



# Isleta Pueblo News

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## From the Office of the Governor

### New Mexico Native American Economic Summit

The Isleta Resort and Casino played host to the 8th Annual New Mexico Native American Economic Summit held June 20 thru the 23, 2014. The Economic Summit was presented by both the American Indian Chamber of Commerce of New Mexico and the State of New Mexico Indian Affairs Department.

The Economic Summit was attended by Native American Tribal government representatives, elected officials, entrepreneurs, business owners, private industry, and State, Federal and Tribal government agencies from Alaska, Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, California, Washington DC, Georgia, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, Missouri, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Washington State and more, with a focus on working with New Mexico Companies.

The Summit showcased Economic Development projects on Native American Lands and Native American Businesses in New Mexico, success stories and grant / contracting opportunities for New Mexico Native American governments, Tribal entities, prospective entrepreneurs and business owners.

Agencies in attendance included the NM State Indian Affairs Department, NM State Economic Development Department, United States Department of Agriculture, Minority Business Development Agency, Department of Energy, Department of Defense, Department of Transportation, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Los Alamos and Sandia National Laboratories, Bernalillo County Purchasing and the City of Albuquerque Economic Development department. The Economic Summit was attended by Governor Eddie P. Torres, 1st Lt. Governor Antonio Chewiwi, 2nd Lt. Isidor Abeita and member of the Tribal Council.

### FIRE DANGER IN THE MANZANO MOUNTAINS

In consultation with Pueblo Traditional Leaders, Governor Torres has ordered that the Manzano Mountains on the Isleta reservation be closed to public access due to the high risk of fire, effective May 23, 2014 and until further notice. The mountains hold a sacred significance and a valuable resource that can only be protected by our personal commitment. Thank you for your understanding.

### Mountains - Desert Peaks designation

Friday, May 23, 2014, Secretary of the Interior Sally Jewel spoke to federal, state, tribal and local leaders celebrating President Obama's designation of the Organ Mountains-Desert Peaks National Monument in Las Cruces, NM. Governor Eddie P. Torres, Chairman of the All Pueblo Governors Council, attended the celebration representing the APGC Governors who supported the designation

of the National Monument by passing a resolution that was forwarded to President Obama. The event commenced with an opening prayer offered by Governor Torres.

### ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

On May 9, 2014, the Isleta Resort and Casino hosted the 2014 High School Graduate Banquet to recognize and celebrate with our all our youth who have successfully met set goals of scholastic achievement. Ms. Briana Roybal, High School Student Speaker, daughter of Rick and Karen Roybal, provided words of encouragement to all graduates. A special recognition of Life Time Educator was presented to Mrs. Dolores Abeita.

As a close knit community we all join the proud parents who have supported and encouraged our youth to set those future goals and pursue their dreams which will enrich their lives and our community. In our continued efforts to support our youth in their educational and career pursuits, we encourage their participation in our Internship program and scholarship programs. For more information, please contact the Governor's office or the Office of Higher Education.

### Attached is a listing of 2014 High School Graduates:

Cruz Abeita	Miranda Lente
Erica Abeita	Gabrielle Lucero
Haylee Ann Abeita	Kaitlyn Lucero
Kateri Abeita	Tristian Lucero
Michael A. Abeita	Jesse Maestas
Nathan Abeita	Marisa Montano
Ryan Abeita	Amy Montoya
Tracee Abeita	Armando Montoya
Adelene Armenta	Chad Murphy
Marisa Begay	Patricia Piro
Dezaray Benavidez	Tristian Povijua
Vanessa Bitsilly	Francine Reid
Joseph Brooks	Timothy Reid-Jaramillo
Joshua Cheromiah	Briana Roybal
Dawn Chewiwi	Simonie Salazar
Adrianna Edwards	Orlando Serna
Felicia Flores	Jerome Sutherland
James Gabaldon	Melissa Tenorio
Danielle Garcia	Myron Tenorio Jr.
Maria Gomez	Eddie Paul Torres III
Jessica Gurule	Nick Trujillo
Nikolas Gwin	Bradley Valencia
Jacqueline Harrison	Alejandro Velasquez
Arianna Herrera	Adam Waseta
Akasha Jiron	Nikki Waseta
Jacqueline Jiron	Brandon Weatherspoon
Marvin Jiron Jr.	Justin Yalch
Kaylee Jojola	Isziah Zuni
Brandi Keryte	

### 2014 GED Recipients

Bryce Jiron	Darren Jojola
Lucas Jiron	Devon Jojola
Paul Michael Jiron	Kazuko Walker

### GOVERNOR'S FEAST DAY JUNE 21, 2014

Governor Eddie P. Torres and his staff are

making plans for the Annual Governor's Feast Day scheduled for June 21, 2014. You are all invited to the Governor's Feast and we look forward to your attendance to this special celebration for our community.

In preparation for the feast day the Governor and Tribal Programs and Departments are planning a coordinated community clean-up of the village proper on Saturday, June 14, 2014, everyone is invited to participate. Poster will be posted announcing the community clean-up as a reminder.

### COMMUNITY MEETING MAY 10, 2014

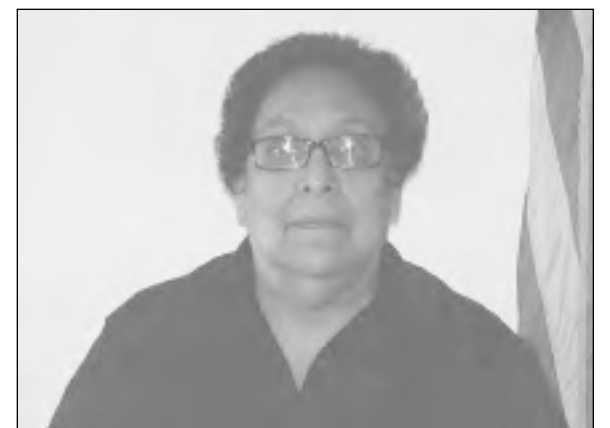
As your elected Governor, and in concert with the Tribal Council, I want to take the opportunity to thank all of you for your support by attending our second community meeting which served to provide you an update of tribal government services and ongoing and future community projects.

### CONGRATULATIONS

We are very proud to announce that Steve Abeita, POI Natural Resources Division Manager who is also a Captain in the NM Army National Guard (NMANG), who serves as an Environmental Science Officer, has been selected by the NMANG to become the state's Nuclear Medicine Science Officer. This assignment will require him taking an extended military leave of absence from the Pueblo starting on May 28, 2014. We are very proud of Captain Abeita's personal and professional accomplishments which serve as a fine example of the potential our youth have in their professional development of chosen careers.

### RETIREMENT

Our sincere congratulations to Ms. Betty Bennett on her retirement from the Isleta Police Department, effective May 16, 2014, after thirty three years of dedicated service with the Isleta Police Department. In Ms. Bennett's 33 years of service she has helped to make the police department a progressive, professional department helping place police communications in the forefront of technology.



Congratulations on your retirement and our sincere gratitude for a job well done.

### MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

Thank you again for your continued support and understanding, May the GREAT SPIRIT always look over you and keep you Safe.

## Irrigation Water Outlook - June 1 2014

The Isleta Water Commission and Tribal Council President Michael Lente hosted an Isleta Irrigators Informational Meeting on Wednesday, May 7, 2014. The purpose of the meeting was to inform Isleta farmers about water availability for the 2014 irrigation season.

Presentations were made by Mike Hamman, Bureau of Reclamation (BOR) Albuquerque Area Manager, Sandra Lucero, BIA Designated Engineer, Chris Banet, BIA Trust Resources Manager, David Gensler, MRGCD Hydrologist, and Derrick Lente, MRGCD Board Chairman.

Mr. Hamman reviewed the 2013-2014 snowpack and May NRCS Streamflow Forecast. This past winter was the fourth below average snowfall winter in a row. This has resulted in very low runoff into El Vado Reservoir which is where the MRGCD (District) and Prior and Paramount (P&P) irrigation water is stored. The inflow to El Vado is forecast to be only 32 percent of the 30-year average. As of May 21, 2014, 41,402 acre feet of water has been stored in El Vado and 30,700 acre feet is allocated to the Six Middle Rio Grande Pueblos (6MRG Pueblos) as Prior and Paramount water. On the bright side, Mr. Hamman presented the 90 day Precipitation Probability outlook and the Four Corners area of NM has a greater than 50 percent chance of above average precipitation. This forecasted rainfall may supplement the Natural Flow of the Rio Grande and extend the irrigation season for all farmers.

Mr. Gensler reviewed MRGCD storage and reported the following information. MRGCD has entered into an agreement with the Albuquerque Bernalillo County Water Utility Authority to borrow 20,000 acre feet of water for irrigation purposes. The MRGCD also has 20,000 acre feet of San Juan Chama water available for irrigation water. As of late May 2014, this MRGCD irrigation water will allow the District to operate through late June or early July. After the District water has been depleted, irrigation water for the 6MRG Pueblos will be supplied by the Natural Flow and P&P releases from El Vado. The District, BOR and

BIA, and the 6MRG Pueblos are discussing the option of decreasing the amount of stored water allocated as P&P and increasing the amount of stored water allocated as MRGCD in order for the MRGCD to operate into the middle or late July. The longer the District is able to provide irrigation water for all farmers, the more likely it is that the water stored for P&P will last until the end of the irrigation season on November 15, 2014. No decisions have been made regarding the water storage allocations as of June 1, 2014.

Ms. Lucero and Mr. Banet summarized the P&P storage calculation and briefly described the history of P&P storage and releases, including the 1981 Agreement and the Evaporation/Transpiration Toolbox demand curve.

Mr. Derrick Lente discussed the ongoing negotiations between the BIA and the District on the Operation and Maintenance Agreement for the 6MRG Pueblos. He also described the procedures the District will implement during P&P releases to prevent unauthorized (non-Indian) use of this water as it travels through the system.

The meeting was opened to questions from Isleta farmers and assurances were made by the presenters that Isleta irrigators would receive a full supply of water through the end of the irrigation season.

The Isleta farming community is aware of the severity of the current drought and its impact on Indian and non-Indian farmers alike. It is important to remember that water deliveries to Isleta farmers this irrigation season may be very low and the ditches may not be full all the time. Scheduling of water deliveries with the Isleta Mayordomos will be necessary. If this happens, irrigation water may only be available every other week. Please work with your Mayordomos to make sure everyone receives adequate water in a timely manner. This will require watering when the water is available including watering at night and during the week. Farmers are urged to cooperate with their Mayordomos and fellow farmers and use the limited water supply wisely.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

**SECOND NOTICE.** A Petition to **Probate the Estate of Jose Edward Jojola, deceased March 30, 2010, Case No. CV-PR-0925-2013**, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Courts. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby requested to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice being posted. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for May 13, 2014 at 2:00 PM.

Claims must be filed in writing with the Isleta Tribal Court Clerk. If you have any questions, please contact the Tribal Court Clerk at (505) – 869 – 9699.

**SECOND NOTICE. NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME. TAKE NOTICE** that in accordance with Pueblo of Isleta Court requirements, the petitioner, **Elizabeth Jojola**, has to the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Courts for an **Order for change of Name** of the minor child **Jayden Kyle Anzara to Jayden Kyle Jojola**. Any person claiming an interest in this matter may notify the Isleta Tribal Court Clerk within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice being posted.

Claims must be submitted in writing with the Isleta Tribal Court Clerk. If you have any questions, please contact the Tribal Court Clerk at (505) – 869 – 9699.

**RE-SCHEDULED NOTICE OF HEARING. A Petition to Probate the Estate of Rey Louise Chiwewe, Case No. CV – PR – 0918 – 2013, has been rescheduled for Thursday, May 29, 2014 at 10:00 AM**

Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby requested to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice being posted.

Claims must be filed in writing with the Pueblo

of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk. If you have any questions, please contact the Tribal Court Clerk at (505) – 869 – 9699.

**SECOND NOTICE. A Petition to Probate the Estate of Jose Alfredo “Alfred” Lente, deceased March 2, 2013, Case No. CV – PR – 0019 -2014**, has been filed with the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Courts. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby requested to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for **Monday, June 30, 2014 at 1:30 PM.**

Claims must be filed in writing with the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk. If you have any questions, please contact the Tribal Court Clerk at (505) – 869 – 9699.

**SECOND NOTICE. A Petition to Probate the Estate of Maria Demacia Zuni, deceased February 15, 1993, Case No. CV – PR 0027 – 2014**, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Courts. Any person claiming an interest 30) days from the date of this notice being posted. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for **Thursday, July 1, 2014 at 3:00 PM.**

Claims must be submitted in writing with the Isleta Tribal Court Clerk. If you have any questions, please contact the Tribal Court Clerk at (505) – 869 – 9699.

**SECOND NOTICE. NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME. TAKE NOTICE** that in accordance with Pueblo of Isleta Court requirements, the petitioner, **Orlando Angelo Trujillo**, has to the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Courts for an **Order for Change of Name from, Orlando Angelo Trujillo to Lonnie Angelo Trujillo, Case No.**

**CV – NC – 0021 – 2014.** A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for **Thursday, June 19, 2014 at 1:30 PM.** Any person claiming an interest in this matter may notify the Isleta Tribal Court Clerk within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice being posted.

Claims must be filed in writing with the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk. If you have any questions, please contact the Tribal Court Clerk at (505) – 869 – 9699.

**A Petition to Probate to Estate of Elario Lucero, deceased June 9, 2007, Case No. CV – PR – 0050 – 2014**, has been filed with the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Courts. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby requested to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for Tuesday, July 29, 2014 at 10:00 AM.

Claims must be filed in writing with the Isleta Tribal Court Clerk. If you have any questions, please contact the Tribal Court Clerk at (505) 869 – 9699.

**A Petition to Probate the Estate of Tony P. Jojola, deceased August 4, 2006, Case No. CV – PR – 0046 – 2014**, has been filed with the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Courts. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby requested to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for **Tuesday, July 8, 2014, at 11:00 AM.**

Claims must be filed in writing with the Isleta Tribal Court Clerk. If you have any questions, please contact the Tribal Court Clerk at (505) 869 – 9699.

## Animal Control News

Hello folks, by the printing of this newsletter, IHS along with the Isleta Animal Control will have conducted a rabies vaccination clinic here at the pueblo. It is very important as an owner to have your pets vaccinated for rabies. We have had one positive case of rabies in an animal that came from here on the reservation in 2013. Thus far, we have had a few incidents of people being bitten by dogs this year. Rabies is a preventable disease. It is rare in humans, but if exposure occurs and left untreated it can be deadly. Pets that show signs of rabies must be euthanized for testing. To prevent this, vaccination is highly recommended. Those animals that have received a rabies vaccination during one of the clinics here should be vaccinated again in three (3) years or as recommended by your pets' veterinarian. The Pueblo of Isleta Animal Ordinance, Section 3.C, requires all owners to have all animals vaccinated for rabies. For the safety of the community and your pets, get your animals vaccinated against rabies.

Important info for owners of pets that were fitted with a microchip during the "Spay It Forward Clinic" held by Rocky Mountain Puppy Rescue. Owners must visit the website 24petwatch to register your pet with the microchip. We have had one instance where a dog was picked up and we could not verify the owner because there was no information registered with that microchip. Eventually, the owner was identified and had to pay a fee to reclaim their pet from Valencia County Animal Center (VCAC). The animal control department also issues identification tags for pets in which we keep records of in cases of a found pet. We then can contact the rightful owner to return the pet or inform them that we will be transporting their pet to VCAC. The animal ordinance Section 3.A states, that all animals are required to wear an identifying tag to prove ownership. So we encourage owners to get an ID tag either from the department or elsewhere for their pets and have their pet/s wear it all times!

To this date we have had a few incidents of attacks on livestock reported to Animal Control. Per animal ordinance, it is required that you confine or restrain your pets on your property. No animal is allowed to run at large, roam or create a nuisance on another person's property or public areas. Pets must be kept on a leash at all times when off your property. If your pet is identified in the mauling or attack of livestock or poultry, you as the owner, will be fined and will be responsible for restitution for damages that occur. If you are having problems with stray or loose animals, please contact animal control at 505-869-7564.

### SPAY-NEUTER INCENTIVE PROGRAM FREE

#### SMALL DOG SPAY-NEUTER

for Small Dogs in Low-Income Families in  
Valencia County

Eligibility is based on Federal Guidelines.


**Vouchers are FREE and pay the full cost to spay or neuter your small dog (weighing 40 pounds or under and ages between four months and four years of age) and includes core and rabies vaccinations.**

CALL 433-9869 and follow the instructions to receive an application.

This SNIP is sponsored by Homeless Animal Rescue Team (HART) and Quixote Humane.

The program lasts until funds run out.

★For Free spay-neuter of cats call 505-466-1676. For medium and large dog low-cost spay-neuter assistance call New Mexico Animal Friends at 881-7297 or VetCo at 865-0662.



**DATE: 10-13 June 2014 (Tuesday – Friday)**

**TIME:** 7:30 – 11:30 a.m. daily

**PLACE:** Las Lunas High School, Building H-1

**FOR:** Soon to be 6<sup>th</sup> through 9<sup>th</sup> graders, girls and boys (school district immaterial). Program limited to the first 25 applicants who apply.

**COST:** \$20 for T-shirt, awards and daily refreshments. Please reserve no later than 21 May 2014 to ensure availability of the correct sized T-shirt.

**DRESS:** T-shirts and jeans with sneakers; also head covering and personal water bottle, marked with full name; further suggest sunscreen and sunglasses.

**ACTIVITIES:** Included are introductions to the JROTC activities of: drill; health and fitness training; competition rifle marksmanship; obstacle course negotiation; rope-bridging; and team/character building events.

**INSTRUCTORS:** Current JROTC cadets under the supervision of LLHS School District JROTC teachers.

**REGISTER** by contacting: First Sergeant (Ret) Melvin Crites, 865-4646, Ext. 6194, 908-1494 or e-mail [mcrites@llhschools.net](mailto:mcrites@llhschools.net)



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## 3-ON-3 Basketball Tournament

**Sunday, June 29th, 2014  
Valencia High School Gym**

**Middle School Division / & Incoming  
freshman- 1:00 PM**  
**High School Division - 3:00 PM**  
**Adult Division - 5:00 PM**  
*Register at least 1 hour prior to start time!*

- \$10.00 per player. May play in 2 divisions. \$10 for each division.
- Adult Division \$40 a team.
- Boys, Girls, and Adult Divisions.
- Double Elimination.

**PRIZES**  
1ST & 2ND PLACE

**Contact Coach Vigil for more information. 715-9499**  
**Booster Rep contact: Jenae Aragon 261-4389**



Presented by Valencia High School Girls  
Basketball Coaches and The Booster Club

COME OUT TO SUPPORT OUR  
GIRLS BASKETBALL PROGRAM!!!

**Registration Information**

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Players: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

**Division—Check one:**

Middle School ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

High School ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

Adult ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

## Community Meeting



Hello, The Isleta Police Department will be hosting a community meeting on June 4, 2014 from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm at the Veteran's Memorial Park located on the north side of the Head start. The Police Department is seeking input from the community members as to problems the community is facing and how to address such problems. I will reiterate we must address these problems as a "team" and make this a safer area to call home. We have hosted three community meetings and have had 20 to 30 members in attendance, but this community is comprised of many more than 20-30 individuals. I hope to see more community members in attendance and have ideas to share on problems that you see within the community. We need the members of the community input and ideas.

The youth have completed another school year so be alert while driving. We do not want to see any accidents. The Police Department with the assistance of Truancy, Social Services, Behavioral Health, and the Recreation Center will be hosting a summer camp known as "Camp Triumph" during the week of July 21-24, 2014. We are seeking 60 Tribal Youth from the ages of 10-16 to participate. This is only open for Tribal members and will be first come first serve basis. The camp mentors will be police officers and national guardsmen. The camp will have an instructional phase along with

lots of fun activities. If any of the youth are interested, please contact Truancy, Behavioral Health, or Social Services to obtain an application.

The Isleta Police Department will be hosting a community "paint out" prior to the Governor's Feast. This will take place on Monday, June 16, 2014 between the hours of 9:00-12:00 pm. The will be targeting graffiti within the community. If you wish to volunteer, please contact Captain Gerald Maestas at 505-869-9707.

Again, do not forget to utilize the community "Anonymous Hotline" to report any gang, drug, vandalism, or illegal activity. The telephone number is 505-264-7258. This number should not be used if police are needed immediately. When a person calls to report the activity, leave as much information so we can investigate the activity. Any information reported by anyone thru the number listed will not be disseminated.

In closing, we as a department wish to see you in attendance and hopefully offer some of your ideas of problems we can address. We need the community members' input to make the community a safer place to call home, but we must do it as a "team." If there are any suggestions, feel free to contact me at 505-869-9707.

Respectfully,  
Gerald S. Maestas/Captain  
Isleta Police Department

### PNM is hosting another wonderful Senior Assistance Fair

For Seniors age 62 and older

**DATE:** ..... Thursday, June 26, 2014  
**TIME:** ..... 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  
**LOCATION:** . . Pueblo of Isleta Elder Center  
Isleta Pueblo, NM

Receive a  
**\$20 WalMart Gift Card**  
if you qualify for help from the  
PNM Good Neighbor Fund!

Fund Eligibility Guidelines	Annual income	Monthly income
1	\$12,235.00	\$1,436.25
2	\$23,265.00	\$1,938.75
3	\$29,295.00	\$2,441.25
4	\$35,325.00	\$2,943.75
5	\$41,355.00	\$3,446.25
6	\$47,385.00	\$3,948.75
7	\$53,415.00	\$4,451.25
8	\$59,445.00	\$4,953.75

80% of Poverty  
Source: HUD/USDA Clearinghouse

#### RESOURCES:

Utility assistance from the PNM Good Neighbor Fund  
please bring:

- Current PNM bill
- Proof of all household income **including a current bank statement with deposit information**
- ID's for all adults living in the home
- ID's for all children living in the home
- Proof of LIHEAP assistance



#### ALSO AT THE FAIR:

- Weatherization information.
- PNM Energy Efficiency information
- Free energy efficient light bulb.

**More Info:**  
Renee Chavez- Isleta Activities Coordinator  
869-9770 ext. 9336



Talk to us.



### Pueblo of Isleta - Elder Center Activities Calendar June 2014

- June 4: Food Handlers Training - Isleta Resort & Casino - 10 am - 12 noon
- June 4: Shopping Assistance - Wal-Mart & Lunch-10:30 am - 2:30 pm
- June 5: Catholic Mass - Elder Center - 11:30 am
- June 6: Commodities
- June 9: Visit from POI Headstart - Native Dancing - 10:30 am
- June 13: Father's Day Luncheon - El Pinto Restaurant 11:00am - 2:00 pm (RSVP at 869-9770)
- June 16: Zoo (Albuquerque Bio Park) - 9:30 am - 2:30 pm
- June 18: Friendship Breakfast - 9:00 am - 9:30 am
- June 18: General Meeting - 10:00 am - 12:00 noon  
-"Allergies" - POI Clinic Staff  
-"Budgeting" - Tiwa Lending Services -- Sheila Herrera  
-Isleta Police Department - Q & A
- June 23: Commodities
- June 26: PNM "Senior Assistance Fair"- Elder Center- 9:30 am - 11:30 am

## Congratulations to our College Graduates!

### Aveda Institute

Angela Zuni Certificate, Esthiology

### Brown Mackie College

Helen Baca Bachelor of Science, Criminal Justice  
Jeffrey Jojola Bachelor of Science, Health Care Management

### Carrington College

Jessica Bridge Certificate, Dental Assistant  
Desirae Salvador Certificate, Medical Assistant

### Central New Mexico Community College

Derek Abeita Associates of Applied Science, Plumbing and Gas Fitting Certificate, Residential HVAC  
Theresa Bridge Associate of Applied Science, Health Information Technology  
Alexandria Cambridge Associate of Applied Science, Early Childhood Education Certificate, Child Development  
Alicia Cherino Certificate Nursing Assistant (CNA)  
Sesar Epiceno Certificate, Automotive Service Fundamentals  
Patricia Lente Certificate, Business  
Tania Lujan Certificate, General Business  
Natalie Salvador Associate of Science, Accounting

### Kaplan University

Denise Jojola Bachelor of Science, Health and Wellness

### New Mexico Highlands University

Carleen Cherino Bachelor of Arts, Social Work

### New Mexico State University

Unie Correa Bachelor of Arts, .Marketing  
Daniel Jojola Double Major, Bachelor of Business Administration, Finance and Accounting

### New Mexico Tech

Jennifer Lente Master of Science, Computer Science

### PIMA Medical Institute

Belinda Lucero Certificate, Pharmacy Technician  
Victoria Salas Certificate, Medical Assistant

### Southwestern Indian Polytechnic Institute

Deborah Jiron Associate of Arts, Liberal Arts Certificate, Geospatial Information Technology  
Tiffany Jojola Associate of Applied Science, Accounting Certificate, Business Administration  
Andrea Vicente Associate of Arts, Early Childhood  
Dominique Zuni Associate of Applied Science, Natural Resources  
Jessica Tenorio Associate of Applied Science, Office Applications Certificate, Information Application

### University of New Mexico

Mark Dixon Bachelor of University Studies, Public Policy and Leadership  
Kaitlin Jaramillo Bachelor of Science, Elementary Education Magna Cum Laude  
Alyssa Jojola Bachelor of Science, Physical Education  
Michelle Lente Bachelor of Science, Nursing  
Ashley Lucero Bachelor of Science, Human Development and Family Relations  
Lucas Lucero Bachelor of Science, Construction Management  
Jessica Lujan Bachelor of Science, Early Childhood Multicultural Education  
Phillip Lujan Double Major, Bachelor of Arts, Economics and Spanish  
Heidi Martinez Bachelor of Science, Criminology  
Samantha Serna Double Major, Bachelor of Arts, Political Science and Sociology  
Desirae Tonihka Bachelor of Science, Nursing

### University of New Mexico-Valencia Campus

Natasha Abeita Associate of Science, Nursing  
Deanna Walker Associate of Applied Science, Digital Media Arts

### University of Phoenix

Lorraine Lucero Bachelor of Science, Business Administration, Marketing

### Paulette Tewaheftewa

Master of Business Administration, Health Care Management

### Yavapai College

Michael Rodney Jones Associate of Applied Science, Gunsmithing

The Board of Education Committee will be having monthly meetings for the next three months, times and location are below:

**June 11, 2014 @ 5:30pm** at the Tribal Complex Conference Room

**July 9, 2014 @ 5:30pm** at the Department of Educational Complex

**August 13, 2014 @ 5:30pm** at the Tribal Complex Conference Room

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the Department of Education at 505-869-9790.

## Isleta Higher Education Program

**Applications** for the Fall 2014 semester are now being accepted. Current and New students please submit Isleta Scholarship Applications on/or before deadline dates:

Fall Term July 1st

All students will need to submit **All Required Documents** (see Scholarship Checklist on Isleta Higher Education website) to determine eligibility on/or before deadlines dates:

Fall Term August 1st

Reminders:

✓ IHEP policy and provisions require all supporting documents to be submitted by the above mentioned deadlines. Every student is *strongly* encouraged to secure required documents at least TWO MONTHS prior to this deadline. Students who begin this process late may not be able to provide required supporting documentation by IHEP deadlines. Late submission of all required documentation may delay funding or jeopardize student's eligibility to receive supplemental assistance.

✓ Continuing students are required to submit **Official Transcripts** at the end of each term.

*\*Failure to provide Official Transcripts may delay or suspend your scholarship award \**

✓ Raymond Archibeque is available at the Department of Education office every Wednesday 9:00 am to 1:00 pm to complete the "Free Application for Federal Student Aid" (FAFSA) *\*by Appointment Only\**. Please call the Department of Education at 505-869-9790 to schedule an appointment. Tax documents are required.

✓ IHEP Policies are currently under review and amendments may be implemented in the future.

✓ If you have any questions or need further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact the Scholarship Coordinator, Evangeline Chavez or Scholarship Assistant, Kathleen Jojola at (505) 869-9790.

Evangeline Chavez poi08001@isletapueblo.com

Kathleen Jojola poi08004@isletapueblo.com

## Isleta Social Services Supervised Visitation & Safe Exchange Program Advisory Committee

Isleta Social Services invites Isleta Tribal Members who reside in Isleta Pueblo to submit a Letter of Interest to sit on an Advisory Committee that will be developing Policies and Procedures for a Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange Program. We are looking for a total of four community members who may have some knowledge about domestic violence, intimate partner violence, teen dating violence and the multiple impacts that this creates for the victims, children and the community. We are hoping to have representation from each of the Pueblo of Isleta residential areas. Please submit your Letter of Interest to Isleta Social Services to the attention of Caroline Dailey. If you have any questions, please contact us at 869-2772.

Informational meeting and open house to be held Wednesday, May 28, 2014 at Isleta Social Services in Cottonwood, 5:00-6:30pm. Refreshments will be served.

## Parks & Recreation

With the start of June 2014 we are anticipating a very busy summer program for the youth of our community. We will begin in earnest on Monday, June 2, 2014 at 9:00 am. Parents, those children needing a ride to and from the Rec. Center can call and make the necessary arrangements by calling Antonio Garcia at 869-9777. The first week of the program is a bit hectic, so please bear with us and we will work out all the kinks in the first couple of days. Because Tuesday, June 3rd is the State Primary Election in our Games-room, we will be setting up a field trip away from the Rec. Center for all children. That field trip will take us to the Starlight Lanes in Santa Ana Pueblo. The children will be treated to a fun filled day of Cosmic Bowling and pizza party. Our first Friday, June 6th major field trip will take us to everyone's favorite, Cliff's Amusement Park. Reminder, all children attending the major field trips on Fridays must be in attendance at least 3 times in the week. The only exception to this rule is for those children attending summer school. May 2014 saw the end of the school year and the afterschool program. We at both Rec. Centers however never closed. In fact we were busy handling big crowds of children who for the most part were utilizing our facilities for their end of school year celebrations. Every year most schools in our surrounding community get special permission to utilize our facilities for a couple of hours to host their end of year celebrations. Also we were the host site for the Native American Community Academy Powwow held on Saturday, May 24th. This event was very well attended. Pictured below is one from the year end school celebrations in our swimming, and the other from the NACA Pow-Wow.



### Summer Program

As mentioned earlier, we will begin our summer program on Monday, June 2, 2014. With the beginning of our summer program it will also be the beginning of our Summer Food Service Program. Please keep in mind our lunches are cold lunches that we are not allowed to microwave for any of the participants. Lunches include a sandwich or chicken nuggets or the like, a vegetable and or fruit and a drink, usually milk and or fruit drink.

Breakfast, which begins on Tuesday, June 3rd usually includes some cereal, or muffin, and milk. All meals are served in accordance to the standards of being a nutritional meal component as set by the federal Government. All children will be broken down into age groups. The 4 and 5 year old program will be housed at the Old Rec. barrack. In this program there is a registration limit of 25 participants. Our two primary instructors will be Kimberly Chiwewe and Constance Olguin. The 6 and 7 year old program will be at the New Rec. Center and will be headed up by lead Instructor, Roberta Chavarillo, 8 and 9 year olds will be headed up by lead Instructor Derrick Jiron. The 10 & 11 year olds will be headed up by lead Instructor, Antonio Garcia. The 12 and up age group will be headed up by two lead Instructors, Carl Anderson, and Intern Instructor, Andrea Wilson. The 12 and up age group is usually our biggest group of all groups. Our first field trip of the year will take us away on the second day of the program to the Starlight

Lanes in Santa Ana. The reason for this early major field trip is because of the State of New Mexico primary election which will be taking place in our games-room. Usually there is more traffic for this type of election and it will require they use our big games-room. So to minimize our traffic flow of children in the way of older adults, we set this field trip in motion for that day. Then our next major field trip which usually takes place on Fridays will be to everyone's favorite, Cliff's Amusement Park. Like all field trips, unless otherwise stated in a permission slip, money is optional. When we go to Cliff's Amusement Park they will all receive two pieces of pizza and a drink. **Parents**, please don't let the children involved in the program make you feel like money is necessary because we do feed them breakfast and lunch everyday. If we listen to the children for everything they want when they come to the program, they will break the bank. **Remember**, all children must be in attendance at least 3 times per week in order to qualify for our field trips. The only exception is those children attending summer school. If you don't register them with us, please put them in a program that will keep them busy and out of trouble. One of the worst things we could do is allow them to stay home in front of the television doing nothing but watching TV and snacking. The Library will also be offering a program and Nathaniel and his staff do an outstanding job in keeping our children busy as well.

### Summer Rec. Training

As we prepare for our summer rec. program, training is a must for our youth who will be working with the children this busy summer season. A lot of what is covered is to better prepare our staff to do a great job in providing the necessary services to our youth of this community. Training details covered is proper dress code, telephone etiquette, unacceptable behavior, boundaries-Good touch/Bad Touch, verbal interactions with children, child abuse and defensive driving just to name a few items covered. The training is intense and a must for all involved in our summer program. Pictured is Lisa Valenzuela who is a certified police officer for Los Lunas conducting our defensive driving class to our employees. All who transport our children must go through this training.



## Little League

As the Little League season comes to an end, League Director, Vernon Abeita reports that the season is going very well. The All-Stars will be posted on June 15th on all of the participants who make it to that status. He also reports that the District 9 All Star Tournament will begin on June 27th and will last for about 1 week. The Divisions that will be played here at



our facilities will be the Major Softball, Junior Softball and Senior Softball. The teams represented in this District 9 are from Westgate, South-Valley, Mt. Taylor, Yucca, Belen, Enchantment and Isleta Pueblo. **On 2 special notes**, Vernon reported that the State Senior Softball Tournament has been awarded (bid process) to Isleta Pueblo with scheduled play to begin on July 12th. This age division is from 13-16 years of age. **2nd note is** that our Little League program has filed with the Little League International to become a 501 C-3 Non Profit Organization which will be a big plus for this organization. Vernon, Great Job. Pictured are two action shots of the Little League in action. Now that the winds have diminished the children and coaches are really enjoying themselves.

## Elderly Program

Because the initial qualifying for Senior Olympics has been completed it hasn't stopped several of our elders for coming in and utilizing the gym for some of their activities. Although our summer program begins Monday, June 2nd please remember the facility is available to all you elders on Fridays when the children are gone to major field trips. This is inclusive of the swimming pool. I know Nana Alberta, who is pictured right is ready and willing to utilizing the swimming pool if she can entice others to join her. In the past she has really enjoyed the pool and hot-tub. So elders, the challenge is there for others to join her. Pictured below are several of our elders enjoying a nice leisurely game of shuffle-board.



## Park Management

All of our maintenance on our parks is in full swing. Beginning June 2nd our park staff will begin their work schedule at 5:00 am to combat the hot mid part of the summer day. They will be out at the parks taking care of their maintenance chores early and out by 1:30 pm when the summer heat is hitting its peak. Also on a positive note, the Veteran's Park at Pickle Heights is back open after some intensive replacing of playground equipment that was damaged due to vandalism (fire) by someone who is yet to be caught. Once again, it's my understanding the police department has some leads in this case that could end with someone's arrest. Pictured are two pictures with the equipment back to normal after spending several thousands of dollars for its replacement.



**JUNE 25TH, 2014**  
**5:00PM - 7:00PM**

**Run for your Heart**  
 FUN WALK/RUN 2014

**"Have A Heart" Art Contest Winner Award Presentation**  
**Artists Appreciation Night & Artwork Showcase**  
**LOCATION: DIABETES WELLNESS CENTER**  
 For more information please call: (505) 869-4595

DIABETES WELLNESS CENTER  
 DIABETES PREVENTION PROGRAM  
 &  
 HEALTH EDUCATOR



## Pueblo of Isleta Public Library

Greetings to you all from the Pueblo of Isleta Public Library, summer is in full effect and we hope everyone is staying cool during these hot summer days. Please remember not to stay outside for long periods of time, drink lots of water and wear sunscreen with a high SPF. We also want to give a shout out to all the fathers and would like to wish them a Happy Father's Day!

### News

The Summer Reading Program registration is completely full, however there is a waiting list. To get on the waiting list you can call 869-9808 or visit the Library. We will accept kids from the waiting list until the end of June.

The 2014 Summer Lunch Program will start Monday, June 2 from 11:30am -1:00pm. Bernalillo County Parks and Recreation will be providing free healthy meals during the summer months at the Library for Children and Youth, 1 year through 18 years of age. No registration is required in order to receive a meal. All Children and Youth are welcome to stop by the Library and pick up a free lunch.

We understand that everyone has busy lives, but please do not leave your child/children unattended in a vehicle. It is very hot, so please bring your child/children in with you while visiting the library. For the safety of the children the Library staff will notify Isleta Police Department if they see a child left in a vehicle.

The Library will be opening at 12 (noon) Wednesday, June 4th due to our monthly Staff Meeting. During these meetings the Library staff share ideas, concerns and suggestions on services we can improve involving the Library. We apologize in advance for any inconvenience this may cause.

Once again, just a reminder if you have a library fine, come to the Library and pick up a Library Punch card. For every 20 minutes of reading, patrons will receive \$1 OFF Library fines. Ask a Library staff member about this special promotion which runs through JUNE for ALL AGES. Come take advantage of this promotion!

The Teen Library Board meets every last Wednesday of each month. The Teen Library board is open to all Teens ages 12-17 years old. During this time teens along with a Library Staff member come together to discuss how teen services can be improved at the Library. Come with suggestions about Teen Programs, Music, Movies, books and more! Snacks are provided to participants.

### Upcoming

The First day of the Youth (7-18) Summer Reading Program is Monday June 9th, and Monday June 16th for the Juniors (3-6). Each day students must read for 20 minutes and complete a reading log and afterwards there are activities lined up for the day. We are also doing reading groups this year with our Youth students, each Library staff member and been assigned a group. During this time we read as a group and then discuss what we have read.

Most of the time students start the Summer Reading Program feeling shy and nervous about one another. A few ways we like to make them comfortable with one another is by having them do activities that encourage them to interact with one another such as ice breakers, and games! This gives students the chance to open up to one another which otherwise they might not do on their own.

During the month of June the Summer Reading Program Junior and Youth groups will go on field trips to iT'Z, How to Train your Dragon 2, and Tent Rocks, along with a Real Life Mario Kart Game and a Fun Day with Ice Cream Floats for our Youth students.

The Library Staff is also planning a Game Tournament for the first week of July. Details are still being worked out, so stop by the Library or check out our Facebook page for the latest information about the upcoming Game Tournament!

### Recap

Hats off to the graduates of 2014! Whether you earned your diploma, a program certificate, a degree or even a cool new professional title, your hard work deserves some recognition. With that being said, **CONGRATULATIONS** to all the graduates!

The last day for Isleta, Los Lunas and Albuquerque schools was Thursday, May 22nd. Which I'm sure everyone was happy about. Now it's time to soak up some sun, go on vacation, and have some yummy BBQ's! During the month of May, the Library did Crafts for Kids every Wednesday. One craft instructed by our Library staff member Dianna included making Puppets. Afterwards the kids got to perform a Puppet

show which was very funny and entertaining to say the least. We plan on starting Crafts for Kids back up in August after the Summer Reading Program is over.

Our Mother's Day craft turned out to be lovely with students painting jewelry boxes, vases and making tissue flowers to give to their Moms or that special lady in their lives.

On Friday May 2nd the Library held a Media Sale which is Library material that has been deleted from our collection such as DVD's, Blu-rays and CD's. As for future Media sales, no dates have been set yet. Please check the Library website or the Library Facebook for current information and updates.

Students that earned the required points for our Reading Incentive Program got to go on a field trip to Hinkle Family Fun Center on Friday, May 23rd. Afterwards participants of the program went to Furr's Buffet for lunch. Students earned their points by reading or doing homework for 30 minutes.



*Fun times at Hinkle!*



*Students hard at work making their Mother's Day craft!*



*Reading Incentive Program participant jumping high at Hinkle!*

A Field Trip to Lobo Anime and Comics took place Wednesday May 28th; Library staff members Cheyenne and Valeri took a group of students to the comic store to help the Library staff select titles for our graphic and manga collection. Each student that participated received a \$10 gift certificate to spend as they please towards a purchase of a comic of their choice. Afterwards students



*Reading Incentive field trip to Hinkle Family Fun Center.*

enjoyed pizza and salad for lunch at Dion's. On Thursday, May 29th the Library staff participated in a Camera Training held at the APT Camera Store located in Albuquerque. The course familiarizes the staff with functions of the camera and proper techniques for using the camera. This course was set in place to prepare the Library staff for the Summer Reading Program with the focus being on Photograph.

### Library Hours

Mon-Thurs  
8:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Friday  
8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Saturday  
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Closed on Sundays, all federally recognized holidays and also Isleta traditional holidays.

Please contact library for more information on closures.

Connect with us:

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[poi02002@isletapueblo.com](mailto:poi02002@isletapueblo.com)

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### Isleta Pueblo News



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## ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAM

JULY 21-25, 2014  
ISLETA PUEBLO

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY  
IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK

**WHO:** OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS, PREFERABLY  
MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL AGES

### OVERVIEW:

THIS IS A WEEK LONG SUMMER PROGRAM THAT WILL BE PUT ON BY STUDENTS FROM COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY. THE PROGRAM'S GOAL IS TO **ENGAGE, EMPOWER, AND ENCOURAGE** THE STUDENTS. IT WILL COVER TOPICS RANGING FROM EXPLORING IDENTITY OF SELF AND SOCIETY, INVESTIGATING AMERICAN INDIAN GENOCIDE AND RESISTANCE TODAY, NATIVES IN THE MEDIA, TRIBAL GOVERNMENT, AND COLLEGE ADMISSIONS WORKSHOPS. THIS IS A WEEK LONG PROGRAM THAT IS AIMED AT GETTING STUDENTS INTERESTED IN PURSUING THEIR AMBITIONS AND GOALS.

### MENTORSHIP:

EACH STUDENT IN THE PROGRAM WILL HAVE THE OPTION TO HAVE A COLUMBIA STUDENT BE THEIR MENTOR. THESE ARE LONG LASTING RELATIONSHIPS THAT THE STUDENTS CAN UTILIZE WHENEVER THEY WANT (IF THEY HAVE QUESTIONS IN THE UPCOMING YEARS ABOUT COLLEGE OR WHAT IT IS LIKE TO BE A NATIVE STUDENT). THE STUDENTS WILL LEARN HOW TO PREPARE FOR COLLEGE AND WHAT COLLEGE LIFE IS LIKE

**FREE LUNCH PROVIDED**  
**FREE COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY GEAR**  
**FREE COLLEGE MATERIAL**

**COLLEGE ADMISSIONS INFO SESSION**  
**THURSDAY NIGHT OPEN TO COMMUNITY**

PICK UP MORE INFORMATION AS WELL AS REGISTER FOR THE PROGRAM AT THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OR CALL 505-869-9790 OR EMAIL: [DDL2127@COLUMBIA.EDU](mailto:DDL2127@COLUMBIA.EDU)

Isleta Head Start & Early Head Start

## NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

For the 2014-2015 program year!!

**\*\*Head Start applications are accepted for children ages 3 years (as of August 31, 2013) up to 5 years of age**

**\*\*Early Head Start applications are accepted for families that are Prenatal up to age 30 months**

Early Head Start Center-Based option can accept children as early as 3 months (classroom age assignment may vary dependant upon the need demonstrated by applications received)

Early Head Start Home-Based option assigns a Home Visitor to each family who provides weekly activities, education, & support in the home. This option is open for Expecting Mothers and children up to age 3 years.

**\*\*The following items are needed to fill out an application:**

- ✓ Tribal Identification w/CIB # (REQUIRED if residence is outside the reservation)
- ✓ Proof of Residency (New Mexico Driver's License, Utility Bill, Government/Tribal ID)
- ✓ Proof of income for previous 12 months (Such as: Public Assistance Award Letter, 2013 tax forms, W-2's, paystubs for last 12 months, etc.)
- ✓ Proof of Child's Birth (State issued Birth Certificate, CIB Letter, Baptismal Letter)
- ✓ A copy of your child's IFSP/IEP (if applicable)
- ✓ For Prenatal option, Pregnant Mothers need to provide proof of pregnancy

Please do not delay, call **869-9796** and schedule your application appointment today!

**To be considered for the 2014-2015 Program Year, your child's application must be submitted by: Friday, June 6, 2014.**

## WIC NOTES

**Cavity Keep Away**

Dental health is important for everyone, including pregnant women and infants.

**Did you know you can catch a cavity?**

Cavities are made by germs in our mouth that feed on the sugar we eat.

The germs can pass from person to person through spit.

Keep the mouth germs away and you'll keep the cavities away!

Here are a few ideas to keep those cavity causing germs away.

- ✓ Visit your dentist *during* pregnancy. Dental treatment is safe.
- ✓ Wipe baby's gums *twice a day*, in the morning and right before bed.
- ✓ Clean pacifier and bottle with soap and water, *not spit*.
- ✓ Give only water in the bottle at bedtime.
- ✓ First tooth-> baby gets her own toothbrush.
- ✓ Only use a dab (the size of a *grain of rice*) of fluoride toothpaste every time you brush your baby's teeth.
- ✓ Take baby to dentist *before* his first birthday.
- ✓ Each family member uses his or her own toothbrush, spoon, fork and cup.
- ✓ Choose gum or mints that have Xylitol (Zy-lih-tall) in them.
- ✓ Health foods help keep cavities away.

(Adapted from cda foundation)

Heidi Lanes, POI WIC Nutrition Coordinator

## TO ALL THOSE WHO WERE EVER INTERESTED IN A RUNNING CLUB

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE !!!

I'm looking for all those who are interested in joining an effort to bring back our cultural in running. Lets show not only ourselves but the world that...



JOIN US FRIDAY MAY 30TH FOR AN OPEN MEETING  
5:30p.m. IN THE GAME ROOM AT THE RECREATION CENTER

For any further information contact Philip 869-9777 or poi91203@isletapueblo.com

**"Have A Heart" Project**

Isleta Health Center

Health Educator: Stephanie Barela

505-869-4479

The Isleta Health Education Program and the Isleta Diabetes Prevention Program held an art contest in connection with the New Mexico Department of Health's "Have a Heart" Project. This project was intended for artists to utilize their artistic talent to express how secondhand smoke is harming the strength and beauty of the Isleta community by making the environment unsafe for those with diabetes. The "Have a Heart" art contestants will be announced along with the winning art piece during the "Run for Your Heart" Fun Walk/Run on June 25, 2014 at the Diabetes Wellness Center. The winning art piece will be printed on cards with the following information:

**"Have A Heart"**

"Since diabetes is so common in Native American communities, you probably have friends or loved ones affected by the disease. For people living with diabetes, secondhand smoke from commercial cigarettes is especially dangerous. People with diabetes are more likely to have heart problems. Breathing secondhand smoke has immediate harmful effects that increase the risk of heart attack. Diabetes and secondhand smoke meet at the heart, posing a double threat. This pin is a symbol of the pure air that brings health and life to the body. By wearing this pin, you can show your support and respect for people living with diabetes while reminding others to do their part to keep the air clear of secondhand cigarette smoke."

*We would like to thank each participant for their participation, as well as thank the Judges for their time:*

**Participants**

Kylie Jaramillo	Mary Benavidez
Dawn Aragon	Tessa Harris
Glorianna Cherino	Antoinette Lucero
Ron Olguin	Sharon K. Zuni
Herman Lente	

**Judges**

James Abeita
Juan Rey Abeita
Stephanie Barela
Eugene Jojola
Marjorie Spotted Bird

Please attend the "Run for Your Heart Walk/Run" on June 25, 2014 from 5-7pm to see all of the artwork that was submitted for the "Have a Heart Project."

**2014 ICES Schedule**

### Isleta Cancer Education & Support 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the Month

10:30 - Noon at the Isleta Health Center (unless otherwise noted)

Date	Topic	Speaker	Organization
6/10/2014	Evening Session 6-7:30pm 3 Time Breast Cancer survivor	Wynona Holton	Survivor
7/8/2014	Finding the Best Cancer Treatment	Dr. Naraev	New Mexico Cancer Center
8/12/2014	Prostate Seed Implantation	Dr. Guo	New Mexico Cancer Center
9/9/2014	Evening Session 6-7:30pm "Cancer Treatment: How to make informed choices about standard care and clinical trials." DINNER SERVED	BLOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH Meeting in the Kitchen at the Isleta Health Center	The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
10/14/2014	Prevention	Joseph Toledo	Jemez Pueblo
11/11/2014	Canceled due to Veteran's Day		
12/9/2014	X-Mas Party/ Survivor Panel		

Topics are Subject to Change.

CONTACT Stephanie Barela to Sign Up and to Learn More 869-4479



## ISLETA HEALTH CENTER

*"Did you know?"*

### Did you know about the 24-hour Nurse Advice Line?

- Have you ever wondered what to do when the Health Center is closed?
- Have you ever wondered if you were in an emergency situation and should call 911?
- Have you been unsure if you needed to visit the walk-in clinic or make an appointment?

If you need answers to health related concerns and aren't sure if you need to visit the walk-in clinic or call 911, use the toll-free **NURSE ADVICE LINE\***. When you speak with a Registered Nurse, please follow the nurse recommendations for home care or the need for health facility care.

## NURSE ADVICE LINE 1-877-752-2552

This line available 24 Hours A Day, 7 Days A Week, 365 Days A Year and is available for FREE to ALL Isleta Health Center patients!

### \* CALL 911 FOR LIFE THREATENING EMERGENCIES

This includes, but is not limited to: chest pains, severe injury and/or bleeding, and severe breathing problems.

NOTE: You must notify Purchased/Referred Care staff (formerly CHS) within 72 hours if you are seen at any facility other than the Isleta Health Center.

## Isleta Behavioral Health Services

Summer Planning

505-869-5475

May was a good month, although the weather has been windy, dusty and awful. We all have managed to dust off and keep moving forward. We are all thankful to our Mothers on Mother's Day.

The whole month of May has been planning, planning and more planning. Whether it is for Monday night youth group meetings, to planning out the summer months, it has been busy. The youth group has met every week and discussed summer plans of "who will participate here or at other summer events."

On May 23rd, IBHS hosted the Community Garden "Planting Party" at Isleta Behavioral Health. The last week of May, we attended Diabetes Prevention's Diabetes Alliance meeting, as well as Diabetes Healthy Cooking Class. The YLYK group hosted a Fundraising Bingo on Wednesday May 28th to raise money for our youth group. The next scheduled Grocery Bingo/Food Sale is set for Wednesday, June 11 @ 5:30. Look out for notices in case of any changes or cancellations.

So beginning on **June 3rd**, the summer session will begin. The prevention staff will be presenting educational sessions during the Tiwa Language Summer Program on positive problem solving and communication and team building skills to help prevent substance abuse. The staff will continue to hold YLYK Youth Meetings throughout the week. The youth who do not participate with the Language Program will have an opportunity to participate in the Prevention Program as well.

On Tuesdays and Thursdays, youth participants will be engaged in a summer long series on building with traditional and nontraditional materials, which will be taught by a community member who is a college student. Along with this summer series, each Friday the youth will participate in weekly outings to designated places out of the community. The first scheduled outing is for June 13th (Sandia Pueblo Feast Day).

During the summer, selected youth will be attending youth summits with other native youth; we are currently in the midst of making arrangements for them to attend. Most of the summits will focus on engaging youth in learning about substance abuse prevention, healthy relationships and lifestyles, cultural preservation, community development and personal empowerment while having fun. The IBHS prevention program wants to provide Isleta youth an opportunity to see other native youth in action. Last summer they had an opportunity to present on violence prevention at the Coalition to Stop Violence Against Native Women (CSVANW) at the Tamaya Resort in Bernalillo. This year they will again present and impress upon other native youth their experiences and model their successful YLYK leadership.

As we continue to make plans, the IBHS Prevention Program will be hosting the Isleta Youth Summit on August 16 & 17th. The goal of the summit is to empower youth to create change within their native communities by developing leadership skills. The summit will include discussions on many topics affecting Native youth today, including bullying, suicide, substance abuse and health issues. We are currently holding Planning Meetings at IBHS, so we invite community members and other youth to participate in the planning and help us have a successful event.

If more information is needed about the program or about events, please contact IBHS @ 505.869.5475.

Thank you.



## PUEBLO OF ISLETA: PARTNERS IN YOUR HEALTHCARE COMMUNITY HEALTH FAIR 2014

Sponsored by Isleta Health Center and Isleta Head Start & Childcare

## SATURDAY - JULY 12TH

### @ ISLETA HEALTH CENTER

## 9:00 AM - NOON


**"OFFERING THE ISLETA COMMUNITY A  
WEALTH OF HEALTH INFORMATION, EARLY  
DETECTION SCREENINGS, AND MORE!"**

**\* SEE WHAT THE PROGRAMS IN ISLETA HAVE TO OFFER!**

**\* SIGN UP FOR HEALTH INSURANCE!**

**\* WIN PRIZES!**

For more information contact  
Stephanie Barela at 869-4479  
sbarela@islclinic.net

Isleta Health Center  
  
POI Head Start & Child Care

Isleta Health Center Calendar				Questions? Call 869-3200		June 2014
SUN	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT
1	2 Early Recovery Skills: 9-11am @ BHS. Young Leaders Youth Krew: 4:30-6:30p @ BHS.	3 Behavioral Health Women's Group: 10-11am @ BHS. Adult Wellness: 5-6pm @ BHS.	4 Parent Group: 9-11am @ BHS. Acu-Detox: 1-2pm @ BHS. Anger Management Skills: 1-3pm @ BHS.	5 Women's Path to Recovery: 1-2:30pm @ BHS. Str8 Rez: 4:30-6pm @ BHS. <b>NATIONAL CANCER SURVIVORS DAY</b>	6 Early Recovery Skills: 9-11am @ BHS.	7
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The 2014 Community Health  
Fair Is Coming Soon!

**"Pueblo of Isleta -  
Partners In Your Healthcare"**

This year's fair is scheduled for  
**JULY 12, 2014 ■ 9am-12pm**  
@ the Isleta Health Center

**\*\*\* VOLUNTEERS NEEDED \*\*\***

If you are interested in volunteering, please  
contact Stephanie Barela at 869-4479.


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Isleta Head Start & Child Care

**VOTE FOR**

**★ MARY LYDIA CASTILLO ★**

**Valencia County  
Assessor**


**DEMOCRAT**

  
**Isleta Cancer Education & Support Group**

**3 Time  
Breast Cancer Survivor  
Wynona Holton**

**June 10, 2014  
5:30-7:00 p.m.**

**ISLETA HEALTH CENTER  
SMALL CONFERENCE ROOM**  
*ENTER ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE BUILDING*

**Please join us!**  **Everyone welcome!**

Please contact Stephanie Barela @ 869-4479 if you have questions.