Love of Art





February 2019 Event Guide

FOR THE LOVE OF ART 2019 21st Annual Celebration

of the Visual and Performing Arts in Southern New Mexico

Welcome! The 21st Annual For the Love of Art Month offers everyone an entire month jam-packed with visual arts, performances, and special events showcasing the unique talent, excitement, and fun of the arts of Southern New Mexico.

The annual ArtForms Members Exhibit will be held at three locations, opening at different times. During the monthly downtown Art Ramble on Friday, February 1 from 5–8pm, there will be receptions at two locations: Mesquite Art Gallery (340 N. Mesquite) and Cruces Creatives (205 E. Lohman). On Saturday, February 9, there will be a reception from 4–7pm at the Doña Ana Arts Council (1740 Calle de Mercado, Mesilla).

This year, the popular Artist Studio Tours will be held on all four weekends (February 2 & 3, 9 & 10, 16 & 17, and 23 & 24). Different studios will be open each weekend offering an almost unending variation of artwork to see. In addition, there will be demonstrations and works of art in progress plus the chance to talk to the artists. This event ticks all the boxes for art lovers. Large Blue Flags will mark each studio.

We want to thank all of our sponsors–Visit Las Cruces, First American Bank, Town of Mesilla, *The Bulletin*, and *The Ink*–as well as the individuals who have helped to make this event possible, including volunteers–and most significantly–the artists.

Visit www.artformsnm.org for event details and an interactive map highlighting the studio tour venues.

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Saturday, February 16 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Meet the artists of the gallery.



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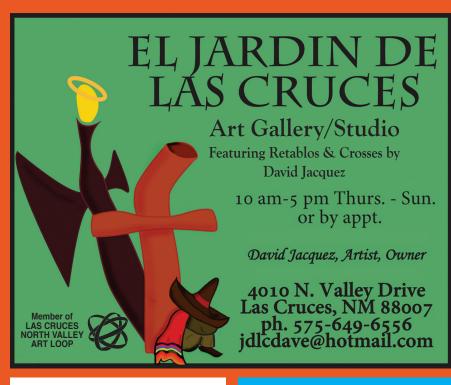
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| Through February 28 <i>Exhibit</i> | Talavera Artists Greenspace Gallery, 517 N. Mesquite Street Oil, acrylic, and watercolor painting & photography. Tuesday–Saturday 11am–5pm. |
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| Through February 17 <i>Play</i> | Arthur Miller's The Crucible Las Cruces Community Theatre, 313 N. Main Street February 1, 2, 8, 9, 15 & 16 at 7:30pm and February 3, 10, & 17 at 2pm. \$10-\$15. (523-1200) |
| Through February 17 <i>Exhibit</i> | Collider Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main Street Crochet art by Bekah Taulbee and acrylic pour paintings by Joshua Taulbee. Reception on Friday, February 1 from 5–7pm. Also open 1 hour before shows. |
| Through February 10 <i>Play</i> | The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main Street February 1, 2, 8 & 9 at 8pm, February 3 & 10 at 2:30pm, and February 7 at 7pm. \$10-\$15. (523-1223) |
| Through February 3 <i>Exhibit</i> | Home Strange Home AA Studios, 2645 Doña Ana Road (at Calle de Oro) Paintings & prints by Christopher Bardey. Open February 2 from 10am-4pm, February 3 from 12-4pm & by appointment. (520-8752) |
| Through February 2 <i>Exhibit</i> | Glass Sculpture Four Points Perspective, 3405 Hwy. 28, Mesilla Open Thursday–Saturday 12–4pm. |
| February 1– March 29 <i>Exhibit</i> | For the Love of Lettering Big Picture, Arroyo Plaza, 2001 E. Lohman, Ste. 109 Mixed media by Southwest Calligraphy Guild. Reception Friday, February 15 from 5–7pm. Also open Monday–Friday 10am–5pm. |
| February 1– March 1 <i>Exhibit</i> | Earth Matters Cottonwood Gallery, Southwest Environmental Center, 275 N. Main Street Various media by the Ten O'Clock Club. Reception February 1 from 5–7:30pm. Also open Monday–Friday 9am–5pm. |
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PAINTING CLASSES

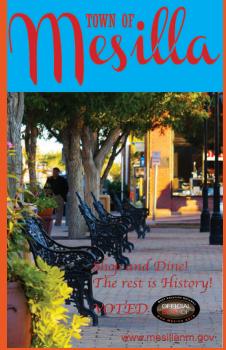


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| CENTRAL: Downtown Las Cruces | | |
| February 9 & 10 | John Northcutt Sculpture, Ceramics, & Fiber Art 615 Piñon, New Dimension Art Works Going east on Spruce from Main Street, turn right (south) onto Tornillo. 1/2 block down, turn into the open gate. | |
| February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 February 16 & 17 February 23 & 24 | Gypsy Sage Artists (Laurie Churchill, Marj Leininger, & Wendy Robin Weir) Watermedia Nopalito's Galeria, 326 S. Mesquite Street On Mesquite Street just north of Amador. | |
| February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 | Mary Beagle Oil Paintings & Stone Sculptures 480 El Prado Avenue, Brown-Beagle Studio Going west on Amador, turn left at light on S. Melendres, then turn left onto El Prado. Studio is on left. | |
| February 2 & 3 February 23 & 24 | Michael Stephens & Sally Quillin Photography, Paintings, Jewelry, & Digital Art 310 N. Main, Quillin-Stephens Gallery Directly behind COAS Bookstore on Main Street. Use the parking lot on Water & Court Streets. | |
| February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 | Kathleen E. Deasy Oil Paintings, Mixed Media, & Sculpted Figures on Canvas 625 Van Patten Avenue, KD Arts From Alameda go west on Picacho to Melendres (Lyons Park). Turn left, go 1 block, then turn left on Van Patten. House is second on right. | |
| February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 | Leslie Toombs Pastels & Mixed Media 429 Reeves Drive, Painted Tree Studio From Main St., go west on Picacho. Turn right on Reymond. Go 2 blocks and turn right on Reeves. House is second one on right. | |
| G February 9 & 10 | Linda Gendall Oil Paintings 1107 N. Reymond Street From Picacho, go north on Alameda. Turn left on Parker, then right on Reymond. Studio is second house on left (surrounded by adobe wall). | |
| February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 February 16 & 17 February 23 & 24 | Jose Enrique Hidalgo Oil, Acrylic, & Watercolor Paintings 305 Linda Vista Road From Picacho, go north on Alameda, then turn west (left) onto Linda Vista Road. House (brown adobe) is second on left. | |

CENTRAL: Downtown Las Cruces

February 2 February 9 February 16

February 23

Jean Wilkey Oil Paintings

221 N. Street

Just north of Rio Grande Theatre (same building as M Phillips Gallery).

NORTH: North Valley, Doña Ana Road, Del Rey, Hwy. 70

February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 February 16 & 17 February 23 & 24 David Jacquez

Folk (Santero) Art 4010 N. Valley Drive. El Jardin de Las Cruces Art Gallery From Picacho take Valley north past Mayfield High School.

February 9 & 10 February 23 & 24 Flo Hosa Dougherty

Watercolor, Oil, & Acrylic Paintings, & Mixed Media 4901 Chagar Court, Blue Gate Fine Art Gallery On the corner of Chagar Court & Taylor Road near the intersection of N. Valley Drive & Taylor Road.

February 9 & 10 February 23 & 24 Tomi LaPierre

Sculpture, Photography, & Mixed Media 3421 Doña Ana Road, Tomi's Studio

From Alameda & Three Crosses/Doña Ana Rd., go north for 1.7 miles. Studio (large commercial building) is on the west (left) side of road.

February 9 & 10 February 23 & 24 Storm Sermay, Emmitt Booher, & Will Keener

Photography 3382 Solarridge Street, Storm Sermay Photography From N. Main/Hwy. 70 go north on Del Rey Blvd. Turn right on Mars. Follow Mars to Solarridge & turn left.

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February 2 & 3 February 23 & 24 Candi Hogan

Water Soluble Oil Paintings & Yucca Walking Sticks & Canes 3935 Sombra Morada Road, Candi Hogan Art Take Hwy. 70 to Sonoma Ranch Blvd. exit. Turn north onto Sonoma Ranch Blvd. and go 1 block past the Las Colinas 4-way stop to Sombra Morada Rd. Turn right and go halfway up block.

EAST: Sonoma Ranch, Dripping Springs

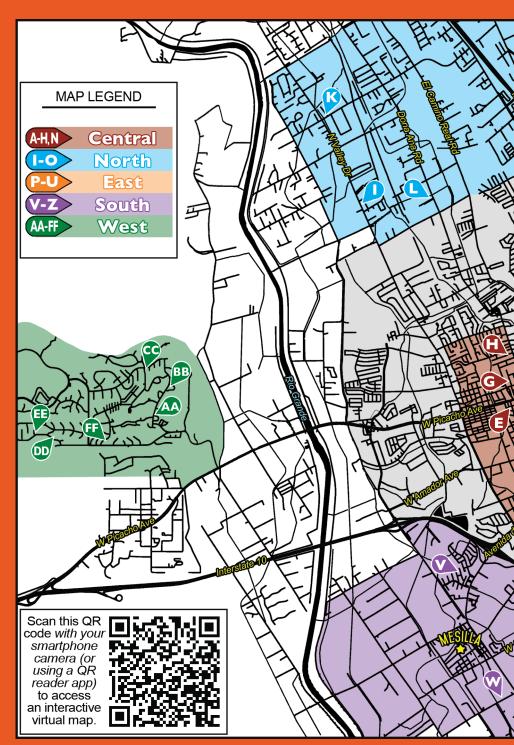
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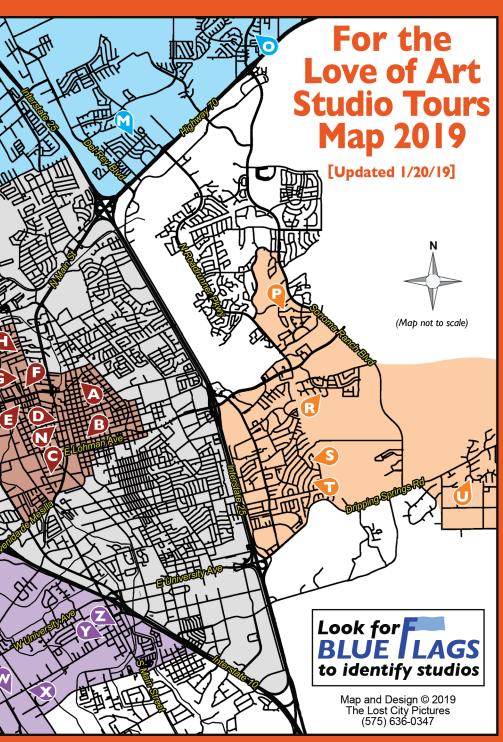
February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10

Oil Paintings 4133 Capistrano Avenue

From Lohman Ave., turn left onto Roadrunner Pkwy., right on Golf Club Rd. (by Sonoma Ranch sign), right on Sonoma Springs, and right on Corona del Campo. Second left will be Capistrano Ave. (studio is on the left).

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EAST: Sonoma Ranch, Dripping Springs

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February 9 & 10 February 16 & 17 Jeri Desrochers, C.C. Cunningham, Gale Kaufman, & Mary Zawacki

Oil & Acrylic Paintings & Pastels

3655 Canyon Ridge Arc, Studio of Jeri Desrochers

From Lohman & Roadrunner, go east 1 block, turn right on Paseo de Oñate. Past 4-way stop, turn right at 2nd street (Canyon Ridge Arc).

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February 2 & 3

Dani Anderson, Karen Currier, Ruth Drayer, Patricia Menchaca, Carrie Greer, Judy Licht, & Noel Sandino

Dyes on Silk, Gourd Art, Encaustic, Batik, Colored Pencil, Acrylics, Ceramic Tiles, Found Objects, Mixed Media, & Printmaking 1649 Regal Ridge Street

From Telshor at Missouri, go east on Missouri. Turn right on Enchanted, left onto Regal Ridge. Studio is on the right.

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February 9 & 10 February 23 & 24 Jack LeSage

Oil Paintings & Pastels

1829 Salinas Drive, The Sage Brush

From Telshor, take University east to Desert Sand. Turn left then a quick right onto Salinas Dr. Studio is 4th house on right after stop sign. Or from Telshor, turn east on Fairway, then left on Salinas.

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February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 February 16 & 17 Lynn Unangst

Hand-woven Art Garments, Needlepoint Gifts, "Spirit Minder" Dolls, & Beaded Buttons

4020 Red Yucca Court, Casa de Puertas

Go east on University/Dripping Springs, turn right on Desert Mirage Drive, then turn right on Red Yucca Court. Studio is on corner of Red Yucca Court & Desert Mirage Drive.

SOUTH: Mesilla, Union, South Main

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February 2 & 3 February 16 & 17 Nancy Frost Begin

Woodworking, Woodcuts, & Watercolor Paintings 1982 Avenida de Antigua, Mesilla, Nancy Frost Begin Studio From Avenida de Mesilla, turn on Tierra Verde. Take first right (Vista Lejuno), stay to left (Avenida de Antigua).

W February 2 & 3 Debra Vance

Watercolor Paintings, Prints, & Merchandise 2200 W. Union Avenue, Debra's Studio

From Avenida de Mesilla/Hwy. 28, turn west onto Union and go about 1500 feet (house is set back from the road).

| Studio To | OURS SAT. 10AM-4PM, SUN. 12-4PM (Studio hours may vary.) |
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| SOU | TH: Mesilla, Hwy. 28, Union, South Main |
| February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 February 16 & 17 February 23 & 24 | Deborah Moore, Christopher Bardey, & Cody Smith Ceramics, Sculpture, Mixed Media, Drawings, Prints, Paintings, & T-Shirts 3405 Hwy. 28, Four Points Perspective Gallery On corner of Hwy. 28 & Union Road (building with big mural). |
| February 9 & 10 February 23 & 24 | Michelle Augustyniak, Rhoda Winters, Arlene J. Tugel, & Linda Hagen Oil, Acrylic, & Watercolor Paintings 319 Bell Avenue From S. Main, go west on Union. Turn right on Linden, then left on Bell. |
| Z February 9 | Teri Van Huss, Marty Galster, Alice Ward, & Linda Wray Fractals, Paintings, Photography, Notecards, & Mixed Media 3207 S. Main Street, Funky Karma Incense & Tea On S. Main Street south of University, next to Bravo Cafe. |
| | WEST: Picacho Hills |
| February 9 & 10 | Rosemary McKeown Oil Paintings & Jewelry 1300 Vista del Monte Take Picacho (Hwy. 70) to Picacho Hills Dr. Stay right, then turn right on Via Norte. 2nd right is Vista del Monte. Studio is on corner. |
| BB February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 | Marie Siegrist Watercolor, Acrylic, & Gouache Paintings 1490 Via Norte, Studio 1490 Take Picacho to Picacho Hills Dr. Stay right, then turn right on Via Norte. |
| CC February 9 & 10 | Lana Lang Payne & Wanda Sparks Jewelry, Gourd Art, & Encaustic Paintings 1696 Vista del Cerro Take Picacho to Picacho Hills Dr. to Via Norte. Turn right, go to Vista del Reino. Turn left, the house/studio is on the corner. |
| DD February 9 & 10 | Jan Severson Fiber Art & Mixed Media 8181 Constitution Road Take Picacho/Hwy. 70 to Picacho Hills Dr. Go left at "Y" to Barcelona Ridge. At cell tower, turn right onto Constitution. House is 3rd on right. |
| February 2 & 3 February 9 & 10 | Jan Thune Contemporary Fiber Art 1204 Verona Court From Picacho Hills Dr. bear left at "Y" to Barcelona Ridge Rd. & go 1.3 miles. At cell tower, turn right on Constitution. Verona Court is 3rd right. |
| FF February 9 & 10 | Greta Burger Fused & Cast Glass Pieces Incorporating Metals & Wood 10050 Tuscany Drive Take Picacho/Hwy. 70 to Picacho Hills Dr. to Barcelona Ridge Rd., then turn right on Tuscany to 5th house on right. |

ART EVENTS



February 1–28 ArtForms Members Exhibit

Cruces Creatives, 205 E. Lohman Avenue

Exhibit Various media. Reception Friday, February 1 from

5-8pm. Also open Tuesday-Thursday 9am-9pm and

Friday & Saturday 9am-5pm.

February 1–28 25 Years of Great Art

Mesilla Valley Fine Arts Gallery,

Exhibit 2470-A Calle de Guadalupe, Mesilla

Various media by gallery artists following the theme, "Silver"

to celebrate the gallery's 25th anniversary.

Reception Saturday, February 16 from 11am-3pm. Also

open daily 10am-5pm.

February 1–28 The Art of Love

Nopalito's Galeria, 326 S. Mesquite Street

Exhibit Oil, acrylic & watercolor paintings; graphic arts; gourd art;

fiber art; photography; encaustic; pottery; & jewelry by Las Cruces Arts Association. Reception Friday, February 1 from 5-8pm. Also open Saturday & Sunday 12-2pm.

Mini workshops on February 17 at 1:30pm.

February 1–28 Mathematical Imagery in Fractals

Funky Karma Incense & Tea, 3207 S. Main Street

Exhibit Fractal art by Mesilla Valley Fractal Artists.

Reception Saturday, February 9 from 10am-4pm. Also open Tuesday-Saturday 10am-6pm & Sunday 11am-3pm.

February 1–26 Progress Club Art

Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Avenue

Exhibit Oil, acrylic, & watercolor paintings; quilts; photography; &

pottery by GFWC Progress Club of Las Cruces.

Reception Friday, February 1 from 5-6pm. Also open Monday-Thursday 9am-8pm, Friday & Saturday

10am-6pm, & Sunday 1-5pm.

February 1-25 Jean Wilkey: Still

Jean Wilkey Studio, 221 N. Main Street

Exhibit Still life oil paintings by Jean Wilkey.

Reception Friday, February 1 from 5-8pm. Also open Thursday & Friday 2-5pm & Saturday 10am-4pm.

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| February 1–24 Exhibit | Gypsy Sage Artists & Guests Amaro Winery, 402 S. Melendres Street Oil & watermedia paintings, glass, collage, & pastel art by Laurie Churchill, Marj Leininger, & Wendy Robin Weir with guest artists Mary Diesel & Jan M. Hampton. Reception Friday, February 1 from 4–8pm. Also open Wednesday–Friday 3–10pm, Saturday 1–10pm, & Sunday 1–6pm. Artists will be present on Saturdays from 4–7pm & Sundays from 4–6pm. |
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| February 1–23 Exhibit | ArtForms Members Exhibit Mesquite Art Gallery, 340 N. Mesquite Street Various media. Reception on Friday, February 1 from 5-8pm. Presentation of Artist of the Year to Rebecca Courtney at 6pm. Also open Thursday and Friday from 11am-5pm and Saturday from 2-5pm. |
| February 2–28 Exhibit | Sharing New Mexico Lundeen Inn of the Arts, 618 S. Alameda Boulevard Acrylic paintings by Rebecca Courtney. Reception Saturday, February 2 from 11am—4pm. Also open daily 11am—5pm. |
| February 2 & 3, 9 & 10, 16 & 17, and 23 & 24 Studio Tours | ArtForms Studio Tours Various media. Venues vary in Las Cruces and Mesilla. Saturday 10am—4pm and Sunday 12—4pm (some studio hours may vary). |
| February 3–28 Exhibit | ArtForms Members Exhibit Doña Ana Arts Council, 1740 Calle de Mercado, Mesilla Various media. Reception on Saturday, February 9 from 4–7pm. Also open Monday–Friday from 9am–5pm. |
| February 8– March 3 <i>Exhibit</i> | Observations ² Aa Studios, 2645 Doña Ana Road (at Calle de Oro) Photography by Emmitt Booher. Reception February 8 from 5–8pm. Also open Feb. 9 & 16 from 10am–4pm, February 10 & 17 from 12–4pm, and by appointment (520-8752). |
| February 8–10 Exhibit | EROTICA TWENTY NINETEEN ART POP, 3390 Apple Cross Place 2D & 3D art of all media by various artists. Reception Friday, February 8 from 6–10pm. Also open February 9 & February 10 from 2–4pm. Note: for ages 18 & over. |
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CELEBRATING FOR THE LOVE OF ART MONTH 2019

GYPSY SAGE ARTISTS

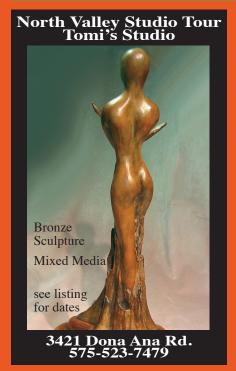
Opening Reception February 2nd, 4:00pm to 7:00pm Nopalito's Restaurant and Galeria

Aqua Media Exhibit



Laurie Churchill, Marj Leininger, Wendy Robin Weir

showing the month of February on Saturdays and Sundays, 12:00 to 4:00 326 S. Mesquite St. - Mesquite Historic District



The Mesilla Valley Fractal Artists showing the month of February at Funky Karma Studio & Gallery 3207 S. Main Street, Las Cruces, NM 575-993-9797 Spices, Teas and Tea Pots, Herbs, Incense and Incense Burners, Oils, Gifts, Jewelry, Fractals and More Marty Galster, Linda Wray, Alice Ward, Teri Van Huss Join us on Saturday, February 9th, 2019 from 10am to 4pm

for our Open Studio reception

'Mathematical Imagery in Fractals'



ART EVENTS

| February 9– March 3 <i>Exhibit</i> | It's the Little Things Art Obscura, 3206 Harrelson Street Mixed media by Roy van der Aa. Reception February 10 at 7pm. Also open Thur.—Sat. 10am—7pm and Sun. 11am—4pm. |
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| February 9– March 1 <i>Exhibit</i> | Robots and Nature Four Points Perspective, 3405 Hwy. 28, Mesilla Art by 7th & 8th grade students & others. Reception February 9 from 7–10pm. Also open Thursday–Saturday 12–4pm. |
| February 9 & 23 Films | Films by Ed Breeding Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Avenue Heart of the Arts (February 9) & Spirit of Art (February 23). Discussion following films led by Ruth Drayer. Free. 12:30–2:30pm. |
| February 9 Performance | For the Love of Music Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main Street Musical performance by Las Cruces Ukes. 2:30pm. |
| February 10 Performance | Choral Music St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 225 W. Griggs Avenue Choral performance by St. Paul's United Methodist Church Choir & NMSU gospel Choir. Admission by donation. 3pm. |
| February 23 & 24 Performance | A Western Ode Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main Street Dance performance by Mesilla Valley Dance Eclectic. February 23 at 8pm & February 24 at 2:30pm. (523-1223) |
| February 23 Literary Event | Sin Fronteras/Writers Without Borders Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main Street Poetry readings. 10am–12pm. |

THANK YOU!

Thanks to the **Volunteers** who gathered info, created forms, sold advertising, did the footwork, and came to the meetings necessary for a successful For the Love of Art 2019.

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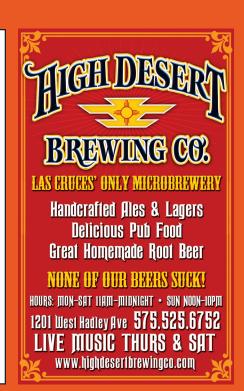
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FOR THE Love of Art HIGHLIGHTS

Studio Tours 4 weekends: February 2 & 3, 9 & 10, 16 & 17, and 23 & 24 from 10am–4pm on Saturdays and 12–4pm on Sundays. Maps and flags will guide you to dozens of studios.

Annual Member Exhibits Mesquite Art Gallery (340 N. Mesquite), reception Feb. 1 from 5–8pm. Cruces Creatives (205 E. Lohman,) reception Feb. 1 from 5–8pm. Doña Ana Arts Council (1740 Calle de Mercado, Mesilla), reception Feb. 9 from 4–7pm.

Special Events An assortment of concerts, performances, plays, and exhibits are all part of the celebration.

