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## Nunley's name goes on ballot

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Following in the footsteps of Wilton Howell, L.R. Nunley also will reclaim his right to run for the Lincoln County Commission.

Twelfth Judicial District Judge Richard A. Parsons handed down an order Monday instructing County Clerk Martha Proctor to place Nunley's name on the June Democratic primary election for the District Two Commission seat.

Nunley, a pharmacist at Wal-Mart, had qualified earlier this month to run against Alvin S. Harcrow for the newly-created district. The winner will face Republican Karon Petty in the general election.

But Nunley didn't update the address on his voters registration to show the home where he had lived for many years until after the January 27 election proclamation date set by state law.

That was the same situation

facing Howell, who wanted to run in District Three. Following state guidelines, Proctor notified both men they could not be placed on the ballot.

Howell sued for his right to run. Nunley declined to sue the county in which he would be seeking office.

Following a precedent set by the State Supreme Court in a similar case involving former Lt. Gov. Mike Runnels, Parsons ruled that by actually living in a home in the correct district, Howell met the state constitutional requirements to be a candidate.

He said the state election law established an arbitrary date and that Howell could prove he had lived in the correct district the proper length of time. He also criticized delays by the Secretary of State that added to the confusion of a year already complicated with new voting precinct lines and the

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## Woman of the Year

Mary Kelley (right), a long-time Ruidoso business woman, is named Woman of the Year by Beta Sigma Phi. Dean Haynes presents the annual award.

## Alonso blasts Governor King

by CHARLES STALLINGS  
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Ruidoso Mayor Victor Alonso blasted Governor Bruce King for being unresponsive and insensitive to the community's concern over a planned nuclear storage dump for Mesalero.

Alonso, speaking before the council meeting Tuesday, said he wrote the governor several months ago to seek help in monitoring the plans for the MRS. He also asked for a strategy to meet the opposition.

Alonso read the form letter response he received recently from the governor's office.

"Mayor Alonso, if I can be of any assistance please contact me in the governor's office."

It was signed by Ray Powell, special assistant to the governor.

"It makes one wonder," Alonso said. "When we send him (King) a two-page letter that says we're really concerned. You offered to help.

But you vetoed our request for a federal grant (to track the MRS), so produce for us. Give us a contact point and let's start planning a strategy. And then I get this two sentence letter back."

John McKean of the governor's office said King was in complete agreement with the village's opposition on MRS and has verbally voiced that opinion to Mesalero President Wendell Chino and indirectly to negotiator David Leroy.

He said that Admiral Watkins of the Department of Energy also knew of his opposition to MRS.

McKean was asked why King has not written the negotiator a very strong letter of opposition, a letter similar to the one written by the governor of Kansas.

McKean said King felt that would be inappropriate at this time. He said the governor was sensitive to the lawful negotiations between the Indians and the De-

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## Ruidoso mayor presents big bill to County Commission

by DIANNE STALLINGS  
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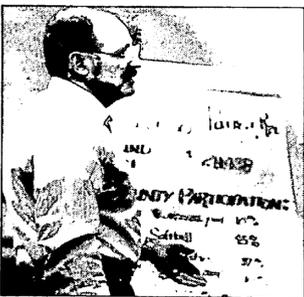
Ruidoso's mayor took pot shots at Lincoln County Commissioners Tuesday for their lack of financial backing of municipally-supported services.

But the pointed pellets delivered mere pinpricks in comparison to the barrage of information fired in a return volley by County Manager Andy Wynham.

Mayor Victor Alonso, substituting for Ruidoso Public Library librarian Mary Lou Gooch, was on the agenda to present information about a 1992-93 budget request.

Instead, he set up a flip chart and began to detail the percentage of financial participation he contended the commission should provide for recreation programs sponsored by the village.

He estimated county residents



VICTOR ALONSO

account for about 26.4 percent of the users of the community pool, softball and gymnastics programs, summer camp and day camp. Since the village is subsidizing those programs by \$211,438, the commission should kick in \$55,819, Alonso said.

Commission Chairman Stirling Spencer said he would like to see a weighted percentage indicating whether some of the activities cost more than others to run.

"I did not want to spend that much time, because I anticipated the outcome," Alonso said. "I have great expectations that you are going to treat me politely. I don't necessarily expect to get what I ask for."

### REGIONAL AIRPORT

On the next page of the chart were listed the Sierra Blanca Airport, the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center and the public library.

Alonso said he was proud that the council had been able to cut the red ink at the airport down to \$146,000. But he said 29 percent of the planes using the airport belong to county residents and the commission should contribute \$42,486 toward its support, he said.

"It's supposed to be a regional airport and only we (Ruidoso) are participating," Alonso said.

"The county was asked not to participate (in the airport) initially," Commissioner Bill Elliott

noted. "Why should we participate now when we know it's a losing proposition?"

Alonso contended that 30 percent of the users of the senior center live outside the village and the

county should chip in about \$44,000. Thirty-one percent of the patrons of the library come from

outside Ruidoso. The county's share would be \$42,628. Another \$29,175 would cover fires fought outside the city limits by the municipal fire department, he said. Alonso ticked off a few more areas of complaint: no road work in the village by the county, no contribution toward the County Humane Society animal shelter, only recent involvement in garbage collection and no direct participation in the county hospital in Ruidoso.

"The bad news is that I'm really suggesting we talk about some kind of participation (about \$183,000)," Alonso said. The good news is that Ruidoso accounts for 84 percent of the \$149-million of residential property value and produces about \$1.110-million in tax revenue for the county, he said.

Yet the county's history of financial support has been practically zero until the last two years and then, it was only a few thousand dollars, he said.

"The reason I have the courage to come here and ask you is because we (Ruidoso) have an \$800,000 deficit in the general fund."

Alonso asked the county to at least talk about some level of financial involvement, even if commissioners disagree with the figures he presented.

"As long as you do nothing, there will be feelings of hostility or distance between us," Alonso said.

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## Council cooks up its case for county money

Raising the tie down charges for Alto residents with airplanes at the regional airport was suggested Monday as a way to help Ruidoso pay for services that county and city residents share.

The idea was proposed by Village Councilor Ron Andrews during a workshop on the strategy Mayor Victor Alonso would use to ask the Lincoln County Commission the following day for more monetary participation.

"I would like to recommend that we look very hard at raising the tie down rates for airplanes for people who do not own property inside the village limits, and at raising the rates of any parks and recreation facilities we provide for the people who do not live inside the city limits," Andrews said.

"It turns out that a surveyor tells me we have several county type subdivisions tied in to the sewer," he said. "Yes, they are paying fees, but I haven't heard anybody talking about attacking the county for some of these repairs the EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) is fixing to shove down our throat."

"All I heard is Ruidoso and the Downs is going to pay for it. What about all these subdivisions between us? Why don't they have to pay? They're part of the problem."

"We're not talking about tapping the county a dime for the major repairs," Andrews said.

Many utilities include a repair and replacement charge as part of their monthly rate structure so all users share in those types of costs no matter where they live. But the Ruidoso-Ruidoso Downs system

has never initiated such a charge and will have to dip into their general funds to cover the cost.

"We took a step in the right direction," Andrews said. "We doubled the rates for everybody that is outside the city limits. But that's just one, there's got to be more."

Alonso said Sierra Blanca Regional Airport was built with 90 percent federal money. It was designed to be regional in scope until it was finished. For whatever reasons, Ruidoso took over the operation, he said. The county didn't pay for any of the operation last year and Alonso said he didn't think the commission would this year.

Alonso said the commission needed to be educated about the services provided by the village.

"What I'd like to do is go in there and advise them of what their share is, just to educate them," he said. "We generate dollars, the county gives us a back a minuscule amount."

"I don't have any problems going up there and saying we need \$125,000 from the county this year. If they refuse, we'll say, gentlemen, don't come back and offer us a thousand bucks, that's ridiculous, cause what we'd rather really do is cut out the services ... If you're a county resident and you want to use the library, it's going to cost you a \$10 per year subscription fee. If you're a resident of the municipality, it's free. If you park at the airport, it's going to cost you twice. If you bring an animal to the humane society, it's going to cost you ..."

And so, the village council's strategy for soliciting money from the county commission was formed.

## Counseling Center faces big budget crisis

by DIANNE STALLINGS  
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An emotional plea for continued financial support of Lincoln County Counseling Center was offered Tuesday by representatives of groups benefiting from the service.

The center had requested a \$20,000 allocation for 1992-93 from the County Commission. Instead, commissioners tentatively voted during a budget workshop to cut their previous annual contribution from \$10,000 to \$5,000.

Mitch Suess, chairman of the Otero-Lincoln Mental Health Association and a member of the center's board, said he was really amazed to see a budget cut instead of the increase requested.

"We made a \$35,000 investment in staff last year," he said. "We're not an optional 'gimme' program. We are a service provider. If you don't use us, you will have to use another. This is not a threat, but if you cut the budget, we'll have to cut services and staff. And if you hire a consultant, you'll be paying \$100 an hour from the time they pick up the phone until they return."

He said the demand on the center is increasing, more than 219 percent in rehabilitation cases, 109 percent in alcoholism cases and 100 percent in use of the crisis line.

The county can "receive the most bang for its buck" by sticking with the center, Suess said. "We can't take a cut to \$5,000. People will be waiting in line."

Cutbacks also would affect other agencies such as the sheriff's department, the schools

and the county public health nurse, he said.

Commissioner Bill Elliott asked whether the center's clients pay anything for the services.

"Most are indigent, unemployed and on public assistance," said counselor Paul Gallegos.

But when clients have insurance, the center files for reimbursement, said Sandy Clark, mental health therapist. And if they have some money, they will be charged on a sliding scale depending on their income, she said.

The center is a branch of the Otero County Mental Health Association in Alamogordo and receives 80 percent of its annual budget from the state. The center must raise the other 20 percent, Gallegos said.

"We don't get anything from anybody but the commissioners," he said. "I think we are attempting to go to the municipalities. We have in the past, but were rejected. I think we will try again."

Ruidoso residents account for more than 50 percent of the clients of the center, officials said.

Testifying to the tremendous help received from the center were assistant district attorney Viola Rhodes, Sheriff James McSwane, public



Earlene Price (left) and Jean Forister spoke Tuesday to commissioners.

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**WEATHER REPORT**

Wednesday's low..... 36  
Wednesday's high..... 77  
Thursday's low..... 38  
Thursday's predicted high..... near 80  
Friday's predicted low..... middle 40s  
Friday's predicted high..... near 80

According to Ruidoso's meteorologist Bill Hostetter the weather for today will be fair and warm. Southwesterly winds 10 to 20 miles per hour in the afternoon. For tonight it will be fair and mild. Friday will be fair to partly cloudy and continued warm. Southwesterly winds to 20 miles per hour in the afternoon.

Precipitation probabilities are 2 percent today, 0 percent tonight and 5 percent Friday. Precipitation totals: total for the month to date is 1.28 inches or 0.61 inches above normal, total for the year to date is 5.16 inches or 0.55 inches above normal. The snow this season is 66.6 inches, or 17.8 inches above normal.

The outlook for Saturday through Monday: Breezy and turning a little cooler Saturday and Sunday. Continued fair skies.

From The Almanac: Ruidoso's high temperature of 60 degrees on Tuesday set the record for April 23, set in 1948.

# Councilor J.D. James lashes out at board's power play

by CHARLES STALLINGS

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An angry Ruidoso Councilor J.D. James scolded Lodgers Tax Advisory Board (LTAB) Chairman Jay Francis Tuesday for what he perceived as a plan to unseat Convention Bureau Director Kathleen Michelena.

Francis came before the council with a late agenda item regarding the creation of a chamber convention and visitor bureau division. The village already has a convention visitors bureau with Kathleen Michelena the director.

"Everything I read here is nearly verbatim Kathleen's job description," James said.

Francis said it was a new position to sell the village, but James wasn't buying the premise and neither was Mayor Victor Alonso.

"This looks like an attempt by the Lodgers Tax Board to change the policy that this board has taken," Alonso said.

"The fact that we were going to fund the marketing, that we were going to do it in house, from the position that Michelena currently holds. That this was discussed, debated, and although not unanimous, it was a majority vote."

Francis said this individual would market the town.

Councilor Ron Andrews agreed with Francis.

"This doesn't say conventions at the convention center," Andrews said. "There are other hotels in this town who collect lodgers tax who would like to see small con-

ventions...."

James cut Andrews off at this point.

"Go into competition for meeting rooms one, two and three?" James said.

"It seems like a duplication," said Councilor Jerry Shaw.

"It seems to me like you got two individuals doing the same thing," added Alonso.

Chamber Director Joan Bailey suggested the lengthy meeting had taken a toll on the council and recommended tabling the item until the budget workshop at 9 a.m. Thursday.

Alonso criticized the chamber for the last minute entry.

"Deadline for the agenda is Thursday," he said. "There's been a lot of work put in here, some weeks I would say. It's late because this request was added at the end of the agenda. Don't bring us stuff at the last minute."

The plan to unseat Michelena has been rumored around village hall for many weeks.

The new chamber convention visitor's bureau idea was fostered by ex-LTC Chairman Mark Doth and chairman Francis, according to Francis.

Doth also works in the marketing department for the Ruidoso Downs Race Track.

The speculation is that Nancy Radziewicz, a good friend of Councilor Andrews, also a voting member of the chamber, was the heir apparent for the newly created job, which would duplicate Michelena's job.

Radziewicz and husband, Michael, are long-time friends of Andrews. They sold their West Winds Lodge to the councilor and, according to a statement Andrews made last year, they still carry his mortgage.

Mrs. Radziewicz, who runs a brochure distribution service, is deeply interested in the convention center. She often sat in on the planning for the convention center and offered suggestions on how to adequately size flea markets, trade shows and other similar activities.

She shared the council's philosophy at the time that trade shows would bring in more community dollars than the smaller conventions from meeting rooms of the proposed hotel to be built by race track owner R.D. Hubbard.

The council at the time insisted on a much larger civic events center than the original architects had planned and eventually replaced those architects with firms from El Paso and Alamogordo.

Before hotel construction was canceled by Hubbard, Alonso said that the convention center would be a losing proposition.

The council at times was at odds with Hubbard. The delays resulting from those differences may have interfered with an early construction start of the hotel that might have warded off the cancellation.

Losses from the larger convention center now seem destined to be even higher than expected.

Some feel the "no win" situation Michelena inherited, could make her a con-

venient scapegoat no matter how hard she tries.

Radziewicz was at Tuesday's meeting with Francis and chamber director Joan Bailey.

Recently, Radziewicz and Francis attended the National Tour Association (NTA) in Tulsa, Oklahoma. NTA is a forum for buying and selling travel services.

The Lodgers Tax Advisory Board acting on the recommendation of the Regional Advertising Board, known as the Ron Andrews Board, paid for NTA fees so they could attend. Radziewicz and Francis picked up their personal expenses.

At a recent LTC-RAB meeting, a representative of the track was asked for funding of a project. The rep said that her budget and Mark Doth's budget were downsized because of bad economic times.

Many feel that the Doth-Francis plan was a way to pick funds from Michelena's CVB account.

Indeed, at a recent meeting, money from Michelena's budget, some chamber money, part of Mary Maul's salary after she leaves MainStreet as executive director and LTC funds were all discussed.

Francis told the council Tuesday that the LTC-approved plan was not written in stone.

"It's just an idea. All we're proposing is an individual be sent out to sell this community. It's as simple as that," he said. "And no offense to Kathleen Michelena, but she has been given Parks and Recreation...."

That statement set James off again.

"I told you about that myself," he said. "That Parks and Recreation is on an interim period until the civic center was completed, I told you that."

The general consensus of village staff is that Michelena has done a superb job in restoring an organization and vitality in a parks department previously in shambles.

But village manager Ron Wicker has said that her primary job will be convention bureau chief when the civic events center is finally built.

"You said something about they (Michelena) hadn't advertised," James said. "In defense of Kathleen, we didn't have a hotel."

It was only about a week ago that the Village approved the completion of three meeting rooms. The director said she was reluctant to negotiate areas that were not in the best interests of the center to have to re-negotiate with clients.

Michelena said she had not been contacted by anyone on what she is doing in advertising for the village.

"No one has ever climbed those stairs to talk to me yet. No one has bothered to ask anything," she said.

Alonso asked if someone wanted to table the proposal until the budget workshop Thursday. Councilor Barbara Duff then made the motion to table. The vote passed with James registering the only "no" vote. He said he had much more he wanted to discuss.

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partment of Energy.

He said Ray Powell is the state's liaison between different state entities, including Indian tribes, in monitoring any MRS planning activities.

McKean seemed disturbed over the form letter approach sent to the Mayor. He said Alonso would be contacted immediately with an apology.

"The silence from our congressional delegation is thundering," said Dr. Bob Walters, reporting to the council on recent MRS activities.

"We had the opportunity to block this project with appropriate support from our congressional delegation at the end of phase one. That opportunity is passed," he said.

The congressional delegation is senators Pete Domenici (R), Jeff Bingaman (D), U.S. representatives Steven Schiff (R), Joe Skeen (R) and Bill Richardson (D).

"The next opportunity to block the MRS and the final opportunity will be at the end of the expenditure of the \$200,000, which must be spent within the next 90 days," Walters said.

Walters said it was imperative that the council urge the governor to take a high profile opposition position and influence the congressional delegation to the extent that he can.

Councilor Bill Karn said that Chino has said his MRS would not be located on the reservation.

Karn said the governor has the power to request the Attorney General to file an injunction against the DOE from issuing any more money to Mescalero Apache Tribe for studying the MRS on state land.

Karn then made a motion for an injunction.

"I move this council formally request the honorable governor Bruce King and the Attorney General's office to file an injunction against the Department of Energy to prohibit any studies of the MRS on state land and outside the boundaries of the Mescalero Indian Reservation."

The motion was passed unanimously.

Village manager Ron Wicker also sent a letter to Miller Hudson of Pacific Nuclear Systems advising him of the MRS Advisory Committee of Karn, Dr. Walters and Connie Kumler.

The Ruidoso Village Councilors firmly backed the planning and zoning staff recommendation not to compromise an ordinance in order to allow a depressed and sizable development to be sold.

The action seemed a clearcut victory for village zoning regulations and the planning staff that enforces them. It also put developers on notice that their monetary hardships are not a reason for variances.

Developer Warren M. Atkinson, visibly disappointed by the turn of events, personally attacked the village staff for their recommendations and then withdrew his request for variance.

During the meeting, Atkinson walked in front of the podium where he retrieved plans for a gravel fire lane that he hoped would be an adequate compromise to the desired paved road originally planned.

The council considered the gravel road unacceptable because of a variety of reasons including drainage and maintenance.

The developer contended that a

paved road would drive the cost per lot to an unmarketable level.

Chief of Police Richard Swenor, Water Department Director Richard Sanchez and Road Department head Charlie Armstrong all advised Planning Director Cleatus Richards to oppose the variance. Fire Chief Virgil Reynolds said he could possibly endorse the plan if the road was connected.

Councilor Ron Andrews said legal counsel had informed them of five criteria that had to be resolved before the board could allow any variance.

Rutten contended the special circumstances of the subdivision going bankrupt was justification.

Andrews said legal staff informed the council monetary concerns do not qualify.

Alonso was disappointed that the developer and Planning and Zoning Commission (P&Z) had not been able to affect a compromise.

At the previous council meeting, the councilors had asked Joel Rutten of Coldwell Banker to return to the negotiating table with P&Z and Richards.

Instead, Rutten and developer Warren M. Atkinson returned to the council with the same proposal as originally submitted.

Councilor Barbara Duff said that she personally visited the area last week and was convinced by the steep grades that bypassing the code would be creating problems at a future date.

Richards said it was the position of the planning staff that the requested variance cannot meet the requirements for a variance and should not be given further consideration by the planning commission or village council.

Richards said to do so would encourage subdividers to circumvent the subdivision regulations and have the eventual affect of invalidating those regulations.

In a letter to the council, Richards wrote that the subdivision regulations are specifically designed to protect public health, safety and welfare. Village staff will continue to work with subdividers to accomplish development which maintains these objectives and maintains substantial conformance to the village subdivision regulations.

### REST OF THE STORY

In other action, the council: —Tabled an ordinance concerning business registrations and licensing.

—Approved a bid award from WRC Electric for electrical services.

—Tabled possible action for a bid on Suburban EMS

—OK'd a special dispenser's permit for Win, Place and Show's annual party.

—Approved a partial plat vacation for White Mountain Meadows.

—Approved the vacation of a right of way for lots 421 and 423 in Skyland Addition.

—Approved a resolution pertaining to predetermination hearings.

—Scheduled a public hearing for an ordinance relating to special events and alcoholic beverages on May 26.

—Scheduled a public hearing for an ordinance pertaining to utility disputes on May 26.

—Scheduled a public hearing for proposed ordinance regarding security alarms on May 26.

## Counseling

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health nurse Theresa Luna, Carrizozo school counselor Earlene Price and Ruidoso school counselor Jean Forister.

"I have a heavy case load and see a lot of human misery," Rhodes said. "Unfortunately, I can't help."

What she can do is refer people to the center or convince a judge to include counseling and rehabilitation as part of a conviction order.

"There is no way for these people to receive assistance other than through the center," Rhodes said. "And if the center breaks the chain of physical abuse in one family, it's invaluable to the community in arrests we don't have to make later."

McSwane said the center probably saves his department as much as \$50,000 a year. Therapists come to the jail to counsel in emergencies and counseling keeps many others out of jail.

Forister spoke of the rash of teenage suicide attempts in the county.



SANDRA CLARK

"I can't tell you how many times Sandy (Clark) has saved a kid from suicide," she said. "We're all spread so thin already."

"Counseling is the thing we get to spend the least time on," Price said. "The center is our last bastion of defense."

Price choked back tears as she began to describe one incident where Hall intervened and stopped a suicide.

"She (Clark) is always ready to jump in the car and come down," Price said, regaining her composure.

Clark told commissioners that even middle class families can't afford the rates charged by private counselors.

"When I was hired a few years ago, my supervisor told me there wouldn't be enough work here and that I should come to Alamogordo one day a week," Clark said. "Within six months, I was bugging him for additional help. I have a case load of 150 clients and that's unheard of."

"The problems always have been there, but I think getting help for them is not as much of a stigma as before. But just as we encourage them finally to step forward and ask for help, we may have to put them on a waiting list (because of financial cuts)."

With a faltering economy, the center expects to see more family, alcohol and drug abuse cases, Clark said.

"It scares me that we might not be able to provide emergency crisis intervention. I know this seems like an easy area to cut, but we save the county so much money over a wide range," Clark said in a trembling voice that broke several times.

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Elliott pointed out that the hospital receives about \$700,000 from a special county tax levy.

Alonso noted that Ruidoso residents pay a large portion of that tax, just as they do the property taxes that cover work on roads outside the village.

"There's no gate that says now you're going into the county or the city," Elliott said. "You need roads outside to serve city residents."

### WYNHAM RESPONDS

Wynham, a former Alamogordo city commissioner and Otero County clerk said he's been on both sides of the issue.

"Let's take a look at all the other services city residents receive for their \$1-million in property tax," he said. "There are things (municipal representatives) always leave out."

"The county clerk's office exists for the benefit of all residents in and out of the cities."

More elections are staged for city voters than county voters, he noted.

The jobs of recording property, assessing it and sending tax bills are handled through the county as part of the \$1-million in Ruidoso generated tax.

"In any county, the bulk of land parcels are in the municipalities and it's the number of parcels that accounts for the percentage of expenses," Wynham said. "We could come back with an approximate percent to show you where the services go."

For their \$1.1-million, city residents share the use of county roads. The duties of the sheriff's department overlap the city police.

"Then there's your gross receipts tax," Wynham said. "Ato residents (who live in the unincorporated portion of the county) with planes probably generate a high percentage of Ruidoso's gross receipt taxes by shopping in the village."

If county residents account for 31 percent of the users of the library and they stopped going, it wouldn't cut the operational budget by a like percent, Wynham said.

"I think the city and county need to find a meeting point, but I think

residents need to hear all of the figures," he said. "More than 50 percent of the clients of the Lincoln County Mental Health Counseling Center are from Ruidoso, yet the county is paying all of the local government cost."

"I'm not just trying to counter (Alonso's points). Some are valid to talk about."

"I don't take offense to your rebuttal," Alonso told Wynham. "It was effective. I gave one side. I realize there is another."

"I'm inviting you policy makers to sit down and talk about it. There are precedents for participation."

Spencer told Alonso that he hopes there will be more cooperation between the two entities in the future.

He would like a breakdown of the number of county residents using different types of recreation and what those activities cost. "It doesn't cost as much to run a baseball league as it does a pool," he said.

Alonso said, "I appreciate that attitude because that's all I'm asking for at this point."

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formation of two additional commission districts.

Nunley told *The Ruidoso News* he was notified late last week that the ruling also would be applied to his case if he chose to follow Howell into court.

Parsons acted on Nunley's petition Monday. Proctor said both of their names will appear on the June 2 primary ballot.

"Now that I am officially a candidate for the county commission, I look forward to serving the people of Lincoln County with honesty and dignity," Nunley told *The Ruidoso News*.

"I believe that with some hard work and cooperation among the five commissioners that we can make our county 'the' leader among counties in New Mexico."

"I would like to assure the voters that I will always try to get them the most that I can for their tax dollar."

Proctor told the county commission Tuesday that it was only

through court orders that the two men were back on the ballot.

"It's not that I'm just letting everyone on the ballot," she said. "Noting that there have been several similar cases across the state, she added, "It's the first time since 1962 that precinct boundaries have been rearranged, so I suppose the courts are being more lenient."

"There's been a lesson gained with all of this," said Commissioner Bill Elliott, who is the incumbent in District 3 and running for reelection in the Republican primary. "Anybody who runs in the future will check to be sure they have all their ducks in a row."

He agreed with Commission Chairman Stirling Spencer that carried to the extreme under the prevailing reasoning, someone could demand to be put on the ballot just because he was thinking about running but had been told he wasn't qualified because of the address confusion.

"To me, the burden of responsibility should be on the people seeking the offices," Elliott said. "We had five special meetings trying to

educate the public when we enlarged the commission (from three to five seats), apparently five was not enough for some."

Proctor said she has not been able to put together ballots for the June primary because of the court contests and because she has not been able to contact Harrow to conduct a draw for positions on the ballot.

"The absentee ballots were to be available last week (April 23)," Proctor said. "I'm concerned because there are service people overseas waiting."

An application to receive an absentee ballot may be obtained by calling the clerk's office at 505-648-2394 or the county sub-office in Ruidoso at 258-3321 or by writing to the County Clerk, P.O. Box 338, Carrizozo, NM 88301.

Applications also may be picked up at the clerk's office, delivered to a voter and returned, but another person may not hand deliver a ballot. A ballot must either be mailed or the voter must vote the ballot in the clerk's office.

# Third time's the charm for LCMC's election

by DIANNE STALLINGS  
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It took three tries, but officials of the Lincoln County Medical Center have won approval for a special September election to ask voters for their continued financial support.

The County Commission Tuesday approved an election date of September 15, instead of piggybacking the issue on the crowded November general election ballot.

"Our real concern is that it might get caught up on the negative end of the ballot when people are voting no to everything," said Dub Williams, hospital board chairman.

Voters will be asked to continue for another eight years a 4.25 mill property tax levy, which funnels

about \$900,000 a year (from 3.25 mills) to the hospital in Ruidoso. One mill goes to the Carrizozo Health Clinic.

The money can be used for operation and capital expenditure. The commission has the authority to reduce the amount of the levy if the full millage is not needed. (One mill is equal to \$1 for each \$1,000 of taxable property value).

The hospital's total budget is about \$8.5-million. The ability of the hospital to use the money to

buy equipment and to cover indigent and bad debts has kept it free of debt.

Williams told commissioners that the hospital board had secured a private source to cover the estimated \$7,000-\$8,000 to pay for the special election.

Presbyterian Hospital, the Lincoln center's parent corporation, allocates about \$50,000 a year for unexpected needs in the county, Williams said. The money would come from that pot.

County Clerk Martha Proctor asked Williams whether the hospital wanted a regular election or a mail ballot.

"I just assumed it would be a normal special election," Williams said. But he and the hospital board representatives will meet with Proctor to work out details.

In other business, commissioners:

—Heard a request from the town of Carrizozo for \$5,000 toward the operation of the community pool

this summer. Some of the money is needed to provide handicap access, said town clerk Carol Schlarb. Commissioners will consider the request in a budget workshop. Chairman Stirling Spencer said he favored the request, because it is one of the few forms of recreation for children available in the town.

—Approved two resolutions for Commissioners Monroy Montes to take to the Western Interstate Region convention in California. One calls for revamping the payment formula for reimbursement in lieu of taxes on government land within the county. The other urges that any reauthorization of the Endangered Species Act should balance the needs of the species with private uses of public lands.

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Sports

# Humphreys breaks Braves' record

Sharing the middle school's long jump record with another athlete wasn't good enough for Kyle Humphreys. He just had to go a few inches further.

Humphreys tied Jose Marquez's record of 18 feet, two inches in the Braves track meet April 14 at Tularosa, but Thursday he took his chance to break it. He jumped 18 feet, five inches for a three inch margin over Marquez and first place at the Hagerman track meet. Humphreys, a three-sport athlete at RMS, seems to have found his niche in track and field events.

He was the high-point individual for the boys team for the second meet in a row. Humphreys also earned a first place in the 100 meter dash with a time of 12.55 seconds. He also crossed the finish line first in the 110 meter hurdles in 17.82 seconds. A second place finish in the 300 meter hurdles in a

time of 47.20 seconds wasn't bad either because Humphreys did cut a tenth of a second off his time in both of the hurdle events.

Also competing well for the Braves for the second week in a row, Rex Comanche placed first in the 400 meter dash in a time of 57.36 seconds, which was three seconds faster than his previous best. Comanche earned third place in the 1600 meter run with a time of five minutes, 25.47 seconds, also an improvement on his time.

Matt Bell also had a personal best performance in the high jump at a height of five feet, two inches for fourth place. Kody Sparks placed fifth in the mile and took 10 seconds off of his earliest time. Kirk McGee also ran in the 100 meter dash in a time of 13.29 seconds and the 200 meter dash in 28.79 seconds.

McGee teamed up with Bell, Joey Bewley and Danny Schrader in the 400 meter relay to cross the finish line in 52.56 seconds. Robert Surguy ran the 200 meter dash in 31.06 seconds and the 400 meter dash in 1:11.67. Robert Guardiola ran the 400 meter dash in 67.27. Matt Norbury finished the 800 meter run in 2:49.24. He also competed in the shot put and discus.

Bewley also ran in the 100 meter hurdles and the 300 meter hurdles, while Bell finished the 100 meter dash in 19.91 seconds. Chris Ortega threw the shot put and discus, while Comanche threw the shot. Erik Kakuska competed in the discus, while McGee and Schrader were also in the long jump.

The medley relay team of Bell, Schrader, Guardiola and Kakuska, completed the race in 4:45.41.

The boys team captured fourth

place out of 13 teams at the meet. Coach Borde Williams said he was pleased with their performance in most areas, but one or two races put them off track.

The girls got eighth place out of 14 teams, which wasn't bad for only two girls placing, Williams said.

Lindsay Willard was second in the 100 meter hurdles with a time of 19.27 seconds, and fourth in the 100 meter dash with a time of 14.23 seconds. In the 200 meter dash she came in fifth with a time of 30.31. Willard also competed in the long jump.

Amalia Baeza took the top prize in the long jump after finally topping a rival from Cloudfcroft. Baeza placed fifth in the 300 meter hurdles and also competed in the 100 meter hurdles.

The next meet for the teams will also be their last. The Braves are set to compete Saturday at Roswell.



Erik Kakuska rounds the final turn ahead of his competitors during the 800 meter run at the RMS Braves' track meet on April 10. Kakuska won first place in the event in a time of 2:35.59.



## Practice tee

Warrior golfers warm up before teeing off in the Leroy Gooch golf tournament Wednesday at The Links at Sierra Blanca. Jeff Chapman (front) lead all players at the Links with an even par 72.

# Soccer players still in running for state cup

The Road Warrior soccer team will have to wait until next year to take another step toward the state title, but several Ruidoso players are still in the running on out-of-town teams.

The under-12 soccer team played four games in the state cup tournament on Friday and Saturday in Las Cruces but couldn't advance to the next round of the competition. Roy Seay, who helped coach the team, said the kids did a pretty good job and had a good time. It was exciting because they had never gotten that far before, he said.

Seay said Ryan Humphreys was a real stand-out at the meet, and he became a real leader. All the kids learned a lot because it was such a tough level of competition. If a team has a deficiency, it really shows up

at a meet like this, he said. The team's one problem was man-to-man defense.

"Our shooting, passing, tactics and technical skills were all excellent, but we just couldn't get the defense down. Now we know what we need to do for next year," he said.

Getting this far was a major step for the group because there has never been a Ruidoso team competing in the state cup. Soccer players had to try out for out-of-town all-star teams, and several Ruidoso players are continuing in competition on these teams.

Jimmy Stover is playing on the Alamogordo Blue Knights under-13 team, which is continuing on in the state cup playoffs. Eight teams are left in the competition. Brent Buchhagen competes on the Roswell



BRENT BUCHHAGEN



JIMMY STOVER

Sidekicks which will be playing in the under-12 finals in Las Cruces this weekend.

Cory Hood and Danny Schrader are playing for the Alamogordo under-15 all-star team and were the stand-outs on the team in last week's games.

Seay said the teams will begin playing again this fall after registration at the end of August. The coaches for the team are Greg Carey, under-10 team; Terri Goff, under-12 team; Raymond Harris, under-14 team and Dean Hood, under-16 team.

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# Ruidoso Downs may be moving back down the hill

by KRISTIE SULZBACH  
Ruidoso News Staff Writer

The Ruidoso Downs village hall may be moving to a new location sooner than expected as the trustees voted Monday night to have the mayor and village clerk look into some options.

Mayor Joe Hayhurst said he and clerk Leann Wehbrecht will be looking at the feasibility of moving the village hall back to a location on Highway 70, possibly in the same lot as the old village hall, which was torn down last year. He said they are going to try to get several bids on a double-wide modular building. They will be getting other ideas as well to present to the board at the next meeting, May 11.

The utilities at the present location in the old Redmen Club are too much for the village to afford each month, Hayhurst said. Downs residents would also like the village offices to be in a more central location.

The city offices were moved from the old village hall in May 1991 to the present location because of a sewage leak under the building

which was potentially hazardous. The Environmental Improvement Division asked the village to clean the area up, but the building wasn't stable enough to have the dirt excavated from under it.

The building was then torn down and the current board of trustees approved a soil sample test on the area for possible sewage contamination and contamination from an underground gas storage tank. They have not heard yet what the results are on these tests, but it will be an important part of whether they will be able to place another building in that same location.

In other business, the board approved a project by the volunteer fire department to raise money for playground equipment at the village park. David Wehbrecht, village employee and assistant chief of the fire department, said they want to go around to area businesses and ask for donations for the project. He said the firemen will also donate one month of calls to contribute to the fund.

He said they have picked out a playground set that has a slide, a tire swing and bars to climb on, for \$3,688. If they raise more money they will get more items.

"The playground equipment we have now is dangerous and is about 20 years old," Wehbrecht said.

Businesses who donate can also have their sign put on the fence of the park's baseball field when it is completed, he said. The fire department may also set cans around at area businesses for people to drop their donations into. Flyers will also be put up around the village to remind people they are trying to raise money for the equipment.

They will start going around to businesses on Monday because they hope to get the equipment in this summer, Wehbrecht said.

Trustee Judy Miller asked if someone could possibly fix the basketball hoops at the park so people can use them this summer. Billy Page, village employee, said they did fix the hoops last summer, but they were abused and parts were stolen from them. The volleyball

net was also stolen.

If they got a new net or equipment someone would have to take care of it and put it away each night. Trustee Charlotte Craig said many people like to use it after 5 p.m. when village employees go off duty so it would be an extra trip for them to do it. Page said there are lights in the area so people can even play after dark too.

Leann Wehbrecht said she would check to see what new nets would cost and to see if there was a way several people could take turns at being responsible for the equipment.

The board voted to have trustees Ray Fredrickson and Jackie Branum serve on the New Mexico Municipal League transportation and public works policy committee and share the responsibilities involved. Wehbrecht had been selected to serve on it, but she said she isn't going to have the time to do it. The committee coordinates with the legislature on certain laws, but they only meet once or twice every three months, she said.

The village will pay the expenses for Fredrickson or Branum to go to the meetings, which are in Santa Fe, Wehbrecht said.

Also appointed to the Senior Citizens Board were Trustee Miller, Barbara Kilough, Florence Harris, Shirlene Fitzner and Ida Hale. This board will help organize events and resolve problems senior citizens in the community might have.

The village will also be renting hydraulic equipment from Trustee Fredrickson to patch utility cuts in the streets for \$25 per day if he doesn't have to purchase special liability insurance. Village attorney Bob Beauvais will check to make sure Fredrickson doesn't before the crew begins work.

Another item on the agenda was tabled because the person did not attend the meeting. Ray Reed was concerned he was getting overcharged on his water bill on the five houses he has on one meter. Clerk Wehbrecht said Reed didn't feel he should be charged for the houses that are not in use. He is allowed 16,000 gallons of water for each of

the four houses not metered. The fifth house is billed a minimum up to 4,000 gallons plus any amount more than the minimum at \$1.70 per 1,000 gallons up to 10,000 gallons.

She said if he had separate meters for all of the residences the village could pull the meters, and he would not receive a bill for these houses. If he wanted to reconnect the house, there would be a fee of \$125 as stated in the village laws, she said. Reed was given a copy of the ordinance after the concern came up.

In comments from the public a resident requested the village do something to have a family living across the street from her clean up a pen they are keeping three horses in. Mayor Hayhurst said they had already written a letter to that person and two others, to remind them of the village law concerning horses. A person may have one animal per 1/8 of an acre and all owners are required to keep the area clean so it does not become a public nuisance.



## Sudderth project on schedule

Road work on Sudderth Drive is still on schedule for completion by mid-May if the weather holds.

Armstrong Construction of Roswell is on target to finish the project by May 15 as planned by the state highway department who contracted the project, which is a part of Highway 48, to Armstrong. Bill Armstrong Jr. said the progress is going smoothly and they have had no problems since beginning on April 7.

The crew was delayed one day by rain after they had scraped the old asphalt off the street and were preparing to begin the overlay, he said. He said they are still avoiding working on Saturday and Sunday but could if they were approaching the deadline.

"We anticipate finishing the project on the week of May 15," Armstrong said.

The crews have had excellent cooperation from the village and the merchants who have been inconvenienced by the work, Armstrong said.

## Lions Club televises auction

The Evening Lions invite Ruidoso residents to retire their channel changers on Tuesday, May 5, and use that changing finger to dial in to their Tele-Auction beginning at 6 p.m. on Channel 11.

"Lost of good merchandise has been contributed," said Ed Hyman of the Lions, who stressed that the money the Lion's Club earns goes right back into the community through donating eyeglasses to the needy and providing \$2,000 in college scholarships each year.

"Call your friends and tell them about it," said Hyman, noting that the Lions have already spent \$1,600 this year on glasses for schoolchildren. The club is proud of being able to provide this service, but more money will be needed to meet the demand.

School nurses, teachers and social workers refer children who need glasses to the Lions Club, which checks out the family's financial condition and then works with optometrist Dr. Randall Cox to check the eyes and determine if glasses are needed.

"If the kid needs glasses, we'll just buy him a pair. It's that simple," said Hyman. "We're doing our thing and we need help."

Get a good deal and help the Lions at 6 p.m. Tuesday, May 5, by tuning in to the tele-auction on Channel 11.

## RHS seniors set to celebrate

Ruidoso High School seniors will celebrate graduation night with an all-night party, complete with food, games, music and plenty of donated prizes.

"If every business in town will donate just \$10 in cash or merchandise, we'll be able to show the kids a great time," said organizer Beth Sayner.

If you'd like to help, call Sayner at 258-4244.

Seniors also will have a banquet on Tuesday, May 26, at the Jockey Club at Ruidoso Downs. Tickets will be available for \$10 at the school.

## Wager on Kentucky Derby here

Racing fans will be able to watch and wager on the renowned Kentucky Derby from Churchill Downs without leaving the Southwest.

Ruidoso Downs Sports Theater will accept wagers on the 118th \$500,000 Kentucky Derby while bringing all the live action up close through the technological advances of simulcasting.

Kentucky Derby Day, Saturday, May 2, is annually the biggest day for the Sports Theater which is one of Ruidoso's more popular entertainment spots. Parking and general admission into the theater are free and doors will open at 10 a.m. Free seating is available on a first-come-basis with \$2 reserved seats

available.

A special barbecue buffet will be offered on Derby Day for \$5.95. Back by popular demand will be Kentucky Derby souvenir glasses for \$2. First post for Kentucky Derby Day at the Sports Theater will be 11 a.m. with the Kentucky Derby post time set for about 3:32 p.m.

Almost 400 3-year-olds, headed by Arazi and 12 of the 13 2-year-olds he led to the finish line in the 1991 Breeders' Cup Juvenile, have been nominated to the Derby.

The star of the early nominees, Arazi stunned Breeders' Cup audiences everywhere by sweeping around the field.

## Council OKs birth control for dogs, cats

A jubilant Humane Society of Lincoln County leaped to the forefront of animal control when the Ruidoso Village Council Tuesday passed a mandatory spaying and neutering ordinance for village cats and dogs.

The council added a sunset clause of one year and then passed the ordinance unanimously. There was very little opposition to the ordinance present in the village chambers.

The council acted on reports that unacceptable numbers of healthy but abandoned dogs and cats are put to death by the Humane Society of Lincoln County.

Randy Basch, manager of the shelter, said that more than twice the dogs and cats were being destroyed this year than last. He said the shelter averages 108 deaths per month.

A violation of any of the provisions in the article is punishable as provided in section seven of the code.

## Quick thinking really pays off

by CHARLES STALLINGS

Ruidoso News Staff Writer  
Slick Willie Clinton has nothing on Ruidoso's own Councilor Ron Andrews.

Calling last year's Lodgers Tax a run away horse, Lodgers Tax Advisory Board Chairman Jay Francis attempted Tuesday to recapture the spirit of LTC funding with new addendums to the LTC resolution.

Francis had said that organizations like Councilor Ron Andrews' Golden Aspen Motorcycle Rally should not receive lodgers tax money. He said that should go to organizations like the Lion's Club or Rotary Club promoting ideas for non-profit reasons.

Last year Councilor Andrews told The News that he was considering not asking for more tax money. His event is at least 20 years old and not necessarily considered new blood. Besides that, it's earning a profit and does not need LTC assistance.

But Andrews the businessman asked for \$4,200 this year and \$2,500 has been budgeted. It has not yet been approved.

There were two proposed addendum changes that would disqualify Councilor Andrews from receiving LTC money this year.

Item 8 said applicants may only receive funds for two consecutive years. They must then sit out one year and resubmit giving a good reason.

Andrews has received \$4,500 over the past two years. Clearly he would have to sit out this year if Item 8 wasn't extended to read three years.

Item 9 reads, Organizations are for Non-Profit reasons.

Councilor Andrews' Golden Motorcycle Rally is a for-profit business. He clearly wouldn't qualify under the new proposal.

Before the new addendums had time to cool, one had been shot down sometime last weekend.

Francis asked the council Tuesday that Item 9, the non-profit stipulation, be withdrawn.

He said he polled LTC committee members over the weekend to get permission to ask that Item 9 be withdrawn. He said he also had talked to Andrews over the weekend, but it was about the new Convention Visitors Bureau (CVB) concept.

That left Item 8 as the only obstacle that could prevent Andrews' motorcycle rally from receiving LTC money, and Councilor Andrews was masterful in changing that addendum.

While discussing Item 5, the councilors were debating the percentage of matching funds to require from applicants.

Andrews came up with a brilliant idea.

For Item 5, (still three away from Item 8), "I would offer that the first year be a 20 percent match, that we extend Item 8 to allow three years. The first year is a 20 percent match, the second year is dollar for dollar match and the third year is a dollar for dollar match."

Andrews just qualified himself for another year of LTC money.

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# Marathon hearing over Capitan teacher continued

Around Town

by DIANNE STALLINGS  
Ruidoso News Staff Writer

The cafeteria tables were overflowing at Capitan High School Wednesday as parents and students crowded into a hearing on the proposed dismissal of vocational-agricultural teacher Joel Edwards.

What they heard was conflicting testimony from administration officials, students and others about Edwards' alleged act of insubordination and how it was handled by high school principal Darrel Stierwalt and Supt. David Lock.

After 12 hours of testimony, the Capitan School Board went into a closed executive session at 1:30 a.m. Thursday.

"We considered all of the information and about 3 a.m. decided we needed more time to think about this situation, which is far from simple," Board President Preston Stone said about 4 a.m.

The board will reconvene their closed session, still under the umbrella of the hearing, at 5 p.m., Wednesday, May 6. At some point thereafter, the meeting will go back into the sunshine and the board will vote whether to uphold the recommendation to dismiss submitted by Lock.

Edwards has said he will call for state mediation if the decision goes against him.

Stierwalt and Lock contended Edwards deliberately violated a direct order to immediately stop cutting meat in certain agricultural courses and that he enlisted students to act as lookouts the day the alleged unauthorized cutting was performed.

But Edwards countered he had been given a grace period to complete previous commitments to hunters for the preparation of game meat. He claimed it was his handling of a shoplifting incident involv-

ing two students that prompted complaints from parents, not the meat cutting months earlier.

The boys were the young sons of school board member Jack King and Sheriff James McSwane.

Edwards, who has taught at Capitan four years but has more than 20 years of experience, was put on paid administrative leave March 20 by Lock.

State Rep. John Underwood (D-Ruidoso), acted as Lock's attorney at the hearing and Kenneth Wilson from Roswell represented Edwards.

Underwood questioned whether Jack King should continue to sit in deliberation on the case since he may be called as a witness and his son definitely would be called.

Wilson said King should be disqualified.

"He can't sit as both a witness and finder of fact," Wilson said. "There's enough evidence to show that Mr. King should not be deciding the future of Mr. Edwards."

But hearing officer Chuck Nolan said he would reserve a ruling on King's role.

Several parents on both sides of the issue were angered when they learned they would not be allowed to give input unless called as witnesses with direct knowledge of the incident.

Donna Hogan, an Edwards' supporter, contended parents who requested a meeting with the board had been told by Lock in a letter that they would be allowed to speak at the hearing.

"I called him the following day to ask for a meeting with the board and he said we did not deserve that," Hogan said. "Maybe he did not pass that along to (board president Preston Stone) and the board. Many parents expected to be able to speak based on what Lock told us."

Underwood led his witnesses

through the chronology of the order from Stierwalt in December to cease cutting meat in Edwards' second period, eighth grade agriculture class; the circumstances of the alleged violation and of the administrative conferences.

Attorney Wilson stressed that meat cutting was a legitimate part of the agricultural curriculum and that the local program had produced national award winning Future Farmers of America (FFA) members.

He asked Stierwalt whether the principal thought it odd that the unauthorized meat cutting allegedly took place in December, but complaints about the class and incident weren't filed until March. That was a few days after the two boys were discovered by Edwards to have shoplifted some tobacco from a convenience store while on an FFA trip. Both boys testified the theft had occurred.

"The fact that the boys were caught shoplifting days before the complaints didn't seem strange...funny that they wanted to fire the shop teacher four days after that incident," Wilson asked.

King's son, Justin, testified that his parents pulled him out of the agricultural class as a punishment for the shoplifting because he enjoyed the course. McSwane's son also was withdrawn from the class in March.

Justin King and Andrew Cody Wilson testified that students had been told by Edwards (in December after Stierwalt's order to stop cutting meat) to sit at the window and watch for administration officials while Edwards and other students surreptitiously cut meat in the back lab.

But later, a class aide said no one was at the windows that day.

While some students said the

unauthorized meat cutting took place the day of or day after Edwards' announcement of the ban on meat cutting, others said it was much later and there was more than one incident.

Stierwalt said he first mentioned that Edwards placed too much emphasis on meat cutting in that agricultural class during a November evaluation. (Proceeds from the meat cutting go to the FFA chapter).

But it wasn't until December that he verbally advised Edwards to stop the meat cutting in that particular class. The only specific written reference was a note Stierwalt wrote to himself. A vague reference on the December evaluation refers to adhering to curriculum guidelines.

Teachers are required to ensure that students obtain certain "competencies" in each class as a measure of the success of the course.

"I'd had several complaints from parents that they'd like their kids to be doing more things in class," Stierwalt said. "(Edwards) promised me he would move out of meat cutting because he could cut in (two wildlife and animal science classes) and after school. The curriculum was different in those classes and the amount of cutting was more consistent."

Board member King questioned why Stierwalt didn't record the order in writing "if you thought it was so important."

"I told him verbally and wrote a note to myself," Stierwalt responded.

It was important enough to result in firing, "but it wasn't important enough to put in writing?" King followed up.

"That probably was an error on my part," Stierwalt said. "I felt the

(written) statement to follow the curriculum would be enough without detail."

Wilson noted that there was no written record of a recommended remedial action or specific directions on how Edwards could remedy his deficiency.

He also was critical that Stierwalt and Lock had left Edwards out of the investigation process for one month while they talked to other people.

Stierwalt said he had to run a school while conducting the investigation and that took time. He saw no reason to involve Edwards until he knew there was some basis to the complaint.

All students who testified said that Edwards had announced to the class the administration order not to cut any more meat, but that he subsequently did cut more meat.

Stierwalt said Edwards admitted cutting meat after the order to fulfill back commitments. He denied that he granted a grace period to Edwards.

Stierwalt admitted that he was unaware Lock had made the decision to dismiss Edwards, but said he would have done the same thing.

"Without compliance with rules and regulations, there would be chaos in school," Stierwalt said. "I felt as a professional, I could expect Mr. Edwards to follow through and stop cutting meat."

Wilson said state law provides for several defenses against a dismissal for insubordination. They include that the charges are not proven, that a pertinent school rule or order was not given, that the order was not violated, that the motive for violation was admirable, that no harm occurred because of the violation or that it was an unreasonable order.

Capitan Mayor Frank Warth appears to be in the lead for the honor of kissing a pig and sending the band to California.

The announcement of the winner of the contest and the special kiss are scheduled for 8:30 a.m. May 4 in the Capitan high school gymnasium.

A barbecue beef plate will head the menu May 9 at a dinner to help raise money for the projects of Friends of Smokey.

The dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Capitan high school multi-purpose room.

Great food and great entertainment will go for \$5 now and \$6 at the door. Tickets are available at Noisy Waters Artwear in Ruidoso, the New Mexico State Forestry headquarters in Capitan, Smokey Bear State Park in Capitan, the Capitan Chamber of Commerce and the Capitan branch of Ruidoso State Bank.

The Lincoln County Rodeo Association will begin its season with a playday on May 3.

All playdays will be staged at the Lincoln County Fairground arena in Capitan.

Young people from around the county are invited to participate. Information about the playday and other events may be obtained through a newsletter available at Ruidoso State Bank in Capitan or by calling one of the group's officers: president Jerry Cazares, 258-5056 and vice president Renee Cupit, 354-3025.

The whole community is invited to stop at Cattle Country Hardware at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 2, to celebrate the official ribbon cutting and grand opening of the Capitan business owned by Bennie and Carol Peterson.



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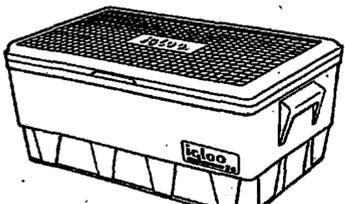
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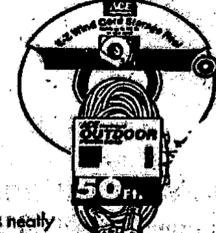
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# Dan Storm pays tribute to his dad

## Our Father's Birthday

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This will be three days before the birthday of our father. Lynn Whippo Storm was born May 3, 1879, in Roschester, Pennsylvania, to Francis David Storm and the former Althea Ellen Reno.

While still a young child, he was brought to Denver, Colorado, where he attended grade school and East Denver High School where he met his wife-to-be, the former Bertha Catherine Kennedy. They were married in Denver May 30, 1906.

This marriage was blessed by six sons: John Whippo Storm, Daniel Agnew Storm, Marcus Kennedy Storm, Joseph Duffield Storm, Lynn Walter Storm, and an infant son who was called Home by Our Lord at birth.

Before his marriage, Lynn attended the Colorado School of Mines at Golden, Colorado. He graduated in the class of 1902 with high honors as president of his class and also class poet.

This was very fitting, because, although he was greatly gifted in mathematics, engineering and science, he remained in addition to all his other talents, at heart a poet.

And although he rose to the top in his profession as a petroleum geologist he also found time for writing.

As a mining geologist, mining engineer, and government surveyor he went twice to Alaska—first to Valdez, then to Juneau, and later Copala, Sinaloa, Mexico.

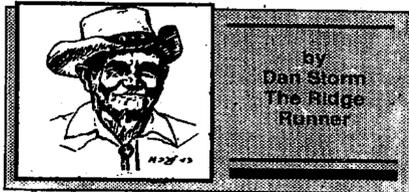
### A School Mate Turns the Tide

After returning from Mexico, Lynn found himself in San Antonio, Texas. Here he met one of his class mates from the Colorado School of Mines who told him he had changed from mining to oil geology, and advised Father to enter this field.

He soon became a geologist for the Sun Oil Company. When his brother, Jerome, heard this he said: "That company is lucky. When they get Lynn they get brains and they get honest."

Father worked for the Sun Company 40 years, and worked to the age of 75 — 10 years past the retirement age.

The company's attitude was: "Lynn is doing a top job, if he wants to retire he will have to



come to us."

And Lynn often said, "I am not going to the company to retire, they will have to come to me."

Finally, shortly after his 75th birthday, Father told the company: "I think I will retire and go be with my son, Daniel, in New Mexico."

The company officials said: "Well that's fine, Lynn, but you have a job here with us as long as you want it."

### Active Retirement

While in Alaska, Father had collected legends of the Copper River Indians, to which he gave the title: "The Winter has Grown Shorter," which was the statement made by the storyteller after each story.

He also wrote poems and short stories and children's stories. Also he kept in touch with his school magazine, "Mines Magazine," contributing articles about improving the curriculum — teaching more English, for example.

A book length about the Ice Ages, "The Ice Comes and Goes" is among his works, as well as articles on oil geology which are used as texts in Universities.

Throughout his career Father made hosts of friends among "all sorts and conditions of men." His school mate Frank Bowman, in an article about Father in "Mines Magazine" said: "Lynn Storm was universally admired and liked. No one was ever known to dislike him."

Father was active in Saint Anne's Chapel in Glencoe, and was often a delegate to the Diocesan Convention. And he was a true Christian gentleman.

On this beautiful spring day our father's spirit is very fondly near visiting me from Heaven on the approach of his birthday.

### The Swallows Arrive

About noon today, the 26th, a pair of swallows began circling the house, looking for a place to build their half-bowl-shaped mud-house. For years now they have made their home and raised their young under the eaves of

the house.

These are the swallows of song and story, that are the messengers of spring and bringers of good fortune. They are about two of three weeks late this year, like their companions of spring — the blossoms and leaves.

Now they are perched side by side on the REA wires in front of the house welcomed by a spring day full of many magic charms. The fragrance of the lilacs is everywhere on the breeze.

Light thunder rumbled over the western hill, and the clouds floated in bringing gently falling raindrops. Now the meadows are sparkling with raindrops shining back the gold of the sun.

And the little calves, so white and red after their rain bath, are eating the new grass although they are only a few days old. And so the sun journeys to the western hills on a story-book spring time day.

### Morning Prayer At Saint Anne's Chapel

Last Sunday, Lay Reader Frank Crawley conducted morning prayer, and preached a sermon based on the words of Our Lord: "Fear not, for I am with you always."

We were all glad to see Paul Jones at church and to know that he is recovering well.

Lay reader Nellie Ruth Jones gave thanks for the birthdays of Beth Sweeney, Del Delhotal, Paula Arriaga and Kenneth Nosker. And for the wedding anniversary of Ken and Irene Nosker.

### The Golden Year In the Mountain Land

Now in mid-morning of April 27, you look out on the blue bird field to the green meadows and the large apricot tree in full golden green leaves and apricots already half size. And beyond you see the oak brush green and light crimson among the evergreens — leaved out all in a day. Beyond, the American flag light cloud are floating in the blue sky above the mountain horizon.

Down the way apple blossoms are giving way to the bright green leaves and the young apples. Peaches, plums, cherries and pears are growing rapidly, nourished by the great life force that abides in the ground from the winter snows and spring rains.

Each day brings new rejoicing in this golden year in the mountain land. Let us thank God for this green and flowery spring with its bright promise and all our other many blessings.

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This year's theme is "La Fiesta del Nuevo Mundo" (Celebration of the New World). The dramatic clash and exciting interchange of ideas and cultures will be represented during the program.

The dancers will be featured at 7 p.m. on Friday, May 15, and again at 7 p.m. Saturday, May 16, at the Hondo High School Gym.

Admission is \$4 for adults, \$2 for students.

A traditional Mexican dinner will be prepared and served by parents and school staff from 4:30-6:30 p.m. This special plate costs only \$4.

To assure the best view reserve seat tickets are also available for \$6 (Meal not included in any of the tickets.) To order reserved seat tickets, call the school at 653-4411.

In a continuing effort to preserve their Hispanic heritage, more than 100 students from K-12 grades will be participating in this year's 40th performance. The program, which

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This year's masters of ceremonies will be Hondo school superintendent Sergio Castañon, Frank Herrera and Lynda Sanchez. Mrs. Zinn will announce the elementary segment of the program.

Every year, public response to the folk dances and music have been enthusiastic. This year's program will consist of the elementary portion and of course, the main part featuring the junior and senior high school students dancing to such New Mexican and Mexican classics as the popular Cafe Colon, Jesusito en Chihuahua, La Varsoviana, El Jarabe Tapatio, Valse del Valle and many others. Each year at least one or two new numbers are added to the program.

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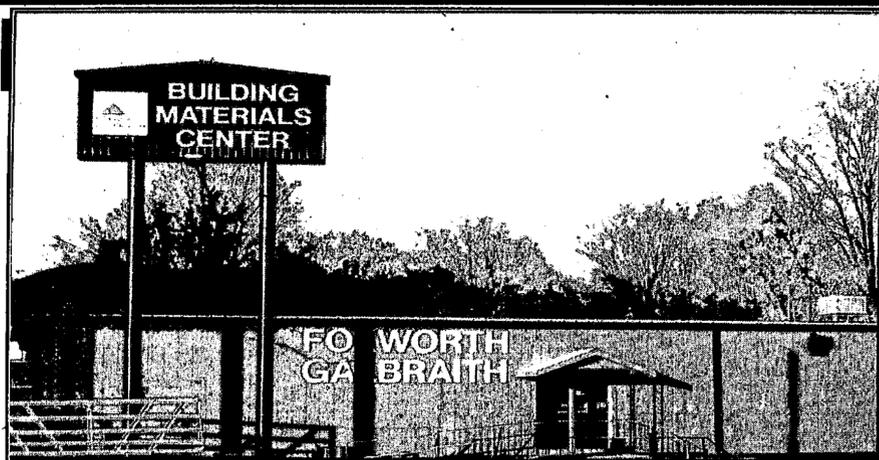
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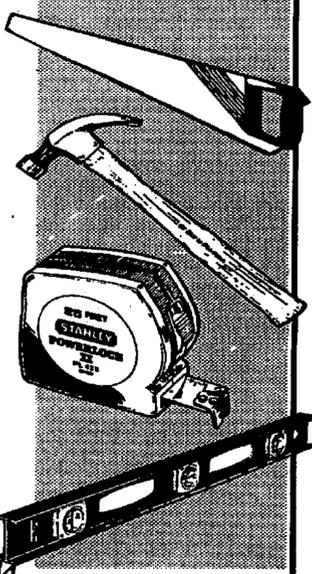
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We've been given a warm welcome here - my family and our business. I appreciate everyone's patience and support. So to all our Customers and all my fellow Foxworth-Galbraith Associates, thanks very much.

Come by and say hello anytime, we'd be happy to see you

**Cesar Olvera : Assistant General Manager**



Cesar has been in the building materials and lumber business for eight years in Ruidoso and brings to his job a great deal of practical knowledge and first-hand experience. Cesar, 30, and his wife Deanna, have four children, Adrian, Fabian, Marissa and Ericka.



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# Opinion

THURSDAY, April 30, 1992

Ruidoso, New Mexico

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## Editorial

### Register by Tuesday to vote in June primary

Tuesday is your last chance to register to vote or update your current voter registration before the June 2 primary.

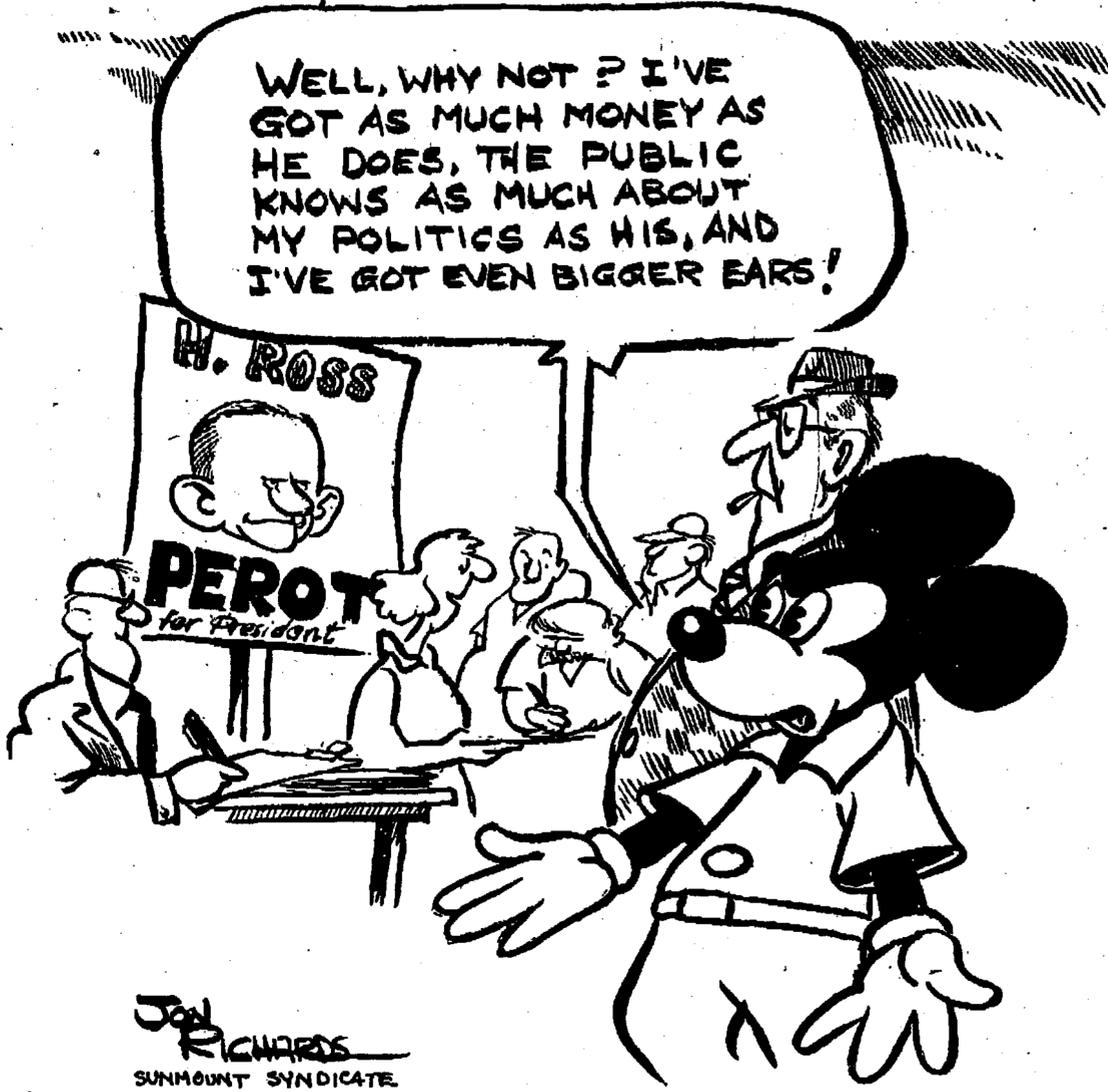
If you aren't registered to vote by 5 p.m. Tuesday, May 5, you'll miss your chance to select major party candidates in the June 2 Democrat and Republican primaries. That's the last day that the voting books will be open for additions or changes to voting registration information.

Districts and precincts both have been changed in Lincoln County, and County Clerk Martha Proctor has mailed that new information to all registered voters. She cautions all voters to check that little blue card carefully to make sure the information is correct. She said some changes can only be made with a new affidavit, so if you have any questions, please call her at her office in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, 648-2394. If there is a problem with your voter registration, the worst time to find out is when you get to the polls and find that you may not be eligible to vote.

If you need to know more about the new district and precinct lines, stop by the county courthouse in Carrizozo or the county sub-office in Ruidoso to see the maps on the wall.

Books will reopen the Monday following the primary election, and voters will then have until 28 days prior to November 3 to get registered before the general election.

Deputy voter registrars can update your registration or complete your affidavit. They're available at the County Clerk's office in Carrizozo, at all village halls in the county, at most banks. Don't miss your chance to vote. Register by 5 p.m. Tuesday.



Jan Richards  
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## LETTERS

### Peso says everybody will benefit from the MRS

TO THE EDITOR:

You recently published a letter from a member of the anti-nuclear organization Southwest Nuclear Alert. It was filled with incorrect information.

For example, one glaring error is that communities around an Indian reservation are not eligible for economic incentives associated with the MRS. Wrong! Congress provided the U.S. Nuclear Waste Negotiator with the authority to do exactly that.

Further, the Mescalero Apache Tribal Council has openly stated that if we proceeded to a negotiation with the government, we would work with our neighboring communities to identify local benefits and to assure an equitable role and share for them in those federal benefits.

The scare tactics in that letter are clear. Talk about a "70 mile kill zone" is just so much buffalo chips. That's like saying there are enough chemicals in a single supermarket

to kill or injure everyone within 70 miles. The MRS has no explosive force and would be built like Fort Knox—a steel and concrete storage vault. There is more than 40 years of experience with such used fuel storage and no accidents have hurt anything or anyone.

We're after facts. That's the best way to make important decisions. Most people in New Mexico can understand facts and nuclear energy, since it was born, developed and raised here, so to speak. A fear and

hysteria campaign by the anti-nuclear folks should not be welcome here in this area or in the state. We urge you and your readers to reject that approach.

The Mescalero Apache Tribal Council will not undertake a project which endangers its people or its lands or its neighbors. That's common sense, and we are noted for that.

Frederick Peso, Secretary  
Mescalero Apache Tribe and  
MRS Program Manager

### Skeen got bad rap in story on town hall meeting

TO THE EDITOR:

Reference your article, "Joe Skeen scoffs at N-Waste scare ..." in the April 16, edition. I attended the town hall meeting in Capitán on April 14, and feel Joe Skeen "got a bad rap..."

Your sources are either unreliable and/or were out to cast Congressman Skeen in a bad light for their own reasons.

Being a newcomer to the area, I don't know Joe Skeen, and am not familiar with his record in Congress. But in all fairness, you shouldn't rely only on sources with their own particular axe to grind. To point out some of the in-

accuracies in your article: 1. There were fewer than 100 persons in attendance, not the 200 you imply, 2. Skeen most certainly did get a round of applause when he adjourned the meeting, as well as receiving applause on several other occasions, 3. Skeen never said he was "tired of MRS," 4. He also did not say, "just don't write to me, I've had enough" (in reference to MRS).

The meeting was monopolized by the SWNA (Southwest Nuclear Alert) crowd. While I agree 100 percent with their goals, their methods, at least during the town hall meeting, didn't win them any sympathy or support. The SWNA spokespersons asked the same

leading questions over and over, and tried to make the entire one hour allotted for the meeting a forum for their own particular agenda. I don't know how Joe Skeen "kept his cool" under their incessant badgering. Skeen feels strongly that MRS will not happen (beyond Part A, Phase II), because of the unanimous opposition of the New Mexico congressional delegation, the state government and local government bodies. This is the point he was trying to convey! In no way did he try to minimize the threat of MRS to our way of life. His point about writing to him regarding the MRS was that he "has the message," knows how we

feel and is doing his best to help kill this MRS insanity. His advice to SWNA was, instead of complaining about lack of access to the federal negotiator, DOE, etc.—come to me, your congressman; I'll get you that access.

All in all, the meeting was productive. A good number of people made their interests known to the

congressman. It was the end of a long day for Skeen, and he was obviously tired. I wished he could have spent more time with us, but do appreciate his interest and efforts in our behalf.

Stuart M. Bloss  
Alto

### More on Sudderth...

TO THE EDITOR:

This is an additur to my letter to the Editor relative to Sudderth Drive published in your issue of April 20.

There is one point I failed to make. The section of Sudderth Drive extending westerly from the intersection with Mechem Drive to the Traffic Circle is owned by and

under the control of the Village of Ruidoso. The Village is responsible for maintenance, et cetera, of that section of road. I believe that this is the only exception to the Highway Department control and maintenance liability on Sudderth Drive.

Dan D. Swearingin  
Ruidoso

### Thanks for the Easter egg hunt!

TO THE EDITOR:

Thanks so much to Ellen Bizzell of the Ruidoso Parks and Recreation Department for putting together the Easter hunt. It was very organized with the age groups and everything. Thanks for limiting the number of eggs because I know a lot of people that got there late and didn't get any of the eggs. Also,

thanks for the prizes put in the eggs and to the people who took their own time hiding the eggs. I know all the kids appreciated it because I know they had a wonderful time!

Thanks again.  
Olivia, Chelsea, and Farrah  
Whitaker  
Ruidoso

People

Coming Up

Today Through May  
on Tuesdays and Thursdays

5-8 p.m.—NMSU ADULT BASIC EDUCATION English as a Second Language course for Spanish speakers at White Mountain Intermediate School. No charge for this class with no pre-registration required. For more information call 258-9138.

Today

7-8 p.m.—SIGN UPS FOR SENIOR BASEBALL for kids 13 to 15 years old at the White Mountain Cafeteria. For more information call Scott at 257-9818.

7:30 p.m.—"THE NIT WITS" will be performed by Ruidoso High School's beginning drama class in the drama room at the high school. The cost is \$3 for adults and \$2 for students.

Friday, May 1

7 p.m.—"HOW TO BE A HERO TO YOUR KID," the first of two video sessions, will be presented at First Baptist Church, 420 Mechem Drive. The first session, "A Hero's Plan for Positive Parenting" and "Building Self-Worth and Value in Your Child" will be shown at this meeting.

Saturday, May 2

11 a.m.—SECOND ANNUAL PEOPLE CARE BENEFIT GOLF SCRAMBLE at The Links at Sierra Blanca, Ruidoso, with more than \$11,600 in prizes, including a 1992 Chevrolet S-10 Pickup. \$55 entry fee includes green fees, cart, refreshments, chance for 20 door prizes, and \$30 tax deductible donation to People Care, Inc. For information, call Bill or Frances Jones, 257-7601.

Sunday, May 3

10:30 a.m.—EPISCOPAL CHURCH in Lincoln County will meet at the Chapel of San Juan in Lincoln for the Holy Eucharist followed by a parish picnic. Everyone is invited. The chapels of St. Matthias and St. Anne will not have services on this day, however, there will be brief celebrations of the Holy Eucharist at 8 and 10:30 a.m. at Church of the Holy Mount in Ruidoso. For more information, call 257-2366.

1 p.m.—GOLF TOURNAMENT sponsored by

Lincoln County Unit of the American Cancer Society at Cree Meadows Country Club. Tee time is 1 p.m. The public is invited. Please sign up today.

1-5 p.m.—CHAPARRAL HOTEL REUNION OPEN HOUSE at Cree Meadows Country Club (North Forty Room). Anyone who worked at the Chaparral with the Whipples is invited.

Monday, May 4

5 p.m.—SWNA will meet in the meeting room at the high school. For more information call 378-5457.

6 p.m.—FIRST MONDAY meeting of the Republican Party of Lincoln County in the TePee Lounge at Ruidoso High School. Republican candidates in the June Primary will be the program. The public is invited.

6:30 p.m.—PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL of the White Mountain Elementary school will meet in the teachers lounge. All parents of White Mountain Elementary students are invited.

7 p.m.—WRITERS OF THE PURPLE SAGE will meet at the library.

Tuesday, May 5

9:30 a.m.—LCMC AUXILIARY in the Conference Room at the hospital.

Saturday, May 9

10 a.m.—BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT walking tour of the Three Rivers Petroglyph Site. The tour is open to the public. For further information contact Joseph Martin in Las Cruces at 525-8228.

6 p.m.—DEMOCRAT COUNTY CONVENTION at the Smokey Bear Restaurant. All Democrats invited. Order from the menu.

Tuesday, May 12

7 p.m.—LINCOLN COUNTY COMMISSION for Ross Perot organizational meeting at the Ruidoso Public Library.

868 Jehovah's Witnesses convene in Alamogordo

Members of the local congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses attended a one-day assembly in Alamogordo this past Sunday.

A total of 868 persons from Alamogordo, Tularosa, Ruidoso, T or C, Socorro, and one of the four English congregations in Las Cruces were in attendance for the event in Alamogordo High School gymnasium.

Don Russell, a local spokesperson for the group, provided some details about the program.

"The theme for the event was 'Working Hard at Doing God's Will,'" said Russell.

"Sadly, for increasing numbers today, work has become a source of frustration and great uncertainty. Yet most people would agree having an unfulfilling job is better than having no job at all. How fine if all had purposeful work that was both productive and satisfying.

"The assembly program emphasized that the work of doing God's

will brings the greatest happiness now as well as in the future."

As a highlight of the event, Russell said, "We were pleased that a representative of the Headquarters Staff of Jehovah's Witnesses at Brooklyn, New York was here. J.D. Mercante was present, and delivered the two key discourses of the event, 'Does God's Will Govern Your Life?' and 'Our Purpose in Life—Doing God's Will.' Another notable aspect of our assembly is the baptism of newly qualified Witnesses. Baptism by complete immersion in symbol of one's dedication to God is an important part of doing God's will. These in turn encourage others to take up the important work of preaching the good news of God's Kingdom in fulfillment of Matthew 24:14."

In conclusion Russell said, "We are looking forward to our next convention which will be a three-day event held in Amarillo, Texas in June."



JULIAN G. AFFUSO AND LINDA C. ZAMORA

Engagement is announced

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland L. Zamora of Capitan have announced the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Linda C. Zamora of Capitan.

Her intended, Julian G. Affuso of Capitan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Affuso of Deming.

The couple has planned a wedding ceremony at 4 p.m. July 18, in the Lincoln County Historical Monument Park in Lincoln.

A reception will follow at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds in Capitan.



Prom royalty

Prom King Manny Guardiola and prom Queen Jennifer Stephens celebrate Saturday at the Inn of the Mountain Gods in Mescalero.

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# Here's Jolene: a girl who tells it like it used to be

by YVONNE LANELLI  
Special to The News

Here's Jolene, the sweetheart first of a defense plant, then the USO, then later US occupying forces in Japan.

Jean Jordan of the New Mexico Endowment for the Humanities presented "Here's Jolene," a seriocomic monologue of a young woman's meeting life during World War II. Jordan's appearance formed the program for the local American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) meeting Wednesday morning, April 22, at the Senior Citizens Center.

"Jolene's story is based on my life as a World War II entertainer," explained Jordan. "Back then a singer didn't have to have smoke effects, special lighting or a tattoo on her skimpily clad rear!" She then set the mood with a nostalgic medley of songs popular in the Forties.

Donning coveralls, bandanna and West Texas twang, Jordan now became Jolene, a 17-year-old riveter in a World War II defense plant in Grand Prairie, Texas. Singing at the plant's talent show led to an invitation to join the USO.

For the duration of the War, Jolene sang and danced her way across the country, at times sharing the stage with popular movie stars

also there to entertain the troops. Much to their delight, Jordan involved her audience as a star-struck Jolene, took pictures of "Clark Gable," "Mickey Rooney," "Ava Gardner," and others — really members of a laughing audience.

Switching costumes, props and music, Jordan took Jolene through the Blitz in London then to the South Pacific. There she performed her glamorous best despite "legs covered with jungle rot and red gums foaming from trenchmouth."

At war's end, Jolene was offered a two-year contract to entertain for the Allied troops occupying Japan.

"I thought about going home to Portales," Jolene paused, "and chose Tokyo."

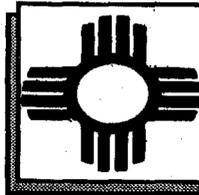
After the show Jordan invited her audience to share their World War II memories with visiting school children. Some in the audience had been in Europe, the South Pacific or Japan at the same time as Jordan herself.

"I bet we danced the jitterbug together," she teased one veteran.

Jordan is available to perform any of her one-woman shows to groups who request her. Contact the New Mexico Endowment for the Humanities in Albuquerque at 277-3705.

## Contributed Comment

# People Care provides needed help



By Frances Jones  
Contributed Comment

Have you ever tried to live on \$422 per month? This is what a mentally ill person receives in New Mexico if he is eligible for SSI (Social Security Income).

Most people with a serious mental illness often wait over a year to receive these meager benefits. The paperwork is lengthy and confusing, especially to one who is suffering from a chemical imbalance which affects the mind. In the meantime, family and friends try to help, supplying food and housing.

In some cases, however, there is no family support, and the mentally ill person is homeless, wandering from place to place.

About two percent of Ruidoso's citizens are mentally ill, if percentages follow the National average. Some receive help from the Counseling Center; others have no help at all. Since the illness varies by degree of severity, many are able to hold jobs and others live with aging parents, often discontented and without hope.

If the mentally ill person needs supervised housing, they have few choices in New Mexico. At the present time, there are only 46 beds in the State, and all are "transitional."

If the illness is extremely serious, the person is sent to Las Vegas Medical Center — or else he ends up in jail. All housing, other than at LVMC, is on a contract basis, with a "provider" — none is available directly from the State.

There are no transitional beds in Lincoln County, Otero, Chaves, De Baca, Torrence, or

Curry County. Recently, a nine-bed transitional unit in Santa Fe closed, with the clients placed in small apartments in various locations in the city.

As for "permanent" home in New Mexico, for the mentally ill, there are none. Many live in privately-owned boarding homes.

The families who started their own grassroots non-profit—People Care, Inc., are trying to fill a void in the State. They first appealed to the Health and Human Services Department, Mental Health Division, asking for housing for their family members who need safe, affordable housing. They asked for a plan by the state to fill this need. They waited. No plan was forthcoming.

Some of the parents tried to help a group of people who were starting a small group home at Serafina, New Mexico. It failed, due to lack of funding. Other parents bought small homes or condos, placing their family member there, checking on them and helping them exist

alone. There were many problems, although a few were able to live independently.

Bill and Frances Jones, of Ruidoso, have been working on the People Care housing projects for two years. One small home in Roswell is now open, State licensed, and is providing comfortable housing for three mentally ill people. A larger home is nearing completion, and will be an affordable, supervised home for six men. Renovation of the homes has been accomplished with the help of a number of dedicated volunteers, many of whom are from Ruidoso.

Although the People Care homes are located in Roswell, they will provide a safe home for several people from Ruidoso. So far, no state or federal funds have been received, although People Care has applied for funds from the State. Since the beds are not "transitional" in the homes, the state is not funding any new programs, even though housing is urgently needed.

People in Ruidoso and Alto have made significant contributions to the People Care homes.

This year's fundraiser, the 2nd annual People Care Benefit Golf Scramble, will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 2, at the Links at Sierra Blanca. The entry fee will include a donation of \$50 to help the People Care homes. Amateur golfers from all over the area are expected for this event.

# Ruidoso Municipal Schools cafeteria menus for May

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>BREAKFAST</b>				<b>WAFFLES WITH BUTTER AND SYRUP COLD CEREAL FRESH FRUIT</b>
<i>*MILK SERVED DAILY</i>				
<b>4 CINNAMON ROLL ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>	<b>5 SCRAMBLED EGGS BISCUIT FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>6 BAGEL AND CREAM CHEESE ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>	<b>7 MUFFIN DU JOUR ASSORTED CEREAL FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>8 PANCAKES WITH BUTTER AND SYRUP ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>
<b>11 BREAKFAST BURRITO WITH EGG FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>12 FRUIT MUFFIN ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>	<b>13 CINNAMON ROLL ASSORTED CEREAL FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>14 SAUSAGE BISCUIT WITH EGG 100% JUICE</b>	<b>15 APPLE MUFFIN ASSORTED CEREAL FRESH FRUIT</b>
<b>18 WAFFLE WITH BUTTER AND SYRUP ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>	<b>19 BAGEL AND CREAM CHEESE ASSORTED CEREAL FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>20 MUFFIN DU JOUR ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>	<b>21 PANCAKES WITH BUTTER AND SYRUP ASSORTED CEREAL FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>22 CINNAMON ROLL ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>
<b>25 SAUSAGE BISCUIT WITH EGG FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>26 MUFFIN DU JOUR ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>	<b>27 BREAKFAST BURRITO WITH EGG FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>28 CINNAMON ROLL ASSORTED CEREAL 100% JUICE</b>	<b>29 MANAGER'S CHOICE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!!!</b>

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>LUNCH</b>				<b>1 STEAK FINGERS CREAM GRAVY MASHED POTATO MIXED VEGETABLES DESSERT DU JOUR</b>
<i>*MILK SERVED DAILY</i>				
<b>4 CHILI WITH BEANS LETTUCE, TOMATO, AND CHEESE HOT ROLL FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>5 MACARONI &amp; CHEESE TOSSED SALAD PEANUT BUTTER COOKIE</b>	<b>6 PEPPERONI PIZZA MACARONI SALAD CORN NELLETS FRUITED JELLO</b>	<b>7 CHICKEN NUGGETS FRENCH FRIES GREEN BEANS CAKE DU JOUR</b>	<b>8 COBY DOGS TATER TOTS TOSSED SALAD SLICED PEACHES</b>
<b>11 PIZZO PIE SPANISH RICE CHILLED FRUIT CUP</b>	<b>12 SPAGHETTI WITH MEAT SAUCE MIXED VEGETABLES HOT ROLL APPLESAUCE CAKE</b>	<b>13 CHEESEBURGER FRENCH FRIES COLE SLAW CHOCOLATE CAKE</b>	<b>14 BBQ CHICKEN 1/4 BAKED BEANS POTATO SALAD WATERMELON</b>	<b>15 DELI SUB SANDWICH POTATO CHIPS TOSSED SALAD FRESH FRUIT</b>
<b>18 TURKEY TACOS LETTUCE, TOMATO, AND CHEESE PINTO BEANS CHILLED PEARS</b>	<b>19 BEEF-A-RONI GREEN PEAS HOT ROLL COOKE DU JOUR</b>	<b>20 CHILLED CHEESE SANDWICH FRENCH FRIES PICKLE SPEAR FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>21 CHICKEN POT PIE HOT BISCUIT APPLE COBLER</b>	<b>22 NACHOS WITH MEAT AND CHEESE LETTUCE, SALSA REFRIED BEANS SWEET CORNBREAD</b>
<b>25 SAUSAGE PIZZA TATER TOTS TOSSED SALAD FRESH FRUIT</b>	<b>26 CHEESEBURGER FRENCH FRIES COLE SLAW SPICE CAKE</b>	<b>27 PASTA DU JOUR MEAT SAUCE TOSSED SALAD DESSERT DU JOUR</b>	<b>28 MANAGER'S CHOICE</b>	<b>29 MANAGER'S CHOICE HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!</b>

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**Southwest Souvenirs & Gifts**

Pottery - Windbells - T-shirts plus much more!  
Come in and see!  
Lay-way Available All Year

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An insulation blanket can dress your water heater for energy success, especially if the heater is located in an unheated area of your home. Insulating the hot water pipes leaving the heater and adding a heat trap loop can also save energy.

Another way to save on the cost of heating water is to keep the heater set between 120° to 140°F. As a final money-saving accessory, consider a timer for the heater so that the heater doesn't cycle on when you're not home.

For more information about saving energy, call or visit your local Texas-New Mexico Power Company office and ask for the free booklet, "Energy Management Guide."

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Duran Duran Hair Designers  
Ruidoso Paint Center  
Don Victors Restaurant  
Hamburger King  
Great Wall of China  
Pizza Hut on Mechem Drive  
Hummingbird Tea Room

**CRIME STOPPERS**

**"CRIME OF THE WEEK"**

The Ruidoso-Lincoln County Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$1,000 for information that leads to the arrest and Grand Jury indictment or Magistrate Court Bindover of the person or persons who committed this crime or any other unsolved felony crime in Lincoln County. Let's work together to call a stop to crime.

**Phone 257-4545**

**ARMED ROBBERY**

On the 4th day of December, 1991, the Furr's grocery located on Mechem Drive in Ruidoso was robbed. The perpetrator left the store with an undisclosed amount of cash, and may have been seen by someone outside the premises.

Crimestoppers will pay a \$1000 cash reward for information leading to the arrest and magistrate court bindover or grand jury indictment of the person or persons who committed this crime. Crimestoppers will also pay cash rewards for information that solves other felony crimes or leads to the recovery of stolen property.

Anyone having information relating to this crime or any criminal activity is urged to call Crimestoppers. The Crimestoppers phone line is manned twenty-four hours a day, and persons calling Crimestoppers do not have to give their name to become eligible for a cash reward. The Crimestoppers phone number is 257-4545. Anyone calling Crimestoppers outside the local exchange, may call collect within Lincoln County.

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**COUSLING CENTER** — Individual, family, marriage, and groups. Psychiatric counseling, 3rd party. Sliding fee scale for private pay. HELPLINE 437-8680 or 257-5038 21-C-82-tfc

**EXQUISITE SIX BEDROOM** — 6 bath home. Magnificent view, great rental history. Call Jeff at Doug Bass and Associates, 258-5252. 19-D-21-tfc

**FOR SALE BY OWNER** — three bedroom two bath mobile, on large lot. Del-Norte sub-division. \$35,000. 257-6362 M-H-97-5tp-Thurs.

**ALTO** — 2-1/4 DEER PARK WOODS TENNIS CLUB TOWNHOME, unfurnished, watch tennis from deck, walk to Country Club. \$129,000. 512-263-2246 M-H-101-13tp

**TWENTY ACRES** — Modern house 3 1/4 miles past White Oaks on left. 15 miles from Carrizozo New Mexico. Owner financing or cash. Call 505-257-4289 or 806-797-6529 leave message. 26-M-1-2tp

**ELKS LODGE BINGO** — every Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m., Early Bird 7:00 p.m. Kitchen will be open - come out & play & eat with us! E-R-81-tfnc

**LOST** — small white Peek-A-Poo male puppy. Lost in Ruidoso Downs. Wearing a green collar with Alamo tags. Call 257-5298 days or 378-4474 nights. M-K-104-2tf

**LARGE MOBILE LOT** — in Alto Crest, unit 2. Excellent location in the trees. Call Jan Mullican owner/agent. 257-3100 or Century 21 257-9057 19-M-71-tfc-Thurs

**INN CREDIBLE** — seal on builders view. Lot in Juniper Hills, nothing down, seller to pay closing costs. \$11,300. Owner/Agent. 336-4978. 19-1-99-tfc

**TWO BEDROOM** — one bath house, with combination kitchen/living area and fireplace. Covered front porch and large deck. 163 ft. Cedar Creek frontage with tall pines. \$39,500. 257-5672. 27-L-103-7tp

**ANNOUNCING** — The Ruidoso Reporter: a weekly publication of The Ruidoso News.

**FOR ANY PERSONAL CRISIS** — call the Mental Health Hotline at 1-437-8680 (collect). M-55-tfnc

**LOT LAJUNTA RANCH** — Flat corner lot reduced to \$6,885. Call 257-7061. M-B-100-6tp

**HOME FOR SALE** — 1 to 4.4 acres. Three bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, one car garage. 2800 sq. ft. Extremely energy efficient, excellent views, stream, pond, secluded. Call 336-4662. 25-W-95-tfc-Thurs

**FOUR BEDROOM** — three bath, carpet throughout, cathedral ceiling, wet bar, windows galore and Sierra Blanca view. Super location with easy access. Fantastic for entertaining. Three plus acres in city with tennis court. One of a Kind! BY OWNER. 257-7061 for appointment. 41-B-100-6tp

**50 ACRE PECAN ORCHARD** — Producing, with double-wide mobile in Deming, New Mexico area. 915-751-4834. M-H-100-4tc-Thurs

**NEW HOUSE (105 Snowbird Ct.)**  
Quality throughout in this three bedroom, 2 bath with Jacuzzi tub. Located in prestigious White Mountain, Unit 11.  
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**YOU CAN GIVE** — the gift of sight by being an eye donor. Contact any Lion or call 257-2776 for details and a donor card. Do it now; there is a tremendous need for eye tissue. L-87-tfnc

**UPPER CANYON CABIN** — 1003 Main Road, Two bedroom, one bath. Enjoy the river from the deck. Partly furnished. Ready to sell. \$49,500. 257-5909. 22-D-98-8tp

**RUIDOSO ALTO VILLAGE** — Large house on 3 lots in Alto Village. Over 3,000 square feet. Four bedroom, two baths. Hot tub, sauna, 360 degree views. Two car garage, auto door, two fireplaces. Full Country Club membership, Jockey Club seats available. Call Nick Patterson, Owner/Agent. 505-898-1948 or American Realty, 505-897-3657. 42-P-96-tfc

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**TWO BEDROOM** — fireplace, cathedral ceiling, workshop. On corner lot. Metal roof. Carrizo Canyon. Upper 40's. 257-7040. 16-B-101-tfc

**JJ. Kirchoff Real Estate Broker**  
**FARMS**  
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**FOR SALE BY OWNER** — Three bedroom two bath. Low down payment, owner financing. Gateway area. 257-4574. M-S-103-tfc

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**HAVE HOUSE WILL TRADE** — 2400 sq. ft. house with 10 1/2 acres, adjacent to golf course in Floyd County Texas. Want to trade for home in Ruidoso or Cloudercroft area. Call 806-667-3622 before 7:30 am. or after 8:00 pm. or on weekends. 36-H-98-8tp

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**RUIDOSO SERTOMA CLUB BINGO** — at 2160 Highway 70 East, Ruidoso Downs (formerly Big A Auto Parts and Repair building). Thursday, Friday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Doors open at 6:00 pm. Early Bird Special game at 7:00 pm. Concession stand open. Call 257-2777 or 378-4292 after 5 pm. All proceeds over payouts and expenses will be given to Lincoln County charitable organizations. Your Bingo dollars stay in Lincoln County for use of those in need. 72-S-78-tfnc

**DECORATORS DREAM HOME** — with Alto golf membership. Assumable VA Two car garage. Views, pines, skylights. Extra low price for area and amenities. Owner/Agent. 336-4203. 19-W-100-6tp

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**WE ARE INTERESTED** — in any size business for sale or business opportunity in Ruidoso. Also interested in residential property. Details to: Nolan's, 3326 Shandon, Midland, Texas 79707. M-N-1-1tp

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**\$68,500 TOWN AND COUNTRY NORTH**  
Like new! Quiet 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Great access, nice, quiet area, one level with plenty of pines. Owner financing possible. Call Darlene. #20282

**\$77,500 VALLEY EAST ESTATES**  
Great mountain cabin on approximately 1 acre. Chale/A-frames with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, rock fireplace, tall pines. Call Joe Zagone. #01791

**\$34,900 RUIDOSO PINE LODGE**  
Cute Ruidoso cabin. Two bedrooms, 1 bath, comfortable, light and open with fireplace and nice knotty pine interior. Call Peggy. #10015

**\$47,500 WHITE FIR**  
Perfect mountain retreat in the pines. Desirable Upper Canyon. Two bedroom, 1 bath with assumable REC. Close to river. Call Joyce. #20049

**\$49,900 ENCHANTED FOREST**  
Quiet setting. Three bedroom, 2 bath doublewide on approximately 1 acre. Large living area, covered deck, good access. Call Larry. #10099

**\$69,905 LA JUNTA RANCH**  
Log cabin nestled in the tall pines. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, large rock fireplace and gazebo with hot tub. Call Kathy. #10642

**\$77,500 HOLIDAY ACRES**  
Beautiful location in the tall pines of the Upper Canyon. Three bedroom, 2 bath furnished home with fireplace, lots of decks and storage. Call Martin. #11374

**\$120,000 ALPINE VILLAGE**  
Mountain, Chale. Three bedroom, 2 1/2 bath cedar home with den, fireplace, large master suite. Call Jan H. #10229

**\$124,500 WHITE MOUNTAIN IV**  
Furnished 3 bedroom, 3 bath with Sierra Blanca view. Light and open one level with wood accents on quiet cul-de-sac. Call Susan. #11371

**\$128,000 JUNIPER HILLS**  
Tremendous views! Look down on the Ruidoso Valley & new golf course. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, huge lower level. Super energy efficient, quiet location. Please make an offer! Call Joe Zagone. #11788

**\$249,000 METES & BOUNDS**  
Country home on approximately 5 acres. Three bedroom, 2 bath home, barn, large garage, rolling hills. Owner is licensed NM REALTOR. Call Lynn. #11336

**\$47,900 WHISPERING BLUFF CONDOS**  
Bank rep. Nice 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath furnished unit with great access. Great financing, makes wonderful retreat or potentially good rental property. Call Susan. #00165

**\$67,000 INNSBROOK VILLAGE**  
Great retreat. Two bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished unit. Very well maintained, fireplace, wonderful location. Call Wayland. #90377

**\$84,900 WHITE MOUNTAIN MEADOWS**  
Viewed beautiful townhome with easy access in White Mountain Meadows. Large master bedroom, large kitchen. Ask for Steve. #20162

**\$49,500 ALTO LAKES GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB**  
Superb fairway lot in Alto! Level, trees, perfect access. Possible Sierra Blanca view from 2nd level. Full membership. Call Susan. #70284

**\$55,000 JUNIPER HILLS**  
Eight city lots greatly reduced! Motivated seller, six lots in Juniper Hills and two lots in Forest Heights. Price has been lowered to \$55,000 for all 8 lots. Possible financing. Call Peggy. #01890

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**NEW LISTING IN HISTORIC UPPER CANYON** This knotty pine cabin has 4 bedrooms, 3 baths and comes fully furnished! Freestanding rock fireplace, super access near the river. Two living areas, two dining areas, wet bar. Much more to offer for just \$87,500.

**MOUNTAIN GET-A-WAY SURROUNDED BY TALL COOL PINES!** Kick back on the covered decks and listen to the birds sing! This extensively remodeled 2 bedroom, 2 bath features a freestanding fireplace, living room, family room, dining room, breakfast bar, large workshop area, and storage cellar. Priced at only \$41,900 and owner will consider trade for a lot in Artesia.

**FISHING POND, DUCKS RIGHT OUTSIDE FRONT DOOR!** Completely fenced 4 1/2+ acres, horses allowed. Natural spring runs year round. Three bedrooms, cyprus siding inside and out. Attached 2 car carport. Barn with electricity and water. \$175,000.

Gary M. Lynch, Broker, GRI; Res: 336-4252  
Cindy K. Lynch, Associate; Res: 336-4252  
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9. Real Estate

**JIRA PLAZA** — 700 Mechem Dr. Unit #14, Ruidoso, New Mexico. \$62,000. Call Richard Loverin, Coldwell Banker. 1-800-626-9213. M-N-101-13tc

**OUT OF TOWN OWNERS** — sacrificing 9 beautiful lots in Ruidoso for low package price of \$15,000 cash. Excellent for investment and/or building. Some with utilities, good access, super locations. 1-505-899-8027. 36-S-101-15tp

**DEER PARK WOODS** — Unit 3 lot 80 S.W. corner Deer Park drive and Ravan Court with full golf club membership. Call Hollis, 364-2219 or 354-2429 nights. 26-C-1-7tp

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10. Mobiles for Sale

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**SERGIO'S** — summer blowout special. Singlewides under \$159/m, doublewides under \$250/m. Hurry, call Sergio. Instant credit approval. Free statewide delivery. 1-800-748-3468 8am-8pm. M-N-97-1tf

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**THREE BEDROOM** — one bath, all carpeted, partially furnished, three store rooms, one block from Bennetts Grocery. 257-2776. 17-A-104-4tp

**12' X 60' MELODY TIMCO** — two bedroom, furnished. Screened in porch. \$5,000. Call 257-2549. M-S-1-3tp-R1tp-Sun

11. Mobile Homes

**ONE BEDROOM MOBILE** — 12 X 44 completely remodeled, many big windows, porch, stairs, deck. \$3200. John, 378-8178. M-W-1-2tp

**FOR SALE** — 1990 29ft. NOMAD. 9 x 14 addition with fireplace, has extras, excellent condition in Ruidoso Downs. 378-8330. 17-R-1-2tc

11. Business Opp.

**WE'LL PAY YOU** — to run your own business. Motel 6 seeks live-in management teams for opportunities in the mountain states. Benefits include: free furnished one bedroom apartment, paid utilities, paid training, generous health and retirement plans. Must have no dependents and be willing to relocate. Call 1-800-666-8356 ext. 300 EOE. M-N-103-1tf

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12. Houses for Rent

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**NEED HOMES OR CONDOS** — for summer rentals. Call Jeff at DOUG BASS & ASSOCIATES. 258-5252. M-D-89-6tc

**TWO BEDROOM** — house, furnished, utilities paid. No pets. \$500. One bedroom trailer. 257-2320. M-S-96-6tc

**BEAUTIFUL** — three bedroom two bath. Large deck, fireplace. Completely furnished. Washer/dryer. No pets. \$650. 257-2487 16-H-97-6tc

12. Houses for Rent

**THREE BEDROOM CONDO** — for the race season. Call for details. 258-5825. M-M-104-1tc

**SUMMER RENTAL** — near track, three bedroom 1 1/2 bath. Large living area. Fireplace and large storage. \$650. plus utilities, plus damage deposit. 505-257-5757. 22-O-99-1tc

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12. Houses for Rent

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**SHAW APARTMENTS** — 1 and 2 bedroom furnished apartments for rent. Good location. No pets. 258-3111. M-V-49-1tc

**NIGHTLY/WEEKLY/MONTHLY** — cabin, condos, townhouse, homes and mobile rentals. Call Century 21 Aspen Real Estate, Joe 257-9057. 19-C-92-1tc

**VARIETY** — Of rentals available throughout Ruidoso. Call us to see what we have open this week, or keep this number for the future. 505-257-3146. 26-H-72-1tc

**NICE CLEAN** — efficiency apartments, \$250. month. Utilities paid. Joe Yates 257-9057 or 258-3001. M-Y-84-1tc

**FOR RENT** — one bedroom apartment. Furnished, utilities paid. No pets. Also storage units. 257-2731. M-W-90-1tc

**BEAUTIFUL ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT** — furnished, one half mile west of Lincoln. \$350. month, \$100. deposit. Utilities furnished. References required. 653-4023. 19-L-99-7tp

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**THREE BEDROOM** — Cherokee Village, for racing season, cable TV, stereo, sun porch, etc. Call Jo Steele. 258-3151. 17-S-103-1tc

**ONE BEDROOM** — efficiency trailer. Furnished. All utilities including cable/HBO paid. \$230. per month plus \$50. deposit. Single only. No pets. 257-2257. 22-G-1-2tp-Thurs.

14. Mobiles for Rent

**ATTRACTIVE** — two bedroom, furnished trailer. Mid-town area. Couple only. No pets. 257-2257. M-G-1-2tp-Thurs.

**TWO MOBILES FOR RENT** — 147 Poirr Dr. and 186 Juniper Dr. Bills paid. Call Hope Lucero at 257-2658. M-L-1-2tp

15. Mobile Spaces

**ADULT RV PARK** — Country atmosphere. Race track only 4 miles. \$125/month, \$50/weekly, \$10/day. Call 378-4923. M-H-94-1tc

17. Business Rentals

**RETAIL SPACE** — or office space for rent in newly decorated Adobe Plaza. Call 257-4081, evenings, 257-4300. 16-S-12-1tc

**GAZEBO SHOPPING CENTER** — retail space for rent. Great location for Yogurt Shop or Candy Store. 257-5103 or 258-4077. M-G-87-1tc

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18. Resort Rentals

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19. Property Mgmt.

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23. Autos for Sale

**WE BUY** — wrecked cars, pickups. Will pick up. D & S Salvage, 378-4816. M-S-73-1tc

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**MUST SELL** — 1988 Ramcharger, 4x4 AT, AC, PS, PB, AM-FM cassette. Low mileage. Also trailer for hauling car. 336-4662. 19-W-95-1tc-Thurs

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**FOR SALE** — 1981 Subaru DL wagon. Motor in great shape, new clutch. Needs work. \$500. Call 258-5735. M-P-104-5tc

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24. Pickups - Trucks

**FOR SALE** — 1986 Nissan four wheel drive pickup. Call 378-4270. M-C-1-2tp

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 ex. length 4x4, save \$5000

26. Motorcycles for Sale

**FOR SALE** — 1989 KX80 Kawasaki motorcycle. Excellent condition. Call 2429 or 354-4221 after 6pm. M-F-1-2tc

**73 HARLEY DAVIDSON SPORTSTER** — \$2500. or trade. O.B.O. 257-7768. M-G-1-1tc

28. RVs and Travel Trailers

**1984 PACE ARROW** — motor home. 34' long, loaded, like new, 26,000 miles. \$25,000. Call 378-8154. M-J-104-4tp

29. Livestock and Horses

**GENTLE** — Registered AQUA mare. Two year old registered AQHA stud. 90 days race training. Color, conformation and ability. Will sell or trade for horse trailer. Call 378-4101 after 6:00 pm. in the evening. M-X-1-2tp

**TWO HORSE TRAILER** — new paint, new tires, new mats. Call 258-5541. M-W-1-2tp

33. Pets and Supplies

**FEMALE FERRET** — looking for male ferret for breeding purposes. Please call 257-3180 M-G-96-1tc

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34. Yard Sales

**MULTI-FAMILY** — garage sale. Friday thru Sunday, 8 am. til. Hwy 70 and Parnell, Ruidoso Downs. YOU NAME IT, WE'VE GOT IT! 17-W-1-1tp

**BACK PATIO SALE** — 128 Birch. Thurs, Friday, Saturday til. Organ, lawn mower, jeans, art, jewelry and wreaths. M-R-1-1tp

**GARAGE SALE** — Saturday only, May 2nd. 107 Fern Street, Road across from GTE office. 8am til. Some antiques. 16-H-1-1tp

**PARADISE CANYON** — follow signs. Clothes, dishes, miscellaneous household items. This Saturday and Sunday. M-L-1-1tp

**SUNDAY ONLY** — deck sale May 3rd from 7:00 am -7:00 pm. 105 Tomahawk Trail, Fawn Ridge addition. M-D-1-1tp

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## 34. Yard Sales

**GARAGE SALE** — Saturday May 2nd. 8am til. 510 Mechem Dr., State Farm Insurance. Lots of miscellaneous. M-C-1-1tc

**YARD SALE** — 101 Ivy Lane, Ponderosa Heights. Saturday only 8-4. Too many items to mention. Follow signs. 17-M-1-1tp

**MOVING SALE** — Friday & Saturday. King size bed, trundle bed, twin beds, dining chair, stereo, custom draperies, used carpeting, household goods. All good condition. 123 Cedar Place. One block above Furr's in Ponderosa Heights. Turn off Mechem at Purr Dr. to Birch to Cedar Place. 40-D-1-1tp

**BIG GARAGE SALE** — Furniture, heavy lawn furniture, sewing machine with cabinet, rugs, miscellaneous. Call 257-5318 about furniture or come Friday noon thru Sunday. 405 Wingfield. 23-H-1-1tp

**GARAGE SALE** — Saturday 1-5 pm and Sunday 11-4pm at Wild West Storage in back. M-M-1-1tp

**YARD SALE** — 503 Mechem park across street or along highway. Saturday only, May 2, 9:30-7:00. No early arrivals please. Our "stuff" may be your treasure. Come browse! 257-7992 for information. 30-T-1-1tc

**GARAGE SALE** — Saturday 9-3 at 213 Carrizo Canyon Road. Clothes and lots of miscellaneous. M-M-1-1tp

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY** — 8:30-5:00 pm. Windows, 1968 Triumph GT, clothes, mattress, lounge chairs, dishes, miscellaneous household items. 516 2nd st. 18-M-1-1tc

## 35. Household Goods

**GOOD CONDITION** — three seater couch, soft pastel colors, \$150. Hidebed in excellent condition, \$150. Call 257-6011. M-C-104-2tc

**REFRIGERATOR** — very good condition. \$175. 378-5424. M-G-1-2tp

**SOFA** — \$100, chair \$50, twin bedroom suite, \$100. LP gas stove and cabinet, \$35. Call 258-5131. M-B-1-1tp

## 38. Arts

**WOODEN CRAFTS AND ARTS** — for sale at A-1 mini storage. Call 257-9417. 8-5. Very unique gifts. M-M-101-1tc

## 41. Miscellaneous

**HUMAN SOCIETY** — Thrift Shop, 629 Sudderth (next to Arby's; white stucco building in rear), 257-5463. Open Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday. 12 p.m.-4 p.m. Come and browse. Also, don't forget us if you have any serviceable household items for donation. If you could volunteer a few hours a week, please call 257-7661 or 257-5463. H-67-tfc

**REFRIGERATORS** — washers, dryers, dishwashers. All brands serviced. Affordable Appliance and Electronic Service, 257-4147. Service, not lip service. 17-A-27-tfc

**WELDED PIPE** — barbecue cooker, \$50, 257-2818 17-T-45-tfc

**LUMBER RACK** — For long bed Nissan pickup. \$75. Call Jerry at 378-4259 or 257-4001 M-L-68-tfc

**JOCKEY CLUB MEMBERSHIP** — For sale \$32,000., lease \$2,500. On the finish line, four seats. 505-257-2800 M-H-75-tfc

**JOCKEY CLUB MEMBERSHIP** — For sale \$25,000. Second row, finish line, four seats. 258-4362 after 6pm. M-B-83-tfc

**MOUNTAIN SALVAGE** — buying wrecked cars, custom exhaust systems, mechanic on duty. Three miles east of track. 378-8110 17-B-84-tfc

## 41. Miscellaneous

**THRIFT SHOP** — LCMC AUXILIARY. Open Monday through Saturday, 10: am to 4: pm. 140 Nob Hill Drive. Telephone 257-7051. Your donations of usable household and clothing items are appreciated. Let us sell your "treasures". We are non-profit; the money is used to better equip our hospital. M-T-89-tfc

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**TV'S \$80.** — Waterbeds \$75., telephones \$10. Call 378-8180 or come by Super 8 Motel. M-S-102-4tc

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**AUTOMATIC DRIP** — coffee pot (new) \$15.00. Exerciser, \$8.00. 257-2590. M-E-104-2tf

**JEWELRY DISPLAY CASE** — \$300. Call 257-7406. M-M-1-3tc

**STORE FIXTURE** — for displaying apparel, with attachments. \$150. 258-4161. M-L-1-2tp

**LANDSCAPING** — Douglass Fir trees located at THE FRUIT STAND, 1/4 mile east of race track. M-M-1-1tc

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## 42. Wanted to Buy

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**OFFICE MANAGER** — for Civic Events Center. One year experience in office management and or secretarial. Prefer experience related to public events environment. \$7.08 hourly. Complete job descriptions and applications at Village of Ruidoso, 313 Cree Meadows Dr. P.O. Drawer 69, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 pm. April 28th. EEOE. 50-V-102-3tc

**WAIT PERSON NEEDED** — experienced preferred. Apply in person at Don Victors, 101 Wingfield. M-D-103-2tc

**IMMEDIATE OPENINGS** — for restaurant positions. AM and PM shifts. Apply in person at Best Western Swiss Chalet. M-S-103-2tc

**MUSEUM INTERPRETER** — For less than full time. Year round position with small museum. Public speaking ability required. Enjoy working with public, sales experience, dependable, keen interest in area history and folklore. Costume provided. Starting wage \$5.00 per hour. Send letter or resume to: Director, Lincoln Heritage Trust, P.O. Box 98, Lincoln, New Mexico 88338 or phone 653-4025. Deadline May 8th. 56-L-104-4tc

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## 43. Help Wanted

**PARTTIME** — cashier host, nights. 101 Wingfield, Don Victors. Apply in person. M-D-1-2tc

**NEEDED SEVERAL** — staff positions, housekeepers and part-time front desk. Apply daily High Country Lodge, Alto. Contact Duncan or Peggy. 20-H-1-3tc

**MAINTENANCE POSITION** — available fulltime for energetic self starter. Duties include basic maintenance, electrical, swimming pool and yard maintenance. Apply in person at Best Western Swiss Chalet. 27-B-1-2tc

**RESTAURANT POSITION** — available full and parttime. Steady year round for these qualified. Apply in person at Best Western Swiss Chalet. 20-B-1-2tc

**HELP WANTED** — fulltime **DEPENDABLE** experienced leather crafter. Call 257-7406. M-M-1-3tc

**HELP WANTED** — Picture framer. Must have experience in mat cutting and design. Apply in person, Surplus City, Alamogordo. 18-S-1-2tc-Thurs.

**FIREFIGHTERS** — learn firefighting skills. Full pay/benefits. Relocation required, age 17-29. HS diploma. U.S. citizenship/green card required. 1-800-354-9627. M-N-1-1tf

**MEDICAL CAREER** — job training, as little as 5 months. Medical assistant, psychiatric technician, respiratory technician. Financial aid, lifetime job placement, housing, childcare, if qualified. Apollo College toll free 1-800-36-TRAIN. M-N-1-1tf

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**MORGAN CONSTRUCTION** — Quality work, fair prices. New construction, remodeling, painting, wallpapering, decks, repairs, fireplaces. 257-4856. M-M-102-12tf

**SUMMER YARD WORK** — Experienced and dependable. Hard working college student. Call evenings 257-9337. M-G-103-6tp

**EXPERIENCED BUSINESS COUPLE** — Thirty-one years. Motel, Hotel, Country Club industry. Strong background, preopening construction, maintenance, marketing, seeking managerial position. Motel, Condo or apartments. Wish to relocate to his area. Resume or personnel interview on request. Write #4201 H.S., Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345. 39-K-104-3tp

**QUALITY PAINTING** — at reasonable rates. 257-9857. M-W-104-8tc

**RELIABLE** — experienced, middle-aged man looking for permanent job on ranch in or near Lincoln County. Good hand with young horses. Phone 505-461-3714. M-A-104-6tp

**YARD SERVICE** — Pine needle raking, mowing, tree trimming, gutters cleaned and repaired. References. 257-4449. M-K-1-3TF

**RELIABLE, DEPENDABLE** — lady, will work in your home. Cook, clean, run errands. References. Call 257-6610. M-H-1-1tp

**CARPENTER** — will build trailer decks, steps, paint, repair rental units, etc. Low rates. John. 378-8178. M-W-1-1tp

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### CHURCH DIRECTORY

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Apache Indian  
Assembly of God  
Mesalero  
Donald Pettay, pastor  
Telephone: 671-4747  
Sunday School-9:45 a.m.  
Sunday worship-10:45 a.m. 7 p.m.  
Wednesday services-7 p.m.

**First Assembly of God**  
139 El Paso Rd. Ruidoso  
C. Ray Wells, Pastor  
Sunday School-9:45 a.m.  
Sunday worship-10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Wednesday services-6:30 p.m.  
Royal Rangers Ministry-7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday

**BAPTIST**  
First Baptist Church  
Carizozo  
Hayden Smith, Pastor  
Sunday School-9:45 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11 a.m., 7:15 p.m.  
Church training-6:30 p.m. Sunday

**First Baptist Church**  
Ruidoso  
420 Mechem Drive  
D. Alan Cassey, Pastor  
Sunday School-9:30 a.m.  
Sunday worship-10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Wednesday services-7 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
Ruidoso Downs  
Mike Bush, Pastor  
Sunday School-9:30 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11 a.m., 7 p.m.  
Church training-6 p.m.  
Wednesday services-7 p.m.

**Mescalero Baptist Mission**  
Mescalero  
James Huse, Pastor  
Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11 a.m., 7:15 p.m.  
Training Union-6:30 p.m. Sunday  
Wednesday services-6:30 p.m.

**Ruidoso Baptist Church**  
126 Church Drive  
Palmer Gateway  
Wayne Joyce, Pastor  
Randel Widener, Associate Pastor  
Sunday School-9:45 a.m.  
Sunday worship-10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible study-7 p.m.

**Trinity Southern Baptist Church**  
Capitan (south on Highway 48)  
Floyd Goodloe, Pastor  
Sunday School-9:45 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11 a.m., 6 p.m.  
For information, call 354-9119

**BAHA'I FAITH**  
Baha'i Faith  
Meeting in members' homes.  
For information, call 258-4117.

**CATHOLIC**  
St. Eleanor's  
Catholic Church  
Ruidoso  
Reverend Richard Catanach  
Saturday Mass-7 p.m.  
Sunday Mass-10 a.m., 11:20 a.m.  
Sunday Mass at St. Jude Thaddeus,  
San Patricio-9 a.m.  
Women's Guild-7 p.m. the third Mon-  
day

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church**  
Capitan  
Sunday Mass-9 a.m.  
Ladies group-10 a.m. the last  
Thursday

**Santa Rita Catholic Church**  
Carizozo  
Saturday Mass-7 p.m.  
Sunday Mass-11 a.m.  
Ladies group-3 p.m. alternate first  
Sunday, and 7 p.m. first Monday



#### FAITH TELLS US TO BE KIND TO ALL OF GOD'S CREATURES

Our world was once filled with the animals and birds of God's creation, but throughout the ages some species have fallen by the wayside while others have managed to remain viable despite all the storms, floods, droughts and earthquakes that nature could inflict upon them. However, our increasing demands for progress and recreation have encroached upon the wilderness areas, putting our wildlife in greater jeopardy than from all the natural disasters combined. Even those hardy survivors may not be able to withstand the cruel or unthinking actions of human beings. We must act humanely toward them, and by example teach our children to do likewise. The denizens of the wild, as well as the family pets, are all God's creatures, so let's treat them with all due respect and kindness.

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**CHRISTIAN**  
First Christian Church  
(Disciples of Christ)  
Bill Kennedy, Pastor  
Hull and Gavilan Canyon Road,  
Ruidoso  
Sunday School- Serendipity Class-9  
a.m.  
Sunday School-K-12/Adult-9:30 a.m.  
Sunday worship-10:45 a.m.  
Chancel Choir-Wednesday-7:30 p.m.  
Youth Group-Sunday-6 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Capitan  
Highway 48  
James "Shory" Winfield, Minister  
Sunday Bible study-10 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible study-7 p.m.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
Church of Jesus Christ LDS  
Ruidoso Branch  
12 miles north of Ruidoso  
on Highway 48 on east side  
between mile posts 14 and 15.  
Marlin Jensen, President  
Sunday:  
Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Priesthood Relief Society-11 a.m.  
Primary & Young Women-11 a.m.  
Sacrament meeting-noon

**Church of Jesus Christ LDS**  
Mescalero Branch  
Marvin Hanson, President  
434-0098

**EPISCOPAL**  
Episcopal Church of the  
Holy Mount  
121 Mescalero Trail, Ruidoso  
Father John W. Ponn, Rector  
Sunday Eucharist-9 & 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday:  
Daughters of King-noon

Eucharist & healing-5:30 p.m.  
Choir practice-7 p.m.

Episcopal Chapel  
of San Juan  
Lincoln

Sunday:  
Holy Eucharist-10:30 a.m.

St. Anne's  
Episcopal Chapel  
Glencoe

Sunday:  
Holy Eucharist-9 a.m.

St. Matthias  
Episcopal Chapel  
6th & E Street, Carizozo

Sunday:  
Holy Eucharist-10:30 a.m.

FOUR SQUARE  
Capitan Foursquare  
Church  
Highway 48, Capitan  
Harold W. Perry, Pastor  
Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11 a.m., 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible study-7 p.m.

FULL GOSPEL  
Mission Fountain of Living  
Water Full Gospel  
San Patricio  
Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Evening services-7:30 p.m.  
Sunday, Tuesday and Friday

Jehovah's Witness  
Ruidoso-Kingdom Hall  
106 Alpine Village Road, Hwy  
48  
258-8659, 258-3277

Sunday public talk-10 a.m.  
Sunday Watchtower-10:50 a.m.  
Tuesday Bible study-7:30 p.m.  
Thursday ministry school-7:30  
p.m.  
Thursday service meet-8:20  
p.m.

Estudio de la Alajaya Dom-  
220

Estudio de libro Lun-7 p.m.  
Escuela del ministerio teocratico  
Mier-7 p.m.  
Reunion de servicio Mier-7:50 p.m.

LUTHERAN  
Shepherd of the Hills  
Lutheran Church  
1210 Hill Road  
258-4191, 257-5296  
Kevin L. Krohn, Pastor

Sunday worship-10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School and Adult Bible Class  
9:30 a.m.  
A member of the Missouri Synod

METHODIST  
Community United  
Methodist Church  
220 Junction Road  
Behind Daylight Donuts  
Craig Cookrell, Pastor  
Sunday School-9:30 a.m.

Sunday worship-10:30 a.m.

United Methodist  
Church Parish  
Trinity Carizozo/Capitan  
648-2833, 648-2846  
Thomas C. Broom, Pastor  
Carizozo

Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11:15 a.m.  
Wednesday choir-9:30 a.m.  
Capitan

Sunday worship-9:30 a.m.  
Adult Sunday School-8:45 a.m. 2nd  
Sunday School 11 a.m.

PENTECOSTAL  
Spirit of Life  
Apostolic/Pentecostal  
Tabernacle  
1009 Mechem, The Padlock #4  
Alan M. Miller-Pastor  
257-8864

Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Youth Service Sunday-7 p.m.  
Sunday Eve Services-7 p.m. Bible  
Study Tuesday-7 p.m. Morning Prayer,  
Daily 8 a.m.-9 a.m.

NAZARENE  
Angus Church  
of the Nazarene  
At Bonito Park Nazarene Conference  
Center, Angus, 12 miles north of  
Ruidoso on Highway 48  
Charles Hall, Pastor  
336-3032  
Sunday School-8:45 a.m.

Sunday worship-10:45 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday fellowship-6:30 p.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
First Presbyterian Church  
Ruidoso, Nob Hill  
Dan Link, Pastor  
257-2220

Church school-9:30 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11 a.m.

Mountain Ministry Parish  
Community United Presbyterian  
Church of Ancho  
Doug and Louise Gordon  
Sunday worship-9 a.m.  
Sunday School-10 a.m.

Corona Presbyterian Church  
Worship-11 a.m.  
Nogal Presbyterian Church  
Adult Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Worship-11 a.m.

REFORMED CHURCH  
Mescalero Reformed  
Mescalero  
Bob Schut, Pastor  
Church school-9:30 a.m.  
Sunday worship-10:30 a.m.  
Mon. Junior high youth-6:30 p.m.  
Wed. High school meeting-7 p.m.  
Thur. Kids Club (grades 1-5)-8:30

SEVENTH DAY  
ADVENTIST  
Seventh Day Adventist  
Ruidoso Downs, Agua Fria  
Wilbur Marrow, Pastor  
622-1206, 378-4996  
Sabbath School-9:30 a.m.  
Church service-11 a.m.

NON-DENOMINATIONAL  
American Missionary  
Fellowship  
Gregg Horst  
354-2207

Ruidoso men's Bible study-noon,  
Monday, Pizza Hut, Mechem Drive  
Capitan youth group-7 p.m. Wednes-  
day at the fair building  
Women's Bible Study-6:30 Mondays  
Adult Bible Study-6:30 p.m. Thurs-  
days

Christ Community  
Fellowship  
Capitan, Highway 380 West  
Dan Carter, Pastor  
354-2458  
Sunday School-9:30 a.m.  
Sunday worship-11 a.m., 6:30 p.m.

Comerstone Church  
Charleston Square, Suite C  
618 Suddarth Drive  
H.D. Hunter, Pastor  
Sunday services 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Wednesday-7 p.m.

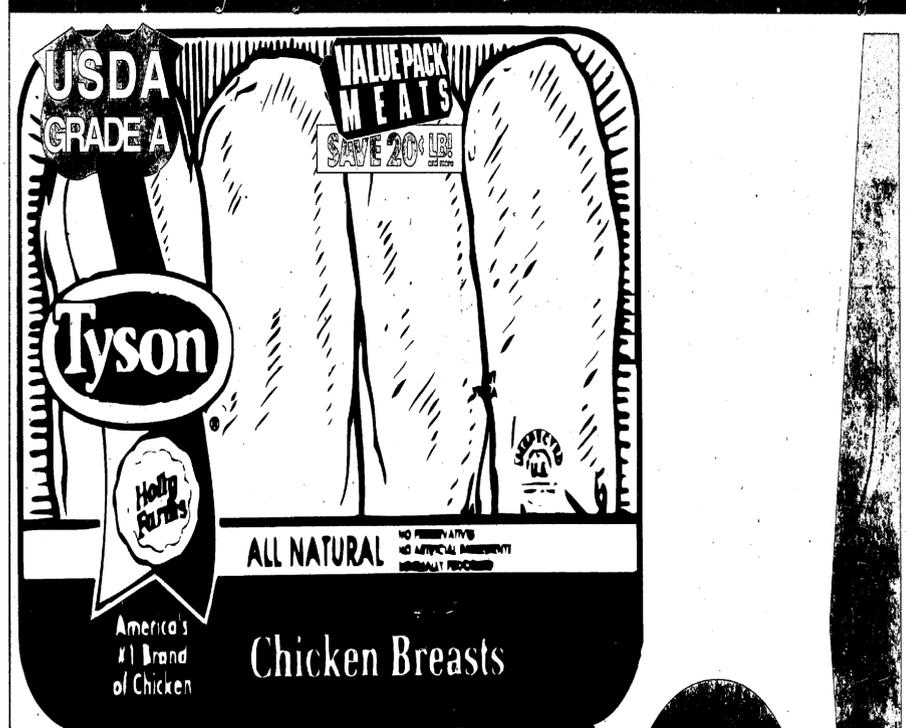
Peace Chapel  
Universal Life Church  
Located at Poncho de Paz retreat  
Gavilan Canyon Road, 1/2 mile east  
of Junction at Highway 48 north and  
Gavilan Canyon Road  
Jeannie Price, Pastor  
336-7075

Sunday service-10:15 a.m. every  
week at Peace Chapel, except the  
first Sunday of the month when the  
service is at 10:15 a.m. at Ruidoso  
Care Center.  
Vespere-7:15 p.m.- third Thursday

Potter's House  
Christian Center  
Bob Bond, Pastor  
378-8590  
Meets Sundays, Ruidoso Inn, La  
Pez Room, 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Ruidoso Word Ministries  
Ruidoso Downs  
Al and Mary Lane, Pastors  
378-8464  
Children's Ministries-9:30 a.m.  
Sunday worship-10:45 a.m.  
Wednesday services-7 p.m.

Trinity Mountain  
Fellowship  
1108 Gavilan Canyon Road  
Larry Sharwood, Pastor  
336-4213



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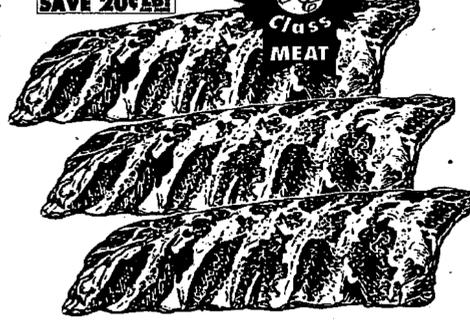
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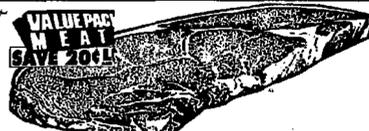
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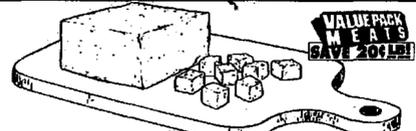
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Boneless **Top Sirloin Steak**  
Value Pack

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Muenster or Asadero **Cheese**  
Value Pack, 5 Lb. Loaf

**1.79** Lb.

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La Azteca **Flour Tortillas**  
10 Ct.

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30 Ct.

**2.99**

EVERYDAY LOWER PRICE



Village Butcher **Luncheon Meats**  
Meat Bologna, Salami or Luncheon  
12 Oz. Pkg.

Village Butcher **Meat Franks**  
12 Oz. Pkg.  
**.79**

**.89**

SPECIAL PURCHASE



Cry O Vac® Sliced **Slab Bacon**

**.99** Lb.

SPECIAL PURCHASE



Decker **Smoked Sausage**  
Reg., Mesquite

**1.99** Lb.

Decker **Smoked Beef Sausage** - 2.19 Lb.

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**FRESH SEAFOOD**

Where Available



"Fresh" **Rock Fish Fillets**

**2.99** Lb.

USDC Inspected; Poach, Bake or Broil

SPECIAL PURCHASE



"Farm Raised" **Skinless Salmon Fillets**

**5.99** Lb.

USDC Inspected; Grill, Bake or Broil

SPECIAL PURCHASE

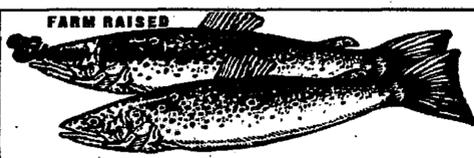


"Fresh" **Sea Scallops**

**6.99** Lb.

USDC Inspected; Delicious Grilled or Sautéed

SPECIAL PURCHASE



Clear Springs Farm Raised "Fresh" **Rainbow Trout**

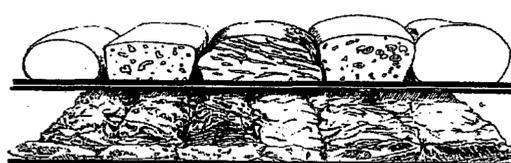
**2.49** Lb.

USDC Inspected; Grill, Pan Fry, Bake or Broil

SPECIAL PURCHASE

**FRESH DELI**

Where Available



**Deli Meats & Cheeses**

**2.99** Lb.

EVERYTHING/EVERYDAY!

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Chester Fried **Chicken**  
8 Piece, Whole Chicken

**2.99**

18 Piece **6.49**

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Mrs. Crockett's **Salads**  
Mustard or Mayo Potato Salad, Cole Slaw, Macaroni Salad

**1.19** Lb.

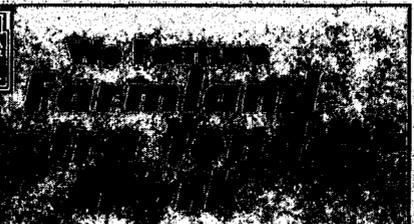
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**Furr's**



We Feature **Furr's Class Meats**

The Quality and Deliciousness You Expect







You've got a friend in **PRODUCE.**



Fresh  
**Avocados**

**3** For **\$1**

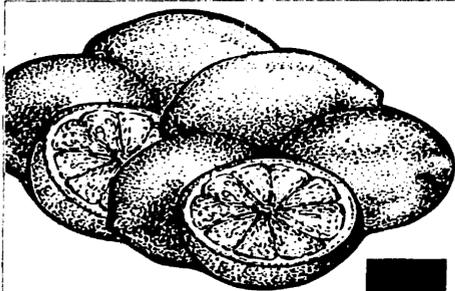
SPECIAL PURCHASE



**Yellow Onions**

**3** Lbs. For **\$1**

SPECIAL PURCHASE



Tangy  
**Limes**

**10** For **\$1**

SPECIAL PURCHASE



Russet  
**Potatoes**  
20 Lb. Bag

20 Lb.  
Bag

**1.69**

SPECIAL PURCHASE



**FLORAL** Not all flowers and plants available at all stores.



6 Inch  
**Assorted Hanging Basket**

**4.99**

6 Inch  
**Exacum**

**5.99**



6 Inch  
**Assorted Upright Foilage**

**4.99**

6 Inch  
**White Butterfly Pole**

**6.99**

SPECIAL PURCHASE



**FRESH BAKERY** Where Available



Filled or Unfilled  
**Donuts**  
12 Count

**2.69**

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Jumbo  
**Blueberry Muffins**  
4 Count

**2.49**

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Almond  
**Poppy Creme Cake**

**2.99**

SPECIAL PURCHASE



Kaiser  
**Rolls**  
5 Count

**.79**

SPECIAL PURCHASE