

OVER THE PASS



TRINIDAD-RATON CONNECTION

“What’s your favorite restaurant meal?”

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“I like the pizza at Bruno’s. The New Mexican and the Bruno’s Supreme are the two that we’ve liked. Ideally I’d take it and eat it outside: It tastes better outdoors with friends.”

– Shona Sanford-Long, summer intern (from Vermont), McAuliffe Ranch (Raton)

“I love Italian, so I’d say lobster ravioli. Any kind of ravioli. My favorite place to get it is Rino’s. They make great lobster ravioli.”

– Christin Van Lanen, co-owner, Forestwise LLC (Trinidad)



“For dinner, the 12-ounce ribeye steak at Brix, with mashed potatoes and asparagus. For an appetizer, I like the Brix Platter.”

– Kieth Nicklin, cook, Brix (Trinidad)



“Pizza. I have kids so one has to be pepperoni. For me, a Bruno’s Special, which has pepperoni, sausage, Canadian bacon, mushrooms, green bell pepper, and red onion. It’s about family: You’ve got to feed the family.”

– Misty Gomez, manager, Bruno’s Pizza & Wings (Raton)



I like Mexican food. And man, they just gave me some hot jalapeños at this place on the Santa Fe Trail. Tequila’s. It was chicken mole, as good as I’ve ever had it.”

– Drew Steele, retired casino executive, Dallas, TX (Trinidad)



“Our two biggest sellers are the number 68, Enchiladas Rancheras, and the number 73, Carne al Carbon, which is my favorite. It’s a thin sirloin steak, marinated and charbroiled, then served with rice, beans, pico de gallo and a tortilla.”

– Mauricio Lemus, owner, The Sands Restaurant (Raton)



TSJC ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

From the desk of Mike Salbato
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All the games are all on the road for the Trinidad State Soccer Team for this week. The next home Volleyball match will be on Tuesday, October 6 vs Otero. Results from Last Weekend – Men’s Soccer defeated Northeastern 5-0 and Central CC 4-0 – Volleyball split, beating Adams State in three and falling to Frank Phillips in 4.

■ THURSDAY – October 1

*Volleyball at McCook CC
7 p.m. (ct) at McCook, Nebraska

■ FRIDAY– October 2

*Women’s Soccer hosts Western Nebraska CC
5 p.m. at Central Park
*Men’s Soccer hosts Western Nebraska CC
7 p.m. at Central Park
*Volleyball at Northeastern JC
7 p.m. at Sterling, Colorado

■ SATURDAY– October 3

*Softball at UCCS
11 a.m. in Colorado Springs, Colorado
*Baseball at Metro Tourney
TBA in Denver, Colorado
*Men’s Soccer hosts Laramie County CC
1:30 p.m. at Central Park
*Women’s Soccer hosts Laramie County CC
4 p.m. at Central Park
*Volleyball at Western Nebraska CC
1 p.m. at Scottsbluff, Nebraska

■ SUNDAY – October 4

*Baseball at Metro Tourney
TBA in Denver, Colorado
*Softball at UNM Highlands
1 p.m. in Las Vegas, New Mexico

PREP SPORTS SPOTLIGHT



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Hoehne Farmers defensive back Justin Van Matre, left, picks off a Cripple Creek pass in their 54-6 win over the Pioneers Saturday afternoon in Cripple Creek.



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Primero Bulldogs quarterback Darius Lopez, right, was under duress for most of the second half Saturday night against the Cotopaxi Pirates. The Dogs allowed 24 unanswered Pirate points in the second half and were defeated by the Pirates by a final score of 32-14.