



# Parks and Recreation Department OPEN SPACE VISITOR CENTER

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connecting people to place



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# 2015

## GALLERY EXHIBIT SERIES

## TRADITIONS

## GARDEN LECTURE SERIES



### HOME COMPOSTING BASICS

**Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1:30 - 3:30 pm**

Consider the wealth of vitamins, minerals and energy of yard & kitchen waste. Gardeners will attest to the value of such amendments. This introduction to effective composting systems for our dry New Mexico climate is presented by Master Composters. *Traditions Garden Lecture Series continues with Acequia history, Weed cuisine and more.*

### KITCHEN HERBS FOR HEALTH

**Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup>**

**11:00 am - 1:30 pm**

**Dara Saville, Instructor**

Get to know common kitchen herbs in a whole new way - so much more than powder from a jar. Get tips for growing kitchen herbs that will thrive in our southwestern gardens and add beauty to your outdoor landscape. Discussion of their culinary and medicinal uses.

[www.albuquerqueherbalism.com](http://www.albuquerqueherbalism.com)  
Traditions Garden Lecture Series



### IN THE GALLERY

April - June

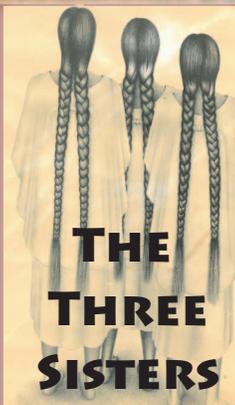
### EXHIBIT PROGRAMS

For centuries, from Mesoamerica to the American Southwest, peoples in this region have found sustenance in the basic foods presented in the exhibit Three Sisters: Corn, Beans and Squash. This trio provided complete nutrition to the earliest residents of this region.

*In conjunction with this exhibit, there is a series of programs that bring to life centuries-old traditions.*

*This Month "A New Look at the Three Sisters"*

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### A New Look at the Three Sisters

**Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup> 1 - 3 pm Isaura Andaluz**

Create new families for your pollinators and your palate this summer. Bring a pencil drawing of your planting area and learn to create a variation on the Three Sisters that works for you. FREE

### Contemplative Collage with Dante Jericho

**Saturday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> 1:00 - 4:00 pm**

This is the final class of Dante's in New Mexico. Experience the magic of Contemplative Collage - Wielding scissor and glue stick, students create their collages then delve into the messages nestled within.

Online registration: [www.dantejericho.com](http://www.dantejericho.com)

Or call (505) 897-8831 to register. Fee is \$50.00, cash or check only, includes OSA donation



### Bosque Wild Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> 9 am

Spring migrations begin in late April, making for excellent birdwatching. Snow melts flow into the Rio Grande. Join us on this guided walk along the river and see what and who make up this unique riverside forest. FREE

**Grateful Life Yoga** Begin your Sunday with an outdoor meditation followed by YOGA. Every Sunday, 9 am \$15. First class is \$5 and punch cards offer a discount, Class fees include a donation to the Open Space Alliance.

Seed Blossom Art



**OPENSACE  
GIFT SHOP**

Saturdays & Sundays 10 - 4



Look for the "Flyway"

6500 Coors Blvd NW Albuquerque, NM 87120

between Montano & Paseo del Norte at the end of Bosque Meadows Rd.

Tuesday - Sunday • 9:00 am - 5:00 pm • 897-8831 •

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