



Casa San Ysidro: Gutierrez / Minge House
[973 Old Church Road, Corrales, NM 87048](https://www.casasanysidro.org/)

August 14th, 2021
1:00 - 3:00 P.M.

Virtual 2nd Saturday: The Spanish History of Blacksmiths

Event Order

Event: The Spanish History of Blacksmiths

Date: Saturday, 8/14/2021

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Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88974012433>

Event Type: Virtual 2nd Saturday

Time: 1:00 - 3:00 P.M.

Email: desert.dawg.art@gmail.com

Guests: Zoom (no registration)

Rental: No

Partners

Dave Sabo



Event Summary

Herreros, or Spanish blacksmiths, were highly valued members of Spanish expeditions to New Mexico. Their most common function was to shoe horses and repair armor, horse gear, firearms, and small tools. As more colonists arrived, blacksmiths turned their attention to providing domestic goods such like griddles, roasting spits, ladles, and knives.

Join us Saturday March 14th, as Dave Sabo, a local blacksmith skilled in the traditional methods of herreros, describes some of the early iron manufacturing and blacksmithing practices that were used in New Mexico.

Schedule

1:00 PM

Lecture

Q & A

Throughout presentation

2:15 PM

Discussion



Dave Sabo

Dave Sabo is a New Mexico native, born and raised in and around Albuquerque. Son of one of the most prolific southwestern painters and sculptors Betty Sabo, he follows in a tradition of family artists. Dave is contemporary blacksmith and artist with a deep knowledge of Spanish Colonial blacksmithing. He utilizes a forge, anvil, and hammer along with techniques developed by old time blacksmiths to create his art. Each piece is an original work combining iron, stone, glass or wood. He is one of the few blacksmith artists in NM whose work encompasses hand forged metal to capture truly unique art forms, symbolic of New Mexico's heritage.

Dave lives in Corrales, NM with his wife and 2 dogs. He is the past Vice President of the Southwest Artist Blacksmith Association. His work can be seen at Chumani Gallery, 2839 State Hwy 14, Madrid NM, and occasionally at art events in Corrales. His knowledge and technique has been consistently demonstrated through the UNM Continuing Education program, Blacksmithing Basics, at Casa San Ysidro.



Zoom Link

Albuquerque Museum is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

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Time: Aug 14, 2021 01:00 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

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