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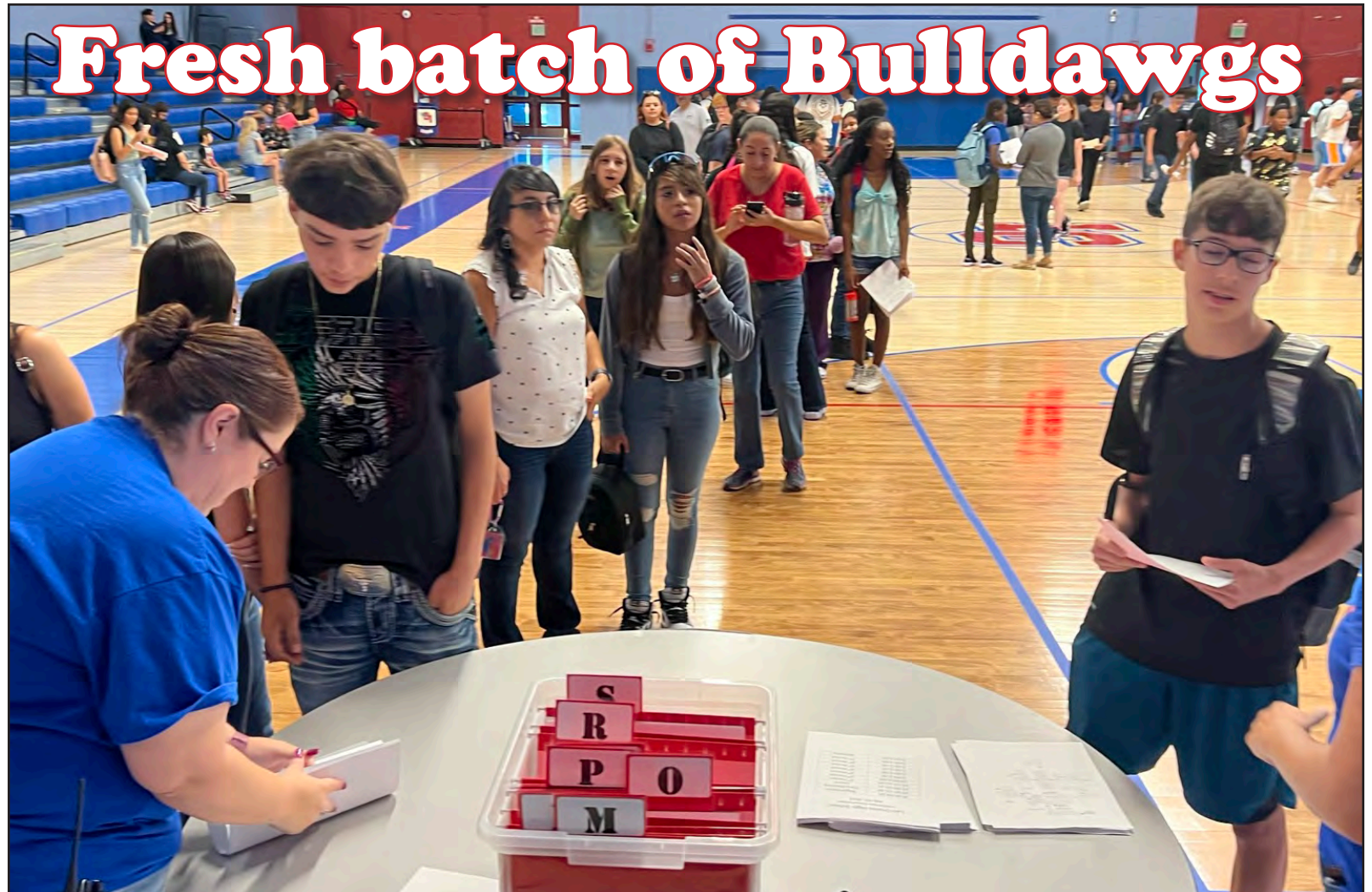


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Ninth graders line up to register Wednesday, July 19, during their orientation day at Las Cruces High School, where 456 freshmen started their high school journey. Las Cruces Public Schools welcomed kindergarteners, 6th graders and 9th graders to their new schools Wednesday, the rest of the grades started Thursday for their regular school schedules.

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COUNTY UNVEILED NEW SIGN AT FAIRGROUNDS

Some Doña Ana County employees completed an art piece that will welcome visitors to the Fairgrounds in Doña Ana County. This art piece is the product of a community outreach effort called “DAC Gives Back”, where employees dedicated their time and talents to enrich the community.

The art piece is an illustration of the local landscape and is meant to encourage a Clean “Litter Free” Desert. The message echoes the values of the project’s sponsors, The Illegal Dumping Partnership, IDP, The Bureau of Land Management, BLM, and the South Central Solid Waste Authority, SCSWA



The art piece on display at the Southern New Mexico Fairgrounds.



Pictured From Left to Right: Doña Ana County staff: Jesus A. Fraire, Jana A. Padilla, Monique Lehman, William Welsh, Mary Trail, Fernando R. Macias - Doña Ana County Manager, Christina Ainsworth - Community Development Director, Deborah Weir - Assistant County Manager, Sabrina Schrader, and Anita Skipper - Chief Public Information Officer



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Relentless heat requires caution for people, pets

By ELVA OSTERREICH
MIKE COOK
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Las Cruces Bulletin

No, we don't want to party like it's 1994.

According to "Climate Assessment for the Southwest," a University of Arizona climate study done in 2017, the hottest temperature ever recorded in Las Cruces was 110 degrees, on June 28, 1994.

By the time you read this, that record may already be broken.

Also in that year, the National Weather Service recorded 62 days that were 100 degrees or hotter in our region, including 23 days in a row, said NWS meteorologist Jason Laney.

This year, through July 18, NWS had recorded 35 100-or-hotter days, including 34 in row.



Taking precautions

Experts agree the most important things you can do are get to a cooler area and hydrate.

"Our ER has witnessed a noticeable increase in heat-related illnesses over the past few weeks," said Memorial Medical Center spokesperson Andrew Cummins.

Heat exhaustion and heat stroke are serious physical conditions (See graphic above) and should be addressed immediately.

"I have seen more heat-

related illnesses here in the high desert than any place I've practiced," Dr. Kristopher Crawford, director of emergency services at MountainView Regional Medical Center, told the Bulletin recently.

Those illnesses can include heat rash, generally followed by heat cramps – a warning sign of heat exhaustion, which can lead to heat stroke, "which can be life threatening," Crawford

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PAY HEED TO THE HEAT

Below are some hot weather safety tips provided by the City of Las Cruces:

- Those working outdoors are encouraged to drink plenty of water, or non-alcoholic and sugar-free fluids.
- Wear lightweight, light-colored clothing that's loose-fitting and allows for adequate ventilation.
- Limit or avoid outdoor activities during the hottest part of the day.
- Protect your head and face with a wide-brimmed hat and use a sunscreen of SPF 30 or higher.
- Do not leave pets or people (sleeping babies, children, elderly) in a vehicle – even with the windows 'cracked' or down.
- Do not think an overcast day or parking in shade will keep the inside of your vehicle tolerable. It might be slightly cooler but not suitable for people or pets.
- Temperatures remain high and unbearable even after sundown, so refrain from leaving people or pets inside your vehicle.

- Avoid walking pets in the heat or early evening hours as hot pavement can blister their paws.
- Avoid overexertion of dogs such as walking or running with them.
- Do not travel with or leave dogs in the bed of a pickup.
- Provide proper shade and plenty of fresh water for pets and leave water in a shady area.
- Consider leaving pets indoors on hot days. If it's too hot outdoors for you, it's too hot for them.
- Avoid leaving your vehicle running and unattended simply to keep the air conditioning on - vehicles can be stolen in seconds.
- Always lock your car when unattended and teach children that vehicles are never to be used as play areas.
- Check on family, friends and neighbors to ensure they are not in any danger.
- Ensure that elderly family or neighbors have properly working air conditioning and circulation of air.
- Call 911 immediately if you see a person or pet left unattended in an enclosed vehicle.
- Seek immediate medical attention for people or pets suffering from a heat-related illness.

BE COOL

City, County offer cooling stations

If you don't have access to air-conditioned spaces, Doña Ana County and the City of Las Cruces offer cooling stations for residents.

Doña Ana County staff will open community centers to the public. Call first to make sure they're open. The community centers are air-conditioned and water and restroom facilities will also be available.

- Butterfield, 9350 Berry Patch Lane, Las Cruces (575-382-5237)
- Colquitt, 625 Paseo Real Drive, Chaparral (575-525-5870)
- La Mesa, 744 San Jose Road, La Mesa (575-233-1021)
- Organ, 5880 Second St., Organ (575-386-4351)

- Radium Springs, 12060 Lindbeck Road, Radium Springs (575-523.8650)
- Vado- Del Cerro, 180 La Fe Ave. Vado, (575-233-0946)

Las Cruces has buildings (Call first to make sure they're open) available that can be utilized as cooling stations 10 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays:

- Frank O'Brien Papen Community Center, 304 W. Bell Ave. (575-528-2455).
- Henry R. Benavidez Community Center, 1045 McClure Road (575-541-2006).
- Meerscheidt Recreation Center, 1600 E. Hadley Ave. (575-541-2563).
- Munson Center, 975 S. Mesquite St. (575-541-3000).
- Sage Café, 6121 Reynolds Drive (575-528-3151).
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Student repeats as chess champ



BULLETIN REPORT

For the second year in a row, Alex (club policy does not allow children's last names to be used), 11, a student at Camino Real Middle School, won the Boys and Girls Club of Las Cruces annual chess tournament, held in June and early July. Second place for the second straight year went to Christopher, 12, a student at Sierra Middle School. Third place went to Soledad, 10, a student at Desert Hills Elementary School. Longtime Boys and Girls Club chess program sponsor William Bradley said 24 boys and girls ages 7-17 competed in this year's tournament. Alex was recently honored by the Las Cruces Public Schools Board of Education as the New Mexico Junior Youth of the Year, Bradley said. Visit www.bgclascruces.org.

Essayist earns \$2,500 scholarship

BULLETIN REPORT

Emme Apodaca, a sixth grade at Mesilla Valley Leadership Academy in Las Cruces, won the Optimist Club of Las Cruces most recent essay contest based on the theme "Who is an everyday hero that brings out the optimism in you?" the club said in a news release.

Emme received a medallion from the local club for her win, and received a \$2,500 college scholarship for because she also won the essay contest at the district level, the club said.

"Emme did a wonderful job of articulating this year's theme," said Las Cruces Optimist Club President Len Hampton. "Emme expressed herself well through the essay and deserved the honor of first place."

The Optimist Club of Las Cruces has been participating in the Optimist Essay Contest for 60 years and has been active in the community since 1961, the news release said. Other programs and service projects the club is involved in include Bob Ogas Baseball All-Star Classic, Tour de Optimism, Respect for Law,



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Len Hampton and Emme Apodaca

Boys and Girls Club, Shop With a Cop and others.

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ford said.

If you must work outside during extremely hot weather, “make sure you do that activity at a pace you can maintain in the heat,” Crawford said. “Work slowly,” he said, and take frequent breaks.

People taking medications should also take precautions, he said, because some medications may predispose them to heat exhaustion and heat stroke, Crawford said. Talk to your provider, he recommended.

When it’s hot, it is also important to avoid using alcohol and stimulants, even if they are prescribed, he said. In addition to pre-existing medical conditions, age can contribute to the risk of developing a heat illness, along with activity level and dehydration.

People who are used to exercising outside – running, walking, hiking, biking, etc. – “Just don’t do that,” Crawford said. “Find yourself a treatment indoors or schedule your physical activity early in the morning.”

Hard on the homeless

Community of Hope Executive Director Nicole Martinez said her organization has done several things to address the heat for its residents, most of whom are in outdoor tents.

“We installed a spigot in the middle of the campus for all to use and we have misters going at Camp Hope and an ice machine,” Martinez said. For those not on campus, Community of Hope has an Outreach team to go out in the city and check on welfare of people in the city streets.

“Our Outreach staff has frozen water bottles and towels she is distributing to unhoused people all over town,” Martinez said. “People are finding shade wherever they can find it.”

If community members would like to help, Martinez said handing out hats and frozen and unfrozen water bottles is helpful. Some people hand out popsicles to help those outside to cool down, she added.

Pets

Michelle Ugalde, a manager at Calista Animal Hospital in Las Cruces, said it only takes a minute or two in a hot car for the temperature to reach dangerous, even fatal, levels in this extreme heat.

Another thing to watch are your pets’ feet.

“Make sure the pets’ paws are protected,” Ugalde said. “Numerous places sell dog shoes or socks for their feet. A lot of dogs don’t like that, so if you can’t get them to wear them, make sure you walk them on a cooler sidewalk or shaded area. To walk your pet on asphalt or concrete will actually burn the padding on their paws.”

Just like for us humans, proper hydration is essential.

“Remember to check their source of water more often,” Ugalde said. “They are drinking a lot more water in this heat. Making sure their water source is full the whole time is important.”

A good rule of thumb, Ugalde said, is, “If it’s too hot for you outside, it’s probably too hot for your pet too. Keep them inside if at all possible. They need adequate shade as well as water.”

“We’ve seen cases already in this extreme heat where dogs are sick because of it,” she said. “If they’ve been left outside, ones we’ve seen brought have collapsed, vomited, and pant real hard.

“If you see this case in your pet, seek veterinary care right away.”

School starts

Meanwhile, Las Cruces Public Schools in its second year of an all-year class calendar, began classes Thursday, July 20.

“We’ve got to make sure kids are hydrated,” Las Cruces Public Schools Executive Director of Operations Fred Montalvo said. Students are advised to bring water bottles to school, he said, and, in some cases, schools even provide them.

As fall sports, including football, soccer, cross-country and volleyball begin, Montalvo said schools are advised to practice “early morning or late evening to avoid the heat.”

Montalvo said the district’s 100 new school buses are all air conditioned, which is also an important issue for the school district, especially for students who travel significant distances by bus to attend classes, including, for example, students who live in Radium Springs and travel to classes at Picacho Middle School or Mayfield High School.

Weather outlook

That year Las Cruces set its heat record, 1994? That was also the year Laney described as “a summer without a monsoon.”

This year a monsoon is expected, although Laney said it should be later than normal, probably not arriving until early August.

Book club welcomes award-winning author

BULLETIN REPORT

Award-winning author Yasmin Angoe will be the guest via Zoom of Readers of the Purple Sage Book Club at 4 p.m.

Thursday, July 27.

Angoe will discuss her novel “Her Name Is Knight.”

The event is free and open to the public.

For a Zoom invitation, call or text 575-491-5041 or email readersofthepurplesage@gmail.com.

From her web site is yasminangoe.com.

“Her Name Is Knight” features an elite assassin heroine on a mission to topple a human trafficking ring and avenge her family,” Angoe said. “Stolen from her Ghanaian village as a child, Nena Knight has plenty of motives to kill. Now an elite assassin for a powerful business syndicate called the Tribe, she gets plenty of chances.”



ANGOE

She is a first-generation Ghanaian American and, in 2020, received the Eleanor Taylor Bland Award for Emerging Writers of Color from Sisters in Crime.

A native of northern Virginia, Angoe taught English in middle and high school, served as an instructional coach for virtual teacher and was a freelance copy editor. She and her blended family of six live in South Carolina.

“Her Name Is Knight” has appeared in the New York Times Book Review, OprahDaily.com, POP-SUGAR, Nerd Daily, the Washington Independent Review of Books, The Guardian, and other platforms.

Angoe also wrote “They Come at Knight.” The Nena Knight series has been optioned for a TV series by Ink Factory and Fifth Season and is currently in development.



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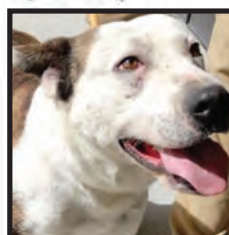
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State recognizes 'Golf Doctor'

Earlier this summer, an alert reader contacted me inquiring about the Bulletin's golf columnist, Dr. Charlie Blanchard.

"In recent months," the reader wrote, "I found myself wondering if one were to calculate how many square feet of prose about golf Charlie Blanchard has written over the years, how would that total compare to the square footage of an average golf course?"

Curiosity got the best of me. Charlie, the Golf Doctor, has written for the Bulletin since 2006, and has written in the range of 880 columns. Those columns typically take up about 50 square inches, which in the current size of the Bulletin is about a half page. In terms of square footage, that's roughly .35 square feet per column. All told, Charlie has written around 300 square feet in columns. Now that is just a tiny segment of a golf course, where

even a green is typically 1,000 to 5,000 square feet. A tee box might be a better comparison.

But in another comparison, I recently saw a video of a 300-square-foot apartment in New York City. They did a pretty good job maximizing the space, and an 11-foot ceiling helped, but still, it's 300 square feet. The monthly rent for that apartment? \$2,300.

I've gotten to know Charlie over the years, and really appreciate him as a person, as well as a golf expert.

The state of New Mexico appreciates him as well, and last week, Blanchard received a proclamation from Lt. Gov. Howie Morales recognizing him as the state's "Doctor of Golf."

Not only is Charlie a clinician in terms of the sport, he is also an actual doctor, and has done work in sports psychology.

As anyone who has golfed with me can attest, I am a total hack

on the course. I tell people I am so lousy at both golf and bowling that, for me, in either sport, 100 is a good score.

Still, I regularly find useful concepts in Charlie's columns, not necessarily to help my shoddy golf game, but to apply in business and everyday life.

Just a couple of weeks ago, Charlie included in his column this quote from the late architect and futurist R. Buckminster Fuller: "You never change things by fighting the existing reality. To change something, build a new model that makes the existing model obsolete." That rings true in so many walks of life.

In the walk of the golf course, Blanchard regularly does one of the hardest things for anyone to do in golf: Hit your age.

Blanchard is 80, an age where many people are under the green grass instead of walking on it with a golf club. And his score at the end of a round is almost always under 80 these days.

The state's recognition might

not have happened without the persistence of Charlie's golf partner and friend Dave Kimble, who introduced Blanchard to the lieutenant governor, who was duly impressed. A few conversations later, and some work on behalf of Morales, and the honor was bestowed.

Blanchard is not the first Bulletin sportswriter to be honored with a state proclamation. In 2011, the 50th state legislature issued a proclamation of condolence at the passing of beloved Bulletin sports editor John "Ranger" Keith, who happened to be a friend of Blanchard's.

I'm grateful Charlie's recognition did not come posthumously.

Congrats, Doc Blanchard, and we at the Bulletin express our sincere appreciation for your contributions to our newspaper, and to the Las Cruces community these many years.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: A photo of the presentation, and Blanchard's column are on Page 32.)



RICHARD COLTHARP
Going Downtown

It's too hot to focus on anything else

Boy, it sure is hot lately. How hot is it?

It's so hot I bought a loaf of bread and by the time I got home it was toast. It's so hot my grandfather's chicken laid an omelet. It's so hot his cows are producing evaporated milk. It's so hot the catfish are fried by the time you reel them out of the lake.

It's so hot the Statue of Liberty disrobed. It's so hot I went to Congress to be around some shady characters. It's so hot I saw two fire hydrants fighting over a dog. It's so hot I saw a squirrel collecting nuts with oven mitts.

It's so hot my cheeks get a steam treatment every time I sit on the toilet. It's so hot Jehovah's Witnesses started telemarketing. It's so hot Jesus turned the wine back into water. It's so hot the

devil is worried about staying hydrated.

It's so hot Bill Cosby is sleeping with his wife just to get the cold shoulder. It's so hot I intentionally leave the toilet seat up to get icy stares from my wife. It's so hot the ice cream man had to change the sign on his truck to "Cream."

It's so hot I saw a bee take off its yellowjacket. It's so hot the corn in Nebraska started popping in the field. It's so hot Coldplay won't work on my stereo. It's so hot asphalt is available in both a solid and a liquid. It's so hot the sand on the beach has turned to glass.

It's so hot that instead of writing a proper column this week, I

stole a 50-year-old concept from Johnny Carson, then went to the

Internet for bad jokes. Because it's too hot to focus on anything else.

According to The Weather Channel, it's been 100 degrees or hotter every day since July 2, and every day but two since June 20. On both of those days the high

reached 99. And, the string of triple-digit temperatures isn't forecast to end until the very last day of the month.

This will clearly be the hottest summer on record. And not just for us. The hottest days on record globally have been this month. That dates back at least to the 1970s, when we first developed the technology to calculate global

temperatures. Some scientists argue that it goes back much further than that, for thousands of years.

There is legitimate debate as to how we should best address this problem in a world that has so many diverse energy needs and means of production. But is anybody still arguing there isn't a problem?

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WALT RUBEL
The View From Here

'La Equis' turns to teal for Fragile X

BULLETIN REPORT

You've surely seen the big red "X" south of the border in Juarez, as you're driving along Interstate 10 near downtown El Paso.

At 8 p.m. July 22, the red "X," a structure known as "La Equis," will light up in the color teal, thanks to the efforts of Mesilla's Mary Lee Bailey Shelton.

"Our effort is one of more than 400 illuminations around the world," Shelton said of the event, which is designed to shine light on Fragile X Syndrome, a condition affecting millions, including her son, Spencer.

Even Niagara Falls will be aglow in teal, the official color of FRAXA Research Foundation.

Fragile X Syndrome is "the most common form of genetically inherited intellectual disability and most common cause of autism," Shelton said, but added the condition "is completely unknown to the vast majority of the world."

"We are proud that we are the first city in all of Mexico to illuminate a monument for Fragile X Day," said Leticia Villalobos, president of Club Rotario Juarez



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July 22, "La Equis," the landmark in Juarez, will be illuminated in teal to raise awareness of Fragile X Syndrome. Helping coordinate the event are Ciudad Juarez and Club Rotario Juarez Campestre, of which Mesilla's Mary Lee Bailey Shelton, whose son, Spencer, is affected by Fragile X. Above is Spencer and Mary.

Campestre, of which Shelton is a member. The illumination is coordinated by the club and Ciudad



Juarez.

"And to know that our club is illuminating an actual X is so meaningful," Shelton said, "a uniquely Fragile X icon!"

Fragile X is a genetic disorder that occurs when a single gene on the X chromosome shuts down, Shelton said. "This gene makes a protein needed for normal brain development. In Fragile X Syndrome it does not work properly, the protein is not made, and the brain does not develop as it should. The disability has been detected in all populations and ethnic groups across the world. Our son, Spencer, has mild intellectual disabilities (he is able to read and write), some anxiety and poor eye contact and no discernible physical characteristics. He is able to drive and hold a job. My goal is for the millions of people living in the Borderland to see the X July 22 and wonder why (it) suddenly morphed into a different color," Shelton said.

Visit www.fraxa.org and www.facebook.com/RotarioJuarez-Campestre.

Register now for New Mexico Agritourism Symposium

BULLETIN REPORT

The New Mexico Department of Agriculture (NMDA) will host the first-ever, free New Mexico Agritourism Symposium noon-7 p.m. Monday, Aug. 14, at the Mesilla Valley Maze, 3855 W. Picacho Ave. in Las Cruces.

The symposium will include roundtable discussions, networking opportunities, dinner and a presentation on the free NEW MEXICO-Taste the Tradition and NEW MEXICO-Grown with Tradition Logo programs, which aims to promote New Mexico products and identify them as grown or made in the state.

Although there is no fee to attend the symposium, registration is required, and the deadline to register is Monday, July 31, NMDA said in a news release. Register online at www.eventbrite.com. Type "NM Agritourism Symposium" in the search box at the top of the page.

"Whether you operate a pumpkin patch and corn maze, a 'you-pick-it' flower operation, a farm stay or a winery, our agritourism symposium will allow attendees to learn what works and



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doesn't work for others in the industry," said state Agriculture Sec. Jeff Witte. "Our goal is to help current and future agritourism business owners succeed at what they do, while at the same time, promote the robust agriculture in our state."

Roundtable discussion topics include school tours, insurance, staff retention, marketing and more, NMDA said.

For more information, call 575-646-4929 and email tastethetradition@nmda.nmsu.edu.

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Program could bring families \$500 a month

BULLETIN REPORT

Community Action Agency of Southern New Mexico (CAASN), Families and Youth Innovations Plus (FYI+), Jardin de los Niños and NMSU Crimson Research are partnering to bring Family Prosperity to Las Cruces.

"This is an initiative where randomly selected, prequalified, single caregiver families will receive \$500 a month for 18 months," said FYI+ Chief Operations Officer Jolene Martinez.

A Family Prosperity Community Celebration

will be 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, July 22, at Pioneer Women's Park, 500 W. Las Cruces Ave. The event will include free paletas from Paletteria La Reyna Michoacana, bouncy castles and water balloons, food trucks and storytellers, a news release said.

Families can apply to participate in the program at the event or at caasnm.org/cash-support. The application window closes Friday, Aug. 18. Selected participants must meet income requirements and reside in the City of Las Cruces.

"Family Prosperity will

focus on cash support for single caregivers who have at least one child aged 16 or under, with the intent of the program being to evaluate how cash support influences quality-of-life issues like education, employment, and physical and mental health," Martinez said.

Families chosen will be notified in October and receive their first payment in late 2023 or early 2024. The money does not have to be repaid.

"Research has shown that when people are given unrestricted cash payments, recipients are able

to pull themselves out of poverty, plan for the future, and create stability for themselves and their families," said CAASN CEO Dawn Z. Hommer.

Chosen individuals and a control comparison group will complete regular surveys and questionnaires to aid in evaluation and will receive an additional \$550 over the 18 months.

Funding comes from the City of Las Cruces through a grant from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021. For information, call CAASN at 575-527-8799, extension 114 and visit caasnm.org/cash-support.





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Friday, July 21

• Archives 101: Libraries Promote Personal Archiving Workshops, 1 p.m., Thomas Branigan Memorial Library Roadrunner Room, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Info: 575-528-4001.
• Film: "Mending the Line," 7:30 p.m., Fountain Theatre in Mesilla. Runs through July 27. Info: mesilavalleyfilm.com.

Saturday, July 22

• Walk With a Doc, 9 a.m., Young Park, 850 S. Walnut St. Gather at the playground next to the tennis courts. Info: karen.matthews@lpnt.net
• Storytelling at COAS Books with the Storytellers of Las Cruces, 10:30 a.m., 317 N. Main St. Info: deejay1082@gmail.com.
• STEAMPunk creative clocks, 11 a.m. at the Museum of Nature & Science, 411 N. Main St. Info: 575-532-3120.

• Animal Encounters: javelinas, 11 a.m. at the Museum of Nature & Science, 411 N. Main St. Info: 575-532-3120.

• Friends of the Branigan Library Summer Book Sale, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Roadrunner Room of the Branigan Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Info: 575-528-4000.

• History of Origami Lecture, 11 a.m.-noon, Branigan Cultural Center Classroom, 501 N. Main St. and on Zoom, Info: 575-522-3120.

• Ranger-guided tour: Riparian areas, 11 a.m., Fort Selden Historic Site, 1280 Fort Selden Road, Radium Springs. Info: nmhistoricsites.org/fort-selden
• New Mexico Brewers Guild IPA Challenge beer fest, 2-4 p.m., Public House 28 Brewery, 10092 NM Hwy. 28 in Anthony. Info: nmbeer.org.

• Movies in the Park: "Sonic the Hedgehog 2" at dusk, Young Park, 1905 E. Nevada Ave. Info: 575-541-2550.

Sunday, July 23

• Music in the Park: "Fungi Mungle and Mango Cakes," 7 p.m., Young Park, 850 S. Walnut

St. Info: 575-541-2550.

Tuesday, July 25

• Children's Bilingual Story Time, 10:15-11:30 a.m., Thomas Branigan Memorial Library Roadrunner Room, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Children 2-4 with their caregivers. Info: 575-528-4000.

• Reclamation safety project Community Pit #1 open house, 5-7 p.m. at the BLM Las Cruces District Office, 1800 Marquess St. Info: 575-525-4300.

• Coalition of Conservatives in Action, 6 p.m. Kitchen Kraft, 980 N. Telshor Blvd. Discussing issues of interest in the community. Info: Juan Garcia, 575-449-5821.

Thursday, July 27

• Overdose Prevention Education & Naloxone Training, 11:30 a.m. free online class with Doña Ana County. Info: 575-525-5870 or email narcan@donaana-county.org.

• Quick Class: Bon Appetit Let's Eat Beets, noon-1 p.m. at Natural Grocers, 3070 E Lohman Ave. Class with Clifford Kinnear Jr. Info: 575-522-1711.

• Coalition of Conservatives

in Action, 6 p.m. Kitchen Kraft, 980 N. Telshor Blvd. Discussing issues of interest in the community. Info: Juan Garcia, 575-449-5821.

Friday, July 28

• Student Immunization Clinic, 8 a.m.-noon, 1-5 p.m., New Mexico Department of Health Public Health Office, 1170 N. Solano Dr. Back-to-school immunizations. Or call to make an appointment, 575-528-5006.

• Friends of the Branigan Library Summer Book Sale, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Roadrunner Room of the Branigan Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Info: 575-528-4000.

• Summertime on the Farm, 4 p.m., New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road. Info: 575-522-4100.

• Film: "Past Lives," at the Fountain Theatre in Mesilla. Runs through Aug. 3. Info: mesilavalleyfilm.com.

Saturday, July 29

• Storytelling at COAS Books with the Storytellers of Las Cruces, 10:30 a.m., 317 N. Main St.

Info: deejay1082@gmail.com.

• International Tiger Day Artist Trading Cards, 10 a.m.-noon at the Museum of Nature & Science, 411 N. Main St. Info: 575-532-3372.

• Friends of the Branigan Library Summer Book Sale, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Roadrunner Room of the Branigan Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Info: 575-528-4000.

• Canna Jams Festival/Mafia-Lick Tour, 5-11:30 p.m., Picacho Peak Brewing Company and Grapevine Plaza, 3900 W. Picacho Ave. Cannibus festival and concert, part of a 40-city U.S. tour, with live music, food trucks and vendors. 18 and older. Info: 575-650-8344 or thekush-housenm@gmail.com.

Sunday, July 30

• Friends of the Branigan Library Summer Book Sale, 1-3 p.m. in the Roadrunner Room of the Branigan Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Info: 575-528-4000.

• Music in the Park: "Dream Merchants," 7 p.m., Young Park, 850 S. Walnut St. Info: 575-541-2550.

Ongoing

• Overeaters Anonymous, noon Wednesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, 102 St. James St. Hybrid meeting, available by Zoom. Info: Bob at 610-762-3779.

• Overeaters Anonymous, 9:30 a.m., Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave. Hybrid meeting, available by Zoom. Info: Barbara at 575-405-9128.

• Tai Chi in the Park free introductory classes every Thursday, 9-10 a.m. at the Mesilla Park Recreation Center in the Park. Ongoing class in the traditional Yan Family Tai Chi Long Form. Information: 915-584-4730.

• Weaving for Justice textile sale, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at First Christian Church Atrium, 1809 El Paseo Road. Held on the third Saturday of the month, all proceeds go to Maya weaving cooperatives in Chiapas, Mexico. Info: www.weaving-for-justice.org.

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Burrell Medical College staying true to its mission

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

In July 2013 – 10 years ago this month – George Mychaskiw and John Hummer created the entity that would become Burrell College of Osteopathic Medicine (BCOM).

A decade later, BCOM began the 2023-24 academic year with a July 14 white coat ceremony welcoming 200 new medical students to Las Cruces from across the country.

BCOM has graduated 564 new doctors since 2020 and is keeping to its mission of improving health care throughout the region, said Hummer, who is BCOM's president and chief executive officer.

More than 99 percent of BCOM third- and fourth-year students are in residency programs. More than 25 percent complete residencies in "the mission region," Hummer said, and more than a third of those who leave to practice elsewhere will return.

"We're very pleased with the quality of our graduates," Hummer said.

BCOM history

The BCOM story began in December 2012, Hummer said, when Mychaskiw (a doctor of osteopathy who is now a professor at Louisiana



HUMMER

State University) contacted then interim-New Mexico State University President Manuel Pacheco about creating a public-private partnership with NMSU to open a medical school in Las Cru-

ces to address the shortage of physicians in the Southwest and the border region and diversity the physician workforce.

A conversation with Bill Allen, then at the Greater Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce connected Mychaskiw with Hummer, who had come to Las Cruces in 2000 to become founding CEO at MountainView Regional Medical Center.

In 2013, Hummer made the medical-school pitch to then-NMSU President and former New Mexico Governor Garrey Carruthers, then-NMSU Senior Vice President and Chief of Staff Ben Woods and the late Kevin Boberg, who helped establish Ar-

rowhead Park Early College High School on the NMSU campus and helped launch NMSU's Arrowhead Center and was its first director and CEO.

Among others, Hummer also shared the concept with Dr. William T. Baker, DO, who has practiced medicine in Las Cruces for more than 40 years, is a member of the BCOM board of directors and was keynote speaker at BCOM's 2023 graduation.

"Dr. Pacheco indicated, in a briefing after my selection as president, that he had left some correspondence regarding the prospect of locating a medical school on the campus of NMSU," Carruthers said. "I read the letter from George Mychaskiw, put together an NMSU team to consider the proposal, and we responded positively to George. To this day, I think that decision is one of the best I made on behalf of NMSU and New Mexico. John Hummer and his team have executed their collaborative plan with NMSU flawlessly, offering many benefits to our university, our students, and our region. I am pleased to have played a role."



First-year students at Burrell College of Osteopathic Medicine's July 14 white coat ceremony at Centennial High School.

Once an affiliation agreement was signed with NMSU in September 2013, Hummer met with Dan Burrell to begin the fundraising of more than \$104 million to build and open the school. The Burrell family put up the first \$7.5 million for the medical school and were given naming rights. Burrell joined John Hummer and George Mychaskiw as one of the school's co-founders.

Burrell was founder and CEO of The Burrell Group, LLC, a holding company that operates companies in a variety of

sectors, including education.

Hummer and Mychaskiw met with Rice University in 2015, and following their meeting, Rice became the single largest BCOM shareholder in 2016.

In 2020, BCOM graduated its first cohort of 162 medical students, and received full accreditation from the Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation and the U.S. Department of Education. It also is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.

"Sometimes I pinch myself," Hummer said. "There's so many people that played a part" in getting BCOM open, he said. "Everything came together because of relationships."

BCOM today

BCOM includes a virtual anatomy laboratory, state-of-the-art simulation center and more than 100 community members who serve as standardized patients at Burrell, realisti-

cally portraying patients with a wide range of health issues to help train first- and second-year students.

In addition to the Las Cruces campus, BCOM operates academic centers in El Paso, Tucson, southeast New Mexico, the Four Corners region, Albuquerque and Brevard County, Florida. BCOM students train with more than 850 physician preceptors (supervisors) at hospitals in Las Cruces, El Paso, Albuquerque, Hobbs, Roswell, Carlsbad, Artesia, Lovington, Farmington and Gallup.

Through more than 50 on-campus organizations, BCOM students have contributed nearly 20,000 hours of volunteer service in Las Cruces and other communities since 2021. During the pandemic, BCOM students worked with their faculty and the New Mexico Department of Health to operate one of the first drive-thru Covid testing sites in the



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Students' stories

"I wanted to study osteopathic medicine because of their holistic approach ... how many patients in such a wide variety of specialties can actually use a lot of these manipulations," second-year BCOM student Kyle Essex he said in a BCOM video.

Essex said a major reason he chose BCOM was a conversation he had with Miley Grandjean, Burrell's director of academic support services. Essex told Grandjean

he wanted to continue to work as a paramedic while attending BCOM, and she told him there was already a student at BCOM who was doing that and arranged a meeting between them.

Essex graduated from State University of New York (SUNY) Cortland with a degree in physical education and a minor in music before coming to BCOM. He worked as a paramedic in New York and continues to do so in Las Cruces.

Essex wants to practice emergency medicine and complete fellowships in emergency medical service and critical care medicine.

"One of the best things you will find at Burrell is the sense of community within each cohort," said BCOM 2022-23 student doctor of the year Kate

Hall. "Burrell does a great job of fostering that sense of community and support among its students."

"The students I met during the interview cycle were warm, positive and genuinely passionate about serving the underserved of New Mexico and the Borderplex, which resonates with who I am and my mission," said BCOM student doctor Rebecca Nika Tsai, class of 2026.

The future

BCOM will open a medical school on the Florida Institute of Technology campus in Melbourne, Florida in 2024, Hummer said. With 100 students per class, BCOM Florida will share faculty with BCOM Las Cruces, follow the same curriculum and operate under the same leadership, he said.

Following its strategic

plan, BCOM will continue to focus on diversifying its physician workforce and enhancing medical care in underserved areas, Hummer said.

By summer 2026, BCOM expects to develop a health science degree program in partnership with NMSU, he said.

This fall, BCOM will launch its community-based learning mission medicine curriculum, through which students will provide outreach services to underserved areas within Doña Ana County and in affiliation with community health care providers and community agencies.

"Our dean established this new initiative to better ensure that our mission was embedded within our communities and that our students would gain a better understanding of



First-year BCOM student Mazella Sloan with Scott Cyrus, DO, professor and chair of clinical medicine pediatrics clerkship director at BCOM.

the social determinants of healthcare and actively participate in improving access to care, education, and overall health status," Hummer said.

"The credit for the success of the founding of BCOM belongs to more than the initial founders,"

Hummer said in a history of the college. "It also belongs to the first faculty and staff, the board of trustees, the many supporters for their contributions and most of all the first class of students (Class of 2020)."

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Department of Ag cuts ribbon on new labs, breaks ground

By **MIKE COOK**
Las Cruces Bulletin

New laboratories officially opened this morning (Thursday, July 13) are “a key component of services” offered by the New Mexico Department of Agriculture going forward, New Mexico Lt. Gov. Howie Morales said at the ribbon-cutting ceremony in front of the labs at 975 Agriculture Way, a short street on the NMSU Las Cruces campus between Knox and Espina streets. Agriculture has a \$40 billion impact in New Mexico and generates nearly 260,000 jobs in the state, said Morales.

NMDA is one of only three state ag departments in the country (the other two are in South Carolina and Illinois) that not only regulates the ag industry but helps improve it, said interim NMSU Chancellor Jay Gogue.

“This facility is taking us into a whole new era and we’re very excited,” said Leland Gould of the New Mexico Petroleum Marketers Association.

“I’m impressed by what NMDA does for the state of New Mexico,” said NMSU Regent Deborah Romero.

The relationship between NMDA and the NMSU Board of Regents is “as old as our state,” said Regents President Ammu

Devasthali. The state constitution, written in 1912 when New Mexico became a state, created NMDA, she said, and put it under the control of the regents at New Mexico’s land grant university, which is now NMSU.

After the ribbon cutting, NMDA Sec. Jeff Witte led the regents, Morales, NMSU ag students and NMDA officials in breaking ground on the renovations to the NMDA building next door to the labs, at the corner of Espina Street and Agriculture Way. Witte said the building will be closed starting July 13 as renovations begin. NMDA’s offices will move across the street to PSL during the renovations, he said. Witte said the NMSU building opened in 1975 and was the first solar heated and cooled building in the United States.

The labs “New Mexico consumers and businesses will benefit from these state-of-the-art facilities and will receive timely and accurate results from regulatory testing and service samples,” Witte said in an NMDA news release. “Whether it’s petroleum products, feed, seed, fertilizer, pesticides or the state standards for weights and measurements, these facilities will serve all New Mexico residents, directly or indirectly.”

State Metrology Laboratory “supports the work of NMDA’s Standards and Consumer Services Division by calibrating weights and measuring devices utilized in inspections and performing calibration services on a fee basis for industry,” NMDA said. “

State Petroleum Laboratory “analyzes official samples to enforce petroleum product quality standards and specifications,” NMDA said. Samples are collected weekly by petroleum standards inspectors and shipped to the lab for analysis. If problems are encountered, follow-up investigations and samples may be required. Products not meeting state specifications must be corrected immediately. The lab is a state-of-the-art facility capable of analyzing in excess of 10,000 samples per year.”

State Seed Laboratory “determines the quality of seed used for planting,” NMDA said. “Seed testing yields information about seed lots to determine if seed being offered for sale meets the guarantee stated on the label and to provide information to the industry for labeling purposes.”

State Chemist Laboratory “performs a wide variety of tests on feeds, fertilizers and pesticides,” NMDA said. “This



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Lt. Gov. Howie Morales speaks at the ribbon cutting. At right is New Mexico Department of Agriculture Sec. Jeff Witte.

lab also ensures New Mexico’s citizens receive quality products, including animal feed (including pet food), commercial fertilizers and commercial pesticides. These services ensure a level playing field for manufacturers and promote responsible environmental stewardship.”

“Each new laboratory design has created more efficien-

cies for handling samples and artifacts and has added new equipment to increase capabilities, especially in the state metrology and petroleum labs,” NMDA said. “The lab construction project was made possible with departmental funds, general funds and a severance tax bond totaling \$16.2 million.

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Local artists share work, donate to Memorial Medical Center

By CYNTHIA DE LORENZI

Memorial Medical Center

The Memorial Medical Center (MMC) Art Initiative Committee (AIC) recently met with the MMC Auxiliary Committee to present checks from local artists who sold their artwork displayed at the hospital.

This collaborative effort aims to not only beautify the medical center but also support the vital services provided by the auxiliary to the Las Cruces community.

The selection of artwork displayed throughout the hospital has garnered positive feedback from staff, volunteers, visitors, and patients alike.

We are thrilled when we receive positive feedback on the artwork our committee has selected to display. It brings joy to see how it positively impacts the hospital environment.

In an even more heartwarming gesture, the artists generously share a portion of the proceeds from their sold artwork with the MMC Auxiliary. These contributions serve as a significant boost to the auxiliary's ability to serve the Las Cruces community effectively.

The auxiliary, comprised of dedicated volunteers, plays an indispensable role in the local healthcare community. Their primary focus is to provide various services to patients, their families, and the wider



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Left to right are Cynthia de Lorenzi and Carol Sanden of the Memorial Medical Center (MMC) Art Initiative Committee; and MCC Auxiliary members Claude Wescott, Betty Pfeifer, Cindy Wescott, Karen Smith and Dave Goldsberry.

community, with the ultimate goal of enhancing overall well-being and the healthcare experience.

Volunteers within the auxiliary selflessly devote their time and effort to support MMC. They lend a helping hand in diverse tasks, including patient support, administrative duties, and day-to-day activities. By creating a positive and supportive environment for patients and their families, their presence ensures that everyone feels cared for during their time at the medical center.

Las Cruces receives funds for low-income housing

BULLETIN REPORT

The New Mexico Mortgage Finance Authority (NMMFA) has awarded almost \$30 million for more than 125 low-income housing units in Las Cruces.

The awards are part of more than \$88 million in 4 percent low-income housing tax credits for four low-

income housing projects in Las Cruces, Albuquerque and Santa Fe, NMMFA said in a news release.

The two Las Cruces projects are:

- Peachtree Canyon: \$18.1 million, for 144 low-income units. Indoor amenities will include a lounge and an exercise room. Outdoor amenities

will include a pool, pickleball courts, playground areas, landscaped courtyards and walking paths.

- Pedrena Apartments: \$11.8 million for 80 low-income units for seniors 55 and above with an annual income below \$40,000. The property includes a three-story building with elevators and three single-level

duplexes facing El Paseo Road, NMMFA said. Amenities will include a common area meeting space with a kitchen, a fitness room, a business center, meeting rooms, a dog park, raised community gardens, a fenced perimeter, washers and dryers in each unit

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Through this collaborative effort among the auxiliary, AIC and local artists, MMC continues to strengthen its commitment to providing excellent healthcare services to Las Cruces. With art enriching the healing environment and the dedicated volunteers of the auxiliary, the medical center's impact reaches far beyond medical treatment, fostering a sense of warmth, comfort, and compassion for all who walk through its doors.

Cynthia de Lorenzi is a Las Cruces artist and photographer. She serves as art curator at Memorial Medical Center and member of MMC's Art Initiative Committee. Visit www.cynthia.art. Contact de Lorenzi at cynthia.de.lorenzi@gmail.com.



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Kasandra Gandara, Steve Newby, Becki Graham

Dynamic Downtown Duo

BULLETIN REPORT

Years of tireless work from Heather Pollard and Steve Newby were officially honored this week by the City of Las Cruces, which proclaimed July 17 both Heather Pollard Day and Steve Newby Day.

During proclamations read by District 3 City Councilor Becki Graham, each were recognized for their ongoing efforts in the yearslong transformation of Downtown. Prior to 2008 Main Street still had metal awnings, no through traffic and dozens of vacant buildings.

Pollard was noted as the original executive director of the Doña Ana Arts Council, which was instrumental in the renovation of the Rio Grande Theatre, considered a key element in the rebirth of Downtown. She was also recognized for her arts and community efforts, and her entrepreneurship.

Newby, an architect, worked on many facets of Downtown, and was recognized for those contributions as well as playing a role in Las Cruces' economic growth and vitality and fostering a sense of pride in community through his architecture.



COURTESY PHOTO

Kasandra Gandara, Heather Pollard, Becki Graham

Fire station art 'blankets, protects'

By RICHARD COLTHARP

Las Cruces Bulletin

The artist, Arturo Garcia, described his work "Cloud Cover" as being inspired by a "sacred, ceremonial Pueblo Indian blanket."

His multi-color, multi-layered and textured metal work is incorporated into the top of Las Cruces Fire Department Station No. 3, and was dedicated July 13.

"A blanket protects and covers us like our firefighters do," Garcia said at the dedication, and then pointed to a group of LCFD firefighters, dressed in dark blue. "Look at them back there. They are a blanket of blue."

LCFD Chief Jason Smith talked of wearing "30 to 50 pounds of gear and tools, going in places you can't see, when it's so loud you hear everything and you can't hear anything at the same time, going into the scariest, most dangerous events you can put yourself into. These firefighters do that every day to take care of the people who need us."

City Councilor Johana Bencomo, who represents District 4, home to Fire Station No. 3, described the art as having "layers of meaning and power and interpretation," adding "Every day the crew of Fire Station 3 is out there putting their bodies on the line."

"They deserve our commitment," Bencomo said.

Garcia, originally from El Paso, was joined by his mother Elisa, who still lives in El Paso, as well as his girlfriend, Lana Ankenbauer. Garcia's son, Dominic, was in town from his home in China, where he lives with his wife, Shuai, and their two-year-old son Frankie.



BULLETIN PHOTO BY RICHARD COLTHARP

Artist Arturo Garcia, second from right, stands with his family at the dedication of his piece at Fire Station No. 3: Daughter-in-law Shuai, son Dominic, grandson Frankie, mother Elisa, and girlfriend Lana Ankenbauer.



COURTESY PHOTO

"Cloud Cover" adorns the top of Fire Station No. 3.

HOUSING

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and private patios.

"The \$141 million in total tax credits awarded this year will enable the development or preservation of close to 1,000 workforce units which thousands of families will call their home," said NMMFA Executive Director and CEO Isidoro Hernandez. "They are key in addressing the housing need, advancing

stability and security and will have a significant economic impact."

"Anytime we can receive monies for affordable housing our community is very grateful," Mayor Ken Miyagishima said. "During these challenging times, we are fortunate to have housing that our residents can still afford to live in, especially when you see other communities in America so outrageously expensive."

NMMFA was created in 1975 by the New Mexico Legislature to provide quality affordable housing opportunities for all New Mexico residents. NMMFA, the state's housing agency, uses housing bonds, tax credits and other federal and state resources to fund more than 30 housing programs. In addition to funding the construction and rehabilitation of affordable housing and rental properties, MFA's programs

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Exploring the impact of heat on our electricity

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first installment of "Powerlines," an ongoing series from the Las Cruces Bulletin about our energy, our energy sources, and the always changing interactions we have as energy consumers.)

By Elva K. Österreich
Las Cruces Bulletin

Monday, July 10, El Paso Electric company had peak energy use from its customers. Texas and New Mexico used more electricity in one hour than had ever been used in EPE's system.

Then it expected another day like that, but rain and clouds cooled night temperatures and the demand for power didn't exceed the supply.

Dave Hawkins, El Paso Electric's vice president of system operations and resource strategy describes the electric grid like a highway system with mass transportation.

"It's the same with the transmission grid for our system, starting from generating facilities," he said, "it comes to southern New Mexico and West Texas, then we step that down to distribution level, like a puzzle put together of our resources."

The Eastern, Western and Texas interconnections are the three power grids within the continental United States, Hawkins said. These interconnections use the same frequency within their interconnection grid which helps prevent major disturbances and supports power delivery to customers across the network. EPE is within the Western



Interconnection and interfaces with other utilities in the southwestern United States.

He said outages happen for different reasons. In a neighborhood, the outage could be caused by a car hitting a pole. On a larger scale an outage could be caused either by not enough power generation or by the transmission being taken out of service.

"That is all very much part of our planning process," he said. "We look at broader resources. There is oversight that looks to make sure that if a transmission goes out, how will we respond? We have to have a plan to address that."

The planning is constant, Hawkins said. EPE looks at what it will do if it can't generate enough power to serve communities. If there is a chance of failure, the company will reach out to neighboring systems to make sure there is enough. Those neighbors include PNM in New Mexico and Arizona Utilities in Tucson.

"We actually participate in a nuclear facility in Palo Verde (in southwestern Arizona)," he said. "It's a large tower hub for other areas. We own about 16 percent of the Palo Verde facility."

El Paso Electric owned resources are 25 percent nuclear, 71 percent natural gas and 4 per-

cent solar. EPE provides electricity from electric generators sourced from various sources of fuel supply (nuclear, natural gas, and solar). This electricity is generated from electric generators owned by EPE or purchased through long- and short-term power agreements with other power producers.

"It's been over 10-12 years since we had a problem – since the freeze (February 2011)," he said.

In heat like we are experiencing here in southern New Mexico, customer demand can be much higher than expected, he said. Energy use increases over that time and EPE is very aware, monitoring and maintaining system operations 24 hours a day.

EPE serves 460,000 total customers, 92,000 of those in New Mexico, Hawkins said.

When overnight temperatures stay high after the 105- to 109-degree days, EPE might struggle more to keep the energy flowing. People who are accustomed to opening the windows and turning the cooling down are not going to want to give up their cooler environment. That makes for higher usage of the transmission system, he said.

"On hot days, clouds move in (in the evening) we have a trapping of heat and the temperature is not



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El Paso Electric Power Company workers respond quickly to address outages wherever they may occur.

dropping," he said. "Where we see the greatest impact is rain. If it's not going to rain, it would be better for clouds to move away so heat can escape."

Hawkins said he thinks, for the most part, customers are pretty good about the conscientious use of energy. EPE offers help with plans and smart thermostats as well.

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"When customers take part, the company has the ability to give dollars back," he said. "The company can work with customers on those programs. For example, when not home, raise the thermostat, saving energy

that didn't need to be produced."

"When unforeseen circumstances do occur, EPE is ready to respond safely and quickly to restore power to our customers," concludes a note in its 2022 Corporate Sustainability Report.

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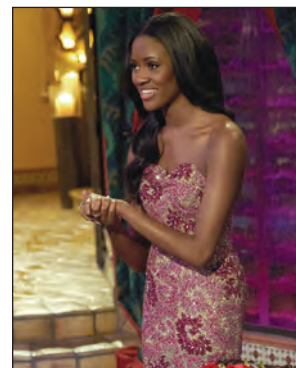
| | S | D | DTV | 6 PM | 6:30 | 7 PM | 7:30 | 8 PM | 8:30 | 9 PM | 9:30 | 10 PM | 10:30 | 11 PM | 11:30 | 12 AM | 12:30 |
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| PBS-KRWG | 2 | 22 | 22 | (6:30) NewsHo.. | Context | Antiques "Omaha Hour 3" (N) | Great American (N) | POV "Eat Your Cattish" (N) | | BBC News | Amanpour and Company (N) | PBS NewsHour | | | | | |
| CBS-KDBC | 3 | 4 | 4 | Jeopardy! (N) | Wheel | Neighbor | Bob Heart | NCIS "In the Spotlight" | NCIS "Good Samaritan" | CBS4 News | (:35) Late Show-Colbert | (:35) James Corden | (:35) Paid Prog. | | | | |
| ABC-KVIA | 7 | 7 | 7 | News (N) | ET (N) | Claim to Fame (N) | The Bachelorette (N) | | | News (N) | (:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! | (:35) Nightline | (:05) ET | (:35) Hollywood | | | |
| FOX-KFOX | 8 | 14 | 14 | Big Bang | Big Bang | Stars on Mars "Evil AI" (N) | Crime Scene Kitchen (N) | News (N) (Live) | | (:05) Mod Fam | (:35) Mod Fam | (:05) iCRIME | (:35) Simpsons | (:05) Two Men | (:35) Two Men | | |
| NBC-KTSM | 9 | 9 | 9 | News at 6 (N) | News (N) | Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 8 (N) | The Wall (N) | Weakest Link | | KTSM News | (:35) Tonight Show | (:35) Seth Meyers | (:35) TMZ (N) | | | | |
| UNI-KINT | 10 | - | 26 | Eternamente amádonos (N) | | | El amor invencible (N) | Mujer (N) | | Noticiero | SaborDe | Deportivo (N) (Live) | Eternamente amádonos | | | | |
| TEL-KTDO | 11 | 48 | 48 | Los 50 (N) | | | Secretos de sangre (N) | | | Noticiero | (:35) Noticias | Acércate a Rocio | Caso cerrado | | | | |
| UMAS-KTFN | 13 | 759 | 65 | ¿Cuál es el bueno? (N) | | | Desafío: The Box (N) | Como dice el dicho (N) | | Nosotr. | Nosotr. | Simple "Fuerte noticia" | Desafío: The Box | | | | |
| CW-KVIA2 | 14 | 17 | 8 | Sheldon | Sheldon | Son of a (P) | Son of a (N) | Children (P) | Children (N) | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Sheldon | Neighbor | Last Man | 25 Words | Pawn Stars | Storage Wars |
| A&E | 43 | 118 | 265 | Secrets of Playboy | Secrets of Playboy (N) | Secrets of Miss America (N) | (:05) Secrets of Playboy | (:05) Secrets of Playboy | | (:05) Secrets of Playboy | (:05) Secrets of Playboy | (:05) Secrets of Playboy | (:05) Miss America | | | | |
| AMC | 57 | 131 | 254 | *** Tag '18) Jon Hamm, Jeremy Renner, Ed Helms. (P) | | (:15) *** Bad Teacher '11) Justin Timberlake, Jason Segel, Cameron Diaz. | *** Big '88) Elizabeth Perkins, Robert Loggia, Tom Hanks. | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMEDY | 35 | 107 | 249 | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | The Office | The Office | The Office | The Office | The Office | The Office | The Office | The Office | Daily Show | (:35) South Park | | |
| COOK | 123 | 113 | 232 | Delicious | Delicious | Zimmern | Zimmern | Delicious | Delicious | Delicious | Delicious | Delicious | Delicious | Zimmern | Zimmern | Delicious | Delicious |
| DSC | 47 | 182 | 278 | (5:00) Street Outlaws: Mega | Street Outlaws: Mega | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws: Mega | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws | Street Outlaws |
| E! | 37 | 114 | 236 | (5:30) Botched | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam |
| ESPN | 27 | 140 | 206 | (5:00) ESPN Films | ESPN Films | ESPN Films | ESPN Films | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) |
| FOOD | 40 | 110 | 231 | BBQ Brawl | BBQ Brawl (N) | BBQ USA (N) | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | BBQ Brawl | BBQ USA | Beat Bobby | BBQ USA | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby |
| FX | 29 | 136 | 248 | *** Spider-Man 3 '07) Kirsten Dunst, James Franco, Tobey Maguire. | | *** The Amazing Spider-Man '12) Emma Stone, Rhys Ifans, Andrew Garfield. | *** Fantastic Four: Rise of the ... | | | | | | | | | | |
| GALA | 25 | 273 | 404 | Una familia de diez (N) | Nosotros los guapos (N) | Vecinos (N) | 40 y 20 | 40 y 20 | Renta | Renta | Alma de | Alma de | Simón dice | Simón dice | | | |
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| HGTV | 41 | 112 | 229 | Barbie Dreamhouse | Lil Jon "Make It Rain" (N) | Flip the Strip (N) | Lil Jon Wants (N) | Lil Jon Wants "Make It Rain" | Flip the Strip | Lil Jon Wants to Do What? | | | | | | | |
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| LIFEMOV | 119 | 109 | 253 | * Rooming With Danger '23) Camila Senna. | * My Landlord Wants Me Dead '23) Emily Villarreal. | * Rooming With Danger '23) Camila Senna. | * My Landlord Wants Me Dead '23) Emily Villarreal. | | | | | | | | | | |
| NBTV | 273 | 156 | 216 | Basketball The Mailman | Hardwood Classics Chicago Bulls at Utah Jazz | Basketball The Mailman | Everything But the Chip: The 2001 76ers | High Tops | Ready | | | | | | | | |
| PAR | 34 | 241 | 241 | *** Django Unchained '12) Christoph Waltz, Leonardo DiCaprio, Jamie Foxx. | | *** Django Unchained '12) Christoph Waltz, Leonardo DiCaprio, Jamie Foxx. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SYFY | 59 | 122 | 244 | Movie | *** The Fast and the Furious '01) Paul Walker, Vin Diesel. | *** 2 Fast 2 Furious '03) Tyrese Gibson, Paul Walker. | *** The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift '06) | | | | | | | | | | |
| TBS | 33 | 139 | 247 | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Miracle (N) | Miracle | American | American | American | American | American | American | American | American |
| TCM | 169 | 132 | 256 | *** Easy to Love '53) Van Johnson, Esther Williams. | *** Bathing Beauty '44) Esther Williams, Red Skelton. | *** The Swimmer '68) Janet Landgard, Burt Lancaster. | * Beneath the 12-Mile Reef | | | | | | | | | | |
| TLC | 45 | 183 | 280 | 90 Day: Other "How I Haven't Met Your Mother" (N) | 90 Day: Other (N) | Match Me Abroad | 90 Day: Other "How I Haven't Met Your Mother" | 90 Day: Other | | | | | | | | | |
| TNT | 32 | 138 | 245 | (5:15) *** Thor: Ragnarok '17) Chris Hemsworth. | Rich "A Deadly Football Hit" | *** Ready Player One '18) Olivia Cooke, Ben Mendelsohn, Tye Sheridan. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TRAV | 49 | 196 | 277 | Mysteries of the Unknown (N) | Mysteries of the Unknown | Mysteries of the Unknown | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TRU TV | 30 | 242 | 246 | Jokers | Jokers | Jokers | Tacoma FD | *** Pineapple Express '08) James Franco, Seth Rogen. | (:15) *** Pineapple Express '08) James Franco, Gary Cole, Seth Rogen. | Jokes | | | | | | | |
| USA | 31 | 105 | 242 | WWE Monday Night RAW (N) (Live) | Temptation Island | The Big D | Chi. Fire "Seeing is Believing" | Law-SVU "Monogamy" | | | | | | | | | |

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Charity Lawson from "The Bachelorette"

History's Greatest Mysteries
HISTORY 7 p.m.

Historians contend that Adolf Hitler committed suicide in the waning days of World War II. But not everyone believes there's sufficient proof for that position. Questions have swirled for decades about his possible escape. What does new evidence say?

Son of a Critch
KVIA2 7 p.m.

Humor makes everything right in this comedy, which makes its debut on The CW. Mark's (Benjamin Evan Ainsworth) very first day of junior high is quickly derailed by a bully (Sophia Powers), but when he stands up for himself, he learns that words can hurt.

The Bachelorette
KVIA 8 p.m.

Child and family therapist Charity Lawson is living her best life as the charming and handsome men continue to vie for her attention. And while she's already started to spark with a few, she'll need to whittle the group down even further if she hopes to find the one.

POV
KRWG 9 p.m.

This series of independent documentaries returns with another eye-opening piece, this latest installment focused on one woman's battle with late-stage Lou Gehrig's disease (ALS), which leaves her paralyzed, pushing her family to the breaking point.

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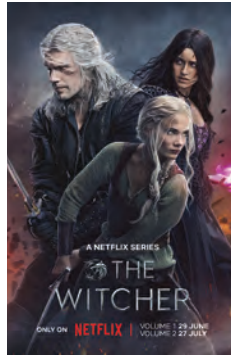
**“Movie:
Happiness for
Beginners”**

Ellie Kemper (“Unbreakable Kimmy Schmidt”) stars in this new rom-com as risk-averse, newly divorced Helen, who finds herself more than a little lost in her life. Deciding she needs a reset, she signs up for an “Adventure of a Lifetime!” with a group of quirky strangers, hoping to learn how to live — and love — again while taking on a backcountry survival course hiking the Appalachian Trail. Based on Katherine Center’s popular novel, “Happiness for Beginners” is directed and written for the screen by Vicky Wight. Luke Grimes co-stars.



**“The Witcher:
Season 3, Part
2”**

Henry Cavill closes out his run as witcher Geralt of Rivia in Volume 2 of this fantasy series’ third season. Based on the second installment of author Andrzej Sapkowski’s book series of the same name, Season 3 follows as monarchs, mages and beasts of the Continent compete to capture Ciri (Freya Allan), leading Geralt to take her into hiding, determined to protect his newly reunited family against those who threaten to destroy it. Entrusted with Ciri’s magical training, Yennefer (Anya Chalotra) leads them to Aretuza, where they hope to uncover more about her untapped powers.



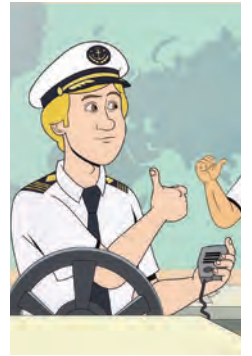
**“Movie:
Miraculous:
Ladybug &
Cat Noir, The
Movie”**

In this “Miraculous: Tales of Ladybug & Cat Noir” origin story, ordinary teenager Marinette (Cristina Valenzuela) finds her life taking on some superhuman complications when she is bestowed with the powers of creation. Taking on her new superhero alter ego, Ladybug, Marinette must unite with her opposite, Cat Noir (Bryce Papenbrook) — aka Adrian, another Parisian teen who recently found his life turned upside down — to save Paris from a new villain who is unleashing chaos in the city. As they take on this new adventure, they’ll have to learn to believe in themselves as much as they’ll need to trust each other.



**“Captain Fall:
Season 1”**

This brand-new animated comedy series tells the story of wet behind the ears but good-hearted Capt. Jonathan Fall (voiced by Jason Ritter), who finds himself at the helm of a high-end cruise ship. But little does he know that he’s found himself in charge of a smuggling ship for an international cartel. Caught in a hotbed of crime, the cartel has found the perfect fall guy in their new captain — if the authorities can catch them. From creator Joel Trussell, the series voice cast includes Anthony Carrigan, Lesley-Ann Brandt, Alejandro Edda, Christopher Meloni, Trond Fausa and Adam Devine.



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|-----------|-----|-----|-----|--|---|--|--|--|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| PBS-KRWG | 2 | 22 | 22 | (6:30) NewsHo.. | Context | Animals "Oceans" | | Human Footprint (N) | | NOVA "The Planets: Saturn" | BBC News | Amanpour and Company (N) | Hoover (N) | PBS NewsHour | | | |
| CBS-KDBC | 3 | 4 | 4 | Jeopardy! (N) | Wheel | 60 Minutes (N) | | Big Brother: 25th (N) | | CSI: Vegas "In Harm's Way" | CBS4 News | (:35) Late Show-Colbert | (:35) James Corden | (:35) Paid Prog. | | | |
| ABC-KVIA | 7 | 7 | 7 | News (N) | ET (N) | Judge Steve Harvey (N) | | Wonder (N) Abbott | | The \$100,000 Pyramid | News (N) | (:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! | (:35) Nightline | (:05) ET | (:35) Hollywood | | |
| FOX-KFOX | 8 | 14 | 14 | (5:00) World Cup (N) (Live) | World Cup | United States vs. Netherlands (N) (Live) | | World Cup | | KFOX14 News at Nine (N) | (:35) Mod Fam | (:05) iCRIME | (:35) Simpsons | (:05) Two Men | (:35) Two Men | | |
| NBC-KTSM | 9 | 9 | 9 | News at 6 (N) News (N) | LA Fire "Three Alarm" (N) | Chicago Fire | | Chicago "The Bleed Valve" | | KTSM News | (:35) Tonight Show | (:35) Seth Meyers | (:35) TMZ (N) | | | | |
| UNI-KINT | 10 | - | 26 | Eternamente amádonos (N) | | El amor invencible (N) | | Mujer (N) | | Noticiero | SaborDe | Deportivo (N) (Live) | Eternamente amádonos | | | | |
| TEL-KTDO | 11 | 48 | 48 | Noticias (N) Copa Mundial | Estados Unidos vs. Países Bajos (N) (Live) | Los 50 (N) | | Noticiero | | Noticiero | (:05) Noticias | Betty en NY | Caso cerrado | | | | |
| UMAS-KTFN | 13 | 759 | 65 | (5:00) ¿Cuál es el bueno? (N) | Desafío: The Box (N) | Como dice el dicho (N) | | Fútbol Leagues Cup Atlas vs. New York City FC | | Nosotr. | Nosotr. | Nosotr. | Nosotr. | | | | |
| CW-KVIA2 | 14 | 17 | 8 | Sheldon | Sheldon | Nancy Drew (N) | | Riverdale (N) | | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Sheldon | Neighbor | Last Man | 25 Words | Pawn Stars | Storage Wars |
| A&E | 43 | 118 | 265 | Court Cam | Court Cam | Court Cam | | Arrest (N) Arrest (N) | | (:05) Court Cam | (:35) Court Cam | (:05) Court Cam | (:35) Court Cam | (:05) Court Cam | (:35) Court Cam | (:05) Arrest | (:35) Arrest |
| AMC | 57 | 131 | 254 | (5:00) **** The Hunger Games | (12) Jennifer Lawrence. | **** The Hunger Games: Catching Fire | (13) Josh Hutcherson, Jennifer Lawrence. | **** Now You See Me | (13) Mark Ruffalo, Jesse Eisenberg. | | | | | | | | |
| COMEDY | 35 | 107 | 249 | South Park | South Park | South Park | | Seinfeld | | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Daily Show | South Park | | |
| COOK | 123 | 113 | 232 | Fire "A Steak in the Game" | Fire "So Glad You Flame" | Carnival Eats | | Carnival Eats | | Carnival Eats | Carnival Eats | Fire "A Steak in the Game" | Fire "So Glad You Flame" | Carnival Eats | Carnival Eats | | |
| DSC | 47 | 182 | 278 | Expedition Unknown | Expedition Unknown | Ghost Adventures | | Mysteries of the Abandoned | | Expedition Unknown | Expedition Unknown | Expedition Unknown | Expedition Unknown | Ghost Adventures | | | |
| E! | 37 | 114 | 236 | ** Dirty Dancing: Havana Nights | (04) Diego Luna. | **** Dirty Dancing | (87) Patrick Swayze, Jennifer Grey. | **** Dirty Dancing | (87) Patrick Swayze, Jennifer Grey. | | | | | E! News (N) Movie | | | |
| ESPN | 27 | 140 | 206 | (5:00) MLB Baseball Teams TBA | (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | SportsCenter (N) (Live) | | | | |
| FOOD | 40 | 110 | 231 | Guy's Grocery Games | Guy's Grocery Games (N) | Grocery "GGG Redemption" | | Grocery "Burger Ballers" | | Guy's Grocery Games | Grocery "GGG Redemption" | Grocery "Burger Ballers" | | | | | |
| FX | 29 | 136 | 248 | (5:00) *** Monster Hunter | *** X-Men: The Last Stand | (06) Hugh Jackman. | | *** Venom | (18) Michelle Williams, Riz Ahmed, Tom Hardy. | This Fool | This Fool (N) | *** Venom | (18) Tom Hardy. | | | | |
| GALA | 25 | 273 | 404 | Una familia de diez (N) | Nosotros los guapos (N) | Vecinos (N) | | 40 y 20 | 40 y 20 | Renta | Renta | Alma de | Alma de | Simón dice | Simón dice | | |
| GOLF | 24 | 401 | 218 | The Open Highlights | The Open Highlights | The Open Highlights | | Golf Central | | The Open Highlights | The Open Highlights | The Open Highlights | The Open Highlights | | | | |
| HALL | 58 | 185 | 312 | * The Gift of Peace | (22) Brennan Elliott, Nikki DeLoach. | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Frasier | Frasier | |
| HGTV | 41 | 112 | 229 | Holmes "Steam Dream" | Holmes "Framed" (N) | Hunters (N) | Hunters (N) | Hunters | Hunters | Holmes "Framed" | Hunters | Hunters | Hunters | Hunters | Hunters | Hunters | |
| HISTORY | 44 | 120 | 269 | Pickers "Baron of the Skies" | Pickers "Mega Pick Madness; Picks on the Wild Side" (N) | (:05) American Pickers | | (:05) Pickers | "Mega Pick Madness; Picks on the Wild Side" | (:05) American Pickers | | | | | | | |
| LIFE | 39 | 108 | 252 | Castle "47 Seconds" | Castle "The Limey" | (:05) Castle "Headhunters" | | (:05) Castle "Undead Again" | | Castle "47 Seconds" | Castle "The Limey" | (:05) Castle "Headhunters" | | | | | |
| LIFEMOV | 119 | 109 | 253 | * My Sister's Serial Killer Boyfriend | (23) Brianna Cohen. | * My Daughter's Deadly Date | (21) Laurie Fortier. | * My Sister's Serial Killer Boyfriend | (23) Brianna Cohen. | * My Daughter's Deadly Date | | | | | | | |
| NBTV | 273 | 156 | 216 | Basketball Washington Mystics at Minnesota Lynx (N) (Live) | High Tops | Shaqtin' | | WNBA Basketball Washington Mystics at Minnesota Lynx | | Clutch | Hardwood Classics | | | | | | |
| PAR | 34 | 241 | 241 | **** Titanic | (97) Kate Winslet, Billy Zane, Leonardo DiCaprio. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SYFY | 59 | 122 | 244 | (5:45) **** Furious 7 | (15) Paul Walker, Dwayne Johnson, Vin Diesel. | (:45) **** Back to the Future | (85) Christopher Lloyd, Michael J. Fox. | (:15) **** Back to the Future Part II | (89) Michael J. Fox. | | | | | | | | |
| TBS | 33 | 139 | 247 | All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite (N) (Live) | The Cube "I Love You But..." | Sheldon | Sheldon | Sheldon | Sheldon | Sheldon | George | George | George | George | | | |
| TCM | 169 | 132 | 256 | ***** To Kill a Mockingbird | (62) Gregory Peck. | (:15) ***** In the Heat of the Night | (67) Sidney Poitier. | (:15) ***** All the King's Men | (49) Broderick Crawford. | (:15) * The Phenix City Story | | | | | | | |
| TLC | 45 | 183 | 280 | Dr. Pimple Popper (N) | Dr. Pimple Popper (N) | My Strange Addiction (N) | | Save-Skin "Neck Testicle" (N) | | Dr. Pimple Popper | Dr. Pimple Popper | My Strange Addiction | | | | | |
| TNT | 32 | 138 | 245 | **** The Suicide Squad | (21) Idris Elba, John Cena, Margot Robbie. | (:45) * Birds of Prey | (and the Fantabulous Emancipation of One Harley Quinn) | NCIS: N.O. "Breaking Brig" | | NCIS: N.O. "The Recruits" | | | | | | | |
| TRAV | 49 | 196 | 277 | Paranormal Ca | Paranormal Ca | Paranormal Ca | | Paranormal Ca | | Paranormal Ca | Paranormal Ca | Paranormal Ca | Paranormal Ca | Paranormal Ca | | | |
| TRU TV | 30 | 242 | 246 | Jokers | Jokers | Jokers | | Jokers | | Jokers | Jokers | Tacoma FD | Jokes | | | | |
| USA | 31 | 105 | 242 | Law & Order: SVU | Temptation Island (N) | The Big D (N) | | Love Island (N) (SP) | | The Big D | Temptation Island | | | | | | |

tonight's picks

LA Fire & Rescue
KTSM 7 p.m.

Viewers are allowed an in-depth look at the often dangerous (and always necessary) work of the

Los Angeles County Fire Department. Inglewood Station 172 responds to a career-defining fire and Calabasas Station 172 tackles a slithering creature.

Nancy Drew
KVIA2 7 p.m.

Nancy (Kennedy McMann), Nick (Tunji Kasim), Ace (Alex Saxon) and the rest of the Drew Crew prepare to battle a Sin Eater in the seaside village of Horseshoe Bay, Maine. The meeting should bring them ever closer to solving just who is behind the killings.

Big Brother: 25th Anniversary Celebration
KDBC 8 p.m.

Celebrating the landmark 25th year of this popular reality series, this special debuts one week ahead of the "Big Brother" Season 25 premiere. The event is promised to be a nostalgic romp down memory lane, one featuring our favorite past Houseguests.

Human Footprint
KRWG 8 p.m.

Hosted by Shane Campbell-Staton, this part-science, part-travel series takes viewers from high-tech labs to sweltering street markets and from primeval forests to the back alleys of New York to explore the ways humans are transforming the planet.

The Wonder Years
KVIA 8 p.m.

A new episode airs from this reimagining of the much-loved series, now in which



Julie Chen Moonves from "Big Brother"

adult Dean Williams (Don Cheadle) recalls his childhood as a 12-year-old Black boy (played by Elisha Williams) living in Montgomery, Ala., during the late 1960s.

My Strange Addiction: Still Addicted?
TLC 8 p.m.

This special episode takes a look back at some of the most shocking and memorable "My Strange Addiction" stories. Tyler's addiction to smelling fish

is disrupting his love life and Ayanna mourns the loss of her record-setting fingernails.

This Fool
FX 11 p.m.

Season 2 premieres with two new episodes, airing back-to-back. The series follows Julio Lopez (Chris Estrada), a man with a heart of gold, as he attempts to better his community, overcome codependency issues with family, and navigate working-class life.

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|------------------|-----|-----|-----|---|----------------|--|--|---|---------------------|--|--|----------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------|------------|
| PBS-KRWG | 2 | 22 | 22 | (6:30) NewsHo.. | Context | Newsmakers | Fronteras | Grantchester (N) | | The Seas "Summer & Sea" | | BBC News | Amanpour and Company (N) | Tell Me More | PBS NewsHour | | | | | |
| CBS-KDBC | 3 | 4 | 4 | Jeopardy! (N) | Wheel | Ghosts | | The Price Is Right at Night | So Help Me Todd | | | CBS4 News | (.35) Late Show-Colbert | (.35) James Corden | (.35) Paid Prog. | | | | | |
| ABC-KVIA | 7 | 7 | 7 | News (N) | ET (N) | Generation Gap (N) | | The Chase (N) | Press Your Luck | | | News (N) | (.35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! | (.35) Nightline | (.05) ET | (.35) Hollywood | | | | |
| FOX-KFOX | 8 | 14 | 14 | Big Bang | Big Bang | Alert: Missing "Max" | | Stars on Mars "Evil AI" | News (N) (Live) | | | (.05) Mod Fam | (.35) Mod Fam | (.05) iCRIME | (.35) Simpsons | (.05) Two Men | (.35) Two Men | | | |
| NBC-KTSM | 9 | 9 | 9 | News at 6 (N) | News (N) | Password | | Law-SVU "Bubble Wrap" | Magnum P.I. | | | KTSM News | (.35) Tonight Show | (.35) Seth Meyers | (.35) TMZ (N) | | | | | |
| UNI-KINT | 10 | - | 26 | Eternamente amádonos (N) | | | | El amor invencible (N) | Mujer (N) | | | Noticiero | SaborDe | Deportivo (N) (Live) | Eternamente amádonos | | | | | |
| TEL-KTDO | 11 | 48 | 48 | Los 50 (N) | | | | Secretos de sangre (N) | | | | Noticiero Telemundo 48 | Betty en NY "Un amor fugaz" | | | Caso cerrado | Movie | | | |
| UMAS-KTFN | 13 | 759 | 65 | (5:00) ¿Cuál es el bueno? (N) | Fútbol central | | | Fútbol Leagues Cup Atlas vs. New York City FC | | | | Nosotr. | Nosotr. | Familia | Familia | Nosotr. | Nosotr. | | | |
| CW-KVIA2 | 14 | 17 | 8 | Sheldon | Sheldon | Son of a | Son of a | Children Ruin | Children Ruin | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | Sheldon | Neighbor | Last Man | 25 Words | Pawn Stars | Storage Wars | | | |
| A&E | 43 | 118 | 265 | First 48 "One Good Deed" | | 60 Days In (N) | | Booked: First Day In (N) | | (.05) First 48 "Cruel Intentions" | (.05) The First 48 | (.05) 60 Days In | (N) Booked: First Day In | | | | | | | |
| AMC | 57 | 131 | 254 | *** The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 1 ('14) Jennifer Lawrence. | | | *** The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 2 ('15) Josh Hutcherson, Jennifer Lawrence. | | | *** G.I. Jane ('97) Demi Moore. | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMEDY | 35 | 107 | 249 | Seinfeld | Seinfeld | The Office | (.35) Office | (.20) The Office | (.55) Office | The Office | The Office | The Office | The Office | Daily Show | (.35) South Park | | | | | |
| COOK | 123 | 113 | 232 | Delicious | Delicious | Delicious | Delicious | Burgers | Burgers | Burgers | Burgers | Delicious | Delicious | Delicious | Delicious | Burgers | Burgers | | | |
| DSC | 47 | 182 | 278 | (5:00) Naked and Afraid XL | | | Naked and Afraid XL | | | Naked and Afraid XL | | | Naked and Afraid XL | | | | | | | |
| E! | 37 | 114 | 236 | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Mod Fam | Trippin' With | Trippin' With | E! News (N) | Botched | |
| ESPN | 27 | 140 | 206 | (5:00) 30 for 30 | The '85 Bears | Auto Racing Superstar Racing Experience (N) (Live) | | | SlamBall (N) (Live) | | | SportsCenter (N) | | | SportsCenter (N) | | | | | |
| FOOD | 40 | 110 | 231 | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Outchef'd (N) | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Outchef'd | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | Beat Bobby | | | |
| FX | 29 | 136 | 248 | (5:30) *** The Incredible Hulk ('08) Edward Norton. | | | *** Iron Man 3 ('13) Gwyneth Paltrow, Don Cheadle, Robert Downey Jr.. | | | What We Do | | | What We Do | What We Do | What We Do | Movie | | | | |
| GALA | 25 | 273 | 404 | Una familia de diez (N) | | | Nosotros los guapos (N) | | | Vecinos (N) | | | 40 y 20 | 40 y 20 | Renta | Renta | Alma de | Alma de | Simón dice | Simón dice |
| GOLF | 24 | 401 | 218 | PGA Tour Golf 3M Open, First Round | | | Morgan Freeman, Angelina Jolie, James McAvoy. | | | 2023 Senior Open Championship | | | First Round | | | 2023 Evian Championship | | | First Round | |
| HALL | 58 | 185 | 312 | * A Royal Christmas ('14) Stephen Hagan, Lacey Chabert. | | | Golden Girls | | | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Golden Girls | Frasier | Frasier | | |
| HGTV | 41 | 112 | 229 | Christina "Delays for Days" | | | Christina on the Coast (N) | | | Revealed (N) | | | Hunters | Hunters Int'l | Christina "Taking the Plunge" | Revealed | Hunters | Hunters Int'l | | |
| HISTORY | 44 | 120 | 269 | Alone "Aftermath" | | | Alone "Infestation" (N) | | | Alone "Infestation" | | | (.05) Alone "Aftermath" | Alone "Infestation" | | | (.35) Alone | | | |
| LIFE | 39 | 108 | 252 | Castle | | | Castle "Murder, He Wrote" | | | (.05) Castle "Probable Cause" | (.05) Castle | Castle "Murder, He Wrote" | | | (.05) Castle "Probable Cause" | | | | | |
| LIFEMOV | 119 | 109 | 253 | * Beware the Night Nurse ('23) Vitoria Setta. (P) | | | * A Nurse to Die For ('23) Allison McAtee. (P) | | | * Beware the Night Nurse ('23) Bryce Jones, Vitoria Setta. | | | * A Nurse to Die For ('23) | | | | | | | |
| NBTV | 273 | 156 | 216 | As We Rise: 25 Years | | | Title IX: 37 Words | | | WNBA | | | WNBA Basketball Indiana Fever at Los Angeles Sparks | | | WNBA | As We Rise: 25 Years | Title IX: 37 Words | | |
| PAR | 34 | 241 | 241 | Movie | | | Movie | | | Movie | | | Movie | | | | | | | |
| SYFY | 59 | 122 | 244 | *** Back to the Future Part II ('89) Christopher Lloyd, Michael J. Fox. | | | *** Back to the Future Part III ('90) Christopher Lloyd, Michael J. Fox. | | | **** Jaws ('75) Robert Shaw, Roy Scheider. | | | | | | | | | | |
| TBS | 33 | 139 | 247 | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Tacoma FD | *** Neighbors 2 ('16) Zac Efron, Rose Byrne, Seth Rogen. | *** Why Him? ('16) James Franco. | | | | | | | | |
| TCM | 169 | 132 | 256 | * Lighthouse ('47) (P) | | | (15) *** Convicted Woman ('40) | | | * Within the Law ('39) | | | (.45) * Convict's Code ('39) (P) | *** Blondie ('39) Penny Singleton. | | | Movie | | | |
| TLC | 45 | 183 | 280 | Dr. Pimple "Holy Cyst?!" | | | Dr. Pimple Popper (N) | | | Half-Ton Killer? | | | Half-Ton Killer: Transformed | | | Dr. Pimple "Holy Cyst?!" | Dr. Pimple Popper | Half-Ton Killer? | | |
| TNT | 32 | 138 | 245 | Movie | | | *** Wanted ('08) Morgan Freeman, Angelina Jolie, James McAvoy. | | | Rich "A Deadly Football Hit" | | | *** Cast Away Helen Hunt, Nick Searcy, Tom Hanks. | | | | | | | |
| TRAV | 49 | 196 | 277 | Eli Roth Presents: A | | | Eli Roth Presents: A (N) | | | Help! My Ho (N) | | | Help! My House Is Haunted | | | Eli Roth Presents: A | Eli Roth Presents: A | Help! M "The Hanging Oak" | | |
| TRU TV | 30 | 242 | 246 | Jokes | Jokes | Jokes | Jokes (N) | Tacoma FD | Jokes | Jokes | Jokes | Jokes | Jokes | Tacoma FD | Jokes | Jokers | Jokers | | | |
| USA | 31 | 105 | 242 | ** The Proposal ('09) Ryan Reynolds, Mary Steenburgen, Sandra Bullock. | | | ** The Proposal ('09) Ryan Reynolds, Mary Steenburgen, Sandra Bullock. | | | (.55) Temptation Island | | | (.55) Law-SVU "Tortured" | | | | | | | |

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tonight's picks



Kelly Ripa from "Generation Gap"

Generation Gap
KVIA 7 p.m.

Teams of seniors and juniors work together in challenges that ask players to answer questions about pop culture from each other's generations, in a hilarious disparity that takes a trip from rotary phone to touch screens. Kelly Ripa hosts a new episode.

Eli Roth Presents: A Ghost Ruined My Life
TRAV 7 p.m.

They say marriage is hard. But no pre-nup can prepare you for this. Imagine opening wedding presents with an angry demon. Newlyweds move to an isolated home in rural Oregon, only to find they've attracted the attention of an ancient demon.

Breaking the Ice
WE 7 p.m.

Like a toe pick to the groin, Coach Rory gets upsetting news about Nationals that puts Team DMV's future in jeopardy. Making matters worse, the synchronized skaters struggle with their new choreography, and tensions flare up between Rory and the parents.

Outchef'd
FOOD 7:30 p.m.

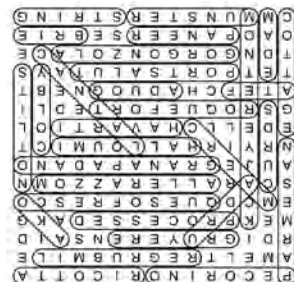
Chef Eddie Jackson hosts a battle like no other between investment banker Jonny Fine and celebrity chef Tiffani Faison. Giving him an edge, Jonny attempts a dish he's been cooking since childhood, hoping it will be good enough to take down Tiffani.

Revealed
HGTV 8 p.m.

Former clients look to Veronica to make their 100-year-old home into a place where their kids can grow and celebrate family traditions; Veronica pulls inspiration from their Jewish heritage to give them a new kitchen, breakfast nook and family room.

What We Do in the Shadows
FX 11 p.m.

Season 5 of this comedy series continues with a juicy new episode, this time seeing the roommates step out of their comfort zones as Colin (Mark Proksch) runs for office; Nandor (Kayvan Novak) makes a friend; and Nadja (Natasia Demetriou) reconnects with her roots.



CBGB

STARZ 6:15 p.m.

It took a left turn somewhere. Originally conceived as a country and bluegrass venue, Hilly Kristal's (Alan Rickman) New York club becomes the birthplace of '70s punk, launching the careers of such iconic bands as Blondie, the Ramones and the Police.

What's Available **NOW** On



“Movie: Unseen”

In this Blumhouse horror thriller, Sam (Jolene Purdy), a gas station clerk, receives a misdialled call from Emily (Midori Francis), who is running from her murderous ex-boyfriend in the woods. Having lost her glasses in her escape, Emily must rely on Sam's eyes using the video call in order to survive. From director Yoko Okumura, the film also stars Michael Patrick Lane, Missi Pyle, Brett Baker and Nicholas X. Parsons.



“Movie: Knock at the Cabin”

Based on Paul G. Tremblay's 2018 novel “The Cabin at the End of the World,” this psychological horror film from M. Night Shyamalan follows a young girl and her parents who are taken hostage by four armed strangers while vacationing at a remote cabin. Their captors demand that the family make an unthinkable choice to avert the apocalypse and, with limited access to the outside world, the family must decide what they believe before all is lost.



“Movie: Hardball”

Conor (Keanu Reeves) is a gambler and, now, Little League coach for a rag-tag team of kids in one of the toughest parts of Chicago. He's no role model, but his buddy Jimmy (Michael McGlone) won't help him pay off his gambling debts unless Conor coaches Jimmy's corporately sponsored team. Surprising even himself, Conor becomes attached to his players — and to their attractive schoolteacher (Diane Lane) — and drawn into their tough and sometimes tragic lives.



“Good Omens: Season 2”

This fantasy comedy series, based on the 1990 novel by Neil Gaiman and Terry Pratchett, returns with its second season. Diving into storylines that go beyond the original source material, Season 2 illuminates the uncanny friendship between Aziraphale (Michael Sheen), a fussy angel and rare book dealer, and the fast-living demon Crowley (David Tennant).

cooking log

Friday

- 8 p.m. **COOK Holiday Baking Championship** Bakers must use fruitcake components in a new dessert.
- KRWG The Great American Recipe** Dishes for special occasions and holiday traditions.
- 9 p.m. **KRWG La Frontera with Pati Jinich** Traveling the New Mexico and Chihuahua border region.
- 9:30 p.m. **FOOD Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives** Outrageous octopus in Oregon; polenta; belly tacos.

Saturday

- 8 p.m. **COOK Iron Chef America DEST BBQ Pitmasters** Find out who will emerge victorious.
- 8:30 p.m. **FOOD Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives** Lechon and pork adobo fried rice; red curry fish; ahi cakes.
- 9 p.m. **COOK Iron Chef America DEST BBQ Pitmasters** Thrilling BBQ pit master's semi final round.
- 9:30 p.m. **FOOD Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives** Guy Fieri revisits a DDD stop in Victorville.

Sunday

- 8 p.m. **FOOD BBQ Brawl** The beloved BBQ games are back and better than ever.
- 8:30 p.m. **COOK The Best Thing I Ever Ate** A sourdough cinnamon roll; a famous meatball and salad.
- 9 p.m. **FOOD Beat Bobby Flay** Maneet Chauhan and Brooke Williamson take a drop challenge.
- 9:30 p.m. **COOK The Best Thing I Ever Ate** A tour of Mid-Atlantic seafood and beef cuisine.

Monday

- 8 p.m. **FOOD BBQ USA** The 15th annual Briscoe Ranch BBQ Cook-off in Uvalde, Texas.
- KFOX Crime Scene Kitchen** The teams must use their detective and math skills.
- 8:30 p.m. **COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations** Blue mussels steamed in local beer; creamy cod au gratin.
- 9 p.m. **FOOD Beat Bobby Flay** Ego Nwodim and Bobby Flay's pal, chef Michael Symon.

Tuesday

- 8 p.m. **COOK Anthony Bourdain: No Reservations** Tony explores the cuisine of Bangkok, Thailand.

- 9 p.m. **COOK Anthony Bourdain: No Reservations** The cuisine, culture and heritage of Saudi Arabia.
- FOOD Supermarket Stakeout** Four chefs reminisce on the good old days.

Wednesday

- 8 p.m. **COOK Carnival Eats** Minneapple pie and jalapeno wontons in North Dakota.
- FOOD Guy's Grocery Games** Guy Fieri brings back four chefs who came close to victory.
- 8:30 p.m. **COOK Carnival Eats** The macho nacho grilled cheese at the South Florida Fair.

- 9 p.m. **CLEO Culture Kitchen**
- COOK Carnival Eats** A pile of locally sourced pork is served three ways.
- 9:30 p.m. **CLEO Just Eats With Chef JJ**
- COOK Carnival Eats** Churro Dog; Clay County Agricultural Fair; Cubano Dog.

Thursday

- 8 p.m. **COOK Burgers, Brew & 'Que** Spicy burger; chicken fried steak; beer belly tacos.
- FOOD Beat Bobby Flay** Chefs show Roberto Flay how Tuscan cuisine is done.

- 8:30 p.m. **COOK Burgers, Brew & 'Que** Bacon and blue cheese burger; sausage; eggs Benedict.
- FOOD Beat Bobby Flay** Sunny Anderson brings a transatlantic takeover.
- 9 p.m. **COOK Burgers, Brew & 'Que** Buffalo chicken stuffed into a scratch-made pierogi.

- FOOD Beat Bobby Flay** Alex Guarnaschelli and Anne Burrell use all their powers.
- 9:30 p.m. **COOK Burgers, Brew & 'Que** Smoked pork belly, bologna and chicken pate.
- FOOD Beat Bobby Flay** A powerful chef who can beat Bobby is chef Rachael Polhill.



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tonight's movies

A

American Beauty ★★★ (1999,Comedy Drama) An unhappy husband rebels against his stifling existence. (2:05) **FLIX Fri. 6 p.m.**
As They Made Us (2022,Romance) A mother navigates the dynamics of her dysfunctional family. (1:45) **TMC Mon. 7:30 p.m.**
Avatar: The Way of Water ★★★ (2022,Sci-Fi) Jake and Neytiri protect Pandora from a familiar threat. (3:15) **HBO Wed. 7:45 p.m.**

B

Beware the Night Nurse (2023,Thriller) A nanny plans to take a couple's baby for her own family. (2:00) **LMN Thu. 6 p.m.**

C

Cars ★★★ (2006,Animated) A race car gets stranded in a town along Route 66. (2:00) **DISN Sat. 6 p.m.**
Chasing Amy ★★★ (1997,Romance) A male artist pursues romance with a lesbian. (1:55) **FLIX Tue. 6 p.m.**
Cross Country Christmas (2020,Romance) A snowstorm disrupts a man and a woman's holiday travel. (2:00) **HALL Tue. 6 p.m.**

D

Dead in the Water (2021,Thriller) Aspiring photography vlogger Tara goes on a weekend getaway. (2:00) **LMN Tue. 6 p.m.**
Django Unchained ★★★ (2012,Western) An ex-slave and a German bounty hunter roam America's South. (4:00) **PAR Mon. 6 p.m.**

E

Emily (2022,History) Emily Brontë finds love before writing "Wuthering Heights." (2:15) **SHOW Tue. 6 p.m.**
Ever After: A Cinderella Story ★★★ (1998,Romance) A courageous scullery maid wins the heart of a prince. (2:03) **BYUTV Sun. 8 p.m.**

F

Face/Off ★★★ (1997,Action) An FBI agent and a violent terrorist switch identities. (2:20) **TMC Tue. 6 p.m.**
Forrest Gump ★★★★★ (1994,Comedy Drama) A slow-witted Southern experiences 30 years of history. (3:30) **PAR Tue. 6 p.m.**

G

Garage Sale Mysteries: Murder in D Minor (2018,Mystery) The former owner of a player piano may have been murdered. (2:00) **HMM Tue. 6 p.m.**

Garage Sale Mysteries: Searched & Seized (2020,Mystery) Jennifer investigates the mysterious death of her friend. (2:00) **HMM Tue. 8 p.m.**
Groundswell (2022,Romance) A chef meets a handsome surf instructor in Hawaii. (2:00) **HMM Fri. 6 p.m.**

H

Haul Out the Holly (2022,Comedy) Neighbors want a woman to join in Christmas festivities. (2:01) **HALL Sat. 6 p.m.**

Hidden Figures ★★★ (2016,History) Mathematicians help launch astronaut John Glenn into space. (2:40) **FXM Sun. 6:30 p.m.**

Host, The ★★★ (2006,Horror) A ravenous monster terrorizes hapless Koreans. (2:00) **HBO2 Thu. 7 p.m.**

House of Sand and Fog ★★★ (2003,Drama) An evicted woman tries to get her house back. (2:10) **FLIX Wed. 7:50 p.m.**

I

Ida Red (2021,Thriller) A crime boss turns to her son to pull off one last heist. (1:55) **SHOW Thu. 6:30 p.m.**

J

Jerry Maguire ★★★ (1996,Romance) A crisis of conscience costs a sports agent his job. (3:00) **BBCA Fri. 7:30 p.m.**

K

Karate Kid, The ★★★ (1984,Drama) A Japanese handyman teaches a teenager to defend himself. (2:07) **BYUTV Fri. 6:02 p.m.**
Kong: Skull Island ★★★ (2017,Adventure) Explorers encounter a gigantic ape and monstrous creatures. (2:30) **PAR Fri. 6 p.m.**

L

Last Boy Scout, The ★★★ (1991,Action) A stripper's murder turns up a hotbed of corruption. (2:00) **SHOW Wed. 7 p.m.**
Leaving Las Vegas ★★★ (1995,Drama) An alcoholic rolls into Vegas for a final drinking binge. (2:00) **FLIX Mon. 6 p.m.**

Like Crazy ★★★ (2011,Drama) Young lovers struggle with a long-distance relationship. (1:30) **FLIX Thu. 6 p.m.**

Look Who's Stalking (2023,Thriller) A woman suspects that her dead stalker has returned. (2:03) **LIFE Sun. 6 p.m.**

Love's Unending Legacy ★★★ (2007,Drama) A widow and her son return home to be near her parents. (2:00) **HMM Sat. 8 p.m.**

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M

Mona Lisa and the Blood Moon (2021,Thriller) A single mom and a mysterious woman embark on a crime spree. (1:50) **TMC Thu. 6 p.m.**

My Sister's Serial Killer Boyfriend (2023,Thriller) A woman must save her sister from a dangerous relationship. (2:00) **LMN Wed. 6 p.m.**

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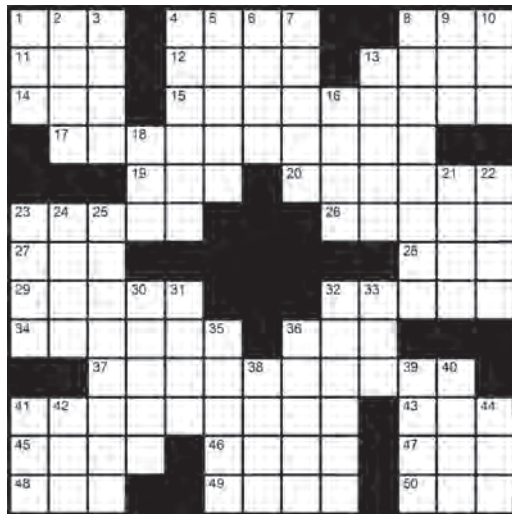
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- 46 Eye part
 47 Med. drama sites
 48 Wind dir.
 49 Ticket info
 50 Fifth-century date

DOWN

- 1 Boise's state; Abbr.
 2 ___ salad
 3 Ship part
 4 Encloses firmly
 5 Former "Glee" star Iqbal
 6 Yuletide
 7 Part of NCAA
 8 "The Resident" and "The Enemy Within" actor Morris
 9 "Diff'rent Strokes" and "The Facts of Life" star Charlotte
 10 C.I.A. forerunner
 13 Ergo
 16 Zen paradox
 18 Mentalist Geller
 21 Literally, "injured"
 22 Terminal info
 23 "The King and I" co-star
 24 Common fertilizer compound
 25 Police procedural set in the Big Apple

ACROSS

- 1 "Gross!"
 4 Sicilian volcano
 8 ___Magnon
 11 Buck's mate
 12 Electrical units
 13 Cries of triumph
 14 Homer's dad
 15 Outstanding
 17 Police procedural about the Reagan family
 19 Nutritional std.
 20 Former police dramedy about an author and a detective solving crimes

- 23 "That '70s Show" and "Family Guy" star Mila
 26 Group of nine
 27 Suffix with mock
 28 G7 member
 29 Force back
 32 Casts a ballot
 34 "How I Met Your Mother" star Josh
 36 Driveway material
 37 Gourmet restaurant offering
 41 Once-revived, twice-canceled sitcom
 43 ___-Man
 45 Light greenish-blue

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| Time | After | Long | Peak | It | Redwood |

Crossword Solution

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To complete this puzzle, place the numbers 1-9 in the empty cells, so that every row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold outline) contains all nine digits.

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

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T

Talented Mr. Ripley, The ★★★ (1999, Thriller) A young man murders then impersonates a wealthy playboy. (2:30) **TMC Fri. 6 p.m., Sun. 6 p.m.**

That Thing You Do! ★★★ (1996, Comedy Drama) Small-time rockers hit it big with a catchy single. (2:30) **SUNDANC Sat. 8 p.m.**

Titanic ★★★ (1997, History) Oscar-winning account of the doomed ocean liner. (4:30) **PAR Wed. 6 p.m.**

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U

To Kill a Mockingbird ★★★ (1962, Drama) A lawyer's young children witness racism in the 1930s South. (2:15) **TCM Wed. 6 p.m.**

Top Gun: Maverick ★★★ (2022, Action) Pete Mitchell trains a new generation of fighter pilots. (2:10) **MGM Sat. 6 p.m.**

Toy Story ★★★ (1995, Animated) Toys come to life when people are absent. (2:00) **FREE Sun. 6:15 p.m.**

W

Unstoppable ★★★ (2010, Action) Dos hombres intentan detener un tren con cargamento tóxico. (2:00) **KTFN Sat. 7 p.m.**

WarGames ★★★ (1983, Thriller) A teenage computer whiz nearly begins World War III. (2:00) **BYUTV Thu. 7 p.m.**

B I N G O

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.

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tonight's movies

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N

National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation ★★★ (1989, Comedy) A traditional Griswold yuletide backfires in comic fashion. (2:15) **AMC Tue. 6 p.m.**

O

Officer and a Gentleman, An ★★★ (1982, Drama) A hardened loner enlists in the Naval Aviation Corps. (3:00) **AXS Mon. 7 p.m.**

P

Philadelphia Story, The ★★★ (1940, Romance) An ex-husband's return upsets a socialite's wedding plans. (2:00) **TCM Sat. 6 p.m.**

Portable Door, The (2023, Fantasy) (2:00) **MGM Wed. 7:40 p.m.**

R

Raiders of the Lost Ark ★★★ (1981, Adventure) An archaeologist races Nazis to find a powerful relic. (2:30) **PAR Sat. 6:30 p.m.**

Reds ★★★ (1981, Drama) Oscar-winning account of the life of journalist John Reed. (3:15) **FLIX Sat. 6 p.m.**

Rooming With Danger (2023, Thriller) A young woman's new roommate becomes obsessed with her. (2:00) **LMN Mon. 6 p.m.**

S

SAS: Red Notice (2021, Action) A groom's wedding plans become interrupted by a hijacking. (2:07) **STARZ Sat. 7:54 p.m.**

Signed, Sealed, Delivered: The Vows We Have Made (2021, Drama) Shane and Oliver prepare for their wedding. (2:00) **HMM Sun. 6 p.m.**

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| Characters on <i>I Love Lucy</i> | | | Free Space | | |
| European Nations | | | | | |
| Insects | | | Free Space | | |
| Four-letter & Five-letter Body Parts | | | | | Free Space |
| Trees | | | Free Space | | |

alternate puzzle

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| 44* | | | | 45 | | | | | 46 | | |

ACROSS

- LAX arrival
- Slammer
- Encyc. volume, perhaps
- "__ Maria"
- "Deal __ __ Deal"
- Silent assent
- Campfire favorites
- Antonio or Francisco
- Objective
- Landing place
- Trepidation
- Prefix for due or do
- "Let It __"; Beatles song
- Columbia's place: abbr.
- Suffix for bright or light
- Place for a palm
- European capital city
- Tic-tac-toe win
- Embargo

ACROSS

- Campfire favorites
- Ooh and __; express delight
- __ mater
- Reverent wonder
- Simple reply
- Barks snappishly
- Barbie's beau

DOWN

- Traffic tie-up
- Perón or Mendes
- Rudely brief
- Biblical book
- Limb
- __ __ funk; moody
- Actress Glaudini
- Folklore creature
- In what way?
- Driver's lic. & Soc. Sec. card
- Actress Susan
- Rescue vessel
- Shove
- Peruvian Indian
- Fratricide victim

- City near Lake Tahoe
- Webster & Wyle
- Person not to be trusted
- Agreeable reply
- Undergarments
- Wray of "King Kong"
- Charlotte __
- St. Augustine's place: abbr.
- Sports official
- Emerson's monogram
- Cruz or Feinstein: abbr.

Solution
Turkey

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Juanite Guzman, Ben Feldman, America Ferrera and Nichole Sakura in "Superstore"

"SUPERSTORE: THE COMPLETE SERIES"

Newly available on DVD in a full set, this critically acclaimed NBC workplace comedy lasted six seasons in telling the stories of those working at Cloud 9, a fictional big-box store in St. Louis. Also an executive producer of the show, America Ferrera is first among equals in the ensemble cast as Amy whose personal plights are balanced by her rise up the corporate chain (which ultimately led to the actress and character being absent for much of the final season). Ben Feldman, Lauren Ash, Colton Dunn, Nico Santos and Mark McKinney also are prominent among the regulars; series creator and executive producer Justin Spitzer went on to make the recently canceled "American Auto," and he'll be represented again next season on NBC by "St. Denis Medical." DVD extras: deleted scenes; outtakes. ★★★ (Not rated: AS, P)

"PAINT"

Certain television personalities are bound to come to mind from Owen Wilson's portrayal of a Vermont-based painter who seems to have it made with his fame as a celebrity on public TV. However, a younger rival (Broadway veteran Ciara Renee) has designs on taking over his place and everything that comes with it, including key relationships and the many perks of the job. Writer-director Brit McAdams' cast also includes Michaela Watkins, Lucy Freyer, Wendi McLendon-Covey ("The Goldbergs"), Stephen Root and Denny Dillon ("Saturday Night Fever"). The film, made in upstate New York, has a script that formerly was on the celebrated Black List of industry-favorite unproduced screenplays. ★★★ (PG-13: AS, P) (Also on Blu-ray and On Demand)

"RESIDENT EVIL: DEATH ISLAND"

The horror-fantasy franchise continues with this animated direct-to-video chapter, which gives several of the principal characters individual missions before those assignments converge. Jill Valentine investigates a virus that is generating a new wave of zombies, Leon Kennedy seeks a missing scientist, and Claire Redfield hunts a killer fish that's in a vicious league of its own. Eventually, they all end up on Alcatraz Island, where shared peril awaits them. Cable-movie staple Erin Cahill is in the voice cast, as are Matthew Mercer, Stephanie Panisello, Kevin Dormann and Nicole Tompkins. DVD extras: six "making-of" documentaries; design gallery. ★★★ (R: AS, P, GV) (Also on Blu-ray, 4K Ultra HD Steelbook and Digital)

"THE WAR OF THE WORLDS"

The original movie version of the classic H.G. Wells novel gets its own release in that format. Producer George Pal's 1953 thriller – which has been preserved by the National Film Registry – rightfully earned an Oscar for its special effects, depicting an invasion by Martians of various cities across Earth. California is the principal setting here, as an atomic scientist (Gene Barry) joins a science teacher (Ann Robinson) in trying to evade the unwelcome visitors, who shoot deadly rays from their spaceships to eliminate the sizable military forces dispatched against them. In a neat nod to this telling, Barry and Robinson made cameo appearances in the Steven Spielberg-directed 2005 edition. ★★★ (Not rated: V)

"THE NEIGHBORHOOD: SEASON FIVE"

Now headed toward its sixth year, this CBS sitcom marked a milestone during its most recent round ... its 100th episode, featuring a guest appearance by Jerry O'Connell in a plot involving school principal Gemma's efforts to secure tickets to "The Talk" for a benefit event. Other stories involve Calvin and Marty's (Cedric the Entertainer, Marcel Spears) plan to start a new business, Dave's (Max Greenfield) surprising discovery about his family tree, and Calvin and Tina's (Tichina Arnold) long-delayed honeymoon. Shaun McKinney and Hank Greenspan also star. ★★★ (Not rated: AS)

FAMILY VIEWING GUIDE KEY: AS, adult situations; N, nudity; P, profanity; V, violence; GV, particularly graphic violence.

celebrity scoop

BY JAY BOBBIN



Checking in with

MALCOLM MCDOWELL

Spending much of the summer in Canada filming a television series suits Malcolm McDowell well.

The veteran of such movies as "A Clockwork Orange," "O Lucky Man!" and "Time After Time" currently is in Newfoundland making the third season of "Son of a Critch" ... which starts a U.S. run of its initial episodes Monday, July 24, on The CW. The autobiographical sitcom casts McDowell as the very candid grandfather of central character Mark Critch, a comedian whose experiences as a youth inspired the show. Interestingly, Critch plays his own father Mike in the show, while Mark is portrayed by young Benjamin Evan Ainsworth.

"I think it's beautifully written," the friendly McDowell says, "and it's a fantastic cast, people I hadn't really known before. This young man they found (Ainsworth) is such a good actor, and we're so lucky to have him. We all rise or fall on his performance, and I think he's fantastic. It's been really nice to see his progression as an actor and his young adult, and he's just lovely, which you can tell by his work."

McDowell earned a Canadian Screen Awards nomination for his Season 1 work as Patrick Critch, or "Pop," in "Son of a Critch." He maintains he's quite comfortable in his surroundings while doing the role: "I hadn't been to Newfoundland before, though I had been to Nova Scotia, and what a wonderful place it's turned out to be. Of course, we're only there in the summer, so I don't know how it is in the winter. I think those can be pretty brutal."

"Son of a Critch" is one of a number of Canadian series picked up by The CW, particularly with the network's newly revised economic model, and McDowell is glad for the show's U.S. exhibition. "It's always nice to be seen," he reasons. "When I've talked about it, some people have looked at me with a blank stare, because they haven't heard of it ... so it's nice to have it out there."

Birthdate: June 13, 1943

Birthplace: Horsforth, West Riding of Yorkshire, England

Current residence: Ojai, Calif.

Marital status: Married; has five children

Other television work includes: "Gossip Girl," "Chicago Med," "Mozart in the Jungle," "Community," "Home Alone: The Holiday Heist," "Psych," "Franklin & Bash," "The Mentalist," "CSI: Miami," "Coco Chanel," "Phineas & Ferb" (voice only), "Metalocalypse" (voice only), "War and Peace," "Heroes," "Law & Order: Criminal Intent," "Monk," "Entourage," "Firestarter: Rekindled," "South Park" (voice only), "Fantasy Island," "Wing Commander Academy," (voice only), "Superman: The Animated Series," "Batman: The Animated Series" (voice only), "Pearl," "Tales From the Crypt," "Faerie Tale Theater," "Look Back in Anger"

Movie work includes: "The Walk," "Moving On," "Father Stu," "Blood on the Crown," "The Big Ugly," "Bombshell," "Bereave," "Free Fall," "The Employer," "Richard the Lionheart," "Silent Hill: Revelation 3D," "The Artist," "Easy A," "Barry Munday," "The Book of Eli," "Halloween," "Halloween II," "Doomsday," "Never Apologize," "The List," "In Good Company," "Bobby Jones: A Stroke of Genius," "The Company," "I'll Sleep When I'm Dead," "I Spy," "Just Visiting," "Stanley Kubrick: A Life in Pictures," "My Life So Far," "Mr. Magoo," "Hugo Pool," "Fist of the North Star," "Tank Girl," "Star Trek: Generations," "Milk Money," "Bopha!," "The Player," "Class of 1999," "Moon 44," "Sunset," "Cross Creek," "Blue Thunder," "Britannia Hospital," "Cat People," "Time After Time," "Caligula," "The Passage," "Voyage of the Damned," "Aces High," "Royal Flash," "O Lucky Man!," "A Clockwork Orange," "The Raging Moon," "Figures in a Landscape," "If ..."

Favorite movie: "It depends on how I wake up on the given day, but all things being equal, one of my favorites would have to be 'Fargo.' And then, if we're really going back, I'd have to say 'The Maltese Falcon.' There's also a wonderful movie that Abraham Polonsky directed, called 'Force of Evil.'"

Favorite TV show you're not on: "It would have to be 'The Sopranos.' It changed television, for sure, and I loved it."

Favorite singer: "He might not be my favorite person, but my favorite singer – I think – is Van Morrison."

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from March 1, 2023 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. Newrez LLC D/B/A Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption. **Prospective purchasers at sale are advised to make their own examination of the title and the condition of the property and to consult their own attorney before bidding.** By: Robert Doyle c/o Legal Process Network P.O. Box 279 Sandia Park, NM 87047 1 NM-22-910866-JUD IDSPub #0186693 7/7/2023 7/14/2023 7/21/2023 7/28/2023

NOTICE is hereby given that on June

9, 2023, Justin and Monica L. Magee, 722 Lariat Drive, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88011, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Water Right File Number LRG-18559-1, Application No. LRG-17443-POD1 for Permit to Change Point of Diversion within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by discontinuing the use of well LRG-14840-POD1, located within SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 27, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 11'12.664"N and 106° 43'4.74"W (WGS84), on land owned by Colleen H. Runyan; and by commencing use of existing well LRG-17413-POD1, located within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 27, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 11'14.316"N and 106° 43'20.784"W (WGS84), located 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 4.14 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 27, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM) as described by Subfile No.: LRS-28-004-0195 Right A of the Lower Rio Grande Stream System, Hydrographic Survey.

The proposed well is located approximately 550 feet West-Northwest of Abbey Road and Camino Atajo. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill for the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-23. 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. 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 having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before **August 25, 2023**. 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 24-hour 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 1978.

Dates: 07/07, 07/14, 07/21, 2023

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

Case No. D-307-DM-2023-530
Judge Robert Lara
Garland E. Lockwood, Petitioner,
V.

Hannah Taylor-Powell, Respondent,
NOTICE OF SUIT
To Hannah Taylor-Powell, RESPONDENT: Take notice that a lawsuit has been filed against you, The subject of this lawsuit is: Petition to establish paternity, determine custody and time-sharing, and access child support If you do not file a response or responsive pleading with the above-titled Court within 30 days after the third publication of this notice, the Court may enter a default judgment against you. Petitioner's Name
Garland E. Lockwood
102 B Apache Plume Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87508 WITNESS the Honorable Robert Lara, District Judge of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the seal of the District Court of Dona Ana County, this 7th day of June 2023 DAVID BORUND CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT /s/ Jodie M. Delgado. Deputy
Dates: 07/07, 07/14,

07/21, 2023

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

Case No.: D-307-CV-2022-02176
Mortgage assets management, LLC, plaintiff, vs. The unknown heirs, devisees and legatees of Catherine W. Moulder, deceased; Solar Mosaic LLC; United States of America by and through the secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Defendant, The Unknown Heirs, Devisees and Legatees of Catherine W. Moulder, Deceased to be published on: You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff Mortgage Assets Management, LLC has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on real property located at 635 Hoagland Road, Las Cruces, NM 88005. The real property which is the subject matter of this action is legally described as follows: A tract of land situated within the corporate limits of Las Cruces, New Mexico, being part of serial no. 9-5a as shown in the U.S.R.S. property maps and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit: beginning at the northeast corner of the tract herein described marked by an iron rod on the southline of Hoagland Road; whence the northeast corner of lot 1, clock A of the Highland Place subdivision bears the following two courses and distances: N. 72

deg. 44 minutes E., a distance of 149.43 feet; thence N. 72 deg. 26 minutes E., a distance of 59.38 feet; thence from the point of beginnings. 17 deg. 54 minutes 50 seconds E., 109.93 feet to the southeast corner of this tract marked by an iron rod; thence S. 70 deg. 05 minutes 22 seconds W., 66.50 feet to an iron rod on the east line of Rosedale Drive for the southwest corner of this tract; thence along the west line of Rosedale Drive N. 17 deg. 56 minutes W., 113.00 feet to an iron rod at the southeast corner of the intersection of Hoagland Road and Rosedale Drive for the northwest corner of this tract; Thence along the south line of Hoagland Road N. 72 Deg. 44 minutes E., 66.50 feet to the place of beginning containing 0.170 acres of land, more or less. If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. Unless you serve a pleading or motion in response to the Complaint in said cause on or before thirty (30) days after the last publication date, judgment by default may be entered against you. McCARTHY & HOLTHUS, LLP By: Jason Bousliman Daniel Higgins II Attorneys for Plaintiff 6501 Eagle Rock NE, Suite A-3 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87113 Telephone No.: (505) 219-4900 dhiggins@mccarthy-holthus.com IDSPub #0186799

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NOTICE is hereby given that on April 26, 2023, James Meerscheidt and Michelle Meerscheidt, 3677 North Highway 28, Las Cruces, New

Mexico 88005 filed with the STATE ENGINEER Water Right File No. LRG-00478-1A, Application No. LRG-00478-POD4 for Permit to Change Point of Diversion within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by discontinuing the use of well LRG-00478-S located within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 31, Township 23 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 15'30.127"N and 106° 46'29.085"W (WGS84), on land owned by El Manzanal, LLC, and by drilling a replacement well LRG-00478-POD4, to be located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 31, Township 23 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 15'38.639"N and 106° 46'37.012"W (WGS84), on land owned by El Manzanal, 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 2.0 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 31, Township 23 South, Range 2 East (NMPM) as described by Subfile Order No.: LRS-28-001-0060 Right A of the Third Judicial District Court, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico.

The replacement well will be located approximately 0.30 miles from the intersection of Highway 28 and Watson Lane. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-23. 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. 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 having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before **September 8, 2023**. 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

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Dates: 07/07, 07/14, 07/21, 2023

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DOÑA ANA COUNTY

PB-2023-139
In the Matter of the Estate of Florencio "Larry" Ramirez, a/k/a Larry Ramirez, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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: 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007
Dated: 07/03/2023
/s/ Nancy Ramirez
Nancy Ramirez
4106 Winchester Rd.
Las Cruces, NM 88011

Dates: 07/14, 07/21, 07/28, 2023

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Cause No. D-307-PB-2022-00171
Judge: Arrieta, Manuel I.

In the Matter of the Estate HARRY S. "PETE" CONNELLY JR., Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Minnette L. Connelly has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address shown in this notice or filed within the court. The attorney for the personal representative is William L. Lutz of the law firm of Martin & Lutz, P.C., 2110 North Main Street, Las Cruces, New Mexico, 88004. Dated this 28th day of June 2022.

/s/ Minnette L. Connelly
Minnette L. Connelly
Personal Representative
1905 Salinas Dr.,
Las Cruces, NM 88011

Dates: 07/14, 07/21, 07/28, 2023

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

Case No.: D-307-CV-2023-01099
BOKF, N.A.,
Plaintiff,

vs.
GRACE LUCERO;
Defendant.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

STATE OF NEW

MEXICO to Defendant, Grace Lucero, to be published on: You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff Bokf, N.A. has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on real property located at 6527 Phoenix St, Las Cruces, NM 88012. The real property which is the subject matter of this action is legally described as follows: LOT 5, BLOCK A, INSPIRATION HEIGHTS, PHASE 1, IN DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON APRIL 25, 2007, IN BOOK 22 PAGE (S) 202-203 OF PLAT RECORDS. If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. Unless you serve a pleading or motion in response to the Complaint in said cause on or before thirty (30) days after the last publication date, judgment by default may be entered against you. McCARTHY & HOLTHUS, LLP By: Jason Bousliman Marin Kowal Attorneys for Plaintiff 6501 Eagle Rock NE, Suite A-3 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87113 Telephone No.: (505) 219-4900 mkowal@mccarthyholthus.com IDSPub #0186864

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NOTICE is hereby given that on June 22, 2023, Nellie Lorraine Cisneros, 377 Gypsy Rd. Las Cruces, NM 88005 filed with the **STATE ENGINEER**

Application No. LRG-17532-POD2, OSE File No. LRG-17532-1, for Permit to Change Point of Diversion within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by discontinuing use of well LRG-17532-POD1, on land owned by Nellie Lorraine Cisneros within the NW ¼ NE ¼ SW ¼ of Section 25, Township 22S, Range 01E (NMPM), or more specifically located at X=1,471, 501 ft. and Y=497,226 ft. (NMSF, Central 83), and drill replacement well LRG-17532-POD2 to be located beyond 100 feet of existing well in said Section 25, more specifically located at X=1,471, 541 ft. and Y=497,126 (NMSF, Central 83) for the historical beneficial use not to exceed 3 acre-feet per year for pre-basin domestic and livestock use, owned by the applicant located within said Section 25. Well LRG-17532-POD1, will be properly plugged. The site of replacement well LRG-17532-POD2 can further be located at the physical address of Gypsy Rd., approximately 0.28 miles Northeast from the intersection of El Camino Real Rd. and Gypsy. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-24. The proposed site of new well LRG-00900-POD2 is located north of Las Cruces, NM and is approximately 359 ft. north of the intersection of Doolittle Rd. and N. Valley Dr. 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. 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 having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before **August 18, 2023**. 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 24-hour 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 1978.

Dates: 07/14, 07/21, 07/28, 2023

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 16, 2023, Rett Salopek of the Salopek Foundation, Inc., 5090 Snow Rd. Las Cruces, NM 88005 filed with the **STATE ENGINEER**

Application No. LRG-05347-POD14, OSE File Nos. LRG-05347 and LRG-05347-A, for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by discontinuing the use of well LRG-05347-S-3, located within the NE¼ NW¼ SW¼ of projected Section 11, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 14' 6.56" N, 106° 42' 53.07" W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant, and by utilizing recently drilled well LRG-05347-POD14, located within the NE ¼ NW ¼ SW ¼ of projected Section 11, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 14' 5.0" N, 106° 42' 54.3" W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant, to supplement existing wells LRG-05347, LRG-05347-S, LRG-05347-POD9, LRG-05347-POD11, LRG-05347-POD12, and LRG-05347-POD13, located as described in OSE File Nos. LRG-05347 and LRG-05347-A, 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 11Tigation of 135.20 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the NW ¼ and the NE ¼ and the SW ¼ of projected Section 10, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM) as described by Subfile No. LRS-28-002-0177, Right B of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey, and for the irrigation of 447.36 acres of land, owned by the applicant, with groundwater only, located within the NW ¼ and S ½ of projected Section 11, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), within the E ½ of projected Section 10, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), within the N ½ of projected Section 14, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), and within the NE ¼ of projected Section 15, Township 24 South, Range 2 East (NMPM), as described by Subfile Nos. LRS-28-002-0179, Right A, and LRS-28-002-0162, Right C of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22. Old well LRG-05347-S-3 will be plugged. The site of well LRG-05347-POD14 is located south of Las Cruces, NM and is approximately 1.3 miles northeast of the intersection of S. Main St. and Foli Fillmore Rd. 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. 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 having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before **September 8, 2023**. 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 24-hour 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 1978.

Dates: 07/14, 07/21, 07/28, 2023

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 10, 2022 Aurelio Paez, 7616

LEGAL NOTICES



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Highway 28, Anthony, NM, filed with the **STATE ENGINEER** Application No. LRG-3402 POD2, OSE File No. 3402-1, for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by drilling well LRG-3402 POD2 to a depth of 200 feet for 4-inch casing to be located within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29, Township 26 South, Range 3 East, NMPM, and more specifically described where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 0' 53.94" N, 106° 39' 59.22" W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant, to replace existing well LRG-3402 located within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29, Township 26 South, Range 3 East, NMPM, and more specifically described where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 0' 53.27" N, 106° 39' 58.36" W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant, for the continued diversion of 3.0 acre-feet per annum for domestic one household purposes. The site of new well LRG-3402 POD2 is located west of Anthony, NM and may be found at the physical address of 7616 Highway 28, Anthony, NM. Additionally, existing well LRG-3402 will be plugged. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-24. 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. 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 having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before **September 15, 2023**. 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 protest. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour 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 1978.

Dates: 07/14, 07/21, 07/28, 2023

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DONA ANA

COUNTY
No. 23-0162
In the Matter of the Estate of Catherine Portillo Cisneros, Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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 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 County, New Mexico, located at the following address: 845 N. Motel Blvd. Ste D, Las Cruces, NM 88007. Dated: June 13, 2023
/s/ Anamaria Portillo Anamaria Portillo Personal representative
Respectfully submitted:
/s/ Ramon Hernandez
Ramon Hernandez Attorney for Petitioner
NM Bar #149085
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Las Cruces, NM 88001
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Fax
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Dates: 07/14, 07/21, 07/28, 2023

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
D-307-
PB-2023-00155
Judge James T. Martin In the matter of

the estate of Leroy A. Daugherty, Deceased
NOTICE OF HEARING BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO: To: BRIAN DAUGHERTY, CHRIS DAUGHERTY, JACKI POTIA, JASON DAUGHERTY and THERESA ARMENDARIZ and To: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF LEROY A. DAUGHERTY, DECEASED, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO HAVE OR CLAIM ANY INTEREST IN THE ESTATE OF LEROY A. DAUGHERTY, OR IN THE MATTER BEING LITIGATED IN THE HEREINAFTER MENTIONED HEARING. BRIANDAUGHERTY, has filed a Petition for Formal Probate of Will and Appointment of Personal Representative, in which BRIAN DAUGHERTY seeks to be named Personal Representative. Hearing on this Petition will be held before The Honorable James T. Martin, District Court Judge, at the Third Judicial District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005, on Monday, August 14, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. The Court will hold this hearing telephonically by Google Meets. Those wishing to attend the hearing can dial 1-510-766-1785 and Enter PIN: 164 971 105#. Pursuant to 45-1-401 NMSA 1978, notice of the time and place of hearing on said Petition is hereby given to you by publication, once each week, for three consecutive weeks. Joseph M. Holmes, P.A. PO Box 366 Las Cruces, NM 88004-0366 (575) 524-0833 holmespa@zianet.

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Dates: 07/21, 07/28, 08/04, 2023

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DONA ANA COUNTY
No. 20-0101
In the Matter of the Estate of
Mary Francis Evans, a/k/a Mary Francis Reynolds, a/k/a Mary Francis Weatherspoon, a/k/a Mary Francis Hill, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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 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: 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007
Dated: July 13, 2023
/s/June Weatherspoon
June Weatherspoon
735 Frontier Dr.
Las Cruces, NM

88011
Dates: 07/21, 07/28, 08/04, 2023

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DONA ANA COUNTY
No. 23-0159
In the Matter of the Estate of
Joyce Hill, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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 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: 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007
Dated: July 13, 2023
/s/John M. Hill
John M. Hill
4986 County Road
311, Ignacio, CO 81137
Dates: 07/21, 07/28, 08/04, 2023

NOTICE is hereby given that on June 27, 2023, Armando D. Hernandez, 632 West Taylor Road, Las Cruces, NM 88007 filed with the **STATE ENGINEER** Application No. LRG-11816 for Permit to Change Point of Diversion within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by

discontinuing the use of well LRG-06351, located within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, Township 22 South, Range 1 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 22'10.909"N and 106° 48'53.128"W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant; and by commencing use of existing well LRG-11816, located within SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, Township 22 South, Range 1 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 22' 11.387"N and 106° 48'54.017"W (WGS84), 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 2.0 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, Township 22 South, Range 1 East (NMPM) as described by Subfile No. LRN-28-006-0203 Right A and Right B of the Lower Rio Grande Basin Hydrographic Survey. The existing well is located approximately 530 feet to the Southwest of the intersection of Don Miguel A venue and Dona Ana Road. 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. 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 having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before September 15, 2023. 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 protest. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour 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 1978.
Dates: 07/21, 07/28, 08/04, 2023

Las Cruces movie sells at Cannes Sequel could get financing from Morocco

By **MIKE COOK**
Las Cruces Bulletin

A Las Cruces feature film made on a microbudget has won awards at film festivals in three countries, and members of its cast and crew connected with other filmmakers at the Cannes Film Festival in May.

“Broken Gaiete,” also known as “The Village,” was filmed in Las Cruces in 2018, with a local cast and crew. Writer/director and cast member Hafid Abdelmoula, and co-executive producer Trudel Abdelmoula (Hafid’s wife), along with actors Mark Vasconcellos and Manfred Strobach, attended movie screenings in Cannes, France.

“It’s a dream that came true,” Vasconcellos said about the trip, “but it took a lot of work.”

Because Hafid is from Morocco, “The Village II” is now in competition for a \$400,000 grant from the Moroccan government. That funding could attract additional investors and create a budget for the sequel of \$1 million or more, said Vasconcellos, a Las Cruces actor and filmmaker.

Hafid and Vasconcellos are finishing the script for “The Village II, which Vasconcellos said could be of interest to filmmakers and investors in the international film market.

The script, along with locations and a proposed budget, will be submitted

in the Moroccan film fund for up and coming Moroccan directors, he said. If Abdelmoula receives funding, filming (in English) would take place principally in Morocco in 2024.

The incentive offered there is like the film credit New Mexico offers for filmmakers who shoot in the state and employ local crew, Vasconcellos said.

The group “hung out at the Morocco tent” at Cannes, he said, meeting Moroccan film makers, stars and film office VIPs.

Based in the city of Ouarzazate, Morocco’s film industry has been labeled as “Africa’s Hollywood.” Films shot in Morocco include “Lawrence of Arabia” (1962), “The Man Who Would Be King” (1975), “The Mummy” (1999) and “Gladiator” (2000) and the upcoming “Gladiator 2.”

Abdelmoula is already

looking ahead at international film festivals in Morocco and Saudi Arabia and elsewhere the sequel could be screened.

Vasconcellos said he and Abdelmoula are “keeping true” to the original movie in the script for “The Village II,” and will continue the story in the first film, which takes place in a village in an unspecified time and place. The first movie “talks about a man and a woman who cross this village that lives by absurd and crazy rules,” Abdelmoula said.

The 104-minute film was Abdelmoula’s graduate-school thesis. He has a bachelor of arts degree in film from New Mexico State University and an MFA in directing from Vermont College of Fine Arts. The film was shot in Abdelmoula’s backyard in Picacho Hills and in the

Las Cruces desert in 2018, using cast and crew from Las Cruces and El Paso.

“It took me about a year to write and it took another year to shoot and edit,” Abdelmoula said. “It had no budget. It was nothing but passion, sweat and tears.”

“Broken Gaiete” has won awards for best feature film, actor, director and production design at the World Music and Independent Film Festival in Washington, D.C.; the Santa Fe Film Festival; the El Paso Film Festival; the Madrid (Spain) International Film Festival; and the London International Film Festival.

Vasconcellos said Morocco would offer “incredible locations” already known to Abdelmoula because he grew up there.

Abdelmoula was a singer at the Moroccan Regional Orchestra Conservatory at a young age and an actor/writer/director with a Moroccan theatre company. As a singer, Abdelmoula won a 1996 television competition on Moroccan TV.

“That’s why I love working with Hafid,” Vasconcellos said. “He’s got a different perspective on life.”

Abdelmoula was recognized as a 2023 rising star by the New Mexico Film Office in February. At that same event, Vasconcellos and New Mexico State Sen. Jeff Steinborn, both members of the nonprofit Film Las Cruces (FLC) board of directors (Steinborn is



PHOTOS COURTESY OF MARK VASCONCELLOS

Hafid Abdelmoula, Trudel Abdelmoula and Mark Vasconcellos (center).

the president), accepted the award in Santa Fe in February when FLC was inducted into the New Mexico Film and Television Hall of Fame. Abdelmoula was recognized as a 2023 rising star at the same event.

Vasconcellos has more than 50 film and television roles to his credit. He attended high school in Madrid, Spain, and earned a B.A. in film/TV production from San Jose State University, according to his IMDb page. Vasconcellos worked as a TV segment director and camera operator in Italy, France and Africa and returned to the United States to study acting at the Stella Adler Conservatory West and the Actor’s Circle Theater in Los Angeles. In 2007, Vasconcellos moved with his family to Las Cruces.

He landed a re-occurring role as Pastor Jeff on the short-lived TV series “Easy Money” and had supporting roles on television shows like “Plain Sight,” “Longmire” and “Breaking Bad.” Vasconcellos has also acted in feature films and was location liaison for Clint Eastwood’s “The Mule,” which filmed in Las Cruces in 2018. He also hosts the New Mexico travel log TV show “Enchantments.”

Vasconcellos made his directorial debut in 2000 with the award-winning short film “Paco’s Two Bean Double Frozen Margarita.” In 2004 he wrote, produced, shot, edited and directed his own feature film, “Triple Threat.”

Vasconcellos is also an acting teacher, and 12 of his students had roles in “Broken Gaiete.”



PHOTOS COURTESY OF MARK VASCONCELLOS

Left to right are Manfred Strobach, Mark Vasconcellos, Trudel Abdelmoula and Hafid Abdelmoula.

Las Cruces actor, singer, has July 27 fundraiser concert

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

Las Cruces actor, singer, dancer Brianna Horvath didn't get to study abroad during her tenure at New Mexico State University because of the pandemic. But that isn't stopping her now.

Horvath, who graduated from NMSU in 2022, will spend this fall studying classical voice with opera professionals in Italy. She did her own research and found the post-graduate program she wanted: Accademia Europea di Firenze in Florence.

To help pay her expenses during her nearly four months abroad, Horvath is performing in a fundraising concert, "Canzoni per L'anima: Songs for the Soul," 7 p.m. Thursday, July 27, at First Christian Church, 1809 El Paseo Road, across from Las Cruces High School.

The suggested donation is \$20. Anyone 16 years old or young will be admitted free.

Performing in concert with Horvath will be Peyton Womble, Alyssa Gose and Ethan Trujillo. Barbara Toth will be the accompanist.

In Florence, Horvath

will participate in workshops with two former opera singers and a piano accompanist, she said. Her instruction will also include classes and live performances, along with "a lot of one-on-one instruction," she said.

Horvath's goal for the program is to "come back with a foundation in classical technique because it is so applicable in modern singing," she said, and is "so relevant" in live theatre performance.

Horvath is well known to Las Cruces audiences. Her many performances include "The Complete History of America (abridged)" and "Marilyn & God" for Blank Conversations Theatre Company – she also was choreographer for the company's production of "Singin' in the Rain"; in "Biloxi Blues" and "Legally Blonde" at Las Cruces Community Theatre; and in "My Fair Lady" and "Broadway on Stage" at NMSU.

As a sophomore, Horvath reached the finals in dance in the Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival regional competition in 2020.

She won the NMSU Theatre Department's

award for best choreographer for "25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee" in 2020 and was best actor for "Holiday Cabaret" in 2021.

Horvath will be staying in an air B&B in Florence, along with another student, who is from California. The trip is Horvath's first time in Europe, she said, and she is looking forward to exploring Italy, including Tuscany and Rome. And, Horvath is looking forward to hopping over



COURTESY PHOTOS

Left to right are Nicole Ritter, Jenna Ivey and Brianna Horvath. Ivey plays Eliza Doolittle. Ritter and Horvath are in New Mexico State University's 2019 production of "My Fair Lady."



Left to right are Blank Conversations Theatre Company actors Brianna Horvath, Collin Duffey and Alyssa Gose. They star in the company's 2022 production of "The Complete History of America (abridged)."



Nick Check and Brianna Horvath as Eugene Morris Jerome and his first love, Daily Hannigan, in "Biloxi Blues" at Las Cruces Community Theatre in 2019.

to France to sample some genuine French pastries, especially macarons.

A native of Alamogordo, Horvath moved to Las Cruces at

age 2. She is a graduate of Las Cruces High School.

Earning a degree in theatre from NMSU "opened my eyes to so many opportunities," Horvath said.

Being a part of the theatre program connected her with conferences and competitions from New York to Florida, she said.

"It's not Broadway or nothing," Horvath said.

"No matter what I continue to do after this program, theatre has taught me how to be in the world with people and how to connect with people. It gave me confidence."

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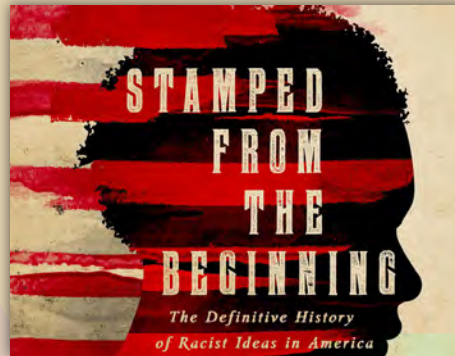
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State IPA Challenge comes to Public House 28 in Anthony

BULLETIN REPORT

The second round of the 2023 New Mexico IPA Challenge beer fest will be held 2-4 p.m. Saturday, July 22, in Anthony, New Mexico, as 16 New Mexico brewers vie for best IPA, the New Mexico Brewers Guild (NMBG) said in a news release.

The challenge began last week at the Drinkery by Bosque Brewery in Santa Fe, NMBG said. The second round is July 22 at Public House 28 Brewery, 10092 New Mexico Highway 28 in Anthony, and the third and final round is noon-6 p.m. Saturday, July 29, at Flix Brewhouse in Albuquerque.

The winner of the challenge will be announced after the final competition, NMBG said.

Advance tickets to each event are \$30 and include entry, a souvenir glass, 16 sam-

ples of the semifinalist beers, a tasting sheet and a pint of the attendee's favorite IPA. Designated driver passes are \$10 and include entry to the festival at any time, the news release said. Prices will increase by \$5 at the door.

Breweries competing in the 2023 challenge, including those from the Las Cruces area (**in bold**), are Bathtub Row Brewing Co-op, Beer Creek Brewing, Bosque Brewing, Boxing Bear Brewing Co., Bow & Arrow Brewing, Brew Lab 101 Beer & Cider, Canteen Brewhouse, Downshift Brewing Co., Ex Novo Brewing Co., Flix Brewhouse, Gravity Bound Brewing, Hidden Mountain Brewing Co., High and Dry Brewing, **Icebox Brewing Co.**, JUNO, Kaktus Brewing Co., La Cumbre Brewing Co., La Reforma, Late Shift Lager House, Lauter House Brewing, Lava Rock Brewing Co.,

Marble Brewery, Nexus, Ponderosa Brewing Co., **Public House 28 Brewery**, Quarter Celtic Brewpub, Red River Brewing Co., Rio Bravo Brewing, Rumor Brewing Co., Santa Fe Brewing Co., Second Street Brewery, Sidetrack Brewing Co., Sobremesa R&B, **Spotted Dog Brewery**, Starr Brothers Brewing Co., Steel Bender Brewery, Thirsty Eye Brewing Co., Three Rivers Brewing Co., Tractor Brewing Co., Truth or Consequences Brewing Co., Tumbleroot Brewery & Distillery and Turtle Mountain Brewing Co.

NMBG was created "to promote and protect New Mexico's craft brewers and help cultivate a collaborative spirit across the state and beyond," according to NMBG's website.

For tickets to the Anthony event, visit nmbeer.org and click on "Eventbrite- IPAC Round 2."



COURTESY PHOTO

The New Mexico IPA Challenge has been held at different venues around the state. Round Two will be at Public House 28 Brewery Saturday, July 22.

Local author publishes sci-fi thriller set in Las Cruces

BULLETIN REPORT

Las Cruces author Ronald Williams has published a new book, "Trojan," a sci-fi thriller novel.

In the book, "something unearthed by a rock collector has been unleashed in the sleepy town of Las Cruces, New Mexico." Disillusioned Detroit cop Yogi Glass, crime lab supervisor Maria Torres and Torres' 11-year-old computer whiz nephew, Daniel Stuart, "form an unlikely bond as they struggle to survive, to discover what was unearthed, and to stop it before it destroys them, the town, and ultimately, the world."



WILLIAMS

A Philadelphia native, Williams came to Las Cruces in 1975 to attend New Mexico State University and participate in a five-year program with the NASA White Sands Test Facility (WSTF). After graduating with a B.S. in mechanical engineering, Williams moved to Houston to work at the Johnson Space Center for 30 years before retiring. In 2005, a temporary assignment brought him back to WSTF and Las Cruces.

He and his wife, Beverly, have been married for 28 years.

"Trojan" is Williams' debut novel. It is available at amazon.com.

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Summertime Fun



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The second-annual Summertime on the Farm event is 4-9 p.m. Friday, July 28, at New Mexico Farm and Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Road.

Event activities are 4-7 p.m. with a bicycle parade that children 12 and under can participate in (costumes and decorations are encouraged; prizes will be awarded) at 5 p.m., pony rides 5:30-7 p.m. and a concert featuring Rockin' Blue Geckos 7-9 p.m. in the heritage garden, the museum said in a news release. Admission is \$20 per carload. Pony rides are \$5.

Visitors can learn how to make ice cream using a Ziploc bag and then eat the treat they make; take

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Dark Circles holds dance workshop

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Dark Circles Contemporary Dance will host "Arts Lab Desert Peaks," its third annual two-week workshop for young artists, Monday, July 24-Saturday, Aug. 5, in Las Cruces.

Choreographer and Las Cruces native Joshua L. Peugh will lead the workshop, which will include 14 professional dancers from The Big Muddy Dance Company, Verbs Ohio Contemporary Ballet, SERES Danza and other dance companies in the United States, Columbia and Mexico, Dark Circles said in a news release.

Workshop participants will "engage in a collaborative creative process,

take technique classes from New York City-based choreographer and educator Mike Esperanza, learn repertory and contribute to developing a world-premiere ballet," the news release said. Under Peugh's guidance, they "can refine their skills, expand their artistic vision, and explore new horizons in contemporary dance."

The workshop will culminate in two free public performances at 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 5, at Plaza de Las Cruces, 100 N. Main St., downtown, as part of that



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Dark Circles Contemporary Dance presents a work shop for young artists July 24-Aug. 25 in Las Cruces.

day's Farmers and Crafts Market of Las Cruces.

Arts Lab Desert Peaks is sponsored in part by the NMSU Department of Kinesiology and Dance, the news release said.

Dark Circles was founded in 2010 in Seoul, South Korea.

For more information, visit www.darkcircle-scontemporarydance.com.

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PREVIEW: 'Oppenheimer' worth a chance?

By ELVA K. ÖSTERREICH
Las Cruces Bulletin

The new movie written and directed by Christopher Nolan, "Oppenheimer," promises to be a dramatic, emotional and touching story. This movie is based on the true story of J. Robert Oppenheimer, a theoretical physicist, and the creator of the atomic bomb. It is based on the 2005 Pulitzer Prize-winning biography "American Prometheus" by Kai Bird and Martin J. Sherwin about Oppenheimer.

Much of "Oppenheimer" was filmed in New Mexico where the events originally took place. The story of Oppenheimer is about a man who "changed the world forever," Nolan said in an interview with Hugo Decrypte.

"We live in a world of his (Oppenheimer's) creation and that will never go away, and I do find that frightening," Nolan said.

It was here in Southern New Mexico, on the Jornada del Muerto just west of the Tularosa Basin, the first atomic bomb was tested. Oppenheimer led the team creating and setting it off in our backyard. The plot of the film hopefully will continue past the devastating bombing of



Hiroshima and Nagasaki in August 1945 to look at Oppenheimer's regret and sadness following the start of the atomic age.

"What I first learned about Oppenheimer that really grabbed was that there was this moment where he and his fellow scientists on the Manhattan Project could not eliminate the potential of a chain reaction from that first test that would destroy the entire world," Nolan told Decrypte. "And yet they pushed the button."

Filmed in IMAX 65mm and 65mm large-format film, Nolan used practical effects and minimal CGI. He wrote it in the first person, and it alternates color and black-and-white scenes to signify both objective and subjective

perspectives.

Starring Cillian Murphy as the title character, with a supporting ensemble cast including Emily Blunt, Matt Damon, Robert Downey Jr., Florence Pugh, Josh Hartnett, Casey Affleck, Rami Malek, and Kenneth Branagh, Nolan wanted to make the film as subjective as possible. The production team decided to visualize Oppenheimer's conceptions of the quantum world and waves of energy.

"Oppenheimer' has the potential to be an amazing movie, full of the drama and personal life of its title character and the event that catapulted him into history and changed the world. My hope is people remember this is only based on a true story and is not a documentary. My fear is this Hollywood production will aggrandize one man in a spectacular portrayal and leave behind the estimated 210,000 real humans who died because of what he did.

Bulletin staff writer Elva K. Österreich is also the author of a book about the Trinity Test, "The Manhattan Project Trinity Test: Witnessing the Bomb in New Mexico."

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a trolley ride to the museum's livestock corrals and barns; enjoy games, activities and a scavenger hunt; shop at the museum's plant sale; and check out demonstrations that will include milking by Southwest Dairy Farmers. This event is in conjunction with 4-H Achievement Week

and projects created by their members will be on display. Food trucks will be on hand, including Mad Street BBQ and Rez Tacos. Cotton candy and other treats will also be available. Rockin' Blue Geckos is a five-piece band plays country rock and blues. Listeners should bring blankets or chairs.

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- 85 "Meh" grades
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- 102 Sci-fi visitors
- 103 Prefix with plunk
- 104 Presque Isle's lake
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- 112 Not forsaking
- 115 Elliptical
- 116 Fragrant Chinese flower
- 117 Word-of-mouth precepts
- 118 Dig deep
- 119 Grappler, rural-style
- 120 Gloucester's peninsula
- 121 Birch-family tree
- 122 Ordinal number suffix
- 123 -- Plaines

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- 2 Scrubbed in a tub
- 3 Get stuck (to)
- 4 Formal rulings
- 5 "-- and the Night Visitors"
- 6 "Take this out" mark
- 7 Custard-filled pastry
- 8 Dog named Fifi, maybe
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Million-dollar home market taking off in Las Cruces

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

A home that sells for \$3 million in Las Cruces?

Oh, yes. In fact, the luxury home market is growing in this area.

“Million-dollar-plus properties have been selling faster than less expensive models,” said Keller Williams Realty of Las Cruces real estate broker Levi Nolasco.

Twenty-four homes priced at \$1 million or higher sold within the last year, not only in Las Cruces, but also in Mesilla; Hatch; Rincon; Santa Teresa; Anthony, New Mexico; and in Cloudcroft; Nolasco said. Sale prices ranged from \$1 million to \$3.3 million.

Most of the sales have taken place since 2018, Nolasco said, and the market has “really been picking up the last couple of years.” Nearly a dozen more homes with \$1 million-plus price tags are for sale in the area right now, he said.

“It’s really exploding,” said Jaret Lane, another



Left to right are Levi Nolasco, Art Marques and Jaret Lane.

Keller Williams real estate broker.

A \$3 million home on Mystic Winds Court in the Talavera area is likely to be on the market in August, said builder Art Marques, who owns New Mexico Steel Fabricators in Las Cruces. Nolasco and Lane are co-brokers on the home.

The 8,500 square-foot house has state-of-the-art engineering, Nolasco said, is all-app based, has cameras and an intercom in every room, a huge stone fireplace, a butler’s pantry and wine rack, a security system with exterior cam-

eras that have 300-foot views, a dining room that will include a 15-foot redwood table, unique light fixtures throughout, bi-fold glass doors that open onto an interior courtyard, and a massive six-foot by 10-foot front door. There is even a shower for the family dog.

The owner suite includes two walk-in closets; a movie projector and sliding screen; a soaking tub with a spectacular view of the Organ Mountains; and a shower with dual waterfall, a \$5,000 showerhead and gray stone walls instead of tile.



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The house on Mystic Winds Court in the Talavera area of Las Cruces

The three-door garage is almost 2,300 square feet in size and has outlets to accommodate electric vehicles.

The house’s interior catwalk and balcony offer additional spectacular views of the Organs, and the upstairs space is ideal for an in-home office, Nolasco said.

The outdoor perimeter fence, above which rises the Organs, is made of marble that produces

spectacular colors when it’s wet, Lane said, and perfectly complements the house, Marques said.

There is also an outdoor fireplace; landscaping will include different sizes of river rock and natural grass.

The industrial modern house was constructed with 70 tons of steel, including an all-steel shell, Marques said, and 380 yards of concrete, including all concrete floors. The

concrete was poured at 2 a.m. one Saturday morning (it sets faster in cooler temperatures), he said, and workers were already walking on it by 11 a.m.

At about 4,000 pounds per square inch, the concrete makes for an extremely strong solid foundation.

The house has “super clean, straight lines,” Marques said. “It’s not ‘busy,’ not cluttered,” he said. “We’re super happy

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Retail accounts for largest piece of county's gross receipts

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Despite a two percent decline in the third quarter of FY23 (January, February and March, 2023), Doña Ana County reported its ninth consecutive quarter of \$1 billion or more in matched taxable gross receipts (MTGR), the New Mexico Economic Development Department (NMEDD) said in a news release.

Retail trade accounted for 28 percent of the county's MTGR during the quarter, NMEDD said. The construction industry accounted for 14 percent, health and social assistance accounted for 12 percent and accommodation and food services was at nine percent.

Retail trade generated more than \$381 million in MTGR in the third quarter of FY23, the news release said, up eight percent from a year earlier. Construction generated more than \$184 million during the same quarter, up 10 percent. Health and social services MTGR was down two percent during the quarter and accommodation and food service were

up 13 percent. Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting showed the greatest increase from the third quarter of FY22 to the third quarter of FY23: up 238 percent from almost \$2.2 million to almost \$7.4 million.

MTGR "matches specific taxpayer to specific taxpayer, so it adjusts for new businesses (that) would not be counted until the following year when there is a match," said NMEDD Public Information Officer Bruce Krasnow. "Taxable gross receipts are matched to tax payments and more representative of overall economic activity in the state compared to other tax data," said NMEDD Public Relations Coordinator Lauren Longworth.

NMEDD said DAC had a population of 217,696 in the third quarter of FY2023. 50.9 percent of its residents were female and 49.1 percent were male. 24.6 percent of the county's population was under 18 years old, 14.5 percent was aged 18-24, 13 percent was aged 25-34, 11 percent was aged 35-44, 10.2 percent was aged 45-54, 11 percent was aged 55-64, nine percent

was aged 65-74 and 6.7 percent was aged 75 and older, NMEDD said.

The department said 78.5 percent of the county's population was white (which includes Anglos and Hispanics), 8.5 percent was of two or more races, 1.8 percent was Black or African American, 1.1 percent was Asian, one percent was Native American, 0.1 percent was Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander and nine percent was some other race.

NMEDD said 9.5 percent of the county's population aged 25-64 had an associate's degree, 18 percent had a bachelor's degree, 22 percent had a high school diploma or the equivalent, 16.4 percent had no high school diploma, 11.3 percent had a postgraduate degree and 22.8 percent had some college but no degree.

In its report, NMEDD said New Mexico's largest industry gross domestic product (GDP) year-over-year growth coming from arts, entertainment and recreation, 30.3 percent statewide, and accommodation and food services, 27.7 percent statewide. "The oil and gas industry continued to drive spending in the state, as mining, quarrying and oil and gas extraction increased 26 percent from a year ago, representing one-quarter of the new spending statewide," NMEDD said.

The report showed that 26 of New Mexico's 33 counties saw year-over-year spending boosts, with MTGR increasing 12 percent statewide.



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With the temperatures soaring and high fire risk, South Central Solid Waste Authority (SCSWA) wants residents to be extra cautious regarding the hot materials they might throw in their trash containers. You may have dumped water on the remaining fireworks, but did you toss enough water on the coals from your grill before it got swept into the trash?

"Coals can mix with other things in the trash truck; even lingering embers can ignite the whole load," explained SCSWA director Patrick Peck.

It's a hazard not just to the trash trucks sharing your street but

to the containers usually standing next to your home – both your trash and recycling containers.

"There is also a danger that comes from lithium batteries that are thrown in the trash or the recycling," said Peck. "There was a fire in a Texas recycling plant in 2016 caused by a lithium battery thrown into someone's recycling container, and it ignited the whole plant where the cardboard and plastic bottling made easy fuel for the fire."

Other potentially dangerous items that should not be thrown into a residential or commercial trash bin: Dead animals, vehicle parts

including car batteries; paint, paint thinners, oil, gas, or other hazardous waste; fluorescent light bulbs or fluorescent light fixtures with ballasts; anything known to be toxic, flammable, corrosive, or an irritant; and appliances.

If you have flammables — such as a gasoline can — the proper and safe disposal is to take it to the Las Cruces Recycling Center at 2855 W. Amador and pour the liquid into the 55-gallon drum in the Household Hazardous Waste area. There is no cost to the residents; they can bring up to the 5-gallon limit for the disposal of flammables.

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County gets \$31 million for railroad overpass

BULLETIN REPORT

A plan for a vehicle overpass at the Industrial Avenue and the Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) line in Santa Teresa has recently received significant federal funding.

The overpass would alleviate critical traffic issues in the growing industrial, logistic activities in the Santa Teresa area south of Las Cruces.

"As the Santa Teresa industrial base continues to expand, it is critical to keep commerce moving safely and securely," said Border Industrial Association President Jerry Pacheco, who lives in Santa Teresa. "The new funding will help us do this."

U.S. Senators Martin Heinrich and Ben Ray Luján

and U.S. Representative Gabe Vasquez jointly announced recently, that more than \$31 million has been awarded by the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) for the Doña Ana County Railroad Crossing Elimination Program (RCE) for the project.

The Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) authorized RCE under the federal Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) to provide funding for highway-rail and pathway-rail grade crossing improvement projects to improve the safety and mobility of people and goods, according to a news release. The Doña Ana County project is one of 63 nationwide that will receive almost \$571 million.

"I have worked for years to expand the services and

capabilities of the Santa Teresa Port of Entry and secure federal investments in the road, rail, and air cargo infrastructure in this rapidly growing center of New Mexico's trade economy," said Heinrich. "This new overpass will finally allow passenger and freight vehicles traveling through Santa Teresa's port of entry (POE) and industrial parks to drive over the Union Pacific rail line and reduce traffic congestion. This is one more piece in the overall puzzle to help Santa Teresa realize its full potential as a powerhouse destination for international trade, the onshoring of our supply chains, and major economic growth opportunities for New Mexico."

"The Santa Teresa Region is central to trade and

transporting goods, and it's crucial that we reduce congestion to continue to accelerate New Mexico's economic growth," said Luján. This RCE program will also improve infrastructure and improve safety for drivers and pedestrians passing through our state's southern corridor."

"I'm proud to see the federal government investing in the development of this overpass in the Santa Teresa Region because it promotes safety while encouraging freight vehicles and passengers to use the Santa Teresa POE," Vasquez said. "I recently introduced legislation to modernize our land POEs because the POEs, like the Santa Teresa POE, are a leading example of how we need to support our border communities."



COURTESY PHOTO

The second floor of the house on Mystic Winds Court.

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with it."

With the help of more than 15 subcontractors, Marques built the house from his own design, starting about a year ago.

The final product is "a lot more than we hoped for," said Marques, who began working in construction at age 14 or 15, working with his father, a homebuilder in Doña Ana.

With high-end buyers "already knocking on the door," Marques and other

luxury home builders are going to stay busy, Lane said.

Selling luxury homes in Las Cruces means targeting potential buyers who live in the area and looking out of state, said Nolasco, a former buyer's agent assistant in Beverly Hills, California, and former producer for HGTV's "House Hunters."

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Memorial Medical Center names new chief of medical staff

BULLETIN REPORT

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of staff, Grasso is re-

practiced in the region since 2016, MMC said in a news release.

As chief

sponsible for providing leadership and guidance to the medical staff and promoting effective communication among the staff, hospital administration and the MMC board of trustees, the news release said.

Grasso has been

MMC's hospitalist medical director for the past four years.

"Dr. Grasso will do an excellent job of leading the more than 500 providers on our medical staff and welcoming future physicians in a number of specialties,"

said MMC CEO John Harris. "In addition to providing a continued focus on our top priorities of providing quality and safe care, she will be integral in the pursuit of our mission of making communities healthier."

After earning her

credentials as a doctor of osteopathic Medicine from New York College of Osteopathic Medicine in 2013, Grasso completed a family medicine residency at Plainview Hospital Northwell Health in Plainview, New York.

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New coach: 'People wanted something positive'

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

"There is a great opportunity for this to be a shining moment," New Mexico State University new head basketball coach, Jason Hooten, said in a July 11 interview.

Hooten and his staff have recruited 11 new players to the basketball team as of July 11, he said, including the most recent, a 6-11 Australian player who was one of the best youth players in Australian leagues.

"Recruiting is always difficult," said Hooten, who has about three months to fill the final two scholarship positions on the team before the Aggies' first "real practice" Sept. 27 and its first game Nov. 8.

Recruiting has been made more difficult by the program's troubles the past year and by recent changes to NCAA transfer regulations that allow student athletes to change

schools without sitting out a year after their transfer.

Hooten left his longtime job as head basketball coach at Sam Houston University earlier this year to take over a program at NMSU that had been plagued by a hazing scandal – the university settled an \$8 million lawsuit with two former players in June – and a fatal shooting in November 2022 in Albuquerque involving a former NMSU player who was not charged in the incident.

Those incidents left "a lot of people disappointed," Hooten said, who started at NMSU April 1.

"We've had to answer a lot of questions," he said. "If you're a mother" with a son being recruited by the NMSU basketball program, "You have some

questions for sure."

Hooten's message to parents, players and potential players, the university and the community is, "It's all over and done now. Things will be different," he said.

"I'm a very prideful person," Hooten said. "Honor and things like that are the most important things."

He said he wants to strike a blend on his roster of freshman, Division I transfers and junior college transfers. The signees reflect that, but since none of last year's Aggies returned, it's a different challenge to have to recruit a completely new team in one season, Hooten said.

"I want to be good this year. I'm a competitive guy," Hooten said.

And he knows "people expect us to win right away. That's okay too. It's part of the job," Hooten said. "But let's not get too far ahead of ourselves."

Hooten said his plan is

to take things "a day at a time," with a goal for each day of being "a little better than the day before," but knowing, "The easiest day was yesterday," he said.

He and his coaching staff are also looking to "establish our future," as they recruit for 2024 and beyond.

Hooten and his wife of 23 years have two children, an 18-year-old daughter who will be a senior in high school this year and a 14-year-old son who will be a freshman. His daughter is a volleyball player and his son plays tennis.

The family is still looking for a house in Las Cruces, Hooten said, but has already discovered "a lot of really good eating places here."

Hooten jogs two to three miles a day, five days a week.

"I'm a big runner," he said.

Hooten also likes to play golf, "but I don't," he said. "I'd rather spend time with my family doing whatever they want to do."

He describes himself as "a yard guy," but considering the extensive xeriscaping in Las Cruces,



NMSU PHOTO

New Mexico State's new men's basketball coach, Jason Hooten, says the daily goal for this year's Aggies is getting "a little better than the day before."

he speculates he won't be doing much lawn mowing when his family settles into a house.

He's also a churchgoer and enjoys watching college basketball and Major League Baseball – he's a Texas Rangers fan.

Baseball was Hooten's "best sport" as a young player, he said – he played shortstop and second base – but there was "just something there about basketball," and he fell in love with the sport. Being told he was too short to play basketball was just "fueling my fire," Hooten said.

Part of the reason he chose to come to NMSU,

Hooten said, was the basketball program's "history and legacy," including what legendary Aggie Coach Lou Henson and "all those people created." They started a "trajectory of winning basketball," he said.

Las Cruces was "a place that really made a stance about what a basketball program means to the community and the university," Hooten said.

"People wanted something positive to happen." Hooten knew taking over the program "was going to be a difficult challenge," he said. "We just put our head down and just started to work."

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Saturday, Feb. 10 – at UTEP

Thursday, Feb. 15 – at Middle Tennessee

Saturday, Feb. 17 – at Western Kentucky

Thursday, Feb. 22 – Sam Houston

Saturday, Feb. 24 – Louisiana Tech

Thursday, Feb. 29 – at Liberty

Saturday, March 2 – at Jacksonville State

Saturday, March 9 – Florida International

Brazen thefts having big impact on golf industry

Smash-and-grab robberies at golf retail stores, big and small, have reached epidemic proportions. In 2022, the country's biggest golf retailers, Dick's Sporting Goods/Golf Galaxy, PGA Tour Superstore and Worldwide Golf Shops, reported 900 crime events. Club thefts have cost retailers \$6 million, five times what it was in 2019. In a feature article in Golf Digest (July/August 2023) writer Mike Stachura cites several elements fueling this surge: prices of clubs have risen sharply (e.g. \$600 drivers); it is stealing "easy money" with luxury products that hold value; golf stores had limited staff during the pandemic; due to liberal laws in some states like California, brazen robbers

know they aren't going to get stopped. Maybe the biggest factor is golfers are flocking to discounts on expensive golf clubs, particularly on online selling sites, where sellers of stolen goods can hide behind a digital mask.

"Those committing retail crimes vary from individuals stealing a driver or two ... to criminal networks that feature burglars with assignments for late-night smash-and-grabs that lead to hundreds of the newest drivers and putters stolen in minutes," Stachura says. And it has gone from smashing window glass and busting doors down to ramming large trucks into sides of buildings, disintegrating whole walls.



CHARLIE BLANCHARD
Golf Doctor

Thefts don't just happen at big retail stores. They happen every day when some guy leaves his loaded golf bag in the bed of his pickup and stops to pick up a burrito. The lesson is simple: don't leave golf clubs uncovered in a car or truck or SUV, or from an open trunk. Bags and clubs are even taken from golf course racks when players go into the shop to check in. Airlines don't "lose" clubs.

Even the little retail shops are getting hit hard. My son, who works at a specialty club-fitter in Dallas, told me of a recent late-night break-in where the back door was forced open with a crowbar and

thousands of dollars of merchandise was stolen. Locally, just a few years after they opened, the door at Red Hawk Golf Club's pro shop was busted and thousands' worth of clubs were stolen. It was speculated a former employee was the culprit, but never proven. Sonoma Ranch G. C. suffered a similar loss because the interior gate to the pro shop was breached. Again, it was believed the thief was a former employee but never proven.

I have personal experience involving smash-and-grab break-ins. In the early 1980s I owned an athletic footwear store in suburban Detroit. In the span of 18 months there were two smash-and-grab robberies and an 8 p.m. armed robbery. I asked the police

about keeping a guard dog in the store, and they replied, "You'll just have a dead dog on your hands." That's when I knew I had to get out of retail. Two years later, I moved to New Mexico to pursue my dream of becoming a clinical/sport psychologist.

There is evidence, including surveillance cameras, that orchestrated golf retail store break-ins are tied directly to organized crime syndicates like drug cartels, mafia groups and gangs. Earlier this year at No Bogeys Golf, a top 100 club-fitter in Laguna Niguel, California, suffered a pre-dawn break-in that took only four minutes, and resulted in the loss of 100 driver heads with a retail value of over \$60,000. Because of the

ease of selling to discount-hungry golfers, organized criminal groups consider high-end golf clubs their "cash cow." (Unknowingly buying stolen property is not a crime.) Kyle Cullum, the owner of No Bogeys Golf, told Stachura, "My insurance came through, but because insurance companies in California can raise the rates on you, I'm hearing they can just drop you."

One member of an anti-crime task force says, "It's not about the thefts anymore. The problem is the (consumer's) appetite for buying from unauthorized sources." It's now like a whack-a-mole game.

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