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THE FINE PRINT

■ JULY 20

CELEBRATE RECOVERY MONDAY (6 p.m.) Weekly fellowship for help and support with food and music will be held at the First United Methodist Church, 216 Broom St. Info: Senior Pastor Bobby L. Barnhill, Jr. or email www.celebraterrecovery.com.

TOWN OF STARKVILLE MONDAY (6 p.m.) Board of Trustees public meeting in the Fisher's Peak Fire Department boardroom, 8361 County Road 69, Starkville. Information: Crick Carlisle, 719-680-7199.

Today's Quote

"A successful man is one who can lay a firm foundation with the bricks others have thrown at him."

—David Brinkley

■ JULY 21

SAMARITAN CLINIC 1st & 3rd TUESDAYS (9 a.m.-4 p.m.) Here to serve the under-insured and non-insured community with free health care and low-cost lab work, 413 E. Frost and corner of Linden Ave. Info: 719-846-3536.

LAS ANIMAS COUNTY TUESDAY (9 a.m.) Board of County Commissioners meeting is in the Las Animas Courthouse, 200 E. First St., Room 201. Information: 719-845-2568. **COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:** Gary Hill (719-845-2595), Mack Loudon (719-845-2592), and Anthony Abeyta (719-846-9300).

PRIMERO SCHOOLS TUESDAY (5 p.m.) District Board of Education will meet in executive session with regular session to follow at 6 p.m. in the Primero School Cafeteria, 20200 Highway 12. Information: Tina East, 719-868-2715.

CITY COUNCIL TUESDAY (7 p.m.) Regular session will be held in Council Chambers, City Hall, 135 N. Animas St. Information: Audra Garrett, 719-846-9343. **CITY COUNCIL:** Mayor: Joe Renda and Council Members: Carol Bolton, Joe Bonato, Pat Fletcher, Anthony Mattie, Michelle Miles, and Liz Torres.

■ PUBLIC SERVICE

NURSING HOME PICNIC SATURDAY (10 a.m.-2 p.m.) Annual event with food, drinks, bouncy house, face painting and more at the Trinidad Inn Nursing Home, 409 Benedicta Ave. Info: 719-846-7603.

BRANSON BENEFIT SATURDAY (8 a.m.-4 p.m.) Branson Football and Senior Class will hold a garage sale at the school. Food and treasures available — item for donations as well as additional community members and vendors are also invited. Info: Kimberly Shor, 719-946-0821.

COUNTY FAIR TIME JULY 28-AUGUST 1: Don't miss this year's "Fun at the Fair" annual event at the Las Animas County Fairgrounds. Info: Connie Mantelli, 719-880-4839 or go online to: <http://www.coopext.colostate.edu/lasanimas/>

THS CLASS OF 2005 AUGUST 7&8: All 2005 class members are encouraged to attend the 10th Class Reunion in Trinidad. Info: Gina Gallagher, trinidadhclassof2005@gmail.com

FNB SCHOOL DRIVE AUGUST 7 DEADLINE: Supplies needed include pencils, erasers, 12-inch rulers, crayons, glue, scissors, backpacks and notebook paper — cash donations are also accepted. Drop off at The First National Bank main bank on Main Street, at the motor bank on First Street or at the Wal-Mart Branch. Info: 719-846-9881.

FOLSOM MAN SITE TOURS AUGUST 8 (8 a.m. & 1 p.m.) Sign up now for these free tours of the historic Folsom Man Archaeological Site sponsored by the Folsom Museum, corner of State Road 325 & 456, east of Raton, NM. Lunch will be provided — donations accepted. Info: 575-278-2122 or email: museum@folsomvillage.com

SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM THRU AUGUST 14 (11 a.m.-1 p.m.) Monday thru Friday all kids (18 and under) can eat a free lunch at the THS Cafeteria, 816 West St. Adults: \$3.25.

The Fine Print feature is a courtesy notice used to inform the public of upcoming free public meetings and events. Placement is not guaranteed. For contributions please call 719-846-3311 or e-mail cathy@trinidachroniclenews.com.

RIVER CALL

Purgatoire River Call as of: 07/17/15. Model Ditch --- Appropriation date: 01/22/1908.

Trinidad Reservoir Accounting:
Release 408.14 AF
Inflow 352.83 AF -- 177.88 CFS
Evaporation 19.69 AF
Content 34,343 AF
Elevation 6,201.06
Precipitation 0

Downstream River Call / JMR Conservation Storage: 12/31/1948.



TRINIDAD STATE

Colorado Community College System announces partnership with SNHU

New opportunity to complete education goals, dreams

Staff Report
The Chronicle-News

Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) recently signed an articulation agreement with the Colorado Community College System (CCCS), representing 13 community college campuses, including Trinidad State Junior College (TSJC), within the state. The agreement provides CCCS graduates with a direct transition from their associate's degree into a bachelor's degree program at SNHU-College of Online and Continuing Education (COCE). Specifically, they may continue their education in a variety of bachelor's degree programs with the confidence that their coursework

will transfer. Additionally, Colorado Community College System alumni, employees and their immediate family members also will receive a 10 percent tuition reduction at SNHU.

A statement from TSJC's Director of Communications, Greg Boyce, said, "It's very important for two-year colleges to provide a way for students to continue at a four-year school without being forced to do the same course work twice.



Photo courtesy of SNHU

Trinidad State Junior College has announced a new partnership with Southern New Hampshire University to offer students the opportunity to complete their courses of study. Students are shown on the campus of SNHU, above, which is located in Manchester, New Hampshire.

Since community college courses generally cost less than those at four-year schools, these kinds of articulation agreements are important to our students. I should note we make every effort to pave the way for our students to attend Colorado four-year schools, where they can usually receive the lower

in-state tuition rate." SNHU is a private, nonprofit institution accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, as well as several other accrediting bodies. With more than 200 certificate, undergraduate and graduate programs

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Photos by Tim Keller/The Chronicle-News

Frank LaLumia, top, painted the scene before him as spectators watched him and other artists work during the A.R. Mitchell Museum's 5th annual Quick Draw event on the courthouse lawn Saturday morning. Paula Little, former director of the Museum, drew crowds as she painted, and she appeared to enjoy every minute. Little has been a regular participant in its annual Quick Draw fundraiser.

MITCHELL MUSEUM

Crowd gathers for 5th annual Quick Draw

By Maggie May
Correspondent
The Chronicle-News

On Saturday, July 18, the sun beamed down on the busy courthouse lawn as an array of talented artists,

both local and regional, awaited the 11 a.m. starting gun beginning of the "race" to a masterpiece, known as the A.R. Mitchell Museum Quick Draw.

Among those in attendance were Cindy Montoya who has participated three years in a row at the annual Quick Draws, and, as an A.R. Mitchell board member, looks forward to it every year.

Another local Trinidad favorite, Frank Little, was present, along with his wife, Paula Little. Paula and Frank have both participated all five years of the Quick Draw's history. Paula was one of the people who actually proposed the original idea for the Quick Draw five years ago.

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WEATHER WATCH

Monday: A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 80. West northwest wind 5 to 10

mph becoming east in the afternoon. **Night:** A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 58. South-southeast wind 5 to 10 mph.

Tuesday: A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny, with a high near 80. West northwest wind 5 to 10 mph. **Night:** A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 59. South-southeast wind around

10 mph.

Wednesday: A 10 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1p.m. Mostly sunny, with a high near 85. South-west wind 5 to 10 mph. **Night:** A 10 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 7p.m. Partly cloudy, with a low around 59. West-southwest wind around 5 mph.

Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 88. West wind around 5 mph.

EARTH BARRELS

Kids project to combine education, art, recycling

By Nick Ruybalid
Correspondent
The Chronicle-News

A joint project between Terra Firma Recycling, Twin Enviro Services and local artist Rich Columbo will soon bring recycling to events in the Trinidad area—and area youth will be invited to help create them.

"We've had a lot of people in the community ask for on-site recycling at sports games, events, and so forth," said Kelli Van Matre of Terra Firma Recycling. The company's response was to create the Earth Barrel, a place to toss recyclable materials. To make them, the plan is to create "kids' creation stations," where area youth can decorate the barrels with various materials; bringing kids, art, recycling education and filling a community need all together.

Rich Columbo, the artist running the creation stations, says that the first wave of barrel decorating will be done by filling balloons with paint, placing them on the perimeter of each barrel, and throwing darts at them, thus creating multi-colored cylinders. From there, the kids can then stencil recycling-themed drawings onto the receptacles, decorate them further, and add whatever ideas they may bring. "By involving the kids," Columbo said, "it'll raise awareness of recycling, which then goes to the parents, grandparents, extended family. It'll spread, plus, this makes it fun."

There are not any plans to place the Earth Barrels in public places unattended right now, but as the idea progresses, it may become a possibility. According to Jeremy Van Matre of Terra Firma, the barrels will be "anywhere there's an event happening: graduations, weddings, concerts, wherever," until a further date. Along with this, the barrels will only be for mostly drinking containers like bottles and cans for now, but plans could expand for that as well.

Terra Firma has shown a commitment to community projects,

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COMMUNITY

Kids Earth Barrels project

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Photo by Nick Ruybalid/The Chronicle News

Terry Gordon, Rich Columbo, Jeremy Van Matre, Kelli Van Matre, and Miguel (L-R) stand in front of tons of recyclable material on Tuesday. These individuals are the masterminds behind the Earth Barrels Kids Creation art project.

but they credit Twin Enviro Services and Columbo for this projects momentum. "Terra Firma has opened their doors," said Jeremy Van Matre, "but Twin and Rich is where the credit is due. They've chosen to do this." Twin Enviro seems enthralled for this recycling effort and many more to come. Terry Gordon of Twin Enviro spoke excitedly about Twin Enviro's plan to put recycling on a commercial scale, including making a cardboard route for businesses in the community.

This group of creative thinkers only need two more things to get started with the Earth Barrel project: materials and kids. If area residents have any sort of recyclable and/or art materials, please drop them off between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays or 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays at Terra Firma, 201 W. Indiana Ave. Along with this, if you are an area youth, youth leader, or parent interested in participating, call Kelli at 719-859-3998.

5th Annual Quick Draw

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The 12:30 p.m. auction at the A.R. Mitchell Museum of Western Art proved a huge success according to attendees and museum volunteers. Director Christina Boyce had a chance to show off her skills as Master of Ceremony during the auction. According to Boyce, over \$1,400 was raised for the museum from the Quick Draw auction.

The fifth annual A.R. Mitchell Quick Draw had a turnout of about 14 artists, crowds of onlookers, two barn animals, a pack of canines and a full auction floor.

For more information regarding events at the A.R. Mitchell Museum of Western Art, or information on volunteering at the Museum, visit their website at www.armitchellmuseum.com or call Christina Boyce at 719-846-4224.



Photos by Tim Keller/The Chronicle-News

Doug Holdread, above, likes to paint and it shows. He was one of 14 artists participating Saturday in the fifth annual Quick Draw event. Wyoming artist Ken Mackey, below left, arrived unknown and left with the day's biggest sale when his cowboy painting drew \$1,000 at the auction that followed the one-hour painting event. Each artist had one hour to make a finished painting, then the finished works were lined up inside the A.R. Mitchell Museum for patrons to enjoy before they went up for auction.



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Adelaida Teresa "Della" Smith
 Adelaida Teresa "Della" Smith, age 78, passed away at the Trinidad Inn Nursing Home on July 14, 2015, after a lengthy illness. Visitation will be Wednesday July 22, 2015 from 3p.m.-7p.m. the Comi Chapel.

Funeral will be Thursday, July 23, 2015 with Rosary at 9a.m. at the Comi Chapel followed by the Funeral Mass at 10a.m. at Holy Trinity church. Arrangements made under the direction of the Comi Funeral Home.

61 Deaths Elsewhere

Sam J. Santistevan
 Sam J. Santistevan, 82, of Tucson, passed away July 15, 2015.

He was born in Denver, son of the late Sam and Cora (Durance) Santistevan. Sam proudly served his country with the US Air Force for 26 years. His served all around the world, ending his career here in Tucson. He was an avid fisherman. Sam's family will remember him as a loving father who had a very generous heart and as one who showered his family with unconditional love. His sense of humor will be greatly missed.

Sam is survived by his devoted wife, Mary Ann (Trujillo) Santistevan; his son, Sam (Lydia) Santistevan of Tucson; daughters, Kathleen (Michael) Clark of Tucson and Maria Elena (Eric) Sherer of FL.

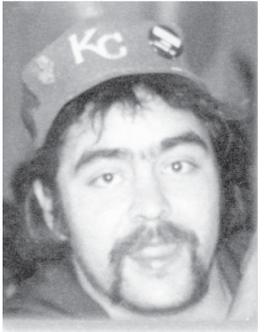
Sam was proud of his 7 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. He leaves a sister, Sarah Gonzales of Denver.

Sam was predeceased by a daughter, Laura Lee and a granddaughter, Michelle Ann.

A funeral service with full military honors will be held 3 p.m., Saturday, July 25, 2015 at EVERGREEN MORTUARY, North Oracle & W Miracle Mile. The Visitation will be from 2 p.m. until the time of service. A private inhome will take place at the Veterans Memorial Cemetery of So. Arizona at the convenience of the family. The arrangements are by EVERGREEN MORTUARY & C E M E T E R Y www.evergreen-tucson.com

62 Memorials

In Loving Memory of **Frank Cordova** who passed away 1 year ago July 20, 2014



When tomorrow starts without me, And I'm not there to see, if the sun should rise and find your eyes all filled with tears for me. I wish so much you wouldn't cry, the way you did today while thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say. I know how much you love me, as much as I love you, and each time that you think of me, I know you'll miss me too, so when tomorrow starts without me don't think were far apart for every time you think of me, I'm right here in your heart. Your on my mind today and everyday. Deeply missed by your sister Pat & brother Dave, nieces Trish (Mario) & Family Davena (Charles) & Family & all your brothers & sisters

In Loving Memory of **Joseph Dosen** who passed away 7 years ago on July 19, 2008



Gone is the face we loved so Dear
 Silent is the voice we loved to hear
 Too far away for sight or speech
 But not so far for thought to reach
 Sweet to remember him who was there
 And who, though absent, is just as Dear

Sadly missed by your Wife, Children and Grandchildren



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Interest-bearing balance.....	\$68,755,000	Noninterest-bearing.....	\$38,210,000
Held-to-maturity securities.....	\$25,158,000	Interest-bearing.....	\$137,154,000
Available-for-sale securities.....	\$0	Federal funds purchased.....	\$0
Federal funds sold.....	\$0	Other liabilities.....	\$404,000
Total Cash Resources	\$98,184,000	Total Liabilities	\$175,768,000
Loans.....	\$91,436,000	EQUITY CAPITAL	
Less: Allowance for loan losses...	\$1,737,000	Common stock.....	\$400,000
Loans: Net of allowance.....	\$89,699,000	Surplus.....	\$400,000
Accrued income.....	\$393,000	Undivided profit.....	\$22,946,000
Bank building, furniture & parking lot..	\$2,318,000	Net unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities.....	\$0
Other assets.....	\$7,722,000	Total Equity Capital	\$23,746,000
Other real estate.....	\$1,198,000	Total Liabilities & Equity Capital	\$199,514,000
Total Assets	\$199,514,000		

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