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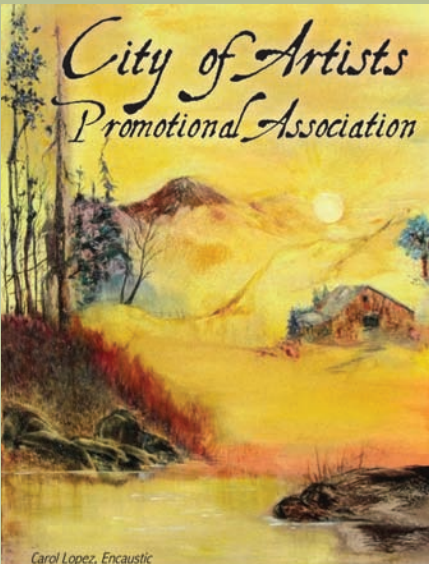
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We welcome you to celebrate, with ArtForms and the City of Las Cruces, the **14th Annual For the Love of Art Month**. We will enjoy Special Events, Art Around Town Venues, Galleries and Studios, and—new this year—the ArtForms and Las Colcheras Quilt Guild Art Show & Sale at the Las Cruces Convention Center on February 10, 11 & 12.

February 18 & 19 and 25 & 26 will be the Studio Tours, with a wide range of exceptional art and a glimpse into the working environment of our local artists.

For your convenience, we have provided a map located in the center of this guide, marking the different Event locations.

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ART AROUND TOWN VENUES



February 1–29
Exhibits

Sharlene Glock

Photography

Las Cruces Convention & Visitors Bureau, 211 N. Water and Mitchell Chiropractic Life Center, 816 Spruce

Both through February 29 • Convention & Visitors Bureau: Mon.–Fri. 9am–5pm, Mitchell Chiropractic Life Center: Regular office hours

Feb. 2 • 5–7pm
Grand Opening

Las Cruces Art Association

Celebrating 50 Years of Art in Las Cruces

Various Media

Mountain Gallery & Studios, 138 W. Mountain

Through February 29 • Thursday–Saturday 10am–4pm

Feb. 3 • 4–6pm
Exhibit Reception

Southwest Calligraphy Guild

For the Love of Lettering

Calligraphy using Mixed Media

Branigan Library's Terrace Gallery, 200 E. Picacho

Through February 26 • Regular library hours

Feb. 3 • 5–7pm
Exhibit Reception

ArtForms Artists Association of New Mexico

Member Exhibit

Various Media

Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main

Through February 26 • Tue.–Sat. 9am–4:30pm

Feb. 3 • 5–7pm
Exhibit Reception

New Mexico Watercolor Society–Southern Chapter

For the Love of Southwest Gates and Doorways

Watercolor

Blue Gate Fine Art Gallery, 311 N. Downtown Mall

Through February 29 • Tue.–Fri. 10am–5pm, Sat. 9am–1:30pm

Feb. 3 • 5–7pm
Exhibit Reception

Peter Herman / thetheatregallery

The Year That Was: Photos from the 2010–2011 Season

Photography

Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Downtown Mall

Ongoing Exhibit • Open 1 hour before shows and by appointment

Feb. 3 • 5–7pm
Performance

Randy Granger

American Indian Flutist

Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main

Feb. 3 • 6–7pm
Exhibit Reception

GFWC–Progress Club of Las Cruces

Art Inspires

Painting (all media) & Photography

Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho

Through February 29 • Regular library hours



ART AROUND TOWN VENUES

Feb. 3 • 7–10pm
Performance

Mikey's Sheesh-ka-Deesh

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Mikey's Place—A Workshop for the Arts, 3100 Harrelson
(S. Main at Conway) Dance music, dessert, coffee/tea/wine & art
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Feb. 3 & 4 • 8pm
Feb. 5 • 2:30pm
Performance

No Strings Theatre Company

The Sisters Rosenweig
Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Downtown Mall
Play by Wendy Wasserstein, directed by Nikka Ziemer
Tickets \$10 regular admission or \$9/student or senior over 65 • 523-1223

Feb. 4 • 1–3pm
Exhibit Reception

Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery

My Masterpiece, Various Media
Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery
2470-A Calle de Guadalupe, Mesilla
Through February 28 • Daily 10am–5pm

Feb. 4 • 1–2pm
Performance

Voz Vaqueros

Vocal Music
Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main

Feb. 4 • 2–4pm
Exhibit Reception

City of Artists Promotional Association

It's All About Art
Various Media
Lundeen Inn of the Arts, 618 S. Alameda
Through February 27 • Daily 10am–4pm

Feb. 5 • 12–4pm
Exhibit

Artists of Picacho Hills

Love of Art
Mixed Media by over 20 Artists
Picacho Hills Country Club, 6861 Las Capestre
www.artistsofpicachohills.com

Feb. 10 • 9am–7pm
Feb. 11 • 9am–5pm
Quilt Show

Las Colcheras Quilt Guild

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Feb. 10 • 9am–7pm
Feb. 11 • 9am–5pm
Feb. 12 • 9am–5pm
Art Show & Sale

ArtForms Artists Association of New Mexico

Love of Art Show & Sale
Various Media
Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University
www.artformsnm.org • In conjunction with Las Colcheras Quilt Guild

ART AROUND TOWN VENUES



Feb. 11 • 1–2pm Performance	Students of Alma d'arte Charter High School & NMSU Flamenco Dancers Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main
Feb. 14 • 7pm Performance	No Strings Theatre Company <i>Love Letters</i> , Play by A. R Gurney, featuring Karen & Alan Canoe Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Downtown Mall Tickets \$10 regular admission or \$9/student or senior over 65 • 523-1223
Feb. 18 • 10am–4pm Demonstrations	Mesilla Valley Fractal Artists <i>The Fascinating World of Fractals</i> Fractal Art on Paper, Canvas, and Various Mixed Media Funky Karma Incense & Tea Shop, 3207 S. Main Demonstrations and/or “Create Your Own Fractal” and Ongoing Exhibit • Tuesday–Saturday 10am–6pm, Sunday 11am–3pm
Feb. 18 • 1–2pm Performance	Ten Plus One Percussion Music Group Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main
Feb. 18 • 1:30pm Film Screening	Mesilla Valley Film Society <i>Cave of Forgotten Dreams</i> Film by Werner Herzog, 90 minutes, rated G. Fountain Theatre, 2469 Calle de Guadalupe, Mesilla Free Admission. Although released in 3D, this screening will be 2D. <i>The Chauvet Cave in southern France was discovered by scientists in 1994 and estimated to be over 30,000 years old. Inside they found hundreds of playful paintings from a period when Neanderthals were situated in France. In this meticulously directed documentary, Herzog presents interviews with archaeologists, paleontologists, and other experts on art and history. Herzog takes delight in the treasure-trove...he ponders what the paintings tell us about human evolution; and he ends with a thought-provoking meditation about radioactive albino crocodiles...vintage Herzog. spiritualityandpractice.com.</i> Sponsored in part by Unsettled Gallery & Studio, Mesquite Art Gallery, Blue Gate Gallery, M. Phillip's Art Gallery and the Law Office of Beverly Singleman.
Feb. 25 • 1–2pm Poetry Reading	Sin Fronteras <i>For the Love of Lit</i> Poetry Reading by Area Poets & Writers Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main Hosted by Joseph Somoza
Feb. 26 • 2–4pm Performance	Ten Plus One Percussion Music Group Azadeh Arts, 5206 Mescalero Trail From Hwy. 70/N. Main go North on Del Rey Blvd., turn right on Westmoreland, then turn left on Mescalero Trail



ART AROUND TOWN VENUES

**Feb. 29 • 7:30pm
Performance**

New Horizons Symphony at NMSU
From Russia with Love, Russian Symphonic Music
Atkinson Music Recital Hall, NMSU
Free Admission • www.nhsocruces.com

**Ongoing
Installation**

Susan Frary & Student Volunteers
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Alma d'arte Charter High School/Court Youth Center
402 W. Court
Through March 30 (outdoors on front lawn)

Ongoing Exhibit

Jill Somoza
Arcs & Echoes
Tombaugh Gallery, Unitarian Universalist Church
2000 S. Solano
Through March 2 • Wednesday–Friday 10am–2pm

Ongoing Exhibit

Ali Keyes
Through the Looking Glass
Photography
Amaro Winery, 402 S. Melendres
Through February

Ongoing Exhibit

Lois Wilson / Southwest Glass Creations
Fused Glass Jewelry and Art Glass
Main Street Gallery, 311 N. Downtown Mall
Tuesday–Friday 10am–5pm, Saturday 9:30am–1pm

Ongoing Exhibits

John Northcutt
Metal Sculpture
New Dimension Art Works, Corner Tornillo & Piñon
and High Desert Brewing Company, 1201 W. Hadley

Ongoing Exhibits

Sharlene Glock
Photography
Insta-Copy Imaging, 318 N. Downtown Mall
Starbucks Coffee Co., 2511 E. Lohman
Toucan Market, 1701 E. University
Insta-Copy Imaging: Monday–Friday 8am–5:30pm,
Starbucks Coffee Co. & Toucan Market: Regular store hours

Ongoing Exhibit

A.me & Mitch Alamag
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Friday–Sunday 12–5pm



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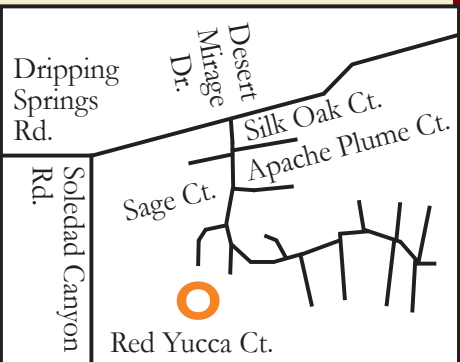
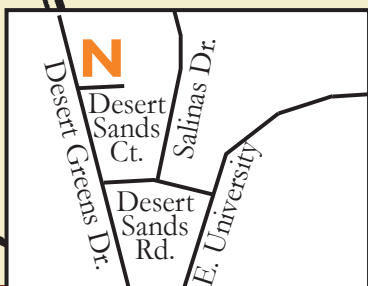
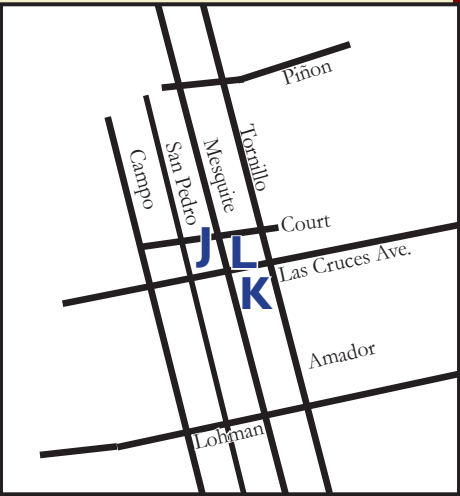
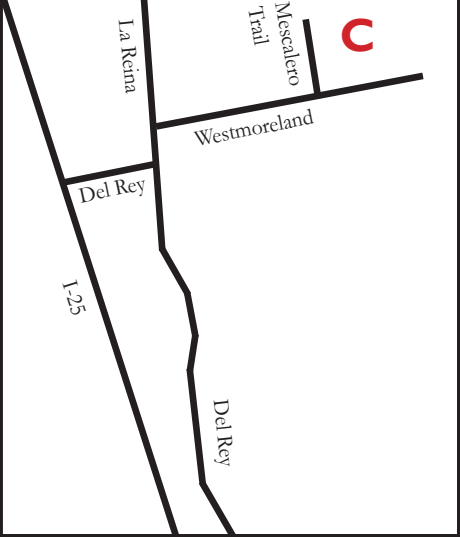
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STUDIO TOURS FROM 10AM-4PM*

- February 18 & 19
- February 25 & 26
- ▲ Saturdays Only

Days	Map ID	
NORTH & EAST: Picacho Hills, North Valley, Del Rey, Roadrunner		
● ■	A	Marie Siegrist Studio 1490 <i>Watercolor, Acrylic, Watercolor Jewelry</i> 1490 Via Norte West on Picacho Blvd., right on Picacho Hills Dr., stay to right to Via Norte (house on right).
● ■	B	David Jacques El Jardin de Las Cruces <i>Southwest Crosses & Metalworks, Woodworking, Ceramics & Watercolor</i> 4010 N. Valley Drive North on Valley Drive about 1.5 miles past Mayfield High School (on east side of Valley).
■	C	Linda Reeder Sanchez Azadeh Arts <i>Glass, Ceramics, Multi-media</i> 5206 Mescalero Trail North on Del Rey Blvd. (continue a bit north on La Reina Rd. when Del Rey turns west), turn right on Westmoreland Ave. and go 7/10 mile, turn left on Mescalero Trail.
■	D	The Village at Northrise Artists <i>Various Artists and Media</i> 2880 & 2882 N. Roadrunner Parkway SE corner of Roadrunner Pkwy. & Northrise Dr. (Hallmark & Morningside Buildings.)
WEST: Mesilla, West University		
● ■	E	Nancy Frost Begin <i>Watercolors, Oils, Woodcut Prints</i> 1982 Avenida de Antigua, Mesilla From Avenida de Mesilla, turn NW onto Tierra Verde, turn right on Vista Lejano (only off one side of Tierra Verde), stay to left onto Avenida de Antigua (house on right).
● ■	F	Lynn Miyake <i>Egg Tempera with Gold Leaf Santos</i> 2050 Cortabella From Avenida de Mesilla, turn NW onto Tierra Verde, turn right on Cortabella. From Calle de El Paso (S. Motel Blvd.) turn east on Tierra Verde, turn left on Cortabella.
● ■	G	A.me & Mitch Alamag Rokoko Gallery <i>Mixed Media, Paintings</i> 1785 Avenida de Mercado 1 block east of Avenida de Mesilla. Corner of Calle de Alvarez & Calle de Mercado. *12-5pm.
■	H	Cally Williams & Friends Cally Williams Pottery <i>Pottery, Weaving, Jewelry, Silk Painting, Photography, Paintings</i> 331 Capri Arc From University Avenue go south on McDowell Road (across from Zia Middle School), turn left onto Capri Arc (studio at end of street).

STUDIO TOURS FROM 10AM–4PM*

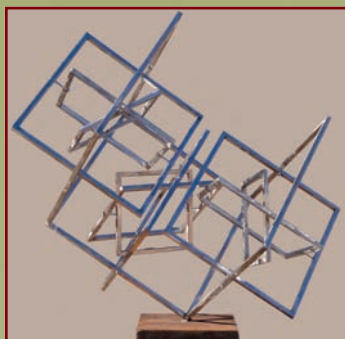
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CENTRAL: Spruce, Mesquite Historical District, El Paseo		
● ■	I	Deborah Moore Studio 1060' <i>Sculpture, Pottery</i> 1320 Kilmer Street Go east on Spruce past Walnut, turn left on Kilmer St. (house on east side).
● ■	J	Gabriella Denton <i>Colorful Folk Art Prints and Paintings</i> 403 E. Court #B Corner of San Pedro and Court in the Mesquite Historical District.
● ■	K	Yanick D'Hooge Studio 308 #1 <i>Fine Art Photography, Digital Imaging</i> 308 N. Mesquite Street #1 NE corner of Mesquite St. and Las Cruces Ave.
● ■	L	Mel Stone Mesquite Art Gallery <i>Photography, Paintings</i> 340 N. Mesquite Street From Spruce, go south on Mesquite St. about 7 blocks. From Lohman or Amador go north on Mesquite St. about 5–6 blocks.
▲	M	Las Cruces Bead Society <i>Beaded Jewelry and Artwork</i> Western Traders, 1300 El Paseo Corner of Idaho and El Paseo. *12–5pm.
SOUTH: East University/Dripping Springs		
● ■	N	Ali Keyes Ali Keyes Photography <i>Photography</i> 2001 Desert Springs Court Go east on University about 1/2 mile, turn left on Desert Sands St., turn right on Desert Greens, turn right on Desert Springs Ct. (1st house on left).
● ■	O	Lynn Unangst <i>Handwoven Garments, Petit Point & Woven Bead Gift Items, "Spirit Minder" Dolls</i> 4020 Red Yucca Court Go east on University/Dripping Springs Rd., turn right on Desert Mirage Dr. (Studio entrance is on the corner of Red Yucca Ct. and Desert Mirage Dr.)

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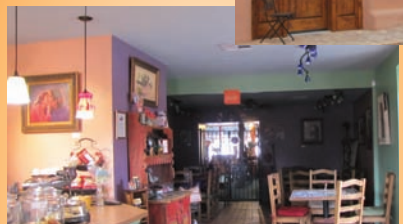
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Sunday, Feb. 12, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. ArtForms Show

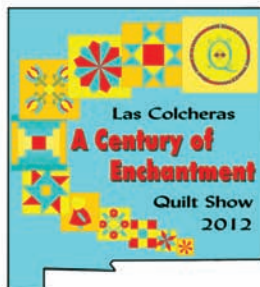
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