actress McClanahan Lansing's initials 25. 26.
- Prefix for print or place 29. 30.
- __ Beyond"; 2016 sci-fi film sequel
- 34. 36. 38. 39. Just right Emmy or Oscar
- Eggy drink Actor Katz
- "... '__ the season to be jolly ...
 "FBI: __ " ... lulion *** * 42. 43. "; Julian McMahon series

DOWN

- Money for Uncle Sam Ready to be picked & eaten International military alliance Initials for Lamb Chop's puppeteer
- Family man
 "__ Marleen"; WWII love song Patrick Harris
- Number of seasons for "Friends" Actor on "The Goldbergs" (2) Actor on "MacGyver," once (2)
- 14. Tally up
- Rise"
- "__ rilse
 "My Name Is __"
 "How I Met __ Mother"
- Vanna White's state of birth: abbr
- 23. "Harper Valley __'
- Amsterdam'
- Lily variety
- __ Like Love"; Ashton Kutcher film
- 32. _ Man"; 1988 Dustin Hoffman
- Hudson or Mulgrew
- Mr. DeLuise
- Get __ of; shed Initials for Wallace of "60 Minutes"
- 37. 40. 41. Acuff's initials

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Each number 1-9 may appear only once in each row, column and 3-by-3 box.

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"The Snoopy Show" (Apple TV+ — series premiere, Feb. 5)

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"Whitney & Bobbi" (Lifetime — new documentary, Feb. 6)

This new in in-depth documentary looks at the lives of singer Whitney Houston and her daughter, Bobbi Kristina. Prior to Whitney's death more than eight years ago, the mother-daughter duo held a very close bond and worked on music together. Bobbi tragically died in 2015 after being in a coma for six months. Footage includes intimate conversations with the friends and family that were closest to them.

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BINGO

Fill in each box of the BINGO grid below with an answer that begins with the letter above each column and belongs to the category listed before each row. List one answer for each box, although there is more than one acceptable answer for many of the boxes.

Solution on page 15

	E	Α	U	S	C
South American Nations					
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ACROSS

- 1. 1950 Disney movie
- Driver's license & Social Security card
- 10. "... __ partridge in a pear tree"
- 11. Wide sash
- 13. __ away; astonished
- 15. Film parts
- 17. 1940 Disney movie
- 18. Syllable from the hard of hearing
- 20. Jekyll or Dolittle: abbr.
- 21. Wine and dine
- 23. Gehrig or Costello
- 24. Footed vase
- 25. Jillian or Curry
- 26. Daddy
- 29. Agreeable response
- 30. 1953 Disney movie (2)
- 34. Third-largest city in Israel
- 36. Horse-and-buggy users

- 38. Letters on a PC bailout key
- 39. Singer Tennille
- 42. PBS' "Bill __ the Science Guy"
- 43. 1995 Disney movie

DOWN

- 1. Half of CM
- 2. "Time ___ the essence!"
- 3. Actor Florek
- 4. Prefix for rage or roll
- 5. County map abbr.
- 6. Pitcher parts
- 7. Actress Glaudini
- 8. Presidential nickname
- 9. "Honey, ___ __ __ Kid"; 1992 Disney movie
- 12. "Honey, ___ _ _ Kids"; 1989 Disney movie
- 14. Simple card game
- 16. Cake ingredient
- 19. Circle dance

- 20. "First, ___ harm"; medical admonition
- 22. Switch position
- 23. Note of the musical scale
- 27. ABC followers
- 28. Toast topper
- 30. __ Rivera, Calif.
- 31. "See va!" (hyph.)
- 32. Gallstone symptom
- 33. One of Columbus' three ships
- 35. Deadly critter
- 37. Respiratory or circulatory: abbr.
- 40. Word of mild surprise
- 41. Denial

Solution Cuba

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Dates: 01/01, 01/08, 01/15, 2021

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 17, 2020, Daniel and Michelle Maese, of 565 Bar X Rd., Mesilla, NM 88047 filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG-18023-

POD1 OSE File No. LRG-18023-1 for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Dona Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG1612, located within the NW1/4 NW1/4 of Sec. 23, Township 24S,Range 02E, NMPM, on land owned by Tommy Montoya, and drilling replacement well LRG-18023-POD1 to an approximate depth of 160 ft with a 8" casing to be located within NW1/4 of said ly at the intersection of X= 1.496.535 ft. Y=441.290 ft. NMSP, Central zone, NAD 83, on land owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the August 22, 2011 Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the irrigation of 1.02 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the NW1/4 NW1/4 of said Sec. 23, as described by Hydrographic Survey Subfile No.: LRR-28-004-0048 (A). The proposed well is located approximately 1300 ft. NE, from the intersection of East Organ Rd. and Bar X Rd., Well LRG-1612 will be retained for other rights. The applicant requested emergency authorization to use

Sec. 23 and more specifical-

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the proposed well under

NMSA, 1978, Section

72-12-23

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Dates: 01/01, 01/08, 01/15, 2021

NOTICE is hereby given

that on November 19, 2020, Gose Farms LLC, P.O. Box 128 Mesilla Park, NM, 88047 filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG-980-POD7, OSE File No. LRG-980-6 for Permit to change an existing water right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by drilling replacement w e 11 LRG-980-POD7 located within the SE1/4 of Section 7, Township 26S, Range 3E, NMPM and more specifically where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 3'23 "N, 106 °40'11 "W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant to replace existing well LRG-980 located within the SE1/4 of Section 7, Township 26S Range 3E, NMPM, and more specifically where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32 ° 3'41 "N, 106 °40'37"W (WGS84), on land owned by Farms El Consuelo LLC for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the August 22, 2011 Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the irrigation of 27.68 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the SE1/4 of Section 7, Township 26S Range 3E, NMPM and NE1/4 of Section 18, Township 26S, Range 3E, NMPM, as described by Subfile Order No. LRS-28-011-0078 Right A of the Third Judicial Court. Dona Ana County, State of New Mexico. The site of replacement well LRG-980-POD7 is located in the NE1/4 corner of Gose Farms LLC found off of Highway 28. Well LRG-980 will be retained for other rights. The applicant has requested

emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under

NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-23.

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Dates: 12/18, 12/25, 2020, 01/01/2021

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 13, 2020, Christopher & Stephanie Allison, 500

Cline Rd., Mesilla Park, NM 88047, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Applic a t i o n N o . LRG-00472-POD4, OSE File No. LRG-00472-BA, for Permit to Drill a Replacement well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico.

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affected by the diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Las Cruces Bulletin. Use of well LRG-00472,

located within the SW1/4

NW1/4 NE1/4 of S23, T24S,

R02E, NMPM, and more specifically located at or near the intersection X= 1499003 ft and Y= 440568 ft, NMSP, Central NAD83, on land owned by Holbrook Family Revocable Trust, will be replaced by proposed well LRG-00472-POD4 which will be located within the NE1/4 of said Section 23 located at the approximate intersection X= 1498714 ft and Y= 441056 ft, NMSP, Central NAD83, on land owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of an amount of shallow groundwater reserved for future determination by the May 24. 1999 Order of the Third Indicial District Court Dona Ana County, State of New Mexico, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, for the irrigation of 3.52 acres. owned by applicant, located within the NE1/4 of said Section 23, as described by Subfile No. LRS-28-004-0071 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. The site of the proposed well LRG-00472-POD4 will be approximately 440 ft SE of the intersection of Valles Rd. and Orgot Rd. Existing well LRG-00472 will be retained for other rights.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

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Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before February 12, 2021, Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest if the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, at 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA

Dates: 12/25/2020, 01/01, 01/08, 2020

NOTICE is hereby given that on September 22, 2020, Pedro Jurado, 300 S. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG-1482-POD5 for Permit to Change Groundwater Point of Diversion, associated with Water Right File Nos. LRG-1482-1, LRG-1482-1A, LRG-1482-2

and LRG-1482-3 within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico.

Dona Ana is the County affected by the diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Las Cruces Bulletin.

Request to discontinue use

of well LRG-1482-POD4,

located within the NE1/4 NE 1/4SW1/4 of Section 23, Township 23 South, Range 01 East, NMPM, and more specifically described as where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 30° 17' 30.78" N and 106° 48' 39.88" W (WGS84) on land owned by Arturo & Maria Jurado Revocable Trust, and instead drill a new well LRG-1482-POD5, to a proposed depth of 340 feet below ground surface with a 10 inch casing to be located within the NE1/4 NE1/4 SW 1/40f said Section 23 and more specifically described as where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 17' 30.82" N and 106° 48' 40.50" W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicants, for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the August 22, 2011 Final Judg-

ment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the irrigation of 117.72 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the SE1/4 of Section 22, SE1/4 and SW 1/4of Section 23 and Pt. NE 1/4of Section 27, all of Township 23S, Range 01E, NMPM, as described in Subfile Nos.: LRN-28-012-0039-A, Right A, LRN-28-012-0134, Rights A and B of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey, and for the irrigation of 27 acres with groundwater only, located within the SW1/4 of said Section 27. The place of use and proposed well can be found approximately 800 feet west of the physical address of 300 S. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM. The applicants have requested Emergency Authorization to Drill and Use well LRG-1482-POD5 under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J. Las Cruces, NM 88005.

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State Engineer, (575) 524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 01/01, 01/08, 01/15,

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

The City Council of the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, Hereby Gives Notice of Its Adoption of the Following Ordinance at the Regular City Council Meeting Held on December 21, 2020:

Council Bill No. 21-023; Ordinance No. 2956: An Ordinance to Repeal and Replace Chapter 15, Labor Management Relations of the Las Cruces Municipal Code 1978, As Amended.

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 21st day of December, 2020.

Christine Rivera, CMC City Clerk

Date: 01/01/2021

NOTICE OF FORECLO-SURE SALE STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff, vs. Case No.: D-307-CV-2017-01733 PHILLIP JOHN MON-TOYA; FIRST NATION-AL BANK OF DONA ANA COUNTY; NORMA JEAN LEDESMA, THE PERSONAL REPRESEN-TATIVE OF THE ES-TATE OF GEORGE MONTOYA, SR. AKA GEORGE WASHING-TON MONTOYA AKA GEORGE MONTOYA
Defendants. PLEASE
TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 623 Weinrich Rd., Las Cruces, NM 88007, and more particularly described as follows: A TRACT OF LAND SIT-UATE WEST OF LAS

CRUCES, DONA ANA

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LEGAL TOTICES

Las Cruces Bulletin - your legal publication for Las Cruces and Doña Ana County, New Mexico

SW 1/4, NW 1/4, SE 1/4 OF THE NORTH SIDE OF SECTION 20, T.23S., R.1E., N.M.P.M. OF THE SURVEYS U.S.G.L.O. AND MORE PARTICU-LARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT: BE-GINNING AT AN IRON ROD SET ON THE NORTH SIDE OF A 33.00 FOOT WIDE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR ROADWAY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES, FOR THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE TRACT HEREIN DESCRIBED. WHENCE A BRASS CAP FOUND FOR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE N 1/2, SW 1/4, NW 1/4, SE 1/4 OF SECTION 20, T.23S., R.1E., BEARS THE FOLLOWING TWO COURSES AND DISTAN-CES: S.89°58'12"W., 297.25 F E E T; T H E N C E N.0°05'00"E., A DIS-TANCE OF 330.13 FEET; THENCE FROM THE PLACE OF BEGINNING N.0°05'31"E., 330.10 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET AT THE NORTH SIDE OF THE 33.00 FOOT WIDE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR ROADWAY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES FOR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THIS TRACT; THENCE ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID

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FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING CONTAIN-ING 0.8336 ACRE OF LAND MORE OR LESS. SUBJECT TO A 33.00 FOOT WIDE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR ROADWAY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES PARALLEL AND IMME-DIATELY SOUTH OF THE NORTH BOUNDARY LINE. If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 9:00 AM on February 12, 2021, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico. at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on March 2, 2020 in the total amount of \$237,035,36, with interest at the rate 3.0000% per annum from November 14, 2019 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. Freedom Mortgage Corporation, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption. PROSPECTIVE PUR-CHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINA-TION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO

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CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING. By: Robert Doyle c/o Legal Process Network P.O. Box 51526 Albuquerque, NM 87181 2 NM-17-768881-JUD ID-SPub #0172871 12/18/2020 12/25/2020 1/1/2021 1/8/2021

NOTICE OF FORECLO-SURE SALE STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff, vs. Case No.: D-307-CV-2019-03129 SYLVIA ESPARZA; OS-CAR ESPARZA; NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY: Defendant, PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 1640 Smith Ave, Las Cruces, NM 88001, and more particularly described as follows: LOT NUMBERED 5 IN BLOCK NUMBERED F OF MON-TECITO SUBDIVISION, LAS CRUCES, NEW MEX-ICO, AS THE SAME IS SHOWN AND DESIGNA-TED ON THE PLAT OF SAID MONTECITO SUB-DIVISION, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO ON MARCH 5, 1953 1N PLAT BOOK 7, FOLIO 36. If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 9:00 AM on January 29, 2021, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana State of New Mexico at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on November 20, 2020, in the total amount of \$106,102.77, with interest at the rate of 4.00000% per annum from February 20, 2020 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements con-

cerned with herein will be

ments, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. U.S. Bank National Association, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption. PROSPECTIVE PUR-CHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINA-TION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING. By: Robert Doyle c/o Legal Process Network P.O. Box 51526 Albuquerque, NM 87181 2 NM-19-873675-IIID ID-SPub #0172872 12/18/2020 12/25/2020 1/1/2021

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STATE OF NEW MEXI-CO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DIS-TRICT COURT

No. D-307-PB-2020-00194 Judge Martin, James T.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THOMAS LYLE OLSON,

Deceased.

1/8/2021

NOTICE TO CRED-ITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned ELIZABETH IDA LEWIS has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the Personal Representative c/o The Law

Offices of Dana M. Kyle, P.O. Box 2277, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court of Dona Ana County, 201 W. Picacho, Suite A. Las Cruces. New Mexico 88005. Dated this 10th day of

/s/ELIZABETH IDA LEWIS ELIZABETH IDA LEWIS. Personal Representative of the Estate of THOMAS LYLE OLSON, deceased.

December, 2020.

Prepared by: The Law Offices of Dana M. Kyle, P.A. /s/Dana M. Kyle Dana M. Kyle P.O. Box 2277 Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-2277 (575) 525-0020 (575) 525-0017 fax Attorney for Personal Repre-

New Mexico Bar No. 8285

sentative

Dates: 12/18, 12/25, 2020, 01/01/2021

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

NO. CV-2020-02459 Judge Marci E. Beyer

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF Deborah Kay D' Antonio FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Deborah Kay D' Antonio, a resident of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, and State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Indicial District Court, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her name from Deborah Kay D' Antonio to Kay Bishop D' Antonio, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable Marci E. Bever. District Judge, on the 11th day of January 2021, at the hour of 11:00 a.m. at the Doña Ana County Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho Ave., Las Cruces, New Mexico.

David S. Borunda CLERK OF THE DIS-TRICT COURT BY: Renee Torres

Prepared and Submitted, LAW OFFICES OF JILL V. PREPARED AND SUB-JOHNSON VIGIL, LLC

/s/ Jill V. Johnson Vigil Jill V. Johnson Vigil Jill V. Johnson Vigil NM Bar No. 12466 Sharice Ogas Pacheco, NM Bar No. 148978 1475 N. Main Street, Suite E. Las Cruces, NM 88001 575 527 5405 575.527.1899 Fax Attorneys for Petitioner

Dates: 12/18, 12/25, 2020, 01/01/2021

STATE OF NEW MEXI-CO IN THE PROBATE COURT DONA ANA COUNTY

No. 20-0202

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HAROLD D. ESHOM. AKA HAROLD DEAN ESHOM, AKA HAROLD ESHOM. AKA HARRY D. ESHOM, AKA HAROLD D. ESHON Deceased.

NOTICE TO CRED-ITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY

GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the estate of the decedent. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of any published notice to creditors or sixty (60) days after the date of mailing or other delivery of this notice. whichever is later, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address listed below or filed with the Probate Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico located at the following address: Office of Probate Judge, 845

N. Motel Blvd. 1-201, Las Cruces, NM 88007. DATED: DECEMBER 4, 2020

Shirley A. Eshom Personal Representative of the Estate of HAROLD D. ESHOM, AKA HAROLD DEAN ESHOM, AKA HAROLD ESHOM, AKA HARRY D. ESHOM, AKA HAROLD D. ESHON Deceased

MITTED BY: /s/SHIRLEY A. ESHOM SHIRLEY A. ESHOM 890 CAVALRY TRAIL. LAS CRUCES NM 88007 575-312-2748 SHIRLEY A. ESHOM

Personal Representative

Dates: 12/18, 12/25, 2020, 01/01/2021

STATE OF NEW MEXI-THIRD JUDICIAL DIS-TRICT COURT DONA ANA COUNTY

Cause No. D-307-PB-2020-00183 Judge Manuel I. Arrieta

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GREGORY BLANCH, DECEASED.

NOTICE TO CRED-**ITORS** NOTICE IS HEREBY

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ROBERTA STATHIS 4936 Tobosa Road Las Cruces, New Mexico 88011

Dated: November 17, 2020.

Mexico 88005.

Prepared by: ALAN D. GLUTH New Mexico Bar #14980 Gluth Law, LLC 2455 East Missouri, Suite A Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001 Telephone: (575) 556-8449 Facsimile: (575) 556-8446

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Ants & ENTERTAINMENT

Local theatre company has big 2021 plans

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

Blank Conversations Theatre Company of Las Cruces is ready for the new year, with "Dracula," a Broadway album, radio plays and workshops all on the calendar.

"The biggest production will be Blank Conversations' radio production of 'Dracula,'" said the company's president and co-founder, Gus David Sanchez, a theatre student at New Mexico State University.

Adapted by Orson
Welles, the radio production of "Dracula" was
the first of many in The
Mercury Theatre On-Air
series (which originated
the infamous "War of the
Worlds" broadcast), said
Sanchez, who is directing
the production. "Blank
Conversations seeks to revive the fear once brought
from the haunting tale.

The cast includes Darin Robert Cabot as Dracula, McKensi Cabot as Arthur



PHOTO COURTESY OF GUS DAVID SANCHEZ

Members of Blank Conversations Theatre Company of Las Cruces, including president and co-founder Gus David Sanchez, second from left.

Seward, Steven Cousler as Johnathon Harker, and Scott Brocato as Van Helsing, Emily James as Mina Harker, Ed Montes as The Captain, with an ensemble featuring Alyssa Gose, Richard Gustin, Brianna Padilla, Topher Lininger, Cassan-

dra Galban and Sanchez.

The production's release date is expected in January, Sanchez said.

"Blank Conversations also is in the works to collaborate with many artists and businesses in the coming months, such as producing new and unpublished plays, hosting workshops about performance art, producing radio plays such as 'Macbeth' and 'Around The World in 80 Days,' and much more," he said.

Alongside The Range performance and event venue, Blank Conversations will present an online telethon called "Save The Stage," which will be an all-day live stream, featuring performances by local bands, singers, performers and more to raise funding for Blank Conversations and The Range, Sanchez said. More information on that fundraiser is to be announced.

Sanchez said Blank Conversations also "took a dive into a new realm for theatre in Las Cruces: album making."

The company plans a Jan. 1 release of "Blank Conversations Breakout," a 10-song, cover album featuring Blank Conversations members performing famous Broadway songs, Sanchez said, including "Being Alive" from Company, "Mama Who Bore Me" from Spring Awakening and "Hey There" from The Pajama Game.

Find the album streaming on YouTube, Spotify and Apple Music beginning Jan. 1 alongside Blank Conversations' Christmas EP, "Blank Christmas."

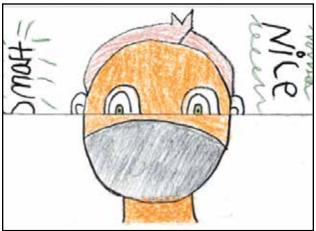
To learn about how to participate in Blank Conversations events virtually, or to tune into their online content, visit www. blankconversations.org.



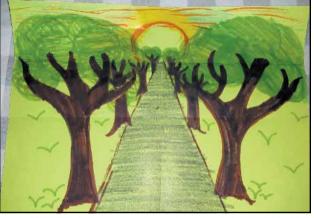
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"Selfie with Mask" by Valley View Elementary fifth grader Mia Saucedo.



"Selfie w Mask," by Valley View Elementary third grader Kyle Vanegas.



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"One-Point Perspective," by Valley View Elementary fourth grader Mikayla Clark.

Valley View Elementary artists draw themselves, other artists, superheroes, cats, trees and more



"Sandra Silberzweig Portrait," by Valley View Elementary second grader Serena Martinez.

By MIKE COOKLas Cruces Bulletin

This is the latest in an ongoing Bulletin series featuring the artwork of Las Cruces Public Schools elementary students. This week includes artwork from Valley View Elementary. The next installment will feature art by students at Desert Hills Elementary.

"I have been teaching elementary Art for 18 years, and this is the very first year teaching remotely,"

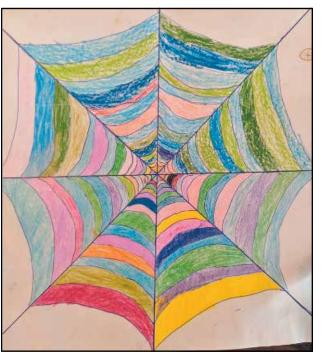


"Desert Perspective Collage," by Valley View Elementary fifth grader Nathanial Sanchez.

said Las Cruces Public Schools elementary art teacher Maggie Hornung, who teaches at Valley View and Desert Hills elementary schools.

"I am amazed by the

volume of knowledge being shared by people who are diligently working to make this a viable teaching platform for students and for teachers," Hornung said. "I miss



"Radial Spider Web," by Valley View Elementary fifth grader Ella Rowan.

the direct contact with my students, but I know reaching our students and

keeping them engaged through this platform is crucial at this point."



"Sandra Silberzweig Portrait," by Valley View Elementary third grader Lucas Washburn.

Denise Chávez hosts writers' Zoom session Jan. 14

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

Award-winning author and Las Cruces bookstore owner Denise Chávez will host a Zoom virtual talk/writing prompt session called "Writing Witness," beginning at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 14, 2021.

During the session, Chávez will share the story of Libros Para El Viaje, an ongoing refugee book drive, and how this work led to her anthology, "We Are Here to Represent."

The Zoom session will help guide writers who plan to submit work for the anthology, including giving them ideas on how to formulate, expand and clarify their stories and artwork, Chávez said. The session will include writing prompts and exercises that will help with the work.

The anthology is "a witnessing of the heart," Chávez said. "It's your story about your experience working with our refugee, migrant and asylum-seeking children,

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youth and families on the U.S./México border. These are not interviews or fictionalized imaginative interpretations, but deep reflections and testimonies by people who have worked with love to bring dignity and respect to the lives of our brothers and sisters, no matter how brief the encounter."

To date, submissions to the anthology "have been powerful, potent, moving and frankly phenomenal," Chávez said. "Submissions have been in English/Spanish/Spanglish and Portuguese. We welcome future submissions that may also include Indigenous languages, or any languages spoken by our families."

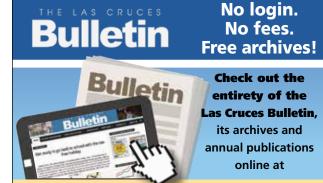
Sunday, Jan. 31, is the deadline for anthology submissions, which should be sent in PDF format to comezon09@ comcast.net.

Chávez's bookstore, Casa Camino Real, is located at 314 S. Tornillo St. in Las Cruces' Mesquite Historic District.

Contact Chávez at 575-523-3988 and comezon09@comcast.net. Visit www.abebooks.com/casa-camino-real-las-cruces-nm, and find the bookstore on Facebook at Casa Camino Real Book Store & Art Gallery.

Visit https://docs. google.com/forms/d/e/ 1FAIpQLSeJDNMkfEfJ NmuTaiAESR_1xUl8yU iGxd7p17a3-bFTpsIaVg/ viewform?usp=sf_link to register for the Zoom session. The deadline is 2 p.m., Jan. 13.

There is no cost to participate.



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Arts Council declares 2021 'The Year of the Artist'

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

Doña Ana Arts Council's (DAAC) Executive director Greg Smith has declared 2021 "The Year of the Artist."

"The year 2021 is a year of promise," Smith said in a DAAC news release. "Twelve months ago, we might not have anticipated it as such. but here we are thankful for one year's end and another's promise as it begins. We at DAAC are honored that Doña Ana County and municipalities within our county are joining us with resolutions before them proclaiming a special designation for the year

opening before us.

"Our vision for '2021 - The Year of the Artist' — is multi-faceted and includes celebrating 50 years of DAAC serving our community: 50 years of the Renaissance Arts-Faire entertaining and of the Las Cruces Arts and Cultural District, highlighting some of our historic cultural and artistic assets; coming triumphs over the pandemic; the power of the arts in driving our creative economy; and the pride we here can take in the works created by the artists of our region.

"The arts may not be as directly effective as a vaccine, but they can

certainly serve as tonics in difficult times," Smith said. "They can help us process and recover from difficulties, anticipate and envision better times and communicate both through the spoken and written word, as well as educating us; a third year through language unspoken and unwritten. Thus, we at DAAC are all in for 2021 being historic, positive, productive and wellsuited to being 'The Year of the Artist.""

> DAAC is located at 250 W. Amador Ave. Regular business hours are 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday, and noon-5 p.m. on the second Saturday of each month.

Call 575-523-6403. Visit www.daarts.org.



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Doña Ana Arts Council Executive Director Greg Smith at the DAAC Arts and Cultural Center, 250 W. Amador Ave.

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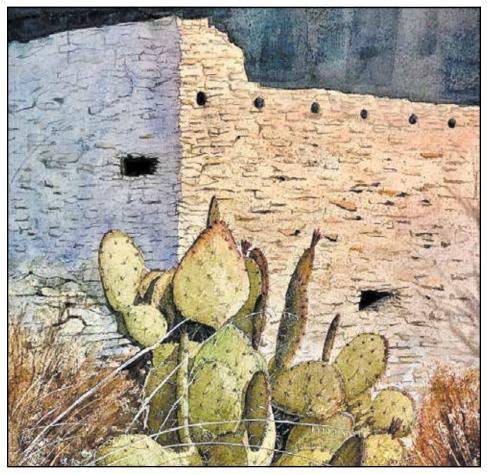
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Artwork by John Glass

Artwork by gourd artist and watercolorist Patricia Black

Mesilla gallery hosts artists Patricia Black, Hetty Smith in January

From the MESILLA VALLEY FINE ARTS GALLERY NEWS-LETTER

The Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Galley (MVFG), 2470-A Calle de Guadalupe on the historic plaza in Mesilla, across from the Fountain Theatre, will feature the works of two local artists in January 2021: Patricia Black and Hetty Smith.

Black is a gourd artist and watercolorist. She is self-taught and worked as a graphic artist for many years in the giftware industry. She lived in northern California and Colorado before



Artwork by stained-glass artist Hetty Smith

moving to New Mexico in 2006. She has won

numerous awards, and her work is featured in Northern Light Books.

Smith's love for stained glass started while she was growing up in Holland. Homes, apartments and churches in Europe were decorated with unique stained glass in the windows, which inspired her creativity. Smith attended a class at Doña Ana Community College, which helped develop her passion for stained glass. She also uses her knowledge as a dressmaker to design and color selections.

MVFG's newest member is John Glass. Originally from rural Indiana, Glass settled in the mountains outside of Deming. His pursuit of art is a daily routine. Glass' works are accepted continually in state and regional competitions, along with awards from The Hoosier Salon, The Sarasota Art League and Master Works of New Mexico. He is a signature member of the New Mexico Watercolor Society.

First American Bank, 1553 Avenida de Mesilla, is well represented by gallery members who rotate their artwork monthly at the bank.

MVFG features the work of 30 artists in

various media, including oil, acrylics, pastels, watercolor, fused glass art jewelry, woodturnings, stained glass, photography, ceramics, mixed media, decorated gourds, handmade textile weavings, art tile, fiber art, natural gemstone jewelry, colored pencil, basket weavings, charcoal, pen and ink, prints, cards and miniature paintings.

MVFG is open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. daily with limited access because of public health orders.

Call 575-522-2933. Visit www.mesillavalley-finearts.com.

Branigan Library continues read-a-thon

BULLETIN REPORT

The Thomas Branigan Memorial Library is hosting a winter reading program for all ages through Jan. 16, 2021.

The library's goal for the community is 300

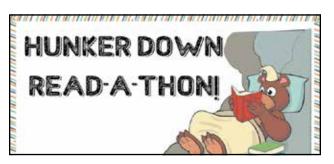
books read. Dec. 18-Jan.

The library will use Wandoo to track reading progress and will have prizes for the most books las-cruces.org/2393/Winread, challenges completed and best reviews. No matter one's age,

individual participation helps Las Cruces reach its goal, the library said in a news release.

Visit https://library. ter-Reading-Program to register and for more information.

Call the library's children's department at 575-528-4225 or email library.childrens@ las-cruces.org. Contact the library's reference desk at 575-528-4005 and library.reference@lascruces.org.



Harvey for the win!



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Las Cruces Community Theatre won three awards in the Las Cruces Bulletin's Best of the Mesilla Valley 2021: Best Live Theatre Venue, Best Entertainment Venue and Best Theatre Group. With the awards, and also holding Brandon Brown's award for Best Actor and Mark Medoff's (he wrote his first play, "The Wager," for LCCT in 1967) award as Best Local Historical Figure, are, left to right, LCCT board members Jessie Ortega, Jordan Moreno, Norman Lewis, Bob Diven (who also won Bulletin's Best Artist award) and Janet Beatty-Payne, board president. At far right is Harvey, the rabbit who will star alongside Diven in LCCT's 2021 production of "Harvey."

Branigan Library issues call for poets

BULLETIN REPORT

In February and March 2021, the Las Cruces community will come together and read "When the Emperor was Divine," by Julie Otsuka, as part of the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) Big Read event, the City of Las Cruces said in a news release

The book follows the experiences of a Japanese American family as its members are incarcerated by the United States government following the bombing of Pearl Harbor.

In addition to the community reading, Thomas Branigan Memorial Library also will host a virtual poetry reading as part of the Big Read event.

Local poets are invited to participate by submitting up to three poems on themes of incarceration. historical trauma, New Mexico history, healing from trauma, Japanese American identity and creating community among differences, the news release said.

Poets will be selected by Albuquerque Poet Laureate Mary Oishi for participation in a pre-recorded poetry reading.

Send submissions to Mary Oishi at poetoishi@ yahoo.com by Saturday, Jan. 16, 2021. Submissions may be sent as a pdf, Word document or RTF.

Include the author's name, phone number and NATIONAL arts.gov/neabigread

email address.

Poets selected to participate will be contacted, and recordings will be arranged.

For more information. call 575-528-4085 or email bsauer@las-cruces.org.

For more information about the national Big Read event, visit www. arts.gov/initiatives/neabig-read.



State launches free at-home COVID-19 tests

WELLBEING

BULLETIN REPORT

Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham has announced New Mexicans may now order free, at-home, selfadministered COVID-19 saliva tests, with accurate laboratory-confirmed results returned within 24-48 hours of receipt of the sample.

The free tests are available to New Mexico residents regardless of exposure risk — whether they are symptomatic or asymptomatic, and whether they have come into close contact with a confirmed COVID-19 positive individual or not.

Any New Mexican with access to online videoconferencing through Zoom can receive a test at home, self-administer the test



with a virtual testing supervisor through a secure Zoom and mail the sample back for laboratory processing, all free of charge.

The breakthrough in testing convenience for New Mexicans is a result of a public-private partnership between the state and Vault Health.

To order a test, and for more information, visit learn.vaulthealth.com/ nm/.

"We need more New Mexicans to get tested." Lujan Grisham said. "We've worked hard every

single day this year to make testing fast, easy and accessible to everyone. We ensured, from the very start, that cost would not be an obstacle for New Mexicans needing a COVID-19 test. And right now, testing is one of the best ways to get New Mexico from 'red' to 'green.' We can drive down county positivity rates, help more businesses and workers get safely back on their feet and keep more New Mexicans healthy. But it all starts with getting a test. This is a promising development."

"Testing is an absolutely essential tool in our fight against the virus," said New Mexico Department of Health Secretary-designate Tracie C. Collins, M.D. "When we

know who's positive, we can isolate the virus and cut down on transmission. New Mexicans should have every confidence in the testing our state makes available. We will get through this crisis together, and testing is one of our best strategies for managing the pandemic."

"When more New Mexicans get tested, we can understand better the scope of viral spread in our state," said Human Services Secretary David Scrase, M.D. "We can fight the virus more effectively when we know where we stand in every community across New Mexico. I hope New Mexicans take advantage of this simple and accessible means of testing – and continue to undertake all COVID-safe

behaviors in their day-today lives."

Only a photo identification, email address and an Internet connection - in order to connect via online videoconferencing with a testing supervisor while self-administering the test — are required to request an at-home test.

Individuals requesting a test will be required to share basic identifying information, like a date of birth, phone number and name. Individuals will be asked for insurance information, as well, but the testing will be free. The test will be sent free of charge even if a requester does not have insurance.

The test will be sent via expedited shipping. Once the test is received, the individual must log

onto the Vault virtual waiting room, via Zoom, to connect with a testing supervisor while selfadministering the saliva sample.

The test will then be sent for laboratory verification via a prepaid UPS package. Within 24 to 48 hours of arrival at the lab, results will be available to the patient. Test pickups and deliveries may be affected by UPS holiday hours.

The state of New Mexico continues to make free in-person testing available at dozens of sites statewide each day. To find a testing location near you, visit togethernm.org.

For more information on the free at-home test kits, visit learn.vaulthealth.com/nm/.

Visiting/not visiting





BULLETIN PHOTOS BY ELVA K. ÖSTERREICH

Family members leave messages on the windows at area assisted living facilities for loved ones. Many nursing home and assisted living residents have not been able to come into personal contact with family members since the COVID-19 pandemic began.

Time for a Refresher on Proper Lifting

From digging out boxes of holiday decor and hauling packages to and from home, to hiding gifts away on higher shelves at the back of the closet, the holiday season requires its fair share of bending, lifting and reaching. This is an ideal time for a refresher on proper lifting methods. Back pain and injury can put a real damper on the holiday season, yet it's one of the most common conditions Physical Therapists treat. Fortunately, it's also a condition that's preventable. One of the ways to keep the spine healthy is learning and practicing proper lifting techniques."

Needless to say, preventing back pain is a key concern when someone does a lot of bending and lifting. After all, approximately 80% of all Americans will experience back pain at some point in their lives, making it one of the top causes of disability in the U.S.



The back, however, should not be one's only area of concern when lifting. When we talk about proper lifting techniques, we're talking about protecting the back. But, we're also looking to minimize strain on the entire body. The goal is to put yourself in a position that allows the body's musculoskeletal system to work as one cohesive unit, without putting too much strain on one area, such as the lower back, hips or shoulders.



Dennis Prickett Physical Therapist Co-owner of Atrium Physical Therapy

Taking this all into consideration, I suggest that you follow these tips for proper lifting:

Warm Up: Don't ever assume your body is ready to lift heavy objects without first being thoroughly warmed up. Take the time to stretch your lower back, legs and hips. Also, do a few jumping jacks, high knees or lunges to get your blood

Get Close: Avoid reaching for heavy or moderately sized objects. Get nice and close to the box or object to minimize the force (in the arms, shoulders and back) necessary to lift the item.

Bend and Lift with the Knees: We've all heard this before, and that's because it's true. Keep your back straight and body upright as you lower yourself to the object in question. Then, use your legs to rise into a standing position.

Get a Grip: If you can't get a strong, comfortable grip on an object - even if you know you can carry the weight don't push your luck. Find someone to help or an alternative way of moving the object from point A to B, such as a handcart or dolly.

Reverse the Steps: When you get to where you're going, set the item down just as you picked it up, but in reverse. Keep it close to your body, and lower with your legs. Move slowly and deliberately. You can just as easily injure yourself while setting objects down as by picking them up.

As you're lifting something, also try to keep from twisting or reaching while carrying the weight. Don't rush through the process of lifting, and if you're tired, save the task for later. Finally, if you feel pain during or after lifting, or you have an injury or condition you believe is keeping you from moving properly, visit a physical therapist for a full assessment.

Dental hygiene students place second nationally

BULLETIN REPORT

The dental hygiene program at Doña Ana Community College (DACC) won second place in a recent national competition.

The competition, put on by the American Dental Hygienists Association. included videos from 20 student dental hygiene programs from across the

DACC's students entered along with a handful of

a 3.5-minute video detailing how they've managed their education and clinical experience during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The DACC program received a \$1.000 award for the student club. The funds will be used for community service projects, such as oral hygiene education, activities, clinics and more.

Entries were received from top-tier universities, community colleges.

DACC students highlighted their use of personal protective equipment (PPE) in the video in order to safely examine patients during hands-on lab classes. The classes allow them to provide care to actual patients at the DACC clinic.

For more information, contact news@dacc.nmsu. edu or www.dacc.nmsu. edu.



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As stars align, so also can humanity

The conjunction of Jupiter and Saturn was a wondrous event, visible to

anyone willing to gaze, even if just for a moment, toward the western sky.

On Dec. 21, when the two planets appeared to be touching, I recited a blessing

from my tradition, praising "the One who makes the works of creation."

As I posted my Jupiter-Saturn photos on Facebook over the course of several days, friends living in cities with cloudy skies were grateful to see images of this amazing sight.

This marvel offered a

brief diversion from the earthly concerns that have arisen in 2020 and



Our commemoration of incredible events in the sky should remind us to join together to mark the lives of the victims of COVID-19 in a meaningful way. We should thank front-line workers of all types and show appreciation to medical personnel, who have risked, at least.

their health, if not their lives, to fulfill their tasks at a challenging time.

The worldwide cooperation among scientists/medical experts that created the coronavirus vaccines in record time demonstrates what we human beings can accomplish when we share a common mission and purpose.

We do, most certainly, have it in us to overcome even profound ideological differences enough to engage in coordinated action to sustain our mutual well-being.

There is a parable that has found its way into a number of cultures. It offers a poignant perspective on consideration and cooperation.

One version was told by Rabbi Haim of Romshishok.

He dreamed that he was taken to a room with a large banquet table with the best foods imaginable. Each person at the table held a two-foot-long spoon, but no one was eating. Their arms were attached to wooden splints so that they could not bend their elbows, and, even then, the spoons were too long for them to be able to place food in their own mouths.

He was then taken to another room with a large banquet table, filled with similar delicacies. Each person held a two-footlong spoon. Their arms were attached to wooden splints so that they could not bend their elbows. Yet, in this room. the people were eating their fill. They had figured out that they could enjoy all that food if they fed the person across

the table.

Rabbi Haim saw their solution. He ran back to the other room and told one of the still-hungry people sitting at the large table what they should do. The person replied, "It would be better for me to see and crave the food on the table than to see these other people sitting with me, whom I despise, end their hunger because I

helped them."

Upon hearing that response, Rabbi Haim screamed. Then, he woke up from his dream.

This chilling tale teaches us that the best way to live with others is to empathize with them, and to help, without bias or limitations, whenever our assistance is needed.

After all, we are, in truth, from one year to another, sitting at the same table.

Rabbi Larry Karol served as spiritual leader of Temple Beth-El (www.tbelc.org) in Las Cruces from July 2011 to July 2020. His writings are available at rabbilarrykarol.blogspot.com.

These holidays require an expansive spirit

In "Reflections on the Psalms," C. S. Lewis wrote: "The sort of dis-

tinction which we can easily make between those who are really worshipping God in church and those who enjoy 'a beautiful service' for musical, antiquarian or merely

sentimental reasons, would have been impossible to [the ancient Israelite people]. We get nearest to their state of mind if we think of a pious modern farm-laborer at church on Christmas or at the harvest thanksgiving... The man I picture is a real Christian. But you would

> do him wrong by asking him to separate out, at such moments, some exclusively religious element in his mind from all the rest from his hearty

social pleasure in a corporate act, his enjoyment of the hymns (and the crowd), his memory of other such services since childhood, his well-earned anticipation of rest after harvest or Christmas dinner after church. They are all one in his mind... He had never heard of music, or festivity or agriculture as things separate from them. Life was one." (page 47)

Lewis was following ancient Christian tradition. By the second century, the apologists (the original sense of the word is "defenders," not people saying "I'm sorry") wrote that known truths of the world led up to the unique and final revelation of God in the figure of Jesus Christ. They thought and taught that Roman laws and roads, Greek philosophy and aesthetics, and Jewish

revelation, worship and ethics all were pathways to the Gospel.

In the 20th century, the philosopher Karl Jaspers held this view in an expanded form. He wrote of an "the axial age," a period in the centuries prior to that of Jesus when there was an extraordinary outburst of spiritual insight, thought and ritual from Confucius to Buddha to Socrates to Christ.

In Romania, there is an Orthodox monastery with icons painted on the exterior walls. On one side are such biblical figures as David, Moses and Elijah. On the other side are Plato, Aristotle and Socrates. If you ask the monastic tour guide about this extraordinary array, he'll tell you the thought and spiritual journey of all these people leads to Christ.

Christian people sometimes deprive themselves of the opulent riches of our intellectual, spiritual and, yes, mythological heritage by narrowing the focus to one strand, and that one strand is limited to a thinner thread: namely, the Bible.

Furthermore, for many that thread is thinned

even more to the New Testament. Don't misunderstand me: the biblical witness is absolutely central to the Christian movement, but it is not the only resource.

That was Lewis's realization: God became human in order that humans might become divine.

Fr. Gabriel Rochelle is pastor of St Anthony of the Desert Orthodox Mission, Las Cruces. Visit the church web site at http://stanthonylc.org. Email Fr Gabriel at gabrielcroch@aol.com.



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BUSINESS

Dino Cervantes named NMSU Entrepreneur Hall of Fame inductee

By CASSIE MCCLURE

NMSU News Team

Dino Cervantes, a local farmer, chile processor and New Mexico State University alumnus, has been named this year's inductee in the NMSU Entrepreneur Hall of Fame. NMSU's Arrowhead Center and the Office of the Vice President for Research announced this week.

"Dino Cervantes is a powerful example of the entrepreneurial spirit in New Mexico," said Tracey Bryan, chair of the Arrowhead Innovation Network Advisory Council, which selected Cervantes from among numerous nominations. "A fourthgeneration farmer, he's capturing the full value of the richness of the crops grown in the Mesilla Valley as a grower, commercial producer, innovator and supporter of a broader coalition of growers."

Bryan said Cervantes has become a national

voice for the chile industry and also serves as a mentor and encourager of other entrepreneurs in his home community of Las Cruces and Doña Ana County.

"I've known Dino since we were children." said Sally Stahmann-Solis, owner and operator of Stahmann Pecans & Farm. "His love for agriculture and his community comes from the heart."

After Cervantes graduated from NMSU with a bachelor's degree in business, his first interview on campus landed him a position with Hormel, sending him to Dallas for five years, then to California for two years. With an offer from Hormel to move to the Midwest, Cervantes' parents asked him to return home and manage the family operation.

Cervantes Enterprises, Inc. consists of a chile processing facility and a 1,400-acre farming opera-



DINO **CERVANTES**

family has grown and processed various types of chile peppers but discovered their

tion that produces

chile, cotton, pe-

cans and alfalfa.

The Cervantes

specialty during a down-

Cervantes recalled that his father, Orlando, had been growing vegetables but needed a new path when commodity prices dropped in the 1970s. Orlando Cervantes came up with an idea to grow chile peppers, and contacted the McIlhenny Company, producers of the Tabasco brand hot sauce, to find out if he could grow peppers for them. While suppling fresh peppers to McIlhenny, the Cervantes farm had a bumper crop, which was more product than McIlhenny could handle.

"He contacted McIlhenny and asked how they made pepper mash, the base for the hot sauce, then pushed alfalfa out of a barn, set up an old meat grinder and got started," Dino Cervantes said. It was homegrown innovation that set up a new line of business.

Cervantes was in middle school when his family began processing chile. When Cervantes returned from his time with Hormel, he realized they were going to have to commit fully to food processing to be successful.

"In retrospect, my time at Hormel certainly helped me formulate many of the decisions I made," Cervantes said. "We were fortunate and well positioned to take advantage of the exponential growth in the hot pepper industry that really started three to four years after I returned."

In addition to the farming side of the business, which Cervantes continues to manage, the foodprocessing operation now processes in six minutes what it produced that entire first day in the barn. The company now sells

its products to most major hot sauce, wing sauce and spicy food manufacturers worldwide.

"Entrepreneurship wasn't a term ever used when I was starting in my professional career. Innovation kind of grew organically out of what you were doing," Cervantes said. "It's something farmers or people in agriculture seem to do pretty well. Most of the things that have made us successful are small incremental changes throughout the years that most observers would not notice."

Cervantes has gone on to support NMSU and mentor young entrepreneurs through Arrowhead Center.

"One of my pieces of advice is to be selfaware and be honest with yourself. What are your strengths and weaknesses? That will direct you in the avenues to pursue and get your hands dirty," he said. "Then, have patience. There are

different paths to achieve success. People get caught up in the idea that you have to have a specific degree, but it's about commitment and your expectations on where you want to land."

Cervantes said his family owes a great deal to the community and to NMSU, where he met his wife. Leslie, and started his career. Leslie Cervantes is associate vice president for alumni, board and donor relations with the NMSU Foundation.

"Dino Cervantes is a true leader in his industry and in his community." said Jim Libbin, professor emeritus of NMSU's Department of Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Business. He and his entire family have been very generous in giving time, talent and energy to the benefit of others throughout Las Cruces and New Mexico. Dino is always available with a ready smile to provide wise counsel. He truly exemplifies a giving spirit."

Minimum wage increase effective Jan. 1

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

A cost-of-living increase for minimum-wage workers in Las Cruces will go into effect Jan. 1.

The increase, which is

based on last August's Consumer Price Index (CPI), will raise the minimum wage from \$10.25 to \$10.40 an hour for regular workers and from \$4.10 to \$4.20 an hour (40 percent of the regular minimum

wage) for tipped workers (restaurant servers). Employers are responsible for making up any gap between the amount of server earns in tips and the prevailing minimum wage.

In the ordinance passed Dec. 1, 2014, the Las Cruces City council included language that tied a threetiered increase in the minimum wage over five years to CPI, with built-in cost-of-living increases.



Under the ordinance. the city minimum wage increased from \$7.50 an

hour to \$8.40 Jan. 1, 2015. to \$9.20 in 2017 and to \$10.10 in 2019.

NMSU brews up its newest collaboration with coffeemaker

By JUSTIN BANNISTER

NMSU Associate Vice President Marketing and Communications

New Mexico State University and Estas Manos Coffee Roasters have launched "A" Mountain Roast, the latest in NMSU's growing line of collegiate-licensed products. A portion of the proceeds will support NMSU's more than 400 student-athletes.

Estas Manos, a grassroots business based in San Francisco, has New Mexico ties and is operating in Las Cruces.

"A" Mountain Roast is available for purchase online, at Estas Manos popup locations and at retailers around Las Cru-



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"A" Mountain Roast

ces.

"The opportunity to work with Estas Manos, and the creation of 'A' Mountain Roast, is something I've been looking forward to for some time and a natural extension of our collegiate-licensed products," said NMSU Director of Athletics Mario Moccia. "With NMSU's

position as the state's land-grant institution and our history of agriculture, the collaboration makes perfect sense. We encourage Aggie Nation to pick up a bag of 'A' Mountain Roast and our alumni nationwide to order it online."

Estas Manos Coffee Roasters was founded in 2018 by Nicholas Gonzales, along with his business partner, Leandra Gamboa. The company works to help farmers and farming communities in Latin America through sustainable coffee sourcing and production.

Gamboa is from Las Cruces and a graduate of NMSU's College of Business. She and Gonzales met in law school in San Francisco.

"We're thrilled to be working with NMSU on this collaboration. This roast is bold and finishes smooth and delicious," Gonzales said. "We hope when you try a cup of 'A' Mountain Roast, it sparks that Aggie spirit and brings you back to

'A' Mountain. It's truly a landmark that unites the Aggie and Las Cruces communities, and we are honored to be offering this roast with NMSU."

"A" Mountain Roast is named after one of NMSU's proudest landmarks. Since the 1920s, the football field-sized "A" atop Tortugas Mountain has been maintained by the university. Each year, students give the "A" a fresh coat of paint that marks the beginning of a new spring semester and rejuvenates Aggie pride and spirit.

"A" Mountain Roast is the latest in a string of new collegiate-licensed products from NMSU. Earlier this year, the university announced a collaboration with Lescombes Winery for the creation of Pistol Pete's Crimson Legacy, a Cabernet Sauvignon.

Additionally, Pistol
Pete's Six-Shooter, the
first collegiate-licensed
whiskey in the country,
made in collaboration
with Dry Point Distillers,
has been a smashing success, selling out in a matter of days and currently
with a waiting list for the
next batch.

Since 2017, NMSU also has worked with Bosque Brewing Company to create and launch Pistol Pete's 1888 Ale. The beer went on to win a bronze medal at the Great American Beer Festival.



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Arista Development takes Showcase of Homes awards

BULLETIN REPORT

Arista Development of Las Cruces received five awards in the Las Cruces Home Builders Association's (LCHBA) 2020 Showcase of Homes. Arista said in a news re-

Arista swept the Tier 2 award category, which included homes listed at \$300,000-\$500,000, win-

ning awards for their newest model, the Barndominium, that included best curb appeal, kitchen, interior and outdoor living space and most innovative.

Arista said the Barndominium "features timeless but modern architecture. which has the appearance of an aged country barn that has been converted into a modern living

space."

The model is available in the Metro Verde area. and an online tour can be taken at https://tours.organmountainmediagroup. net/ by clicking on the virtual tour for 2020 Showcase of Homes - Arista Development on the bottom row.

This year's Showcase of Homes was originally scheduled to take place

last spring, the news release said, but was postponed until mid-November because of public health orders. LCHBA decided to cancel the inperson event and instead provided virtual tours of featured homes.

For more information. call Crystal Fraembs at 575-323-1118. Visit https:// aristadevelopmentllc. com/.



Arista Development of Las Cruces' Barndominium model

Arrowhead Center at NMSU receives U.S. Department of Energy award

By CASSIE MCCLURE

For NMSU News

Protecting the climate and helping clean energy grab hold in big ways are among the new goals of New Mexico State Universitv's Arrowhead Center. which has received an Energy Program for Innovation Clusters (EPIC) award from the U.S. Department of Energy (USDE).

The EPIC prize seeks to recognize the most innovative and impactful incubators focused on de-

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veloping strong regional innovation clusters for clean-energy technology and entrepreneurship.

Arrowhead Center will receive \$50,000 to create a new accelerator for New Mexico clean-tech businesses. Arrowhead Center's new effort will be named the Clean Energy Innovation Cluster & Accelerator. It will blend two

proven accelerator models – EnergySprint and the

Arrowhead Center Small **Business Innovation Re**search/Small Business Technology Transfer Accelerator – to provide a robust accelerator track for New Mexico businesses working on clean-energy technologies.

Arrowhead will run two cohorts during two years — one in 2021 and one in 2022 — to provide the most impact and contribute to the clean-energy cluster.

"Arrowhead Center will bring together regional resources from expertise to access to capital." said Arrowhead Center Director of Strategic Operations Dana Catron. "Together, these elements will form an 'innovation cluster' that supports and grows clean-energy tech-

nologies as they move toward commercialization. This results in favorable outcomes benefiting the state: reduction in New Mexico's carbon footprint. new businesses and jobs, new products, increased investment, increased entrepreneurial skills and strategic public-private partnerships."

Arrowhead programming places particular emphasis on supporting underserved populations, such as women, minorities and rural clients, and has in place a robust suite of resources, expertise and regional connections from which clients can draw.

"Arrowhead Center is also a part of the U.S. **Economic Development** Administration-funded I-CREW project, which

focuses on clean energy as an emerging economic opportunity for New Mexico," Catron said.

The EPIC prize is the \$1 million debut effort in a two-part, \$5 million program sponsored by USDE's Office of Technology Transitions (OTT).

"The EPIC prize bolsters a critical component of the energy innovation ecosystem, supporting public-private partnerships that help America's entrepreneurs make those first great steps toward a commercial product or service," said USDE Sec. Dan Brouillette.

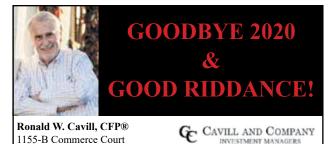
OTT advances the economic, energy and national security interests of the United States by expanding the commercial impact of USDE's research and development portfolio. OTT streamlines access to the department's 17 national labs and sites and opens the door to the department's world-class scientific re-

searchers and facilities, fostering strong internal and external partnerships that guide innovations from the lab to the marketplace.

"Arrowhead's primary focus is enabling businesses to launch, grow and flourish," Arrowhead Center President and CEO Kathryn Hansen said. "We meet entrepreneurs where their venture is, from idea stage to those with an established business, and we tailor services to what they need in each phase of development."

Businesses interested in the new Clean Energy Accelerator should check in early 2021 for applications. For more information, contact Catron at dderego@ad.nmsu.edu or 505-469-8411. Visit https:// arrowheadcenter.nmsu. edu/.

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2021 golf resolutions are important, too

According to ancient historians, the tradition of making New Year's

resolutions goes all the way back to the time when Janus, a mythical king of early Rome in 153 B. C.. was placed at the head of the calen-



Golf Doctor

Janus was seen as the god of beginnings and the guardian of doors and sacred openings. It was told that Janus had two faces. so he could look back on past events and look forward to future happenings.

And that is exactly what we as golfers should do at this festive time of year. It's a good opportunity to review our year of playing

golf and decide what we would like to do differently. Of course, we

> can do that same thing with all the other important aspects of our life as well.

Since starting this column for the Bulletin some 15 years ago (and some

770 articles later). I have written several of my own golfing New Year's resolutions. But I confess I don't have a perfect score.

According to research, about 45 percent of Americans say they make resolutions, but only about eight percent sav they are successful in achieving their goals. That may be due to the fact that so many resolu-

tions involve quitting unwanted habits and plans to lose weight. But as for golf I'll go ahead and share my personal New Year's resolutions for the coming year.

First of all, while I'm praying this pandemic fades away with some urgency, and I feel sad that many families have suffered great losses, I intend to stay safe, while sticking with the current rules about masks, distancing and gather-

Next, as I truly hope that our gyms remain open for the coming year (and for good), I plan to elevate my workouts to increase strength, flexibility and endurance, which will result in longer drives, more birdies and lower scores.

That's the intention anyway. I would think our government recognizes the health and fitness benefits of regular and disciplined exercise along with grasping that contact at a gym is no closer than shoppers at Walmart.

I'm resolving, or better yet promising, to publish my weekly columns in an even more interesting and readable way in the coming year. I receive regular positive feedback from readers, especially when I go to the gym and the golf course, but also when I get emails. I am so thankful for all that. I plan to provide even more timely information that you couldn't get in any other source, with plenty of humor, golf

tips, advice, useful ideas and thoughtful opinions.

I intend to do my best to support the local fundraiser scramble tournaments in Las Cruces that benefit so many worthy causes. I recommend you do the same. Several of the events were cancelled this past year, but here's hoping that will not be the case henceforth.

A lot of folks may make a wish to have more time to play more golf. Not me. I play enough golf. My resolution is to make my rounds count for more. That means better preparation, better warm-up, better focus, more birdie opportunities and better putting!

Now I'm going back to something I planned several years ago, which is reducing my own failures to do things I preach about the most. Things like permitting too many lapses in concentration.

Who knows what demon causes bizarre, extraneous thoughts to occupy one's brain just as one stands over a three-wood shot that has no margin for error? Also, I need to visualize certain shots and every putt. Have you ever noticed that you do much better when you picture your expert shot and great putt beforehand?

Lastly, and you might want to write this down, too, I'm resolving to spend less emotional energy dwelling on mistakes made on the previous hole and mistakes made in the previous round. As they say, "Forget the blunder and remember the lesson." Happy New Year.

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Oñate champ helps Iowa college to first-ever wrestling win

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

2020 Oñate High School graduate Angelita Altamirano became the first girls' state wrestling champion in New Mexico history earlier this year, and now she has achieved the same record in college.

"Angelita bumped up two weight classes to wrestle 116 for us



ANGELITA ALTAMIRANO

Dec. 9 and secured the first match win in our

program history," said William Penn University (WPU) Women's Wrestling Head Coach Tucker Black. "Angelita's high pace and mat awareness made the difference in her match. We're looking forward to what she can do at lower weight classes."

WPU, located in Oskaloosa. Iowa, won four matches to secure victory in its first ever women's wrestling meet, winning

18-17 at home against **Indian Hills Community** College.

Altamirano won her match, 11-7.

Altamirano, who graduated from OHS with a 3.9 GPA, is a computer science major at WPU. She turned 19 in November.

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