

HCVC News

September 2023

Valencia
County
High School
Football
Schedules

HCVC GOLF TOURNAMENT

Welcome New Members

Enjoy your FREE complimentary copy

Who We Are

Mission

Preserving Valencia County traditions by promoting and enhancing local business development through civic, social, cultural, and employment training programs.

About Us

The chamber's ultimate goal is to create economic development. It believes that an educated workforce is a more productive workforce and that ultimately makes Valencia County a great place to start a business or attract existing companies.

HCVC holds its "World's Largest Matanza" each January as a way to raise money to provide college scholarships to Valencia County college students. To date, the event has raised more than \$130-thousand dollars in scholarships and helped more than 200 students meet part of their financial needs.

Join Our Team

Email: board@hispanochambervc.org

Hispano Chamber of Valencia County
P.O. Box 539
Belen, NM 87002
(505) 554-4566

Email: board@hispanochambervc.org





Dear Member:

I am very pleased to welcome you personally as a member of the Hispano Chamber of Valencia County. We are an active Chamber that looks to advance its members' growth and prosperity, and provide increased opportunities and value for its membership. The Chamber advocates for and unites the business community. I encourage you to utilize the many services offered by the Chamber.

You will be receiving notices to the mixers and luncheons with informative guest speakers listing the date, place, and time. A monthly News Letter is sent out with business information within the entire community. Chamber programs and events to include the Annual Installation Banquet, Golf Tournament and the World's Largest Matanza! The Matanza has an attendance of 9,000 guests from around the country. Scholarships are awarded from the funds raised.

The Hispano Chamber of Valencia County offers many opportunities for you to be active and involved to include networking with other members and promoting your business. Contact the Chamber staff and they will help you customize your membership to your needs. If you don't have time to attend meetings and events, know that we are here for you and your business and will continue to be your resource for information and assistance. Call the Chamber at 505.321-5989. Find us on Facebook [facebook.com/worldlargestmatanza](https://www.facebook.com/worldlargestmatanza).

Enclosed is a Membership application. Please complete and forward to the Chamber office at your earliest convenience. Your membership is vital to our success.

Once we receive your dues, your membership plaque will be given to you at our next lunch meeting or event. This is also an excellent photo opportunity for you and your business and will be advertised on our website and our monthly news letter.

Welcome! Thank you again for your membership. We look forward to seeing you at Chamber functions.

Sincerely,

Bob "Lucky" Lucero
President
2022-2023



P.O. Box 539
 Belen, NM 87002
 Telephone (505) 865-8566
www.hispanochambervc.org
valenciamatanza@gmail.com

The primary function of the Hispano Chamber of Valencia County is promoting the Hispanic business owner/individual. However, it is not limited to only the Hispanic community.

The objectives of the Hispano Chamber of Valencia County are to preserve the competitive enterprise system by promoting economic growth and development through programs that strengthen area business. The Hispano Chamber will also participate in civic, social, and cultural programs designed to foster business expansion, job development, and community growth.

I, _____ d/b/a _____, personally believe in the objects set forth above and hereby make application to join the **Hispano Chamber of Valencia County** and tender my membership fee for one year.

Business Members:		Corporate Members:	
<u>1-10 Employees</u>	\$200	Bronze	\$2,000
11+ Employees	\$300	Silver	\$3,000
Individual Members:	\$50	Gold	\$5,000
Non Profit Organizations:		Available:	
1-10 Individuals	\$150	Bronze, Silver or Gold Plus Memberships.	
11+Individuals	\$300		

 (Business Name) (Email)

 (Owner/Manger/Contact Person) (Email)

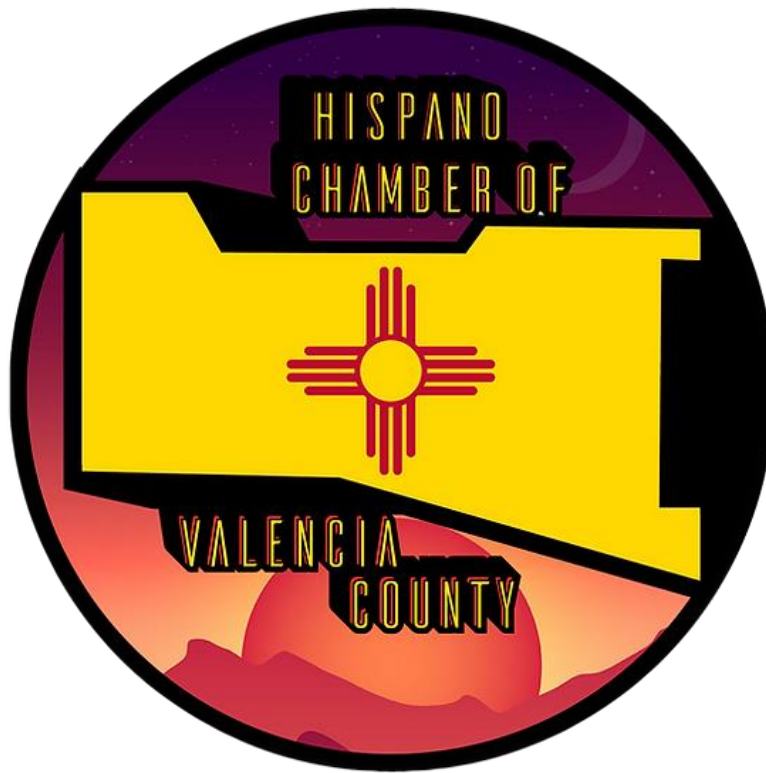
 (Business Address) (Website)

 (Mailing Address) (Date)

 (Telephone Number) (Number of Employees)

 (Fax Number) (Business Category)

Referred by: _____



HCVC 2023 - 2024 Calendar

January 2024	February 2024	March 2024	April 2024
<p>Weekly Meetings for Matanza</p> <p>Thursday, January 11, 2024 Thursday, January 18, 2024 Thursday, January 25, 2024</p> <p>Matanza January 27, 2024, 6am-3pm Open web scholarship application</p>	<p>Review of Matanza event New Ideas for following year</p> <p>Feb 8, 2024 - Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Scholarship Apps determination Total number of Scholarships To be given out Federal Fees Due</p> <p>Mar 20, 2024, After Hours Mixer 5:00pm-8:00pm</p> <p>March 14, 2024 Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Start Matanza Logo Scholarship deadline - April 15, 2024 How many for each school?</p> <p>TBD, HCVC Golf Tourney, Isleta Golf Course</p> <p>April 11, 2024 - Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>
May 2024	June 2024	July 2024	August 2023
<p>Graduations, Board Members</p> <p>May 29, 2024 Scholarship luncheon Hand out Certificates at reception Start Sponsorship handouts Due State Fees</p> <p>May 9, 2024 - Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Finalize Sponsorship Handout Discussion of Venue change Finalize Venue Finalize Matanza Logo Nominations</p> <p>June 13, 2024 - Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>New Board Start looking for Sponsorship Brainstorm for Sponsorship</p> <p>July 20, 2024, Installation Banquet 5:00pm-12:00am</p> <p>July 11, 2024- Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Sponsorships</p> <p>August 10, 2024 - New Board Retreat August 17, 2023, 5:30pm-7:30pm New Board, first meeting</p>
September 2023	October 2023	November 2023	December 2023
<p>Matanza Committee Selection</p> <p>Sponsorships</p> <p>Saturday, September 30, 2023, Rio Abajo Days, 10am-4pm</p> <p>Sept 14, 2023 - Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Start working on Matanza Tents Waste Disposal Hogs Shirts Ideas for Ads.</p> <p>Wednesday, October 18, 2023 After Hours Mixer, 6:00pm-8:00pm The</p> <p>October 12, 2023 - Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Matanza Planning Matanza Layout Vendors Sponsors Finalize Security Plan Start ads for Matanza</p> <p>Saturday, November 4, 2023, Golf Tourney@ Tierra Del Sol, Tee Time: 11:00am</p> <p>November 9, 2023 - Board Meeting, 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Dec 17th Bi weekly meetings start.</p> <p>Wednesday, December 13, 2023 - Board Meeting, 10:30am-11:30am Wednesday, December 13, 2023 Holiday Luncheon and Board meeting, 11:30am-1:30pm, Teofilos Los Lunas</p>

Food Drive

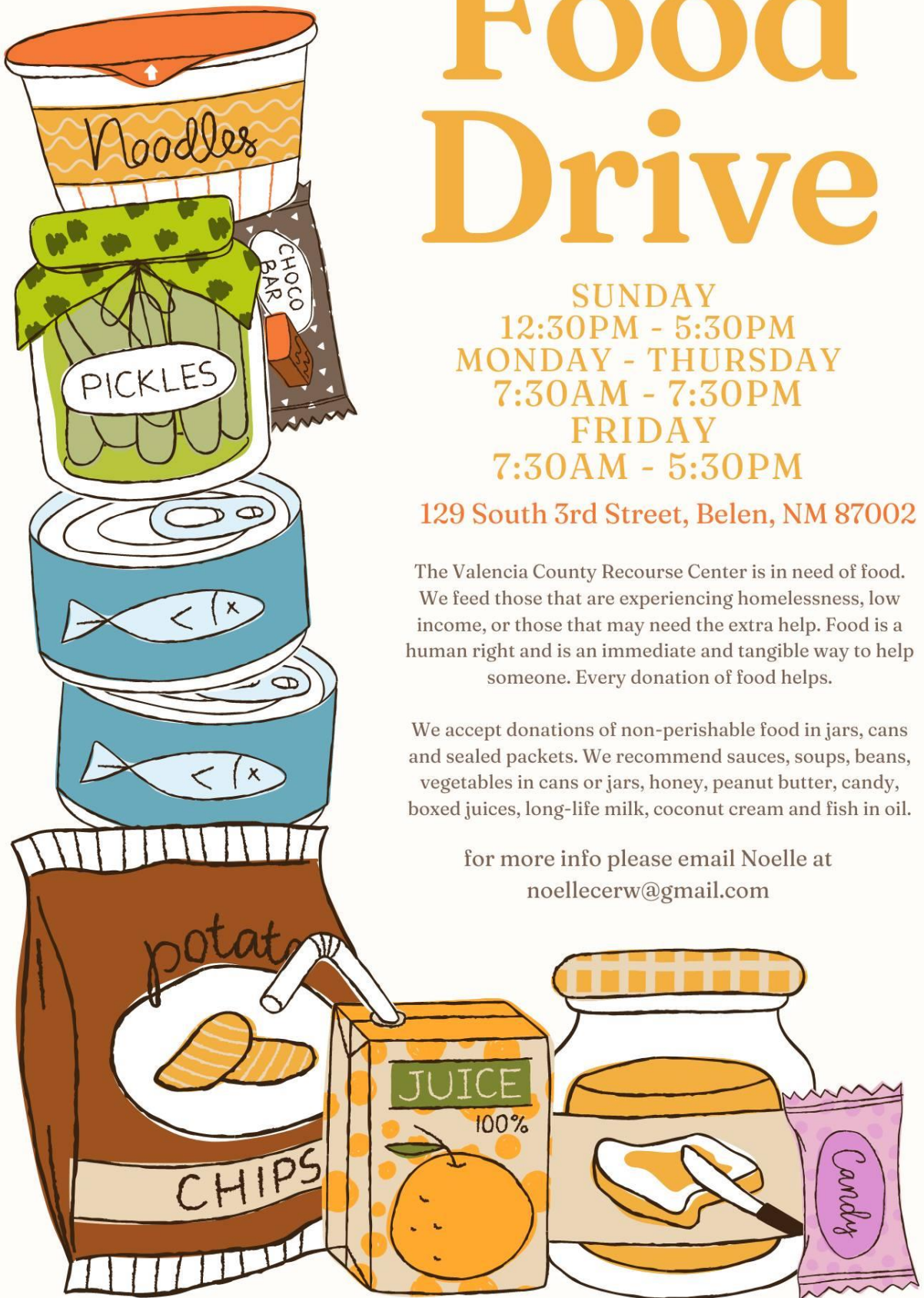
SUNDAY
12:30PM - 5:30PM
MONDAY - THURSDAY
7:30AM - 7:30PM
FRIDAY
7:30AM - 5:30PM

129 South 3rd Street, Belen, NM 87002

The Valencia County Recourse Center is in need of food. We feed those that are experiencing homelessness, low income, or those that may need the extra help. Food is a human right and is an immediate and tangible way to help someone. Every donation of food helps.

We accept donations of non-perishable food in jars, cans and sealed packets. We recommend sauces, soups, beans, vegetables in cans or jars, honey, peanut butter, candy, boxed juices, long-life milk, coconut cream and fish in oil.

for more info please email Noelle at
noellecerw@gmail.com



HISPANO CHAMBER OF VALENCIA COUNTY ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Saturday, November 4, 2023
11:00 AM Shotgun Start



**1000 Golf Course Rd.
Rio Communities, NM 87002
Contact Lucky Lucero
c141bob@gmail.com
For more information**

YOU'RE INVITED TO ATTEND THE

Art Sale Fundraiser



September 4th, 2023

9:00am - 12:00pm

506 Becker Ave, Belen, NM 87002

all proceeds go to VentureLab to help
the youth further their businesses

For any questions please email hzasgrantmanager@gmail.com



VALENCIA COUNTY EARLY CHILDHOOD COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP



THURSDAY

September 7

11:00AM - 1:00PM

Los Lunas Transportation Dept.
101 Courthouse Rd.
Los Lunas, NM 87031





Registration is now open!

PE0102- Introduction to Conversational German

SPRECHEN SIE DEUTSCH?

Learn a new language!

No homework / No tests / No credit / Just fun!

Learn the basics of the German language; numbers, days of the week, months of the year, colors, money, telling time and commonly used German expressions. Perfect for travelers, business people, or anyone looking to learn a new language or improve their German language skills.

Six weeks / Twice a week

Come Tuesday morning (9:30 to 10:30) or Thursday evening (6:00 to 7:00) or Come both Tuesday and Thursday

The more you come, the more you'll learn!!

Dates: September 5 - October 12

Days & Times: Tuesdays, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. or Thursdays, 6-7 p.m.

Location: UNM-Valencia Workforce Training Center Room

Instructor: Betty Follett

Cost: \$51

For more information call 505-925-8654

To register:

Payment due at time of registration.

Online with credit card: <https://tinyurl.com/yy7ws573>

Or

**The UNM-Valencia Workforce Training Center 1020 Huning
Ranch East Loop SW, Los Lunas, NM 87031**



Annual Community Plant Swap



Join Trees That Please for their first annual Community Plant Swap!

All are welcome to bring in plants they no longer want, share cuttings of their own, or trade with others! Don't have any plants? Feel free to come hangout!

Date: September 9, 2023

Time: 10am – 1 pm

Location: Trees That Please Nursery
3084 NM-47, Los Lunas, NM, 87031

This event is free to the general public! However, we have limited space. If you would like to secure a spot for you and your plants feel free to register down below. (payment is not required to participate in plant swap, only to secure a table).

Keep in mind:

- Plants and cuttings must be pest free.
- Trees That Please is not responsible for pests, disease, or rot in plants, traded/bought during the swap.
- Payment is not required.
- Have fun!

HOORAY!

**It's Youth
Appreciation DAY!**

September 9, 2023
At 360 Rio Communities Blvd.

Presented by:
Rio Communities Optimist Club

Parents can come and watch (or volunteer to help)
From 10 AM until Noon

LOTS of Games and Fun Activities All Free

Ice Cream Sundaes and Popcorn
All Children Welcome! Come Have some Fun!



Registration is now open!

PE0104 - Earn Money as a Writer

Educational publishers need writers for nonfiction books and novels, test passages and questions, lesson plans, and more. This is a great opportunity for teachers, former teachers, and strong writers looking for part-time work.

Learn about the opportunities in educational publishing, what makes a good work-for-hire writer, how to approach publishers, and how to produce a good resume and writing sample.

This workshop is being offered both in person and online.

Date: Saturday, September 9, 2023

Time: 1 - 5 p.m.

Cost: \$90

To Register and pay online:
<https://tinyurl.com/yy7ws573>

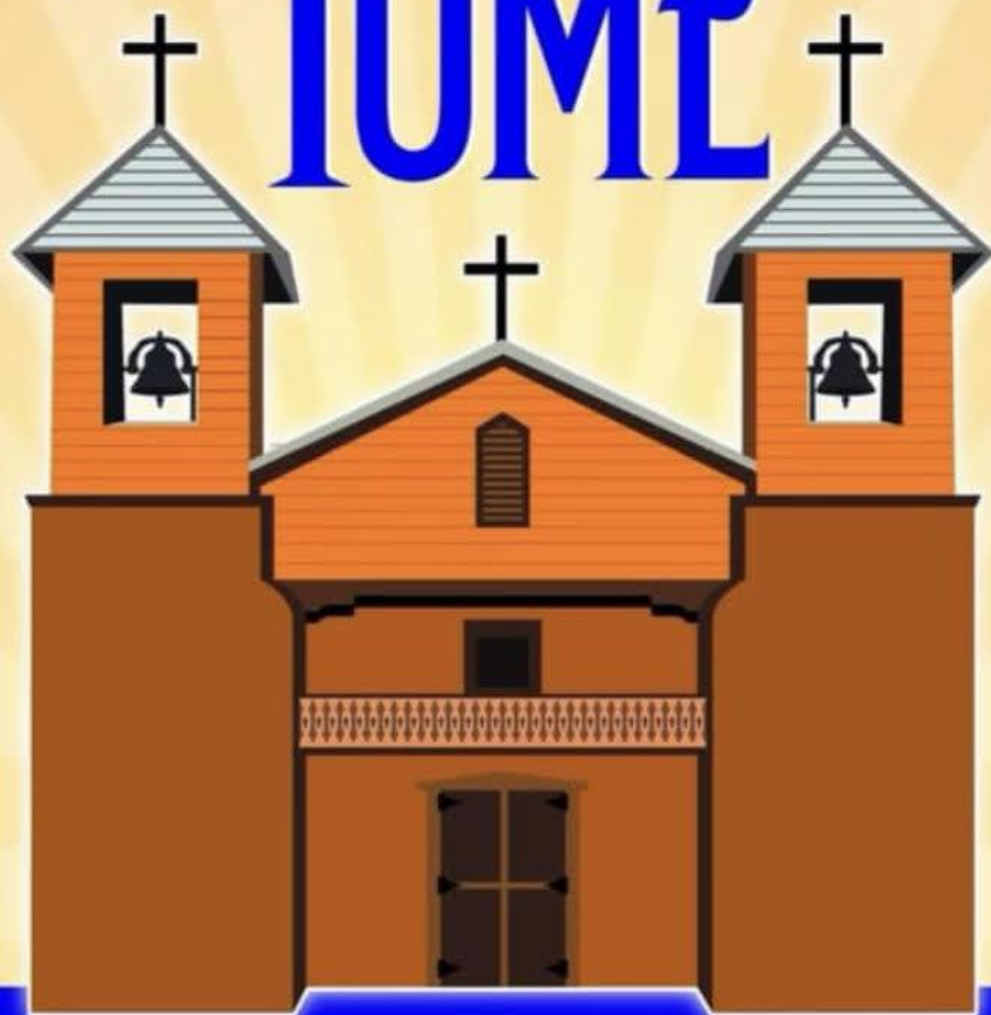


To Register and pay with Cash or Check

Please Stop By

**The UNM-Valencia Workforce Training Center
1020 Huning Ranch East Loop SW, Los Lunas, NM 87031**

FIESTAS DE TOMÉ



SUNDAY, SEPT. 10TH 2023
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
TOMÉ • NEW MEXICO



45th Annual Conference on Aging!

September 12–13, 2023

Re—acquaint...Re—Connect...Re—commit...

This HYBRID conference will
highlight *regional watch parties!*

REGISTER NOW at
<https://coa.altsd.state.nm.us/>

Featuring!

Governor Michelle Lujan-Grisham

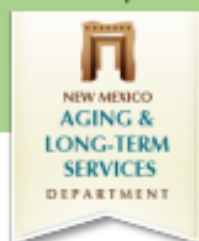
Lieutenant Governor Howie Morales

Secretary Katrina Hotrum-Lopez

Keynote Speakers

Bill Benson, Benson has held senior leadership positions in the U.S. Congress, the U.S. Administration on Aging, and the California Department of Aging.

Audrey Hererra-Castillo Audrey is a native New Mexican, born and raised in Santa Fe. She began a career in state government through a high school work study program. In 2018, she retired as deputy cabinet secretary from the NM Tourism Department with 30 years of service.



Tentative Conference Workshop Titles

A Glimpse inside Parkinson's Disease
AARP Veteran, Military & Families Program—An Overview
Aging and Vision Loss
Cannabis Use and Older Individuals
Caring for Our Wisdom Keepers: Supporting Native Elders
Common Legal Issues for Senior Citizens
Cyber Safety 101
DETERMINED to improve nutrition status and decrease falls risk as we age
Elder Abuse in New Mexico: Prevention, Intervention and Harm Reduction
Falling and Hearing Loss: Are they connected?
Falls and Cognition: Considerations for prevention and intervention
Grief as a Risk Factor for Abuse: Why the Grieving are at Higher Risk
Home and Personal Safety
How Medicare Works With The Indian Health Service
Intro to your iPad/iPhone
Let's Talk About Fall Prevention: Preparing for a Visit with Your Doctor
Let's Talk About Respite
Making the Most of Medicare: Preparing for Fall Open Enrollment
Managing Money - A Caregivers Guide to Finances
Medicare 101
Medicare 101 with a Deep Dive into What are My Options
Medicare Workshop
Molina—Win a Food Box!
New Mexi-CARE
Preventing Falls: Effective Balance and Movement Programs
Programs and Advocacy for New Mexico Caregivers
Protect Yourself and Medicare From Scams and Fraud
Re-Connecting with your Loved One with Alzheimer's or other Dementias
Reducing Shame and Stigma of Problem Gambling
Resources for Independence in Aging
Revisited: Resident Sex, and Intimacy in Assisted Living and Long-Term Care
Senior Care Navigation: What it is, why you need it and how to get it!
Senior Community Health Workers: Peers Networking Care and Benefits
Strategies and resources for gardeners, farmers and ranchers
Take an Educational Ride into Reverse Mortgage Outer Space!
The 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's Disease



VALENCIA
WORKFORCE TRAINING CENTER

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SATURDAY

JULY 29, 9-12 PM

HEALTHCARE PROVIDER CPR

~~\$70.00~~

No Longer Available

**TURN MEMORIES INTO
CHILDRENS STORIES \$100**

SATURDAY

AUGUST 1, 1-5 PM

No Longer Available

SATURDAY

AUGUST 12, 9-12 PM

HEALTHCARE PROVIDER CPR

~~\$70.00~~

No Longer Available

**EARN MONEY AS A WRITER
\$90**

SATURDAY

SEPTEMBER 9, 1-5 PM

THURSDAYS

SEPTEMBER 14, 21, 28 AND
OCTOBER 5 & 12, 7-8:30 PM

**NOVEL PLOTTING
\$175**

505-925-8654

1020 HUNING RANCH EAST LOOP SW
LOS LUNAS, NM 87031

**REGISTER
AT**



ALL CLASSES HELD IN PERSON AND VIRTUALLY

**PAYMENT DUE AT TIME OF REGISTRATION
CASH/CHECK IN PERSON AT UNM-VALENCIA
WORKFORCE TRAINING CENTER**



VALENCIA
WORKFORCE TRAINING CENTER



Registration is now open!

PE0105 - Novel Plotting

Do you have a great novel idea, a partial manuscript you're not sure how to finish, or a complete draft that needs help? Writing a novel is challenging, but you can learn tools that will make it easier –and make the book better. We'll dive deep into plot, from conflict to climax. Learn how to pack the plot full by adding complications, setting up high stakes, and controlling your pacing. Learn how you can use these techniques to make any novel manuscript better.

This workshop is being offered both in person and online.

Dates: September 14, 21, 28; October 5 & 12

Days: Thursdays

Times: 7-8:30 p.m.

Cost: \$175

To Register and pay online:
<https://tinyurl.com/yy7ws573>



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**Belen High School
Football
2023-2024**

Varsity Schedule

Date	Opponent	Team	Place	Time
8/10/23	Scrimmage (@ Estancia Quad.)	V	Away	4pm
8/18/23	Los Lunas	V	Away	7pm
8/25/23	Manzano	V	Home	7pm
9/1/23	Artesia	V	Home	7pm
9/8/23	Valley (Milne Stadium)	V	Away	7pm
9/15/23	Deming	V	Away	7pm
9/22/23	Mayfield **	V	Home	7pm
9/29/23	Goddard	V	Away	7pm
10/6/23	Open	V		
10/13/23	Highland *	V	Home	7pm
10/20/23	Miyamura *	V	Away	7pm
10/27/23	Piedra Vista *	V	Home	7pm

**Homecoming

*District

Sub Varsity Schedule

8/22/23	West Mesa (Community Stadium)	C	Away	7:15pm
8/28/23	Pojoaque	C	Away	4pm
9/5/23	Capital	C	Away	6pm
9/14/23	Valencia	C	Away	6pm
9/20/23	Santa Fe	C	Home	5pm
10/5/23	Los Lunas	C	Home	5pm
10/10/23	Rio Grande	C	Home	5pm
10/17/23	Eldorado	C	Home	5pm
10/23/23	Grants	C	Home	5pm

Schedules are subject to change. The Belen Athletic Department will make every attempt to post changes in a timely manner at www.beleneagles.org but changes may be without notice due to reasons beyond our control.

Los Lunas High School Football Schedule September 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<u>Aug 27</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>31</u> LLHS C Team Football vs ARTESIA	<u>Sep 1</u> LLHS Varsity Football vs FARMINGTON	<u>2</u> LLHS JV Football vs Organ Mountain HS
<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u> LLHS C Team Football vs RIO RANCHO	<u>8</u> LLHS Varsity Football vs ROSWELL	<u>9</u> LLHS JV Football vs Las Cruces HS
<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u> LLHS C Team Football vs PIERDA VISTA	<u>15</u> LLHS Varsity Football vs LA CUEVA	<u>16</u> LLHS JV Football vs ROSWELL
<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>21</u> LLHS C Team Football vs VALENICA	<u>22</u> LLHS Varsity Football vs VALLEY	<u>23</u> LLHS JV Football vs RIO RANCHO
<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>28</u> LLHS C Team Football vs GRANTS	<u>29</u> LLHS Varsity Football vs CAPITOL	<u>30</u> LLHS JV Football vs FARMINGTON



Valencia High School Football Schedule September 2023

08	September, Friday	07:00 PM - 09:30 PM	Football (11 person)	VR	El Dorado - Bell Game	Home	Bradford Stadium
15	September, Friday	07:00 PM - 09:30 PM	Football (11 person)	VR	West Covina	Away	West Covina
29	September, Friday	07:00 PM - 09:30 PM	Football (11 person)	VR	Crean Lutheran	Home	Bradford Stadium
06	October, Friday	07:00 PM - 09:30 PM	Football (11 person)	VR	Tustin	Away	
12	October, Thursday	07:00 PM - 09:30 PM	Football (11 person)	VR	Cypress	Home	Bradford Stadium
20	October, Friday	07:00 PM - 09:30 PM	Football (11 person)	VR	Kennedy/La Palma	Away	Handel Stadium



SAVE THE DATE

100% Valencia CRUNCH

Collaborative Rundown on Community Health

100% Valencia is part of the AAEI 100% Communities initiative, and we are growing throughout Valencia County. Help us make Valencia County 100%

In Person Event
Peralta Methodist Church



Friday September 29, 2023
10am to 2pm

Registration begins Sep 1st at:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/100-valencia-crunch-tickets-678246301947>

Come and join us!

**FREE
ENTRY**

2023 Rio Abajo
Becker Street Festival



**MUSIC ART CARS
FOOD TRUCKS
WINE & BEER TENT**

30 SEPTEMBER 2023

BECKER STREET IN BELEN

10AM-9PM

**WWW.BELENCHAMBER.COM OR
CALL 505-864-8091**

**GREATER
VALENCIA
COUNTY**
Chamber of Commerce



ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR

Saturday, September 30, 2023

9 am to 4 pm

POTTERY ~ JEWELRY ~ WOODWORK ~ PAINTING AND MORE!

Exit I-25 at Los Lunas – 1.8 miles west on Hwy 6 to Jubilee

We will be supporting philanthropic organizations in Valencia County

Rio Communities Optimist Club 5th Annual **GOLF TOURNAMENT** At Tierra Del Sol Golf Club

Optimist Club fund raiser to sustain activities for our Youth!

SATURDAY Oct. 7, 2023

**Registration at
8:00 am, with a
9:00 am
shotgun start**

RAFFLE GRAND PRIZE: \$500 cash

TWO FLIGHTS:

Competitive:

**2 person scramble (handicap required)
\$100/person plus buy in**

Recreational:

**4 person scramble
\$80/ person**

Entry fee includes greens fees, cart, a meal, and one free raffle ticket

**Lots of fun activities
and prizes:**

- Mulligans
- Longest drive
- Closest to pin
- Putting contest
- Door prizes
- And more fun games

REGISTER at

**Tierra Del Sol Pro-Shop
or contact
Marilyn at 505-433-0209 or
Clinton at 505-864-1000**

**Entry deadline
September 30, 2023**



2023

ROADRUNNER FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

129 S. 3RD ST, BELEN, NM 87002

**Craft Vendors, Car Show, Silent
Auction, Poker Run, 50/50
Raffle and MORE!!**

All proceeds go to the Community Resource Center

For craft vendor inquiries please email Noelle at noellecerw@gmail.com or stop by
506 Becker Ave in Belen to sign up.

For car show inquiries please email Holly at hollychavez@hotmail.com

For general information please call Holly at (505) 453 - 3621





H2 ACADEMIC SOLUTIONS
SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Presents the
Roadrunner festival

CAR SHOW



OCTOBER 28TH

9:00AM-12:00PM

129 South 3rd Street, Belen, NM 87002

**OPEN
TO ALL**

**CARS
TRUCKS
BIKES**

MASSIVE CAR DISPLAY

FOOD TRUCK
TROPHIES
RAFFLES

\$25
FOR SHOW
VEHICLES

*All Vehicles
Welcome*

FREE ADMISSION TO
THE PUBLIC

For more information email

hollychavez@hotmail.com

HCVC Members enjoy free advertising 3 times per year in this newsletter

- Full Page Ads
- Full Color
- Reach Thousands In Valencia County
- FREE

Become A Member Today!



Get your Business
Noticed

ADVERTISE HERE

**Submit Advertising,
fliers, or
information to:**

**This is a
Story Title**

HCVCNewsletter@gmail.com

**Submissions must be
received by the third
Monday of the month.**

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