

Isleta Pueblo News

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Governor's Report

Maguwam,

I hope this newsletter finds everyone in good health and spirits. Wow, how the month of May is coming to an end so quickly, it has been a busy month. I would like to invite the community in "Congratulating all our 2025 Graduates from college, high school, elementary and head start levels." I would also like to congratulate all our youth in completing another school year and advancing into the next grade level. Remember to give thanks to your parents, grandparents, siblings, aunts, uncles, teachers for pushing thru this school year and achieving your goals.

My staff and I had a Zoom meeting with Congressman Gabe Vasquez and staff to discuss our ongoing challenges we are having on the Pueblo. We did address our federal concerns involving the Department of Education along with our Head Start Program and look forward to staying in contact with his office on these matters.

We were invited to attend the Elementary School field day on May 14th. My office and staff participated in the event along with other departments. It was nice to see the Elementary school and our Head Start classes collaborate for our youth students. They had fun with the dunk tank, water guns, and sponges. Tribal Council also provided a cool snow cone treat to everyone who attended. The school also provided a delicious lunch, hats off to the cooks who prepared the food! We ended the event with watching the annual basketball game, 6th graders vs. IPD-Police officers. Good job everyone!

I visited the Recreation Center on May 30th; to join our summer youth workers for lunch and I provided some words of wisdom to them. They had a heavy agenda this week with great trainings lined up prior to them working with our children. I appreciate them applying themselves to serve our community.

Myself, along with my tribal officials would like to extend an invitation to our community to attend our Governor's Feast Day on Saturday, June 21st. Mass will be held at 8am at St. Augustine Church with festivities to follow. We hope to see you there!

Last, I want to send my condolences to the families of those who have lost their family members during the month of May.

Ha-Wuh,

Eugene Jiron Governor Pueblo of Isleta Eugene Jiron



Lt. Governor, Charles E. Jojola

May 21, 2025

To: Pueblo of Isleta Community

From: Eugene Jiron, Governor & f.

Effective May 1, 2025, I have officially released Juan Rey Abeita from his appointment as Second Lieutenant Governor of the Pueblo of Isleta. Under the Pueblo of Isleta Constitution Article VI, Section 15, as the duly elected Governor of the Pueblo of Isleta, I have the authority and responsibility to appoint Lieutenant Governors who I am confident will serve and represent the best interests of the Pueblo. Under Article IV, Section 6, the Lieutenant Governors are required to function under the direction of the Governor and are responsible for assisting me in the day to day duties of governing the Pueblo. Mr. Abeita was removed from the position of Second Lieutenant Governor after he lost my confidence and was no longer able to effectively serve in this role.

Mr. Abeita has been dismissed from all official duties and authorities and no longer represents the Pueblo or the Governor's Office. His statements and actions reflect a disrespect for the Pueblo's traditions and my authority as Governor.





SAVE THE DATE

2025 Pueblo of Isleta Environmental Fair Saturday, July 26th, 2025 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

@ Pueblo of Isleta Recreation Center

Additional information will be coming shortly. Questions? Call Heaven Lucero at 505-869-9814 or email at heaven.lucero@isletapueblo.com

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

DEADLINE for July Newsletter articles is set for Tuesday, June 17, 2025, at 4:30 pm. Articles may be dropped off at the Library or emailed to Nathaniel.Lujan@ isletapueblo.com. Should you email your article, expect a confirmation email. If you do not receive a confirmation email, odds are it never made it to me and then it's time to panic, so call Nate at 505.869.9808.

People who wish to submit an article or flyer are responsible for generating their own article or flyer. Should you need help, please call the Library at 505.869.9808 and set up a date and time to sit down with a Library staff member who will help you throughout the process. The Library will NOT accept notes dropped off at the Library or information over the phone to generate your article.

PROBATES need to be published in the Newsletter for two consecutive months. Probates are considered court documents, therefore, all submitters must provide: 1) Name of Deceased, 2) Date of Deceased 3) Court Case # and 4) Date of Court Date. A Probate form can be found on the Newsletter Archive page at http://www.isletapueblo.com/ newsletters.html.

CLASSIFIED ADS: The new administration has requested that the Newsletter start a Classified Ad section for Tribal members selling land, houses, mobile homes, vehicles, and farm equipment. Leasing of houses and mobile homes will be accepted. Smaller items which can be sold at the local flea markets or weekly yard sales will NOT be accepted.

Currently, this service is FREE to Tribal members. Land, houses, and mobile homes must be within the reservation boundaries. Ads must meet the 160 character limit. Ads that exceed the 160 characters will NOT be submitted into the Newsletter. A single picture may be submitted with the ad. Submitters of classified ads are responsible for generating their own ads as this is a FREE service.

As a reminder, Tribal business owners may submit a small flyer at no charge. Like the classified ads, business owners are responsible for generating their own flyers as this is a FREE service.

Classified ads and business flyers will be posted no more than two consecutive months. In the event where the Newsletter may exceed the 24-page limit, classified ads and business flyers will be "bumped" for newsletter articles. Again, this is a FREE service for Tribal members.

The Isleta Newsletter is owned and operated by the Pueblo of Isleta. Therefore, the Governor of the Pueblo of Isleta has the final say of all articles and contents within the Isleta Newsletter.

For additional questions, you my call the Library and speak with Nate or Diane at 505.869.9808.

Thank you, Nathaniel Lujan

Newsletters may be found at the fifteen distribution locations listed below. Remember, Digital copies of the Newsletter may be obtained from the Newsletter archive at http://www. isletapueblo.com/newsletters.html

The fifteen Newsletter distribution locations are:

- TR 2 & TR 22 Chical SE of Community Hall
- 2. TR 10 Behind the old 47 Sales
- TR 1 & TR 5 Ranchitos / Bosque Farms Reservations Line
- Ranchitos Park
- 5 Post Office - Big Tree
- 6. TR 82 & TR 84 Teller Road
- TR 78 & TR 82 Carlos Trujillo Sr.
- 8. TR 90 @ Y CF Padilla
- Mouse Town Park –
- 10 .Health Center South end of Health Center Parking lot
- 11. Library Sunlight & Moonlight Intersection
- 12. TR 6 47 Intersection
- 13. TR 12 47 & 147 intersection (Old Smoke & Save)
- 14 . TR 71 & TR 54 @ Y Holiday Robot / Paved Road / Railroad Tracks
- 15 TR 45 & TR 40 @ Y Tata Mel (POI Signage)

TRIBAL COUNCIL OFFICE



PHONE: 505-869-9746

To: Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Membership

From: Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Council Re: Governor Jiron and Juan Rey Abeita

Greetings All,

The Tribal Council has found it necessary to put a statement out to our Tribal Community to address the ongoing controversy with Governor Jiron's decision to remove Juan Rey Abeita as his second Lieutenant Governor. First and foremost, this action was wholly the decision of Governor Eugene Jiron and the Tribal Council did not have any part in the Governor's decision to remove his second lieutenant.

The Tribal Council Members have been receiving inquiries since the removal from Tribal Members as to why Mr. Abeita is not being provided "Due Process". The formal process for removal is detailed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Constitution, Article VII - Removal and Recall, Section 2. Any elected or appointed officer of the pueblo who, during the term for which he is elected or appointed, is found guilty of in any court of a misdemeanor involving misconduct reflecting on the dignity and integrity of the tribal government, or found guilty by the council of malfeasance in office, or gross neglect of duty, shall be removed or recalled from office in the following manner: The council shall present the accused elected or appointed officer with a written statement of the charges against him and, within ten (10) days thereafter, the council shall hold a hearing at which time the accused shall be provided an opportunity to appear and be heard in his own defense.

As stated at the beginning, the Tribal Council did not have any part in the removal of Mr. Abeita and the Tribal Council has not taken any formal action against Mr. Abeita for his removal from his position as second lieutenant; the decision for his removal was solely the decision of the Governor elected by the People. The Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Constitution also details the Executive Office's Chain of Command in Article IV - Executive Branch, Section 1. The Executive Branch of the Pueblo of Isleta shall consist of the following named executive officers.

a) Governor b) First Lieutenant Governor c) Second Lieutenant Governor d) Sheriff e)

Also detailed in Article IV - Executive Branch, Section 6. The first and second lieutenant governors shall function under the direction of the governor and shall assist him in the performance of his duties.

Lastly, the removal of a Lieutenant Governor by the Governor elect has been done on at least two separate occasions in the past. The last removal having been done in 2014 when the second Lieutenant Governor was removed by the then Governor elect, without Tribal Council involvement and in which Mr. Juan Rey Abeita was a seated Councilman at the time.



DEADLINES

APPLICATION:

- Full Academic Year (August May) July 1st
- Fall Term July 1st
- · Spring Term November 1st Summer Term - April 1st

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

- Spring Term January 15th
- Summer Term May 31st

DUE AT END OF TERM

· Volunteer Hour Log

QUESTIONS?

(505) 869-9790 poischolarships@isletapueblo.com

Department of Education Albuquerque, NM 87105

Pueblo of Isleta

Higher Education Scholarship

Getting Started

Eligibility Requirements

- · You must be an enrolled tribal member with the Pueblo of Isleta Census Department
- · You must be accepted and Enrolled into an Accredited Post-Secondary
- You must apply for for Financial Aid through the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FASFA).

Required Documents

First Time Applicants:

- · Certificate of Indian Blood (CIB)
- High School/High School Equivalency Diploma
- Letter of Acceptance
- · Degree Plan (Signed by Academic Advisor)

Supporting Documents (Submitted Each Semester):

- Student Aid Report (SAR) FASFA
- Class Schedule
- Course Verification Form (Signed by Academic Advisor) • Financial Needs Analysis (Completed by Financial Aid of
- Documentation of Two (2) grant/scholarship applications
- Volunteer Hour Log



Application

From the Surveying & Mapping Department Requesting to Probate an Estate & Validating A Will

Summer is right around the corner and the weather is getting warmer!

I'd like to take a minute to inform tribal members on the process for probating an Estate. Please remember to follow these steps for a smoother process.

First thing to do is to call the Surveying & Mapping Department (505) 869-0710 to verify that the property in question is registered to the Estate. Often a probate is filed, however, it is not for the correct assignee (person who the land is assigned to). This will create a delay in probating the Estate.

Once the assignment is verified you will be referred to the Isleta Tribal Court to start their process. You will be given directions on how to proceed. You will then need to complete a Land Transaction Application to start the process at Surveying & Mapping.

A Letter of Administrator is issued by Tribal Courts, Surveying & Mapping will need to have a copy of this on file. This letter allows the Administrator to communicate and receive necessary documents to proceed with the probate.

Once all documents produced by Surveying & Mapping are completed, this packet will be given to the Administrator and the Tribal Courts to continue. This packet is a mandatory step to complete the probate per the Probate Ordinance.

Once the probate is completed at the Tribal Courts, it is necessary for the named heirs to contact Surveying & Mapping to continue with the transfer of title per the Tribal Court Order. If you do not contact the Surveying & Mapping Department your file will be closed until you make the request to continue.

The last step is to have a land transaction appointment scheduled at the Governors' Office to complete the Land Assignment Record. At this appointment the documents will be finalized and considered valid. The Surveying & Mapping Department will schedule this appointment.

If you have a Last Will & Testament, you must provide that to Tribal Court for validation. Once Tribal Court has issued an Order the above step to complete the transaction will be followed.

Keep in mind this is a lengthy process but necessary. Please feel free to contact the Surveying & Mapping Department with questions or concerns. We also ask that you schedule appointments so we can properly answer questions, research and provide updated information, if possible, at the scheduled visit.

Patricia Lujan, Realty Specialist Surveying & Mapping Department (505) 869-0710 Eugene Jiron



Lt. Governor, Charles E. Jojola Lt. Governor, Juan Rey Abeita

EXECUTIVE ORDER 2025-02 PUEBLO OF ISLETA BURN BAN

WHEREAS, the Pueblo of Isleta and state of New Mexico are currently facing unprecedented drought conditions that pose a significant threat of fire danger;

WHEREAS, the Governor finds it in the best interests of the Pueblo of Isleta and its lands, resources, community health, and safety to proactively enact measures to protect Isleta tribal members, lands, and structures from fire danger;

WHEREAS, the Pueblo hereby enacts a Pueblo-wide BURN BAN, effective immediately. The Pueblo of Isleta BURN BAN will remain in effect through July 10, 2025 or until such time that fire danger and drought conditions are significantly reduced.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, while the BURN BAN is in effect, all open burn activities are expressly prohibited, including but not limited to the following:

- 1. Ditch, field, yard debris or any other agricultural burning;
- 2. Burning of trash of any kind;
- 3. Bonfires, campfires, or open flame charcoal grills/cooking fires; and
- 4. Any use of fireworks.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, baking fires in contained and sealed hornos are not considered "open burn activities" and will not be prohibited during the BURN BAN;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, effective immediately, all burn permits issued by the Department of Natural resources are suspended through July 1, 2025. On or before July 1, the Pueblo will reevaluate drought conditions and fire risk and will issue an affirmative decision as to whether the burn permits shall be permitted to reinstated;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, burn activity during the BURN BAN will expressly violates the directives of the Pueblo of Isleta Governor regarding fire safety and management, threaten the community health and safety of Pueblo of Isleta residents and structures, and create a significant additional strain on Pueblo of Isleta resources and emergency response.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Isleta Fire Department, Isleta Police Department, and Isleta Department of Natural Resources are hereby authorized and directed to do all that is necessary to enforce compliance with this Order.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, any individual found to be engaging in burn activity during the BURN BAN may be found in violation of the Tribal Law and Order Code, 05-07-02(A)(ii)(1), Public Health and Safety Nuisance (prohibiting improper disposal of waste) and 05-07-02(A)(v)(1), Public Nuisance (prohibiting activities that substantially interfere with the public's right to use and enjoy public spaces).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, any individual found to be engaging in burn activity during the BURN BAN in violation of the Pueblo of Isleta Nuisance Code shall be subject to any and all applicable penalties thereunder, including but not limited to, issuance of a civil citation of \$250 per day and revocation of a tribal member's burn permit. Pueblo of Isleta Nuisance Code § 05-07-04(B).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, in the event an individual engages in burn activity during the BURN BAN and is found to have caused damage to any vegetation, forest, or structures, the individual may be found in violation of Tribal Law and Order Code § 30-12-17, Unlawful Burning, punishable as a Class D Misdemeanor.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that notice of this Executive Order shall be made to all interested parties and Tribal Members by:

- Providing electronic notice through the Pueblo of Isleta website and related social media;
 Providing notice through the Pueblo of Isleta text messaging system; and
- Posting notice at public locations within the Pueblo.

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To the extent this Order may conflict with any other previously issued Order or directive, this Order shall supersede any other order, proclamation, or directives.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in effect until either rescinded or amended.

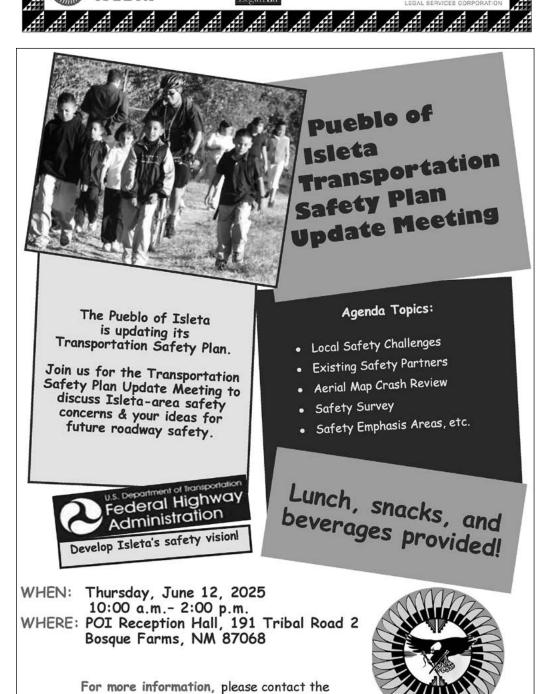
Eugene Suran
Eugene Jiron,

vernor

5/2/25 Date







Transportation Services Department at

(505) 869-9818.



JUNE IS CATARACT AWARENESS MONTH!

It is the perfect time to learn more about our eyes and how we can maintain healthy, clear vision.

WHAT IS A CATARACT?

A cataract is a clouding or opacification of the natural lens that sits inside the eye. This natural lens is responsible for bending the light entering the eye to focus on the retina for clear vision. When a cataract forms, the lens becomes cloudy limiting and dispersing the light entering the eye. This process can result in blurry vision, haloes around lights, glare, difficulty driving at night, and sometimes needing more light to see or read.

HOW DOES A CATARACT FORM?

A cataract usually forms naturally for everyone due to natural aging processes and UV exposure from the sun throughout one's life. Sometimes a cataract can form early due to trauma. Certain risk factors can increase the chances of faster cataract progression including diabetes, smoking, using steroids for long periods of time, and certain eye conditions. In very rare cases, some cataracts can occur in children also known as a "pediatric cataract."

HOW IS A CATARACT TREATED?

Luckily, cataracts can be treated and vision restored in the vast majority of cases with cataract surgery. During surgery, the natural lens is removed and replaced with an artificial lens. In most cases, cataracts can be monitored on an annual basis till determined surgery will be beneficial. However, waiting too long for surgery can make the surgery more complicated if the cataract is far progressed.

This is a reminder to have your eyes examined every year or as recommended by your eye care professional to maintain healthy eyes and vision!

The Optometry Department 505-869-4080



State of New Mexico House of Representatives Santa Fé

MICHELLE PAULENE ABEYTA D - Bernalillo, Cibola, McKinley, San Juan, Socorro & Valencia District 69

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COMMITTEES: Energy, Environment & Natural Resources Enrolling & Engrossing A

Dear Friend and Neighbor,

Greetings! I hope all is well with you and your family. It is with much gratitude that I wish to extend a humble thank you for the opportunity to represent you as your State Representative. I sincerely enjoyed meeting and hosting all of you who traveled to the Roundhouse in Santa Fe to advocate for your communities, schools, senior centers, health facilities, police stations, fire stations, domestic animals, wildlife, and the environment. I also appreciate your emails and phone calls. I remain committed to hearing your concerns and working with my colleagues to find real solutions that put New Mexicans first and deliver for our communities.

This session, I was honored to be named to the House Judiciary Committee and House Energy, Environment and Natural Resources Committee. In addition to serving on two important committees, I helped advance a variety of bipartisan legislation addressing key issues. I am proud to share that several pieces of legislation I sponsored/cosponsored successfully passed the legislature and have now been signed into law, including:

- Office Of Child Advocate Act HB 5: Creates an independent office under the New Mexico Attorney General's Office to address complaints on behalf of children and families receiving care through CYFD.
- Kinship Caregiver Support Pilot Program HB 252: Starts a three-year Pilot Project, focused on providing supplemental funding and legal resources to kinship caregivers in Rio Arriba, Santa Fe, Taos, McKinley, and Doña Ana Counties. (We will work on adding more counties next session)
- Certain Retirees Returning Back to Work HB 336: Provides an opportunity for certain retired public employees to return-to-work with the state in public safety-related positions without any effect on the retiree's retirement income.
- Animal Welfare Program and Trust Fund HB 113: Establishes grant funding for projects supporting the welfare of domestic cats and dogs including support for shelters and spaying/neutering services.
- State Park Day Passes for Veterans—HB 161: Provides New Mexico veterans with free
 access to state parks, including unlimited day-use passes and camping passes for areas
 operated by the State.
- DNA of Certain Offenders in CODIS HB 340: Enhances DNA collection for certain
 offenders who die before being formally charged to help law enforcement solve cold cases.
- S20 Million Neglected and Contaminated Sites Clean Up IIB 2: Funds the investigation and cleanup of contaminated sites, including uranium sites.
- Turquoise Alert System SB 41: Creates a specialized alert system to improve collaboration to help find missing Native Americans across New Mexico.
- Supported Decision Making Act SB 535: Provides a legal alternative to adult guardianship that allows an individual to retain full decision-making authority while receiving support from a designated person

I also sponsored two important House Memorials: 1. People Exposed to Radiation (HM15), Raising awareness of the challenges experienced by people exposed to radiation, and encouraging the United States Congress to expand compensation under the Federal Radiation Exposure Compensation Act. and 2. Mount Taylor as Cultural Property (HM 37), Affirming the state's commitment to protecting and preserving Mount Taylor as a cultural property sacred to the diverse groups of people who have occupied the area, while also protecting Mount Taylor's environmental and wildlife integrity.

Additionally. I secured \$2.5 million through Capital Outlay to provide critical support for local law enforcement, emergency ambulance vehicles, fire stations, acequias, land grants, schools, universities, water quality systems, community centers, equipment purchases, land use plan development and more. I also authorized 14 reauthorization requests totaling more than \$3 million to advance ongoing work in our communities.

The interim between legislative sessions is a chance for lawmakers to come together through committee meetings to discuss complex issues, refine policy proposals, and prepare for the 2026 legislative session. During this time, I plan to work on road projects, nursing/assisted living home initiatives, housing shortages, enhancing public safety, and addressing environmental concerns. I will continue to share funding and programming opportunities with our local leaders. If there is an issue or an idea you want to discuss, please do not hesitate to reach out. I would love to hear from you!

Again, thank you for the honor of serving as your House District 69 Representative. I am committed to working alongside you to build a stronger, brighter future for our communities and for all New Mexicans.

Warm regards,

Michelle Paulene Abeyta

Mr. abeyta

New Mexico State Representative, District 69

Transportation Realignment Project Nears Completion

Every day, we move one step closer to completing the long-awaited realignment project - an essential investment in the safety, efficiency, and future of the Pueblo's transportation network. This project has been in the making for over a decade requiring significant coordination and funding to address longstanding challenges related to drainage, aging infrastructure and most importantly roadway safety.

Over the past ten years the Pueblo has worked closely with key partners including the New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT), Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) and the Mid-Region Council of Governments (MRCOG). Together, the goal has been to improve the safety and operational efficiency of state highways, provide multi-modal accommodations, upgrade poor pavement conditions and reduce flood risks. A major focus has been to enhance safety - especially at the current intersections, where 42% of crash incidents result in injuries. This rate is nearly double the regional average within the Albuquerque Metropolitan Planning Area (AMPA) and significantly higher than the statewide average of 29%.

To address these concerns, engineers and project partners developed a realignment plan that will replace two problematic three-leg intersections, with a single, safer four-leg intersection. As part of the solution:

- NM 317 west of NM 45 will be realigned to the south to intersect NM 45 at a 90-degree angle.
- NM 314 from the northeast will curve westward to also intersect NM 45 at a 90-degree angle.
- All approaches in the intersection will include dedicated turn lanes.

The newly designed intersection is to increase safety, support future traffic demands, and meet long-term transportation system needs.

As construction is nearing completion, we want to sincerely thank the community and especially the residents living within the project area for your ongoing patience and cooperation. Your support has helped make this long-term vision a reality.

Please remember to continue driving cautiously through construction zones to ensure the safety of the workers and your fellow community members

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact Patti Watson from CWA Strategic

Communications, Office 505-245-3134; Cell 505-269-9691 pattiwwastrategic,com

St. Augustine Parish Isleta Pueblo



MISSION STATEMENT

We are a ministry of consolation at St. Augustine Parish to offer spiritual comfort and support to families who have experienced the loss of a loved one. We will continue to honor and respect our traditional teachings.



Job Postings

Visit us online at http://

www.isleta.com/career-opportunities.aspx

Fax: 505-244-8232

CAGE SHIFT SUPERVISOR Albuquerque, NM

SLOTS SHIFT SUPERVISOR

\$23.02 /Hour • Non-Exempt

\$23.02 /Hour • Non-Exempt

Albuquerque, NM

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TABLE GAMES DEALER

\$11.50 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$26.30 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$23.02 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$18.04 / Hour • Non-Exempt

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\$106620.80/Year •Non-Exempt

\$14.12 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$14.62 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$14.62 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$18.04 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Albuquerque, NM Craps experience preferred. Must be willing to learn how to deal Craps.

HVAC TECH III

Albuquerque, NM 1350

HVAC TECH II

Albuquerque, NM 1350

SURVEILLANCE AGENT

Albuquerque, NM

SPA SUPERVISOR

Albuquerque, NM 0595

Broadband Director-POI Albuquerque, NM

VALET ATTENDANT (Part-Time) Albuquerque, NM

0250

HOUSEPERSON Albuquerque, NM

ROOM ATTENDANT

Albuquerque, NM

SECURITY OFFICER II Albuquerque, NM

As a Security Officer II at Isleta Resort and Casino, you'll help protect our property,

guests, and team members by maintaining active surveillance, responding to incidents, and enforcing safety procedures. Your role includes assisting with investigatio...

Albuquerque, NM

\$15.12 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$14.12 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Bring your culinary passion to life as a Cook at Isleta Resort and Casino! We're seeking talented, team-oriented cooks to help craft exceptional dining experiences across our diverse food outlets. In this role, you'll prepare and present high-quality me...

OUTSIDE SERVICE ATTENDANT

Albuquerque, NM 0700

HDC SPECIALIST

Albuquerque, NM

0386

BINGO SUPERVISOR Albuquerque, NM

\$22.12 / Hour-Non-Exempt

\$15.12 / Houreon - Exempt

Step into a high-energy leadership role as a Bingo Supervisor at Isleta Resort and Casino! We're looking for a dedicated and detail-oriented professional to oversee all aspects of our vibrant Bingo operations. In this role, you'll supervise floor staff,...

SUPERVISOR F & B Albuquerque, NM0334

\$20.31 / Hour • Non-Exempt

BAKER I

\$15.12 / Hour Non - Exempt Albuquerque, NM

Join our culinary team as a Baker I at Isleta Resort and Casino, where passion meets precision! In this hands-on role, you'll prepare a variety of fresh-baked goods from scratch, follow standard recipes, and assist with cake decorating and advanced baki...

SPA RECEPTIONIST

\$14.62 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Albuquerque, NM Reception, Spa

Be the welcoming face of relaxation and luxury as a Spa Receptionist at Isleta Resort and Casino! In this guest-focused role, you'll ensure each visitor's experience is smooth, serene, and unforgettable-from scheduling appointments and recommending spa ...

SPA ATTENDANT Albuquerque, NM

\$14.12 /Hour• Non-Exempt

Create a serene and welcoming atmosphere as a Spa Attendant at Isleta Resort and Casino! As the first point of contact for our guests, you'll deliver exceptional service with a warm smile, ensuring every visitor feels relaxed and valued. You'll guide gu...

EXECUTIVE HOST MARKETING

\$54696.19 / Vear • Exempt

Be the face of world-class hospitality as an Executive Host at Isleta Resort and Casino! In this guest-focused role, you'll build lasting relationships with our most valued guests by delivering exceptional service, personalized experiences, and VIP trea.

LANDSCAPE TECHNICIAN II

\$16.14 / Hour•Non - Exempt

Albuquerque, NM

Albuquerque, NM

Join our dynamic team as a Landscape Technician III and be a vital part of maintaining the beauty and vitality of the Isleta Resort grounds! In this hands-on role, you'll take pride in enhancing the resort's exterior by operating power mowers, aerating ...

GROUNDSKEEPER

\$14.62 / Hour • Non - Exempt

Albuquerque, NM

Albuquerque, NM

FOOD ATTENDANT (BEVERAGE)

\$13.87 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Bring your energy and hospitality to the heart of our guest experience as a Food Attendant - Beverage at Isleta Resort and Casino! In this dynamic role, you'll be at the forefront of providing friendly, efficient service while ensuring food and beverage...

\$14.87 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Albuquerque, NM

Join the heartbeat of our culinary operations as a Steward at Isleta Resort and Casino! As a vital member of our back-of-house team, you'll help maintain the highest standards of cleanliness, safety, and organization in our kitchens and dining areas.

PROMOTIONS MANAGER

\$72172.03 / Year • Exempt

Albuquerque, NM

Join our dynamic team as a Promotions Manager at Isleta Resort and Casino! In this exciting role, you'll have the opportunity to create, manage, and execute profitable promotions and special events that engage our guests and elevate their experience.

RETAIL SUPERVISOR

Albuquerque, NM

\$16.14 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Step into a leadership role as a Retail Supervisor at Isleta Resort and Casino! In this position, you'll be the key to providing excellent customer service while ensuring the smooth and efficient operation of the retail store. You'll guide your team to ...

SERVER (Ristra) Albuquerque, NM

Join our team as a Server and deliver exceptional dining experiences with friendly, attentive service. You'll greet quests, take accurate orders, and ensure a clean, welcoming atmosphere. If you're energetic, guest-focused, and thrive in a fast-paced

MAIN BANKER

\$16.14 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$26.30 / Hour • Non-Exempt

\$13.87 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Albuquerque, NM

Now Hiring: Main Banker - Be at the Center of the Action! Step into a vital role at Isleta Resort and Casino as a Main Banker, where precision meets exceptional service. You'll manage vault operations, process internal guest transactions, and ensure the..

TABLE GAMES FLOOR SUPERVISOR

Albuquerque, NM

Craps knowledge preferred

Laborer-IPHA Albuquerque, NM

Assist with housing renovations, repairs, and maintenance. Operate equipment, handle materials, and support skilled workers. Keep worksites safe and organized. Apply today to make a difference!

EXPEDITOR (Ristra) Albuquerque, NM

\$14.87 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Ensure timely, accurate food service, assist guests, maintain cleanliness, and uphold service standards. Apply today to be part of our team!

BUSSER Albuquerque, NM \$11.50 / Hour • Non-Exempt

Maintain cleanliness assist with table resets and provide excellent quest service Apply today to make a difference in our dining experience!

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SUPERVISOR F & B

\$20.31 / Hour Non-Exempt

Albuquerque, NM

Oversees dining operations, ensures exceptional service, managers staff, and enhances quest experiences

Pueblo of Isleta Career Opportunities

Pueblo of Isleta Career Opportunities					
Position Posting	Office Location	Closing Date			
ASSISTANT PUBLIC DEFENDER	Public Defender	Open Until Filled			
ASSOCIATE JUDGE	Tribal Courts	Open Until Filled			
BROADBAND DIRECTOR	Tribal Administration	Open Until Filled			
BUSINESS MANAGER I	Elder Center	Open Until Filled			
CAREGIVER	Assisted Living Facility	Open Until Filled			
CFO HEALTH SERVICES	Health Services	06/04/2025			
COMMUNITY HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE	Health Services	Open Until Filled			
COOKI	Assisted Living Facility	Open Until Filled			
DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION DIVISION MANAGER	Public Works Design & Construction	Open Until Filled			
DIRECTOR, ELDER CENTER	Elder Center	Open Until Filled			
DIRECTOR, CULTURAL & HISTORICAL PRESERVATION	Cultural & Historical Preservation	Open Until Filled			
DISPATCHER I or II	Police Department	Open Until Filled			
FIREFIGHTER	Fire Department	Open Until Filled			
GROUNDS MAINTENANCE WORKER	Public Works	Open Until Filled			
HEALTH COORDINATOR	Head Start	Open Until Filled			
HOME CARE ATTENDANT	Elder Center	Open Until Filled			
HOME MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN	Elder Center	Open Until Filled			
HUMAN RESOURCES BENEFITS COORDINATOR	Human Resources	Open Until Filled (Emergency Hire)			
ICWA COORDINATOR	Social Services	Open Until Filled			
INVESTIGATION & LANDSCARE	Police Department	Open Until Filled			
IRRIGATION & LANDSCAPE TECHNICIAN	Parks & Recreation	Open Until Filled			
LIFEGUARD ASSISTANT	Parks & Recreation	Open Until Filled			
MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN I, II or III	Public Works	Open Until Filled			
NURSE PRACTITIONER	Health Services	Open Until Filled			
OPTOMETRY TECHNICIAN	Health Services	Open Until Filled			
PARKS MAINTENANCE WORKER	Parks & Recreation	Open Until Filled			
PERSONAL CARE SERVICE AI DE	Elder Center	Open Until Filled			
PLUMBER	Public Works	Open Until Filled			
POLICE LIEUTENANT POLICE OFFICER I	Police Department Police Department	Open Until Filled Open Until Filled			
POLICE OFFICER II	Police Department	Open Until Filled			
PUBLIC SAFETY AIDE	Police Department	Open Until Filled			
PURCHASED/REFERRED CARE RECEPTIONIST	Health Services	Open Until Filled			
RECREATION CENTER AIDE/ FRONT DESK	Parks & Recreation	Open Until Filled			
ROADWAY MAINTENANCE WORKER I (2 Positions)	Transportation Services	Open Until Filled			
SECURITY OFFICER	Tribal Courts	Open Until Filled			
SOLID WASTE DRIVER	Solid Waste	Open Until Filled			
STATE-TRIBAL IFPA COORDINATOR	Social Services	Open Until Filled			
SUBSTANCE ABUSE COUNSELOR	Health Services	Open Until Filled			
SYP-RECREATION AIDE	Parks & Recreation	Open Until Filled			
TRANSPORTATION ENGINEER	Transportation Services	Open Until Filled			
TRIBAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION TECHNICIAN	Cultural & Historical Preservation	Open Until Filled			
UTILITY WORKER	Public Works	Open Until Filled			
VETERAN SUPPORT SERVICE MEMBER	Elder Center	Open Until Filled WITHIN			
WATER/WWTP OPERATOR I-IV	Public Works	Open Until Filled			



ENVIRONMENT

Monthly surface water quality results

E. coli bacteria in MPN/100 ml by POI	Month & Year of Collection							
Sample Location*	2024			2025				
	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
South Boundary	884	1169	1421	325	201	31	49	158
240 Wasteway	776	691	1259	260	364	30	58	142
Indian Interior Drain @ 240 Wasteway	29	23	-	19	93	63	49	141
NM 147	712	388	776	178	178	120	56	109
Black Bridge	292	402	908	113	139	85	37	121
Northern Boundary near Isleta Lakes	384	341	591	43	101	73	45	134
Albuquerque Riverside Drain	60	39	66	24	31	20	23	72
Acequia Madre near Northern Boundary		8	(.		-	25	285	118
Butte Lateral near Interstate-25	-	-	-		1	46	71	75

*Water quality samples are collected on a monthly basis from the Rio Grande. Two irrigation sample locations are collected during the growing season.

- Dash in data table indicates sample not collected.

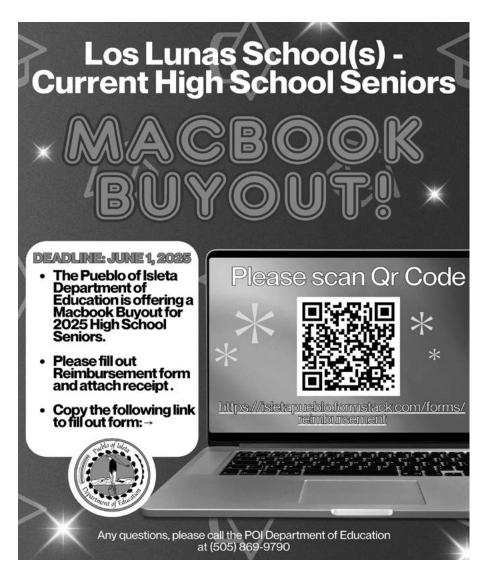
"MPN" is a unit of measure that stands for most probable number. MPN is equivalent to colony forming units ("CFU").

The Pueblo of Isleta's most stringent surface water quality standard for E. coli bacteria is 88 MPN/100 ml at all times and at all flow rates.

Please watch signage at the NM 147 bridge for surface water quality advisory.

Governor states there is no need at this time for a ban on fishing or swimming; fishing is only allowed to tribal members.

If you have questions about surface water quality, contact Ramona Montoya, Water Quality Control Officer, at 505-869-7565.



PROBATES

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Case No. CV-PR-0001-2025 Juan D. Salazar

First Notice

TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with notice requirements, a Petition to Probate the Estate of <u>Juan D. Salazar</u>, deceased <u>01/15/2012</u>, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for <u>Wednesday, June 25, 2025</u> at <u>2:30 pm</u> at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Teresita Salazar Case No. CV-PR-0002-2025

First Notice

to Probate the Estate of <u>Teresita Salazar</u>, deceased <u>06/29/2022</u>, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for <u>Wednesday, June 25, 2025</u> at <u>2:30 pm</u> at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Virgil T. Lujan (aka Ted Lujan)

Case No. CV-PR-0026-2025

First Notice

TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with notice requirements, a Petition to Probate the Estate of <u>Virgil T. Lujan</u>, deceased <u>10/30/2024</u>, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for <u>Thursday, August 07, 2025</u> at <u>1:30 pm</u> at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Paul Lujan

Case No. CV-PR-0035-2025

First Notice

TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with notice requirements, a Petition to Probate the Estate of Paul Lujan, deceased O3/21/2025, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for Thursday, August 07, 2025 at 1:30 pm at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Juan Estevan Chewiwi

Case No. CV-PR-0005-2025

First Notice

to Probate the Estate of <u>Juan Estevan Chewiwi</u>, deceased <u>12/16/2004</u>, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>August 20, 2025</u> at <u>9:30 am</u> at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Francisco L. Benavidez Sr.

Case No. CV-PR-0020-2025

Second Notice

TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with notice requirements, a Petition to Probate the Estate of Francisco L. Benavidez Sr., deceased 02/19/2025, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for Wednesday, June 18, 2025 at 9:30 am at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Case No. CV-PR-0065-2022 Lawrence B. Anzara

Second Notice

TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with notice requirements, a Petition to Probate the Estate of Lawrence B. Anzara, deceased 11/19/2021, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for Thursday, June 26, 2025 at 2:30 pm at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

Case No. CV-PR-0003-2025

Alberta Irene Abeita

Second Notice

TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with notice requirements, a Petition to Probate the Estate of <u>Alberta Irene Abeita</u>, deceased <u>07/30/2020</u>, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for <u>TBD</u> at <u>TBD</u> at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

Case No. CV-PR-0027-2025

John Frederick Abeita

Second Notice

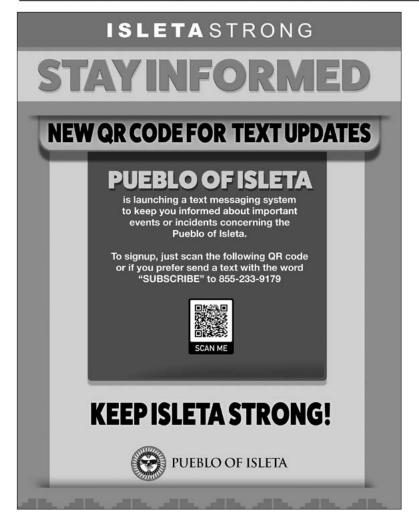
TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with notice requirements, a Petition to Probate the Estate of <u>John Frederick Abeita</u>, deceased <u>01/15/2025</u>, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for <u>TBD</u> at <u>TBD</u> at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Michael Anthony Thomas Abeita

Case No. CV-PR-0033-2025

Second Notice

to Probate the Estate of Michael Anthony Thomas Abeita, deceased 12/10/2024, has been filed in the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court. Any person claiming an interest in the Estate is hereby advised to notify the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Court Clerk in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice being posted. Claims must be filed in writing. A hearing in this matter has been scheduled for TBD at TBD at the Isleta Tribal Court, located at the Tribal Services Complex, 3950 Hwy. 47 SE, Building A, Albuquerque, NM. If you have any questions, please contact the Isleta Tribal Court at (505) 869-9699.



Isleta Student Earns Degree from Wayland Baptist University

Darryl Nathan Chavez of Isleta, NM was among the graduates honored during Wayland Baptist University's spring commencement held at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 17, 2025, at Hutcherson Center.

Darryl received the Master of Public Administration in Justice Administration during the ceremony, which celebrated 119 graduates from across the United States and around the world. He was one of several candidates who completed graduate and doctoral studies through Wayland's Plainview campus and external campuses.

Wayland President Dr. Donna Hedgepath conferred degrees during the ceremony, assisted by Vice President of Academic Affairs Dr. Cindy McClenagan, Registrar Julie Bowen, and faculty members. The event included a student address by graduating senior Alice Elizabeth Grace Conely of Lubbock, a rendition of "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing," and the university's Alma Mater.

Following the ceremony, graduates and their families attended a reception hosted by the Office of Alumni Relations.

Wayland Baptist University, a private Christian university based in Plainview, Texas, has been equipping students for professional success and service to God and humankind since 1908.

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FATHER'S DAY NOTICE

The Transfer Station will be closed on Sunday, June 15th in honor of Father's Day. We wish all the Dads a Happy Father's Day!







KEEP ISLETA BEAUTIFUL! (505) 869-4106



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5 Sites From May 27th-July 18th (with the exception of Daniel Fernandez Park, see below)



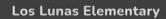
Los Lunas High School

Breakfast: 8am-9am Lunch: 11am-12:30pm

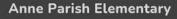
Daniel Fernandez Park-Going Until July 24th



Breakfast: 8am-9am Lunch: 11am-12:30pm



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Meadow Lake Elementary

Breakfast: 8am-9am Lunch: 11:30am-12pm



Department of Education

From the Department of Education:

As we welcome the month of June, the Pueblo of Isleta Department of Education celebrates the accomplishments of our students and families. The school year has flown by, and we extend our heartfelt congratulations to the Class of 2025, along with their families and friends, for this proud achievement. We are excited to begin our summer programming, including summer school, which will be hosted right here at the Department of Education office. Do you want to take the next step in your education? We are here to support you please reach out to our department with any questions about higher education or future opportunities. Stay connected by following us on our social media pages to stay informed about upcoming events and important deadlines. We look forward to a meaningful and enriching summer together with our Isleta community!

MacBook Buyout, Cap & Gown Reimbursement:

Attention Los Lunas School(s) – Current High School Seniors! From the Isleta Department of Education to YOU – we are offering a MacBook Buyout opportunity! If you've already purchased your MacBook, don't forget to submit your reimbursement form along with your receipt using the QR code or provided link.

Pueblo of Isleta or Native American High School Seniors: If you have purchased your cap & gown, don't forget to submit your reimbursement form along with the receipt. Don't miss out!

DEADLINE: June 1, 2025

Have questions? Call the DOE office at (505) 869-9790.

Higher Education (See Flyer):

Ready to continue or return to school? The Higher Education Scholarship is here to support your journey! Apply now to secure funding and take the next step toward your goals. See the deadlines for the Application and Supporting Documents below:

Reimbursement Form Deadline:

Reminder from the Isleta Department of Education & Johnson-O'Malley Program Attention Native American students at Los Lunas School(s)!

Don't forget to submit your reimbursement forms for any tech or lab fees you've paid. There is still time to submit your receipts. Make sure you get your money back — it's quick and easy! Scan the QR code or copy the link to access the form and please submit along with your receipt.

DEADLINE: JUNE 1, 2025

Graduation Recognition:

We invite all high school and college seniors to join us for the 2024/ 2025 Pueblo of Isleta Graduation Recognition Night! This special event will celebrate the hard work, dedication, and accomplishments of our graduating students. It's an evening filled with honor, excitement, and gratitude as we acknowledge your achievements and look forward to the bright futures ahead. □Don't miss out on this opportunity to share this moment with family, friends, and fellow graduates! Please scan the QR code to RSVP or copy the following link https://isletapueblo.formstack.com/forms/2025_graduate



School Visits:

During the spring semester Native American liaison, Shannon Romero, led us on a tour of Albuquerque Public Schools. The visits were a welcomed opportunity to meet our Isleta students within the APS district. While there are 143 schools within the Albuquerque Public School system we were able to visit 15 schools. We were able to visit the following schools:

Rio Grande High School, Parajito Elementary School, Carlos Rey Elementary school, George I Sanchez Collaborative Community School, Atrisco Heritage High School, Truman Middle School, West Mesa High School, Harrison Middle School, Ernie Pyle Middle School, Hawthorne Elementary, Manzano Mesa Elementary, Van Buren Middle School, Bel-Air Elementary School, Del Norte High School, and Governor Bent Elementary.

The visits provided the best possible opportunity for our students to learn of the opportunities that await them at the Department of Education. We look forward to learning who our students are and how they strive to the greatest version of themselves.

Graduation Seal & Stoles:

For the first time, the Isleta Department of Education proudly distributed Seals and Stoles to Isleta high school graduates of the Class of 2025, as well as to those who applied for seals through the department. Students who applied for seals completed presentations, 2–3-page papers, volunteer hours, and community service requirements. The following students were recognized for earning seals at Los Lunas High School, Valencia High School, and Century High School:

Alondra Abeita, Jordan Jiron, Juan Jojola, Marcus Jojola, Elisia Montoya, Jolynne Ramirez, Dwayne Romero, Ashley Thrasher, Isaac Valdez, Kyle Valdez, and Joryn Yazzie.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to all the graduates and wish them continued success in their future endeavors.

Summer School Site Announcement:

The Department of Education will be offering our Department of Education office as a summer school site. A certified teacher will be available on-site to support students throughout the program. (Con't next page)

Silvery Minnow:

The Los Charcos area was filled with fun and excitement on May 17th. Students experienced the thrill and joy of releasing the Silvery Minnow back into its natural habitat, the Rio Grande River. These minnows are one of the most endangered fish in North America and students were overjoyed to give them a fresh start. The students of Isleta Elementary were recently studying the wonderful wildlife that inhabits our Pueblo. The timing was perfect. Recent showers had refreshed the site of the release. Conditions were stellar for the minnows to begin their journey. Each student was able to gently release a minnow with joy and a wish for a brighter future for the Silvery Minnow. This experience left students and staff with sense of awe and wonder.







Location:

Pueblo of Isleta Department of Education

Dates: May 27 – June 23

Schedule:

- May 27–May 30: Tuesday through Friday
- June 2–June 12: Monday through Thursday
- June 16-June 18: Monday through Wednesday
- · June 23: Monday only

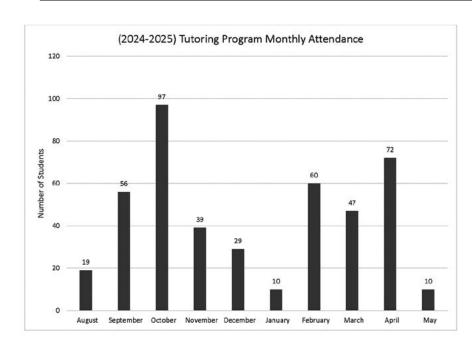
Daily Schedule:

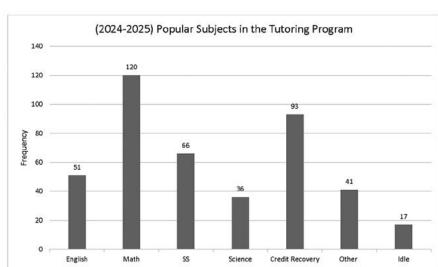
• Morning Session: 7:30 AM – 11:30 AM

• Lunch: 11:30 AM – 12:00 PM

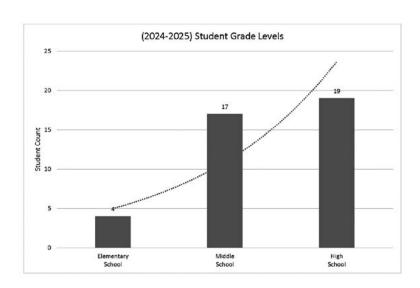
• Afternoon Session: 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Free lunch will be available for participating students. Any questions or concerns, please call the DOE Office.









As we wrap up the school year, we're excited to share highlights from our tutoring program. This year, student participation peaked in October and April, reflecting key moments of academic need. High school students made up the majority of those we served, with the highest demand in Math, followed by Credit Recovery and Social Studies. These trends underline our role in supporting core academic success and graduation goals. We're proud of the growth and perseverance shown by our students and grateful for the dedicated tutors who made this progress possible. Thank you to everyone who contributed to another successful year of learning and growth!

MEDIA RELEASE FOR FREE MEALS FOR CEP

National School Lunch/Breakfast Program School Year 2025-2026

The *Isleta Elementary School* announced today it will operate the Community Eligibility Program (CEP) under the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program for the 2025-2026 school year.

Schools qualifying to operate CEP serve breakfast and lunch to all children at no charge and eliminate the collection of meal applications for free, reduced-price, and paid student meals. This new approach reduces burdens for both families and school administrators and helps ensure that students receive nutritious meals.

For additional information please contact the following person: Isleta Elementary School

Attention: Dr. Tamara Allison/ Principal

Isleta Elementary School 1000 Moonlight Dr. SE Albuquerque, NM 87105 505.273.8444 Sincerely, Christina Lujan/Head Cook

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In accordance with federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity.

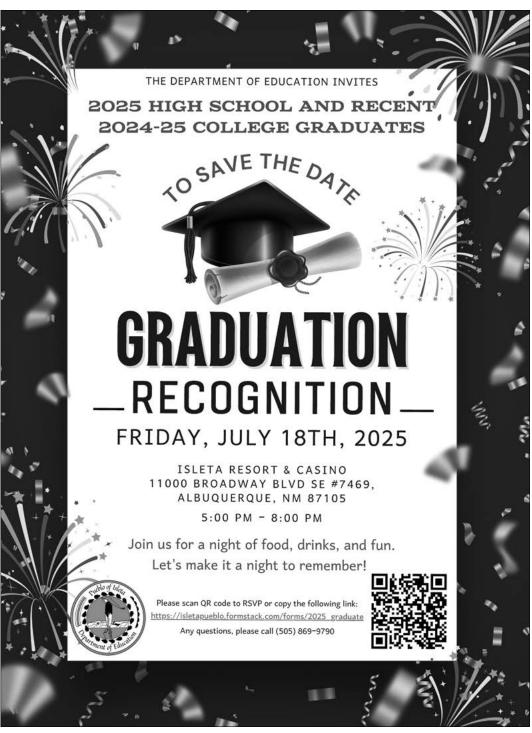
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To file a program discrimination complaint, a Complainant should complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

(1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or (2) fax: (833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or

(3) email: program.intake@usda.gov

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Any questions, please call the DOE office at

(505)-869-9790

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

Draft Programmatic
Environmental Assessment
Addressing Air Force Research
Laboratory Research,
Development, Test, and
Evaluation Activities at Kirtland
Air Force Base, New Mexico

The United States Air Force (USAF), United States Space Force (USSF), Kirtland Air Force Base (AFB), Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL) announce the availability of a Draft Programmatic Environmental Assessment (PEA) addressing the continuation of research, development, test, and evaluation (RDT&E) activities on Kirtland Air Force Base (AFB), New Mexico. The Draft PEA was prepared in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) regulations, and USAF instructions implementing NEPA.

The Draft PEA describes the AFRL proposal to evaluate potential environmental impacts associated with continuing to conduct RDT&E activities on Kirtland AFB, New Mexico. AFRL has been conducting RDT&E activities on Kirtland AFB since the 1960s and there are many existing Environmental Assessments and Environmental Impact Analysis Process documents spanning the decades from 1970 to present day. The Proposed Action consolidates all current and proposed future AFRL RDT&E activities into one PEA, ensuring these activities can continue to occur on Kirtland AFB into the future. Two units of AFRL conduct these activities, ARFL's Directed Energy Directorate (AFRL/RD) and AFRL's Space Vehicle Directorate (AFRL/RV). AFRL/RD develops directed energy weapons (including high energy lasers, highpower microwave, and high-power electromagnetic system prototypes) to counter, disable, and attack adversary sources. Equipment, components, and designs for warfighter weapons are created and tested in laboratories across Kirtland AFB before being tested outdoors at the High Energy Research and Technology Facility (HERTF)/HERTF Canyon, Frustration Canyon, Starfire Optical Range/1-Mile and 2-Mile sites, and Outdoor Laser Propagation and Firing Area to evaluate performance of the new technology. AFRL/RV ensures that the United States and its allies maintain space superiority by developing and transitioning technologies that provide space-based capabilities to the nation. Equipment, components, and designs for spacebased technologies are created in laboratories across Kirtland AFB and then tested outdoors at the Skywave Technology Laboratory, Improved Solar Observing Optical Network, and South Park Antenna Field.

The Draft PEA evaluates potential impacts on the environment from the Proposed Action and the No Action Alternative. The Draft PEA demonstrates that the Proposed Action would not significantly impact the environment and based on this analysis, AFRL has prepared a Draft Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI).

The Draft PEA and Draft FONSI are available for review on the Kirtland AFB website at http://www.kirtland.af.mil/Home/Environment and at the San Pedro Public Library, 5600 Trumbull Avenue SE, Albuquerque, NM 87108. Comments regarding this document will be accepted for 30 days from the publication of this notice. Comments for consideration and other inquiries should be directed by mail to Ms. Martha Garcia, Unit Environmental Coordinator RV & RD, Building 464 | Room 405, 3550 Aberdeen Avenue SE, Kirtland AFB, New Mexico 87117, or by email to martha.garcia.3@ spaceforce.mil.

TRUANCY

A BIG congratulations to all the graduates of the Class of 2025! If you are furthering your education or going straight into the workforce, we wish the best and all the success and happiness that you all deserve; you've earned it!

The Truancy department enjoyed attending field day at Isleta Elementary. It was wonderful seeing the kids having fun and enjoying the day with the support of the various Pueblo of Isleta Departments and the families that attended. We were happy to help serve a delicious meal that was provided, along with the other volunteers and staff.

Throughout the school year, we were happy to present incentives to the many students that received perfect attendance. Incentives included:

1st Quarter: Lego sets were rewarded to 11 students

2nd Quarter: \$25.00 gift cards to Starlight Cinema in Los Lunas to 12 students

3rd Quarter: 4 students received DIY Molding kits

4th Quarter: 1 student was rewarded a KNEX building sets

AND 1 student received an incentive for getting PERFECT ATTENDANCE for the entire 2024/2025 school year! This student will receive a family pack of tickets to Cliff's Amusement Park to enjoy a fun filled day with their family. CONGRATULATIONS!!

As always, the Truancy Department will continue rewarding students with perfect attendance incentives, not only for Isleta Elementary School students but students attending other schools as well. Contact the Truancy Department for additional information if needed.

As families are aware, this past semester the Truancy department has been sending out attendance notification letters more frequently. The department has seen an amazing response from parents in regards to letters that they have received. From parents calling our department and following up with the school the students attend, we have seen an improvement on the weekly student attendance reports that we receive from the Los Lunas School District. We hope to see continued progress and the positive support from families as students continue with their education. The Truancy Department is committed to maintain consistency as we move forward into a new school 2025-2026 school year.

We wish you all a great beginning to summer vacation! Please stay safe and enjoy your time!

Isleta Truancy Department



Community Solar Consultant for New Mexico Pueblos



Job title

Pueblo Community Solar Consultant

Estimated Commission Pay: About \$60 per hour (IRS form 1099):
Part-Time ~20-hour week (~\$300/subscription; \$1,200/week; \$5,200/month; \$62,400/annual)
Full-Time ~40-hour week (~300/subscription; \$2,400/week; \$10,400/month; \$124,800/annual)

Community Solar Program:

The New Mexico Community Solar Act of 2021 allows customers to receive benefits from a solar project without installing solar panels on their property. The state's program makes it easy for customers to have good savings, and low-income customers will have excellent savings. Although this is New Mexico's first community solar program, other programs have been available in different states, such as Colorado, for over eleven years. (learn more at csnewmexico.com)

Our Purpose:

WattsUp educates and signs up subscribers to the New Mexico Community Solar program. We work with solar developers (Subscriber Organizations) and subscription providers (Subscription Managers) to get community solar projects fully subscribed to in a timely manner. In the state's program, WattsUp is called a Subscriber Aggregator.

Value Proposition:

WattsUp adds value by **quickly** enrolling New Mexicans in the state's program through established relationships in the community. We do this **ethically** by providing accurate information and adhering to the state's consumer protections. We also work to achieve the program's intended **economic benefit for New Mexico**.

Job Description:

Independent Contractor working on the New Mexico Community Solar program with residential households that are members of or are located within the New Mexico Pueblos in the electric utility service area of PNM, namely Tesuque, Cochiti, Santo Domingo, San Felipe, Santa Ana, Sandia, Isleta, and Laguna pueblos. You will have the opportunity and responsibility to work with your Pueblo leadership and community members to find the best unique fit for enrolling households with our Subscriber Manager clients.

As a Community Solar Consultant, your primary responsibility will be contacting residential households, including renters and owners. You are encouraged to utilize various outreach methods such as social media, events, referral programs, and neighborhood outreach. You will have the opportunity to be creative and find more effective approaches for this job. Training and team meetings are mandatory, but the rest of your work schedule is up to you. Consultants can work independently or in small groups. Even though much of the work is independent, there will be ample opportunities for team collaboration, idea sharing, and mutual support. Subscription sales are typically easier than other sales jobs, but this direct sales approach is not for everyone! There may be some challenges with the new program in New Mexico. However, as a new program, the potential to help households save money and being a local provider should lead to significant success.

Qualifications:

- Is a Tesuque, Cochiti, Santo Domingo, San Felipe, Santa Ana, Sandia, or Isleta
 Pueblo member and is authorized to visit households and attend Pueblo meetings and
 events.
- Has established relationships within the Pueblo.
- Can work with or communicate with the Pueblo's Environment Department or Economic Development offices.
- Has familiarity with community outreach and community development work.
 Ability to work independently as well as part of a team.
- Loves to save people money.
- Prioritizes providing accurate information over saying whatever it takes to make a sale.

Next Step:

Contact Troy McGee at 505-510-2040 or info@wattsupnm.com



AT A GLANCE

- Principal Message
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- Summer School
- Join our Team!

Principal Message

Dear Isleta Learning Community,

Here are the highlights for the month of May. Teachers and Education Technicians were celebrated as part of the national Teacher Appreciation Week, where they were treated to a luncheon of stew, cornbread, and cake and a pancake breakfast served by our 6th grade students. Also, our students, K-6, earned a field trip to the Albuquerque Zoo. There were many other schools at the Zoo at the same time, and our staff remarked that our students stood out with how well they stayed with their groups and their display of positive behavior. The departments of Isleta Pueblo and Governor Jiron came together for the end of year Field Day, where students had fun playing water games (including a dunking machine), participating in sack races, and were provided treats like snow cones. Other end of year events included an awards assembly for grades K-6 and a promotion celebration for kindergarten and 6th grades. All these events were a great way to celebrate all the hard work and academic gains made by students.

It's been a pleasure working with your students, and we look forward to working with them again at summer school. We also say goodbye to Ms. Nieto and Ms. Ortiz who are leaving IES to enjoy their retirement after previously retiring from APS and working many more years at IES. They will be greatly missed.

Warmest regards,

Dr. Tamara Allison

Field Day



Field day was explored by all grades here at Isleta Elementary. We had different organizations from the community volunteer to help run games, pass out food, and celebrate another great year. Students were able to practice their throwing skills with the dunk tank and corn hole, dodge water balls, and enjoy their time in the sun with water guns and sprayers.

The police department grilled hotdogs and burgers for all who attended and even went head-to-head with upper grade students in a basketball game. The upper grades held their own and the game ended in a tie.



Fieldtrips



two separate days. On the 7th the upper grades went. The following day the lower grades went. We had staff and parent volunteers help chaperone groups and enjoy an amazing day at the zoo. While there everyone enjoyed the food from Cottonwood Café. Along with the zoo, some of our 5th and 6th

Earlier in the month students went to the zoo on

graders experienced the Magic School Bus to Casa San Ysidro in Corrales. There they learned the history of San Ysidro, toured the house and wagons. This museum was full of different 100year-old artifacts, including the porch to the original Isleta trading post. While they were there the students created an art tin project.





Get Involved!



We are always needing volunteers!

For questions on how you can help, contact the front office @ 505-273-8444. Below is a list of opportunities.

- Become a member of the Parent/Teacher Organization (PTO)
- · Attend a School Board Meeting
- · Apply to be a volunteer
- View our current job openings: https://www.bie.edu/current-



Assembly & Rights of Passage



As we reach the final days of the 2024-2025 school year, we celebrated students accomplishments and academic achievements. Students were recognized for their leadership, good citizenship throughout the academic school year, improvements in ELA, and math as well as sportsmanship.

During the Rights of Passage, we recognized the kindergarten and 6th grade class as they continue to move in their educational careers. We celebrated this steppingstone with friends, families and classmates. Students ended the ceremony with traditional dances, and refreshments.







Summer School



With the last day of school quickly approaching, please be sure to turn in any summer school registration forms.

The lower grades are teaming up to reinforce foundational phonic skills and breaking into smaller groups to do appropriate activities teaching students about the solar system.

The upper grades will be focused on reading fluency, comprehension, writing and math facts. The upper grades will be reading the chapter book, Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone, which will have follow up activities and end with comparing the book to the movie.

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Registration begins April 7th

Summer school dates: June 2 -27

Registration packets will be sent home with students or you can pick one up at the front office.

505-273-8444

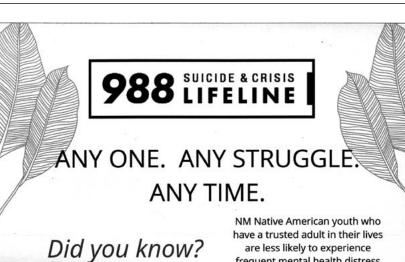
All Natural Nutritional Supplement



People have been growing squash throughout North, Central, and South America for about ten thousand years! In fact, the English word 'squash' comes from the Narrangasett word askutasquash, meaning 'eaten raw or uncooked.' Thin-skinned squashes like zucchini and yellow squash are considered summer squashes. Thick-skinned squashes like butternut or pumpkin are considered winter squashes; these usually have more carbohydrates than summer squashes. Here in New Mexico we may call summer squash "calabacitas," or in Isleta "pah." No matter what name or variety, summer squashes are a pretty amazing food. They are sources of vitamin C, vitamin B6, potassium, magnesium, fiber, and even a small amount of protein. The molecules that give squashes their bright color have antioxidant properties, and researchers have found that squashes - especially native heirloom varieties - can help protect against diabetes and high blood pressure. Summer squashes are also low in carbohydrates, so they don't raise blood sugar the way that some other New Mexican foods do. Find those calabacitas recipes now, and you'll be ready to make the most of this summer's tasty harvest!

Author: Dr. Kelley, Provider at Isleta Health Center

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are less likely to experience frequent mental health distress and engage in risky behaviors.

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TRASH TALK ISLETA!

PROPERLY SPACED CARTS INSURE SAFE SERVICE TO YOUR PROPERTY.



SPACED CARTS CAN LEAD TO

PROPERLY SPACED



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PROPER SPACING IS IMPORTANT

Let's talk trash Isleta! In this edition of Isleta Trash Talk, let's talk about proper spacing of your trash and recycle carts. It is important to place your carts out properly to avoid missed collections. Above you we see photos of both properly and improperly spaced carts. The photo on the right illustrates carts that are not between the carts to pick them up. Please leave a minimum of 3 feet of room between other carts, mailboxes, low hanging trees, utility lines, fences etc. This will insure the drivers can safely access, empty and service your home. The photo on the left illustrates properly spaced carts. This allows the driver to provide you with safe curbside service. Your cooperation and understanding is greatly appreciated.

KEEP ISLETA BEAUTIFUL!

RASH TALK ISLETA!

SOLID WASTE

DON'T CONTAMINATE RECYCLE BET

KEEP ISLETA BEAUTIFUL!





PAPER





DO NOT USE BLACK OR WHITE BAGS

Keep it simple, if you do not see it on this flier throw it away in the trash. Do not use your blue recycle cart for trash or it will be confiscated. Have your cart out by 7am. For service schedule announcements check the POI newsletter & POI Facebook. (505) 869-4106

Your recyclables do not need to be bagged, however it is highly recommended to bag your recyclables for curbside pickup during windy season. This is to reduce the chance of creating litter due to winds. If you choose to bag your recyclables it is important to use clear bags only. Colored bags are not accepted at the recycling facility. When your recyclables are bagged in colored bags they are not opened up and your material is landfilled instead of recycled. Using clear bags helps to ensure the health and safety of the line workers who come in contact with the material when sorting at the recycle facility. Using colored bags will result in your recycles not being collected. This is important to sustain the recycle program moving forward. Your understanding and cooperation is greatly appreciated.

ISLETA POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS

JUNE - 2025



It is hard to believe we are starting the sixth month of the year! School is out, summer vacations underway and children enjoying a little summertime break. As the

children are excited to have some freedom time, they may not be as careful when out and about so everyone please be aware and watch for them when driving in the neighborhoods.

Mother Nature is still trying to decide on the weather it seems, but hopefully in June the temperatures will cease to fluctuate, and the winds will stop. With warmer temperatures and summer around the corner the Police Department asks everyone to make sure children and pets are never left in cars. Each year we send out warnings and tips to prevent tragedies from occurring. In the past we have found pets and on one occasion children left in a vehicle. The following information was taken from an article published by the National Weather Service:

HEAT, AUTOS & SAFETY

How Fast Can The Sun Heat a Car?

The atmosphere and the windows of a car are relatively transparent to the sun's shortwave radiation and are warmed little. This shortwave energy, however, does heat objects it strikes. For example, a dark dashboard or seat can easily reach temperatures in the range of 180 to more than 200 degrees F.

These objects (e.g., dashboard, steering wheel, childseat) heat the adjacent air by conduction and convection and also give off longwave radiation (red) which is very efficient at warming the air trapped inside a vehicle.

Never Leave Children or Pets Vehicles Unattended

Each year dozens of children and pets die from being left in unattended vehicles across the country. Catherine McLaren MD et al published an article in Pediatrics in 2005 titled "Heat Stress From Enclosed Vehicles: Moderate Ambient Significant *Temperatures* Cause Temperature Rise in Enclosed Vehicles." which showed evidence that at relatively cool outside temperatures, the temperature inside a vehicle can rise significantly, with the majority of the temperature rise occurring within the first 15 to 30 minutes. In addition, they found that leaving windows cracked does not significantly slow the heating process or decrease the maximum temperature measured inside the vehicle. To prevent serious heat related illness or death, children should never be left unattended in a vehicle.

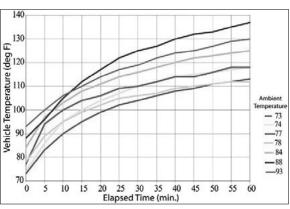
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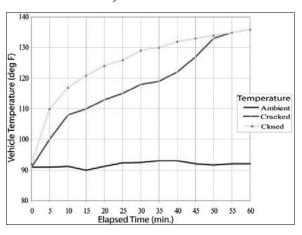
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The temperature inside a vehicle will reach 100F in 25 minutes when the outside temperature is only 73F!

Temperature inside a vehicle (air temperature ranging from 73 - 93 F)



Temperature inside a vehicle (closed vs cracked window)



Excessive Heat Safety

- * Drink plenty of water and natural fruit juices, even if you're not thirsty. Avoid alcoholic beverages and drinks with caffeine, such as coffee, tea, and colas.
- * Wear loose-fitting, lightweight, lightcolored clothing. If you must go out, use sunscreen and wear a wide- brimmed hat. Remember that sunburn reduces the skin's ability to provide cooling.
- * Avoid going out during the hottest times of the day. Take frequent breaks if working during the heat of the day.
- * Using a buddy system between co-workers in high heat-stress jobs can help ensure that signs of heat stress do not go unnoticed.
- * Inside during the day, keep shades drawn and blinds closed. Use air conditioning whenever available. Even just two hours per day in air conditioning can significantly reduce the risk of heat-related illness.
- * Fans should only be used in a ventilated room. Blow hot air out a window with a fan during the day, and blow in cooler air at night.
- * Take cool (not icy cold) baths or showers. Eat frequent, small meals. Avoid high protein foods, which increase metabolic heat. Fruits, vegetables, and salads constitute low protein meals.
- * Do not leave children or pets in a closed vehicle with the windows up. Temperatures inside a closed vehicle can reach over 140 degrees within minutes.
- * Provide extra water and access to a cool environment for pets.

WELCOME

The Isleta Police Department welcomes the two newest additions to the family and would like to introduce them to you:



ROSALIE CASTILLO Pueblo of Isleta Police Office Supervisor

After proudly serving 26 years with the Water Utility Authority, I have transitioned into a new chapter of public service with the Isleta Police Department. My career has been rooted in dedication, integrity, and commitment to my colleagues and the community. Values I carry with me into this new role.

I am excited to bring my experience, skills, and passion for service to support our staff and community. I believe in building trust, respect for one another, fostering safety, and creating meaningful connections with those I serve. Outside of work, I enjoy spending quality time with my family, making new memories, exploring nature on walks with our pets, and practicing hot yoga to relieve stress, stay centered and energized.



LEIGH ANNE PERDOMO Isleta Police Department Dispatch

Hi, I'm Leigh Anne! I'm a former EMT with Albuquerque Ambulance. While working as an EMT, I developed a passion for public service and am eager to carry that commitment forward with the Isleta Police Department. I am currently pursuing a degree in Nuclear Medicine. When I'm not studying, my hobbies are gym, tanning and laundry. In my free time, I love hanging out with my two dogs, Meeko Moreno Lopez and Draco Malfoy Lopez. I'm happy to join the team and contribute to its mission.

CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to the newest addition to the supervisory staff! Virgil Lucero was recently promoted to the rank of Sergeant for the Open Space Division. Sgt. Lucero has been with the department for years and took a short hiatus while serving as a lieutenant governor.

So as not to become confused, please note with do have three (3) Sgt. Luceros in the department: Sgt. Kathleen Lucero, Criminal Investigations, Sgt. Joseph Lucero (Open Space senior sergeant) and Sgt. V. Lucero.



National Police Week offers honor, remembrance, and peer support, while allowing law enforcement, survivors, and citizens to gather and pay homage to those who gave their lives in the line of duty. It includes the National Peace Officers Memorial Service and other events throughout the week that honor those that paid the ultimate sacrifice.

In 1962, President John F. Kennedy signed a proclamation which designated May 15 as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the week in which that date falls as Police Week. Currently, tens of thousands of law enforcement officers from around the world converge on Washington, DC to participate in a number of planned events which honor those that have paid the ultimate sacrifice.

The Memorial Service began in 1982 as a gathering in Senate Park of approximately 120 survivors and supporters of law enforcement. Decades later, the event, more commonly known as National Police Week, has grown to a series of events which attracts thousands of survivors and law enforcement officers to our Nation's Capital each year.

Let us all remember not only those who have made the supreme and ultimate sacrifice to their communities and to the nation but those who continue in their endeavors to "Protect and Serve" their communities.

National Police Week (May 12 through May 16, 2025) and Isleta Police Department remembered fallen officers throughout the nation but remembered our fallen officer from Isleta: Louis Abeita.



During the week officers within the department were honored with treats and a luncheon for their time protecting and serving the Pueblo of Isleta. Contributions and donations were provided by Krispy Kreme Donuts, Einstein Bagels, Nadine Waconda, Marie Peterson, IHSP assistant Gertrude Lujan and coordinated by Erin Waconda.

The Isleta Police Department appreciates all of you!









TO ALL HAVE A SAFE AND WONDERFUL SUMMER!

Smile into summer with Isleta Health Center Dental

As the days grow longer and the weather warms up, we hope you're getting ready to enjoy a fantastic June! Here at IHC Dental we're also gearing up for a bright and healthy summer, and we've got some exciting news and helpful tips to share with you.

June is Oral Health Month!

Did you know that June is **National Oral Health Month**? It is the perfect time to refresh your commitment to a healthy smile. We encourage you to:

- Review your brushing and flossing habits: Are you brushing twice a day for two minutes each time and flossing daily?
- Schedule your routine check-up and cleaning: Regular visits are crucial for preventing problems before they start. Don't wait for discomfort book your appointment today!
- Talk to us about any concerns: Whether it's sensitivity, teeth grinding, or questions about dentistry, we're here to help.

Summer Smile Tips!

Summer often brings changes to our routines, but maintaining good oral hygiene shouldn't take a vacation! Here are a few tips to keep your smile sparkling all season long:

- **Stay hydrated:** Water is your mouth's best friend! It helps rinse away food particles and keeps your gums healthy. Avoid sugary drinks that can contribute to cavities.
- Travel smart: Don't forget your toothbrush, toothpaste, and floss when you're on the go! A travel-sized kit can easily fit in your luggage.

We love hearing from our happy patients! **Book Your Appointment Today!**

Don't let summer slip away without prioritizing your oral health. Contact us today to schedule your next appointment:

• Phone: 505-869-4499

We look forward to seeing you smile this June!

Fantastic news! Marla deserves a big congratulations on her two-year anniversary with the dental clinic. It's wonderful to celebrate milestones like these. Her dedication is truly valued by the team and the patients.

Thank you so much to our IHC patients for dedicating their time and sharing their experiences through the Patient Survey. Your feedback is crucial and will directly contribute to positive changes within IHC.



Pueblo of Isleta Public Library

June has arrived, bringing sunshine, warm breezes, and the perfect excuse to visit the library. We officially kicked off our Summer Reading Program, and library staff have been busy with the kids and summer meal program. We highlighted some summer resources in this month's article. Which can come in handy when you have those restless kiddo's trying to find something to do during their summer break.

News

The library will be closed on Thursday, June 19th in observance of Juneteenth. All library media checked out on Tuesday, June 17th will be due Friday, June 20th. Juneteenth is a federal holiday to commemorate the emancipation of enslaved people in the US. The library will be a host site for the Summer Meal Program provided by the Bernalillo County food program starting June 2nd through August 1st. We will be serving breakfast and lunch for children ages 1-18 years old in the library Art Room. Breakfast will be served from 7:45am - 9:30am and lunch will be served from 11:30am -1:00pm. All meals are FREE and must be eaten on site. If you have any questions regarding this program, please call the library at 505-869-9808 and speak with a staff member.

The Summer is a very busy time for the library and patrons may experience longer waiting times at the front desk. You will notice more children during the day and new library summer workers. Please be patient with us as some of the new staff are just learning, and for some it is their very first job. We would like to apologize in advance for any inconvenience and we thank you for understanding during this busy time. Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions or concerns, you may call the library at 505-869-9808.

Summer Resources

Don't forget the library has a mobile device app which can be found in both the Apple and Google Play stores. To find our app, type in, "POI LIB" in the app search bar and look for our purple library logo. Our app will give you quick access to our online catalog, your account info & digital library card, FREE digital resources (NY Times, Freegal, Libby, LinkedIn, Skill & Skill Share) library event calendar, Pueblo of Isleta Newsletter, social medial links, and library contact information. Should you accept our app notifications, you will receive reminder, closure dates, program announcements, library news notifications. If you need help downloading the library app, please call or stop in and speak with a staff member.

With Summer here we would like to remind you about our FREE movie streaming service called Kanopy. You will need to set up your four-digit passcode with the library. You may visit or call the library to create or reset your passcode. Afterwards, you may download the app, explore the website or follow the link through the library mobile app under digital resources. From there you can start enjoying films, TV shows, educational videos and documentaries from the comfort of your home.

To help save some money this summer, come check out a FREE Family Pass which gives you access to 16 museums and historical sites throughout the Land of Enchantment. Each pass provides 6 free admissions into the 16 sites which included New Mexico Museum of Space History, National Hispanic Cultural Center, New Mexico

Museum of Natural History of Science, and so much more. Patrons can check out the pass for a week so start planning those road trips for the summer.

Our Family Story Time will be taking a break for June and July because library staff will be busy with the Summer Reading Program. Story Time will begin again in August with story time every Wednesday starting at 10:30am, activities and crafts will follow. If you have any questions about this program, please give the library a call at 505-869-9808 and speak with a staff member.

Upcoming

The Summer Reading Program (SRP) will begin on Monday June 9th. Junior Program (morning session) will begin at 9:00am and end at 11:30am. Youth Program will begin at 1:00pm and end at 4:00pm (afternoon session). If you are interested in signing-up for this program, please call the library and check the status of program availability. If Junior and Youth programs are full, we have a waiting list. If a child decides our program is not for them or misses more than 5 days, they will be dropped from our program, and we will move onto our waiting list.

Recap

Summer Reading Program registration was held on Friday, May 9th starting at 7am. We had a total of 20 spots for the Juniors and 25 spots for the Youth. As of right now, our Youth Program is full, however we do have a waiting list. There are still spots available for the Junior Program. To register you would still need to come into the library to fill out a registration form. Junior registration will stay open until all spots are filled. If you have any question or concerns about are Summer Reading Program, please feel free to call the library at 505-869-9808 and speak with a staff member.

The After School Program finished their final month of program, and as a thank you library staff took students on their final incentive field trip of the year to Main Event. Students had a great time playing video games, laser tag and enjoyed pizza afterwards for dinner. We would like to thank all our students for doing such a great job this school year and participating in our After School Program. It has been a pleasure to have them in our program. Until next school year have a great summer!



After School Program registration for the upcoming 2025-2026 school year will be during the last week of July and will be open to 20 students with limited slots for Isleta, Sundance, and Bosque Farms Elementary. Transportation to the library will be available for Bosque Farms Elementary ONLY, as the other school is in walking distance and the other having a bus stop near the library. If you have any question regarding our After School Program, please give us a call and speak with a staff member at 505-869-9808.











The After School Program students attended their last incentive field trip of the school year to Main Event!



Bandelier National Monument

Bandelier National Monument is currently hiring for 2 interns at Bandelier National Monument, a 26-week paid opportunity that individuals 18-30 years old (up to 35 for military veterans) who are able to learn the trade of stone masonry from National Park Service Staff. This is a no experience required/ necessary program! Would you be able to help share the opportunity? We also highly encourage individuals from associated tribes/pueblos and communities of Bandelier to apply! Please reach out to me directly for questions about this opportunity! Elahkwa/Asquali for your time.

Kiana Etsate-Gashytewa



TRANSPORTATION SERVICES



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Tribal Transportation Improvement Program Update

Greetings,

The Pueblo of Isleta Transportation Services Department is developing an update to the Tribal Transportation Improvement Program (TTIP), which is available for public review

The TTIP prioritizes projects and is required to receive funding from the Federal Tribal Transportation Program (TTP), formerly Indian Reservation Roads (IRR).

This proposed update includes adjustments to reflect projects completed, actual expenditures, additional grant funds received and new projects.

Additional proposed projects include:

- First section of TR 95 east of NM 47 and the TR 95/NM 47 intersection
- Street lighting for the new section of Moonlight Drive
- Street lighting for the TR 7/NM 47 intersection.

A copy of the TTIP can be obtained from the front desk of the Tribal Services Complex (TSC) or the front desk of the Facilities. Maintenance and Operations building (FMO) Monday thru Friday between 8:00am and 3:30pm. You can also contact Lawrence Martinez at (505)869-9818 for more information.

Any comments must be submitted by COB June 30, 2025, by hand delivery to the front desk of the TSC or to the front desk of the FMO. Comments can also be e-mailed to Lawrence Martinez at Lawrence.Martinez@Isletapueblo.com.

Requirements for projects to be included in the TTIP must include the following:

- The roadway must be Official within the BIA National Tribal Transportation Facility Inventory
- The project must be consistent with the Long Range Transportation Plan

Thank You,

The Transportation Services Team



HELP US-HELP YOU

At PRC, we want to remind you that we need your help to continue providing the best services.

PRC consists of a dedicated team of 4 clerks and 2 billers.

Referrals: When calling in a referral, please use the phone number associated with your last name

*please note as of March 10th, 2025 there has been some changes with the PRC Representatives and whose last name they serve

- A-C (Theresa) 505-869-4862
- D-K (Amanda) 505-869-4396
- L-O (Kat) 505-869-4874
- P-Z (<u>Riane</u>) 505-869-4884

Billing Questions: If you have questions about your bill, please call

- A-L (Andrena)505-869-4896
- M-Z (Tania) 505-869-4381

*If you would like a call back from PRC or Billing leave a voice mail make sure to speak clearly and leave your full name, date of birth, and a good contact number for follow-up.

If you're not getting a timely response or If you feel your calls are not being returned as promptly as you'd like, please contact the PRC Manager at 505-869-4861.

Continue Calling for Appointments:

Whether your appointment is upcoming or in the past, please give us a call! We're here to help with all of them.

PRC Eligibility: PRC is not an insurances carrier nor an entitlement program it's a valuable resource provided by Isleta Pueblo for its PRC eligible members.

*PRC is payor of last resort, must apply or have alternate resources before PRC will cover any costs.

Uninsured? If you do not have insurance, please reach out to our benefit coordinator at 505-869-4469. Failing to do so could result in unexpected bills.

Be well is now on site Monday thru Friday from 9am to 2pm. To help you apply for NM Medicaid and/or free to low cost health coverage. They also help with questions regarding Medicare A/B advantage plans. Be well can be reached at 505-869-4869.

June is Men's Health Month!

June is Men's Health Month – the perfect time to focus on your well-being. Here are some simple steps you can take to stay healthy and strong for yourself and your loved ones:

Schedule Your Annual Wellness Visit

When was your last check-up? Regular visits to your healthcare provider can catch potential issues early, like high blood pressure or diabetes. Even if you are feeling fine, these check-ups are a great opportunity to discuss any concerns and stay on top of your health.

Get Moving

Physical activity isn't just for athletes. Whether it's a brisk walk, a bike ride, or playing with your kids, aim for at least 150 minutes of moderate exercise each week. Staying active boosts your mood, energy, and overall health.

Prioritize Mental Health

It's okay to not be okay. Stress, anxiety, and depression can affect anyone. Talking to a friend, family member, or mental health professional can make a big difference. Remember, seeking help is a sign of strength, not weakness.

Eat Well

Fuel your body with nutritious foods. Incorporate fruits, vegetables, whole grains, and lean proteins into your meals. Limit processed foods and sugary drinks. Eating well supports your immune system and keeps you energized.

Stay Connected

Your health isn't just physical—it's emotional and social, too. Spend time with family and friends, participate in community events, and engage in activities that bring you joy. Strong relationships and a sense of community contribute to overall well-being. Check out the June events calendar in this edition of the POI Newsletter.

Take the First Step Today

Your health matters. This Men's Health Month, commit to making positive changes. Schedule your annual wellness visit, get active, talk about your feelings, eat nutritious foods, and connect with your community. Small steps can lead to big improvements in your health.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact the Isleta Health Center at 505-869-3200.

Nancy Jo Gonzales, Director of Public Health Services

Health Beat:

Hepatitis C Liver Disease -**Prevention and Treatment Updates**

Phone: 505-869-3200

Hepatitis C is a virus that infects the liver. It causes liver damage that can lead to cirrhosis, even liver cancer. It also raises the risk of diabetes and heart disease. Many people do not notice any health problems until they have had Hepatitis C for many years. The Hepatitis C virus is spread through contact with infected blood and body fluids. Many years ago, blood bank donations were not tested for Hepatitis C, so some infections came from blood transfusions. Others were infected from using needles that were not properly sterilized when getting tattoos or injecting drugs. In some cases, people were infected through sexual contact. Unfortunately, Hepatitis C is becoming more common in the U.S. overall and especially in Native communities.

The U.S. Preventive Service Task Force recommends that all adults are tested at least once in their lifetime for Hepatitis C. This will help get treatment to everyone who needs it. Starting in 2016, the Federal Drug Administration has approved treatments for Hepatitis C that can completely CURE the infection and PREVENT liver damage! Just 2 to 3 months of daily medication, with minimal side effects, can save someone's life.

Your health care team at Isleta Health Center has been working to make these treatments available to our patients who need it. If you or a loved one would like testing or treatment for Hepatitis C, call us at 505-869-3200 to make an appointment.

Hello from Isleta Health Center

Most recently Isleta Health Center has implemented a new process to check in for appointments. This new process consists of a ticket and number system. When you arrive at the health center, you are greeted by one of our Patient Registration Clerks, where you will be instructed to "take a ticket".

Once a ticket is taken, you will notice two offices that are labeled room 1 and room 2. Outside the office are colored lights and numbers. The light colors indicate if an office is available (green light) or if a patient is being checked-in (red light). The number system corresponds to the order in which you arrive and will be called out loud by an automated system, "now serving ticket – at room –".

Once your ticket number has been called, you will then proceed to the designated room (1 or 2), clearly labeled above each door way. You then will conduct in an office setting, your patient check-in.

This process now offers you, our patients privacy. improved tracking of patient appointment times, efficient and one-on-one interaction for a personalized service experience with our Patient Registration Clerks.

It is important at the time of checking in with a Patient Registration Clerk, you as the patient informs of any recent changes to your personal information, a list of possible changes may include:

- a. Insurance
- b. Phone number
- a. Cell phone
- b. Land line
- c. Mailing Address
- d. Physical Address
- e. In case of an Emergency Contact listing

Updates that have been provided, will immediate be reflected in your patient chart to allow the health center team to accurate communication our needs directly through phone or mail.

We ask for your understanding as we work out kinks with the new system. Thank you!

Optical Services

Patients that are requesting Optical Services at Isleta Health Center will need to call (505) 869-4080 to schedule an appointment.



These services include:

- Ordering Eyeglasses
- Eyeglass Adjustments
- Eyeglass Repairs

Thank you for understanding, Optometry Department



JUNE- NATIONAL FRUIT AND VEGGIE MONTH

THIS MONTH IS DEDICATED TO RAISE THE AWARENESS ABOUT THE IMPORTANCE OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES IN ONE'S DIET. FRUITS AND VEGGIES HAVE MANY VITAMINS AND MINERALS THAT CAN KEEP YOU HEALTHY. EATING THE RECOMMENDED AMOUNT OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES MAY REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF CERTAIN DISEASES LIKE HEART DISEASE, OBESITY AND DIABETES.

-Recommended daily servings based on a 2,0000 calorie diet- 2 cups of fruit and 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups of vegetables

TIPS TO EAT MORE FRUITS AND VEGGIES:

- MAKE A SMOOTHIE OR ADD FRUIT TO YOGURT OR OATMEAL
- EAT FRUIT OR VEGETABLES AS A SNACK
- ADD VEGGIES TO A SANDWICH
- Make a soup packed with veggies
- PREPARE A SALAD WITH BOTH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
- DRINK 1 CUP OF 100% FRUIT JUICE OR 100% VEGETABLE JUICE

SERVING SIZE EXAMPLES- FRUIT= 2CUPS

Berries-1 cup Raisins-1/2 cup 100% orange Juice-1/2 cup

VEGGIES= 2 1/2 CUPS

RAW LEAFY VEGGIES-1½ CUPS BABY CARROTS-½ CUP V8 JUICE-½ CUP

WIC NEWS-

OUR OFFICE IS LOOKING FOR A LOCAL ARTIST TO DESIGN A TRIBAL LOGO FOR A NEW BREASTFEEDING SUPPORT GROUP WE HAVE. OUR THEME IS WU-POY-NEEN ALSO KNOWN AS MY BREAST FRIENDS AND AMIGAS DE LA LACTANCIA.

WE ARE ASKING ANYBODY WHO IS INTERESTED TO SUBMIT THEIR IDEAS! IDEAS MAY BE SUBMITTED THROUGH EMAIL-

WICPROGRAM@ISLETAPUEBLO.COM

THE WINNER WILL RECEIVE A GRAND PRIZE! PLEASE SUBMIT IF INTERESTED.



ISLETA WIC OFFICE 505-869-2662

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WELCOME

Hello POI friends! We have completed our Head Start program and are preparing for our summer program and the continuation of Child Care. We want to thank all the families who volunteered and attended events throughout the year. Your help made the events much more enjoyable and memorable for the kids! We are beginning the enrollment process for the upcoming program, so please call our phone ASAP if you are interested in receiving services for 2025-2026.

www.isletaheadstartandchildcare.com

REMINDERS

- Call the front desk if your child will be absent or
- tardy.
 Provide an extra set of clothing for classrooms. Dress your child
- appropriately for the weather. Actively check Learning Genie for important announcements/classroom

messages. ACCEPTING **ENROLLMENT**

APPLICATIONS

JUNE EVENT CALENDAR

3rd Head Start Transition Program Begins 5th Parent Committee 11th Family Night

12th Policy Council

19th Juneteenth Holiday (closed)

20th Professional Development Day (closed)

Early Head Start/Head Start Application:

- Household CIB
- Proof of Residency

If applicable:

• Eligibility Letter as proof of Public Assistance (SNAP/TANF)

Child Care Application:

- Household CIB
- Proof of Residency
- Proof of Income

What do you wish more people knew about caring for their Mental & Emotional Health?

Mental Health Awareness Week: Q&A with Isleta Health Center Therapists & Doctors.

"I wish more people knew that they don't have to wait for a crisis to happen to start going to behavioral health. It's okay to come to behavioral health if you're having a tough time managing stress, you're not sleeping well, or you are preparing for a difficult time coming up (among many other things!). Behavioral health can be a first-line support, it doesn't have to be a last resort! "

> ~Laura Ahrens, B'eeh K'oo-ee Wellness Manager & Therapist

"Mental/Emotional Health is just as important as Physical Health. Caring for our entire well-being (mind and body) helps us have a healthier and happier life overall."

~Brandy Shinnick, Therapist

"Mental Health conditions like anxiety and depression are best treated with a combination of counseling, medication, and lifestyle change (exercise, healthy eating, good sleep)"

~Dr. Hadley Pope

Valle de Oro NWR Spring Calendar 2025 7851 2nd Street SW, Albuquerque, NM 87105



All events are FREE, open to the public, and take place at Valle de Oro's visitor center unless noted otherwise. All times are in Mountain Daylight Time. Check websites and our Facebook/Instagram pages for more information.



@Friends Of Valle De Oro@ValleDeOroNationalWildlifeRefuge



www.friendsofvalledeoro.org www.fws.gov/refuge/valle_de_oro

-Fri. Jun 6-**Nature Tots**

Children ages 3-6 and an adult are invited to explore nature with a refuge volunteer! 10:00 am to 11:30 am

-Fri. Jun 13-**Nature Kids**

Children ages 7-10 and an adult are invited to explore nature with a refuge volunteer! 10:00 am to 11:30 am



-Sat. Jun 14-Saturday at the Refuge Join us for a ranger-led activity, arts and crafts, and fun for the whole Family! Free refreshments will be provided by the Friends of Valle de Oro. 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

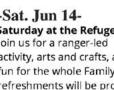
-Fri. Jun 20-**Solstice Weed Warriors Volunteer Project**

Give back to the Earth this summer solstice and spend a couple of hours on this longest day of the year helping refuge staff remove invasive plants to make more room for native species. Send an email to dakota_dominguez@fws.gov to register.

7:30 am to 9:30 am

-Electric Shuttle Rides at Valle de Oro-

Starting mid-April, we will be starting our free, volunteer-run electric shuttle service on the refuge! The open-air electric shuttle seats up to nine visitors and will operate on Fridays and Saturdays with regular departure times from the visitor center. The shuttle makes a stop at the west side of the refuge where you have the option to get off and explore trails in the Rio Grande bosque or stay on the shuttle to complete your tour of Valle de Oro NWR.







What do you wish more people knew about caring for their Mental & Emotional Health?

Mental Health Awareness Week: Q&A with Isleta Health Center Therapists & Doctors.

"Everyone is unique - for some people, depression looks like tearfulness or self-criticism, for others, depression could be increased anger or irritation, or for others, it could be feeling tired and not motivated to do things they used to enjoy. "

~Dr. Kelley, Provider

"I wish more people knew that mental health is just as important as physical health. They go hand-in-hand. It is important that both are prioritized, if they are, there is a better chance that your overall health will take a great boost! We need to eliminate the shame that is attached to mental health and give it the respect it deserves. :) '

~Theresa Ortiz, Therapist

"Talking with a therapist is just another tool in your toolbox to keep your health tuned up! "

~Dr. Kistin, Provider

When we care for our mental and emotional health, we gain a better understanding about how we think, feel, and behave. This understanding allows us to manage stress, build resilience, and achieve our potential."

-Derek Valdo, Therapist



PUEBLO OF ISLETA ADULT DAY SERVICES

There comes a point in an elder's life when the family must decide whether their loved one should be placed in a long-term facility such as an assisted living facility or a nursing home. Signs of when the elder may need Adult Day Services (ADS): when safety becomes an issue (e.g., leaving the stove/range on, leaving the water on, unable to make a 911 call, memory loss, experiencing numerous falls and/or unable to cook for themselves, etc.).

SOCIALIZATION

POI Adult Day Services provides participants a full day of services Mondayriday. Services such as meals, basic health care, health assessments, assistance with appointments and activities of daily living (ADL). ADS also provides transportation, care coordination, therapeutic, recreational and socialization activities.

EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

ADS is a comfortable place where our elders spend the day participating in healthseeking activities and nutritional education, while their caregivers are at work, running errands, or enjoying a welldeserved rest and relaxation

ACTIVITIES

In addition, a variety of field trips are planned throughout the month to include grocery shopping, outings, field trips, medication pick up and transportation to medical appointments within the Pueblo of Isleta.







ADULT DAY SERVICES IS A COMPASSIONATE AND SAFE ENVIRONMENT FOR THE ELDERS AND IS CONSIDERED A HOME AWAY FROM HOME FOR SOME ELDERS.

> For more information contact: Isleta Elder Center, (505) 869-9770

SENIOR COMPANION PROGRAM

Elizabeth Jiron has been a Senior Companion for 24 years for many of our Elders in our community. She has shared so many beautiful memories, laughter, and joy to her clients. As a companion she has helped families with respite care. Nana Elizabeth says she will continue to be with the Senior Companion Program for many years to come.



If you would like to join the Senior Companion Program come see me at the Isleta Elder Center

Kimberly Chiwewe Volunteer Program Manager

Isleta Elder Center 505-869-9770, ext. 9335 kimberly.chiwewe@isletapueblo.com

Activities may be subject to cha

Isleta Elder Center

ADULT DAY SERVICES

June 2025 Activities Calendar

MONDAY 2	TUESDAY 3	WEDNESDAY 4	THURSDAY 5	FRIDAY 6	
9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	
10-11a General Cancer Overview	10-11a Morning Stroll	10-11a Intro to Tai Chi, Pt. 1	10-11a Machine Excerise	10-11a Pool Noodle Exerci	
1-3p Waterballoon Games	1-3p Jeopardy!!	1-3p PB Tic Tac Toe	1-3p Wood Burning	1-3p Hit that Balloon! Game	
MONDAY 9	TUESDAY 10	WEDNESDAY 11	THURSDAY 12	FRIDAY 13	
9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social		
10-11a Fish Maintance	10-11a Morning Stroll	10-11a Machine Excerise	10a-3p Father's Day	10a-3p Father's Day Fishing at the Isleta Lakes	
1-3p Decorate Fish Tank	12-3p Birthday Luncheon	1-3p Card Making	BBQ at the Isleta Elder Center		
MONDAY 16	TUESDAY 17	WEDNESDAY 18	THURSDAY 19	FRIDAY 20	
9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	ADS CLOSED	ADS CLOSED Recruitment Day	
10-11a Migraine Awarenes	s 10-11a Intro to Tai Chi, Pt. 2	10-11a Morning Stroll	In observance of		
1-3p Movie Day - "Crossroads"	1-3p Waterballoon Games	1-3p Paint Rocks	Juneteenth		
MONDAY 23	TUESDAY 24	WEDNESDAY 25	THURSDAY 26	FRIDAY 27	
9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social	9-10am Breakfast, Social, Health Check	9-10am Breakfast, Social	
10-11a Machine Excerise	10-11a Alzheimer's & Brain Review	10-11a Cooking Demo w/ Karen, Dietitian	10-11a Morning Stroll	10a-3p Rio 24,	
1-3p Soap Making	1-3p Candle Making	1-3p Waterballoon Games	1-3p ADS BINGO, Summer Theme	Movie Trip	
MONDAY 30 9-10am Breakfast, Social			ay Services Progra	ım,	

please call (505) 869-9770

9-10am Breakfast, Social

10-11a Pool Noodle Exercise

1-3p Waterballoon Games

MONDAY- FRIDAY 8:00AM - 4:30PM 505-869-9770 Closed for all major holidays		JUNE		2025
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3	4	5	6
No Activities May Walking Club prize raffle during lunch	Enhance Fitness Class: Bands and Stability Ball for Balance 9:15am	OPEN Activities	Scrabble 1pm	Billiards (8 Ball Pool) 1pm
9	10	11	12	13
The Blu Orchid Massage 9:30am-3:00pm	Trivia Tuesday 12:30pm	NM Legal Aid's Native American Program presents: Powers of Attorney 12:45pm	Father's Day Event Must RSVP Mass Canceled	No Activities
16	17	18	19	20
Table Tennis	Healthier Choices	NM Senior Olympics	NM Senior Olympics	NM Senior Olympics
(Ping Pong) 1pm	Cooking Class 10am Commodities Distribution	Las Cruces No Activities	Las Cruces Center Closed JUNETEENTH	Las Cruces No Activities
(Ping Pong)	10am		Center Closed	
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(Ping Pong) 1pm 23 Cornhole	Commodities Distribution 24 Trivia Tuesday 12:30pm	25 NM Legal Aid's Native American Program presents: Wills & Trusts	Center Closed JUNETEENTH 26 Make an origami star garland	No Activities 27 June Birthdays

Isleta Elder	Center Menu 20)25	JUN		
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
6/2/2025	6/3/2025	6/4/2025	6/5/2025	6/6/2025	
Salisbury Steak	Grilled Ham & Cheese	Baked Tortellini	Chicken Enchilada	Tuna Sandwich	
Salisbury Steak 3oz	Slice Ham 3oz	Ground Beef 3oz	Diced Chicken 3oz	Tuna 3oz	
Rosemary Potatoes 1/2c	Slice Cheese 1oz	Cheese Tortellini 1/2c	Green Chile 2oz	Diced Onions & Celery 1/2c	
Gravy 2oz	VWV Bread	Marinara Sauce 1/2c	Shredded Cheese 2oz	WW Bread	
Mixed Vegetables 1/2c	Side Salad 1/2c	Mozzarella Cheese 2oz	Refried Beans 1/2c	Cucumber w/Ranch	
Mixed Berries	Fruit Cup	Lemon buttered Broccoli 1/2c	Zucchini w/com 1/2c	Baked Cookie	
		Fresh Fruit	Vanilla Pudding Cup		
6/9/2025	6/10/2025	6/11/2025	6/12/2025	6/13/2025	
Sloppy Joe	Fried Rice Bowl	Sub Sandwich	0.0	Chicken Fried Steak	
Ground Beef 3oz	Diced Pork 3oz	Sliced Ham 3oz		Chicken Patty 3oz	
Sloppy Joe Sauce 2oz	Steamed Rice 1/2c	Sliced Tomato/Lettuce 2oz	Total Solution	Mash Potato 1/2c	
Mixed Vegetable 1/2c	Stir Fry Vegetable 1/2c	Slice Cheese 1oz	Jainers Bay	Cream Gravy 2oz	
Hamburger bun	Teriyaki Sauce 2oz	Hoagie	• • • 0	Green Beans 1/2c	
Fresh fruit	Fortune Cookie	Baked Chips 2oz		Peach Cobbler	
	Fresh Fruit	Jell-O Fruit Cup	Must RSVP To Attend		
6/16/2025	6/17/2025	6/18/2025	6/19/2025	6/20/2025	
Tamales	Egg Roll Bowl	Frito Pie	Elder Center Closed	Meatloaf	
Tamale 3oz	Ground Pork 3oz	Ground Beef 3oz		Ground Beef 3oz	
Refried Beans 1/2c	Cabbage Mix 1/2c	Pinto Beans 1/2c Red Chile 1/2c	CLOSED IN DESERVANCE OF	Dice Onions & Celery 2oz Sweet Potatoes 1/2c	
Mixed Vegetable 1/2c	Soy Sauce 2oz		JUNETEENTH	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	
Red Chile 2oz	Wonton Strips 2oz	Shredded Cheese 2oz		Gravy 2oz	
Shredded Cheese 1oz	Fresh Fruit	Frito Chips 2oz		Fruit Cup	
Fresh Fruit 6/23/2025	6/24/2025	Fruit Cup 6/25/2025	6/26/2025	6/27/2025	
Breaded Tilapia	Beef Stroganoff	Chicken Famous Bowl	Carne Adovada	Egg Salad Sandwich	
Tilapia 3oz	Ground Beef 3oz	Popcorn Chicken 3oz	Pork Roast Diced 3oz	Egg Salad 3oz	
Diced potatoes seasoned 1/2c	Egg Noodle Pasta 1/2c	Mash Potato 1/2c	Red Chile 1/2c	Dice Celery & Onions 1/2c	
Lemon Wedge 1oz	Stroganoff Sauce 1/2c	Steamed Corn 1/2c	Spanish Rice 1/2c	Pickle Spare 2oz	
Tartar Sauce 2oz	Mixed Vegetable 1/2c	Gravy 1/2c	Jalapeno Com Roasted 1/2c	WW Bread	
Fresh Fruit	Dinner Roll	Shredded Cheese 2oz	Tortilla	Baked Chips	
Trooff Trait	Mixed Fruit	Fresh Fruit	Mixed Melon	Fruit Salad	
6/30/2025	Please come join us for Congregat	e Meals!!			
Spaghetti	Mealtime is more enjoyable when you are with friends!				
Meatballs 3oz	Come eat, share stories and socia	lize with others.			
Spaghetti Noodle 1/2c					
Marinara Sauce 1/2c	Please call by 9am to Cancel Hom	e Delivered Meals.			
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MENUS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE, BASED ON THE AVAILABILITY OF PRODUCTS					