

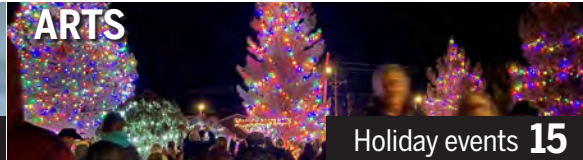


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City recommends tighter public records access

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Las Cruces Bulletin

A transparency fight is brewing at the state legislature, and Las Cruces may be right in the middle of it.

Local governments, including counties and cities of New Mexico, are looking to convince the legislature that public records need more restrictions to address a spike in Inspection of Public Records Act requests -- something transparency groups staunchly oppose.

While the proposals vary, most revolve around restricting access to police body camera footage and police records -- something the legislature has taken up in recent sessions.

New legislative propos-

als won't be filed until January, and it's unclear what will make its way to the Roundhouse for consideration.

But Las Cruces' city clerk, Christine Rivera, outlined the changes she wants to see at a Nov. 12 meeting. She said she wants the legislature to allow the government to create a fee schedule to charge people who receive records electronically; require requestors to provide more specificity on requests for public employee's emails; allow redaction of identities of children from body camera footage and police reports, and also of identities of victims of crime, even after a case has been adjudicated.

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Council endorsed the idea as part of its yearly resolution of legislative priorities at a meeting on Dec. 2. The same platform was endorsed by the New Mexico Municipal League, a lobbying and coordinat-

ing body for New Mexico cities.

And while that is a summary of what cities want, the New Mexico Association of Counties has proposed much more sweeping changes, accord-

ing to a document provided to the Las Cruces Bulletin.

The association's proposed changes included preventing access to jail or prison security footage, eliminating the requirement for a three-day notice, personal information of applicants for fishing and hunting licenses, and dozens more requests.

City clerk makes case for IPRA changes

From January to the end of October, the Las Cruces City Clerk's Office has fielded 2,588 requests -- nearly three-quarters of which are police records. Each request requires review and processing before it can be released to the public.

In an interview with the

Bulletin, Rivera said her desire to see the changes stems from the impact records requests have on the city clerk's office.

"The majority of the requests we're getting right now are (police department) related," Rivera said. "It's PD reports, body cam, supplements, audio, pictures, anything related to that."

Police body camera footage is the most time-consuming, Rivera said, as it requires potentially hours of review, redaction and further review before release. That work all falls on the city clerk's office.

"I wanted people to realize that it is a lot of man hours," Rivera said. "It is also taking away from the

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Realize Las Cruces one step closer to implementation

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Las Cruces Bulletin

Advocates argued for a handful of changes to a sweeping redesign of Las Cruces' development code during one of the final meetings on the plan known as Realize Las Cruces.

A work session of the Las Cruces City Council on Dec. 9 marked the last public meeting in the years-long effort to modernize and update the city's development codes. Realize Las Cruces includes changes to zoning, the zoning map, subdivisions, drainage, signs, outdoor lighting, roads and rights-of-way, landscaping parks, trails, open space, tree preservation, screening and fencing.

Councilors and community members who spoke at the meeting were, with a few exceptions, happy with the document's placement.

"There are not many items for which we have problems," said John Moscato, a land developer, speaking on behalf of the New Mexico Construction Association, formerly called the Las Cruces Home Builders Association.

Moscato said one change he'd like to see is a simplification for changing zoning and character place. Unlike the current set of codes, Realize Las Cruces will designate areas of town as "urban" or "suburban" on



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Las Cruces Mayor Eric Enriquez speaks during a city council work session on Dec. 9, 2024.

top of traditional zoning categories like residential or commercial.

Moscato pointed out that, as written, two separate processes are required to request a parcel change. He said he would like to see that simplified.

But parks were his main contention. As written, Moscato said that Realize Las Cruces would lead to fewer parks being built by developers because of a minimum requirement that all developments have at least a 3-acre park. Smaller developments would choose to pay the park impact fee instead, he said.

But the bigger issue was the total impact of fees on housing costs. The city is looking to raise the park impact fee sometime next year. Developers can pay the fee in lieu of building a park, and the city uses the money to build new parks and maintain existing parks.

Moscato said the uncertainty was causing

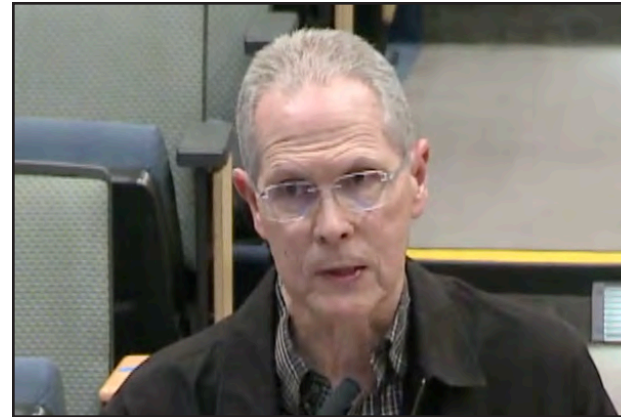
local developers to chafe.

Judy Berryman, chair of the Historic Preservation Commission, acknowledged that the most recent version of Realize Las Cruces strengthened historic protections. As an example, she pointed to provisions that call for two more historic districts.

Still, Berryman and other HPC members said the document should be revised so that HPC remains a commission and not a committee, the latter implying more authority.

Most city councilors expressed a desire for minor changes but were satisfied overall with the document.

Councilor Becki Graham wanted the document to better emphasize roadway design for emergency vehicles like fire trucks on all roadways, and Councilor Johana Bencomo said the document should improve



Land developer John Moscato addresses the Las Cruces City Council about changes to the city's development code during a Dec. 9, 2024 work session.

development in the city's underserved areas like the corridors of W. Picacho, El Paseo and S. Solano.

"Many, many years ago, decades ago, there was a decision that was made, maybe subconscious or unconscious decision, that was made about where we place our focus in the city which caused a neglect in others," Bencomo said.

The final document will be presented to the council for approval in February 2025.



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Amelia Baca shooting gets new attention in appeals court

JUSTIN GARCIA
Las Cruces Bulletin

The 10th Circuit Appeals Court is set to rule on whether a court erred in finding a Las Cruces Police Department officer had legal immunity when he killed 75-year-old Amelia Baca in 2022.

It's unclear when the ruling could come down. Still, the court heard appeal arguments on Nov. 20 from lawyers representing Baca's family in a wrongful death lawsuit against the city of Las Cruces and its police department.

The family has argued since August 2022 that Baca's civil rights were violated when she was shot dead by a police officer at her home in Las Cruces on April 16, 2022. That case was dismissed in October 2023 after a federal judge found the officer's actions constitutional and said he was entitled to qualified immunity. Shortly after the ruling, Baca's family appealed.

The hearing was the latest in the long aftermath of one of the most controversial police shootings in recent memory. It follows a \$2.75 million settlement between the Baca family and the city in state court and the state Attorney General's decision to hold back criminal charges against the officer, Jared Cosper, despite calls for charges from Baca's family and some in the community.

"There are two issues



LAS CRUCES POLICE DEPARTMENT VIDEO

Police body camera footage shows Las Cruces police officer Jared Cosper pointing his gun at Amelia Baca in April 2022, shortly before shooting her.

before the court here, and they are the two prongs of qualified immunity," said Eric Loman, an attorney representing Baca's family, during the Nov. 20 hearing. Qualified immunity is a legal doctrine that protects government employees from being found personally liable for possible constitutional violations. The doctrine is meant to protect government employees so they can act without fear of constant litigation; but it has also come under scrutiny, as it often shields police and police departments from accountability in questionable use-of-force cases.

In September 2023, federal Judge Robert Brack found Cosper did have immunity.

Long before the call for services that ended her life, Baca had been diagnosed with a form of dementia, according to her family. This left her with memory loss and confu-

sion, and on the evening of Apr. 16, 2022, those symptoms flared.

One of Baca's adult daughters, also acting as her caretaker, called 911 requesting help.

Per the police footage, when Cosper arrives he asks the daughter and grandmother to come out as he stands in a tight nook that abuts Baca's front door. The two women comply, telling Cosper, "Please be very careful with her."

But almost before the women finish saying that, Cosper draws his gun and shouts, "Set it down," seeing that Baca holds kitchen knives in each hand.

Cosper's decision to pull his gun in this narrow space left him hemmed in. The video shows him repeatedly yell at Baca to put the knives down, as the two other women plead

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other duties because we're so focused on that."

Rivera added that especially sensitive or graphic body camera footage can have an emotional impact on her staff, too.

"It's heartbreaking at times to see some of the stuff and know that we can't protect those people. That's what hurts the most, especially those children. And then they get upset at us, but it's not us; it's the law," Rivera said.

Transparency hawks unconvinced

As far as staffing time, New Mexico transparency advocates aren't buying it.

"That's literally their job," said Clara Garcia, editor and publisher of the Valencia County News-Bulletin and president of the New Mexico Press Association.

Garcia explained that public records play a key role in journalism. They are the backbone of good reporting, she said, adding that easy access to public records allows for more media independence.

"Everybody talks about being transparent, and this is the exact opposite of being transparent," Garcia said.

Melanie Majors, Executive Director of the New Mexico Foundation for Open Government, said the organization was paying close attention to the proposals.

"Our goal is always to make sure that any excep-

tions to the Inspection of Public Records Act are as narrow as possible," Majors said.

With no bill to scrutinize, Majors said that FOG had met with the New Mexico Municipal League to review their proposed changes. Some of these, such as a proposed fee schedule, she described as non-starters.

"We've already paid for those records," Majors said. "Why do we have to pay the custodian who's holding the records in trust for us in order to get to the records?"

Majors also pointed out that this will be another year in which the government wants to restrict IPRA.

Recent changes to the law allowed police officials to redact visual depictions of dead bodies or great bodily harm unless that harm is suspected to have been caused by a law enforcement officer. The changes also sought to mitigate data ransoming by preventing people from getting public records about IT systems that reveal vulnerabilities.

While officials argue these changes protect the public, Majors and other transparency hawks see it as backsliding.

"I think it's a concentrated effort to keep the public from getting its information. How can the public make informed decisions if they don't have access to information? And transparency and accountability are not a partisan issue. It's important to everybody," Majors said.

Journalists are not the only people with an interest in public records, something city clerk Rivera and other government officials are quick to point out.

Attorneys use public records for case investigations, large tech companies like LexisNexis file IPRA requests to build out their databases, and members of the public use records to expand their understanding of government.

There is also a new form of media that use IPRA requests as their main supplier of content.

Instagram pages like lascruces.shi, which post police body camera videos showing car chases, violent arrests and other dramatic footage are some of the groups driving the increase in IPRA requests.

"When we have, for example, a YouTuber asking for 50 different cases for body cam, that's the kind of stuff that I'd like to address in a fee schedule," Rivera said. "It's not so much the everyday layperson; it's more the people that are maybe taking advantage of the system."

The Bulletin reached out to lascruces.shi for an interview on how they use IPRA and their thoughts on the proposed changes, but the account holder did not respond.

What might be ahead

While there may be a transparency fight in store for this session, there is also some common ground. When asked if she'd seek additional staff to support the review

and dissemination of public records, Rivera said that was a main goal.

"My goal has been to get full-time records custodians at (LCPD) because their staff is kind of doing a little bit of everything," Rivera said. "I would love to see them get full-time staff. I think that would help a lot."

Majors said this was preferable to changing the law.

"We realize in some cases, maybe it's not the law that needs to change. It's the individuals who are required to comply with the law that needs to commit the resources to the records departments, maybe they need to look at how they process records, and perhaps look at efforts to put more of the information online so

that people do not have to fill out a request for a record," Majors said.

Majors also pointed out that this may have been an avoidable situation.

In 2020, the state legislature mandated that all police officers must wear body cameras, effectively creating thousands of new public records in the form of body camera footage. In doing so, the legislature did not provide any additional financial support for records processing.

"That was a part of that law that was missing. And so, the unfunded mandate, part of it fell on the law enforcement officers," Majors said.

Proposed legislation will be filed ahead of the session from Jan. 2 to Jan. 17. The list of changes will first be outlined there be-

fore moving through the legislative process. If a bill gains traction, transparency and press advocates are ready to push back.

"We will fight to the very end," Garcia of the News-Bulletin said. "We will fight at this legislative session to make sure that this does not happen. We will be fighting, not only for our journalism colleagues but for the public's right to know."

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Doña Ana County's new manager embraces modernization, optimism

JUSTIN GARCIA
Las Cruces Bulletin

Scott Andrews is, by his own account, “just as corny as advertised.”

The new Doña Ana County manager likes to employ “dad jokes” without regard for consequence and compares himself to Ted Lasso.

His disarming persona,

cultivated after two decades in government, stems from an optimistic outlook and an ability to smile through tough times. And tough times are no doubt what he'll face in Doña Ana County as he seeks to remold and revitalize a 172-year-old institution.

“We have healthy reserves, pretty solid commission – good bones,

as people would say,” Andrews told the Las Cruces Bulletin during an interview in December, his first since taking the position.

After the county commission decided to part ways with Fernando Macias, it selected Andrews at the end of a months-long hiring process. The commission picked Andrews – who hails from Florida – over two other outside candidates and one local.

Andrews' last post was as assistant city manager in Bakersfield, Calif., from 2022 to 2024. Before that, he was city manager of Covington, Ga., from 2019 to 2022 and assistant city manager of Smyrna, Ga., from 2017 to 2019. He earned a doctorate in education from Argosy University in California in 2015.

As county manager, Andrews' office is where the buck stops. He oversees the entire county government and acts as the county's chief liaison to the outside world. However, unlike his municipal counterparts, Andrews shares power with elected officials such as the sheriff, the county clerk and the county accessor.

The tension inherent in power-sharing has led to public feuds and the undoing of previous administrations. But Andrews said he's up for it.

“The nice thing about being the new guy is that I have nothing against



DOÑA ANA COUNTY VIDEO

Scott Andrews speaks from the dais during the Doña Ana County commissioners' meeting on Dec. 10, 2024.

anyone. They shouldn't have anything against me because they didn't know me,” Andrews said. “So I think just sitting down and saying ‘Hey, I'm here to help you. How can I make your job easier?’” Andrews said.

That's one challenge. Andrews also anticipates that modernizing the government will be part of his tenure as county manager.

“In this region, we are compared to Las Cruces or El Paso or insert name of neighboring city where I think we need to be looking bigger. We need to be looking at best practices nationwide,” he said.

That doesn't mean he wants to come in and flip the monopoly board, as he put it. But it does mean looking at how things are done and why they're

being done.

“Modernization to me means taking our money the furthest, leaning on technology, being innovative. Do we need a position for that? Or is that something we can outsource? Who does it better? So, kind of asking all those questions, taking a step back and reflecting on, what are we doing well? What are we not doing well?” he said.

Modernization must also include economic development for Andrews. Interviews with county commissioners about Andrews revealed that they gave him a mandate for economic growth.

The U.S. Census Bureau estimates that about 1 in 5 residents and 1 in 4 children live below the poverty line. Additionally, most county residents make less money per year

than other New Mexicans. Those economic realities fuse with political ones that place Doña Ana County squarely in the sight of immigration challenges and border trade.

It'll take time to meet that goal, Andrews said. “Right now, we have a staff member in economic development. Just one,” he said. “We're not going to add 15 positions overnight, so we'll have to chip away this thing over the next few years.”

Yet, ever the optimist, Andrews said his outlook for the future is positive.

“We're in this historic moment, at a crossroads for the area, addressing the haves and have-nots, addressing those that have been forgotten about, making the best of the resources around us,” Andrews said.

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with him to lower his weapon.

After backing up, Cosper continues yelling at Baca with his gun drawn. Baca responds to him, but her words cannot be heard on the body camera recording. She also transfers the knives to hold both in one hand.

Ultimately, Baca takes a few steps forward, at which point Cosper fires two rounds into the 75-year-old woman. Baca dies a few minutes later, leaving a pool of blood in her doorway.

On appeal

It's entirely unknowable what Baca perceived or what she was even capable of perceiving during the final 43 seconds of her life.

As both a Spanish speaker and someone in the throes of dementia, it's unclear if she understood Cosper's commands or what was happening.

Still, Loman said Cosper's actions left a lot to be desired.

"Officer Cosper immediately sees Amelia Baca standing there and pours gasoline onto the situation, which had been very calm and peaceful when he arrived. And it is that escalation, not just a failure to de-escalate, but it is that escalation that amounts to a (civil rights) violation," Loman said.

Loman also argues that Cosper could have backed away from Baca or beckoned her outside the house to give her more space and options.

Philomena Hausler, an attorney for Cosper and

the city, disagreed and said it was essential to consider the totality of the circumstances. She pointed out that the 911 call – while confirming that Baca was suffering from a mental health episode – also ended abruptly with the call line still open.

"The officer had to make a decision in a split second," Hausler said.

However, the judges questioned Hausler about whether Cosper's actions were reasonable given the situation.

"She looks to me like someone who's disoriented, and she takes two small steps, and she's dead," one judge said.

Still, the judges – Allison Eid, Gregory Phillips and Harris Hartz – did not indicate what their ruling might be from the bench.

THE GIVING SEASON

Ways to assist local food banks

MIKE COOK

For the Bulletin

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Budget forecast comes with warning

Later this month, the consensus revenue estimate will be released, providing the basis for the state's budget when lawmakers meet next month in Santa Fe. And the expectation is a continuation of the oil-fueled revenue boom, leading to another record budget.

The estimate is prepared twice a year. The August report predicted lawmakers will have \$659.6 million in "new money" to add to the record \$13.4 billion budget for the current fiscal year. It's a dramatic reversal from the days of the Richardson administration, when lawmakers were forced to claw back money from local school districts to avoid budget deficits, which are now allowed under state law.

And it all comes from a single source. Oil and natural gas production in

New Mexico has grown by 381 percent since the year 2017, making our state the second-largest oil producer in the nation, behind only Texas. In the last year, New Mexico was responsible for nearly 50 percent of oil production growth for the entire nation.

The state has made a concerted effort to diversify its economy through things like boosting tourism, incentivizing film production and legalizing cannabis. And we have a Democratic-controlled, progressive legislature and governor who can't be comfortable with our expanding role in contributing to climate change.

But, like it or not, our state's ability to provide basic services is inextricably tied to the oil and gas

industry. That's been incredibly rewarding in the last few years. But as any lawmaker still around from the Richardson era remembers, booms in the oil industry don't last forever.

And the August revenue report warns that the dramatic increases

in price and production are already starting to slow down. "Prices are expected to remain lower than previous highs and prior expectations because of moderating economic conditions and lower demand combined with growing supply," the report states.

The report also notes that there has been significant consolidation in the oil industry during the past few years, creating much larger compa-

nies with more power to influence the market. They tend to prioritize shareholder returns over production growth, the report said.

The election of Donald Trump will surely mean an effort to increase domestic production by reducing environmental regulations and opening up more public lands to drilling. If successful, that increase in supply would lead to an equivalent decrease in demand and revenue for the state.

In the past, I've been critical of legislators for stashing money away in various funds when we have so many critical problems that need to be addressed now. It would be a logical argument in a state that has a steady, predictable revenue supply. We don't have that.

Last week I wrote about a proposal by Think

New Mexico to address the state's shortage of healthcare providers, and wondered how much it would all cost. In a community radio interview, Think New Mexico's Fred Nathan said their request for a \$2 billion permanent fund would cover all expenses moving forward.

Oil has been a blessing and a curse. It has provided tremendous wealth for our state government, but not its people. It has made the state complicit in activities that its leaders detest. And it has made our economy reliant on the whims and proclivities of industry executives and foreign powers.

Stashing some money away probably isn't a bad idea.

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WALT RUBEL
The View From Here

Of simpler times and natural abundance

Tonight my legs, feet and right shoulder are a bit fatigued. As a family, we spent all day hunting quail in a remote but beautiful area. My children are 5 and 9. Today I heard them giggle at how funny the javelina look when they run away from you, how beautiful a young buck is at 50 yards when you're not a threat to him, and

how oryx prefer to exit stage left when the squeals of children playing tag in the same ZIP code reach them. I marvel at the innocence and inquisitiveness of my kids. They even helped prepare our prize for dinner tomorrow and learned about

the anatomy of their meal that was alive this morning and the appreciation for its sacrifice to provide sustenance to us.

I know that soon they may be too cool to spend all day in the desert, dodging carpets of cactus, chasing little,

frustratingly evasive birds with their parents. Even now, they are playing the Wii with Dad as a reward for their good behavior and their patience, even enthusiasm, to appreciate raw and rugged beauty and learn about earning your dinner. My pride is matched only by my dread for the day they are seduced by the flashing lights

of technology and the ease in which our society lures young people into a false sense of convenience.

The area surrounding Las Cruces is full of history and relics from a time when living was hard but life was simpler. The homesteaders to this area struggled. How could they

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SHAWNA PFEIFFER
Road Less Traveled

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Councilors uninterested in crime

Dear editor,

The actions of the mayor, city council and city government and their planning and conduct of the city council meeting on December 2 were indeed disappointing. They failed to include public safety and related crime issues in the city's agenda for legislative priorities in the 2025 New Mexico legislative session.

Are crime and drug use no longer an issue for Las Cruces city leadership? Several councilors only seem to care about the poor and homeless and have a disdain for addressing such things as catch and release, mental competency, bail reform and increasing drug use in Las Cruces.

They believe actions to address these issues only affect the homeless, the poor and those with mental issues. They exhibited these thoughts when opposing the passage of ordinances several months ago. Some seem to think a clean, brightly lit facility, staffed with medical personnel (an overdose prevention center, as presented at a work session on Oct. 28) for addicts to use to shoot up would be great to reduce drug deaths in Las Cruces. Instead, I would think getting drug treatment for those in need to get them off drugs would be a priority for the city. Instead, some councilors would rather provide addicts with a taxpayer funded drug den.

LCPD Chief Jeremy Sto-

ry's legislative priorities dealing with public safety and crime in Las Cruces were discussed by many at the December 2 meeting. Council members stated support for them. However, a couple councilors talked mostly about their personal concerns. Chief Story's legislative priorities should have been included in the agenda for discussion. Instead, they endorsed a bill that would entitle New Mexicans to paid family medical leave from their employer. Small businesses wouldn't be able to hire replacements and would struggle to stay open. This will be a death knell for many small businesses, like the COVID lockdowns of 2020 when many never reopened.

Harry Murray
Las Cruces

ABUNDANCE

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not? The threat of famine, flora and fauna without antibiotics and painkillers was a constant worry. Old cemeteries prove that life was shorter and often harsh. But they were lucky, too. Families stayed together, neighbors helped each other, and abundance, though rare, was celebrated and shared. In the rush of our lives today, most of that is lost. And that is a shame.

Last week, we found ourselves flush with an excess of cucumbers and onions. A simple recipe has yielded surprisingly delicious,

home-made refrigerator pickles. For Thanksgiving, apples that we picked ourselves, with the occasional blemish you would never dare to accept finding in a store, became an apple crisp pie that I was proud to share with my family.

But on the other side of the coin, we work hard and often find ourselves leaving home in the dark and coming home in the dark. My children have lamented more than once that I was picking them up "late" from daycare. My heart dies a little every time but how else am I supposed to live the American dream and provide them more abundance and opportunity than I had?

I've decided I do it by balancing hard work and long days with weekends full of sunshine, adventure and, hopefully, an enduring appreciation and even love for a life that moves at a little slower pace and is rooted in the abundance that the land can provide if you have the patience to look and learn. But if the quail would slow down a little for this tired mom, that would be nice, too.

Shawna Pfeiffer is a life-long Doña Ana County Resident, graduate of NMSU, small business owner, hobby farmer, dog-lover, outdoor enthusiast and mother to two young children.

SHOES IN THE NEWS



LAS CRUCES BULLETIN PHOTO BY ALGERNON D'AMMASSA

New Mexico State University's incoming president, Valerio Ferme, was warmly greeted by regents and guests at a Dec. 5 reception at the University Art Museum, where he matched a navy check pattern suit with a pair of derby lace-up shoes and flat soles clearly offering cushion for, perhaps, ambling around campus. Ferme completes his transition period and assumes the full duties of the university's next president in January.



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COMING UP

Friday, December 13

- New Mexico DarkSky and DarkSky International Virtual Workshop, 9 a.m.-12 p.m., online. Info: NewMexico@darksky.org
- Luminarias Light Up the Desert, 5-7:30 p.m. at Chihuahuan Desert Nature Park, 56501 N. Jornada Rd., Las Cruces. Info: 575-524-3334
- Holiday at the Depot, 5-8 p.m. at the Las Cruces Railroad Museum, 351 N. Mesilla St., Las Cruces. Info: 575-528-3444
- T or C's Old Fashioned Christmas, 6-9 p.m. in Downtown Truth or Consequences, 300 Daniels, Truth or Consequences. Info: TorCMainstreet.org
- The Casual Fridays Rockin' Holiday Extravaganza, 7 p.m., at Pecan Grill & Brewery, 500 S. Telshor Blvd., Las Cruces. Info: 575-521-1099
- Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra December Chamber Concert, 7:30 p.m., at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Boutz Rd., Las Cruces. Info: LasCrucesSymphony.com

- A Drag Queen Christmas, 8 p.m. at the Plaza Theatre Performing Arts Center, 125 W. Mills Ave., El Paso. Info: 915-231-1100
- Nutcracker Gala for Borderlands Ballet, 9 p.m.-midnight at the Las Cruces School of Dance & Music, 1390 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: 575-525-5670

December 13-14

- ToadHall Theater presents "A Child's Christmas in Wales," 7 & 2 p.m., at the First Christian Church Chapel Theater, 1809 El Paseo Rd., Las Cruces. Info: KMForestal@yahoo.com

December 13-22

- Borderlands Ballet presents The Nutcracker, 7 p.m. & 2 p.m. at the Las Cruces School of Dance & Music, 1390 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: 505-652-0204

Saturday, December 14

- Farmers & Crafts Market of Las Cruces, 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at Plaza de Las Cruces, Downtown Las Cruces. Info: 575-201-3853
- NARFE Christmas Breakfast with Young at Heart, 8:30 a.m. at Good Samaritan Village, 3011

Buena Vida, Las Cruces. Info: 575-382-7686

- Posada Winter Celebration, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. at Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave., Las Cruces. Info: 575-522-7119
- Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra December Chamber Concert, 3 p.m., at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Boutz Rd., Las Cruces. Info: LasCrucesSymphony.com
- Ghosts of Christmas Past... An Ebenezer Scrooge Evening, 6-8:30 p.m. at the Old Doña Ana Courthouse, 251 W. Amador, Las Cruces. Info: 877-808-6877
- Elephant Butte's Luminaria Beachwalk, 5-9 p.m., at Elephant Butte Lake State Park, 101 Hwy 195, Elephant Butte. Info: 520-471-0134
- Second Saturday Art Hop, 6-9 p.m. on MainStreet, Truth or Consequences. Info: 575-894-1968

December 14 - 15

- "Evocation, Stories and Dreams," a Composite Photography Exhibit, 12-6 p.m., at Camelot Studio, 2008 Camelot Dr., Las Cruces. Info: dieselart@marydiesel.com

Sunday, December 15

- Mesilla Valley Chorale Holiday Concert "Someday at Christmas," 3 p.m. at the Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: 575-541-2290
 - New Horizons Symphony free performance, 3 p.m. at Atkinson Recital Hall, 1075 N. Horseshoe St., NMSU. Info: NHSOCruces.com
 - Borderlands Ballet Company presents All That Jazz, 6 p.m., at ASNMSU Center for the Arts, 1000 E. University Ave., Las Cruces. Info: 505-652-0204
 - Mesilla Valley Film Society presents "Blast of Silence," 7:30 p.m. at the Fountain Theatre, 2469 Calle de Guadalupe, Mesilla. Info: MesillaValleyFilm.org
- December 15 - January 5**
- Taylor Family Collection of Nacimientos/Nativities, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m., Wednesday - Sunday, at the Reynolds Store Visitor Center, 2350 Calle Principal, Mesilla. Info: 575-202-1638
- Monday, December 16**
- Share the Road Las Cruces, 7 a.m. at Las Cruces Railroad Museum, 351 N. Mesilla St., Las

Cruces. Info: VeloCruces.org or 575-323-0883

- Speaker Dr. Bill Kafka on "What Happens in the Operating Room Stays in the Operating Room, Until Now," 5:30 p.m., at St. James Episcopal Church Library, 102 St. James Ave., Las Cruces. Info: 575-571-2964
- A Merry-Achi Christmas, 7:30 p.m. at the Plaza Theatre, 125 W. Mills Ave., El Paso. Info: 915-231-1100

Tuesday, December 17

- Farm La-La, 4-8 p.m., at New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum, 4100 Dripping Springs Rd., Las Cruces. Info: 575-522-4100
- Iluminando Las Montañas, 4:30-7:30 p.m., at the Dripping Springs Visitor Center, 15000 Dripping Springs Rd., Las Cruces. Info: 575-522-1219

Wednesday, December 18

- Farmers & Crafts Market of Las Cruces, 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at Plaza de Las Cruces, Downtown Las Cruces. Info: 575-201-3853
- Film Las Cruces presents The Wrap, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St.,

Las Cruces. Info: 575-541-2290

December 18-19

- Deadmau5, 8 p.m. at 11:11 EPTX, 9740 Dyer St., El Paso. Info: discopresents.com/deadmau5

Thursday, December 19

- Young at Heart Senior Chorus Concert, 2 p.m., at Good Samaritan Las Cruces Village Social Center Auditorium, 3011 Buena Vida Circle, Las Cruces. Info: 262-490-7968

Ongoing Events

- 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. Saturdays, Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave. Hybrid meeting, available by Zoom. Info: Bob at 610-762-3779.
- Saturday Morning Breakfast for Veterans, 8-10 a.m. every Saturday at Deming American Legion Bataan Post 4, 619 W. Spruce St., Deming. Info: 575-546-8385

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SEIZIN' THE SEASON

Holiday fun continues

DAVID SALCIDO
Las Cruces Bulletin

Like an out-of-control sleigh, careening through the porcelain Christmas village that is the last month of the year, the blitzkrieg of holiday happenings continues to assail us with holiday cheer. For those who can't get enough of the Noel season, there appears to be no end to the festivities taking place in the Mesilla Valley. What follows is yet another abbreviated breakdown of weekly offerings.

Friday kicks it all off with a smorgasbord of events, beginning with **Luminarias Light Up the Desert** at Chihuahuan Desert Nature Park, from 5-7:30 p.m., which is just what it sounds like: luminarias lining pathways under the bright canopy of stars. For more information, call 575-524-3334. Across town, the Las Cruces Railroad Museum hosts **Holiday at the Depot** from 5-8 p.m., with festive displays, lots of lights, and a visit with the jolly dude from up north. More information at 575-528-3444. Meanwhile, a few miles north (though not nearly that far), **Truth or Consequences' Old Fashioned Christmas** brings back traditional family fun from 6-9 p.m. Get more information at TorCMainstreet.org.

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Celebrate Traditional Holiday Values at Farm La-La

DAVID SALCIDO
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Many people lament the loss of tradition and good old-fashioned family values during the 21st century holiday season. As technology becomes a more present influence in our lives, going back to a simpler time – when families and friends came together to share the warmth and excitement of the most wonderful time of the year – is a common refrain. Lucky for us all, then, that the New Mexico Farm and Ranch Heritage Museum heard that yearning and decided to fill the niche with their annual Farm La-La event, taking place this year on Tuesday, Dec. 17.

Celebrating its third year, the Farm La-La is a fun, festive holiday experience harkening back to that simpler time, when Christmas lights were as tech as it got, and activities such as trolley rides, crafting and consuming s'mores and hot chocolate were the call of the day. Hosted by the New Mexico Department of Cultural Affairs, it is part of a series of New Mexico traditions held throughout the state during the holiday season.

“I think what sets this event apart from some of our other events, like Cowboy Days in March, is that it’s a wintertime event, with activities both inside and outside the museum,” said Naomi

Terry, the museum’s deputy director. “Whether it’s Christmas or Hanukkah or Kwanzaa, we want people to feel welcome, no matter how they celebrate the season.”

Among the many ways to celebrate at Farm La-La are activity stations inside the museum, where people can make a Christmas ornament, or even a marshmallow snowman, to take home. One of the more popular offerings is a trolley pulled by a tractor that crosses the historical green bridge, which is festooned with lights, and takes a small tour around the animal pens to view the livestock. Of course, all of the museum’s exhibits will also be open, and both employees and volunteers will be on hand to answer any questions that may arise.

“I think this event captures the vibe and the energy of the season,” said Terry. “The trolley ride is a very simple and short ride, but it gives people the opportunity to see the Farm and Ranch Museum through a different lens. It’s at night,



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Light displays are part of the museum’s Farm La La celebration.

with the festive lights, and the cold air and the smell of s’mores. It’s a very different vibe from what you might get during an afternoon visit. Everybody is so excited, kids and adults alike, that they get to the visit the museum at night. There’s a lot of excitement in the air.”

The best part about it, according to Terry, is the memories that are created during the event. “At first I was really surprised that

kids would put that much thought into something so simple as making an ornament, but they really do understand that they are making something that will remind them of this time in their lives. ... It’s not just a trip to the museum,” she said.

It’s this sort of engagement that makes the Farm La-La such an important addition to the holiday season, especially during a time when

fellowship and joy are in such short supply. We can all use a break every now and then. This event allows us to disengage from our electronics and remind ourselves, and our children, that joy can be found in the most unexpected of places.

“Farm La-La brings us back to basics,” Terry concludes. “It’s about spending time with your loved ones and neighbors. There is no fancy technology here, it’s all being done the way things have been done for generations. It’s about relationships and enjoying time with other people, whether it’s a child, a grandparent, a friend, or maybe even a friend you’ve made that night. It brings us back to what life is all about.”

Farm La-La runs from 5-8 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 17. Admission is \$5 per family and includes access to all of the museum’s exhibits. The New Mexico Farm and Ranch Heritage Museum is located at 4100 Dripping Springs Rd., Las Cruces. More information is available via 575-522-4100.

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Christina Milian and Patrick Gibson
in "Dexter: Original Sin"



'Dexter: Original Sin' arrives on Paramount+ with Showtime

celebrity update

BY JAY BOBBIN

Whoopi Goldberg

OF THE VIEW ON ABC



Q: I'm used to seeing Whoopi Goldberg as a co-host of "The View," but didn't she once have a comedy series?

A: A couple of them, in fact. The first was a weekly CBS version of the movie "Bagdad Cafe" that ran for two seasons (1990-91), teaming Goldberg with "All in the Family" veteran Jean Stapleton. They played very dissimilar people

who operated a rundown combination of gas station, diner and motel in the Mojave Desert. Cleavon Little ("Blazing Saddles," 1974) was also in the cast as the Goldberg character's husband.

Goldberg had much more of a creative say in her next try at a sitcom, as indicated by the show's name ... "Whoopi." It lasted a single season (2003-04) on NBC and had a certain thematic link to "Bagdad Cafe," since Goldberg played a hotel operator, albeit one in Manhattan. The humor of the show often was topical, with politics and ethnicity among the subjects as Mavis Rae (Goldberg) dealt with her employees and guests. One episode reunited Goldberg with her fellow "Ghost" (1990) star Patrick Swayze,

while another teamed her again with Eli Wallach, with whom she worked in the movie "The Associate" (1996).

Though they weren't comedies, Goldberg also did ongoing duty on several other programs. She portrayed Guinan in a recurring role on the syndicated "Star Trek: The Next Generation" (1987-94); she made an early attempt at a talk show with the syndicated "The Whoopi Goldberg Show" (1992-93), which ran for a half-hour on weeknights, as opposed to the usual hour-long length of such ventures; and she was the narrator of "The Con" (2020-22), an ABC series recounting true crimes and compiling interviews with people who were involved in the featured situations.

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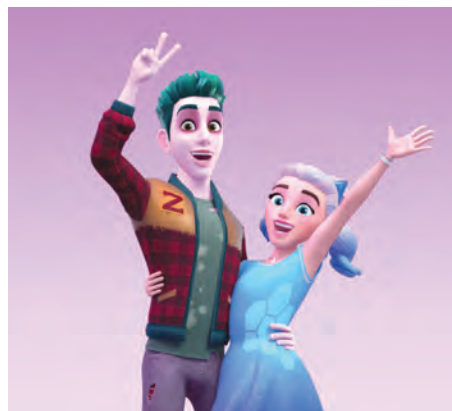
“The Simpsons” - O C'mon All Ye Faithful (Dec. 17)

Exclusive to Disney+, this two-part Christmas special sees the Simpson family, along with their fellow Springfield residents, search for some holiday cheer. Dan Castellaneta, Nancy Cartwright, Julie Kavner, Harry Shearer, Yeardley Smith, Hank Azaria, Pamela Hayden and Tress MacNeille voice star.



“Blink” (Dec. 17)

When three of their children are diagnosed with an incurable disease that leads to severe visual impairment, the Pelletier family embarks on a journey to see the world's beauty while they still can. As they experience breathtaking destinations and once-in-a-lifetime encounters, their love, resilience and unshakable sense of wonder ensure that an uncertain future does not define their present.



“ZOMBIES: The Re-Animated Series” - Season 1, New Episodes (Dec. 18)

Every day is a surprise at Seabrook High — whether you're a cheerleader, a zombie, a werewolf or even a vampire! Inviting viewers into the daily lives of Zed (Milo Manheim), Addison (Meg Donnelly), Eliza (Kylee Russell), Willa (Chandler Kinney) and the entire Seabrook crew, this musical, animated spinoff discovers that this gang may have figured out each other, but they haven't quite figured out how to survive high school.



“SuperKitties” - Season 2, New Episodes (Dec. 18)

Adorable and packed with adventure, this animated series follows four fierce and furry superhero kittens — Ginny, Sparks, Buddy and Bitsy — who are on a mission to make their town of Kittydale a more caring and “pawesome” place. Geared to kids ages 2-7 and their families, each episode features two 11-minute stories that highlight the SuperKitties as they receive a “SuperKitty Call” from one of their animal friends with a problem that only the SuperKitties can help with.

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PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	HomeDi..	Woodsh..	Radical	Canvasi..	Painting	FacingWa	Parks	MotorWe..	Family	Gardener	TBA	OldHouse	JSchwa..	Garden	Cook	Lidia	Kitchen	Milk	Newsma..	Fronteras			
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	LuckyDog	Innovati..	Mission	Hope-Wild	College Basketball	Texas A&M vs. Purdue (N) (Live)		Football	College Football	Navy vs. Army (N) (Live)								Postgame	TBA	CBS4Ne..			
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)		Good Morn. (N)		College Football	Cricket Celebration Bowl: Teams TBA (N) (Live)					Football	FCS Division I Championship, Quarterfinal: Teams TBA					WorldNe..		To Be Announced				
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Cheaters	Big Deal	Country Fix (N)						Local Programming	Basketball	Seton Hall at Rutgers (N)		Hoops (N) (Live)				Local Programming			Hoops			
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	Wild King	EarthOdy.	Play It	Wild Child	EarthOdy.	Soccer Nottingham Forest vs. Aston Villa		Goal Zone	PGA Tour Golf								Alp. World Cup	News at 4	NBCNews	To Be Announced			
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Atención	Atención	Franklin	Franklin	Charlie	Chamani..	Chamani..	Chamani..	Misión Europa (N)		El Chavo	El Chavo	El Chavo	El Chavo			Noticias	Noticiero	Rosa (N)	Navidad (N) (P)			
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	El viajero	El viajero	Mutual of	Harlem	Celebrac	Programa	*** The Scorpion King ('02)			**** The Rundown ('03)							** Skyscraper ('18)	Dwayne Johnson.	CasoCerr.	Noticias T			
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	Chapulín	Chapulín	Como dice el dicho		Programa	Programa	Programa	Programa	Lucha Libre AAA		Nosotr.	Cine (N)					*** Paul Blart: Mall Cop ('09)			Movie			
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Into Wild	Into Wild	Into Wild	Into Wild					To Be Announced								Basketball	World's	Storm of Suspicion	Housew..	Housew..	Last Man	Last Man
A&E	43	118	265	Zombie Flip	Zombie Flip	Zombie Flip		Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage			
AMC	57	131	254	(7:30) Ru..	(:45) *** Rudolph and Frosty's Christmas in July	(:15) Jack Frost						*** Fred Claus ('07)	Paul Giamatti, Vince Vaughn.							*** The Polar Express ('04)			*** Elf ('03)			
COMEDY	35	107	249	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office			
COOK	123	113	232	Man's "Italian"	Man's	Man Fire	Man Fire	Man Fire	Man Fire	Man Fire	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise			
DSC	47	182	278	Moonshiners	Blind Frog Ran	Blind Frog Ran	Blind Frog Ran	Blind Frog Ran	Blind Frog Ran	Mystery "The Skull"		Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X	Expedition X			
E!	37	114	236	*** A Dog's Purpose ('17)	Josh Gad.	*** A Dog's Journey ('19)	Josh Gad.					*** The Holiday ('06)	Kate Winslet, Jude Law, Cameron Diaz.							*** Love Actually ('03)	Laura Linney, Hugh Grant.					
ESPN	27	140	206	(7:00) College GameDay (N) (Live)		Football	FCS Division I Championship, Quarterfinal: Teams TBA					Basketball	(:15) Basketball							(:15) Basketball	Louisville at Kentucky (N)	(:15) SportCtr (N)				
FOOD	40	110	231	Pioneer	Pioneer	The Kitchen (N)		Selena	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Harry Potter	Christmas Cookie	Christmas Cookie	Christmas Cookie			
FX	29	136	248	*** Captain America: The First Avenger ('11)		*** Iron Man 2 ('10)	Robert Downey Jr..					*** The Avengers ('12)	Chris Evans, Robert Downey Jr..							*** The Incredibles ('04)						
GALA	25	273	404	El amor de mi vida ('79) (N)		La escuela VIP	Hospital El Paisa		¡Qué madre tan			Lajaula				Hotel todo incluido				El bolero de Raquel ('56)	Cantinflas.	Navidad (N) (P)				
GOLF	24	401	218	(7:30) Golf Alfred Dunhill Championship, Third Round		Golf (N) (Live)					PGA Tour Golf	PGA Korn Q-School	Finals, Third Round			Central (N) (Live)				PGA Tour Golf						
HALL	58	185	312	Believe in Christmas ('24)	Meghan Ory.	*** Three Wise Men and a Baby ('22)						*** Jingle Bell Run ('24)	Ashley Williams.							Hanukkah on the Rocks	Stacey Farber.	*** Santa Tell Me ('24)	Erin Krakow.			
HGTV	41	112	229	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Unsellable Houses	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters			
HISTORY	44	120	269	Mountain Men	Mountain Men	Tales From Oa	Tales From Oa				The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained			
LIFE	39	108	252	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	*** Baking All the Way ('22)					*** Well Suited for Christmas		*** Sincerely, Truly Christmas ('23)							*** Staging Christmas ('19)			*** Christmas in the Spotlight ('24)			
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	*** A Wedding to Die For ('17)		*** My Husband's Deadly Past ('20)						*** Secrets From Her Past ('11)								*** Bury the Past ('21)	Sarah Allen.		*** Stalked by Her Past ('22)	Meta Golding.		
NBTV	273	156	216	GameTi..	GameTi..	GameTi..	NBA Basketball					NBA TV Marquee Matchup								NBA TV Marquee Matchup			NBA TV Marquee Matchup			
PAR	34	241	241	(:20) Yellowst.	"Phantom Pain"	Yellowstone	(:40) Yellowstone	(:50) Yellowstone				(:55) Yellowstone				(:05) Yellowstone	(:25) Yellowstone				Yellowstone		Yellowst.			
SYFY	59	122	244	(7:00) *** Sandman	*** XXX: State of the Union ('05)	*** Saban's Power Rangers ('17)						*** Transformers ('07)	Tyrese Gibson, Shia LaBeouf.							*** Speed Racer ('08)						
TBS	33	139	247	Grinch	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	*** Pain & Gain ('13)	Mark Wahlberg. (P)			(:15) *** The Fate of the Furious ('17)	Vin Diesel. (P)						*** Lethal Weapon ('87)	(P)					
TCM	169	132	256	Popeye / *** Bomba on Panther I..	Movie	*** Mame ('74)	Robert Preston, Lucille Ball.				*** Lili ('53)	Leslie Caron.	*** The Shop Around the Corner			*** The Man Who Came to Dinner										
TLC	45	183	280	Dr. Pimple Popper	Dr. Pimple Popper	90 Day Fiancé	90 Day Fiancé	90 Day Fiancé	90 Day Fiancé	90 Day Fiancé	90 Day Fiancé	90 Day Fiancé	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives			
TNT	32	138	245	*** Mad Max: Fury Road ('15)	Tom Hardy.	(:45) *** The Suicide Squad	(21) Idris Elba, Margot Robbie.					NBA Tip-Off	NBA Basketball (N) (Live)										Inside the NBA			
TRAV	49	196	277	Haunted Case Files	Haunted Case Files	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures			
TRU TV	30	242	246	World's Dumbest ...	World's Dumbest ...	World's Dumbest ...	World's Dumbest ...	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Tip-Off (N) (Live)	NBA Basketball (N) (Live)										Inside the NBA			
USA	31	105	242	Premier League Soccer		Premier	*** The Northman ('22)	Alexander Skarsgård. (P)				*** Jason Bourne ('16)	Matt Damon.							*** Gladiator	Russell Crowe.					

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PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	Heartland	Weekend (N)	Curious	Weekends	To Dine For	Crossing	Austin City Limits	Caverns	Roadtrip	Recorded Live at Analog	Heartland	Weekend		
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	✱ Nugget Is Dead? A Christmas Story ('24) (P)				48 Hours (N)		To Be Announced	CBS4 News	(:35) Reporter	(:05) Bucket	(:35) National Desk	In Touch		
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	NBA (N)	NBA Basketball Teams TBA (N) (Live)					ABC 7 at 6:00 Weekend (N)	ABC 7 (N)	(:35) Access Hollywood (N)	(:35) WOW - Women	(:35) Kickin' It			
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	College Basketball Gonzaga vs. Connecticut (N) (Live)						The Floor	KFOX14 News at Nine (N)	(:35) TBA	(:05) Two Men	(:35) Two Men	(:05) Caught "Hearn-Slover"		
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	Saturday Night's Main Event (N) (Live)				Saturday Night Live		KTSM News	SNL Chris Rock; Gracie Abrams (N) (Live)	(:05) Friends	SNL Chris Rock; Gracie Abrams				
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Navidad por n (N) (Live)	Navidad por n (N) (Live)	Navidad por nuestros niños (N) (Live)		Navidad por nuestros niños (N) (Live)		Navidad por nuestros niños (N) (Live)		Navidad por nuestros niños (N) (Live)					
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	✱✱✱ Marry Me ('22) Owen Wilson, Chloe Coleman, Jennifer Lopez.				✱ Close Range ('15) Scott Adkins.		Noticias T	Noticias	Zona mixta	Caso cerrado	Programa	Programa		
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	(5:30) ✱✱✱ Central Intelligence ('16)				✱✱✱ The Taking of Pelham 123 ('09) John Travolta, Denzel Washington. (N)		Programa	Programa	✱ Blood and Bone ('09) Julian Sands, Michael Jai White.					
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Sheldon	Sheldon	The 92nd Annual Hollywood Christmas Parade (N)		Neighbor	Neighbor	Chicago P.D.		Chi. Fire "God Has Spoken"	S.W.A.T. "Buried"				
A&E	43	118	265	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	(:05) Storage	(:35) Storage	(:05) Storage	(:35) Storage	(:05) Storage	(:35) Storage	(:05) Storage	(:35) Storage
AMC	57	131	254	(5:00) ✱✱✱ Elf ('03)				✱✱✱ Four Christmases ('08) Vince Vaughn.		✱✱✱ Elf ('03) James Caan, Bob Newhart, Will Ferrell.		✱✱✱ Snow Day	Mark Webber, Jean Smart, Chris Elliott.				
COMEDY	35	107	249	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	✱✱✱ Talladega Nights: The Ballad of Ricky Bobby ('06)			
COOK	123	113	232	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America
DSC	47	182	278	Expedition X "City of Ghosts"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"	Expedition X "Castle of Terror"
E!	37	114	236	Movie	✱✱✱ The Holiday ('06) Kate Winslet, Jude Law, Cameron Diaz.					✱✱✱ Love Actually ('03) Laura Linney, Colin Firth, Hugh Grant.							✱ Marry Me
ESPN	27	140	206	Heisman Trophy (N) (Live)	College Football IS4S Salute to Veterans Bowl: Teams TBA (N) (Live)							SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	Heisman	
FOOD	40	110	231	Cookie "Gingerbread Experts"	Cookie "Finding Santa"	Cookie "Christmas Feast"	Cookie "Christmas Feast"	Cookie "Christmas Feast"	Cookie "Christmas Feast"	Christmas Cookie Challenge	Cookie "Gingerbread Experts"	Cookie "Finding Santa"	Cookie "Finding Santa"	Cookie "Christmas Feast"	Cookie "Christmas Feast"	Cookie "Christmas Feast"	Cookie "Christmas Feast"
FX	29	136	248	Movie	✱✱✱ Incredibles 2 ('18) Voices of Holly Hunter, Craig T. Nelson.					✱✱ How the Grinch Stole Christmas	Jeffrey Tambor, Jim Carrey.		✱✱✱ Dr. Seuss' The Grinch ('18)				
GALA	25	273	404	Navidad por n (N) (Live)	Navidad por n (N) (Live)	Navidad por nuestros niños (N) (Live)		Navidad por nuestros niños (N) (Live)		Navidad por nuestros niños (N) (Live)		Navidad por nuestros niños (N) (Live)					
GOLF	24	401	218	(4:00) PGA Tour Golf	PGA Tour Golf Grant Thornton Invitational, Second Round					Golf Central		PGA Tour Golf Grant Thornton Invitational, Second Round					
HALL	58	185	312	✱ The Santa Class ('24) Kimberly Sustad. (P)				✱ Holiday Touchdown: A Chiefs Love Story ('24)		✱ Christmas Island ('23) Rachel Skarsten.		✱ 'Twas the Date Before Chri...					
HGTV	41	112	229	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters (N)	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters
HISTORY	44	120	269	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained	(:05) The UnXplained
LIFE	39	108	252	✱ The Holiday Junkie ('24) Jennifer Love Hewitt. (P)				(:05) ✱ Merry Swissmas ('22) Tim Rozon, Jodie Sweetin.		✱ The Holiday Junkie ('24) Jennifer Love Hewitt.		(:05) ✱ Merry Swissmas ('22)					
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	✱ Her Fatal Fling ('24) Jack Pearson, Katherine Gibson.				✱ The Past Comes Knocking ('24) Maren Hernandez.		✱ Her Fatal Fling ('24) Jack Pearson, Katherine Gibson.		✱ Past Comes Knocking					
NBTV	273	156	216	NBA Special	Everything But the Chip: The 2001 76ers	Basketball Stories	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime
PAR	34	241	241	(5:45) Yellowstone	(:25) Yellowstone	(:45) Yellowstone	(:45) Yellowstone	"The Sting of Wisdom"	(:05) Yellowstone	(:15) Yellowstone	"Horses in Heaven"	The Office					
SYFY	59	122	244	(4:30) ✱✱✱ Speed Racer ('08) Emile Hirsch.	✱✱✱ Hook ('91) Robin Williams, Julia Roberts, Dustin Hoffman.			(:45) ✱✱✱ Saban's Power Rangers ('17) Naomi Scott, Dacre Montgomery.									
TBS	33	139	247	✱✱✱ Die Hard ('88) Alan Rickman, Bonnie Bedelia, Bruce Willis.				✱✱✱ Die Hard 2 ('90) Bonnie Bedelia, William Atherton, Bruce Willis.		✱✱✱ Die Hard ('88) Alan Rickman, Bruce Willis.							
TCM	169	132	256	✱✱✱ The Go-Between ('71) Alan Bates, Julie Christie.	(:15) ✱✱✱ Sunday, Bloody Sunday ('71) Glenda Jackson.	(:15) ✱ Schwarzer Kies ('61) Ingmar Zeisberg, Hans Cossy, Helmut Wildt.	Movie										
TLC	45	183	280	90 Day: The Last Resort "More to Love: The Last Straw" (N)	1000-Lb. Best Friends	1000-Lb. Best Friends	90 Day: The Last Resort "More to Love: The Last Straw" (N)	1000-Lb. Best Friends									
TNT	32	138	245	Wrestling: Collision Ep. 73 - Collision 12/12/2024 (N) (Live)	✱✱✱ Mad Max: Fury Road ('15) Charlize Theron, Tom Hardy.							NBA Basketball					
TRAV	49	196	277	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures (N)	Help! My Ho (N)	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Help! My House is Haunted			
TRU TV	30	242	246	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	American
USA	31	105	242	(4:00) ✱✱✱ Gladiator	✱✱✱ Gladiator	Joaquin Phoenix, Connie Nielsen, Russell Crowe.		✱✱✱ The Northman ('22) Nicole Kidman, Claes Bang, Alexander Skarsgård.									

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Ree Drummond hosts "The Pioneer Woman"

The Pioneer Woman
FOOD 8 a.m.

Ree Drummond shares her favorite holiday dishes, including fried quail with biscuits and gravy, short rib spaghetti sauce and a herby sticky spiral glazed ham, during this all-new episode. For dessert, Ree shows off her sticky toffee braid.

Heisman Trophy Ceremony
ESPN 6 p.m. ESPNU 8 p.m.

Witness the peak of college football when this presentation of the sport's most prized award, the Heisman Trophy, broadcasts live from the New York Marriott Marquis in New York City. Last year, former LSU quarterback Jayden Daniels won the award.

Saturday Night's Main Event
KTSM 6 p.m.

After nearly 15 years, professional wrestling returns to Saturday nights on NBC, starting with this show broadcast live from the Nassau Coliseum in Uniondale, N.Y. Expect appearances from Cody Rhodes, Roman Reigns, Bianca Belair and Liv Morgan.

The Holiday Junkie
LIFE 6 p.m.

Jennifer Love Hewitt makes her long-awaited return to Lifetime with this charming holiday film, which she directed and executive produced in addition to taking top billing. It follows Andie (Hewitt) as she navigates her first Christmas without her mother.

The 92nd Annual Hollywood Christmas Parade
KVIA2 7 p.m.

To kick off the holly-jolly season, a group of Hollywood's top celebrities join in this annual parade, which features nonstop festive fun with award-winning bands from across the country, colorful floats and larger-than-life character balloons.

House Hunters
HGTV 8 p.m.

A new episode airs as part of series marathon, joining two sisters as they search for a home in Maryland that's big enough to accommodate the pair and their numerous pets. One wants a bright, practical space, while the other craves a moody atmosphere.

Help! My House is Haunted
TRAV 8 p.m.

This week, the team meets with a woman, Silvana, who has been oppressed by a dark entity that makes her feel like a prisoner in her own home. Upon discovering a shocking connection, the team must race against time to save Silvana before it's too late.

The Fabulous Four
PARSHO 10 p.m.

During this 2024 dramedy, a group of lifelong friends travel to Key West, Florida, to be bridesmaids in a friend's surprise wedding. As relationships are rekindled and the past resurfaces, sparks fly and romances blossom, changing their lives for good.

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PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	Santa Fe	Contrary	Week	Hoover	Tell Me	GZERO	Newsma..	Fronteras	In Focus		Report	Converstr	Mack	Healthy	Homema..	Dooky	Mexican	Chefs Life	Jack Has a Plan								
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	(7:00) CB..	Face the Nation (N)	Attkisson	The NFL Today	NFL Football Miami Dolphins at Houston Texans (N) (Live)									(25) NFL Football	Buffalo Bills at Detroit Lions (N) (Live)				CBS4Ne..								
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)	This Week (N)	Wildlife	TBA	Wm. Basketball NC State at Louisville (N)	Women's College Volleyball									JackHan..	Hearts of oh baby!	oh baby!	News (N)	WorldNe..								
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Fox News (N)	Kickoff (N) (Live)	NFL Sunday (N)	NFL Football (N) (Live)											(25) NFL Football (N) (Live)				The OT								
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	Paid Prog.	State of Meet the Press (N)	Friends																News at 4	NBCNews	Football (N) (Live)						
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Como dice el dicho	Chapulín	Chapulín	Al punto (N)	Aquí y ahora (N)	Cero ruido (N)	Los Montaner (N)	El Chavo	El Chavo	Rosa									Rosa	Noticias	Noticiero						
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	(6:55) Fútbol	La Liga	(25) Fútbol	Premier League	Premier League	Chelsea vs. Brentford (N) (Live)	La Liga	Caso cerrado											¶ Precious Cargo ('16)	CasoCerr.	Noticias T						
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	MundoT..	MundoT..	RangerR..	RangerR..	Programa	Programa	Programa	Programa	¶¶¶ Shoot 'Em Up ('07)	¶¶ Wrath of the Titans ('12)										Cine	Movie						
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Paid Prog.	Destiny	Catholic Sunday	Hill (N)	The Grand Tour														RawTrav..	Athlete	Hiring	Goldber..	Top 10	Conners	Conners		
A&E	43	118	265	Rachael	Rachael	Rachael	Rachael	Zombie Flip	Zombie Flip	Zombie Flip	The First 48	The First 48	First 48 "Blood Lust"	The First 48	The First 48															
AMC	57	131	254	(7:30) ¶ Addams Family Values	¶¶¶ Jumanji ('95)	Bonnie Hunt, Robin Williams.																		¶¶¶ Christmas With the Kranks ('04)	¶¶¶ Uncle Buck ('89)	John Candy.				
COMEDY	35	107	249	Parks	Parks	Parks	Parks	¶¶¶ The Longest Yard ('05)	Adam Sandler.																¶¶¶ 50 First Dates ('04)	Adam Sandler.	¶ Wedding Singer			
COOK	123	113	232	Ginger				Ginger																						
DSC	47	182	278	Last W. "Stranded"	Homestead Rescue	Homestead Rescue	Homestead Rescue	Homestead Rescue	Homestead "Heartland Heartache"	Homestead Rescue	"Hawaii-Five-No"	Homestead Rescue	"Alligator Aid" (N)																	
E!	37	114	236	Chrisley	Chrisley	¶¶¶ How to Train Your Dragon 2 ('14)	¶¶¶ Puss in Boots ('11)																			¶¶¶ Shrek ('01)	Mike Myers.	¶¶¶ Shrek 2 ('04)	Mike Myers.	¶ Shrek the Third
ESPN	27	140	206	Sunday NFL Countdown (N) (Live)				To Be Announced																		SportCtr (N) (Live)				
FOOD	40	110	231	Pioneer	Pioneer	Girl-Farm	Girl-Farm	Mary Ma.	Mary Ma.	The Kitchen	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	Holiday Baking	"Ultimate Holiday Party"				
FX	29	136	248	¶¶¶ Spies in Disguise ('19)	Will Smith.			¶¶¶ Cars ('06)	Paul Newman, Owen Wilson.																	¶¶¶ Cars 2 ('11)	Owen Wilson.	¶¶ Cars 3 ('17)	Owen Wilson.	Movie
GALA	25	273	404	(7:30) ¶ El hijo de Huracán Ramírez (N)	La escuelita VIP	Hospital El Paisa	¡Qué madre tan	La jaula																						
GOLF	24	401	218	(7:30) PGA Tour Golf	Golf (N) (Live)	PGA Tour Golf	PGA Korn Q-School Finals, Final Round	Central (N) (Live)	PGA Tour Golf Grant Thornton Invitational, Final Round																					
HALL	58	185	312	¶ Debbie Macomber's Joyful Mrs. Miracle	¶ To Have and To Holiday ('24)																									
HGTV	41	112	229	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Bargain Block	Bargain Block	Bargain Block	Bargain Block	White House (N)	Unsellable Houses																
HISTORY	44	120	269	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Holy Marvels-Quaid	Built America Presen "Making Magic" (N)																	
LIFE	39	108	252	¶ A Sugar & Spice Holiday ('20)	¶ Grounded for Christmas ('19)	¶ Mistletoe in Montana ('21)	¶ How to Fall in Love by Christmas ('23)	¶ The Holiday Junkie ('24)																						
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	¶ The Perfect Soulmate ('17)	¶ Secrets in the Mansion ('21)	¶ Dating Hell ('21)	¶ Dying to Marry Him ('21)	¶ Fatal Fiancé ('21)	Brittany Underwood.																					
NBTV	273	156	216	GameTi..	GameTi..	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	NBA TV Marquee Matchup					
PAR	34	241	241	(:10) Yellowstone	(:25) Yellowstone	(:45) Yellowstone	(:55) Yellowstone	(:05) Yellowstone	(:15) Yellowstone	(:25) Yellowstone	(:35) Yellowstone	(:45) Yellowstone	(:55) Yellowstone	(:05) Yellowstone	(:15) Yellowstone	(:25) Yellowstone	(:35) Yellowstone	(:45) Yellowstone	(:55) Yellowstone	(:05) Yellowstone	(:15) Yellowstone	(:25) Yellowstone	(:35) Yellowstone	(:45) Yellowstone	(:55) Yellowstone					
SYFY	59	122	244	(6:30) ¶¶¶ Hook ('91)	(:45) ¶¶ Speed Racer ('08)	Christina Ricci, Emile Hirsch.	(:45) ¶¶¶ Cloverfield ('08)	¶¶¶ Pacific Rim ('13)	Diego Klattenhoff, Charlie Hunnam.																					
TBS	33	139	247	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Office Christmas Party ('16)	Grinch	Grinch	(:45) ¶¶ Office Christmas Party ('16)	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang					
TCM	169	132	256	¶ Black Gravel ('61)	Helmut Wildt.	(:15) ¶¶ Hans Christian Andersen	(:15) ¶¶ Son of Lassie ('45)	¶¶ In the Good Old Summertime	¶¶ Christmas in Connecticut ('45)																					
TLC	45	183	280	90 Day: The Last Resort "Built to Last?"	90 Day: The Last Resort "The Last Straw"	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	Sister Wives	90 Day Fiancé	90 Day Fiancé																
TNT	32	138	245	¶¶ Ferris Bueller's Day Off ('86) (P)	(:15) ¶¶ Cheaper by the Dozen ('03) (P)	¶ Father of the Bride ('91)	(:45) ¶ Father of the Bride Part II ('95)	Grinch	Movie																					
TRAV	49	196	277	Most "Death Car"	Most Terrifying	Unexplained Files	Files "Life in Hell"	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files	Unexplained Files					
TRU TV	30	242	246	World's Dumbest ...	World's Dumbest ...	World's Dumbest ...	World's Dumbest ...	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers					
USA	31	105	242	(7:00) Soccer	Premier	Premier League Soccer	Premier	Soccer	Chelsea vs. Brentford (N) (Live)	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU						

tonight's picks



Dua Lipa performs in "An Evening With Dua Lipa"

Yellowstone
CMTV PAR 6 p.m.

This season has been a roller coaster well before Gov. John Dutton (Kevin Costner) met his untimely demise at the hands of adopted son Jamie (Wes Bentley) and Sarah (Dawn Olivieri). This series finale will hope to answer all lingering questions.

The Sound of Music
KVIA 6 p.m.

Julie Andrews stars as Maria, a young nun who leaves the convent to become a governess, in this beloved musical. The film is based on the iconic Rodgers and Hammerstein stage musical and also stars Christopher Plummer as Capt. Von Trapp.

Following Yonder Star
HALL 6 p.m.

Once a famed TV mom, Abby (Brooke D'Orsay) finds her life a wreck due to a scandal. She hopes to find respite in a luxury Vermont inn during Christmas, but a booking snafu leaves her without a room until a local B&B owner (John Brotherton) steps up.

Christmas With The Chosen: Holy Night
KVIA2 6 p.m.

This unique dramatic and musical experience tells the story of Jesus' birth through the eyes of his parents Mary (Sara Anne) and Joseph (Raj Bond) as they travel to Bethlehem. Features an exclusive performance from Andrea and Matteo Bocelli.

An Evening With Dua Lipa
KDBC 7 p.m.

With her latest album, "Radical Optimism," hitting all the right notes, Grammy winner Dua Lipa is ready to celebrate the holidays with new songs, her greatest hits and a duet with Elton John in this new concert special from London's Royal Albert Hall.

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PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	(5:30) PBSNews	Context	Antiques Roadshow (N)	Antiques "Natural Wonders"	American Masters (N)	BBC News	Amanpour and Company (N)	Santa Fe	PBS News Hour					
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel (N)	Neighbor (N)	Poppa's (N)	NCIS "Humbug" (N)	NCIS-Orig. "Blue Bayou" (N)	CBS4 News	(:35) Late Show-Colbert (N)	(:35) After Midnight (N)	(:35) Paid Prog.				
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)	ET (N)	NFL Football Chicago Bears at Minnesota Vikings (N) (Live)			News (N)	(:45) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (N)	(:45) Nightline	(:15) ET (N)	(:35) Hollywood				
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Big Bang	Big Bang	9-1-1: Lone Star	Rescue: HI-Surf	KFOX14 News at Nine (N)	(:05) Inside Ed.	(:35) Extra (N)	(:05) iCRIME	(:35) Crime	(:05) True Crime	(:35) Two Men			
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	KTSM 9 News at 6 (N)	Little Big Town's Christmas at the Opry (N)			Michael Bublé's	KTSM News	(:35) Tonight Show (N)	(:35) Seth Meyers (N)						
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Rosa "La pesadilla" (N)	Fugitivas (N)	La historia de Juana (N)	El precio de amarte (N)	Noticias 26	SaborDe	El precio de amarte	La historia de Juana						
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	Exatión Estados Unidos: All-Stars			La familia	Noticiero	(:35) Noticias	Sed de venganza	Caso cerrado						
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	¿Quién caerá? (N)	*** Colombiana ('11) Jordi Mollà, Zoe Saldana.	Será anunciado (N)	¿Quién caerá?	Será anunciado									
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Sheldon	News	*** Operation Mistletoe ('24) Nick Bateman, Jen Lilley. (P)	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Sheldon	News	(:05) GMFB: Overtime (N)	(:05) Court Cam	(:35) PawnStars				
A&E	43	118	265	The First 48	The First 48 "Snatched"	The First 48	(:05) The First 48 "Gangland"	(:05) The First 48	(:05) The First 48 "Snatched"	(:05) The First 48							
AMC	57	131	254	*** Elf ('03) James Caan, Bob Newhart, Will Ferrell.	*** Vegas Vacation ('97) Beverly D'Angelo, Chevy Chase.	*** National Lampoon's Vacation ('83) Chevy Chase.	*** Happy Christmas										
COMEDY	35	107	249	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	Family Guy	
COOK	123	113	232	Delicious	Delicious	Bizarre	Bizarre	Delicious	Delicious	Zimmer	Zimmer	Delicious	Delicious	Bizarre	Delicious	Delicious	
DSC	47	182	278	Contraband: Seized	Contraband: Seized (N)	Contraband "Yes, Deer?"	Contraband "Fueled by Meth"	Contraband: Seized	Contraband: Seized	Contraband: Seized	Contraband: Seized	Contraband "Yes, Deer?"					
E!	37	114	236	***** It's a Wonderful Life ('46) Donna Reed, Lionel Barrymore, James Stewart.	***** It's a Wonderful Life ('46) Donna Reed, Lionel Barrymore, James Stewart.	El News (N)	Snoop										
ESPN	27	140	206	(:15) Kickoff	NFL Football Atlanta Falcons at Las Vegas Raiders (N) (Live)	Postgame (N)	(:45) SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)							
FOOD	40	110	231	Holiday Baking "Gingerbread House Party" (N)	Holiday Wars	Cookie "Christmas Feast"	Holiday Baking Championship "Gingerbread House Party"	Holiday Wars									
FX	29	136	248	(5:30) *** Thor: Ragnarok ('17) Tom Hiddleston, Chris Hemsworth.	*** Thor: Love and Thunder ('22) Natalie Portman, Chris Hemsworth.	What We Do	What We Do	What We Do	Movie								
GALA	25	273	404	Una familia de diez	Nosotros los guapos	Vecinos	40 y 20	40 y 20	Renta	Renta	Alma de	Alma de	Simón dice	Simón dice			
GOLF	24	401	218	PGA Tour Golf Grant Thornton Invitational, Final Round	PGA Tour Golf Grant Thornton Invitational, Final Round	Playing	Playing										
HALL	58	185	312	*** Our Holiday Story ('24) Warren Christie, Nikki DeLoach.	*** The Secret Gift of Christmas ('23) Meghan Ory.	*** Three Wiser Men and a Boy ('24) Paul Campbell.	*** Christmas by Design ('23)										
HGTV	41	112	229	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Hunters	Hunters	Dream Home	Dream Home	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters		
HISTORY	44	120	269	Aliens "Cosmic Impacts"	Ancient Aliens: Origins "Submerged Evidence" (N)	(:05) Ancient Aliens	(:05) Ancient Aliens: Origins "Submerged Evidence"	(:05) Aliens "Cosmic Impacts"									
LIFE	39	108	252	The Rookie "Fire Fight"	The Rookie "Hit and Run"	(:05) The Rookie "Breakdown"	(:05) The Rookie "Heart Beat"	The Rookie "Fire Fight"	The Rookie "Hit and Run"	(:05) The Rookie "Breakdown"							
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	*** Little Girl in the Window ('24) Mary Antonini.	*** The Neighbor Who Saw Too Much ('24) Sage Moore.	*** Little Girl in the Window ('24) Mary Antonini.											
NBTV	273	156	216	(5:00) Doctor	NBA GameTime Live	NBA GameTime Live	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime								
PAR	34	241	241	*** The Town ('10) Rebecca Hall, Jon Hamm, Ben Affleck.	*** The Equalizer ('14) Marton Csokas, Chloë Grace Moretz, Denzel Washington.	To Be Announced											
SYFY	59	122	244	Movie	*** London Has Fallen ('16) Aaron Eckhart, Gerard Butler.	*** Deep Impact ('98) Tea Leoni, Elijah Wood, Robert Duvall.	*** Blackwater Lane ('24) Maggie Grace, Minka Kelly.										
TBS	33	139	247	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	American (N)	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	American		
TCM	169	132	256	*** Auntie Mame ('58) Forrest Tucker, Coral Browne, Rosalind Russell.	*** Metropolitan ('90) Carolyn Farina.	(:15) *** Rope ('48) James Stewart.	(:45) *** Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?										
TLC	45	183	280	90 Day: The Last Resort (N)	(:10) Last Resort (N)	(:10) 90 Day Fiance: Before the 90 Days "The Razor's Edge"	90 Day "Save the Last Dance" (:10) 90 Day: The Last Resort	(:10) 90 Day Fiance									
TNT	32	138	245	(5:45) *** A Christmas Story ('83)	(:45) *** Office Christmas Party ('16) Olivia Munn, Jason Bateman.	*** A Christmas Story ('83) Peter Billingsley.	Cold Case "Stealing Home"										
TRAV	49	196	277	Mysteries of the Unknown (N)	Mysteries of the Unknown	Mysteries of the Unknown											
TRU TV	30	242	246	Movie	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	*** Creed II ('18) Sylvester Stallone, Michael B. Jordan.	To Be Announced	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers							
USA	31	105	242	WWE Monday Night RAW (N) (Live)	Based-True	*** Skyscraper ('18) Neve Campbell, Dwayne Johnson.	*** Skyscraper ('18) Neve Campbell, Dwayne Johnson.	Scare Tactics									

tonight's picks



Kyle Schmid stars in "NCIS: Origins"

Holiday Baking Championship
FOOD 6 p.m.

Jesse Palmer asks the final bakers to create faux candy desserts, eggnog desserts and gingerbread house cakes for judges Carla Hall, Duff Goldman and Nancy Fuller. In the end, only one baker will be named Holiday Baking Champion and take home \$25,000!

Midas
STARZ 6:30 p.m.

After dropping out of college, Ricky Pryce (Laquan Cope-

land) lies his way to a job at a high-profile insurance company and recruits his best friends to help him steal thousands. Instead, they uncover a much darker scheme taking place.

Operation Mistletoe
KVIA2 7 p.m.

The holidays become a weave of love when interior designer Grace (Jen Lilley) is hired by her best friend to decorate a house that Ryan (Nick Bateman), a former classmate and crush, is hoping to sell. Will real estate matchmaking lead to romance?

Little Big Town's Christmas at the Opry
KTSM 7 p.m.

This two-hour special brings the holidays to Nashville's Grand Ole Opry as Little Big Town performs Christmas classics and brand-new songs with guests Dan + Shay, Kelsea Ballerini, Sheryl Crow, Kirk Franklin, Josh Groban, Kate Hudson and Orville Peck.

NCIS: Origins
KDBC 9 p.m.

This will be a holiday he'd likely rather forget as young Leroy

Jethro Gibbs (Austin Stowell) faces his first holiday season without his wife and daughter. Memories reveal how his tragic circumstances led him to his first day on the job at NCIS.

American Masters
KRWG 9 p.m.

This documentary on country, pop, rockabilly and rock 'n' roll star Brenda Lee examines her early fame and life of poverty and how her work impacted other artists. With her holiday hit single "Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree," she is still a force on the charts today.

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PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	(5:30) PBSNews	News 22	To Be Announced											
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel (N)	FBI "Riptide" (N)	FBI: International (N)		FBI: Most Wanted (N)		CBS4 News	(.35) Late Show-Colbert (N)	(.35) After Midnight (N)	(.35) Paid Prog.			
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)	ET (N)	NBA (N)	NBA Basketball NBA Cup, Championship: Teams TBA (N) (Live)		News (N)	(.35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (N)	(.35) Nightline	(.05) ET	(.35) Hollywood				
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Big Bang	Big Bang	LEGO Masters	"Celebrity Holiday Bricktacular Part 2" (N)		KFOX14 News at Nine (N)	(.05) Inside Ed.	(.35) Extra (N)	(.05) iCRIME	(.35) Crime	(.05) True Crime	(.35) Two Men		
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	KTSM 9 News at 6 (N)	St. Denis (N)	Night (N)	A Motown Christmas (N)		KTSM News	(.35) Tonight Show (N)	(.35) Seth Meyers (N)	(.35) Friends					
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Rosa "Corazón robado"	Fugitivas (N)	La historia de Juana (N)		El precio de amarte (N)	Noticias 26	SaborDe	El precio de amarte	La historia de Juana					
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	Exatlón Estados Unidos: All-Stars	La familia		Será anunciado (N)		Noticias	(.35) Noticias	Sed de venganza	Caso cerrado					
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	¿Quién caerá? (N)	*** 10,000 B.C. ('08) Camilla Belle, Steven Strait.		Será anunciado (N)		¿Quién caerá?	Será anunciado		Chapulín (N)	Chapulín (N)				
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Sheldon	News	WWE NXT (N) (Live)		Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Sheldon	News	(.05) GMFB: Overtime (N)	(.05) Court Cam	(.35) PawnStars			
A&E	43	118	265	Road Wars	Road Wars	Road Wars	Road Wars	Extreme Road Ragers (N)	(.05) Road Wars	(.35) Road Wars	(.05) Road Wars	(.35) Road Wars	(.05) Road Wars	(.35) Road Wars	(.05) Extreme Road Ragers		
AMC	57	131	254	*** Four Christmases ('08)	Vince Vaughn.	*** Christmas With the Kranks ('04) Tim Allen.		*** Fred Claus ('07) Paul Giamatti, Miranda Richardson, Vince Vaughn.		*** Happy Feet							
COMEDY	35	107	249	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy
COOK	123	113	232	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Richman	Man v. Food	No Reservation "Liberia"	Bourdain "Kerala, India"	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	No Reservation "Liberia"		
DSC	47	182	278	Moonshiners (N)	Game Changers (N)		Master Distiller		Master Distiller	Moonshiners		Game Changers		Master Distiller			
E!	37	114	236	(5:00) **** Meet the Parents	*** Meet the Fockers ('04) Ben Stiller, Dustin Hoffman, Robert De Niro.		*** Little Fockers ('10) Ben Stiller, Robert De Niro.		El News (N)		The Kard						
ESPN	27	140	206	(5:00) College Basketball	College Football Scooter's Coffee Frisco Bowl: Teams TBA (N) (Live)		SportsCenter (N) (Live)		SportsCenter (N) (Live)		SportsCenter (N) (Live)		SportCtr (N)				
FOOD	40	110	231	Chopped	Beat: Holiday (N)	Holiday "Holiday Throwbacks"		Chopped "Breakfast Battle"	Holiday "Happy New Year!"		Beat: Holiday	Chopped "Breakfast Battle"					
FX	29	136	248	*** Jingle All the Way ('96)	Arnold Schwarzenegger.	*** Home Alone ('90) Joe Pesci, Daniel Stern, Macaulay Culkin.		*** Home Alone 2: Lost in New York ('92) Joe Pesci, Macaulay Culkin.									
GALA	25	273	404	Una familia de diez	Nosotros los guapos		Vecinos	40 y 20	40 y 20	Renta	Renta	Alma de	Alma de	Simón dice	Simón dice		
GOLF	24	401	218	(5:00) Golf	Long Drive 2024 Men's World		Long Drive Championship		The Open 2000: The Open		Golf		Golf Acad.	Ask Como			
HALL	58	185	312	*** Sugarplummed ('24) Janel Parrish, Maggie Lawson.	*** Coyote Creek Christmas ('21) Janel Parrish.		*** Christmas on Call ('24) Ser'Darius Blain, Sara Canning.		*** A Cozy Christmas Inn ('22)								
HGTV	41	112	229	Windy City Rehab (N)	Christina in the Country (N)	Hunt Intl (N)	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Christina in the Country (N)	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l		
HISTORY	44	120	269	The Curse of Oak Island	The Curse of Oak Island (N)	(.05) Tales From Oa (N)	(.05) The Curse of Oak Island	(.05) The Curse of Oak Island	Oak Island "Hide and Seek"	(.05) Tales From Oak Island							
LIFE	39	108	252	Married at First Sight "You Into Some Crazy Stuff" (N)	Married at First Sight "You Into Some Crazy Stuff" (N)		Married at First Sight "You Into Some Crazy Stuff" (N)										
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	*** My Life Is on the Line ('24) Andrea Pazmino.	*** How She Caught a Killer ('23) Sarah Drew.		*** My Life Is on the Line ('24) Andrea Pazmino.		*** How She Caught a Killer								
NBTV	273	156	216	(5:30) Basketball Stories	Basketball	Allen Iverson: The Answer		GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime
PAR	34	241	241	*** Top Gun: Maverick ('22) Miles Teller, Jennifer Connelly, Tom Cruise.	To Be Announced		*** Top Gun: Maverick ('22) Miles Teller, Tom Cruise.										
SYFY	59	122	244	*** Deep Impact ('98) Tea Leoni, Elijah Wood, Robert Duvall.	*** Planet of the Apes ('68) Roddy McDowall, Charlton Heston.		*** King Arthur: Legend of the Sword ('17)										
TBS	33	139	247	(5:00) The Crypto.com Showdown: Rory/Scottie vs. Bryson/Brooks (N) (Live)	Modern Fam.		Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.
TCM	169	132	256	*** Movie Movie to be announced.													
TLC	45	183	280	1000-lb Sisters (N)	1000-lb Sisters (N)		(.05) Best Friends (N)	(.05) 90 Day: The Last Resort	1000-lb Sisters		1000-lb Sisters		(.05) 1000-Lb. Best Friends				
TNT	32	138	245	(4:00) The Showdown (N) (Live)	*** Pain & Gain ('13) Dwayne Johnson, Ed Harris, Mark Wahlberg.		(.45) *** Get Hard ('15) Kevin Hart, Craig T. Nelson, Will Ferrell. (P)										
TRAV	49	196	277	Destination Fear	Destination Fear	Destinat. "Ashmore Estates"		Destination Fear	Destination Fear		Destination Fear		Destinat. "Ashmore Estates"				
TRU TV	30	242	246	(5:00) The Crypto.com Showdown: Rory/Scottie vs. Bryson/Brooks (N) (Live)	To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced				
USA	31	105	242	Law-SVU "Inconceivable"	Law-SVU "Undercover"	Law & Order: SVU "Authority"	Law & Order: SVU "Trade"	Law & Order: SVU "Swing"	Law & Order: SVU "Lunacy"	Law-SVU "Underbelly"							

tonight's picks



Jamie Berard and Amy Corbett of "LEGO Masters"

**Beat Bobby Flay:
Holiday Throwdown
FOOD 7 p.m.**

It's only the most wonderful time of the year if someone can take down Bobby Flay. Chefs Damaris Phillips, Eric Adjepong and Brooke Williamson have their holiday wishes squarely on a Flay defeat, while Jeff Mauro adds a dash of spice to the holiday.

**LEGO Masters
KFOX 7 p.m.**

Host Will Arnett brings together celebrity guests Sophia Bush, Holly Robinson Peete, Lil Rel

Howery and Eric McCormack with past champions for part two of this holiday brick building challenge. Judges Amy Corbett and Jamie Berard name the winners.

**Extreme Road Ragers
A&E 8 p.m.**

Make sure to check your blind spots. Another all-new episode of this road rage-induced series delves into stories from Akilah and Matt, two people who have been called some of the country's worst drivers. Family, friends and experts share their insight.

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“Ronny Chieng: Love To Hate It” (Dec. 17)

Emmy-winning actor and comedian Ronny Chieng returns with his third Netflix stand-up special. Filmed over a five night sold-out run in Honolulu at the historic Hawai'i Theatre, this extremely personal special unpacks the indignities of the IVF process, the pitfalls of being a man on the internet, American politics and the place of the older generation in today's world.



“Julia's Stepping Stones” (Dec. 18)

Throughout her career, pioneering filmmaker, the late Julia Reichert, gave voice to the voiceless. In a final collaboration with her husband, Steven Bognar, Julia shares the intimate story of her own journey, from her youth as a working-class girl who dreamt of a larger life for herself to her discovery of documentary filmmaking and her own voice along the way.



“Virgin River” - Season 6 (Dec. 19)

Against the backdrop of Mel (Alexandra Breckenridge) and Jack's (Martin Henderson) romantic spring wedding season, this sixth installment promises fresh twists and turns, escalating love triangles, delightful wedding drama and uncovered secrets from Mel's father's past, which will transport viewers to the magic and mystique of Virgin River in the 1970s.



“The Dragon Prince” - Season 7 (Dec. 19)

As Aaravos and Claudia seek to destroy the cosmic order and invert life and death in this new season, our heroes must literally be ready to sacrifice anything and everything they love and believe in to save the world. This season is more thrilling, magical and heart-breaking than ever. Jack De Sena, Sasha Rojen, Erik Dellums, Raquel Belmont, Paula Burrows and Jesse Inocalla voice star.

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“Dunk the Halls” (Disney+ — Dec. 25, Special Premiere)

Disney, ESPN and the NBA are teaming up to present the first real-time animated NBA game using Sony's Beyond Sports technology. Streaming on Christmas Day, the special sees the New York Knicks — led by Jalen Brunson and Karl-Anthony Towns — host the San Antonio Spurs and Victor Wembanyama and Chris Paul at a virtual Magic Kingdom Park at Walt Disney World. As the real-life game plays out, iconic Disney Characters including Mickey Mouse, Minnie Mouse, Donald Duck, Daisy Duck, Goofy, Pluto, Chip and Dale, plus Santa Claus and Elves from “Prep and Landing,” provide addition entertainment.



“Christmas Gameday” (Netflix — Dec. 25, Special Premiere)

Fill the holiday season with excitement when Netflix hosts the NFL's two Christmas Day marquee games: the Super Bowl LVII-winning Chiefs face the Steelers at 1 pm ET; then at 4:30 pm ET, the Ravens take on the Texans. Plus, fans will be treated to the highly-anticipated halftime show during the Ravens-Texans game, featuring a dazzling set from global superstar Beyoncé.

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DECEMBER 18, 2024

	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	
PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	(5:30) PBSNews	News 22	The Earthshot Report (N)	NOVA (N)			Secrets of the Dead	BBC News	Amanpour and Company (N)	Firing-Hoover	PBS News Hour				
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel (N)	Survivor (N)				FBI "Abandoned"	CBS4 News	(:35) Late Show-Colbert (N)	(:35) After Midnight (N)	(:35) Paid Prog.				
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)	ET (N)	iHeartRadio Jingle Ball 2024 (N)				Celebrity Family Feud	News (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (N)	(:35) Nightline	(:05) ET	(:35) Hollywood			
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Big Bang	Big Bang	The Masked Singer (N) (SF)	The Floor (N)			KFOX14 News at Nine (N)	(:05) Inside Ed.	(:35) Extra (N)	(:05) iCRIME	(:35) Crime	(:05) True Crime	(:35) Two Men		
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	KTSM 9 News at 6 (N)	Jimmy Fallon's (N)	SNL A Saturday Night Live Christmas Special (N)				KTSM News	(:35) Tonight Show (N)	(:35) Seth Meyers (N)	(:35) Friends					
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Rosa "Alerta: El Pasecito" (N)	Fugitivas (N)	La historia de Juana (N)				El precio de amarte (N)	Noticias 26	SaborDe	El precio de amarte	La historia de Juana				
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	Exatlón Estados Unidos: All-Stars						La familia	Noticiero	(:35) Noticias	Sed de venganza	Caso cerrado				
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	¿Quién caerá? (N)	*** Poseidon '06 Kurt Russell, Josh Lucas.					Será anunciado (N)			¿Quién caerá?	Será anunciado				
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Sheldon	News	Grandma Got Run Over	Inside the NFL Week 15 (N)			Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Sheldon	News	(:05) GMFB: Overtime (N)	(:05) Court Cam	(:35) PawnStars		
A&E	43	118	265	Fugitives	Fugitives	Fugitives	Fugitives	Fugitives (N)	Fugitives	(:05) Fugitives	(:35) Fugitives	(:05) Fugitives	(:35) Fugitives	(:05) Fugitives	(:35) Fugitives	(:05) Fugitives	(:35) Fugitives	
AMC	57	131	254	*** National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation '89)		(:15) *** The Polar Express '04) Tom Hanks.				(:15) *** Jack Frost '98) Kelly Preston, Mark Addy, Michael Keaton.							Movie	
COMEDY	35	107	249	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	
COOK	123	113	232	Baking "Holiday Artistry"		Baking "Light and Inspiring"	Baking "New Family Classics"			Baking "Gifts of Greatness"				Baking "Light and Inspiring"			Baking "New Family Classics"	
DSC	47	182	278	Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown (N)	Mystery "Sacrificial Altar" (N)			Mysteries of (N)				Expedition Unknown			Mystery "Sacrificial Altar"	
E!	37	114	236	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	El News (N)	Villains	
ESPN	27	140	206	(3:30) College Football		College Football LA Bowl: Teams TBA From SoFi Stadium in Inglewood, Calif. (N) (Live)							SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportCtr (N)		
FOOD	40	110	231	Beat: Holiday		Holiday "Time to Celebrate!"	Beat: Holiday			Holiday "Happy New Year!"			Beat: Holiday	Holiday "Time to Celebrate!"	Beat: Holiday			
FX	29	136	248	*** Spider-Man: No Way Home '21) Zendaya, Benedict Cumberbatch, Tom Holland.						*** Iron Man 3 '13) Gwyneth Paltrow, Don Cheadle, Robert Downey Jr..							*** The Avengers '12)	
GALA	25	273	404	Una familia de diez		Nosotros los guapos	Vecinos			40 y 20	40 y 20	Renta	Renta	Alma de	Alma de	Simón dice	Simón dice	
GOLF	24	401	218	(5:00) Golf		Una Familia				U.S. Open Golf Highlights							Playing	Playing
HALL	58	185	312	* Private Princess Christmas '24) Ali Skovbye.		* The Santa Class '24) Benjamin Ayres, Kimberly Sustad.				* Holiday Mismatch '24) Beth Broderick, Caroline Rhea.							* Crashing Through the Snow	
HGTV	41	112	229	Hunters	Hunters	Don't Hate Your	Hunters (N)	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Don't Hate Your	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	
HISTORY	44	120	269	Pickers "Wizard of Odds"		Pickers "Legendary Find" (N)	(:05) American Pickers	(:05) Pickers "Picking Frisco"		(:05) Pickers "Legendary Find"	(:05) American Pickers	(:05) Pickers "Wizard of Odds"						
LIFE	39	108	252	The Rookie "Coding"		The Rookie "Backstabbers"	(:05) The Rookie "Simone"	(:05) The Rookie "Enervo"		The Rookie "Coding"	The Rookie "Backstabbers"	(:05) The Rookie "Simone"						
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	* The Killer I Picked Up '24) Patrice Goodman.		* A Deadly Threat to My Family '24) Jessica Morris.				* The Killer I Picked Up '24) Patrice Goodman.							* A Deadly Threat to My Family	
NBTV	273	156	216	(5:00) NBA GameTime Live						NBA GameTime Live				GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	
PAR	34	241	241	To Be Announced						*** Ocean's Eleven '01) Matt Damon, Andy Garcia, George Clooney.				*** Ocean's Thirteen '07) Brad Pitt, George Clooney.				
SYFY	59	122	244	(5:05) * Firestarter '22) (P) (:05) *** Halloween Kills '21) Judy Greer, Jamie Lee Curtis.						*** Come Play '20) Gillian Jacobs, Azhy Robertson.				* Letters to Satan Claus '20) Karen Knox.				
TBS	33	139	247	All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite (N) (Live)		Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	
TCM	169	132	256	* Movie Movie to be announced.														
TLC	45	183	280	1000-lb Sisters (N)		1000-Lb. Best Friends (N)	1000-Lb. Best Friends (N)	Dr. Pimple Popper		1000-lb Sisters			1000-Lb. Best Friends	1000-Lb. Best Friends	1000-Lb. Best Friends			
TNT	32	138	245	(5:00) NHL Hockey		NHL Hockey Florida Panthers at Minnesota Wild (N) (Live)						Post-Game	NCIS: New Orleans	NCIS: N.O. "Judgement Call"				
TRAV	49	196	277	Paranormal Caught on Cam.		Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	Paranormal Caught on Cam.	
TRU TV	30	242	246	(5:00) NHL Hockey		Poker High Stakes Poker #9	Poker High Stakes Poker #10	Poker High Stakes Poker #11	Up & Adams				Evolve & F	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers			
USA	31	105	242	Law-SVU "Bombshell"		Law & Order: SVU "Bang"	Law-SVU "Valentine's Day"	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law-SVU "Wanderlust"				

tonight's picks



Kristen Wiig, Kate McKinnon, Maya Rudolph and Bowen Yang in "Saturday Night Live"

Survivor
KDBC 7 p.m.

If there's one thing you can rely on, it's that there will be a few more tricks up someone's sleeve as viewers learn who has survived the rest of the castaways to claim the title of Sole Survivor and win \$1 million in this Season 47 finale.

iHeartRadio
Jingle Ball 2024
KVIA 7 p.m.

Warm the cocoa, it's the gift that keeps on giving as musical artists Katy Perry, Shaboozey, NCT Dream, Tate McRae, Twenty One Pilots, The Kid LAROI, Madison Beer, Gracie Abrams and others take the stage during this holiday special.

Saturday Night Live
KTSM 8 p.m.

Nothing says the holidays like some Schweddy Balls. This seasonal special highlights classic holiday skits from past episodes of "SNL." From Adam Sandler's "The Hanukkah Song" to Steve Martin's "Holiday Wish," the laughs are wrapped and nonreturnable.

Inside the NFL
KVIA2 8 p.m. NFL 10 p.m.

This Emmy-winning series returns, breaking down the latest from the NFL as panelists Ryan Clark, Chad Johnson, Chris Long and Bill Belichick offer in-depth analysis and share highlights from the field, player interviews and more.

The Floor
KFOX 8 p.m.

It can be hard to focus when host Rob Lowe smiles his pearly whites in your general direction. But when Lowe calls a number, a contestant needs to battle a neighbor in randomly chosen trivia topics in hopes of gaining ground and a chance at winning \$250,000.

Fugitives Caught on Tape
A&E 8:30 p.m.

Technology has made a life of crime so much more challenging. In this season finale, police officers use every option at their disposal, including body, dash, security, traffic, doorbell and smartphone cameras, to catch criminals trying to make an escape.

THURSDAY EVENING

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DECEMBER 19, 2024

	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
PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	(5:30) PBS News	News 22	Newsmakers	Fronteras	Creatures "Broodiness"	Wild Travels	Sound Tap	BBC News	Amanpour and Company (N)	Tell Me More	PBS News Hour			
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel (N)	Ghosts (N)		Nate Bargatze (N)	Elsbeth (N)		CBS4 News	(:35) Late Show-Colbert (N)	(:35) After Midnight (N)	(:35) Paid Prog.			
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)	ET (N)	The Great Christmas Light Fight (N) (SF)			Shark Tank		News (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (N)	(:35) Nightline	(:05) ET	(:35) Hollywood		
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Big Bang	Big Bang	Hell's Kitchen			KFOX14 News at Nine (N)		(:05) Inside Ed.	(:35) Extra (N)	(:05) iCRIME	(:35) Crime	(:05) True Crime	(:35) Two Men	
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	KTSM 9 News at 6 (N)		Little Big Town's Christmas at the Opry			Barry Manilow		KTSM News	(:35) Tonight Show (N)	(:35) Seth Meyers (N)	(:35) Friends			
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	La rosa de Guadalupe (N)		Fugitivas (N)		La historia de Juana (N)	El precio de amarte (N)		Noticias 26	SaborDe	El precio de amarte		La historia de Juana		
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	Exatlón Estados Unidos: All-Stars					La familia		Noticiero	Noticias	Sed de venganza		Caso cerrado		
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	¿Quién caerá? (N)		*** Swordfish '01 Hugh Jackman, John Travolta.			Como dice el dicho		¿Quién caerá?		*** Swordfish '01 Hugh Jackman, John Travolta.				
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Sheldon	News	Scrabble (N)		Trivial Pursuit (N)	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Sheldon	News	(:05) GMFB: Overtime (N)	(:05) Court Cam	(:35) PawnStars		
A&E	43	118	265	Critical Minutes (N)		Alaska PD (N)		Interrogation Raw (N)	(:05) The First 48		(:05) Critical Minutes	(:05) Alaska PD	(:05) Interrogation Raw				
AMC	57	131	254	*** Elf '03 James Caan, Bob Newhart, Will Ferrell.		*** Elf '03 James Caan, Bob Newhart, Will Ferrell.		*** Trading Places '83 Eddie Murphy, Ralph Bellamy, Dan Aykroyd.			*** Trading Places '83 Eddie Murphy, Ralph Bellamy, Dan Aykroyd.		Movie				
COMEDY	35	107	249	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	Family Guy
COOK	123	113	232	Carnival Eats	Carnival Eats	Carnival Eats	Carnival Eats	Delicious	Delicious	Delicious	Carnival Eats	Carnival Eats	Carnival Eats	Carnival Eats	Carnival Eats	Delicious	Delicious
DSC	47	182	278	Naked and Afraid XL "Cold Grudges Die Hard"				Naked and Afraid XL "All In to Get Out"			Naked and Afraid "Love at First Fight"		Afraid "Legends and Rookies"				
E!	37	114	236	Villains "Blood Bath"		Villains "Un-Funny Business"		Villains "F Bombs Away"		House of Villains	House of Villains (N)	Snoop "Is This the End?" (N)	House of Villains				
ESPN	27	140	206	(4:30) Volleyball Update (N)		Women's College Volleyball (N) (Live)		SportsCenter (N) (Live)		SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)				
FOOD	40	110	231	Harry Potter (N)		Christmas Cookie (N)		Christmas Cookie Challenge		Christmas Cookie Challenge	Harry Potter "The Great Hall"	Cookie "Christmas on the Go"	Christmas Cookie Challenge				
FX	29	136	248	*** Iron Man 3 '13 Gwyneth Paltrow, Don Cheadle, Robert Downey Jr..				*** Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle '17 Kevin Hart, Dwayne Johnson.		*** Jumanji: The Next Level '19							
GALA	25	273	404	Una familia de diez		Nosotros los guapos		Vecinos	40 y 20	40 y 20	Renta	Renta	Alma de	Alma de	Simón dice	Simón dice	
GOLF	24	401	218	(3:00) Solheim Final Day		2024 Presidents Cup Final Day		The final day of competition at the 2024 Presidents Cup gets underway at Royal Montreal Golf Club.									
HALL	58	185	312	*** 'Tis the Season to Be Merry '21 Rachael Leigh Cook.		*** A Royal Christmas '14 Stephen Hagan, Lacey Chabert.		*** Debbie Macomber's Joyful Mrs. Miracle '24		*** Believe in Christmas '24							
HGTV	41	112	229	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l
HISTORY	44	120	269	Mountain Men "Bear Down"		Mountain Men "Endurance" (N)		(:35) Mountain Men "Endurance"		(:05) Mount. Men "Bear Down"	Mountain Men "Endurance"		(:35) Mnt. Men				
LIFE	39	108	252	The Rookie "Labor Day"		The Rookie "Dye Hard"		(:05) The Rookie "The Choice"	(:05) The Rookie	The Rookie "Labor Day"	The Rookie "Dye Hard"		(:05) The Rookie "The Choice"				
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	*** My Husband's Other Face '24 Brooke Burfitt.		*** Gaslit by My Husband: The Morgan Metzger Story '24		*** My Husband's Other Face '24 Brooke Burfitt.									
NBTV	273	156	216	(5:30) Players	NBA CrunchTime			Everything But the Chip: The 2001 76ers	The Doctor				NBA TV Marquee Matchup				
PAR	34	241	241	*** Ocean's Eleven '01 Matt Damon, Andy Garcia, George Clooney.		*** Ocean's Thirteen '07 Brad Pitt, Matt Damon, George Clooney.		*** Ocean's Twelve '04									
SYFY	59	122	244	*** The Northman '22 Nicole Kidman, Alexander Skarsgård.		(:45) *** Ambulance '22 Yahya Abdul-Mateen II, Eiza González, Jake Gyllenhaal.		(:45) *** Life '17 Jake Gyllenhaal.									
TBS	33	139	247	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	The Grinch	The Grinch	*** Rio '11 Anne Hathaway. (P)		*** The LEGO Batman Movie '17 Will Arnett.					
TCM	169	132	256	*** Babes in Arms '39 Judy Garland, Mickey Rooney.		*** Strike Up the Band '40 Mickey Rooney.		(:15) *** Babes on Broadway '41 Judy Garland, Mickey Rooney.		*** Girl Crazy							
TLC	45	183	280	Six "Part One: Perception"	Six "Part Two: Psychosis"	Six "Part Three: Delusion"	Six "Part Four: Reality"	Six "Part One: Perception"	Six "Part Two: Psychosis"	Six "Part Three: Delusion"							
TNT	32	138	245	(5:00) NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball New York Knicks at Minnesota Timberwolves (N) (Live)		Inside the NBA		Inside the NBA		NBA Basketball Oklahoma City Thunder at Orlando Magic					
TRAV	49	196	277	Doomsday Caught On Camera "Crumbling Earth"		Beyond the Unknown		Beyond the Unknown		Doomsday Caught On Camera "Crumbling Earth"		Beyond the Unknown					
TRU TV	30	242	246	(5:00) NBA Basketball		NBA Basketball New York Knicks at Minnesota Timberwolves (N) (Live)		Inside the NBA		Up & Adams		Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers				
USA	31	105	242	(5:50) Law-SVU "Locum"	(:40) Law-SVU "Users"	Law-SVU	(:20) Law-SVU "Shadow"	(:10) Law-SVU "Torch"	Law & Order: SVU "Locum"	Law & Order: SVU "Informed"	Law-SVU "Confrontation"						

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tonight's picks



Taniya Nayak and Carter Oosterhouse in "The Great Christmas Light Fight"



The Great Christmas Light Fight
 KVIA 7 p.m.

The fur-lined gloves are off as the Wright, Mach, Artz, MacGregor, Blasko, Slankard, Buchanan and Clinkscales families put their holiday decorations to the ultimate test in hopes of winning bragging rights and a whopping \$50,000 in this season finale.

Nate Bargatze's Nashville Christmas
 KDBC 8 p.m.

Comedian Nate Bargatze gets wrapped up in the holiday spirit with his own Christmas special. Using his blend of deadpan stand-up comedy, along with pre-recorded comedy shorts, sketches and musical performances, it's a humorous holiday in Nashville.

Barry Manilow's A Very Barry Christmas
 KTSM 9 p.m.

What's the opposite of a weekend in New Vegas? Christmas in Las Vegas! Legendary entertainer Barry Manilow and his band set the holidays to music with classic seasonal favorites from their residency at the Westgate Las Vegas Resort & Casino.

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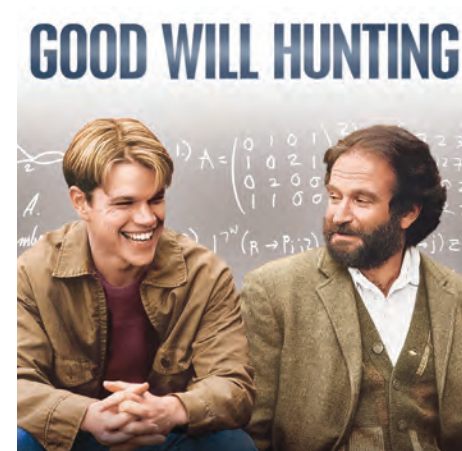
"Glitter and Greed: The Lisa Frank Story" (Available Now)

This four-part documentary penetrates the neon-hued world of Lisa Frank Inc., a brand that defined girlhood for a generation of Americans only to seemingly disappear overnight. Behind the rainbows and psychedelic illustrations, we unravel a nostalgia-soaked, stranger-than-fiction tale that takes us into the hidden world that has been lurking at the heart of the company for decades. The series features never-before-seen footage and over twenty interviews with Lisa Frank, Inc insiders, enthusiasts, and journalists.



"Across the Universe" (Available Now)

In this romantic drama set to the iconic musical hits of the The Beatles, young British worker Jude (Jim Sturgess) sets sail for the United States in search of his father in the 1960s, and ends up meeting carefree college student Max (Joe Anderson) and his lovely sister, Lucy (Evan Rachel Wood), along with a cast of eccentric characters. As Jude and Lucy fall for each other, their relationship is threatened by the social upheaval that accompanies the Vietnam War.



"Good Will Hunting" (Available Now)

The most brilliant mind at America's top university isn't a student, he's the kid who cleans the floors. Will Hunting (Matt Damon) is a headstrong, working-class genius who is failing the lessons of life. After one too many run-ins with the law, Will's last chance is a psychology professor (Robin Williams), who might be the only man who can reach him. Finally forced to deal with his past, Will discovers that the only one holding him back is himself.

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Friday

8 p.m. COOK Holiday Baking Championship Bakers celebrate Hanukkah jelly doughnuts and fruitcake.

8:30 p.m. FOOD Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives Guy Fieri is in Burlington, Vt., Richmond, Va. and Ottawa.

9 p.m. COOK Holiday Baking Championship Combining last minute gifts into one impressive dessert.

9:30 p.m. FOOD Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives Spicy pork and knockout gnocchi; major meatloaf; mofongo.

Saturday

8 p.m. COOK Iron Chef America Chef Sean Brock enters Kitchen Stadium for the first time.
KRWG To Dine For With Kate Sullivan

9 p.m. DEST BBQ Pitmasters Andy King, Jeff Vanderlinde, and Scott Lane compete.

FOOD Christmas Cookie Challenge The cookie makers build 3D Christmas sandcastles.

Sunday

8 p.m. FOOD Harry Potter: Wizards of Baking Phelps twins request Dumbledore-inspired bakes.

8:30 p.m. COOK Man v. Food Casey visits Wilmington, N.C., for a barbecue bonanza.

9 p.m. FOOD Beat Bobby Flay: Holiday Throwdown Michael Symon ridicules Bobby Flay with his friends.

Monday

8 p.m. FOOD Holiday Wars Creating a scene featuring woodland animals.

FYI Rachael Ray's Holidays Rachael shows how to make lasagna with cime di rapa.

9 p.m. FOOD Christmas Cookie Challenge Four cookie makers whip up imposter cookies.

NGC Gordon Ramsay: Uncharted Gordon dives into the culinary ocean of the Florida Keys.

9:30 p.m. COOK The Zimmern List Andrew savors barbecued pig snouts in St. Louis.

Tuesday

8 p.m. DEST BBQ Pitmasters Returning champions face some tough competition.

FOOD Beat Bobby Flay: Holiday Throwdown Three chefs bring modern flair to classic holiday dishes.

9 p.m. COOK Anthony Bourdain: No Reservations Tony enjoys street food during his visit to Kerala.

FOOD Chopped The chefs get breakfast foods in every basket.

Wednesday

8 p.m. FOOD Beat Bobby Flay: Holiday Throwdown Chefs Anne Burrell, Tiffani Faison and Jet Tila compete.

9 p.m. CLEO Culture Kitchen COOK Holiday Baking Championship Bakers must create edible ornament displays.

9:30 p.m. CLEO New Soul Kitchen

Thursday

8 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations Andrew is in Seville, Spain, eating cured Iberico ham.

8:30 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations Andrew travels to the colorful Moroccan city of Fez.

9 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations

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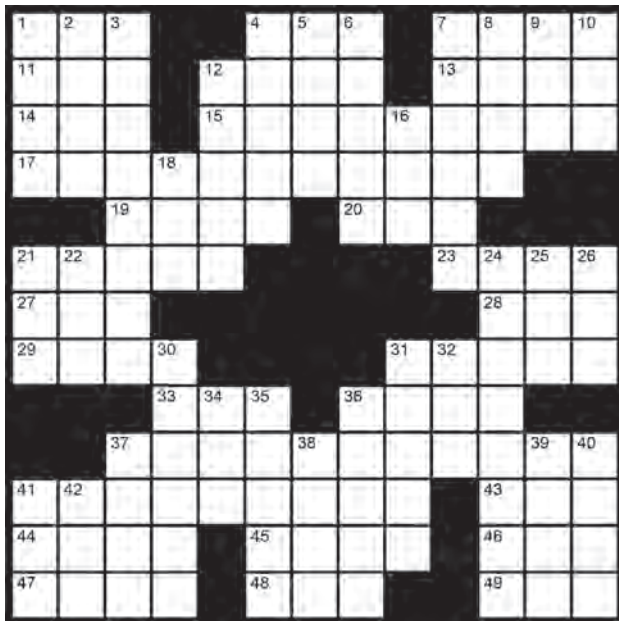


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crossword puzzle



Across

- 1. "O Brother, Where ___ Thou?" (2000)
- 4. Cost-of-living stat.
- 7. ___ no good
- 11. "What a no-brainer!"
- 12. "Sunday Night Baseball" commentator
- 13. Close
- 14. "The Simpsons" grandpa
- 15. Long-running TV series set in Colorado
- 17. Setting for "The Vampire Diaries"
- 19. Hospital staffer
- 20. Black-maned ruminant
- 21. Pickling need
- 23. Pontiacs of yore
- 27. ___ Swanson ("Parks & Rec" character)

- 28. Knot-tying words
- 29. High school mil. group
- 31. Widely known
- 33. Curve
- 36. Oviedo stew
- 37. Setting for "Gilmore Girls"
- 41. The Log Lady lived there
- 43. Risk a perjury rap
- 44. Composer Bartok
- 45. Some health warnings: Abbr.
- 46. Chi. railroads
- 47. 2011 Viola Davis film, with "The"
- 48. Old possessive
- 49. Empire St. paper since 1851
- 6. One way to learn someone's name
- 7. Render powerless?
- 8. Soup vegetables
- 9. 2022 Cate Blanchett film
- 10. Mork's planet
- 12. Out of the way
- 16. CNN offshoot
- 18. Solder ingredient
- 21. Cold call?
- 22. Friend of Owl and Rabbit
- 24. "Home Improvement" star
- 25. Dedicated work
- 26. Turf
- 30. Forty winks
- 31. Dentist's suggestion
- 32. "Agatha ___ Along"
- 34. Seance sound
- 35. Moved stealthily
- 36. Gershwin musical whose name sounds like an approval

Down

- 1. Brody of "The O.C."
- 2. Jewel
- 3. 1960s Roger Moore TV series
- 4. "I Got a Name" singer Jim
- 5. Light whiff

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- 37. Threshold
- 38. Brownie accessory
- 39. Slick, physically or relationally
- 40. Dominic of "The Wire"
- 41. "Candidly," in textspeak
- 42. Itsy-bitsy



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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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BINGO

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

	A	J	L	H	V
Characters in "WKRP"					
Birds					
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Tarot cards					Free Space
Words that come before "green"					

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Hermi/Hermi	Hanged/Hanged	Lovers/Lovers	Justice/Justice	Age/Age	Words/that come
Vehnor/Vehnor	Tax/Tax	Luxury/Luxury	Jail/Jail	Atlantic/Atlantic	Monopoly/spaces
Vulture/Vulture	Hawk/Hawk	Lovebird/Lovebird	Jay/Jay	Albatross/Albatross	Birds/Birds
Venus/Venus	Hiss/Hiss	Lies/Lies	Feyar/Feyar	Arthur/Arthur	Characters in WKRP
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WORD SEARCH

In the grid below, twenty answers can be found that fit the category for today. Circle each answer that you find and list it in the space provided at the right of the grid. Answers can be found in all directions—forward, backward, horizontally, vertically and diagonally. An example is given to get you started. Can you find the twenty answers in today's puzzle?

Today's Category: Landlocked Countries



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2. _____
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1. Andorra
2. Armenia
3. Austria
4. Belarus
5. Bhutan
6. Bolivia
7. Burundi
8. Chad
9. Eswatini
10. Hungary
11. Laos
12. Lesotho
13. Malawi
14. Mali
15. Mongolia
16. Nepal
17. Niger
18. Paraguay
19. Uganda
20. Zambia

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Here comes the countdown to end all countdowns: New Years Eve. To commemorate the end of 2024 – and the end of the season – chefs Damaris Phillips, Eric Adjepong and Brooke Williamson make a resolution to beat Bobby Flay, each bringing their own spice to the Season 3 finale of “Beat Bobby Flay: Holiday Throwdown,” airing this Tuesday, Dec. 17, on Food Network. To go alongside your holiday feasts, enjoy some of Flay’s favorite cocktails, with recipes found at foodnetwork.com/holidays-and-parties/photos/bobby-flays-holiday-drinks

To make it this far, you’ve got to outwit, outplay and outlast. But once the votes are cast and all idols have been played, it’s up to the jury to decide which player did it best. The finalists plead their case and one earns the title of Sole Survivor, during the epic Season 47 finale of “Survivor,” premiering this Wednesday, Dec. 18, on CBS. Missed an episode? Relive the season with episodes available to stream online, at cbs.com/shows/survivor/

Starring the incomparable Judy Garland, Margaret O’Brien, June Lockhart and more, this 1944 MGM musical joins the family of a St. Louis lawyer, Alonso Smith (Leon Ames), as they take part in the visiting 1904 World’s Fair. Along the way, Smith’s four lovely daughters learn about life, loss and love, their bonds strengthening as holidays come and go. “Meet Me in St. Louis” airs this Friday, Dec. 20, on TCM, as part of a festive line-up, found at tcm.com/schedule?icid=mainnav11-schedule



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Gallery approaches 20 years on Mesilla plaza

SYLVIA QUINTANILLA
For the Bulletin

MESILLA – Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery has had a lot to celebrate. Earlier this month, the gallery celebrated its 30th anniversary, making them one of the longest operating co-op galleries in New Mexico. In January, they will ring in two decades at their current location near Mesilla’s historic plaza, at 2470 Calle de Guadalupe.

The gallery is an artist cooperative gallery featuring work from southern New Mexico and west Texas. The artwork in the gallery ranges from acrylic, pastel and watercolor paintings, oil, basketry, drawings, photography, wood turning, gourd art, ceramics, mixed media, stained glass and jewelry.

Additionally, in 2025 MVFA will mark 20 years in a historic adobe building owned by the descendants of Albert Fountain at the south end of Mesilla’s historic plaza. The building houses several businesses today, with the gallery located in a rear adobe wing facing the entrance to the Fountain Theatre.

Yvonne Postelle, a co-op member, has been a part of the gallery since the beginning. She is one of the few remaining original members. The gallery has 30 members and there is a wait list to join.

Postelle began displaying her oil paintings at



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The Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery entrance at 2470 Calle de Guadalupe in Mesilla, Nov. 23, 2024.

Sunland Art Gallery at Sunland Mall in El Paso, Texas as well as at Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery when it was located in the Mesilla Valley Mall in Las Cruces. Postelle began her art journey in high school by drawing and was later introduced to oils. After she retired, she went all in with oil painting. She noted that she likes oil as a medium because it’s vibrant and lasts forever, and she said depictions of the area landscape are popular.

“I try to paint the Organ Mountains and the scenes around Las Cruces,” Postelle said. “I have expanded out to Cloudcroft because I like to paint trees.”

Postelle explained that member artists have their artwork on display with rotating locations and also work in the gallery. She tries to have new paintings ready when they rotate quarterly.

“I have a drive to keep

painting,” Postelle began. “I feel like I’m not going to live long enough to paint everything. You have to have an inner drive.”

Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery began in the Mesilla Valley Mall with three rooms next to JCPenney. To begin with, the gallery had 26 local artists, including Annette Hoover, Carolyn Bunch, Earline Barnes and Carl Cogar.

After 24 years, she said the gallery was incorporated as a nonprofit organization, under the name Mesilla Valley Fine Arts, in 1994. In 2003, the gallery left the mall and moved to Mesilla, settling into their current home in the Fountain building in 2005.

Kerry O’Neill, an artist who heads the gallery’s marketing committee, has deep roots at the gallery. Long before she became a member in 2018, her family would often visit the gallery at the mall and purchase art. O’Neill



Kerry O’Neill, a ceramicist and volunteer with the Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery, welcomed visitors on Nov. 23, 2024.

recalled playing a game in which artists replicated works by a famous artist or they did an original piece inspired by that artist. Visitors would guess who the artist was. One

year, O’Neill and her mother won a gift certificate. The “My Masterpiece” challenge remains a recurring gallery event.

O’Neill is a retired elementary art teacher who lived in Gallup before moving to Las Cruces 11 years ago. While teaching middle school art, she was required to teach her students ceramics.

“I knew zero about it, so I had to be self-taught,” O’Neill explained. “Just before I left Gallup, I met someone who taught me how to throw on the wheel. When I moved up here, I took many classes from the museum and got better and better at it. I then created my own little home studio.”

O’Neill, along with Ray Baird, was a November artist of the month. She said she draws inspiration from the folk art of Europe and Mexico. She also has a series of plant-based impressions at the Branigan Cultural Center as part of an exhibit named “The Dinner Party: Multicultural Crossroads in Clay.”

In discussions with Art Fountain, O’Neill said she learned the building originally was a Mexican customs house with a hostelry. Down the street heading south, there is an empty lot that once housed the corral.

In 1854, after the Gads-

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HOLIDAY

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Performances also abound, as Borderlands Ballet presents its version of **The Nutcracker** at 7 p.m. Friday, and 2 p.m. Saturday, at the Las Cruces School of Dance & Music. Find out more at 505-652-0204. For even more family entertainment, Toad Hall Theater will present **A Child's Christmas in Wales** at 7 p.m., Friday night, and 2 p.m.

Saturday, at the First Christian Church Chapel Theater. More information at KMForestal@yahoo.com

On Saturday, the fun continues with **La Posada Winter Celebration** – a tradition that goes back centuries with its message of hope and redemption – from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Peace Lutheran Church. Call 575-522-7119 for more information. Over at the old Doña Ana Courthouse on Amador, the folks at Southwest Expeditions present **Ghosts of Christmas Past... An Ebenezer Scrooge Evening**, bringing Dickens' classic tale to life right before your eyes, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Info at 877-808-6877. Or you can drive up to the lake for the spectacularly beautiful **Luminaria Beachwalk**, from 5 to 9 p.m. at Elephant Butte Lake State Park. Find out more by calling 520-471-0134.

Sunday continues the holiday



onslaught with Mesilla Valley Chorale's Holiday Concert **Someday at Christmas**, featuring all of your favorite carols and tunes, starting at 3 p.m. at the Rio Grande Theatre. More information at 575-541-2290. Also beginning Sunday, you can check out the **Taylor Family Collection of Nacimiento's/**

Nativities, from 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Reynolds Store Visitor Center on the Mesilla Plaza. The display runs Wednesday through Sunday until January 5 and features dozens of the holiday displays from all corners of the globe. Find out more at 575-202-1638.

And as if all of that weren't

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The city of Las Cruces' giant Christmas tree once more takes its place at Plaza de Las Cruces downtown. And no, no one took a bite out of the gingerbread man: The figures are headless to facilitate photographs with evergreen boughs and decorations as a background. The tree lighting ceremony took place the night of Saturday, Dec. 7, that featured music, food trucks, activities and giveaways and, of course, hot chocolate under the night sky. Steps away from the plaza, the Rio Grande Theatre held a special showing of "The Muppet Christmas Carol" (1992).

enough for one week, you'll have yet another opportunity to enjoy luminarias on Tuesday, December 17, when **Iluminado Las Montañas** lights up the night from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Dripping Springs Visitor Center. Find out more at 575-522-1219.



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Local cast and crew hail 'Santa's Cousin' opening

MIKE COOK
For the Bulletin

"I play a lot of psychopaths. I wanted to do something my grandchildren can see," actor Eric Roberts said about playing Santa Claus in the feature film "Santa's Cousin," which filmed in Las Cruces in 2023 and had its world premiere Dec. 4 at the Cineport 10 cinema in the Mesilla Valley Mall.

"The whole place (Las Cruces) is like a neighborhood. It's a nice place," said Roberts, who has grandchildren ages 5, 3 and 2. He spent three days in Las Cruces filming "Santa's Cousin," attended the 2024 Las Cruces International Film Festival and shot the movie "3" here last year as well.

Joining him at the premiere were other "Santa's Cousin" cast and crew members, including New Mexico State University Creative Media Institute professor Ross Marks,

who directed the film, and local actors Knut Brekke, Jessica Jimenez and Nick Check, along with Allen Theatres President Russell Allen.

"It's a great opportunity to do this," said Allen, who opened Cineport 10 (the home of LCIFF) in 2009. "The most amazing thing about (hosting) movie premieres" is that famous actors like Roberts who come to Las Cruces to make movies are "just like you and me," Allen said. "They're regular people. They'll sit down and talk."

Before attending the movie screening, Roberts spent more than an hour in the cafe on the second floor of Cineport 10 talking to the Las Cruces Bulletin, Marks, Allen, other actors in the film and others attending the premiere.

"Eric is so gracious, so kind and patient, so giving. Not all actors are like that," said Marks, who has directed 16 films and has worked with Oscar-winning



COURTESY PHOTO BY ROSS MARKS

Cast and crew, including Eric Roberts at center, celebrate the opening night of "Santa's Cousin."

actors including Al Pacino, Faye Dunaway and Brendan Fraser.

"I am more proud of 'Santa's Cousin' than any movie I've ever made," Marks said.

Including "Santa's Cousin" and "3," Roberts has appeared in more than 700 movies, filming in 108 countries around the world, he said. He was nominated for an Oscar for best supporting actor for his performance in 1985's "Runaway Train," and is also a three-time Golden

Globe nominee. Now 68, Roberts continues to receive 30-50 acting offers a day, he said.

"I'm an institution," Roberts joked. "I've been lucky, lucky, lucky."

"It was a dream come true to get a part in this movie," said Brekke, who teaches theatre at Mayfield High School and has been acting in local films and live theatre for 20 years. Brekke, who played Mayor Benjamin Harper in "Santa's Cousin," got royal treatment when he recently visited Ruidoso, the setting for the movie. Brekke got to meet the real mayor of Ruidoso and even hosted the "Mondays with the Mayor" local radio show.

One of the highlights of being in the film was working with so many Las Cruces actors, and with more than 30 CMI students on the crew, said Jimenez, who also has performed in many local films and theatre productions. "They rocked it,"

Jimenez said of the students who worked on "Santa's Cousin." "They were on it every single second of every single day."

Jimenez was the on-set costumer for Mel Gibson when he filmed "Hot Seat" in Las Cruces in 2021 and for Ryan Philippe, Kate Bosworth and Ving Rhames for "The Locksmith" when it filmed here that same year.

"In "Santa's Cousin," Jimenez played Morgan Welsh, a character very much like herself. "I got to play me," she said.

Roberts also attended the Dec. 5 "Santa's Cousin" premiere in Hobbs, where he received the key to the city and joined Brekke in a Toys for Tots parade.

"Santa's Cousin," which also had a premiere in Ruidoso, is available on DirecTV, Dish, Apple TV, Amazon, Google Play, Vubiquity and Fandango.

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Feliz Navidad: A Christmas Concert

The New Horizons Symphony, under the direction of Jorge Martinez-Rios, presents a free concert spotlighting the music you remember from holidays past, and maybe a few you have never heard before.



DAVID SALCIDO
Las Cruces Bulletin

Feliz Navidad will fill the halls with music, 3 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 15, at Atkinson Recital Hall, 1075 N. Horseshoe St., on the NMSU campus. Info: NHSOCruces.com



Blast of Silence

In the final installment of the film noir series, the Mesilla Valley Film Society brings the 1961 thriller back to the big screen, following a hired killer who arrives in New York City for a contract murder during the Christmas season.

Blast of Silence gives one-night-only thrills at 7:30 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 15, at the Fountain Theatre, 2469 Calle de Guadalupe, Mesilla. Info: MesillaValleyFilm.org

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Library hosts readers' theater

BULLETIN REPORT

A readers' theater program at the Thomas Branigan Memorial Library in Las Cruces offers children a fun and engaging practice of reading, oral expression and overall fluency.

In readers' theater, short plays are read out loud without any need for memorization, and no sets, props or costumes. The readers engage in dramatic dialogue through written language, the spoken word and facial expression.

The Iowa Reading Research Center reports, "Results from a 2009 study of a second-grade classroom that used reader's theatre as one method of fluency practice showed that students who participated in reader's theatre not only demonstrated growth in word recognition, reading automaticity, and prosody, but also reported higher



LAS CRUCES BULLETIN PHOTO
BY JUSTIN GARCIA

The Thomas Branigan Memorial Library in downtown Las Cruces, 200 E. Picacho Avenue.

levels of enthusiasm for completing their reading homework and assignments."

The Las Cruces Public Libraries calls it "an excellent way to improve reading comprehension, fluency and confidence," with good beginning reading skills the only requirement.

The program is open to children ages 8 to 14. It is free, requires no registration and is an ongoing program. It meets Friday afternoons from 4 to 5 p.m., at Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Avenue.

GALLERY

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den Purchase, the town of Mesilla became part of the United States. Since it was on a trade route, the building became part of the transportation block.

"The entire building complex had turned into a mail center. It was part of the Butterfield Overland Mail, San Antonio Mail and the Wells Fargo Express. It was part of the El Camino Real," O'Neill

said.

Historically a transportation hub, today the gallery says some two-thirds of its visitors are from El Paso, from other states and around the world. O'Neill said her ceramics have gone to England, Scotland, Ukraine, Japan, Korea, Brazil, Columbia, Mexico and Canada.

More information is available via MesillaValleyFineArts.com, 575-522-2933 or info@mesillavalleyfinearts.com.



CITY OF LAS CRUCES

If you have tree limbs and branches (including Christmas trees) to dispose of, the City of Las Cruces Utilities Department (LCU) Green Grapppler will pick them up and turn them into mulch that is available free of charge to anyone living in Doña Ana County.

"You give us your yard waste you don't want and we turn it into something you do want," LCU Solid Waste Manager Phil Glasson said. "It's a win-win situation."

LCU Solid Waste's Green Grapppler picks up tree limbs and branches free of charge from residential customers once a month. There is a charge for picking up green waste from businesses.

Don't want to wait for LCU's Green Grapppler on its regular schedule? Just call Customer Central for an extra-service pickup and pay a fee based on the size of the load. Or, take your yard waste to the City's Foothills Clean Fill Landfill, located at

Free yard waste pick up for residential customers

555 S. Sonoma Ranch Blvd. at no charge. You also can pick up free mulch – bring your own containers! The landfill is open 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday and 9 a.m.-3 p.m. on Saturday.

Here are the guidelines to follow for pickup:

- Tree limbs or branches should be no more than five feet in length and no more than five inches in diameter.
- Yard waste must be placed in the street near the curb, at least five feet from any obstruction, including parked vehicles, mailboxes, street signs and other containers; or any overhead obstruction like tree limbs or powerlines.
- Please be sure the waste is not blocking a sidewalk or driveway.
- Stack limbs (neatly, of course!) and have them ready curbside by 6 a.m. the morning pickup is scheduled, or the night before.



- Cut Christmas trees can be placed on the curb for pickup after Christmas. They should be free of lights and decorations (including tinsel) so they can be ground up into mulch. Christmas trees have branches on them, as long as they are no taller than five feet.
- Only green cut trees can be picked up, colored trees are not recyclable.
- Artificial trees can

be placed curbside for pickup by the bulk grapppler on its scheduled day of the month.

- No cut or artificial trees, tree limbs and branches should be placed in trash bins or dumpsters.

Not sure when to put the green waste out? No worries! Utilities mails out a Green Grapppler schedule to LCU customers in December. You can pick up a schedule at City Hall, 700 N. Main St., or at the LCU Building, 680 N. Motel Blvd., 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Visit <https://grapppler.lascruces.gov/> and fill in your address and the other requested information to see your pickup schedule online.

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- 21 Barack and Michelle
- 22 Give the slip
- 23 Like babies who throw tantrums when you try to put diapers on them?
- 25 News outlets
- 26 RBI or ERA
- 27 Film lead-in to "Cop"
- 28 Photo --
- 29 More nimble
- 30 Trellis climber
- 32 Having a sore mouth from working long hours at a kissing booth?
- 36 Joint a sock often covers
- 39 Chipped in, in poker
- 40 Beckett title character
- 41 Intense fire used as an energy source?
- 46 Pie -- mode
- 49 Abbr. on a road map
- 50 With 44-Down, decay of building timbers
- 51 Colon part
- 52 Communist Joseph
- 55 Egyptian god of the dead
- 57 Declaration while pointing at a group of workers on strike?
- 62 Scent sensor
- 63 George at Gettysburg
- 64 Airy melody

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- 65 Statement when you're nearly ready to complete a collage?
- 72 The "A" of "A-Rod"
- 73 Depart
- 74 Air out
- 77 Mesmerizing horse movement?
- 83 Limb-bending muscle
- 85 Is theatrical
- 86 Pod item
- 87 Color grade
- 88 Actress Gasteyer
- 89 Tangle of hair
- 90 Inherent hanging-down position?
- 96 SeaWorld whale, once
- 100 Fake identity
- 101 Fuels (up)
- 102 "It won't hurt to snoop a little!"?
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- 112 "Slung" food
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- 3 Avenger Peel
- 4 Lizard, e.g.
- 5 British verb suffix
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- 7 Height: Prefix
- 8 The whole --
- 9 King, in Caen
- 10 Belly muscles
- 11 Jean -- (perfume brand)
- 12 Windows ad catchphrase
- 13 Language of Copenhagen, to locals
- 14 New jet in '68
- 15 Worked as an office sub

- 16 Carry too far
- 17 Howard Stern's area
- 18 "Bye, Brigitte"
- 19 Bodily pump
- 24 Conductor Georg
- 29 "Every seat sold" abbr.
- 31 "La Traviata" composer
- 33 Spy novelist Deighton
- 34 Shareable PC file
- 35 Vainglory
- 36 Chef's tie-on
- 37 "Untrue!"
- 38 Maryland congressman -- Mfume
- 39 Even a bit of
- 42 Taxing gp.
- 43 Mag bigwigs
- 44 See 50-Across
- 45 High degree

- 47 Falsification
- 48 Cookout pest
- 52 BBQ rod
- 53 Mosaic piece
- 54 On the go
- 56 Withdraw
- 57 -- Aviv
- 58 Deli meat
- 59 Foofaraw
- 60 Model S car
- 61 Otherwise
- 63 Long skirt
- 66 Balm plant
- 67 Meshes
- 68 A fifth of fifty
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- 70 Abbr. on a road map
- 71 Dallasites or Houstonians
- 75 -- word (single-occasion

- coinage)
- 76 Plate holders
- 77 Skirt edge
- 78 Diva Sumac
- 79 Broken bits of ceramic material
- 80 Tax doc. pro
- 81 House animal
- 82 Novelist Santha Rama --
- 83 Festivity
- 84 Pigeon perch
- 87 Males
- 90 Rapa -- (Easter Island)
- 91 Solar beam
- 92 Frazier foe
- 93 Sheet fabric
- 94 Website visit unit
- 95 Pilot Amelia
- 97 Actress McDaniel of

- "Gone With the Wind"
- 98 Comes up
- 99 Nero's 2,100
- 102 Bigwig
- 103 Florida city
- 104 "Uncle!" crier, perhaps
- 105 Explorer -- de Leon
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- 114 -- -Pei
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Survey probes social media use among evangelicals

BULLETIN REPORT

Is your social media use more helpful or harmful to building real relationships, sharing high-quality information or deepening one's roots in a real community – such as one's faith?

Infinity Concepts, a

Christian marketing firm, and Grey Matter Research conducted a survey of 1,039 evangelical Protestant Christians and recently published a report titled, "Helpful or Harmful? Evangelicals and Social Media."

Among its key findings,

the report finds that 54 percent of respondents say social media is more harmful than helpful to their faith – but they stay online anyway.

The authors also found some advantages were cited by participants: Social internet sites

provide opportunities for evangelism, fast and free access to Christian-oriented content and positive community. The report suggests that social media becomes more helpful, and less harmful, for those more actively engaged in faith activity.

In a news release, Infinity Concepts CEO Mark Dreistadt suggested church leadership provide guidance to believers about their use of digital media.

"Some evangelicals talk glowingly of how social media has allowed them to talk to others about Jesus, build their own faith through study

or encouragement, and develop greater community with other believers," Grey Matter president Ron Sellers stated in the release. "Others bash social media as shallow, distracting, untrue, seductive, and even evil. But almost all use it."

The report is available for free download at InfinityConcepts.com.

Worship Services

<p>BAPTIST</p>  <p>Bethel Second Baptist Church</p> <p>Brian L. Harvey, Pastor</p> <p>405 East Hadley Ave Las Cruces, NM 88001</p> <p>Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>Wednesdays Bible Study Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>Email: bsbc@bsbchurch.org</p> <p>Website: www.bsbc@bsbchurch.org</p> <p>YouTube Channel BSBC1001</p>	<p>METHODIST</p>  <p>Rev. Dr. Heike Miller</p> <p>Sunday Worship</p> <p>Traditional Services: 8:30am & 11:00am</p> <p>Journey Praise Services: 9:45am</p> <p>*childcare during 9:45 and 11:00 am services*</p> <p>Online Services: YouTube & website</p> <p>2000 South Locust Street 575.522.8220 www.uumc-lc.org office@uumc-lc.org</p>	<p>METHODIST</p>  <p>Pointing people to the grace of God found in Jesus through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • inspirational worship • radical inclusion • alleviation of suffering <p>Sunday Mornings *9:15 AM Worship w/ Band 10:15 AM Storytelling + Sunday School 11:15 AM Worship w/ Choir</p> <p>*in person + online at www.mstarlc.church</p> <p>2941 Morning Star Drive, 88011 www.mstarlc.church 575.521.3770</p>	<p>EPISCOPAL</p> <p>St. Andrew's Episcopal Church</p> <p>518 N. Alameda Blvd. Las Cruces, NM 88005 (575) 526-6333</p> <p>"Digging deep wells so others may drink"</p> <p>Rector: The Rev. Jonathan Hanneman</p> <p>SUNDAY SERVICES: 8:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II (In-person and Facebook Live)</p> <p>WEEKDAY SERVICES: Tuesday, 9:30 AM – Morning Prayer (in-person) Thursday, Noon – Eucharist and Healing Service (in-person)</p> <p>www.SaintAndrewsLC.org</p>	<p>PRESBYTERIAN</p>  <p>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</p> <p>Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 AM</p> <p>www.fpc.lc</p> <p>200 E. Boutz Road 575-526-5559</p>	<p>JEWISH</p> <p>TEMPLE BETH-EL OF LAS CRUCES</p> <p>"A diverse, welcoming and growing Jewish community committed to learning, social justice and acts of loving kindness."</p> <p>Shabbat prayer and study: Kabbalat Shabbat Friday night at 6:30 PM</p> <p>Shabbat Shachrit Saturday morning at 10:30 AM</p> <p>Rabbi Evette Lutman: "Come grow with us!"</p> <p>Member of the Union of Reform Judaism</p> <p>WWW.TBELC.ORG 3980 Sonoma Springs Ave 575-524-3380</p>
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November brings optimism, volatility to housing market

STEVE MONTANEZ
For the Bulletin

As Las Cruces real estate professionals prepare to close out the year in southern New Mexico real estate, November's report continues to show a strong market for homeowners. Southern New Mexico is on track to finish the year just shy of matching last year's number of closings by 20 to 30 closed sales. Despite the high interest, higher pricing and more days on the market than usual, homes continue to close.

Of the homes sold in November, a large percentage of sellers reduced their asking price at least once before going under contract. Sellers also were more creative with incentives that included interest rate buydowns and repair credits. Active inventory is 24 percent higher than this time last year, which has

resulted in more competitive pricing and more options, especially for buyers entering the market for the first time. The election, interest rates and a more positive economic outlook were all factors in November's performance.

2024 can only be described by many as volatile. While the summer buyer season may not have performed as well as in prior years, our fall and winter activity remain strong. While we expect a slower December, we may be pleasantly surprised by the remaining winter months. This report shows a great time to sell, a great time to invest, a great time to look for your forever home. I would like to close by saying it's been an honor to serve you as your real estate pro and wish everyone a joyful holiday season, a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year. See you in 2025.



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Community of Hope presents wish list for lawmakers

BULLETIN REPORT

Mesilla Valley Community of Hope is looking for nearly \$9 million from state lawmakers to expand services, according to a presentation on Dec. 2.

The money would help cover some of the costs of four projects outlined during a Las Cruces City Council meeting. Government entities and quasi-governmental entities like Community of Hope can receive state money through capital outlay or appropriation. The money typically goes towards brick-and-mortar

projects.

The city's chief administrative officer, Barbara Bencomo, said Community of Hope was looking for \$8.8 million. The proposed projects include:

- \$5 million for The Kitchens, a 20,000-square-foot soup kitchen and licensed commercial community kitchens
- \$410,000 to convert an existing patio into a de-escalation office
- \$600,000 for the planning, designing and construction of a solar project for Amador Health Center and El Caldito Soup Kitchen

• \$2.7 million for roadway and pedestrian improvements, including two HAWK systems, a bus/turning lane, a third emergency exit driveway, lateral, trail development/fencing and parking lot renovations as part of the Mesilla Valley master plan implementation.

The Las Cruces City Council voted unanimously to approve a resolution containing the recommendations, although COH can submit the request independently.

The legislative session begins Jan. 21.

SPOT FRAUD. STOP FRAUD.

Prevent fraud by knowing exactly how to spot it before it happens! If an offer looks too good to be true — quick, easy money offers, unsolicited job offers on social media, impersonators requesting a money transfer, or voice calls and text messages asking for login credentials — it's probably a scam. Follow these simple steps to stay safe from fraud.

HOW TO PREVENT FRAUD

1. Stop and analyze the situation

Is the seller, company, charity, organization or person credible? Contact the local or state consumer agencies to verify the legitimacy of the company. Verify the phone number on the company's website or the person's identity before giving out any of your personal information or clicking any links.

2. Never give out your personal information

Scammers can email or call asking you to verify your personal information. Do NOT give them any information, including one-time passcodes. Most reputable companies will not initiate contact to ask for your information.

3. Contact your financial institution immediately

If you've given out your personal information or a one-time passcode, time is of the essence. The sooner you contact your financial institution, the better.

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Classifieds

Help Wanted Full-Time

DACC, a responsive, accessible, comprehensive, learning-centered community college that provides education opportunities to a diverse community of learners is inviting candidates to apply for the following vacant position:

Program Coordinator Posting #501659

Required Education: Bachelor's degree in a related field. **Equivalency:** An Associate's degree and two (2) years of related experience; or, four (4) years of related experience may substitute for the Bachelor's degree.

Required Experience: No previous work experience required.

Equivalency:

An Associate's degree and two (2) years of related experience; or, four (4) years of related experience may substitute for the Bachelor's degree.

Classification Summary Plans and coordinates the day-to-day fiscal, administrative, and operational activities of a narrowly defined funded program/project

or set of funded activities.

The program/project is usually focused to a single purpose, may be scientific, research, educational, or service oriented, and may exist as a discreetly funded subset of an integrated, grant-funded program activity. Provides administrative support in the development, implementation, and marketing of program/project function.

For a complete job announcement and to apply for position, please visit: Program Coordinator - Doña Ana Community College, New Mexico, United States

Deadline to apply for this position is Dec 13, 2024

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DACC, a responsive, accessible, comprehensive, learning-centered community college that provides education opportunities to a diverse community of learners is inviting candidates to apply for the following vacant position:

Systems Developer Posting #501664

Required Education: Bachelor's degree in a related field.

Required Experience: Three (3) years of experience directly related to the standard duties as outlined.

Classification Summary

Under supervision, performs work that is varied and may be somewhat difficult, but usually involves limited responsibility. Responsible for overall systems infrastructure including engineering, implementation and integration, and technical services and support.

For a complete job announcement and to apply for position, please visit: Systems Developer - Doña Ana Community College, New Mexico, United States

Deadline to apply for this position is Jan 1, 2025

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DACC, a responsive, accessible, comprehensive, learning-centered community college that provides education opportunities to a diverse community of learners is inviting candidates to apply for the following vacant position:

Academic Advisor, Nursing Posting #501692

Required Education: Bachelor's degree in a related field

Required Experience: No previous work experience required.;

Classification Summary

Provides academic advisement for prospective, current, and former students within a specified undergraduate academic department or equivalent unit of a college. Assesses aca-

ademic level, attends to student inquiries, assists in problem resolution, and advises on program changes, and in the development of academic plans and schedules. Analyzes applications, transfer evaluations, and transcripts for entry and exit from the university. Maintains appropriate records. May establish programs for target recruitment and retention and develop program and marketing materials.

For a complete job announcement and to apply for position, please visit: Academic Advisor, Nursing - Doña Ana Community College, New Mexico, United States

Deadline to apply for this position is 01/04/2025

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Admin Assistant, Inter. Posting #501651

Required Education: High School diploma or GED certificate.

Required Experience: Three (3) years of experience related to the standard duties as outlined.

Equivalency: None

Classification Summary Under direct supervision, provides administrative support to an Academic Department Head/Director or equivalent level supporting a department or group of professionals. Compiles and analyzes basic information for inclusion in reports or presentation materials, prepares charts, graphs, or tables. Receives and responds to routine correspondence following established procedures not requiring management review. Requires the ability to exercise independent judgment and employ basic reasoning skills.

For a complete job announcement and to apply for position, please visit: Admin Asst, Inter - Doña Ana Community College,

New Mexico, United States

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Lead Cashier Posting #501652

Required Education: High School diploma or GED certificate

Required Experience: One (1) year of experience related to the standard duties as outlined.;

Classification Summary Oversee the daily cash depositing into financial institutions. Researches and resolves invalid credit card transactions. Assist in reconciling subsidiary accounts with general accounts.

Provide training, and instruction to staff. Perform routine cashier audits. For a complete job announcement and to apply for position, please visit: Lead Cashier - Doña Ana Community College, New Mexico, United States

Deadline to apply for this position is 12/18/2024

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

Case No. D-307-CV-2024-01649 U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE, AS SUCCESSOR TO U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE, FOR BEAR STEARNS HOME LOAN OWNER TRUST 2001-A, Plaintiff,

vs. MARICELA POE, WIDOW OF CHARLES A. POE, DECEASED; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, BY AND THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF VETERAN'S AFFAIRS; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; TAXATION AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO; AND CARRINGTON MORTGAGE SERVICES, LLC, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana

County, New Mexico, commonly known as 5053 Apache Trail, Las Cruces, NM 88005, and more particularly described as: LOT 33A, ELEPHANT BUTTE LAND AND TRUST CO. SUBDIVISION "C" REPLAT NO. 21, IN THE COUNTY OF DONA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON MARCH 24, 1997, IN BOOK 18, PAGE 657 OF PLAT RECORDS. If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale will begin at 9:00 a.m. on January 17, 2025, outside the front entrance of the Dona Ana County Third Judicial District Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, NM 88005, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment entered on November 13, 2024 in the amount of \$45,795.60, with interest at the rate of 16.990% per annum from October 1, 2024 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 any improvements will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all utility liens, special assessments, and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff, 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 of the Property, if any, and zoning, housing, or other municipal code 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 TO THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING. By: /s/ Robert Doyle Robert Doyle c/o Legal Process Network PO Box 279 Sandia Park, NM 87047

Dates: 11/22, 11/29, 12/06, 12/13, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2024-00536 LAKEVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC, Plaintiff,

Vs.

SHAWN M. QUIGLEY and KIMBERLEY M. QUIGLEY, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on

January 17, 2025, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the outside the main entrance of the Dona Ana County District Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho Ave, Las Cruces, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 2702 Claude Dove Drive, Las Cruces, and is situate in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows: A tract of land situate within the Corporate Limits of the City of Las Cruces, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, being part of Lot 2, Block 3, Amended Ridgecrest, plat filed December 30, 1964, in Book 9, Pages 33-34, of the Dona Ana County Records, and being more particularly described as follows, to wit: BEGINNING at a nail found on the Southerly line of Claude Dove Drive for the Northwest corner of this tract: IDENTICAL to the Northwest corner of Lot 2, Block 3, Amended Ridgecrest Addition, plat filed December 30, 1964, in Book 9, Pages 53-54, of the Dona Ana County Records; THENCE, from the point of beginning, along the Southerly line of Claude Dove Drive, N. 47 deg 10'32" E., a distance of 72.82 feet to a nail found for the Northeast corner of this tract; THENCE, leaving Claude Dove Drive, S. 42 deg. 49'28" E., a distance of 110.00 feet to a shiner found for the Southeast corner of this tract; THENCE S. 47 deg. 10'32" W., a distance of 72.82 feet to a nail found

for the Southwest corner of this tract; THENCE N. 42 deg. 49'28" W., a distance of 110.00 feet to the point of beginning. THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on November 18, 2024, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$199,511.90 and the same bears interest at 3.250% per annum from November 16, 2024, to the date of sale. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any,

and zoning violations concerning the property, if any. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one month right of redemption. Electronically filed /s/ Robert Doyle Robert Doyle, Special Master P.O. Box 279 Sandia Park, NM 87047 505-417-4113 **Dates: 11/29, 12/06, 12/13, 12/20, 2024**

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 7, 2024, Cruz Talavera, 2086 W. Ohara Rd, Chamberino, NM 88027 filed with the **STATE ENGINEER** Application No. LRG-6832-POD2, OSE File No. LRG-6832, 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-6832, located within the SW ¼ NE ¼ NW ¼ of projected Section 20, Township 26 South, Range 3 East (NMPM), more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 02' 14.6" N 106° 39' 40.6" W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant, and by drilling new well LRG-6832-POD2, to a depth of 120 ft. with a 12 in. casing, to be located within the SW ¼ NE ¼ NW ¼ of said projected Section 20, more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 02' 13.5" N 106° 39' 44.2" 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 4 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the SW ¼ NE ¼ NW ¼ of said projected Section 20, as described in part by Subfile No. LRS-28-013-0054 Right A of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-23. Old well LRG-6832 will be plugged. The proposed site of new well LRG-6832-POD2 is located east of Chamberino, NM and may be found at the property address of 2086 W. Ohara Rd, Chamberino, NM. 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 asserting 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). If the protest does not include the complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address, it may be deemed

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invalid and not accepted for filing unless Protestant provides with the protest an affidavit stating that it does not have one of the above-listed elements/requirements (phone number, mailing address, email address, etc.). 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 January 31, 2025. 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: 11/29, 12/06, 12/13, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Cause No. D-307-PB-1024-00145
Judge: Arrieta, Manuel L
In the Matter of the Estate BEATRICE HARPER, Deceased.
NOTICE TO

CREDITORS NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that Justin Harper, Jr. and Keri Hulsey Schneider have been appointed Co-Personal Representatives 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 with the Court. The attorney for the Co-Personal Representatives is William L. Lutz of the law firm of Martin & Lutz, P.C., 2110 North Main Street, Las Cruces, New Mexico, 88001. DATED this 21 day of November 2024.
/s/ Justin Harper Jr.
Justin Harper Jr.
Co-Personal Representative
2502 Meyer Cove.
Unit B
Pflugerville TX 78660
/s/ Keri Hulsey
Keri Hulsey
Co-Personal Representative
6971 Kenwood Ave.
Dallas, TX 75214
Dates: 11/29, 12/06, 12/13, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DOÑA ANA COUNTY
No. 23-0245
In the Matter of the Estate of James R Spradley a/k/a James Spradley, deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HERE-BY 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., Room 1-200, Las Cruces, NM 88007
Dated: October 19, 2023
/s/ Karin A Reyes
a/k/a Karin Reyes
Karin A Reyes a/k/a Karin Reyes
182 Amy Lane
Boling, TX 77420
575-644-9601
Karinreyes97@gmail.com
Dates: 12/06, 12/13, 12/20, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA IN THE PROBATE COURT
No. 24-0328
IN RE ESTATE OF WILLIAM MORRIS HARRISON JR.
A/K/A WILLIAM MORRIS HARRISON, DECEASED
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HERE-BY 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 Betty S. Brown Harrison c/o Elisa Samanigo, Kemp Smith LLP, 221 N. Kansas, Suite 1700, El Paso, Texas 79901, or filed with the Probate Court of Doña Ana County, New Mexico, located at 845 N. Motel Blvd., Rm. 1-201, Las Cruces, NM 88007.
Dated: November 25, 2024
BETTY S. BROWN HARRISON, Personal Representative of the Estate of William Morris Harrison, Jr., a/k/a William Morris Harrison, Deceased
Dates: 12/06, 12/13, 12/20, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
N. D-307-DM-2024-882
Lourdes Martinez, Petitioner
In the Matter of the Kinship Guardianship of L.A.H, a child and concerning Juana Hernandez & John Doe,
Respondent.
NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO to John Doe, Respondent.

Greetings: You are hereby notified that Lourdes Martinez, Petitioner, filed a Petition to Appoint Kinship Guardian for L.A.H. against you in the above-entitled court and cause. Unless you enter your appearance and written response in this cause on or before thirty (30) days after the last date of publication, a judgment by default will be entered against you.
Lourdes Martinez
229 Buckhorn Dr.,
Las Cruces, NM 88005
Dates: 12/06, 12/13, 12/20, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
Case No. D-307-DM-2024-604
Judge Rebecca C. Duffin
Raymond B. Brunson, Petitioner
V.

Jody M. Brunson, Respondent.
NOTICE OF SUIT
To Jody M. Brunson, Respondent: Take notice that a lawsuit has been filed against you. The subject of this lawsuit is: Divorce without children. 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: Raymond B. Brunson
11910 Soldier Ct.
Las Cruces, NM 88007
WITNESS the Honorable Rebecca C. Duffin, 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 9th day of October, 2024.
Bernice A. Ramos
Clerk of the District Court
/s/ Yvette Lopez
Dates: 02/16, 02/23, 03/01, 2024

NOTICE is hereby given that on October 30, 2024, Jacob J. VanBrandwijk and Nicole M. VanBrandwijk, 5225 Shalem Colony Trail Las Cruces, NM 88007 filed with the **STATE ENGINEER** Application No. LRG-15834-POD2, OSE File No. LRG-15834-1, 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-15834-POD1, located within the SE¼ SE ¼ SE ¼ of Section 29, Township 23 South, Range 3 East (NMPM), more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 21' 32.8" N 106° 51' 15.7" W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant, and by drilling new well LRG-15834-POD2, to a depth of 160 ft. with a 4 in. casing, to be located within the SE ¼ SE ¼ SE ¼ of Section 29, Township 23 South, Range 1 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 21' 32.4" N 106° 51' 15.7" W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant, for the continued diversion of 3.0 acre feet per annum for domestic household purposes. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22. Old well LRG-15834-POD1 will be plugged. The proposed site of new well LRG-15834-POD2 is located west of Las Cruces, NM and may be found at the property address of 5225 Shalem Colony Trail, Las Cruces, NM. 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 **January 17, 2025**. 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.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
Case No. D-307-DM-2024-678
Judge Robert Lara Brytney Gillingham, Petitioner,
V.
Salvatore LoPorto
Respondent,
NOTICE OF SUIT
To Salvatore LoPorto, Respondent: Take notice that a lawsuit has been filed against you.

The subject of this lawsuit is: Custody & Paternity. 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. This lawsuit is not about real property.
Petitioner's Name
Brytney Gillingham
1955 E Colorado Ave.
Apt 18, Las Cruces, NM 88001
360-954-0692
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 18th day of November 2024
Bernice A. Ramos
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
/s/ Yvette Lopez
Deputy
Dates: 12/06, 12/13, 12/20, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
No. D-307-PB-2024-00220
Judge Manuel I. Arrieta
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DOROTHY DALTON, Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HERE-BY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed the Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this 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 in care of Joseph M. Holmes, P.A., PO Box 366, Las Cruces,

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New Mexico 88004-0366, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005. Dated: October 28, 2024
/s/ Virginia Pacheco Virginia Pacheco, Personal Representative of the estate of Dorothy Dalton, Deceased
PREPARED & SUBMITTED BY:
JOSEPH M. HOLMES, P.A.
PO Box 366
Las Cruces, NM 88004-0366
(575) 524-0833
holmespa@zianet.com
/s/ Joseph M. Holmes
Joseph M. Holmes
Attorney for the Estate
Dates: 12/06, 12/13, 12/20, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DOÑA ANA COUNTY

No. 24-0339
In the Matter of the Estate of Jo Ann Hoffman, 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., Room 1-200, Las Cruces, NM 88007
Dated: December 2, 2024
/s/ Constance A. McCauley
Constance A. McCauley
5060 Minnie Rd
Las Cruces, NM 88011
575-649-6127
sismccauley@gmail.com
Dates: 12/06, 12/13, 12/20, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO DONA ANA COUNTY THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

D-307-CV-2024-02327
Judge Arrieta
ESTATE OF BENJAMIN R. LUCERO,
by and through its personal representative, Dorene Lucero,
Petitioner,

v.
SARAH JOSEPHINE GARCIA, SWEET MIRACLE GENESIS HERRERA, VICTORIA NEMESIS HERRERA, DANIEL PAUL GARCIA, and ANY UNKNOWN CLAIMANT, Respondents.
NOTICE TO DANIEL PAUL GARCIA
Petitioner hereby gives notice that it has filed the above-captioned petition asking the Court to declare that it is the sole owner of the property known in the County Assessor's records as 1426 Second Street in Las Cruces, New Mexico, that any interest of the Respondents be extinguished, and that title be forever quieted in Petitioner's name. If you desire to protest this Petition, then you must file a response with the Third Judicial District Court, 201 W. Picacho Street, Las Cruces, New Mexico, 88005, no later than January 13, 2025. You may contact Petitioner's attorney, Annie Mason, with

questions or concerns, at (575) 281-5018 or at annie@legalmindsnm.com
/s/ Annie Mason
Dates: 12/13, 12/20, 12/27, 2024

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given that the following property shall be sold at public auction or otherwise disposed of, in satisfaction of lien, in accordance with the New Mexico Self Storage Lien Act.

To be held over the internet at storage-treasures.com
By DISCOUNT SELF STORAGE
5395 Bataan Memorial W
LAS CRUCES, NM 88012
575 541-5760
BEGINNING ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 7TH, 2025 AT 10 A.M. AND ENDING ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 10TH, 2025 AT 10 A.M.
THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF STORAGE UNITS: 120
Tenant address is "last known."

UNIT 120
LANA ROBERTS
4595 Camino Dos Vidas
Las Cruces, NM 88012
Unit items consist of: Boxes, bags, Halloween decorations, Misc. items
Dates: 12/13, 12/20, 2024

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By DISCOUNT SELF STORAGE
2190 HOLIDAY AVE
LAS CRUCES, NM 88005
575 525-9056
BEGINNING ON

TUESDAY, December 31, 2024 AT 10 A.M. AND ENDING ON FRIDAY, January 3, 2025 AT 10 A.M.

THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF STORAGE UNITS: 54, 56, 59, A21, A28, A32, A47, B09, B27, D11, D26, D34, I34, I40, L06, L08, N04, O23, P15, P23, Q02,
Tenant address is "last known."

Unit 54
Alfred M Silva
533 Melendrez #54
Las Cruces, NM 88001
Unit items consist of: Boxes, misc items.

Unit 56
Salina E Morales
2733 Sandhill Rd.
Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist of: Furniture, bed frame, clothes, misc items

Unit 59
Shakira M Garcia
4175 Bataan Memorial West #1
Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist of: Furniture, tires, tools, tile, misc items.

Unit A21
Shakira M Garcia
4175 Bataan Memorial West #1
Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist of: Furniture, toys, garden tools, baby stroller, misc items.

Unit A28
Adolfo Ortiz
1410 Lafonda Dr
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Unit items consist of: Boxes, misc items.

Unit A34
Wilma Aguirre
1260 Hall Ave
Las Cruces, NM 88005

Unit items consist of: Big screen TV, Drawers, couch, sofa chair, boxes, plastic totes, misc items.

Unit A47
Lisa Florez
P.O Box #5
Mesquite, NM 88048
Unit items consist of: Boxes, Misc items.

Unit B09

Arturo Regalado
5812 Chula Vista
Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist of: Generator, bed frame, boxes, bags, misc items.

Unit B27
Ashley M Chavez
5035 Davis Rd
Las Cruces, NM 88011

Unit items consist of: Washer/Dryer, furniture, electronics, misc items.

Unit D11
Quest L. Jones
808 E Idaho Ave. #10
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Unit items consist of: Boxes, mannequins, couch, table, trunk, misc items.

Unit D26
Eduardo Vasquez
825 N Telshor
Apt# 11
Las Cruces, NM 88005

Unit items consist of: Clothing, boxes, totes, luggage, misc items.

Unit D34
Evangelina Guthrie
341 Salopeck Blvd
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Unit items consist of: Dryer, furniture, boxes, misc items.

Unit I34
Devin R Acosta
3901 Calle Las Margaritas #28
Las Cruces, NM 88007

Unit items consist of: Furniture, boxes, totes, misc items.

Unit I40
Socorro Cardenas
2845 El Camino Real
Las Cruces, NM 88007

Unit items consist of: totes, boxes, furniture, misc items.

Unit L06
Devin Bracamonte
970 Aloe Vera Sp. 6
Las Cruces, NM 88007

Unit items consist of: Furniture, boxes, electronics, misc items.

Unit L08
Ivan Barraza
9230 Green Hill Ct
Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist

of: Grill, hydraulic track, furniture, misc items.

Unit N04
Cynthia Moliona
6872 Gopher Rd Las Cruces, NM 88012
Unit items consist of: Furniture, boxes, bags, misc items .

Unit O23
Rudy Trujillo
1353 Mogollon
Las Cruces, NM 88001

Unit items consist of: Totes, beds, furniture, kids toys, misc items. .

Unit P15
Richard M Martinez
579 Apache Country Rd., Show Low, AZ
85901

Unit items consist of: Furniture, appliances, boxes, misc items.

Unit P23
Melody Lozoya
2405 W Picacho
Las Cruces, NM 88007

Unit items consist of: Totes, bags, clothing.

Unit Q02
Brigido E Martinez
602 McClure #33
Las Cruces, NM 88007

Unit items consist of: Totes, clothes, books, misc items.

Dates: 12/13, 12/20, 2024

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT

The City Council of the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, Hereby Gives Notice of its Intent to Adopt the Following Ordinance(s) at the Regular City Council Meeting Held on January 6, 2025:
Council Bill No. 25-018; Ordinance No. 3089: An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance and Sale of the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico Taxable Municipal Gross Receipts Tax (One-Half Percent) Revenue Bonds, Series 2025 in an Aggregate Principal Amount Not to Exceed \$21,000,000 for the Purpose of Paying, Discharging, and Satisfying the City's Risk Manage-

ment Measures Entered into in the Full and Final Release of All Claims and Indemnity Agreement with Estate of Teresa Gomez, et al. v. City of Las Cruces, et al., CIV-23-00952 and Paying the Costs of Issuance of the Bonds; Providing for the Method of Sale of the Bonds Pursuant to a Negotiated Public Sale with an Underwater; Providing for the Maturity and Amounts, Interest Rates, Prices, Redemption Features and Other Final Terms of the Bonds to be Established in a Pricing Certificate; Delegating Authority to the City Manager and City Financial Services Director to Execute and Deliver a Pricing Certificate and Bond Purchase Agreement for the Sale of the Series 2025 Bonds; and Providing for Other Details Concerning the Bonds.

Copies Are Available for Inspection During Working Hours at the Office of the City Clerk. Witness My Hand and Seal of the City of Las Cruces on this the 9th day of December, 2024.

Dates: 12/13, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.: D-307-CV-2024-02038 IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,

vs.
KRISTY HUDDELESTON; NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY; THE 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 Defendants, Kristy Huddleston, to be published on: You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff Idaho Housing and Finance Association 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 3043 San Elizario Court, Las Cruces, NM 88007. The real property which is the subject matter of this action is legally described as follows: LOT 6, BLOCK B, LEGENDS WEST NORTH, PHASE 2A, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, 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 MAY 19, 2017, IN BOOK 24, PAGE(S) 225-227 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 #0225507 11/29/2024 12/6/2024 12/13/2024
Dates: 11/29, 12/06, 12/13, 2024

Star athlete looks to future, on and off the track

CRAIG MASSEY
For the Bulletin

Goals are a part of everything Kaselle Davis does. They are the beginning. What follows is mostly expected.

As the 2024 New Mexico High School state track and field championships approached last May, the conversation between Las Cruces High coach Jennifer Eatmon and Davis went something like this:

“I asked her what her goals were for state and she said, ‘Break records,’” Eatmon said.

She won gold medals in four individual events at the state meet – running an 11.8 in the 100 meters, 24.2 in the 200, 54.1 in the 400 and cleared 5-9 in the high jump. The 200 and 400 times were Class 5A state championship records.

“Kaselle is a hard worker and she definitely knows what she wants and how to get it,” Eatmon said. “Once she sets her mind to something, there’s no stopping her.”

Davis capped off her outstanding junior year by being named the Gatorade New Mexico Girls Track



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CRAIG MASSEY

Las Cruces High School track and field runner Kaselle Davis told her coach her goals were to break records and get the attention of colleges. She achieved both and has committed to Indiana University.

and Field Athlete of the Year. It was only her third year competing in track.

The daughter of a football-playing dad and a long-distance-running mom, Davis participated in gymnastics as a child, competitive cheer in elementary school and volleyball in middle school. During her freshman year at LCHS, she decided to give track a try because “my friends were doing it.”

“It was during my sophomore year that I thought, I can go somewhere with this,” she said. “During my junior year, my goal was to get looked at by colleges.”

Eatmon wasn’t surprised when the colleges started calling.

“Since I’ve been here (2016), we’ve had a lot of great kids with great talent,” she said. “We’ve had five or six go on to the next level. But Kaselle was going to a big school. She’s one of the top athletes

we’ve coached.”

Davis visited four schools: Indiana University, Arizona State University, Southern Methodist University and Mississippi State University. She chose Indiana and signed a scholarship offer with the Hoosiers last month.

“I had a bunch of calls and texts,” Davis said. “Some of the schools followed through and some didn’t. The four I visited were all good, but the moment I got to Indiana, it felt like home away from home.”

Davis has a 3.66 grade-point average at LCHS and plans to major in biology at Indiana. “Academics are very important to me,” she said.

Before moving to Indiana next fall, Davis has another track season ahead, one that will offer more opportunities to break records and improve physically and mentally. She expects to compete in the 200 and 400 at Indiana.

“There are strategies,” she said. “The 400 is a very mental race. It’s broken up into three or

four sections. You have to get out fast, maintain your speed in the middle and you have to kick it in the final 200. I do notice my opponents but I’m in my own world at the same time. The 400 is not for everyone. The 200 is more fast-paced and in the 100, it’s all about getting out (of the blocks) quickly.”

Eatmon said much of Davis’ success is due to the extra work she puts in on her own. “She knows what it takes to succeed, but she doesn’t stop there. She does things on her own.”

Davis is a regular at the gym, lifting weights “to get more explosive” and she’s also focused on maintaining a healthy diet.

A new season means new goals. Davis hopes to trim seconds off of her best times this spring. She also plans to run in Albuquerque in January to experience more competition and get some experience running in an indoor meet. Her long-term goals are to compete in the NCAA championships and the Olympic Trials.

“The national meets open more doors,” she said. “I want to run with the best.”

“Kaselle knows she has a gift,” said Eatmon. “All of our athletes are good, humble kids, but she takes that to another level.”

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 FRIDAY, DEC. 20 | 2 PM
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Getting into the flow helps your golf game

One of my favorite books in my substantial golf library is “They Played With A Quiet Mind” (1991) by Charles F. Kemp, a professor of pastoral psychology at Texas Christian University, a scratch golfer and psychological consultant to the PGA.

“The most effective attitude for winning golf is what we have chosen to call a ‘quiet mind.’ It is a freedom from tension and pressure, a sense of calm and serenity,” Kemp wrote. He cites examples of players who performed their best while feeling more positive and relaxed than ever, experiencing “peace of mind.”

Recently, Rick Sessinghaus, longtime swing

coach for Collin Morikawa, wrote an article for Golf Digest titled, “How Collin Morikawa quiets his mind.” One would think he had just been reading Kemp’s book. The previous July, Morikawa had missed a cut and finished T-64 at the RBC Heritage, the two worst finishes of his career to that point. “He was not in the correct headspace to play his best,” said Sessinghaus. “Besides the swing work, a big part of my coaching involves trying to get Collin in the right mental place to perform at his peak. In sports psychology terms, we call this the flow state – loosely de-

finied as being wholly immersed in an activity with a sense of heightened focus.” This was the very first reference to “flow” relative to golf I had seen in many, many years.

The concept of flow in positive psychology has been studied and researched since the early 1970s. The term was coined by University of Chicago psychologist Mihaly Csikszentmihalyi in 1970, which he described as “a state of concentration so focused that it amounts to absolute absorption in an activity.” He pointed out that the flow state can enhance every human

endeavor, including work, art, music, intimacy, recreation, sports and much more.

Csikszentmihalyi states that optimal experience is an end in itself. The activity that consumes us becomes intrinsically rewarding. In this way, it is an “autotelic” activity, referring to a self-contained endeavor that is done not with the expectation of future benefit, but simply because the doing itself is the reward. Avid recreational golfers don’t stick the tee in the ground expecting a big reward four hours later: They play because they cherish the experience. We play for the fun of it.

There are certain similarities with the flow

state and playing in the “zone.” In both cases, overthinking and self-consciousness are dampening aspects to performance. When someone in sports is described as playing in the zone, it’s often accompanied by being “out of his head,” “possessed,” “on fire,” or “unconscious.” They mean intensely focused, absorbed and consumed by what you’re doing. That’s flow. When professional golfer Al Geiberger (“Mr. 59”) became the first PGA Tour golfer in history to shoot 59 for 18 holes in tournament play in the 1977 Memphis Open, he said later, “The day I shot 59 I didn’t know I was in the zone, until I was out of the zone.”

If you want to create the conditions in your own activities where the flow state and optimal experience are possible, start by eliminating those things that block flow from developing. When you’re on the golf course, stop worrying, cancel negative thoughts, don’t over-analyze everything, do not complain, clean up bad habits. Tension, anger and nervousness should play no part in your demeanor on the golf course. Is it possible for you to enjoy the combination of the solitude of nature and the comfort of being with other people? Those folks who find themselves in a flow state experience joy. We all need to feel the joy when we play golf.



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