



**May 2014 Master Calendar of Cultural Events & Activities**  
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**EVENTS & ACTIVITIES – ALL VENUES**

**1 & 3 ABQ BioPark Zoo                      Brown Bag Seminar**

Thursday & Saturday  
 12:45 – 1:30 pm

BioPark staff and field experts discuss conservation science during this series of informal lunchtime lectures. These programs alternate between the zoo and garden. Regular admission applies at the zoo, and programs at the garden are free.

**2 – 4 ABQ BioPark Garden                      Orchid Show and Sale**

Friday – Sunday  
 9 am – 5 pm

The Mediterranean Conservatory and Garden Showroom will be filled with hundreds of beautiful orchids for viewing and purchase. Expert growers from the New Mexico Orchid Guild will be on hand to talk to visitors about growing orchids. Included with admission.

**3                      East Mountain Library                      American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (ASPCA)**

Saturday  
 3:30 – 5:30 pm

Unfortunately, animal cruelty is all too present in our world. An ASPCA staffer from Washington, DC will be at the library to show us how we can protect animals in the East Mountains.

**3                      Erna Ferguson Library                      Dancing Dogs & Talented Trainers**

Saturday  
 1:30 – 2:30 pm

The Rio Grande Canine Freestylers perform in the courtyard. Bring the whole family to enjoy this delightful performance as the trainers take the dogs through their paces—all set to music.

**3                      S. Broadway Cultural Ctr.                      Inaugural John Lewis Celebration**

Saturday  
 Reception 6 pm  
 Celebration Concert 7:30 pm

Join us for the Inaugural John Lewis Celebration on what would have been the famous musician and composer's 94<sup>th</sup> birthday. The evening begins with an informal reception in the SBCC Community Room with food and beverages by Mr. Powdrell's BBQHouse and Nexus Brewery available for purchase,

With the participation of leaders in Albuquerque's African American Community, and a program that features the music of John Lewis performed by the Tribute Trio with special guest Sam Lunt, plus a performance by Joe Banks and the Brothers Divine, the evening offers a great opportunity to honor this former Albuquerque resident. Continued...

**John Aaron Lewis** (May 3, 1920 - March 29, 2001) was an American jazz pianist and composer best known as the musical director of the *Modern Jazz Quartet*. Born in Illinois, he was raised in a neighborhood near the South Broadway Cultural Center in Albuquerque, and attended the University of New Mexico where he studied music and anthropology. South Broadway Cultural Center's theater and auditorium are named after Lewis. This event is sponsored by the City of Albuquerque, South Broadway Cultural Center and produced by Outpost Productions.

**Tickets:** \$20 adults; \$15 students, seniors and Outpost members. Tickets available online at [www.outpostspace.org](http://www.outpostspace.org), by calling 505-268-0044, or in person at Outpost, 210 Yale Blvd. SE Monday – Friday 2 – 5:30 pm.

### **3 Tony Hillerman Library African Violet Repotting Clinic**

Saturday  
Noon – 4 pm

Stop by to learn how to repot and grow healthy African Violets from members of the African Violet Society. Bring your own pot, or use one of theirs.

### **3+ Albuquerque Museum Santa Fe Opera Spotlight Series 2014**

Saturday  
10 – 11:30 am

Each Saturday morning talk will focus on an important theme in opera, and includes previews of productions from the Santa Fe Opera's 2014 Season. This program, "Growing Up Buffa—Italian Comic Opera," is presented by Oliver Prezant, a popular lecturer for the Santa Fe Opera, the Music Director of the Santa Fe Community Orchestra, and the Artistic Advisor to the ArtWorks program, which provides arts education programs for public school students and teachers. His unique presentations have helped thousands of music lovers deepen their enjoyment and understanding of music.

May 10<sup>th</sup> "Freedom to Live, Freedom to Die" – Bizet's *Carmen*  
May 17<sup>th</sup> "Becoming Modern: - Stravinsky: *The Nightingale*

All programs are free of charge.

### **3 & 4 KiMo Theatre Ballet Repertory Theatre: Tchaikovsky & Shakespeare**

Saturday 7 – 9 pm  
Sunday 2 – 4 pm

Ballet Repertory Theatre presents an evening of three contemporary ballets by choreographers Vladimir Conde Reche, Celia Dale, and Alex Ossadnik set to Tchaikovsky's Shakespeare-inspired Hamlet, Tempest, and Romeo & Juliet Fantasy Overtures.

**Reserved Seating:** \$7 - 27. Tickets are available at [www.KiMoTickets.com](http://www.KiMoTickets.com). Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Ticket sales on day-of-show, if available.

### **4 ABQ BioPark Zoo Run for the Zoo**

Sunday  
7 – 10 am

Join us for this fun annual run to benefit the New Mexico BioPark Society. The race features a half-marathon, 10K, 5K and one mile races—and walkers are welcome, too. Entry fees vary. For information and to pre-register (required), please call 505-764-6280 or visit [www.runforthezoo.com](http://www.runforthezoo.com)

### **4 Albuquerque Museum Exhibition Opening: Focus on Youth**

Sunday  
2 – 4 pm

Join student artists from the Albuquerque Public Schools for a reception at the opening of the exhibition, "Focus on Youth," an annual high school photography exhibition at the museum. An awards ceremony is scheduled for 2 p.m. Admission to the reception is free.

### **4 KiMo Theatre Jesse Cook in Concert**

Sunday  
7:30 – 10 pm

Paris-born Jesse Cook picked up a guitar at age three and his passion grew from there. Inspired by gypsy guitar legend Manitas de Plata, he spent summers with his father in the gypsy barrio where he gained a love of rumba flamenco in jazz sessions with neighbor Nicolas Reyes, lead singer of the Gypsy Kings. Raised in Ontario, Cook has been recording and performing music internationally for almost two decades, winning numerous prestigious awards along the way. The program is presented by AMC Concerts. Continued...

**Reserved Seating:** \$25 - 40. A limited number of VIP tickets at \$100 include a pre-show Meet & Greet and a signed limited edition poster. Tickets are available at [www.KiMoTickets.com](http://www.KiMoTickets.com). Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Ticket sales on day-of-show, if available.

**7 Albuquerque Museum Vance Players in Performance**

Wednesday  
11 am

Long before “Lucy,” Vivian Vance’s career included theater performances at Albuquerque Little Theatre, summer theatre festivals and Broadway. The Vance Players will perform a 30-minute montage of scenes from plays that featured Vance. The program is free.

**9 Albuquerque Museum Exhibition Opening: Lead with the Arts**

Friday  
6 – 8 pm

Join us for a free reception celebrating the unveiling of a new temporary mural created by local high school students in the Lead with the Arts afterschool program. The program pairs talented students with artists to create original artwork in the Museum.

**9 ABQ BioPark Garden National Public Gardens Day**

Friday  
10 am – 2 pm

Please join us as we celebrate public gardens throughout the US. Experts will share information on growing plants in the Southwest. Tickets are included with admission.

**10 Albuquerque Museum 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday: ABQ Ladies of Comedy**

Saturday  
5 – 8:30 pm

In honor of the Museum’s “Everybody’s Neighbor: Vivian Vance” exhibition, come celebrate Albuquerque’s current funny ladies. Performances by music comedy trio JeeZ LaWeeZ and local female comedians will make this a night to remember. The program is sponsored by Las Ventanas Homes. Free admission.

**10 Ernie Pyle Library T-Transformation**

Saturday  
1:30 – 3:30 pm

Public artist and environmental advocate Nancy Judd creates couture fashion sculptures made from trash to stimulate conversation, action and education about sustainable living. Join Nancy for this fun T-shirt transformation workshop. She guides participants in using pre-made patterns for designing their own to create scarves, backpacks, dog toys and more. Bring T-shirts to use in creating your projects. The program is limited to 20 participants ages 10 and up, so preregistration is required—go online to register.

**10 KiMo Theatre A Word with Writers**

Saturday  
7 – 9 pm

Bookworks and the Albuquerque Public Library Foundation are collaborating on a new literary series, A Word with Writers, which will feature writers in conversation with each other. The first in the series features George RR Martin and Diana Gabaldon, both renowned sci-fi and fantasy authors whose works were recently published in a new anthology, *Dangerous Women*, edited by Martin, with work by Gabaldon and other authors.

George RR Martin, a novelist and short story writer in the realms of fantasy, horror and science fiction, is the author of the immensely popular *Game of Thrones* series. He is also a screenwriter and television producer.

Diana Gabaldon is the author of the internationally best-selling *Outlander* series. Attendees are invited to bring ONE previously purchased book for each author, who will sign a limit of two books per person. Proceeds from ticket sales will benefit the Albuquerque Public Library Foundation.

**Reserved Seating:** \$7 - 20. Tickets are available at [www.KiMoTickets.com](http://www.KiMoTickets.com). Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

**10 Main Library Beginning Genealogy: Getting Started**

Saturday  
10:30 am – Noon

Experienced genealogist Victoria Sullivan will get you on the path to researching your family's history. Information is more readily available about our families than ever before—and more is becoming available every day! You will find out how to gather information about your family, organize your information, stay focused, and enjoy the journey. For ages 15 and above.

**10 Spec. Collections Library From New Town to the Nuclear Age: Albuquerque 1880 - 1960**

Saturday  
10:30 – Noon

What did it take to turn on the lights in New Town? And who remembers Reddy Kilowatt? Greg Miller of PNM takes us through the history of the energy industry in Albuquerque. The program is presented by The Special Collections Library and OASIS as part of the 2014 Speakers Series.

**10-11 ABO BioPark Garden Bonsai Show**

Saturday-Sunday  
9 am – 5 pm

Celebrate Mother's Day with our final spring show that features miniature piñon, juniper and mahogany trees shaped into fascinating and beautiful sculptures. Presented by the Albuquerque Bonsai Club. Included with admission.

**11 ABO BioPark Zoo Mother's Day at the Zoo: New Mexico Philharmonic**

Sunday  
10 am – 3 pm

What better place to celebrate with all of the moms in your family than at the beautiful zoo? Special "Zoo Moms" Discovery Stations throughout will give you interesting information about the parenting styles of many zoo creatures, and at 2 pm the New Mexico Philharmonic will perform a live concert of familiar favorites in honor of all moms. Included with admission.

**11 KiMo Theatre Sunday Matinee – Sir Anthony Hopkins Festival: The Bounty**

Sunday  
2 – 4:15 pm

Mel Gibson, Sir Anthony Hopkins and Laurence Olivier star in this classic tale of Lieutenant Bligh, whose cruelty leads to a mutiny on his ship, *The Bounty*. This version of the story follows both the efforts of Fletcher Christian to get his men beyond the reach of British retribution, and the epic voyage of Lieutenant Bligh to get his loyalists safely to East Timor in a tiny lifeboat. Rated PG.

**Tickets:** \$5 – 7. Tickets are available at [www.KiMoTickets.com](http://www.KiMoTickets.com). Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Concessions will be available.

**11 Old Town Mother's Day Celebration**

Sunday  
Noon – 3 pm

Join us for a fun afternoon in honor of all mothers. From noon – 1 pm enjoy the traditional dances of Folklorico Fiesta Mexicana, and from 1 – 3 pm, the National Institute of Flamenco. Stroll, shop and dine in Albuquerque's historic community.

**12-16 ABO BioPark Zoo Endangered Species Awareness Week**

Monday – Friday  
10 am – 2 pm

What if some of your favorite animals were no longer on this earth? Come to the zoo to learn about the conservation of some of the rarest animals on our planet—and how you can help with the worldwide effort to save these rare species. Included with admission.

**14 KiMo Theatre Indie Q at the KiMo**

Wednesday  
7 – 9 pm

Join us for this quarterly series that celebrates Albuquerque's vibrant independent film scene. The Albuquerque Film Office in conjunction with the KiMo Theatre presents a free screening of locally-made short films. Doors open at 6:30 pm.

**14 South Broadway Library Early Literacy & Reading Skills Workshop**

Wednesday  
11:15 am – 12:15 pm

Experts agree that early literacy and reading skills make a huge difference for children as they enter school—and continue throughout their lives. Parents, grandparents and caregivers are a child’s first teachers. This fun workshop will help you learn how to help your child develop early literacy skills through talking, reading, writing, singing and playing—all wonderful building blocks for school readiness. Participants will receive very helpful handouts and free books. Children are welcome, and they can attend a special storytime while their adults are attending the workshop.

**16-17 ABQ BioPark Aquarium Aquarium Overnight**

Friday 6:30 p.m. – Saturday 8 a.m.

Pack your pajamas and pillow for the ultimate sleepover! Explore the Aquarium at night, learning about ocean animals and their nighttime behavior. Visit the Touchpool, play a game, get crafty (we provide ideas and supplies), and take in a marine movie at the Aquarium theater.

Check-in is from 6:30 - 7 p.m. on Friday. Overnights end at 8 a.m. on Saturday morning. Children under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

Tickets are \$30 per person. Pre-registration is required and participation is reserved only after payment is received. Group size is limited. For more information, call 505-848-7180. Online registration is available at [cabq.gov/biopark](http://cabq.gov/biopark).

**17 ABQ BioPark Garden International Migratory Bird Day**

Saturday  
10 am – 2 pm

Find out how birds survive incredible migratory journeys that often involve thousands of miles. Visit Discovery Stations and enjoy hands-on activities as you learn. Included with admission.

**17 ABQ BioPark Zoo Summer Volunteer Orientation for Teens**

Saturday  
11 am – Noon

Explore the exciting opportunities for summer volunteers at the BioPark Zoo, Aquarium and Garden. Teens and young adults are encouraged to attend. For more information, please call 505-848-7172, or visit [www.abqbiopark.com](http://www.abqbiopark.com).

**17 Albuquerque Museum Family Fun Day: Heritage Day at Casa San Ysidro**

Saturday  
10 am – 4 pm

Join us at Casa San Ysidro when the Corrales Historical Society helps celebrate our local heritage with a day of fun family activities. Explore New Mexico’s agricultural and cultural traditions, like weaving, blacksmithing and horno baking, as well as performances. Purchase traditionally-made art directly from local artists and explore the Museum’s period rooms to see artifacts that reflect how people lived long ago. Admission is free.

**17 Main Library Brick Walls Drop-In Workshop**

Saturday  
10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Have you hit a brick wall in your family history research? Get individual assistance from members of the New Mexico Genealogical Society with your search. Whether you are a beginner or more experienced, these researchers should be able to help. Be sure to bring your charts and any other relevant information. For ages 15 and above.

**17 Spec. Collections Library Made in New Mexico Films**

Saturday  
10:30 am – Noon

Jeff Berg is back by popular demand to share film clips, anecdotes and trivia about movies made right here in New Mexico. Expect a mix of genres, entraining and interesting commentary, and fascinating glimpses of familiar places.

**20** **KiMo Theatre** **Distracted Driving: CRASH**

Tuesday  
7 – 8:30 pm

Crash rates for teens are highest during the first six months and 1,000 miles after they are licensed. "CRASH" is a comprehensive media campaign to help youths and parents throughout New Mexico understand the dangers associated with distracted driving, and to give them specific tools and suggestions for lessening the chance of a crash. The project includes a broadcast documentary, live follow up TV program, a viewer guide, and a town hall meeting guide for youth. This will be an opportunity for youths and their parents to come together and help make each other safer drivers—and save lives.

The hook to the campaign is hearing and seeing real stories from people who have been involved in a crash. It also focuses on the reasons why distracted driving (intoxication, cell phone use, eating, additional passengers) causes crashes. The program will also highlight the most recent research involving cell phone use, DWI and other causes of crashes, focusing on the extremely high number of distracted driving crashes, especially for young people. The campaign also includes basic information about the Graduated Drivers License and its effectiveness in reducing teen crashes, as well as highlighting the various reasons that young drivers are at risk for having a car crash. Presented by SafeTeen New Mexico and Christopher Productions, LLC.

FREE admission.

**21** **KiMo Theatre** **Community Cinema at the KiMo: *The New Black***

Wednesday  
7 – 9 pm

Centering on the historic fight to win marriage equality in Maryland, *The New Black* takes viewers into the pews, the streets, and kitchen tables as it looks at how the African American community grapples with the divisive gay rights issues. The film is part of the Women and Girls Lead campaign.

Community Cinema is a groundbreaking public education and civic engagement initiative featuring monthly screenings of films for the Emmy® Award-winning PBS series 'Independent Lens'. Every month between September and June, Community Cinema brings together leading organizations, community members and public television stations to learn, discuss and get involved in today's critical social issues.

This event is **FREE**. Concessions will be available.

**22** **Spec.Collections Library** **Home is where I left my heART**

Thursday  
4 – 6:30 pm

Please join us to see and celebrate Home is where I left my heART: Writings and Art for our Families from Afar. The works by inmates of the Metropolitan Detention Center will remain on display at the Special Collections Library through June 21<sup>st</sup>.

**23** **ABQ BioPark Garden** **Butterfly Pavilion Opens**

Friday  
9 am – 5 pm

Visitors enjoy a walk through this magical place filled with hundreds of free-flying butterflies representing many species. The Butterfly Pavilion will remain open during regular hours through October 12<sup>th</sup>, weather permitting. Included with admission.

**23** **KiMo Theatre** **Friday Fright Nights: Murders in the Rue Morgue (1932)**

Friday  
8 – 9 pm

The story is set in 19<sup>th</sup> Century Paris, where the maniacal Dr. Mirakle abducts young women and injects them with ape blood in an attempt to prove ape-human kinship. He constantly meets with failure as the abducted women die. Medical student Pierre Dupin discovers what Mirakle is doing too late to prevent the abduction of his girlfriend, Camille. He desperately tries to enlist the help of the police to rescue her. The film stars Bela Lugosi, Sidney Fox and Leon Ames.

**Tickets:** \$5 – 7. Tickets are available at [www.KiMoTickets.com](http://www.KiMoTickets.com). Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Concessions will be available.

**24** **KiMo Theatre** **Kevin Spacey Retrospective: Se7en**

Saturday  
7 – 9:15 pm

Two homicide detectives are on a desperate hunt for a serial killer who justifies his crimes as absolution for the world's ignorance of the Seven Deadly Sins. The film travels from the tortured remains of one victim to the next as the sociopathic "John Doe" sermonized to Detectives Summerset and Mills—focusing on one sin after another. The sin of Gluttony comes first and the murderer's terrible capacity is graphically demonstrated in the dark and subdued tones characteristic of film noir. The season and cultured, but jaded, Sommerset researches the Seven Deadly Sins in an effort to understand the killer's modus operandi, while the bright but green and impulsive Detective Mills scoffs at his efforts to get inside the mind of a killer. Morgan Freeman, Brad Pitt and Kevin Spacey star. Rated R. Not suitable for under 16.

**24** **ABQ BioPark Tingley Beach Pedal Boats Rentals Open**

Saturday  
Times Vary

Explore the ponds at Tingley Beach in pedal-powered boats for two or four! A fun way to enjoy the great outdoors. Rentals range from \$10 – 14. Call 505-768-2000 or visit [www.abqbiopark.com](http://www.abqbiopark.com) to learn more.

**24** **ABQ BioPark Zoo** **Giraffe and Lorikeet Feeding Open**

Wednesdays – Sundays  
Times Vary

Have a close encounter with the zoo's tallest or most colorful residents by participating in a feeding experience. Tickets are \$2 in addition to regular admission.

**24** **Juan Tabo Library** **Home Composting Basics**

Saturday  
Noon – 2 pm

Composting is essential to garden health and completing the cycle of food production/consumption. Learn how to create a vital compost pile that will provide nutrients for your garden. The class is presented in conjunction with the ABQ Seed Library and will be conducted by a Master Composter. Ages 12 and up.

**24** **Old Town** **Memorial Day Concert**

Saturday  
6 – 8 pm

Join in honoring our heroes at this Memorial Weekend free concert on the Plaza. At 6 pm the Albuquerque String Trio will perform, followed at 7 pm by the American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps.

**25** **KiMo Theatre** **Sunday Matinee – Sir Anthony Hopkins Festival: *Silence of the Lambs***

Sunday  
2 – 4 pm

FBI agent Clarice Starling is assigned to help find a missing woman to save her from a psychopathic series killer who skins his victims. She attempts to gain a better insight into the twisted mind of the killer by talking to another psychopath, Hannibal Lecter, who used to be a respected psychiatrist. Fellow FBI agent Jack Crawford believes that Lecter, who is also a very powerful and clever mind manipulator, has the answers to their questions and can help locate the killer. But first Clarice must gain Lecter's confidence as he engages in a war of wills with her. Jodie Foster, Anthony Hopkins and Lawrence A. Bonney star in this R-rated film

**Tickets:** \$5 – 7. Tickets are available at [www.KiMoTickets.com](http://www.KiMoTickets.com). Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Concessions will be available.

**29** **KiMo Theatre** **Water Crisis in the West: Thinking Like a Watershed**

Thursday  
7 – 10 pm

Author of *Thinking Like a Watershed*, producer of Watershed as Commons and project director of Law of the Land, Inc., Jack Loeffler, will host a panel discussion focused on "Water Law in the Southwest". Panelists John Echohawk, Bruce Frederick and Em Hall will review the evolution of water law in the Colorado River and Rio Grande greater watersheds and delve into the growing disparity between "agricultural best use" as defined in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century, and the emerging urban economically-oriented "best use" that is now prevailing. The condition pits agriculturalists against urban populations and developers over water rights. The panel will also address instances of governmental legislation that violate laws of Nature in our anthropocentrically biased culture. Presented by the New Mexico Humanities Council and the KiMo Theatre.

FREE program.

**30** **KiMo Theatre** **Friday Fright Nights: The Black Cat (1934)**

Friday  
8 – 9:15 pm

While honeymooning in Hungary, Joan and Peter Allison share a train compartment with Dr. Vitus Verdegast, and courtly but tragic man who is returning to the remains of the town he defended before becoming a prisoner of war for 15 years. When their hotel-bound bus crashes in a mountain storm and Joan is injured, the travelers seek refuge in the home of famed architect Hjalmar Poelzig. The fortress-like home, built on the site of a bloody battlefield, becomes the place where cat-phobic Verdegast learns his wife's fate, grieves for his lost daughter, and plays a game of chess to save Allison's life. Rated R.

**Tickets:** \$5 – 7. Tickets are available at [www.KiMoTickets.com](http://www.KiMoTickets.com). Tickets are also available at the KiMo Box Office, 505-768-3544. Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Concessions will be available.

**31** **Main Library** **Beginning Genealogy: Using Census Records**

Saturday  
10:30 am – Noon

Census records offer a goldmine of information about your family's past. Join experienced genealogist Victoria Sullivan for an overview of where to find them and how to mine them for those fascinating nuggets about your family. For ages 15 and above.

**31** **Main Library** **Summer Reading Program Premiere**

Saturday  
10:30 am – 1 pm

Come and join us for our Summer Reading Program Premiere! Participate in book walks, make crafts, watch a puppet show and much more. All ages welcome.

**ART EXHIBITIONS**

**Albuquerque Museum**

**CLOSING MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>; AFRICAN AMERICAN ART FROM THE PERMANENT COLLECTION**

This small installation in the Works on Paper gallery features drawings, prints, photographs, and paintings by African American artists who live in New Mexico, or have been inspired by the region. The diverse assembly include rarely exhibited treasures from the collection such as prints by Albuquerque-based Rhein Whit-Pritchett, a monumental drawing by Santa Fe based Ron Adams, and a memory painting by Albuquerque artist Reginald Gammon. The installation will also feature recent acquisitions including an image from the series "Blacks in the West" by Los Angeles based photographer Tony Gleaton.

**CLOSING MAY 18<sup>TH</sup>; BEHIND CLOSED DOORS: ART IN THE SPANISH AMERICAN HOME 1492-1898**

*Behind Closed Doors* explores the private lives and interiors of Spain's New World elite from 1492 through the nineteenth century, focusing on the house as a principal repository of fine and decorative art.

Through approximately 160 paintings, sculptures, prints, textiles, and decorative art objects, this exhibition presents for the first time American, European, and Asian luxury goods from everyday life as signifiers of the faith, wealth, taste, and socio-racial standing of their consumers.

The exhibition explores themes including representations of the indigenous and Creole elite, rituals in the home, the sala de estrado (women's sitting room), the bedchamber, and social identity through material culture. *Behind Closed Doors* primarily consists of works from the Brooklyn Museum's world-renowned collections as well as exceptional loans from distinguished institutions and private collectors.

The exhibition is accompanied by a scholarly catalogue with contributions by leading scholars of Colonial Spanish and British American art. *Behind Closed Doors* is organized by Richard Aste, Curator of European Art, Brooklyn Museum.

**EVERYBODY'S NEIGHBOR: VIVIAN VANCE**

This exhibition celebrates the life and times of one of Albuquerque's most famous residents, the late Vivian Vance, of *I Love Lucy* fame, through family memorabilia and the museum's Photoarchives. Open through January 31, 2015

**COMMON GROUND: ART IN NEW MEXICO**

Permanent Exhibition (East Gallery)

A permanent art exhibition highlighting a significant and museum-owned works from the late 19th century to the present day, including some that have never before been viewed by the public.

## **Balloon Museum**

### **CHILDREN OF WAR, VOICES FOR PEACE**

Back by popular demand, this touching exhibition features a little-known footnote in the history of World War II. Japanese schoolchildren were recruited to help create "Fugos"—giant balloons that were armed with bombs and launched across the Pacific.

The only enemy-caused deaths on the North American continent in World War II occurred from the detonation of one of these bombs. The exhibition features the story of one Japanese schoolgirl who later learned that her contribution to her country's safety was an instrument of death, and of her subsequent efforts to promote peace.

### **CHILDREN'S PEACE STATUE**

This statue was dedicated at the Balloon Museum August 4, 2013. The Children's Peace Statue is a monument designed and funded entirely by children. It stands as a symbol of hope for a peaceful future. In the fall of 1989, children of Arroyo del Oso Elementary School in Albuquerque, New Mexico were studying the Arms Race. The children decided that one solution to the problem of war would be to teach young people to work for peace. During their studies, the students learned the story of school children in Japan who built a monument, the Genbaku No Ko No Zo Statue for Children Who Were Victims of the Atomic Bombs. Inspired by the story, the children formed the Kids' Committee for the Children's Peace Statue and made plans to design and build a peace monument of their own.

### **FAI BALLOONING COMMISSION INTERNATIONAL HALL OF FAME**

The Hall of Fame features some 40 existing inductees and recognizes people who have made significant contributions to aerostation. In a private induction ceremony for media and invited guests on September 30, 2011, the following were inducted into the Hall of Fame: Ron Clark, a member of the crew to make the first balloon crossing of the Pacific Ocean; Larry Newman, a co-inventor of the ultra-light airplane and co-captain on the first manned balloon crossing of the Pacific Ocean; Rocky Aoki, a restaurateur and a record-setting balloonist in crossing the Pacific Ocean in a helium balloon; and Olivier Roux Devillas, the founder of the French Aeronautical Federation and competitive balloonist. Past inductees with a New Mexico connection include Sid Cutter, the Balloon Fiesta co-founder, and Maxie Anderson and Ben Abruzzo, two of the three balloonists of the first trans-Atlantic balloon flight.

## **KiMo Theatre**

### **DE LA COCINA AL OJO**

The kitchen and dining room are spaces in which the construction of the relationship between the diner and food, the blending of flavors, tasting and the perception of textures occur. While photography and the kitchen seem to share no bond, however, the relationship to the visual through photography and the connection to the experience of preparing and eating food is connected through the senses of sight, smell and taste. This exhibition blends the experience of the senses in a most wonderful way.

The work of noted Mexican photographer Agustín Casasola is featured. He was one of the founders of the Mexican Association of Press Photographers. This exhibition is presented by the Mexican Consulate. Open through June 14, 2014.

## **South Broadway Cultural Center**

### **CLOSING MAY 30<sup>TH</sup>: SANCTUARY: A PERSONAL JOURNEY**

South Broadway Cultural Center's Gallery presents a new exhibition entitled "Sanctuary," described as a safe haven, or a place offering protection, safety, shelter. The photographic medium is the common bond and point of departure for these fascinating variations on the theme. Drawing on personal references, the artists draw inspiration from storytelling, humor, history, nature, memories and dreams. These notions are expressed in a variety of mixed media, materials and alternate processes, and consider the holistic effect of making images, beyond image capture. Artists whose works will be exhibited are: Patrick Nagatani, Holly Roberts, Joan Fenicle, and Marie Maher. A free public reception for the artists is scheduled for Thursday, April 10<sup>th</sup> from 6 – 8 pm.

## **Library programs for kids, tweens, teens and families...**

### **8 Main Library Kid's Choice Book Awards**

Thursday  
4 – 5 pm

Vote for your favorite books as they battle each other to be named the "best kids' book!" After the competition, join us for Book Bingo and a craft. Ages 6 – 12, no registration required.

### **15 Main Library Book-Inspired Art**

Thursday  
3 – 4 pm

Create a mandala inspired by *Miss Peregrin's Home for Peculiar Children* using vintage photographs. Supplies are limited, so only 10 participants can sign up now by calling 505-768-5136 or stopping by the Youth Desk. For ages 12 – 18.

### **17 South Broadway Library Board Game Day!**

Saturday  
10 am – 5 pm

Bring the whole gang to have fun playing board games together or with others. We supply the games, you supply the fun! All ages welcome.

## **19 Erna Fergusson Library Pajama Storytime**

Monday  
7 – 7:30 pm

Wear your pj's and bring a favorite stuffed animal for Pajama Storytime! Kids of all ages—and their grownups—are invited to attend this fun pre-bedtime event.

## **22 East Mountain Library Teen Chess Tournament**

Thursday  
3:30 – 4:30 pm

Take a relaxing break from school and play chess with your friends at the library. Join other knowledgeable teens and learn about bughouse, coffeehouse, blitz chess and other fun game variants. Learn the basics, or compete with your friends. All levels of players are welcome.

## **Ongoing programs for children and families...**

### **Albuquerque Museum Family Art Workshops**

**Saturdays, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.**

The whole family can explore their creative sides in this fun-for-all-ages workshop. All supplies are provided. Free with general admission.

### **Balloon Museum Stories in the Sky with Laurie Magovern**

**TWO SESSIONS: Wednesdays, 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. and 11 – 11:45 am**

Come soar with us! Every Wednesday year-round the Balloon Museum offers a fabulous free story time, *Stories in the Sky*, led by the very popular Laurie Magovern. Our youngest adventurers and their adult explorers will sail through the seasons with stories, songs, crafts and games designed for 0-6 years old. Parents and grandparents have as much fun as the little ones! Create some fantastic memories; make some handmade crafts while introducing early literacy in a beautiful museum setting. Many families return week after week, declaring, "This is the only storytime I recommend."

## **Ongoing events at your library...**

The following listings are appended as submitted. For information on any of these programs, please contact Kimberly Bruna-Lewis at [kbruna-lewis@cabq.gov](mailto:kbruna-lewis@cabq.gov) or 505-768-5115.

### **Alamosa Library**

**Every Child Ready to Read Preschool Storytime, 3-5 years (pre-readers). Wednesdays.** 10:15am. Enjoy fun stories and songs with Mr. Dave who loves *Pete the Cat* and the *Monster at the End of this Book*.

**Monthly Craft with Tina. Second Wednesday of the month.** 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm. All ages welcome. Join Miss Tina for a fun and creative craft that's guaranteed to get oohs and aahs. No registration required.

**Wii Play. Thursdays.** 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm. Ages 6-12 years welcome. Calling all Wii players for weekly gaming.

**One-on-One Computer Classes. Tuesdays.** 10:00 - 10:45am. Learn basic computer skills. Call 836-0684 for details.

**Gizmo Garage. First Wednesday of the month.** 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm. Learn to check out eBooks with one-on-one instruction.

**Alamosa Fun & Creative Science. Last Wednesday of the month.** 3:30 – 5:00 pm. Ages 8 years and up welcome. Mr. Derald is doing science the fun and creative way. Not for the faint of heart!

**Every Child Ready to Read Baby Storytime, Birth-2 years (pre-talkers). Thursdays.** 10:30a.m. Join Miss Florence for stories, songs, bouncy rhymes and meeting other parents.

### **Cherry Hills Library**

**Book Discussion Group.** 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of each month, 10:30 a.m. - noon. New members are always welcome. The group discusses a fiction or non-fiction title each month. No meeting in January. Check for selected titles at <http://library.cabq.gov/cherryhills>

**Chess Club.** First Saturday of each month, 1 – 3 pm. Join Mr. Rod Avery, coach of the Dennis Chavez Chess Team, for our monthly chess club. No registration required.

**Gizmo Garage.** A drop-in help session for those needing help with eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device and/or laptop. No registration required. Dates and times listed at <http://library.cabq.gov/cherryhills>

## Cherry Hills Library, continued

**ECRR Babies Storytime, Birth – 2 years (pre-talkers).** Wednesdays and Thursdays, 11 am. Join Miss Mercedes for the popular lap-sit program. Hear three fun stories, sing along with old favorites like "Wheels on the Bus" and "Itsy Bitsy Spider," tease Mr. Alligator with the five little monkeys, and don't forget to bring your Sillies to Shake Out!

**ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers).** Wednesdays and Thursdays, 10:15 am. Join Ms. Laura for Preschool Storytime. There's a lot of things to do when you're a preschooler. Join in with favorite songs, share some great stories and top it all off with a craft.

**An Itch to Stitch.** Tuesdays, 10 am – noon. Do you knit, crochet, cross-stitch, needlepoint or latch hook? Bring your stitchery projects to our needlework group. Stitchers of all ages are welcome! Come when you can, on a drop-in basis, to any of our get-togethers. Join our drop-in stitching group! All ages and skill levels welcome!

**Leap into Science.** A science club for ages 6-12. Registration required. Participate in an experiment or activity centered on a single science concept. Dates and times listed at <http://library.cabq.gov/cherryhills>

**Mystery Book Group.** 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month, 6 – 7:30 pm. New members are always welcome. The group discusses a different mystery each month. Check for selected titles at <http://library.cabq.gov/cherryhills>

**One-on-one Computer Sessions.** Optional topics: Introduction to Library Computers, Internet Basics, Email Basics, Introduction to Microsoft Word 2007, Advanced Microsoft Word, Using Library Databases, Downloading Digital Media (eBooks & eAudiobooks). One person per session. Registration required. Visit <http://library.cabq.gov/cherryhills> for more details.

**Preschool Art.** Preschoolers, ages 3-5, join Ms. Laura for stories, play and art. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration required, limited to 15 participants per session. 3 sessions to choose from. Dates and times listed at <http://library.cabq.gov/cherryhills>

**Read to the Dogs.** 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays of each month, 1 - 3 pm. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

**Spanish Literature Group.** New members always welcome. The group has a bilingual discussion of Spanish literature each month. Check for selected titles, dates and times listed at <http://library.cabq.gov/cherryhills>

**TAB.** 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month, 4 – 5 p.m. Teens, become a part of our Teen Advisory Board. Help us make Cherry Hills a great place for teens. For ages 12 – 18.

## East Mountain Library

**ECRR Preschool Storytime,** 3 to 5 years (pre-school). Enjoy storytime for 3-5 year-olds followed by a related craft every Wednesday from 10:30-11:15.

**One on One Computer Sessions.** Thursdays, 11 a.m. – Noon. By appointment only. Topics: Computer Basics for Beginners, Introduction to the Internet, E-mail, Introduction to Word, Resume Writing. Limited to one participant per session. Call or stop by the library to sign up.

**Read to the Dogs Wednesdays.** Weekly, Wednesdays 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

**Read to the Dogs.** Monthly, Second Saturday 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

**Third Thursdays Kid's Crafts.** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month from 4 to 5 p.m., ages 5-13 yrs. Join our staff for a fun seasonal craft which might include painting, cutting, gluing, etc. All materials are provided.

**Third Fridays Teen Crafts.** 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of every month from 3:30-4:30, ages 12-18 yrs. Most materials will be provided. Occasionally teens may need to bring a t-shirt or other personal item to work with.

**Sandia Stitch n' Time.** Monthly, Second Saturday 3:00-5:00 p.m. Do you knit, crochet, cross-stitch, needlepoint or latch hook? Bring your stitchery projects to our afternoon needlework group. Stitchers of all ages are welcome! Come when you can, on a drop-in basis, to any of our get-togethers.

## Erna Fergusson Library

**ECRR Babies Storytime, Birth – 2 years (pre-talkers).** Tuesdays, 10:15 a.m. Stories, songs, and fingerplays for babies and toddlers.

**ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers).** Enjoy storytime for 3-5 year-olds followed by a related craft every Wednesday from 10:15- 11 a.m.

**Music and Movement.** Thursdays at 10:15am – Get moving in the morning! Singing, dancing and instrument play for children and parents of all ages.

**Music and Movement.** Saturdays at 11 am–Get moving in the morning! Singing, dancing and instrument play for children and parents of all ages.

**Lego Club.** For all ages. Join Erna Fergusson's Lego Club every 3rd Saturday from 2:30-4 pm. Use your imagination to create your Lego masterpiece. Finished creations will be displayed in the Youth Services area for the month.

## Ernie Pyle Library

**Storytime resumes in the spring/summer.** For more information call 505-256-2065 or visit [cabq.gov/library](http://cabq.gov/library)

## Juan Tabo Library

**Invention Club:** Meet the first Saturday of every month for inventing challenges. 2:00pm. Ages 6-12.

**Teen Council:** Have fun, have a laugh, have a say -- join the Juan Tabo Teen Council every third Saturday at 2:00. Ages 12-18.

**Beauty and the Beat:** Need more art and music in your life? Join us as we explore and learn about different topics! Ages 6-12

**Computer Classes.** Thursdays, 8:30am-9:55am. Topics: Computer Basics for Beginners, Introduction to the Internet, E-mail, Introduction to Word, and more. Limited to one participant per session. Call or stop by the library to sign up. Space is limited. Register in advance online. Visit [abclibrary.org/juantabo](http://abclibrary.org/juantabo) for the schedule and details.

**Family Reads:** On the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month at 4:00PM, grown-ups and kids meet over a book. Read the book over the month, and come in to chat about it together!

**Read Around New Mexico Book Club.** Come join our New Mexico-themed book club! Each month, we read a book that is either set in NM or that is written by a talented NM author. We meet on the third Thursday of the month at 1:30 pm in the children's area of the library. New members are always welcome!

**Bookworms Book Club.** The Bookworms adult book club meets the second Tuesday of the month in the children's area of the library at 1:30 PM. New members are always welcome! (Note: This club will move its meeting date to the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month at 1:30 in January 2014)

**Crafty Afternoons.** Get your craft on! The second Wednesday of each month from 3-4:30! Ages 10-100. Go to [abclibrary.org/juantabo](http://abclibrary.org/juantabo) to see what we'll be making this month!

**Lego Club.** For kids ages 4 and up, and parents with their younger children. Join Juan Tabo's longstanding Lego Club every second Saturday at 2:00, and every last Wednesday at 3:00. Use your imagination to create your Lego masterpiece. Finished creations will be displayed in the Youth Services area for the month.

**Music and Movement Storytime.** Let's sing, dance, listen to stories and play instruments together! Every Tuesday or Thursday at 10:15 a.m. Same content both days.

**ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers).** Every Tuesday and Thursday at 11:00 a.m we'll travel to wonderful lands like Spain, Egypt, Russia, Australia, and Argentina, with side trips for tall tales, stories about bears, practice with ABCs and counting, and so much more! Learn Frère Jacques in many languages, and choose your own animals for Old McDonald's farm. Each Friday takes us to a different passport stop!

**Gizmo Garage.** A drop-in help session for those needing technical support with eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device/laptop or test out the devices we have on hand. No registration required. Once a month. Check [abclibrary.org/juantabo](http://abclibrary.org/juantabo) for dates and times.

## Lomas Tramway Library

**Every Child Ready to Read (ECRR) Family Storytime.** Join us for stories, songs, rhymes and movement. Thursdays at 10:30 am September through April. All ages are welcome to join Miss Cheryl and enjoy books, songs, rhymes and movement activities! No registration required; groups of 5 or more, please call ahead.

**Graphic Novel Book Club.** 1st Saturday of each month, 2-2:30. Adult discussion of this very popular format of writing. New title each month.

**Lomas Tramway Book Group.** Join us on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of every month from 2:00 pm to 3:15 pm. New members are always welcome. No registration required. Please see our web site or call 291-6295 for the upcoming titles.

**Read to the Dogs.** Join us on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month from 1-3 pm. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

**Kids Craft with Miss Sophy.** third WEDNESDAY of each month at 11:00 am and new craft especially for the little ones. Hands on projects that Mom and the kids can enjoy.

**Origami Co – Op.** 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays at 3:30 – 4:30. Bring your own project to share, or just come to learn.

**Family Movie Series.** Fourth Saturdays at 4:00. See our web site or call 291-6295 for more information.

**Stitch Club "String Theory".** 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month, knit, purl, hook or stitch.

**Music by the Mountain.** We have everything from singing to harps, guitars to drums. Come and enjoy an evening of pure relaxation. Events vary, usually on the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month. Call ahead for schedule, 291-9295.

## Los Griegos Library

**Wandering Gypsies Book Group.** Fourth Friday of the month 3:00 – 4:30 pm.

**Magical Mysteries Tour Book Club.** Third Saturday of the month, 3:00 – 4:30 pm. Travelers of every means and method are invited to attend this book club devoted to exploring our world through mysteries.

**Art Exhibit:** Display changes monthly.

**Talk to the Artist:** Visit with this month's featured artist(s). Last Friday of the month 11 am - 1 pm.

**ECRR Baby Storytime.** Every Wednesday from 11:15 – 11:45 am. Birth to 2 (pre-talkers) Help your child develop early literacy skills in a fun environment using books, rhymes, songs and fingerplays.

**ECRR Preschool Storytime.** Every Thursday from 11:15 – 11:45 am. For 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Stories, learning games, songs, puppets and artwork.

**Read to the Dogs.** Every Wednesday, 3:00 - 4:30 pm, and the Third Thursday of each month, 3:00 - 4:30 pm. Children can practice their reading with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story.

**One-on-One Gizmo Sessions.** Sign up at the Information Desk for a one-on-one session to get help with borrowing eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device and/or laptop.

## Main Library

**ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers).** Join us every Wednesday at 10:30 am for stories, films and crafts.

**ECRR Baby Storytime, Birth to 2 years (pre-talkers).** Join us every Thursday at 10:30 am for stories, songs and rhymes.

**Music and Movement Storytime Mondays.** Let's sing, dance, listen to stories and play instruments together! Join us every Monday at 10:30 am.

**One-on-one Computer Classes.** Thursday 2 and 3 p.m. Learn basic computer skills. Registration is required. Please stop by the info desk or call 768-5141 during business hours for more information or to register. Call or sign up at the library.

## Main Library, continued

**Read to the Dogs.** Join us on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month at 1 pm. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Trained therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

**Wide World of Mystery Book Group.** Join us on the last Friday of each month from Noon – 1 pm. Bring your lunch and discuss. New members always welcome.

**Writing Consultations.** Albuquerque Community Writing Center (ABQCWC) provides free one-to-one writing consultations. Join ABQCWC every Saturday 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. on the first floor of the library.

**The Saturday Special.** Join us for stoytimes, crafts, or puppet shows every Saturday at 10:30 am. Call the Main Library's Children's Room at 768-5136 to find out what this Saturday's special event will be. Main Library Children's Room.

## North Valley Library

Now open, new activities listings will be available soon.

## San Pedro Library

**Every Child Ready to Read® Preschool Storytime,** 3 to 5 years (pre-readers). Thursday mornings at 11:30 a.m. For more information call 505-256-2067 or visit [cabq.gov/library](http://cabq.gov/library)

**Adult Storytime,** Adult. Last Saturday's of each month at 3:30 p.m. For more information call 505-256-2067 or visit [cabq.gov/library](http://cabq.gov/library)

## South Broadway Library

**Craft Time Wednesdays.** All ages. Join us for a variety of crafts once a month. Please call 764-1742 for details.

**ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers).** Join us on Wednesdays at 10:30 am. Stories, songs, poems and more!

**Read to the Dogs.** Every Thursday, 4pm. Children have an opportunity to read to registered therapy dogs in a relaxed atmosphere, giving them practice reading out loud without fear of judgment. It's a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading. First come, first serve.

**ECRR Family Storytime,** all ages. Join us every Saturday at 10:30 am. Stories, crafts, and fun for the family.

**Gizmo Garage.** A drop-in help session for those needing technical support with eBooks, eAudiobooks and eVideos from the library. Bring your device/laptop or test out the devices we have on hand. No registration required. Once a month. Check [library.cabq.gov/southbroadway](http://library.cabq.gov/southbroadway) for dates and times.

**One-on-one computer help.** Before the library opens, 9:15-10 am, Tu-Sa. Sign up at the desk or call 764-1742 to schedule your session.

## South Valley Library

**ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers).** Join us for stories, songs and fingerplays. Wednesdays at 10:30 am. Storytime runs August-December and January-May.

**Read to the Dogs.** Join us on the first Tuesday of each month from 3pm-5pm. Children can come to the library and practice their reading in a relaxed atmosphere with a patient listener. Registered therapy dogs will sit calmly and quietly for a story. This is a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading.

**KidCrafts.** First Thursday of the month @ 3:30. Age group: Children. Join us for a variety of crafts, games, art-making, and other surprises.

**Thursday Night Fiber Fever.** Join us on the last Thursday of each month from 5-7 pm. Work on your knitting, crochet or other fiber projects in the company of like-minded fiber enthusiasts. All ages and skill levels welcome!

## South Valley Library, continued

**Gizmo Garage.** A drop-in help session for those needing technical support with eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device/laptop or test out the devices we have on hand. No registration required. Once a month. Check [library.cabq.gov/southvalley](http://library.cabq.gov/southvalley) for dates and times.

**Book Discussion Group.** Meets one Saturday @ 12pm per month, every other month. 2013 schedule: January, March, May, July, September, November. For specific dates and selected titles, please visit [library.cabq.gov/southvalley](http://library.cabq.gov/southvalley).

**Employment Counseling.** Join us for free employment counseling sessions and get expert advice on writing resumes and preparing for interviews. Third Thursday of the month from 2pm – 4pm.

## Special Collections Library

**Weekly Library Tour.** Join us every Thursday at 12:00 pm for a tour of the Special Collections Library. The Special Collections Library of the Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Libraries houses research collections on Albuquerque history and New Mexico history and culture. The 1925 Pueblo/Spanish Revival-style building is a registered Albuquerque landmark in the historic Huning-Highlands neighborhood. As a research library, materials are available for in-house use only. Photocopiers are available. Parking is available on Edith and other residential streets.

**Third Thursday Grab Bag.** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month, afternoons or early evenings. Join us for a film, some music, or a chance to explore what makes our Special Collections so Special. Programs and start times will vary, so please see [abclibrary.org/specialcollections](http://abclibrary.org/specialcollections) for details.

**Gizmo Garage.** 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of each month, 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. A drop-in help session for those needing help with eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eVideos from the library. Bring your device and/or laptop. No registration required. For information on parking, etc., please see [abclibrary.org/specialcollections](http://abclibrary.org/specialcollections).

## Taylor Ranch Library

**ECRR Family Storytime.** Join us on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome for stories, songs, poems, and games.

**ECRR Baby Storytime, Birth to 2 years (pre-talkers).** Join us Fridays at 10:30 a.m. for a lapsit storytime for ages 0-2. Stories, learning games, songs, puppets, movement activities, and fun for everyone!

**A Good Yarn.** Fridays from 2:00-3:30 p.m. If you enjoy knitting, crocheting, or other needle craft, join our drop-in stitch group. Ages 12 and up. Intermediate skills and above, please. Feel free to come when you can and leave as needed.

**One on One Computer Sessions.** Optional topics: Computer Basics, Internet Basics, Email, or other instruction on a need basis. One person per session. Registration is required. Visit [abclibrary.org/taylorranch](http://abclibrary.org/taylorranch) for details.

**Taylor Ranch Book Group.** Meets the second Saturday of each month from 2:00-3:30 p.m. New members are always welcome.

## Tony Hillerman Library

**LEGO Adventures** for all ages. monthly, 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday, 2 p.m. Come and build with us. All LEGOs are provided. Since we don't want you to lose your favorite pieces, please leave your LEGOs at home.

**Origami Adventures** for ages 5-99. monthly, 2nd Saturday, 2 p.m. If you like to fold paper, drop in on the 2nd Saturday of every month to learn a new origami project.

**Bobbin Lace.** 2nd Saturday, 12 p.m.-4 p.m. Bobbin Lace Demonstrations by the Enchanted Lacemakers of Albuquerque. For more information call 505-291-6264.

### **ECRR Preschool Storytime, 3 to 5 years (pre-readers).**

Wednesday or Thursday mornings @ 10:30. Stories, rhymes, fingerplays & more. Groups of 5 or more, please call 291-6264 if you plan to join us.

**Music and Movement Storytime, 0-5 years.** Get moving and grooving with stories, fingerplays, musical instruments and more. Saturdays at 10:30 am. For more information call 505-291-6264.

## Tony Hillerman Library, continued

**Read to the Dogs.** Would your child like a patient, attentive friend to read to? Read to the Dogs provides an opportunity for your child to read to registered therapy dogs in a relaxed atmosphere. The dogs sit calmly and quietly for a story. Children can practice reading out loud without fear of judgment. It's a great way for children to gain confidence in their reading. 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month at 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

**Hillerman Stitching Club.** Tuesdays, 11 a.m.- 1 p.m. If you enjoy knitting, crocheting, or any other stitching type craft—you are invited to join our drop-in stitching club. All ages and skill levels welcome. For more information call 505-291-6264.

**Who Dunit? Mystery Book Club.** Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month. 3 – 4 pm. New members always welcome. For more information call 505-291-6264.

**Art Around the World,** 6-14 years. Last Friday, 11 a.m. or 4 p.m. Each month we will create an art project from a different part of the world. Registration Required. Call 291-6264--space is limited. Registration begins the day after the previous month's program.

**Poetry Around the World, 10-Adult.** 3rd Thursday, 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. Each month we will explore a new style of poetry from a different part of the world. *Adults are also encouraged to attend. Registration is not required, but if you would like a reminder call, please register online.* For more information and to register call 291-6264.

**Book Discussion Group.** Last Wednesday of each month, 1 p.m. New members are always welcome. The group discusses a fiction or non-fiction title each month. Check for selected titles at [http://abclibrary.org/tony\\_hillerman](http://abclibrary.org/tony_hillerman)

## Westgate Library

**Every Child Ready to Read Preschool Storytime, 3-5 years (pre-readers). Tuesdays.** 10:30am. Enjoy fun stories and rhymes with Mr. Tim.

**One-on-One Basic Computer classes. Wednesdays.** 10:00 - 11:00am. Learn basic computer skills. Call 833-6984 for details.

**Monthly Craft with Jackie. Third Friday of the month.** 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm. All ages welcome. Join Jackie for a fun and creative craft that's sure to be a hit! No registration required.

**Gizmo Garage. Third Wednesday of the month.** 11:00 - 11:45am. Learn how to check out eBooks with one-on-one instruction.

## VENUES

### ABQ BIOPARK

#### Aquarium/Botanic Garden

2601 Central Ave. NW Phone: (505) 764-6200 Intersection of Central and New York Avenues, just east of the Central Bridge.  
Open Daily 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

#### Zoo

903 Tenth Street SW Phone: (505) 768-2000 south of Lead and Coal and north of Bridge Blvd.

Open every day of the week, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Admission to Albuquerque Aquarium, Botanic Garden and Zoo: Adult (13-64): \$12.50; seniors 65+ \$5.50; children 3 – 12 years \$4.

#### Tingley Beach

1800 Tingley Drive SW Phone: 311 locally or (505) 768-2000

### Albuquerque Museum

2000 Mountain Road NW (505) 243-7055

Hours: Tuesday – Sunday 9 am – 5 pm

### Balloon Museum

9201 Balloon Museum Drive NE (505) 768-6020

Hours: Tuesday – Sunday 9 am – 5 pm

### KiMo Theatre

423 Central Avenue NW Business Office (505) 768-3522/Box Office 768-3544

Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11 am – 8 pm; Sunday 11 am – 3 pm

### South Broadway Cultural Center

1025 Broadway Blvd. SE (505) 848-1320 (3 blocks north of Avenida Cesar Chavez)

## **ABC LIBRARIES**

### **Main Library**

501 Copper Avenue NW (505) 768-5131

Hours: Monday/Thursday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Tuesday & Wednesday 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **Alamosa Library**

6900 Gonzales SW (505) 836-0084

Hours: Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

### **Cherry Hills Library**

6901 Barstow NE (505) 857-8321

Hours: Monday/Tuesday 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Wednesday - Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Sunday 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

### **East Mountain Library**

1 Old Tijeras Road, Tijeras (505) 281-8508 (Next to the Post Office)

Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Thursday 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **Erna Fergusson Library**

3700 San Mateo NE (505) 888-8100

Hours: Monday - Thursday 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

### **Ernie Pyle Library**

900 Girard SE (505) 256-2065

Hours: Tuesday/Thursday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **Juan Tabo Library**

3407 Juan Tabo NE (505) 291-6260

Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Thursday - Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

### **Lomas Tramway Library**

908 Eastridge NE (505) 291-6295

Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Thursday - Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

### **Los Griegos Library**

1000 Griegos Road NW (505) 761-4020

Hours: Tuesday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday/Thursday 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **North Valley Library**

7704 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW (505) 897-8823

Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Thursday 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **San Pedro Library**

5600 Trumbull SE (505-256-2067

Hours: Tuesday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday & Thursday 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **South Broadway Library**

1025 Broadway Blvd SE (505) 764-1742

Hours: Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

### **South Valley Library - CLOSED FOR REPAIRS**

3904 Isleta SW (505) 877-5170

Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Thursday 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **Special Collections Library**

423 Central NE (505) 848-1376

Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Tuesday - Saturday

### **Taylor Ranch Library**

5700 Bogart Street NW (505) 897-8816

Hours: Monday - Thursday 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Friday/Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

### **Tony Hillerman Library**

8205 Apache NE (505) 291-6264

Hours: Tuesday/Wednesday 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Thursday - Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Sunday 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

### **Westgate Library**

1300 Delgado SW (505) 833-6984

Hours: Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.