

FRIDAY Nov. 18

Native American Heritage Month

Throughout November: “Leading the Way to Healthier Nations” Bahe Whitethorne Jr. – artist exhibition. Bahe Whitethorne Jr. will have his work on display at the Main Library. Whitethorne Jr.’s art is inspired from his father and from graphic novels. This mix of traditional and contemporary techniques makes his work stand out. Octavia Fellin Public Library, 115 W. Hill Ave.

Family Movie

4 pm: a family film for everyone to enjoy. Children’s Branch, 200 W. Aztec Ave. This week: *Lilo and Stitch*

Tuba City Christmas Tree Lighting

As always, this is a community Christmas tree. It is you tree — a tree that will bring your family together once again, to laugh, to giggle, to cheer and “Rock Around the Christmas Tree.” Hogan Family Restaurant parking lot, 10 Main St., Tuba City, Ariz.

SATURDAY Nov. 19

2nd Annual Craft Fair/ Golden Angel Giving Tree Kick Off Event

Booths, \$25. Big cupcake cake walk. Rio West Mall, 1300 W. Maloney Ave.

Understanding Hospice

Nov. 19, 10 am – noon: What, why, who and when? Get your questions answered. Robert Keene, dementia educator, is providing the following community programs in November. There is no charge to attend, however, participants are asked to pre-register. For more information, contact Robert at (505) 615-8053.

Bahe Whitethorne Jr. – Comic Art

2 pm: comic book artist and painter Bahe Whitethorne Jr. gives a presentation at the Children's Branch. Bahe Whitethorne, Jr. is a Navajo (Diné), and a member of the Blackstreak Wood People clan. He was born and raised in Flagstaff, Arizona, where he has been influenced by comic books, graphic novels, and children's picture books, plus a big inspiration from his father, renowned Navajo artist Bahe Whitethorne, Sr. Children's Branch, 200 W. Aztec Ave.

Overeaters Anonymous

Overeater's Anonymous 12-step meetings. Held every Sunday at 6 to 7 pm. at the Hozho Center. 216 W. Maloney. Open to anybody who has a desire to stop compulsive eating. Contact info. (505) 307-5999, (505) 721-9208 or (505) 870-1483.

SUNDAY Nov. 20

Church of the Holy Spirit

Join us for the Holy Eucharist. Begins: 10:30 am. For more information, please call (505) 863-4695. Location: 1334 S. Country Club Dr.

The Plateau Sciences Society

2:30 pm, Nov. 20 at the Red Mesa Center, 105 W. Hill Ave. Pam Maples will present the documentary *Clean Up: Why & How*. The projected climate change is expected to make this region hotter and drier within the coming years. A program being conducted on the Navajo Nation is designed to clean up all residual storage tanks that may be contaminating local water supplies. This project may be limited in scope, but in years to come, every drop saved will be important. There will be time for discussion afterwards. For more information, contact Martin Link, (505) 863-6459.

TUESDAY Nov. 22

Poet Max Early

6 pm: the Library hosts Laguna potter and poet Max Early, a traditional potter from the Laguna Pueblo who has won many awards and is featured in art museums around the country. Early's also an award-winning poet who continues to celebrate his culture and the New Mexico landscape in his works. His book of poems *Ears of Corn: Listen* is a tribute to his culture and his people. He will read from his works as well as talk about his life and traditions. Octavia Fellin Public Library, 115 W. Hill Ave.

WEDNESDAY Nov. 23

Toddler Time (ages 2 to 4)

An active and energetic program for toddlers, featuring music, movement, rhymes, and stories. Starts: 10:30 am. Children's Branch, 200 W. Aztec Ave. **Free**

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Maker's Club (ages 7 and up)

A club for kids interested in science, math, building, and inventing. Each week features a different challenge, project, or experiment. Starts: 5 pm. Children's Branch, 200 W. Aztec Ave.

Open-Mic Night

Local talent takes center stage from 7:30 - 9:30 pm at Coal Street Pub, 303 W. Coal Ave. (505) 722-0117.

THURSDAY Nov. 24

Crafty Kids (All ages)

Fun crafts for the whole family (all ages). Starts at 4 pm. Children's Branch, 200 W. Aztec Ave.

ONGOING

ArtsCrawl

ArtsCrawl is held the second Saturday of every month from 7 to 9 pm, downtown Gallup.

Cars N Coffee

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Every Sunday in the Camille's parking lot from noon to 2 pm. Check out cars – new, old, vintage, and bikes. Cruise at 1:30 pm. Camille's Sidewalk Cafe, 306 S. Second St.

Childbirth Education Class

RMCHC Women's Health Unit offers childbirth education classes, at no charge, every second Saturday of the month in the RMCH Library, 1901 Red Rock Drive, from 9 am-1 pm. Contact WHU at (505) 863-7026.

City of Gallup's Sustainable Gallup Board

First Monday of the month, from 3 - 5 pm. Community members concerned about conservation, energy, water, recycling, and other environmental issues are welcome. Call Bill Bright at (505) 722-0039 for information. Octavia Fellin Public Library: 115 W. Hill Ave.

Community Pantry

The Hope Garden offers organic produce for sale from 10 am - noon, Tue – Fri., 1130 E. Hassler Valley Rd. 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

The nonprofit, Gallup Solar, is hosting free Solar 101 classes about all things related to off-grid solar systems on the first three Wednesdays of each month, 6 - 7 pm, at 113 E. Logan Ave. All welcome any week. No registration required. For info call: (505) 728-9246.

Habitat for Humanity Yard Sale

The fundraisers are open 9 am - noon every Saturday. If you have household items to donate or wish to volunteer on construction or another service call Bill Bright at (505) 722-4226, Warehouse Lane off Allison Road.

Karaoke

Friday nights: Karaoke at Sammy C's with DJ Marvelous. 9 pm. 107 W. Coal Ave. (505) 863-2220.

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.

SAVE THE DATE

Santa Arrives at Center Court

Nov. 25 at the Rio West Mall, 1300 W. Maloney Ave.

New Student Orientation UNM-G

Nov. 30: 5:30-7 pm; Dec. 3: 9:30-11:30 am; Dec. 14: 2-4 pm; Jan. 7: 9:30-11:30 am. For all incoming freshmen including transfer students. UNM-G, Student Services and Tech Center Room 200, 700 Gurley Ave.

Planning a Meaningful Funeral/Cremation

Nov. 30, 10 am – noon: Learn from an experienced former funeral home and cemetery employee. Robert Keene, Dementia Educator, is providing the following community programs in November. There is no charge to attend, however, participants are asked to pre-register. For more information, contact Robert at (505) 615-8053.

2016 Winter Arts & Craft Fair

Dec. 3 – 4 at the Larry Brian Mitchell Recreation Center, 700 Montoya Blvd. (505) 722-2619.

Pyramid Rock Trail Run

Dec. 3, registration begins at 8 am. Early registration costs \$25; after Nov. 26 it costs \$30. The event is a fundraiser for the choirs of Rehoboth and happens in conjunction with Red Rock Balloon Rally. Visit rcsnm.org to register.

Adopt a Grandparent

Bring joy to local elders by providing them with a gift. Navajo Health Education Program sponsors the event, which is looking for volunteers to adopt a grandparent from Ramah Senior Center, Tohatchi Senior Center, and Lupton Senior Center. Pick up a card from the tree at the NHEP office, (505) 726-8544; wrapped gifts should be dropped off no later than Dec. 12.