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**Tech Time Class: Intro to Computer Skills** 

10:30am-12:30 pm @ Main Branch. Free computer classes are available every week. Class size is limited to 10. No registration is required. Call (505) 863-1291 libtrain@gallupnm.gov.

# Maker Zone (all ages)

2-3pm @Children's Branch. We provide supplies, you provide ideas.

# **Get Up and Game**

4-5pm @ Children's Branch. Join us for a family-friendly video games Friday afternoon.

# Gallup Poetry Slam: An Ode to All We Love

6:30-8:30pm @ART123 Gallery. Try your hand at a love poem (to whatever your love, be it a person or chocolate ice cream!) in a Workshop with poet Masha Deykute from 6:30-7pm then share original or inspiring work in an Open Mic from 7-8:30pm.

#### SATURDAY, Feb. 3

# Story Time (ages 2-4)

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11am @ Children's branch. An active and energetic program for toddlers, featuring music, movement, rhymes, and stories.

# McKinley Citizens' Recycling Council

The monthly meeting of the McKinley Citizens' Recycling Council will be held today. Regular meetings are held at 2pm.

MONDAY, Feb. 5

**Tech Time: One-2One Tech Help** 

6-7pm @ Main Branch. The library is offering one-on-one technology assistance. Bring your personal technology devices or software questions to one of the scheduled sessions and our technology trainer will help guide you through the process. One-2-One Tech Help is on a first come first serve basis. Call (505) 863-1291 or email libtrain@gallupnm.gov.

#### Sound the Alarm

One day only the City of Gallup Office of Emergency Management, Gallup Fire Department and the American Red Cross will be teaming up to ensure you and your family are sage in 2018. If you currently live in the city limits and don't have a smoke detector or are not sure is working properly, call (505) 722-4195. Supplies limited.

TUESDAY, Feb. 6

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#### **Tech Time Class: Intro to the Internet**

3-5 pm @ Main. Branch. Free computer classes are available every week at the Main Library. Class size is limited to 10. No registration required. Call (505) 863-1291 or email: libtrain@gallupnm.gov.

#### Maker Zone (6 and older)

4-5 pm @ Children's Branch. We provide supplies, you supply the ideas.

#### **African Instruments**

6 pm @ Main Branch. The Library will host Camilla Dodson and her African instruments. Dodson will share the stories and cultures of Africa through music and audience participation using a variety of drums and other instruments. Learn about these amazing instruments and try one for yourself. Dodson is the daughter of a Lesotho Chief and was one of five people invited to speak when Nelson Mandela returned to Cape Town after 27 years in prison. Call the library at (505) 863-1291 or email libtrain@gallupnm.gov.

# **Guys Night Out**

6-7 pm Roosevelt Elementary. Join us for "Guys Night Out" at the Book Fair, shop, play, and snack.

#### WEDNESDAY, Feb. 7

#### Story Time (ages 2-4)

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10:30-11am @ Children's Branch. An active and energetic program for toddlers, featuring music, movement, rhymes, and stories.

# **Wednesday Night Films: Awake**

5:30-7pm @ Main branch. This week's movie, Ladder 49. Free popcorn provided.

# **Girls Night Out**

6-7pm @ Roosevelt Elem. Join us for "Girl's Night Out" at the Book Fair. Come to have fun. Get your nails painted, find a great boo and get a snack.

# THURSDAY, Feb. 8

#### **GMCS**

Red Rock 5th Grade Play @ 1:15pm.

Tech Time Class: Immediate MS Word

3-5 pm @ Main Branch. Free computer training is available each week. Class size is limited to 10 participants per session. No registration

# Crafty Kids (all ages)

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4-5 pm @ Children's Branch. Fun crafts for the whole family. *This week's activity*: **Tissue Roll Love Bug Valentine.** 

#### **ONGOING**

# City of Gallup's Sustainable Gallup Board

Meets on the first Monday from 3-5 pm at the Octavia Fellin Library. When those Mondays are holidays, the meetings ar on the following Monday. Community members concerned about conservation, energy, water, recycling and other environmental issues are welcome. Call (505) 722-0039 for information.

# **Churchrock Chapter**

Churchrock Chapter is now accepting toy donations for the Christmas toy drive until Wed. Dec. 20. The toys will be distributed at the annual community Christmas dinner on Thursday Dec. 21. Please drop off an unwrapped toy for distribution at Churchrock Chapter. Let's spread the Christmas cheer by giving. Call (505) 488-2166. Churchrock Chapter Adminsitration.

# **Co-Dependents Anonymous**

Meets Wednesday, 6-7 pm, at First United Methodist Church, 1800 Redrock Dr. (in the library). All are welcome.

# **Community Pantry**

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The Hope Garden offers organic produce for sale from 10 am-noon, Tue - Fri., 1130 E. Hassler Valley Road. All funds go to helping feed local folks. Call (505) 726-8068 or when visiting, ask for Vernon Garcia.

# **Friday Night Hootenanny**

Gallup's longest-running live show! Every Friday night from 7-9 pm. Camille's Sidewalk Cafe, 306 S. Second St.

# **Gallup-McKinley County Humane Society**

Wednesdays are low-cost Spay and Neuter Days, at the Gallup-McKinley County Humane Society. For more information, please call (505) 863-2616, or email: gmchumanesociety@gmail.com. Location: 1315 Hamilton Rd.

# **Gallup Solar**

Gallup Solar is hosting community conversations about all things solar Wednesdays from 6 to 8 pm at 113 E. Logan. Call: (505) 728-9246 for info on topics and directions.

# **Habitat for Humanity**

Habitat for Humanity yard sales are held every Saturday, 9 am-noon on Warehouse Lane, weather permitting. Volunteers wishing to serve on construction projects may sign up there or call (505) 722-4226.

#### **Habitat for Humanity - work sessions**

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Habitat for Humanity work sessions held each week. Volunteers to serve on decision making meetings or wish to volunteer at or help fund construction projects. Call Bill Bright at (505) 722-4226.

# **McKinley County Health Alliance**

McKinley County Health Alliance convenes on the second Wednesday of the month from 11 am-1pm at the New Mexico Cancer Center across from UNM-Gallup. Everyone is welcome to attend and engage in discussions about health, education, economic, and environmental inequities and to help facilitate change in those systems. Call (505) 906-2671.

# **Overeaters Anonymous**

Overeaters Anonymous 12-step meetings. Held every Saturday at 10 am. The First Methodist Church, 1800 Red Rock Drive. Open to anybody who has a desire to stop compulsive eating. Contact info. (505) 307-5999, (505) 721-9208, or (505) 870-1483.

#### Recycling Council

McKinley Citizens Recycling Council is a local nonprofit working to increase recycling through education, community outreach, and partnership with local government agencies. MCRC meets the first Saturday of the month at 2 pm, at Red Mesa on Hill St. For more information, please call (505) 722-5142 or visit Recylegallup.org. The monthly meeting of the McKinley Citizens' Recycling Council regularly scheduled for 2 pm on first Saturdays at the Red Mesa Center is cancelled for November. MCRC encourages the community instead to come celebrate America Recycles Day at the Arts & Crafts Fair and Recycling Jamboree on Nov. 4 at the Gallup Community Service Center from 9 am - 3 pm. Contact: Gerald / Millie (505) 722-5142

#### Support Early Language and Literacy for School Success!

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Gallup McKinley County Schools is currently recruiting pregnant women and teens in McKinley County with children from birth to 5 years of age. There are no income guidelines and services are free to ALL community members. Learn more about this opportunity by contacting BeBe Sarmiento at (505) 721-1055.

# **Turquoise Nation Little League (Registration)**

Please bring: original birth certificate, immunization record, money order payable to: Turquoise Nation Little League. Call (928) 309-0215.

Sat., Feb. 3—Window Rock Flea Market

Sat., Feb. 10—Window Rock Flea Market

Sat., Feb. 17—Window Rock Flea Market

Sat., Feb. 24—Window Rock Flea Market

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

#### **Pregnancy Center Pancake Breakfast**

On Feb. 10, join your family, friends, and neighbors at the Hands of Hope Pregnancy Center Pancake Breakfast, 8-11am. Location: PeeWee's Kitcehn, 1644 S 2<sup>nd</sup> St. Tickets are \$5 and are available at Hands of Hope, 120 S. Boardman or from volunteers. Donations accepted. Call: (505) 722-7125.

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# **Show Opening: David Montelongo: An Artistic Journey**

On Feb. 10, 6-8pm @ART Gallery. See a lifetime's worth of watercolors, ceramics and drawings and meet the artist.

# Wine & Painting

On Feb. 22, 6-9 pm @ART123 Gallery. Register at www.galluparts.org.

# **Artist Business Management Workshop**

On Feb. 28, 1-4 pm@ ART123 Gallery. Get pointers on starting an art business and business basics from Teddy Draper. Register www.galluparts.org

# gallupARTS Announces ArtsCrawl Lineup

gallupARTS is excited to announce the next season of ArtsCrawl, which kicks off on Saturday, March 10 from 7 - 9pm with the theme "Time Travel." The entire 2018 lineup is outlined below:

March 10 - Time Travel; April 14 - Say What?!; May 12 - Pop; June 9 - Out of Hand

July 14 – Up in the Air; August 11 – Road Trip; September 8 – On the Wild Side; October 13 – Sixth Sense:

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Black & White; and **December 8** – Let's Have a Ball.