



## **Pueblo de San Ildefonso Bulletin**

**June 2025**

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**CLASS OF**  
**2025**

### **Contact Us:**

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### **Working Session Dates**

Thursday, June 5 2025 at 5:10 pm

Tuesday, June 17, 2025 at 5:10 pm

### **Council Meeting Dates**

Thursday, June 26, 2025 at 5:10pm

Dates and time are subject to change.

Unless otherwise noted, all Council Sessions and Council meetings are open for enrolled Tribal Member participation.

### **Be Safe**

With students starting their summer breaks, please be cautious and observant of your surroundings. Kids will be out playing, riding their bikes, etc. Ensure you are driving the speed limit. Parents, remind your children to watch out for cars.

Stay Hydrated, wear sunscreen, and check on your elders during these hot days.



### **Closures**

All Tribal offices will be closed on Thursday, June 19, 2025 in observance of Juneteenth.



# CEMETERY UPDATE



Site 5- Coral area is a parcel off of Shu Maa Po next to the dirt pit area

## Reason for New Cemetery

For years there has been a need for a new cemetery due to the overcrowding of the existing site. It has been the practice of our people to bury our relatives and others that were part of the community in the cemetery in front of the church however, when new graves are dug, existing remains are unearthed and disturbed. In some instances, recent graves are still fresh and when new graves are dug they are adjusted as best as possible to avoid further disturbance even though they can be as shallow as 3 to 4 ft. The situation is urgent with new burials disturbing old ones, and no space left to develop.

As a remedy to this issue, it was asked that the appointed church officials develop a plan for a new cemetery location that can allow our loved ones to have a resting place that will be free of disturbance for many years to come.

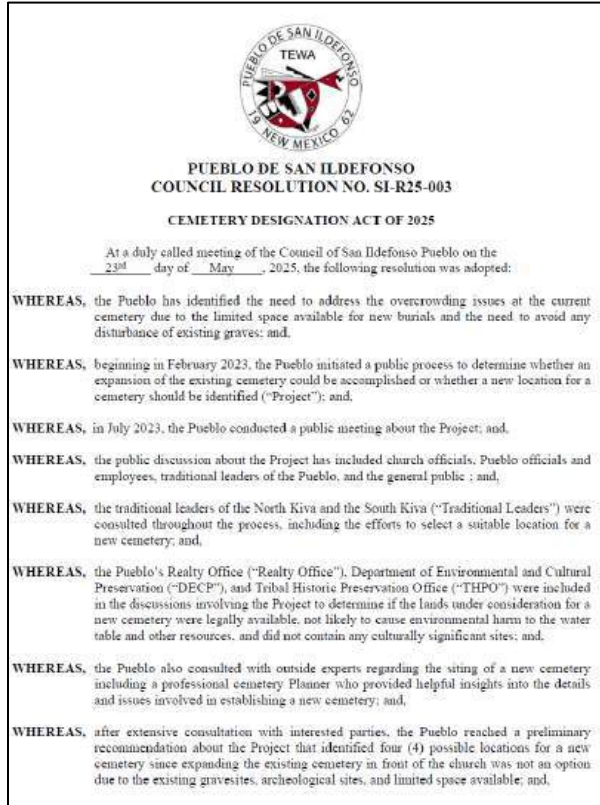
## Location

Five different sites have been reviewed as suggested by both kivas, traditional leaders, and Tribal Council. Ultimately the coral site (as shown in photo) was determined by the church fiscals to be the best option.

## Community Meeting

The church fiscals presented this determination to the Community at a meeting held on March 29, 2025 at the Tewa Center. They described the 2-year process of study and evaluation leading to this presentation.

Community members were able to gain information, comment and share their thoughts about the new proposed cemetery. Community members provided verbal consensus to designate the coral site as the new cemetery location and gave the fiscals their blessing to officially designate the site and move forward with the development process.



**Resolution No. SI-R25-003 CEMETERY DESIGNATION ACT OF 2025**

## Next Steps

- Now that the community has spoken and recommends moving forward, the Governor and Tribal Council will need to execute land and money resources to start the process of creation.
- Church officials will present site selection to Governor and Tribal Council and take steps for a council resolution to begin a process for identifying land, and identifying funds to plan, design, and build a new cemetery. (The Council passed Resolution **No. SI-R25-003 CEMETERY DESIGNATION ACT OF 2025** at a Council Meeting on Friday, May 23, 2025 designating the coral site, consisting of approximately 2 acres of land, as the location for the new cemetery).
- Church officials will be included in the planning and development process along with Governor and Tribal Council moving forward, and expect to involve the community again at that point in time.





# Graduation News

SPECIAL  
EDITION

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GRADUATION CELEBRATION

JUNE 2025

# CONGRATULATES!

## Graduates

*Governor Moquino, Tribal Council, and the Administrative Staff would like to congratulate the 2025 Graduates. This is a pivotal moment in your journey and we applaud your achievements. Your commitment and effort have led you to this impressive milestone, preparing you to embrace the thrilling opportunities that await you.*



CONGRATS!



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# *A Message to Our 2025 Graduates* *Congratulations!*

To the Graduating Students of San Ildefonso Pueblo,

As you step into this moment of celebration and transition, I write to you, not only-as a traditional leader, but as someone who sees the sacredness in all you have achieved. Your graduation is not just a personal milestone it is a triumph for your family, for our community, and for the generations who prayed for you long before you were born.

We are exceptionally proud of you. Your strength, your sacrifice, and your perseverance have not gone unnoticed. You have carried the hopes of your people with dignity and heart, even when the path was hard. And now, you stand living proof of what our young people can do when guided by purpose, tradition, and love.

***Never forget where you come from.***

Our Pueblo is more than a place - it is a way of being. It lives in your language, in your songs, in the dust of our trails and the stories of your grandparents. Wherever life takes you next - college, career, military, or to serve our people - you carry the heartbeat of our people with you. Let it guide you.

***Remember your journey.***

Remember the laughter and the tears, the long nights and early mornings, the small victories and the big dreams. All of it matters. All of it shaped who you are.

***And above all, remember your purpose.***

You were never meant to follow someone else's path. You were meant to walk your own - boldly, humbly, and with the strength of your ancestors. You are not just our graduates. You are our future leaders, healers, protectors, and culture keepers.

Take this moment in. Celebrate with your whole heart. And know that your Pueblo stands with you, always.

With great pride and continued blessings,

Elmer Torres  
Traditional Leader  
San Ildefonso Pueblo





# ***HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES***

## **ICWA & FAMILY ADVOCATE PROGRAM**

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**JULY 18, 2025**

**MMIP HONOR EVENT**

**IN COLLABORATION WITH NEIGHBORING PUEBLOS**

**DETAILS FORTHCOMING**

**FOR RESOURCES RELATED TO MMIP, SEE:**  
**[HTTPS://MMIP.NMDOJ.GOV/](https://mmip.nmdoj.gov/)**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION OR ANY OTHER  
FAMILY RESOURCES PLEASE REACH OUT TO LENORA ARRIETTA AT  
505.455.2222 OR ICWAMANAGER@SANIPUEBLO.ORG**



# HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

## CHR PROGRAM

### UPCOMING

#### TAI CHI FOR ARTHRITIS JOIN US FOR WARM UP EXERCISES FOR ARTHRITIS



**JUNE 5**  
**JUNE 10**  
**JUNE 23**



**11:00AM – SENIOR  
CENTER**

**CAN BE DONE SITTING OR  
STANDING**



## JUNE 4

#### IMPORTANCE OF BLOOD PRESSURE

10:30 TO 11:30AM – SENIOR CENTER  
Public Health Nurse, Therese Dyess  
will be providing a short  
presentation and CHR Claudia  
Lente will be providing blood  
pressure screenings after



## JUNE 25

#### ELDERLY ABUSE PRESENTATION

11:45AM-1:00PM – SENIOR CENTER  
JOIN US FOR A PRESENTATION ON  
BREAST & CERVICAL CANCER,  
PRESENTED BY DOH







# ***HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES***

## **HEALTHY KIDS, HEALTHY COMMUNITY**

**Thank you to the Day School staff, Tribal Transportation Program, and Community Members for making “Walk to School” day a success!**



**We look forward to  
seeing you at the next  
event!!!**







# HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

## WELLNESS CENTER OPERATIONS UPDATE

**SIGN UP**

**TODAY**

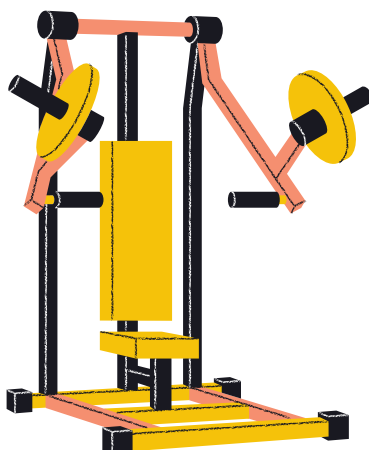
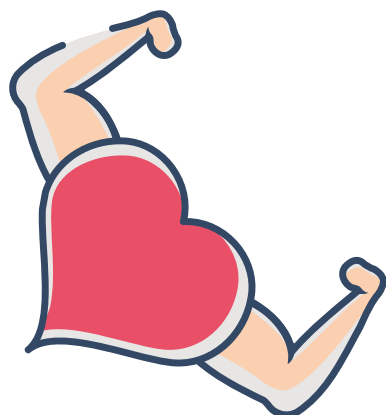
**ALL APPROVED USERS WILL  
HAVE FREE ACCESS TO THE  
FACILITY FROM JUNE - AUGUST  
30TH.**

**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS  
CAN BE FOUND ON THE  
PUEBLO'S WEBSITE UNDER THE  
HHS TAB OR BE PICKED UP  
FROM THE WELLNESS CENTER**



**FREE TRIAL PERIOD**

**OPEN FOR USE  
BEGINNING  
MONDAY,  
JUNE 2!!!**



**THANK YOU ALL WHO MADE IT TO THE RIBBON  
CUTTING CEREMONY ON MAY 2!**

# NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

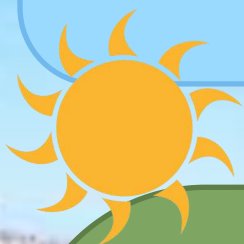


## CAUTION!



Please be mindful of changing conditions in the natural environment. Increased temperatures can lead to increased wildlife activity. Please exercise caution, especially in areas with dense vegetation or near water sources. The warmer weather increases the risk of wildfires and impacts vegetation management efforts. Please report any unusual wildlife behavior or environmental concerns.

The Tribal Rangers continue to monitor the situation closely and are working to mitigate the impact on land, livestock, wildlife, and the community.



## Stay Safe in the Heat!

As temperatures rise, so does the risk of heat-related illnesses, including heat exhaustion and heat stroke—serious conditions that can become life-threatening if not addressed quickly.

Be Aware of the Signs:

- Heat Exhaustion: Heavy sweating, weakness, cold or clammy skin, nausea or vomiting, and fainting.
- Heat Stroke: High body temperature (103°F or higher), hot and dry skin, rapid pulse, confusion, and unconsciousness.

**Heat stroke is a medical emergency. Call 911 immediately if you suspect someone is suffering from it.**

Protect Yourself and Others:

- Stay hydrated—drink water regularly, even if you're not thirsty.
- Avoid strenuous activity during the hottest parts of the day.
- Wear lightweight, light-colored clothing and a wide-brimmed hat.
- Take breaks in the shade or air-conditioned areas.



Check on elderly neighbors, children, and pets.

Let's work together to keep our community safe. Know the signs. Stay cool. Stay safe.



## **Tribal Rangers Bulletin Update**

### ***Keeping Our Lands Safe, Clean, and Thriving***

#### **Hard Work in Full Swing**

Over the last two weeks, the Tribal Rangers have been putting in serious work! Our team has been out across the reservation tackling illegal dumpsites and trash, clearing debris and junk out of the ditches, and helping restore the natural beauty of the shared lands. This hands-on work isn't easy — it takes real grit, long hours, and a strong commitment to protecting our environment.

#### **A heartwarming Rescue**

This month, the Rangers teamed up with a local animal rescue group for a special mission: saving a large litter of puppies. Thanks to quick action and teamwork, all the pups were rescued safely and relocated to loving care. It's just one more example of the heart and humanity behind the badge.

#### **Lake Opening a Splashing Success!**

We're thrilled to report that the official lake opening was a big hit! It's been great to see Tribal members fishing, enjoying the fresh air, and spending quality time outdoors. The Rangers prepared the area, ensured rules were being followed, and continue to maintain a positive, helpful presence at the lake.

#### **Animal Services!**

Los Alamos County Animal Control and the Animal shelter have donated more supplies! They have graciously donated more dog and cat supplies to the Pueblo! Please contact the Rangers ahead of time to schedule a time to pick up and or look at what is available.

#### **Irrigation**

The Tribal Rangers are requesting that any farmers intending to irrigate this season submit the following information:

1. Name of the person or entity needing water
2. Intended irrigation times and days (Sat-Sun 8am-5pm)
3. Phone number for contact

This information is necessary to ensure proper coordination and monitoring of water usage. Please submit the required details as soon as possible to the Tribal Rangers Office.

**Thank you for your cooperation.**

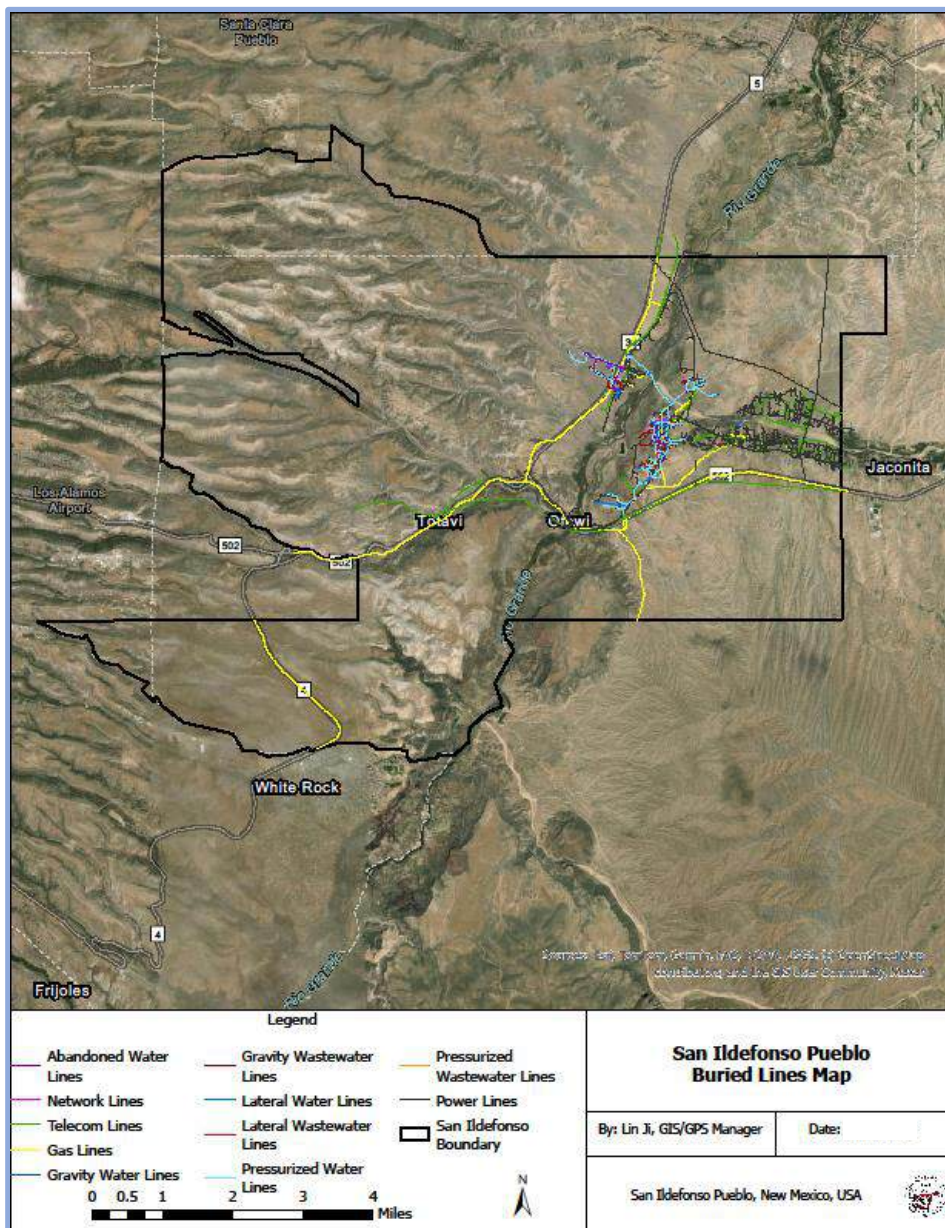
**New Ranger on Board! Please welcome Brandon Castillo to the Team!**



# Natural Resources Department GIS/GPS News



Our department has updated the utility line maps to support San Ildefonso Pueblo. These updated maps help identify lines for safer construction and better infrastructure planning.



For more information, contact the Lin Ji, GIS/GPS Manager  
[gismanager@sanipueblo.org](mailto:gismanager@sanipueblo.org) or 505-455-4144



# From the Transportation Department San Ildefonso Pueblo - May 2025

## Transportation News

For Walk and Roll to School Day on May 25, 2025 at 8 AM the students and staff of the San Ildefonso Day School walked together from the Tewa Center to the Day School. The route took us across the Plaza Area. The distance was 0.4 miles, or about 2100 feet, and took about 10 minutes. We encountered only one car the whole way, showing that walking to school on the Pueblo is on the whole very safe.

Walking and biking enable us to incorporate the regular physical activity we need each day into healthy habits that last a lifetime. It's also fun and a great social experience. The kids had a great time!



## BLUE BUS INFO

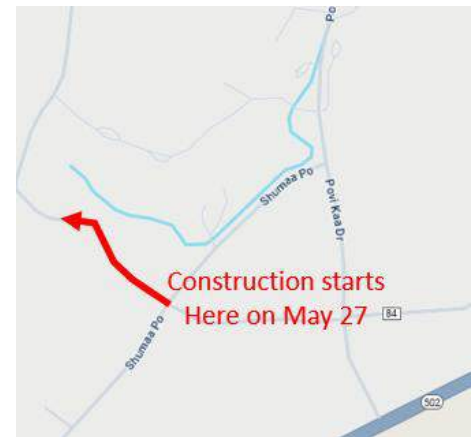
Effective April 14, NCRD / the Blue Bus has restored routes 160 Santa Clara, 220 Tesuque and **230 San Ildefonso**. These will replace the 500 Tribal Combined route.

For more information, visit [RidetheBlueBus.com](https://RidetheBlueBus.com) or call toll free 1-866-206-0754 ext. 1.

## Upcoming Road Work

As the Pojoaque Basin Regional Water System is being constructed, some of the Pueblo roads will be partially closed.

Work is scheduled to begin on Tuesday, May 27 at the intersection of Than Povi Po and Shumaa Po, then work their way through Than Povi Po in 500-ft segments. During this process, there will be a one-lane closure with flaggers present to manage traffic.



## CONTACTS

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Road Maintenance Technician  
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Please complete our [online survey](#). It is anonymous and only takes a couple of minutes!

We want to know what is important to you in transportation at San Ildefonso Pueblo:

How are the roads? - Where do you want to go? – What can we improve?

Go to this link to complete the survey: [https://qualtricsxm3c7yzrczw.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_55UQ\\$B7vliRBBYe](https://qualtricsxm3c7yzrczw.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_55UQ$B7vliRBBYe)

Or use the QR code:





# TEWA LANGUAGE TEACHER

***(TO OFFER CLASSES TO THE PUEBLO'S STUDENTS ATTENDING  
THE SANTA FE INDIAN SCHOOL FOR 2025-26 SCHOOL YEAR)***

**MUST BE ABLE TO:**

- Teach Tewa Language Classes for MS and HS Students each week for at least twice a week  
(exact schedule of classes to be determined by Pueblo & SFIS)
  - Complete Required Trainings for School & Student Safety  
(all trainings will be provided by SFIS)
  - Follow SFIS Teacher Handbook
- Must commit to at least two years of teaching the language.
- Must pass a Tewa Language Teaching Certificate given by the pueblo
  - SFIS will provide professional development and training
  - Flexible schedule
- Must pass a background check

***If you are interested or want more details, please contact Leon Roybal, Tewa Language Manager at 505-455-4170 or [tewalangmgr@sanipueblo.org](mailto:tewalangmgr@sanipueblo.org). This notice will only be available until the end of June 2025. Kun-da-woh-ha...***



## Pó Woh Geh Owinge



*Tewa Language Department*

TO: Po' Woh Geh Owinge Towa                      DATE: May 28, 2025

FROM: Leon Roybal (aka: AwaTside'), Tewa Language Manager

Re: Tewa Language Talking Sessions

The Tewa Language Department is happy to announce a "Talking Session/Discussion" series with some of our pueblo elders, who will be talking our Tewa language in front of our people who want to hear, learn, understand, and ask questions on topics they will be having a conversation on in our language. We be having at least two to three of our elders speaking the language in a session, so that you may listen in and take part in the talks too. I think this should help some you who say, that you only want to listen to people talk our language and ask questions on how things are said and truly pronounced, because some words sound alike, but at times have very different meanings, depending on how it is said and used.

This is a time that you can come and join in these talks, so you may get an understanding of these Tewa words that maybe you've never heard or really understood hearing our language spoken is learning. You may ask questions you've always wanted an answer too, on sayings. So please do come and join in on this series. These classes should only take about 1 to 1.5 hours of your time, and should be fun too. We'll be having this once a week starting Wednesday, June 18, 2025 from 530pm to about 7pm at the Learning Center. I encourage you to please take advantage of this and let's start using our Tewa tun' as much as we can, so that eventually we can start talking a little bit more and NOT be ashamed of talking what we learn and start to know.

I would like to give a big a shout-out of a KUN-DA-WOH-HA to those elders that have said yes, to help out in this talking series for our people. If it was not for them to give of themselves to serve our pueblo with their time and effort to help teach our language this would not be possible. We all feel that our language needs learning by those who really want to learn and understand our tunn' before it might go silent in the not to far future, if we don't do anything about it. With our Creator's help, we can hopefully slowly start to revitalize our San I Tewa tunn', but we have to do this together!!

Elders there is always time should you want to help out in this endeavor, all it takes is a call to my office @ 505-455-4170 or email @ [Tewalangmgr@sanipueblo.org](mailto:Tewalangmgr@sanipueblo.org).

KUN-DA-WOH-HA...na' be Po Woh-geh Towa in'



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## VISIT OUR WEBSITE

[www.sanipueblolibrary.org](http://www.sanipueblolibrary.org)

Sign up for a library card

& check out our

NEW resources



**With a Library card,**

**you can get FREE access to**

**Santa Fe-area museums**

**through our new resource:**



June, 2025

## Education Department



## HAPPENING NOW

### REGISTRATION FOR THE 2025 SUMMER PROGRAM IS STILL OPEN

For details see flyer on the following pages!

**For all families that sign up for the Summer Program, we will be hosting an Orientation Night on June 9 (6 pm) at the Library for you to hear more about the planned activities & expectations for the summer AND answer any questions that you may have. JOIN US ON June 9 at 6 pm!!**

## COLLEGE BUS TOUR

**Accepting students to join our summer bus tour to visit colleges in New Mexico and Colorado (June 10-13).  
See flyer on following page for more details & to sign up!**

## COLLEGE/CAREER SERVICES

### CAREER SUPPORTS

**Need FREE money to pay for more school or to enter a career???**

(vocational, technical/trades, or college)

Get help completing Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

OR with any other career-related needs!

**See Melissa at the San I Library (9:30 am-5:30 pm @ Tuesdays-Fridays)**

## SCHOLARSHIPS

**FOR LIST OF SCHOLARSHIPS TO FUND YOUR CONTINUING EDUCATION,  
GO TO OUR WEBSITE or send email to: [educationsanip@gmail.com](mailto:educationsanip@gmail.com)**





# Summer 2025 College Tour

## Learn about colleges in your area

- Programs of study available
- Scholarships and Financial Aid
- Housing options
- Transitioning from high school to college

**June 10-13, 2025**

## Visits include:

- Adams State College
- Fort Lewis College
- University of New Mexico
- Central New Mexico  
Community College
- Southwestern Indian  
Polytechnic Institute



Click on QR code to fill  
out permission form

## More Information

[mmedina@sanipueblo.org](mailto:mmedina@sanipueblo.org)



**\*Need a minimum of 10  
students to ensure trip.**



The poster features a large, stylized green tree with a dark brown trunk as the central element. In the top left corner, there is a bright yellow sun. The background is a light green sky with soft, white clouds. At the bottom, there is a patch of green grass. The text is arranged around the tree: the department name at the top, the program title across the tree's canopy, the start date on a banner across the trunk, registration details in a circle on the right, and guidelines on the left. The contact information is at the bottom.

San Ildefonso Education Dept.

# Summer Education Enhancement Program

Starting June 16th, 2025

NEW GUIDELINES:  
MUST HAVE COMPLETED  
KINDERGARTEN AND  
MUST BE POTTY-TRAINED

REGISTER  
BEGINNING  
May 1st, 2025

Contact the San Ildefonso Library for more  
information or Registration Forms





Pueblo De San Ildefonso



# HOME VISITING PROGRAM

## WHAT IS HOME VISITING?

Helps families during the child's first years of life. Participating families will gain knowledge and skills to support their child's health and well-being, ensuring a great start to life.

## ELIGIBILITY

Are you pregnant?  
Do you have children or raise  
children 0-5 years of age?

## IS THERE A FEE?

No 😊 it is FREE  
+ Incentives!



Join us today!  
Contact Katerie Martinez (Home Visitor)  
505-455-4140  
to Sign Up!





# Wonders on Wheels

## Mobile Museum Visit



**Location: San Ildefonso Library**

**Date: Mon. June 16th**

**Time: 10 am to 3 pm**

**2025 Exhibition**

### **Eight Sites, One History**

Explore the Past at New Mexico Historic Sites



This year, Wonders on Wheels Mobile Museum features an interactive exhibition about the peoples and cultures woven together in New Mexico history.



Sponsored by New Mexico Historic Sites, the exhibit highlights the distinctive stories revealed at each Historic Site, from Indigenous lifeways to Spanish settlement to US statehood and beyond.



**NEW MEXICO  
HISTORIC SITES**



**NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF  
CULTURAL AFFAIRS**





# San Ildefonso Housing Authority

## BUSINESS HOURS:

Mon.	7:30 AM	to	4:30 PM
Tues.	7:30 AM	to	4:30 PM
Wed.	7:30 AM	to	4:30 PM
Thur.	7:30 AM	to	4:30 PM
Fri.	7:30 AM	to	4:30 PM
Sat.	CLOSED	to	CLOSED
Sun.	CLOSED	to	CLOSED

## SIHA STAFF CONTACT INFO:

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**Devan Martinez, Housing Manager**  
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## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

**Julie Sanchez, Chair**  
Term expires: 12/31/27  
**Shannon Titla, Vice Chair**  
Term expires: 12/31/24  
**Victoria Martinez, Secretary**  
Term expires: 12/31/25  
**Danielle Keener-Garcia, Treasurer**  
Term expires: 12/31/26  
**Kevin Naranjo, Member**  
Term expires: 12/31/25

## HOUSING APPLICATIONS

The San Ildefonso Housing Authority continues to accept applications to expand its waiting list aimed at meeting the housing requirements of the Pueblo de San Ildefonso, and we need your assistance! We invite Tribal Members to stop by the SIHA Office during business hours to obtain an application. This waiting list is crucial for SIHA to seek grant opportunities and to evaluate housing needs accurately. Should you have any inquiries, please reach out to Devan Martinez, Housing Manager, at the SIHA Office.

## SIHA LOGO!

The San Ildefonso Housing Authority invites Tribal Members to submit designs for SIHA's official logo! **WINNER will receive \$250.00** – the logo should be housing-themed, and can be created digitally or drawn on paper, with dimensions of 5x7 inches. Submissions will be accepted until Monday, June 30, 2025, at 4:00 PM.

## SUCCESSOR FORMS

SIHA highly recommends tribal members complete and submit a *notarized* Successor Form to be included in your file. Although it may be difficult to consider your own passing, it is essential to have a clear record of the individual(s) you wish to inherit your home. Keep in mind that your Successor must be a Tribal Member of the Pueblo de San Ildefonso. **Please see the attached Successor Form.**

## Battleship and Deer Tail Subdivisions - High Winds and Debris

Please be considerate of your neighboring residents and make sure that all trash is properly secured and disposed of.



## **Emergency Assistance for Electrical, Plumbing, & Roofing**

### **Enchanted Electrical, LLC**

505-988-3532

### **TLC Plumbing, HVAC, & Electrical**

505-471-0119

### **George Carmona Plumbing**

505-660-3655

### **Relentless Roofing**

505-967-9032

### **Splendid Builders & Roofing**

505-930-8302



**\*Homeowner is responsible for any and all costs provided from these services\***

## **Deer Tail Phase II Applicants - HOMEWISE**

**UPDATE on credit pulls:** Homewise can now use “soft pull” credit reports for clients in coaching to seek a mortgage loan pre-approval. Once under contract on a new home and working with a loan officer, there will be at least one “hard credit pull”. A soft pull doesn’t count as an “inquiry” on a credit report and doesn’t affect your score. A hard pull is an official inquiry and will show on your list of recent inquiries with each credit bureau and may take 3-5 points off your credit score- most people get these points back within 30-60 days which is 1 to 2 credit cycles. Having a credit check is industry standard when seeking a loan and a necessary part of the process. Please reach out with any questions to Rachael Gilman via email at [rgilman@homewise.org](mailto:rgilman@homewise.org) or by phone (505) 955-7028.

## **AMERIND INSURANCE**

SIHA has processed many Quit Claims for Tribal Members and are encouraged to obtain home insurance of your choice, however Amerind Risk Management is a great home insurance opportunity through AMERIND that is the only 100% Tribally owned insurance provider in Indian Country. Visit the SIHA office for an application or go to [www.amerind.com](http://www.amerind.com) for more info.

## **Central New Mexico Housing Corporation**

**Available until funding is exhausted:** FREE Weatherization Services Available for Low-Income Families! This program offers a range of services, including sealing gaps around doors and windows, adding insulation, and insulating water heaters and hot water pipes, among other benefits! Many San Ildefonso Tribal Members have already taken advantage of this incredible opportunity. You could be the next to benefit! Applications from San Ildefonso Tribal Members are being processed as priority. If you would like a PDF version of the application, please reach out to Devan Martinez, Housing Manager, at [officemanager@sanihousing.org](mailto:officemanager@sanihousing.org) or you can visit the SIHA office to collect a physical copy.



# Designation of Successor(s) by Homeowners

HOMEOWNER: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Homeowner(s) may designate a successor(s) who would assume and succeed to all of the rights and obligations of the Homeowner(s), at the time of an event, which is defined as the death, mental incapacity, or execution of a living will by the Homeowner(s). The designate must meet the conditions stated in this Section and the designation shall be made at the time of execution of this Agreement. The Homeowner(s) may change the designation at any later time by written and notarized notice to SIHA. This written notice shall be included as an addendum to this Agreement.

The designated successor(s) as of the date of execution of this Agreement is:

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

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Homeowner: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature/Date

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of New Mexico;

County of \_\_\_\_\_,

On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ personally appeared before me and he/she swore to me that he/she has read the foregoing document and who executed the within Designated Successor and acknowledged that he/she signed freely and voluntarily for the uses and purposes therein mentioned particularly described as the housing unit located in \_\_\_\_\_ Subdivision, Unit# \_\_\_\_\_

GIVEN under my hand and official seal this day and year last above written:

Notary Public Signature \_\_\_\_\_

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_



# Pueblo de San Ildefonso Office of Project Management

## Hot News!

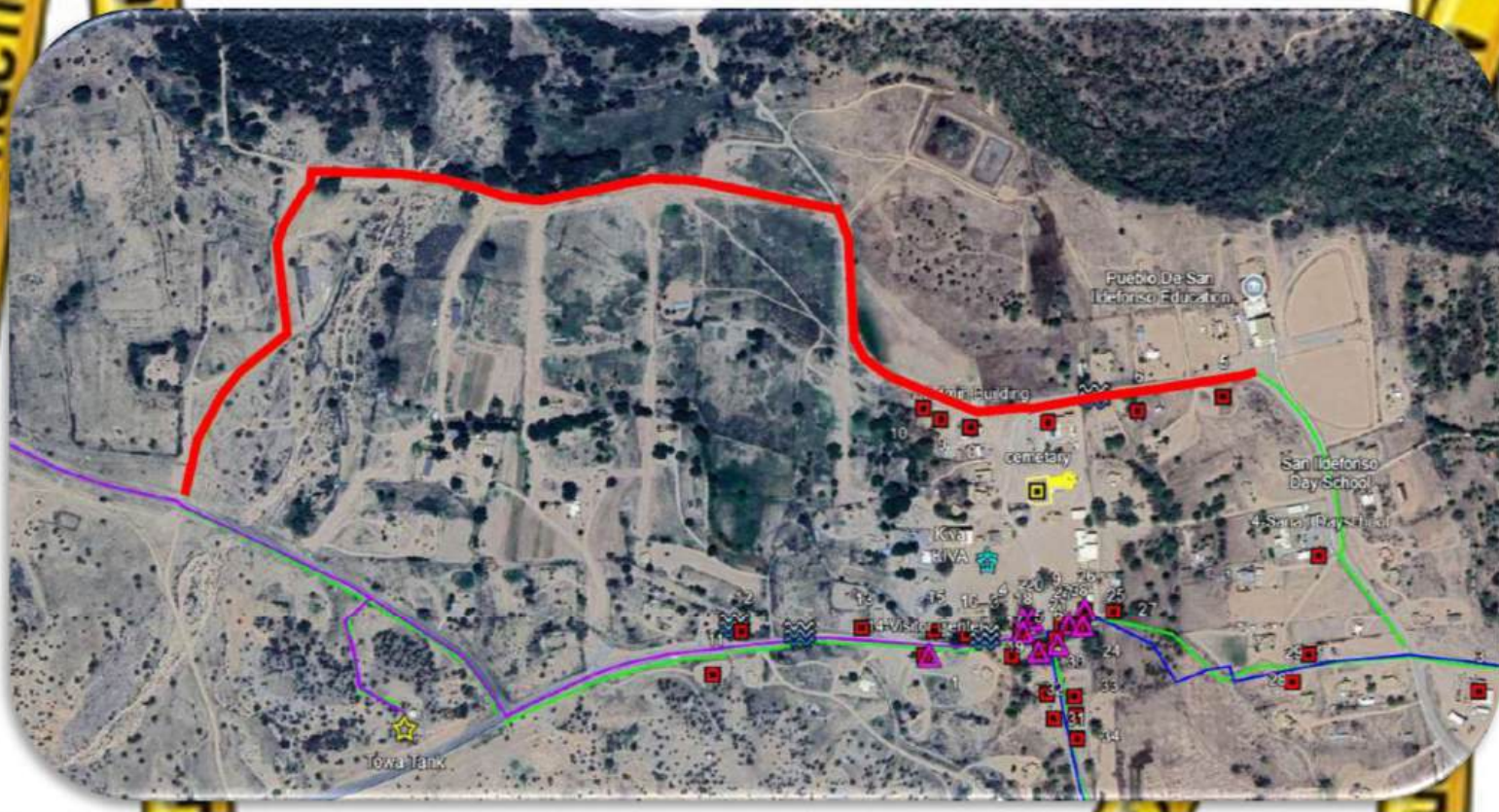
### POJOAQUE BASIN REGIONAL WATER SYSTEM CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

PBRWS Underground Pipeline Installation– Than Povi Po and Tunyo Po

As of Tuesday, May 27, 2025, the Bureau of Reclamation's contractor, CDM Smith, and their subcontractor, CF Padilla, are currently performing pipeline construction activities along Than Povi Po and Tunyo Po, within the boundaries of the Pueblo of San Ildefonso, as shown in Figure below.

CF Padilla began installing the 10-inch water line pipeline at the intersection of Than Povi Po and Shumaa Po and is proceeding in 500-foot increments along Than Povi Po. During construction, travelers and residents should expect one-lane closures, with flaggers on duty to safely manage traffic through the work zones.

Once work is completed on Than Povi Po, construction will continue along Tunyo Po under the same traffic control measures. This construction effort is anticipated to last approximately 3 to 4 months. Traffic delays are expected, and your patience and cooperation are greatly appreciated.



If you have any questions, please call Lou Baker, AICP, Project Manager (505) 220-0800 or [pm@sanipueblo.org](mailto:pm@sanipueblo.org)





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**GRID ALTERNATIVES NATIONAL TRIBAL SOLAR PROGRAM  
SUMMER JOBS!!!**

**Monday July 7th, 2025 through August 15, 2025.**

**Training: July 7-11**

**Construction: July 11-August 15**

**Pay \$22/hr**

GRID Alternatives is working with San Ildefonso Services to install a new ground mount solar array and a covered area installation in the field across from the DECP/Council building and on the Wellness Center. The new solar array will offset around 80% of the electricity for the buildings, and will save the Pueblo \$15,000 per year on electric bills over the lifetime of the system (25 years).



*San Ildefonso Pueblo was awarded 100% of the funding for this project from the Tribal Solar Accelerator Fund.*

Additionally, if you are interested we will start providing information about potential projects helping with **fiber installation** and recruiting for tribal members with **water and waste water** system operations. Training for all of these skills will be coming up soon and the fiber project will start construction within the next month.

For more information, please contact Virginia Manion at [vmanion@sanisvcs.com](mailto:vmanion@sanisvcs.com) or Peter Fant at [pfant@sanisvcs.com](mailto:pfant@sanisvcs.com) or (505) 274-9884 or [stinsley@gridalternatives.org](mailto:stinsley@gridalternatives.org)





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### **Job Opportunities**

#### **JOB TITLE: Retail General Manager**

**Job Summary:** We're on the lookout for a motivated leader to be part of challenging and rewarding undertaking. If you're ready to dive into the future of retail excellence, apply now! We are seeking an experienced Retail General Manager to join our team to develop and implement our new strategy for our Retail business unit. The ideal candidate will have a minimum of 5 years of progressive convenience store retail management experience; AND, have multi-unit management experience, marketing & category management, and supervision of direct and indirect reporting employees.

#### **JOB TITLE: Administrative Support**

**Job Summary:** Join our team! We're on the lookout for a creative individual with diverse skills to be part of challenging and rewarding undertaking. If you're ready to dive into administrative support, people management, data and the future of small business excellence, apply now!

The Administrative Support person will work with us to create this new opportunity as support for a variety of business units and assists in the success of the organization by handling administrative, accounting, data and people management tasks in support of the small business. Responsibilities include running the business unit's Back-office system (S2K) with configuration, maintenance, reporting, managing imports / exports, batch processes and overall data flow along with reporting and setup functions with the company's HRIS and payroll systems. This person will collaborate with both the pricebook and accounting teams to handle these routine and daily processes, automation and troubleshooting, and other system initiatives.

The ideal candidate is computer literate in a Windows environment, specifically MS Office products; with attention to detail; strong written and verbal skills with emphasis on explaining technical subjects to non-technical audiences; time management and organization skills, to plan and execute both large and small projects and initiatives. We will train the ideal candidate on the job specific software.

**For more information and inquiries, call the SIS office @ (505) 288-3458 Ext 19.**

## **Tewa Market**

### **JOB TITLE: Customer Service Representative (CSR)**

Apply on Indeed. Or stop in and pick up an employment application and learn more about Tewa Market opportunities.

## **Community Broadband**

**IT Specialist/Trainer:** SIS is seeking funds to hire Tribal members to help with the deployment of the fiber project to get it up and running and to teach community members how to best use it. This role might be needed in summer 2025.

**Fiber Technician:** With the planned installation of the fiber project starting late winter and into the spring and summer, we will be looking to develop a fiber optic technician installation and maintenance team. Training will be available locally and through Santa Fe Community College. ([www.sfcc.edu/economic-workforce-development](http://www.sfcc.edu/economic-workforce-development))

**Benefits include:** Healthcare (medical, dental, vision); Paid Time Off; Paid Holidays; Life Insurance; Disability Insurance; 401K Retirement Plan.

**For more information and inquiries, call the office @ (505) 288-3458 Ext 19 and speak with Rick Carlisle, Community Broadband Program Manager.**

**Apply Now!**

## WELCOME OUR NEWEST TEAM MEMBER



### **DEZBAH STUMPF, INTERN**

Hi, I'm Dezbah (San Carlos Apache/European-American), and I'm an intern at Serna Solutions. I'm currently pursuing my master's in clinical Mental Health Counseling at New Mexico Highlands University. I also hold a BFA in Fine Art from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago and a BA in Theatre Arts from the University of Oregon. Though I've lived in many places, I always find my way back to New Mexico, where I was born and raised in Pecos (Go Panthers!). I love the people and the land of Northern New Mexico and feel deeply committed to supporting its communities.

My approach to counseling is person-centered, holistic, and integrative. I incorporate mindfulness, somatic awareness, expressive and nature-based practices, and I am drawn to Internal Family Systems (IFS) as a powerful framework for healing. I strive to create a therapeutic space where clients feel seen, deeply heard, and free of judgment—where growth becomes possible, and life begins to feel more vivid and meaningful.

I'm especially passionate about working with individuals healing from trauma, PTSD, anxiety, and life transitions. I believe in the resilience that each person carries within them and the power of presence, creativity, and cultural connection in the healing process. I'm honored to be working at St. I and surrounding communities.

Outside of work, I enjoy making jewelry, going to see art, painting watercolors, and spending time in nature—whether that's hiking, backpacking, or simply being in the mountains where I feel most at home.





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## **Treat Me Right**

We're taught to treat one another with respect, to walk gently with our words, and to care for the wellbeing of the whole circle—young and old. But even in strong communities, hurtful behavior can show up—sometimes in ways we don't notice, and sometimes in ways we've learned to ignore. This kind of behavior doesn't only happen among children or teens. It can happen at any age—and it can cause harm no matter who it comes from.

### **What Can Hurtful Behavior Look Like?**

These are some common examples that can happen at school, work, in families, or community spaces:

- Teasing someone in ways that embarrass or shame them
- Ignoring or leaving someone out on purpose
- Spreading gossip or private information behind their backs
- Dismissing someone's voice because of their age or gender
- Speaking in a way that's disrespectful, shaming, or dismissive
- Saying "It's just a joke" when someone's feelings are clearly hurt

Sometimes people don't mean to hurt others. Other times, they may not care. Either way, the impact matters more than the intention.

### **How It Affects Us**

Being on the receiving end of this kind of behavior can lead to:

- Feeling unsafe, anxious, or embarrassed
- Pulling away from friends, family, or community
- Losing confidence or trust
- Conflict between generations or within groups

When this kind of harm continues, it weakens the circle. It creates silence, tension, and pain that can carry forward to the next generation.

### **We All Have a Role in Creating Respect**

- **Elders** model what respect looks like in speech and behavior
- **Adults** carry responsibility to speak up and support those who are struggling
- **Young people** bring fresh eyes and are learning how to treat others with care

No matter our age, we can all:

- Speak with kindness and listen fully. Everyone deserves to be heard.
- Pay attention to how our words land. Even teasing can cause pain.
- Apologize when needed. It's a sign of strength to make things right.
- Reach out for support when we need it and ask for help. If something doesn't feel okay, you don't have to carry it alone.

Let's keep our relationships strong. Let's teach and model respect. Our words and actions today shape our people tomorrow.

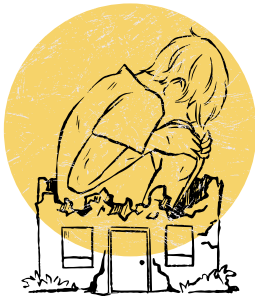


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- On-the-job training and skills development
- Employee Assistance Program
- 401K

**Pueblo de San Ildefonso is seeking qualified applicants for the below positions. All positions are open until filled**

**Transportation Government Assistant Worker**

**Driver for Senior Outings (As needed)**

**Contact Human Resources at (505)-455-4155 for Job Description or for more information. Employment Applications are available on the website at [www.sanipueblo.org/jobs](http://www.sanipueblo.org/jobs)**

# Tunyo Pin Seniors Planning Meeting

**Tuesday June 03, 2025**

Time 10:00 AM  
Where: Senior Center  
Meeting Room



# JUNE 2025

## San Ildefonso Senior Center

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b><u>1</u></b> <b>ELDERLY ABUSE MONTH</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> SENIOR PLANNING SESSION <u>10:00am</u>	<b>4</b> TENTATIVE <b>BRUCE</b> MUSEUM VISIT <u>@1:00pm</u> Claudia BLOOD PRESSURE PRESENTATION /SCREENING Theresa Dyees, CHN <u>10:30</u>	<b>5</b> MORNING WALKING <u>@10:30 GYM</u>  <u>TAI CHI CLASS/Thelma</u> <u>11:00</u>	<b>6</b> Lenora Mtg. 10:00am	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> MORNING WALKING @10:30 AT THE GYM  <u>TAI CHI CLASS/Thelma</u> <u>11:00</u>  <u>ISOTOPES @6:30</u> <u>LEAVE @ ?</u>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> MORNING WALKING <u>@10:30 GYM</u>	<b>13</b> MASSAGE THERAPIST 10:00am/12:00pm By Appointment Only	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b>  FATHER'S DAY	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> MORNING WALKING <u>@10:30 GYM</u>	<b>18</b> SENIOR OLYMPICS	<b>19</b> CLOSED JUNETEENTH	<b>20</b>  FATHER'S & MOTHER'S DAY BINGO AFTER LUNCH	<b>21</b> <b>EVENTS / TIME ARE</b> <u>SUBJECT</u> <u>TO CHANGE</u>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> <u>TAI CHI CLASS/Thelma</u> <u>11:00</u>	<b>24</b> MORNING WALKING <u>@10:30 GYM</u>	<b>25</b> Claudia "ELDERLY ABUSE" PRESENTATION SERNA SOLUTIONS 11:45 / 1:00	<b>26</b> MORNING WALKING <u>@10:30 at GYM</u> ----- 10:00am FISHING & LUNCH @ SAN I POND	<b>27</b> MASSAGE THERAPIST 10:00am/12:00pm By Appointment Only	<b>28</b> <u>SENIOR CENTER</u> <u>(505) 455-7326</u>
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>					



# San Ildefonso Senior Center

## JUNE 2025

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1	2 CHICKEN TENDERS BAKED FRIES STEAMED VEGGIES FRUIT MILK	3 HAM & CHEESE SANDWICH LETTUCE & TOMATO WEDGES STEAMED CORN FRESH FRUIT MILK	4 CHICKEN SALAD CROISSANT SANDWICH GARNISH BAKED CHIPS FRESH FRUIT MILK	5 CHEESE BURGER WW BUNS BAKED FRIES PORK & BEANS GARNISH FRUIT MILK	6 TUNA SALAD SANDWICH WW BREAD BAKED CHIPS GARNISH FRESH FRUIT MILK	7
8	9 GREEN CHILI TAMALE PLATE SPANISH RICE CORN & SQUASH FRUIT CUP MILK	10 GROUND BEEF TACO SALSA GARNISH HOMINY STEAMED VEGETABLE FRUIT MILK	11 MEAT LOAF STEAK MASHED POTATOES COUNTRY GRAVY STEAMED VEGGIES WW ROLLS FRUIT SALAD MILK	12 SALAD BAR SHREDDED CHICKEN FRESH VEGGIES, FRUIT,COTTAGE CHEESES CHICKEN SOUP MILK	13 BAKED TILAPIA STEAK FRIES TARTAR SAUCE STEAMED VEGETABLES WW ROLLS FRUIT MILK	14  <b>SENIOR CENTER (505) 455-7326</b>
15  <b>HAPPY FATHER'S DAY</b>	16 BBQ SHREDDED BEEF SANDWICH PORK & BEANS CORN ON THE COB COLE SLAW WATERMELON MILK	17 RED CHILI PORK TAMALE PLATE REFRIED BEANS SPANISH RICE STEAMED CORN FRESH FRUIT MILK	18 LASAGNA STEAMED ASPARAGUS GARDEN SALAD ROLLS FRUIT MILK	19  <b>OBSERVANCE OF JUNETEENTH CLOSED</b>	20 FRITO PIES w/GROUND BEEF PINTO BEANS RED CHILE GARNISH FRESH FRUIT MILK	21  <b>MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE IF FOOD ITEMS ARE NOT AVAILABLE</b>
22	23 SHRIMP ALFREDO CASSEROLE STEAMED MIXED VEGETABLES SPINACH SALAD GARLIC TOAST FRUIT / MILK	24 GREEN CHILI ENCHILADA GARNISH SPANISH RICE STEAMED VEGGIES FRUIT / MILK	25 CHOW MEIN EGG ROLLS BROWN RICE ORIENTAL SALAD MANDARIN ORANGES MILK / COTTAGE CHEESE	26  10:00am BRING YOUR FISHING POLES  LUNCH WILL BE SERVED AT SAN I FISHING POND 11:30 / 12:30	27 FRENCH TOAST SYRUP SCRAMBLED EGGS BACON FRESH FRUIT YOGURT MILK	28  <b>BREAKFAST WILL BE SERVED AT 10:AM DELIVERY WILL ALSO BE EARLY</b>
29	30 SPAGHETTI GARDEN SALAD GARLIC BREAD STEAMED BROCCOLI FRUIT / MILK					