Pueblo de San Ildefonso Bulletin  
March 2023

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Council Meeting Dates
Thursday, March 9, 2023 at 5:10 pm
Thursday, March 23, 2023 at 12 pm
Dates and Times are subject to change.

Visitor Center
Reminder that due to the current renovations rehabilitations, the Visitor Center has been temporarily relocated to the museum in the Administration Building.

Hours are Monday thru Sunday 9am to 4pm.
Office number is (505)455-4151.

El Rancho Property
The El Rancho Property will not be available to rent during the month of April as minor renovations will be taking place at that time. If you are interested in renting on later dates, please contact the Admin Receptionist for more information including available dates and prices.

Girl Scout Cookies
One of our young Tribal Members, AvaMonae, is a Girl Scout and currently has cookies available. If you would like to purchase from her you can contact Katerie Martinez at (505)795-1125.

Contact Us:
2 Tunyo Po, Santa Fe, NM 87506
Phone: (505) 455-2273
Fax: (505) 455-7351
March 2023

Dear Community Members:

You may have read an article about the chromium plume on DOE/LANL lands and that contaminants are moving toward the Pueblo. We would like to reaffirm that this issue is of the highest priority for the Governor and Tribal Council. We would also like to give you some background on this as articles and statements do not always give the full picture. Please be assured that the Pueblo has and is taking actions to monitor the situation and work with DOE and the New Mexico Environmental Department (NMED) on the chromium plume.

This plume is a result of many years dating back from 1956 to 1972, of improper dumping of contaminated wastewater into canyon systems on LANL property. The chromium waste migrated down through the ground levels and the underground plume was discovered in 2003. The Pueblo was notified of this plume by DOE and has been communicating with DOE about potential methods to stop the plume from moving toward the Pueblo and ways to clean up the plume. DOE has worked with the Pueblo to set up a monitoring wells on and off of Pueblo lands to track the water quality along the Pueblo’s boundary on the southside of the Pueblo’s Sacred Area. DOE has made presentations to the Council and Pueblo community over the years on the efforts to contain and clean up the plume. This will continue moving forward.

The Pueblo was surprised by the notice from the NMED that it ordered DOE to halt its interim measures on the plume cleanup. NMED had not informed the Pueblo prior to issuing the notice to DOE, nor had DOE been informed of this as I had just had my monthly meeting with DOE officials and this was not raised. The Pueblo has met with NMED to express concern about how this matter was handled and that the Pueblo needed to be informed about these types of decisions and the basis for them.

In response to the NMED Order, the Pueblo’s Environmental Department (DECP) has determined that based on the available information and data reviewed by DECP, there is no indication that chromium is present above background levels on Pueblo land. The information and data shared by DOE about the interim measures in place show the measures are working in drawing the plume away from the Pueblo. The Pueblo understands there are data gaps in the characterization of the plume and DOE is working on addressing the gaps in order to get a more complete picture of the plume and how it is reacting to the injection wells that are returning treated water into the ground. The NMED has not shared with the Pueblo any information, data, or modeling that shows otherwise.

The Pueblo will continue to work closely with DOE to monitor and assess the chromium plume situation. The Pueblo will also work with NMED to assure better communication and understanding of the NMED’s concerns and approaches for the chromium plume. Most importantly, the Pueblo’s Environmental Department will monitor all available data and provide updates and advice to the Pueblo’s leadership on this situation.

I encourage you to reach out to my office or DECP Director, Raymond Martinez, if you have any questions about the chromium plume matter. We are here to provide you with any information that we may have about the plume and the cleanup and containment measures.

Respectfully,

Governor Christopher Moquino

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Vacancy Announcement
February 8, 2023

Excellent Career and Benefits Opportunities
Come and Join our Team!

Full Time Positions offers a wide range of excellent fringe benefits:

- Healthcare (medical, dental, vision)
- Annual Leave
- Sick Leave
- Paid Holidays
- Basic Life Insurance
- Short Term, Long Term, AD&D Insurances
- On-the-job training and skills development
- Employee Assistance Program
- 401K

Pueblo de San Ildefonso is seeking qualified applicants for following Positions:

Assistant Controller (Full-Time) Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

Afterschool Program Aide (Part-Time) Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

Environmental Specialist (Full-Time) Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

Home Visitor (Education Program) Part-time through funding period. Deadline to apply: Open Until Filled

IT Network Management Specialist (Full-Time) Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

College & Career Readiness/Student Success Coordinator (Full-Time) Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

Tewa Language Manager (Full Time) Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

Transfer Station Assistant (Full Time) Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (Full Time) Deadline to Apply: Open Until Filled

Driver for Senior Outings at needed

Contact Human Resources at (505) 455-4155 or (505) 455-4112 for Job Description or for more information. Employment Applications are available on site or on the website at: www.sanipueblo.org/jobs
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(1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410;

(2) fax: (202) 690-7442; or email: program.intake@usda.gov.

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Transfer Station News

DAYS OPEN: Friday – Wednesday
HOURS: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm
CLOSED: Thursday

**Hours and closures are subject to change for holidays or at any time for many reasons.**

### MARCH SCHEDULE

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**Transfer Station CLOSED every Thursday**

- Transfer Station is closed to community members.
- This **DOES NOT** effect Senior Trash Pick. Services are still conducted every Thursdays starting at 8:30 am.

**Green Waste (Weeds, branches, trees, etc)**

- A bin is located on the bottom specifically for green waste.
- Please dispose INSIDE the bin. NO TRASH is allowed, only green waste.

### Please Dispose Trash Properly in appropriate bins

- Bagged Household Waste = **GREEN** Compactor Bin
- Recyclables = **WHITE** Recycle Bin
  - **No glass items, No trash, No food!!**
  - If you have your recyclables in a plastic bag please dump items out in bin. If you need a list of what is recyclable and what is not accepted, please stop by for one.
- Metals = **GREY** Metal Bin

**REMINDER**

WE **DO NOT TAKE** TIRES or OIL

Please contact Transfer Station Attendant to help find a place to dispose.

**Transfer Station Contacts:**

Roberta Trujillo, Transfer Station Attendant (505) 250-8297  Erin Martinez: Transfer Station Supervisor (505) 455-4121
ARE YOU UP FOR THE CHALLENGE?

Pueblo de San Ildefonso community members and residents, you are all invited and encouraged to compete in the upcoming Spring Recycling Challenge.

Starting from March 1, 2023 through April 8, 2023. Stop by the Transfer Station to sign up.

- 1st place winner will be awarded a big Easter basket,
- 2nd place will be awarded a medium size Easter basket

Items below will indicate what IS recyclable, and what is NOT.

- **YES** items- clean paper, empty plastic bottles and jugs, empty aluminum and steel cans
- **NO** items- coated paper containers, Styrofoam, pizza boxes, yard waste, and other plastics

Please note that all items must be free from food and liquids to be counted.

Blue bags will be provided if you run out.
Diabetic Shoe Fitting Event

Receive a FREE pair of shoes!

Wednesday, March 15th
11 AM-1 PM
Sr Ctr Living Room

Diabetic Shoe fitting by Happy Feet of Albuquerque

Shoes are for tribal members diagnosed w/ Diabetes
(Individuals must live in Pueblo)

Note: Individuals who received shoes in August 2022, are not eligible for this event

Light refreshments provided!

FOR MORE INFORMATION
CONTACT:
Raelene Martinez (505)660-8927

Brought to you by-San Ildefonso Diabetes Program
MARCH IS NATIONAL NUTRITION MONTH

every food choice we make is an opportunity to move towards a health eating pattern

Wednesday, March 22, 2023
5:30PM- El Rancho Club Information & Cooking Demo

Hands on Cooking! Household Incentive!

Space is limited, call Raelene Mtz @ (505)660-8927 for more info!
Pueblo de San Ildefonso  
Tribal Services Department

**Tax Filing**


Your adjusted gross income must be less than $41,000 to get free filing, or be in the military, or be over age 67 with income between 41K and 71K. If you are a Senior (age 55+) and are unable to get on the internet or just need assistance, please make an appointment with the Tribal Services Director at 505-455-4105 or [tsd@sanipueblo.org](mailto:tsd@sanipueblo.org) and Stuart can assist you to file your returns.

**Internet Payments**

A reminder that there is a federal program that can assist with paying internet service bills. It’s from the Federal Communication Commission (FCC) and it’s call the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP). You can go to this website to see if you are eligible for the program: [https://www.affordableconnectivity.gov/?utm_source=FCCApplyNow](https://www.affordableconnectivity.gov/?utm_source=FCCApplyNow)

**LifeLine for cellular or Land line payments**

This is another program that the FCC has to assist with paying for cell phone or land line service. You can sign up for it here if eligible:  
[https://www.lifelinesupport.org/](https://www.lifelinesupport.org/)

**Enrollment Office**

We remind everyone that any tribal member can review their own tribal membership file and insert information in it such as copies of your birth certificate, marriage certificate and other documents or photo. Our files are enclosed in a fire-resistant file cabinet, so they should be safe for future generations.

**Tribal IDs**

A reminder that our Tribal IDs expire after 2 years. Please check your expiration date and if expired, please come to the Tribal Services Office at the Admin Building and get it renewed. If living out of state, you can send a headshot to [tsd@sanipueblo.org](mailto:tsd@sanipueblo.org). Renewal cost is $10. Under age 19, it’s free.

**Animal Reminder**

Our current animal control law does not allow the free roaming of animals. They are to be supervised or controlled at all times. This normally means kennels, enclosed areas or leashes. Dogs or cats not being supervised or leashed will be picked up and turned over to the local animal shelter. Traps will be placed around the Pueblo to catch strays. These will also be turned over to the local animal shelter.

If you have any questions about the information above, please contact William Christian at (505)455-4105 or at [tsd@sanipueblo.org](mailto:tsd@sanipueblo.org).
JANUARY:

• San I Seniors were quick in recuperation from a blessed Feast Day. They expressed that they enjoyed the time with their family and friends. We all filled our joyful hearts with song and dance!

• The Seniors of San Ildefonso, with great sadness, loss one of our dear elders in January. A member that gave himself to his people and whole community in many ways. This member of our Pueblo, Mr. Juan Ray Martinez Sr. will be greatly missed. Our sincere condolences to the family

• After our Monthly meeting on January 11, 2023, we all enjoyed a slice of Chantilly Cake for all the January birthdays. “Happy Birthday!”

• Last Friday of the month after breakfast, seniors enjoyed a game of coin Bingo! All were lucky winners.

• Photo share/singing/pizza postponed is rescheduled to happen in March.
FEBRUARY:

- Friday, February 3, 2023- Seniors attended “Indian Day” at the Legislature. Busload road to the NM Capital and more Seniors met us there. Governor Christopher Moquino gave the opening invocation in the Rotunda. It was also announced that Mr. James Mountain was named the new Secretary Designate for the NM Indian Affairs Dept., Congrats!

  Lunch followed at Santa Fe Bite and we were joined by Governor, Lt. Governor, and 2 Councilwomen. Thank you Governor Moquino for lunch, it was very much appreciated. What a great day with representation from our Pueblo.

- Monday, February 6, 2023 – Craft Day at Tunyo Pin Center with Charlene Martinez & Renee Roybal. Valentine door hangings and table centerpieces were made. It was an enjoyable day! Beautiful work Seniors, you are all so talented! Door and table décor were also delivered to homebound seniors and they expressed thanks for the gifts.

- Wednesday, February 8, 2023 - Seniors hosted Angel Pacheco and Monica Naranjo (ENIPC Interim Directors). This position is going to be a joint position for 3 months. Updated clarification on Site Manager: Linda Martinez. Position was decided on and handled internally through ENIPC. –Various discussion on ENIPC matters.

- Wednesday, February 15, 2023– The Tunyo Pin Senior Citizens held its monthly meeting with Senior Sweeties Gathering. We enjoyed a catered Chinese Dinner and had apple/cherry pie for all the February Senior Birthdays. Happy Birthday!

- Friday, February 24, 2023, after breakfast ENIPC program to have Coin Bingo.
• Wednesday, March 1, 2023 – Shop till you drop trip! Tunyo Pin Program will provide the transportation to the Zuni Store in Isleta and Tamaya Bluecorn Mill Center in Santa Ana. Bus will leave at 9:00am from San Ildefonso Pueblo Senior Center. Program will provide lunch, location TBA. Don’t forget your spending money! Call Stuart Christian to sign up at (505)455-4105 or tsd@sanipueblo.org

• Tuesday, March 7, 2023, @10:00 am – Crochet a Scarf. San I Seniors are encouraged to come learn to crochet a scarf for these cold windy days. Volunteer Teacher: Eva Lymon from Los Alamos will show us how to crochet. Materials for this project will be provided by the ICWA department. Thank-you ICWA Manager-Lenora Arrietta.

• Wednesday, March 15, 2023 @10:30 am – Tunyo Pin Monthly Meeting at the Senior Center Conference Room. Craft Day will be after Lunch at 12:45. Come and make Lucky Leprechaun door decorations with Charlene Martinez.

• Thursday, March 23, 2023 – Seniors will have the Pizza/Photo Share/Open Mic Event @5:30pm at the Senior Center. San I Education Dept will provide the salad. Kunda Bernice Martinez.

• Friday, March 31, 2023 – After the breakfast program ENIPC will have Coin Bingo. Come join in on the fun. Empty your pockets for loose change and double it!
FROM THE OFFICE OF THE PROJECT MANAGER

Project Updates

March 2023

• **Administrative Office – Portal Improvements**

The concrete work and cement installation is complete at the Tribal Administration Building. We are anticipating delivery and installation of the shade structure and picnic benches before mid-March. Thank you for your patience during the entry closures.

• **Pueblo-Wide Roofing Projects**

The Senior Center, Realty Bay, Maintenance Building, Learning Center, and Tewa Center have now all been completed. Roofing at the Tribal Administration building has started, and the roof is now being prepped. The Administration building will not be completed until this spring when the weather warms up and the HVAC units can be removed.

• **Gymnasium Renovation Project**

Demolition work to the restrooms and locker rooms has been completed. TJC construction is now working on texture application and painting the new restrooms and storage area; and preparing for the plumbers. Painting of the exterior of the building should take place in April when the weather warms up. Cement will be poured along the Southside of the building, and the installation of a shade structure will be completed in May 2023. Full project completion is still scheduled for June 15, 2023.

• **Tewa Center Renovations**

The new HVAC duct work and new HVAC units have been installed. The restrooms have been demoed, and plumbing in the kitchen area has started.

• **Tewa Tank Rehabilitation Project**

The Tewa Tank Renovation project started on February 23, 2023 and includes: installation of new vent hatches, new handrails, remove and install new shell manways, modify and repair the Liquid Level Guage, remove existing antenna supports, and interior and exterior coating systems. The project will begin with improvements to the access road up to the tank so that heavy equipment can be mobilized at the tank site. The Pueblo is now utilizing the Black Mesa water tank for domestic water source, there seems to not be any problems with water pressure in the Pueblo. (If you experience any problems with your water pressure, please contact the Project Manager’s Office or Rayven Begaye at 505-670-0984)
• **Community Wellness Center**

In Coordination with the San Ildefonso Health and Human Services Department, a Request for Proposals for Design/Engineering Services was published in February 2023. The Pueblo has secured $700,000 to date to plan and design the new facility, which will be a build-out/addition to the Gymnasium. For additional information and to review the bid package documents, please visit the San Ildefonso Website ([https://sanipueblo.org](https://sanipueblo.org)) under “Jobs/RFPs.”

• **Wastewater – Lagoon Monitoring Project**

Vigil Enterprises (VEI) has been awarded a project to install monitoring wells at the existing Wastewater Lagoon sites. The monitoring wells will provide information on current nitrates in the soil and will provide data on underground flows from compromised lagoons.

• **Povi Ka and Shumaa Po Projects**

Striping on Povi Ka will be completed in March 2023. Please use caution while using the roadway and adhere to all speed limit signs. The repaving of Shumaa Po will take place in March and April 2023 and will be completed by April 30th – we will inform the Community of the road closure and detours/alternate routes prior to the project start date.

If you have questions on any of the projects in the Pueblo, please contact the Project Manager: Christy Ladd - (505) 455-4104 (direct office number)/ [PM@sanipueblo.org](mailto:PM@sanipueblo.org)
The Project Management Office is seeking proposals from San Ildefonso Community Members to repaint the Tribal Logo Signs (2) – currently located at the Gymnasium and the Tribal Administration Building. Each sign is 4 ft. in diameter. The signs will be removed from the buildings.

The same color schemes need to be used for the repainting.

Each sign needs to be sanded, repainted, and finished with a waterproof coating. If you are interested, please fill out the below form and return it to:

Christy Ladd, Project Manager
San Ildefonso Tribal Administration Building
02 Tunyo Po
Santa Fe, NM 87506
(505) 455-4104

NAME: ____________________________________________________________

ADDRESS: _________________________________________________________

PHONE NUMBER: ___________________________________________________

EXPECTED TIME OF COMPLETION (DATE): ________________________________

TOTAL COST PROPOSAL: _____________________________________________

____________________________________  ______________________________
Signature                      Date

Please note that taxes are not applicable

DEADLINE FOR PROPOSAL SUBMISSION IS MARCH 31, 2023
Emergency Repair Program

An update on your application for Emergency Repairs - SIHA is in the process of obtaining quotes for roof repairs and soliciting for electricians and plumbers to have repairs completed. This process is time consuming, therefore SIHA appreciates your patience.

NM Gas Energy Efficiency Program

We’re pleased to announce that SIHA has been selected for the second time for the New Mexico Gas Company Native American Energy Efficiency Program partner. The New Mexico Gas Native American Energy Efficiency Program will provide NO-COST energy efficiency services to help tribal seniors save energy and money.

SIHA will sign up the maximum of thirty seniors 60 and above to receive these services in a second round of services.

For further information contact Christopher Romero, Building Services Manager at (505) 479-0399, email christopher@sanihousing.org or stop by the SIHA office to sign up.

Deer Tail 2 Infrastructure Project

SIHA is working with WH Pacific for the design and engineering plans, the plans are 60% completed. Construction of the Infrastructure is scheduled to begin early August.

Home Conveyances Status Report

SIHA submitted to BIA the property leases to change NPHA into SIHA ownership so the conveyances can be completed. SIHA awaits a response from BIA to move on to the next step in the lease assumption process.

Waiting List Applications

SIHA is working to complete its review of the waiting list applications to include survey information to be utilized for grant applications and determine the need for the San Ildefonso tribal members.

SIHA website: www.sanihousing.org

SIHA Staff Contact Information

Business Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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lisa@sanihousing.org (505) 455-4170

Darien Cabral, Deputy Director
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Christopher Romero, Building Services Manager
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Devan Martinez, Housing Manager
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March 2023

Department of Education

ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE INVITED!
JOIN US FOR BREAKFAST & EARLY CHILDHOOD DISCUSSION
(Friday, March 24 @ 9:30 am at the Library)

Get Interviewed! Get Paid!
The Education Department is looking for 6 families of current HS or college students to participate in a short interview (30-45 minutes) on your educational experiences as a (K-12) student in New Mexico.

Families will be paid $200 for their participation.
Interviews to be held at the Library @ March 27-April 6 (times/days TBD)
If interested in signing up or want more details, contact the Education Department by phone, e-mail, or in-person BEFORE March 20.

CALL FOR ARTISTS & PRESENTERS!!
Are you willing to share your knowledge with our Afterschool students any (Mon-Th) afternoon??
If so, call Bernice ($$$ paid to presenters!)

VISIT OUR WEBSITE!
www.sanipueblolibrary.org
You can sign up for a Library Card and access other resources

Patrons with a Library card now can access 1000s of historical documents & articles from 100s of daily newspapers in the USA through America’s News & Readex Territorial Papers!!

College & Career Information

Physics Camp for Young Women @ June 5-16 at NM School for the Arts
DEADLINE TO APPLY: April 1 Call Educ Dept for details!

Parents of High School Students: YOU HAVE A FREE ACCOUNT at College Bound Journey, a resource to identify culturally-supportive colleges, etc. Contact the Education Dept for info on how to access.

For list of available scholarships, contact the Education Dept

ARE YOU A U.S. VETERAN interested in furthering your education? For support and help with getting your GI benefits, go to NM Veterans Upward Bound: taos.unm.edu/veteransupwardbound/

Adult Traditional Arts Classes
Black-on-Black Pottery (starting 3/7)
Tues & Thurs, 5-8 pm @ Library

White Pants & Men’s Leggings (starting 3/9)
Wednes, 6-9 pm @ Library

Call Aaliyah or Bernice for more info or to sign up!

Opportunities for Youth

Youth Council Gathering @ Library Tuesday, March 7 @ 5:30 pm
*ALL YOUTH INVITED (AGES 13-24)
UNITY Conference @ Washington, DC June 30-July 4, 2023

Coming Soon: PAID POSITIONS FOR YOUTH THIS SPRING/SUMMER! (EARN $1,500 AND SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY!)

Spring 2023 College Visits (all expenses paid!!)
The Education Dept will be taking 8th-12th grade students (and parents!) to visit Colleges, Universities and Trade Schools throughout NM!

March 7-10: Spring Break college tour including UNM, SIPI, IAIA, CNM, & more!
March 10-11: Trip to Ft. Lewis College (Pueblo Feast Day)
April 11-14: Spring Break college tour, including UNM, SIPI, IAIA, CNM, & more!

Open to 8th-12th grade students & Pueblo residents considering college or trade school

For more information, call the Educ Dept at 455-2635!
Career Pathways Scholarship Application Now Open!

Are you currently pursuing or thinking of pursuing a 2-year degree or certification? You may qualify for a Career Pathways Scholarship!

Learn More
https://lanlfoundation.org/scholarship/career-pathways-scholarships/
Become.a.Northern.Steward

Participate in our Summer Field School
June 12 - July 7, 2023 in Española, NM
Earn $2,000!!!

Week 1. Build Maps with your Phone
Week 2. Build Maps with our Drones
Week 3. Integrate Phone/Drone Data into Interactive Models
Week 4. Build and program a Simulation Table that supports Smart Stewardship of our cultural and environmental resources.

Open to All Students, 17 or older
Field School Meets Face-to-Face, 9am-4pm, 4 days per week
Apply Here Before March 31, 2023
Please address questions to steve.cox@nnmc.edu

Funded by NSF 1911607 GP-EXTRA: Place-Based Participatory Path to Geoscience
TRIBAL EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATOR PATHWAY COHORT

Earn a Child Development Certificate at No Cost

The LANL Foundation is excited to announce that we will be accepting applications for the 2023-2024 Tribal Early Childhood Educator Pathway Cohort from those interested in earning a Child Development Certificate (CDC) through the Central New Mexico Community College (CNM) fast track program. The LANL Foundation will cover the cost of tuition, fees, and books. Space for this program is limited to 20 students and will be on a first come first serve basis. Classes begin May 30, 2023 and run through April 22, 2024. Students must be committed to work as a cohort and remain a part of the certificate program completing each 7-week course together. Classes will be held virtually every Tuesday at 5:30p.m. with an occasional Saturday in-person session – stipends for mileage will be provided. This opportunity is open to parents, caregivers, educators, or anyone wanting to learn more about early childhood development in Tribal communities. Students must be from a Tribe in New Mexico or working in a Tribal community to be eligible.

Certificate Requirements

- ECED 1110- Child Growth, Development and Learning
- ECED1115- Health, Safety and Nutrition
- ECED1120- Guiding Young Children
- ECED1125- Assessment of Children and Evaluation of Programs
- ECED 1130 – Family and Community Collaboration

LANL FOUNDATION
1112 Plaza del Norte
Española, NM 87532
505-753-8890

LINK:
https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/tribal-EC-cohort-app

The LANL Foundation and CNM will hold informational sessions the week of March 6th and the week of March 20th.
Registration through CNM will begin April 25th.
If you are interested in learning more or applying to be a part of this opportunity – you can email Jovanna Archuleta at jovanna@lanlfoundation.org
**BINGO FUNDRAISER**

**CONCESSION! RAFFLE! FUN!**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 25**

**1PM  EL RANCHO CLUB**

**CONCESSION MENU:**
FRYBREAD BURGERS, FRITO PIES, CHILE DOGS, HOTDOGS,
ENCHILADAS, POPCORN BALLS, POPCORN, SNO CONES, CUPCAKES,
PICKLES, DRINKS, ETC.

**PROCEEDS**
All proceeds will go towards
Madison Gonzales   Santana Sanchez & Yankaa Martinez

-Madison & Santana are currently playing softball at Allegany College in Cumberland, MD
-Yankaa was accepted to the PVHS Travelling club & will travel abroad in Spring 2024
CITIES OF GOLD CASINO

Spring Arts & Crafts Show

April 1st • 10 am - 4 pm
Located at Cities of Gold Casino

For more information contact
Katerie Martinez at 505-795-1125