

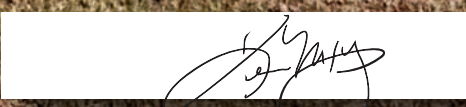
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**SANTA ANA PUEBLO**  
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*\*The governor urged NMDOT to address safety concerns at the Tamaya exit, calling for the creation of a emerging lane along with additional lighting. Additionally, they requested a turning lane to Dove Rd from 313 for improved traffic safety.*



*\*Governor addresses election pool for 2024*

## **PUEBLO LEADERS CONVENE: SANTA ANA GOVERNORS MEET WITH APCG**

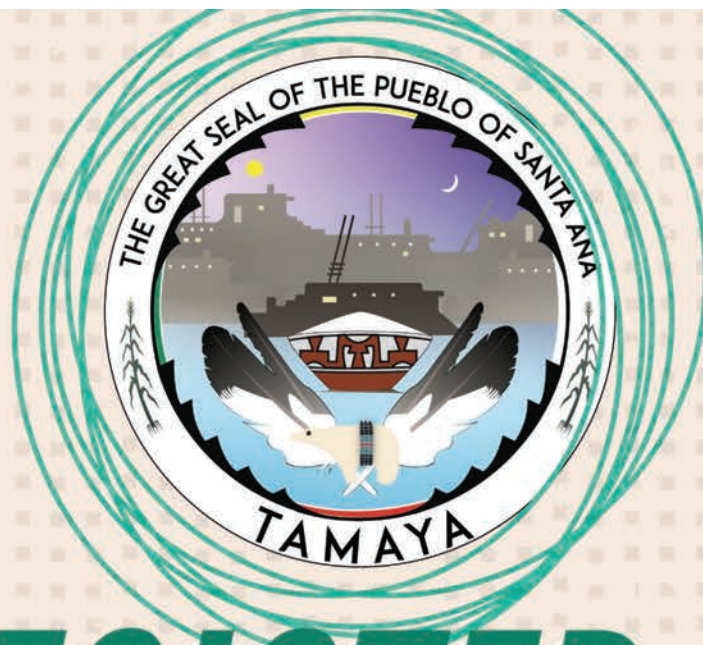
In a purposeful gathering, the Santa Ana Pueblo Governors convened with their counterparts from neighboring Pueblos at the All Pueblo Council of Governors (APCG). The agenda was robust, spanning cultural preservation, education, health equity, land stewardship, economic development, and unity. These committed leaders engaged in substantive discussions, weaving their collective vision into actionable steps for the betterment of all Pueblo communities.



## ***PUEBLO'S LAND RECLAMATION AND RESTORATION JOURNEY TAKES CENTER STAGE IN NEW FILM***

In 2016, the Pueblo of Santa Ana reclaimed 60,000 acres of their ancestral lands, once part of the vast King Ranch. For over a century, these lands were heavily grazed, leading to significant ecological changes. However, the pueblo's initiative aimed to restore the landscape to its former glory, blending traditional knowledge with contemporary science to protect Tamaya Kwii Kii Nee Puu for future generations.

Laura Paskus, the producer of "Our Land," offers insights into this remarkable journey. Through her documentary, she sheds light on the pueblo's restoration efforts, which go beyond mere environmental stewardship. By revitalizing springs, grasslands, and wildlife habitats, while also preserving traditional uses like hunting and ceremonies, the pueblo is creating a holistic approach to land management. Despite facing challenges such as land ownership disputes and economic barriers, the pueblo's unwavering commitment to their ancestral lands serves as a powerful example of sustainable practices that harmonize with nature. Their endeavor offers valuable lessons for communities everywhere, emphasizing the importance of combining traditional wisdom with modern science to create a more resilient and ecologically balanced future.



# **REGISTER TO VOTE TAMAYA!!**

- 2024 Primary Election: Tuesday, June 4, 2024
- 2024 General Election: Tuesday, November 5, 2024
- Additionally, New Mexico will hold a presidential election on November 5, 2024. Primary elections for the Democratic and Republican Parties will take place on June 4, 2024.

*To learn more about how to register and get started with voting, simply scan the QR code provided:*



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# EDUCATION NEWS

## SADE SUMMER BOOK CLUB FOR GRADES 6-12



- **BOOK: THE LONE RANGER AND TONTO FISTFIGHT IN HEAVEN.**
- **BOOK CLUB MEETS TWICE A WEEK: TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS 1045AM-1215PM .**
- **STARTING 6/18 AND ENDING ON 7/16**
- **7/18: MOVIE DAY, "SMOKE SIGNALS" MEETING LOCATION: LIBRARY**
- **INCENTIVE PRIZES FOR THOSE WHO FINISH THE BOOK AND COME CONSISTENTLY THE WHOLE 5 WEEKS.**



## SPENDING FRENZY WITH FIRST FINANCIAL CREDIT UNION

ATTENTION STUDENTS!! LEARN HOW TO BUDGET, EXPLORE USEFUL MONEY TIPS, AND IMPROVE YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF MONEY MANAGEMENT IN A FUN, EDUCATIONAL SETTING. COME JOIN US FOR AN EXCITING EVENT THAT WILL HELP YOU BECOME MORE CONFIDENT WITH YOUR FINANCES FOR LIFE!

- **DATE: JULY 3RD, 2024**
- **LOCATION: LIBRARY**
- **TIME: 10:45AM TO 12:15PM**
- **LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED**



# EDUCATION NEWS



## GARDEN/KERES LEARNING WORKSHOPS

ATTENTION STUDENTS IN GRADES 6-12! PREPARE FOR AN EXCITING EVENT:  
EXPLORE THE WONDERS OF GARDENING WHILE IMMERSING YOURSELF IN THE RICH  
HERITAGE OF OUR KERES CULTURE.



WHEN: JUNE 17TH & JUNE 19TH • TIME: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM • WHERE: LIBRARY PATIO



## INTRODUCTION TO HIGH SCHOOL MATH

Join us for an informative orientation session designed to kickstart your high school journey! Get ready to transition smoothly into this new chapter of your academic life.

- Date: July 8th & July 10th
- Time: 11:30am-1:30pm
- Location: Santa Ana Library
- Lunch will be provided

# EDUCATION NEWS

## GARDEN EDUCATOR WANTED

**The Pueblo of Santa Ana is looking for a Garden Educator. This part-time position offers support to students and the Santa Ana community to maximize the educational potential of the garden. The Garden Educator will teach K-12 students about growing and using traditional plants and vegetables and serve as a resource for information to community gardeners. Hours of service are seasonal but, generally during the after-school program 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

### ESSENTIAL DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES:

- **Oversees and coordinates students' hands-on experiences in the garden (planting, tending, harvesting and cooking.**
- **Manage the greenhouse garden and garden boxes, plan and prepare for garden work activities.**
- **Coordinate community garden events to bring students, families, and community members together.**

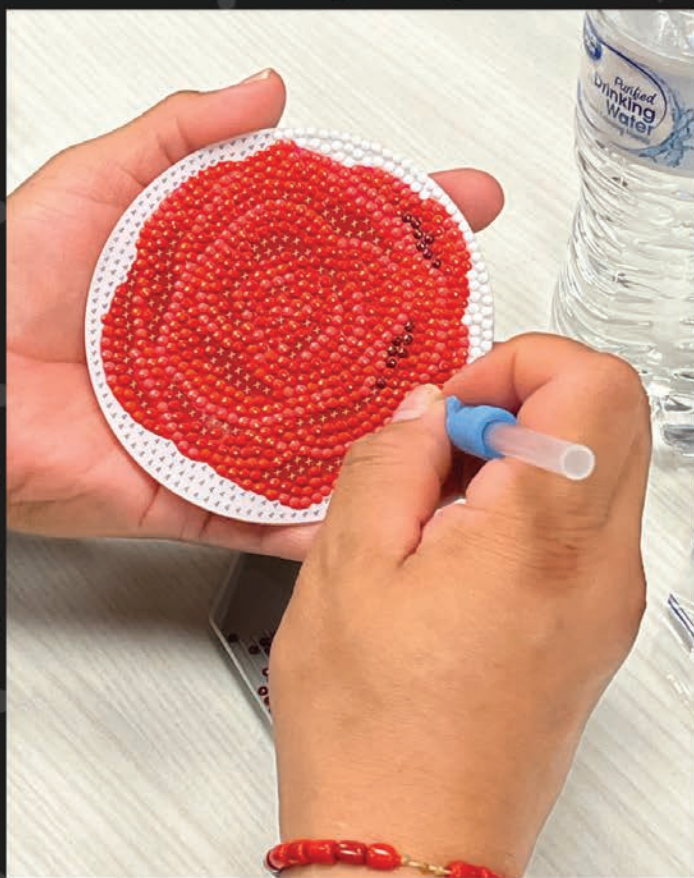
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TO APPLY:**







# BEYOND THE BOOKSHELF DIAMOND ART NIGHT!!





# SANTA ANA COMMUNITY LIBRARY

# TAMAYA HIKING CLUB



# BEYOND THE BOOKSHELF

## A Month of Celebrations: Floral and DIY Workshops

Join us for a delightful month of creativity and celebration! Whether you're a budding florist or just love beautiful blooms, our workshops offer something for everyone. Reserve your spot today!

- **Faux Floral Arrangements Workshop**

Date: May 8th

Time: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Adult Program: Only 12 spots available!

Learn the art of creating stunning floral arrangements. From bouquets to centerpieces, discover the secrets behind captivating designs.

- **Graduation Gifts DIY**

Date: May 15th

Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Teen/Adult Program

Craft personalized gifts for the graduates in your life. Get hands-on with unique ideas and surprise your loved ones.

- **Floral for Your Home**

Date: May 22nd

Time: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Adult Program: Only 12 spots available!

Elevate your home decor with fresh or faux flowers. Learn how to arrange blooms that brighten up any space.



*Space is limited for floral programs, please  
RSVP by emailing [cassandra.zamora@psaedu.org](mailto:cassandra.zamora@psaedu.org)*



## Santa Ana Agricultural Enterprise (SAAE) Plant Nursery- May Edition



Santa Ana Native Plants specializes in native plants for Cultural Importance, for Pollinators such as native bees, butterflies, beetles, birds, bats, and other beneficial insects. We also specialize in restoration plants for erosion, forests devastated by global change and fire, reclaiming areas where invasive non-native species have taken over.

This spring 2024 the SAAE Nursery is again growing chile and other vegetable plants, we are also growing native tobacco for the tribes of New Mexico. Tobacco is one of the specialty native plants the nursery grows along with Bear Grass, Apache Plume, Indian Tea, Yerba Mansa and Juniper to name a few.



Native plants have so many different purposes to many cultures but the most important thing about native plants is the spiritual aspect to the tribes of the United States. They are used for medicine (topical and ingested), cleansing, eating, drinking, fibers and tools.





## Santa Ana Agricultural Enterprise (SAAE) Plant Nursery- May Edition

### READY TO PLANT FOOD FOR SALE

A. Chile (Pepper) \$3.25 per 6 pk OR \$25 per Full tray (48 ct)

- Sandia
- Pueblo (Native)
- Yellow Hot
- Jalapeno
- Rattlesnake
- Big Jim
- Joe Parkers



B. Tomatoes \$3 each OR \$96 per Full Tray (32 ct)

- (4) Types of Varieties

C. Cucumbers \$3.25 per 6 pk

D. Native Tobacco \$3 each OR \$96 per Full Tray (32 ct)

- SD
- Isleta

E. Native Melon \$3.25 per 6 pk

- Sugar Baby
- Cantaloupe
- Honey Dew
- Casaba



### YUCCA & CACTUS FOR SALE

- Agave \$25 per 5gal
- Yucca \$25 per 5gal
- Bear grass (Nolina sp) \$25 per 5gal
- Prickly Pear \$25 per 5gal
- Cholla (parrots' beak) \$25 per 5gal
- Specialty Cactus \$25 per 5gal



Please contact Mike Halverson for more information about select pricing for all Santa Ana Tribal members @ (505)-382-3348.

Nursery Address: 140 Ranchitos Rd. Santa Pueblo NM 87004



DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
 MAY NEWSLETTER



**SOUTH AFRICAN  
 VISIT TO TAMAYA**

SAP Departments of Natural Resources, Language and Culture, and Tribal Historic Preservation Office gave presentations to the Southern Africa Delegation of 14 individuals representing Botswana, Namibia, and South Africa on a US Study Tour to exchange knowledge on best practices of natural resources including land, water, and wildlife management. Also discussed with the visiting delegation included issues of critical importance related to cultural heritage preservation and the economic development which has occurred on SAP. Included in the delegation were representatives from DOI-ITAP, USAID, BIA and NPS. SAP hosted the delegation April 14 and 15 2024.





**WATER RESOURCES DIVISION  
 RECEIVES EPA WATER QUALITY  
 AWARD**



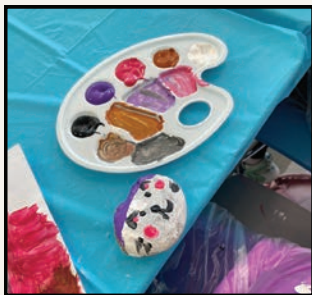
The Water Resource (WR) Division Program attended the Annual EPA Region 6 Tribal Summit in April and received an Environmental Excellence Award for a Well-established Program. The WR Program currently holds 5 EPA Water Grants to protect and sustain surface water efforts.



Congratulations to the WR Division Program for their hard work and protecting the Pueblo's water!

**SAVE THE DATE:**  
**23RD ANNUAL ENVIRONMENTAL FAIR**  
**SATURDAY, AUGUST 24**

**EARTH  
 DAY**





# SOLAR ENERGY

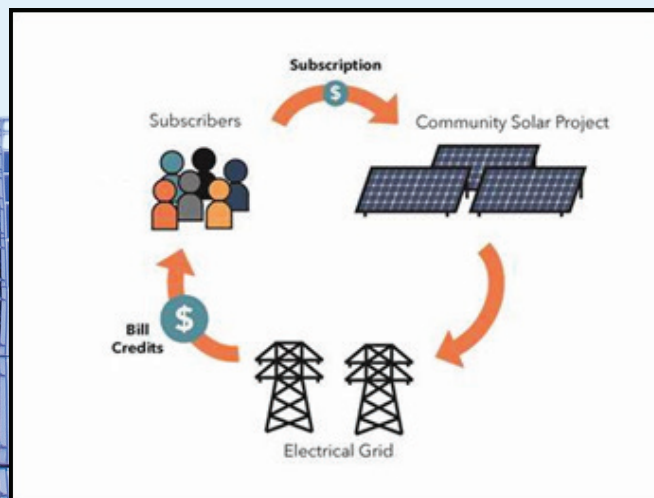
## 14.5 Million!



The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is excited to announce again that the Pueblo of Santa Ana was awarded the BIA Tribal Electrification grant for \$14.5 million! It is estimated that the 5MW community solar project will provide electricity in the community to reduce electricity costs substantially. Community solar allows customers to subscribe to the program and receive energy savings through bill credits. Community solar subscribers can be anywhere in the PNM service territory.

The project will not require solar panels to be installed on residential rooftops and will be tied into the PNM grid to provide electricity to each home. We hope that the project will provide additional solar power to the buildings as well. This is a monumental achievement and a special thank you goes out to those that contributed to the project and years of hard work to achieve our energy goals at the Pueblo of Santa Ana! We will continue to update the community on details.

**Link to press release: Biden-Harris Administration Announces \$72 Million from President’s Investing in America Agenda to Electrify Homes Across Indian Country with Clean Energy | Indian Affairs (bia.gov)**







**CAMPING**

**SAYH2O**

**RIVER RAFTING**

# FAMILY NIGHT

**HAVE FUN!**

**LEARN ABOUT THE  
WATER CYCLE, OUR  
ENVIRONMENT, &  
WILDLIFE**

**FISHING**



WEDNESDAY, MAY 15  
5:30 PM – 7PM  
IN TRIBAL COUNCIL  
CHAMBERS  
Dinner will be served!

JOIN US FOR A WEEKLONG  
OF LEARNING & FUN  
ACTIVITIES.

Registration is NOW open  
**TO 9 – 18 YR. OLDS.**

**REGISTER HERE**



\*Registration will hold your child's spot for SAYH2O.  
Please register each child.

Questions? Contact Tammy Montoya at (505) 771-6739 or  
Dorothy Beecher at (505) 771-6711



*On April 23, the Language and Culture Department co-sponsored visitors from Māori, New Zealand.*

**CARROLL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL KERES CLASSES  
 KINDERGARTEN – THIRD GRADES**



"Ahrawah sai hopa." The school year has flown by, and school will be out in another month.

The Carroll Elementary School students have worked hard this year. We are very proud of their efforts and accomplishments in understanding Tamayame.

On May 10, 2024, Carroll Elementary will have a Cultural Day Celebration. Our Kindergarten, First, Second, and Third grades will perform a dance. Other CES classes will also perform to celebrate diversity of the Carroll School community. Come and join us. Parents other information about the dance will be sent as the final program plans are made.

Thank you for your support and sharing your students with us.

C. Bertha Murillo – Teacher  
 Eliseo Raton Jr. – Teacher Assistant

## **BERNALILLO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FOURTH – SIXTH GRADES**



Greetings all, my name is Michael Garcia and I am the Bernalillo Elementary School Keres Language Instructor I have been employed with the Language and Culture Department for 6 years and have taught in the middle school, high school, and Santa Ana community. I enjoy my position as a language teacher and had many great experiences with my students and community through the teaching of our beautiful language, culture, and traditions. Currently my students are engaged in hands-on activities that teach the useful skill of traditional arts while learning the language through action and example. With the acknowledgement of the principal and teachers at Bernalillo Elementary, the Keres Class mirrors the "special" classes offered to the students. Specials consist of art, music, physical education, library, and computers. In Keres class, we follow these activities, teaching concepts, procedures, and outcomes within and indigenous perspective. Unfortunately, language cannot be learned, within the confines of a classroom or within a set amount of time, it requires active language usage within all spaces, such as the home, the grocery store, the gym, everywhere. Identity also plays an interictal part of language learning and retention. Students learn of the emergence of the people, their migration story and eventual settlement at Tamaya Kowasiaya. Knowing where we come from, our journey as a people and our purpose on this earth; is essential to the survival of our language. I encourage all to continue to speak the language is all spaces, for eventually it will become a place where our Keres language lives and as our ancestors always stated, "Words are Life!" If you are interested in observing the Keres class in action, please do not hesitate to contact me via email at [michael.garcia@psaedu.org](mailto:michael.garcia@psaedu.org). Thank you for your continued support of our program, students and purpose.

Michel Garcia - Teacher

Thelma Lahi - Teacher Assistant

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## **SPARTAN LEARNING ACADEMY SEVENTH - EIGHTH GRADES**



Hello from Spartan Learning Academy Tamaya Keres Class, if you didn't know it was formerly the Bernalillo Middle School.

Our Tamaya Keres Class is coming to the end of the school year and students have spring fever. This school year the lessons were; Family Terms, Tamaya Social Etiquette, Greetings, Environment, Directions, Places, our physical Being, Traditional events and Social Celebrations and of course, we just touch the surface of learning the hanonee terms of the lesson plans.

We hope as Tamaya community teachers to guide, coach, and support our young students in this lifelong process from learners to leaders.

Our students attended the National Indian Education Association conference held in Albuquerque, in October. The students learned how to work together as a team, how to create art, and why our language is important. A Spartan Learning Academy student gave the opening prayer in Tamayame for the NIEA Conference.

The goal of the Tamaya Language class is to preserve the history, traditions, values and most of all cultural identity, to ensure the continuation and transmission of culture. Speaking in our home language to our students is vital to help build their confidence in the classroom.

Nytra.

Charlene Pino - Teacher

Valerie Leon - Teacher Assistant

## **BERNALILLO HIGH SCHOOL NINTH - TWELFTH GRADES**



We are nearing the end of the 2023/2024 school year here at Bernalillo High School. Currently we have 8 students in the first period class, 3 seniors, 4 juniors, and 1 sophomore. Our second period class consists of 5 freshmen and 1 sophomore. We have 2 Tamayame seniors that will be receiving their bi-lingual bi-literacy Seal in May 2024.

We have been working on the lessons of Environmental, Santa Ana Tribal Officers, and Easter Activities. We are currently on the lesson of celebrations practiced throughout the year, we discuss traditional activities and what is said during these times. All the lessons have been taught in the Tamayame Keres language. We know the students are learning the language and trying hard. Please parents, families and community help our students to learn and practice speaking the language.

Thank you for your students, it has been wonderful teaching them.

Fred Armijo - Teacher

Valentina M. Lujan - Teacher Assistant

## TAMAYA COMMUNITY FAMILY VALUES PROGRAM 4th, 5th & 6th Grade Families:

Come join the Language and Culture Department for the Tamaya Community Family Values Program - highlighting the Tamayame way of life & strengthen our cultural identities through teachings and practices of Tamayame traditions.

Open to the first 8 families to sign-up.  
DEADLINE to sign-up April 30, 2024.

Contact the Language & Culture Department office  
at 505-771-6743 or e-mail  
[tamara.quintana@psaedu.org](mailto:tamara.quintana@psaedu.org).

We look forward to having you and your family join us!





## NEWS FROM THE THPO



**ON APRIL 16<sup>TH</sup>, THE SHELBURNE MUSEUM DROVE ALL THE WAY FROM VERMONT TO BRING A LARGE SANTA ANA POLYCHROME DOUGH BOWL HOME. THPO BEGAN THE LONG REPATRIATION PROCESS IN EARLY 2023. THIS BOWL IS ONE OF MANY ITEMS OF CULTURAL PATRIMONY, THE THPO IS WORKING TO BRING BACK HOME TO TAMAYA**

**FOR SIZE REFERENCE BILLY MEASURES 4"X1 1/2"X 3"**



**SANTA ANA POLYCHROME WAS IN PRODUCTION FROM 1830 TO 1930. DURING THIS TIME, THE USE OF RIVER SAND TEMPER, THE ICONIC "EIFFEL TOWER", & SPECIFIC DESIGN IMPLEMENTATIONS BECAME SOME WAYS THAT IDENTIFY TAMAYAME CERAMICS.**



## TRIBAL ENROLLMENT

We are asking Tribal Enrolled Members to please update your enrollment file.

### Updates needed for individual files.

- *Original Birth Certificate*
- *Updated mail/physical address*
- *Updated phone numbers*
- *Updated email addresses*
- *Marriage License/Certificate*
- *Divorce decree*

### We provide the following:

- *CIB's*
- *Proof of Residency*
- *Get Birth Certificates in Santa Fe*
- *Verification of Indian Blood*
- *Tribal ID cards (your card must have an expiration date to be valid)*

For information/questions, call the Tribal Enrollment office.  
(505)771-6769 or (505)771-6709

## Calling All Tribal Member Artists

The Tribal Enrollment Office is looking for a tribal member artist to create the art for our annual Feast Day card.

If interested please email your information to [melverna.lujan@santaana-nsn.gov](mailto:melverna.lujan@santaana-nsn.gov).

**Deadline for Submissions is Friday, May 17th, 2024**

For more information, please contact  
Melverna @ 505-771-6769 or Raquel @ 505-250-1016.



# WINNERS ANNOUNCEMENT

THE TRIBAL ENROLLMENT SENIOR WORKSHEET WINNERS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 2024 ARE:



- *Diana Menchego*
- *Vicki Garcia*
- *Marcella Garcia*
- *Pearl Blackbear*
- *Regina Pena*
- *Della Raton*

*Congratulations ladies and continue to submit your worksheets.*

*Any Tribal senior 50+ that would like to participate in our Monthly Senior Worksheet activity can call our offices and we will gladly deliver a worksheet to you.*

*Tribal Resource/Enrollment phone numbers:  
(505)771-6769 or (505)771-6709*



**SANTA ANA PUEBLO**

## **TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT**

### **Greetings!**

The transportation Department would like to provide the following information. Please be advised, as our department continues to develop we will make the necessary adjustments to benefit the Community of Santa Ana.

- **Starting April 1st, 2024**, our Fixed/On-Demand Transit will operate from 7:30 AM to 5:30 PM, Monday to Friday. We'll stop at every bus location and offer on-demand service within our service area, including downtown Bernalillo, Wal Mart Bernalillo, Walgreens Bernalillo, Albertsons Rio Rancho, Rail Runner, Santa Ana Casino, and Home Depot. No large items, alcohol, or narcotics allowed, and we reserve the right to decline transport for passengers suspected of being under the influence.
- **Non-Emergency Medical Transport:** We aim to accommodate your non-emergency medical transport needs promptly. Kindly schedule at least 48 hours in advance. We serve Bernalillo, Rio Rancho, and Albuquerque. Note: We do not transport to emergency facilities. In case of emergency, please contact emergency services.
- **Auxiliary Transport Services (New):** Monday to Friday, 7:30 AM – 5:30 PM. We transport to/from employment within Santa Ana Pueblo, Bernalillo Business District, Santa Ana Star Casino, Santa Ana Golf Club, and Hyatt Regency Tamaya Resort. 48-hour notice required for employment transport.



**SANTA ANA PUEBLO**

## **TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT**

- **School Transport Service.** We are now approaching the end of our first year transporting students to the Rio Rancho School District and are preparing for the 2024 – 2025 school year. Please keep an eye out in the month of June for transportation enrollment forms. We will also provide transportation services to the summer programs that request it.
- **PLEASE NOTE:** When a school bus has made a complete stop on a road and extends its stop sign, it is to allow students to enter or depart from the bus safely. It also allows students to cross a road safely. **PLEASE DO NOT** attempt to pass the bus at this time as it is a traffic violation and most importantly a safety issue for the children of Santa Ana Pueblo. Remember, safety first!

We will continue to develop our transportation services as the community requests increase. Please find the contact information below for a service request.

- For service requests call: 505-771-6444
- On Demand Transit (shuttle) Transport: Monday – Friday 7:30 AM – 5:30 PM
- Auxiliary Transport Services: Monday – Friday 7:30 AM – 5:30 AM
- Medical Transport: Monday – Friday Time at discretion of driver availability



# EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

## EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

- In our push for 100% NIMS compliance at Pueblo of Santa Ana, communications have been distributed to all department heads, managers, and key EOC personnel. The Office of Emergency Management aims to align with NIMS NMDHSEM directives, ensuring our ability to unite in preventing, preparing for, responding to, and recovering from emergencies. Recent events underscore the importance of full NIMS implementation across all POSA departments and programs, as affirmed by Tribal Council Resolution 2020
- The National Incident Management System (NIMS) equips stakeholders across the community with a common language, systems, and procedures, facilitating the delivery of capabilities outlined in the National Preparedness System. By integrating everyone involved, from on-site responders to EOC personnel and senior officials, NIMS readies the nation for catastrophic disasters, surpassing the capabilities of individual jurisdictions or organizations.
- Homeland Security Presidential Directive 5 mandates the adoption of NIMS by all Federal departments and agencies. This directive also links Federal preparedness assistance funding (grants) for states, territories, tribal, and local jurisdictions to NIMS compliance. Issued by the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) on March 1, 2004, NIMS offers a unified national approach to managing all-hazard incidents across jurisdictional levels and functional disciplines.
- The successful implementation of the NIMS depends on the participation and integration of all the Pueblo of Santa Ana Departments, Programs, and community-based organizations, including public, non-governmental, and private organizations that may have a role in preventing, preparing for, responding to, or recovering from an emergency or disaster event.



**OFFICER**

**PHILLIP MENDEZ**

"HI, MY NAME IS PHILLIP MENDEZ, EVERYONE JUST CALLS ME PHIL. I'VE BEEN A POLICE OFFICER FOR A LITTLE OVER 2 YEARS. I STARTED MY FIRST YEAR WITH APD THEN MOVED TO CORRALES PD. BEFORE I WAS A POLICE OFFICER I SERVED IN THE U.S NAVY FOR 4 YEARS WHERE I DEPLOYED TWICE, SO I HAVE ALL THE COOL SEA STORIES. I WAS BORN AND RAISED IN ALBUQUERQUE, I GREW UP LOVING FOOTBALL, STAR WARS, AND SUPERHERO COMICS. I'M VERY HAPPY TO BE WORKING IN THE SANTA ANA PUEBLO AND EXCITED TO GET TO KNOW THE PEOPLE SO IF YOU SEE ME FEEL FREE TO STOP AND SAY HELLO."



**⚠ WARNING: SCAMMERS POSING AS LAW ENFORCEMENT ⚠**

LAW ENFORCEMENT WILL NEVER CONTACT THE PUBLIC BY PHONE OR ONLINE TO DEMAND MONEY OR ANY OTHER FORM OF PAYMENT. WILL NEVER REQUEST PERSONAL OR SENSITIVE INFORMATION OVER THE PHONE, AND WILL ONLY NOTIFY PEOPLE OF A LEGITIMATE INVESTIGATION OR LEGAL ACTION IN PERSON OR BY OFFICIAL LETTER.  
ANYONE WITH A TELEPHONE/CELLPHONE IS AT RISK BUT MORE SO SENIORS.

- CALLERS USE URGENT AND AGGRESSIVE TONES.
- THREATEN ARREST, PROSECUTION, REVOCATION OF THEIR LICENSE OR REGISTRATION.
- DEMAND MONEY THROUGH WIRE TRANSFER, GIFT CARDS OR TO MEET IN PERSON.
- ASK FOR PERSONAL INFORMATION, SUCH AS SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS, DATE OF BIRTH AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION.



**TO REPORT OR NEED INFORMATION:**  
**REPORTFRAUD.FTC.GOV    IDENTITYTHEFT.GOV    IDTHEFTCENTER.ORG**

# TRIBAL COURTS



## SANTA ANA TRIBAL COURT

**CHANGES ARE HAPPENING!!**

**WE ARE MOVING TO  
A NEW LOCATION!**

*The Santa Ana Judicial Complex project was proposed and approved by Tribal Council in 2014. The building has been 100% paid for through state grant funding. The Judicial Complex will hold the Santa Ana Tribal Court offices and the Santa Ana Police Department. The total gross square footage of the complex is 20,891 sq. feet. The estimated completion date will be around July 2024.*

# TRIBAL COURTS



## **AFTER 13 YEARS OF BEING WITH THE PUEBLO, PROBATION OFFICER HOLGUIN ANNOUNCES HIS RETIREMENT!!**

Robert Holguin has been in law enforcement for 40 years. He was first employed by the Santa Ana Police Department as a Patrol Officer and then transferred to Tribal Courts as a Probation Officer in 2018. He has been instrumental in standing up the probation program which has been a foundation of the Court. He has promoted community wellness and harmony. We are grateful to have worked with him, and we wish him well!

*Happy Retirement!!*

### **ARE YOU NEEDING TO FILE ANY DOCUMENTS WITH THE COURT OR NEED FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING THE COURT PROCESS?**

TRIBAL COURT DOES NOT REQUIRE A FILING FEE FOR ANY SUBMISSION OF FORMS OR DOCUMENTS TO THE CLERK'S OFFICE. PLEASE SEE THE LIST OF EXAMPLES OF FORMS/PETITIONS PROVIDED BY TRIBAL COURT.

YOU MAY VISIT OUR WEBSITE OR CONTACT JANIECE GARCIA, THE COURT CLERK, FOR FURTHER QUESTIONS OR ANY CLARIFICATIONS REGARDING ALL FORMS.

- CIVIL COMPLAINT
- MOTION FORM TO THE COURT
- COMPLAINT FOR A TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER
- PETITION TO ESTABLISH PATERNITY, SET CHILD SUPPORT, OR CHILD CUSTODY
- PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME
- PETITION AND APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS EXECUTOR OF ESTATE
- PETITION TO OPEN TRADITIONAL COURT CASE
- PETITION FOR GUARDIANSHIP
- PETITION TO ESTABLISH ENROLLMENT





# Human Resources

WE ARE  
**HIRING**  
*Join Our Team*

## OPEN POSITIONS:

- Tribal Planner
- Environmental Program Specialist
  - Home School Liaison
  - Special Education Teacher
  - Garden Educator
- Temp. Early Childhood Teacher
- Social Services Manager
- Social Services Caseworker
  - Sports & Events Lead
  - Head Cook
- Computer Support Technician
  - (2) Electrician

**APPLY NOW**



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**(505)771-6752**



Visit our website for more  
**[www.santaana-nsn.gov](http://www.santaana-nsn.gov)**



# HUMAN RESOURCES


Pueblo of Santa Ana


## WELCOME ABOARD:

INTRODUCING OUR NEWEST TEAM MEMBERS!

	<b>Melissa Camarillo</b>
	Adult Day Care Aide <b>Family Services</b>


	<b>Aaron Cajero</b>
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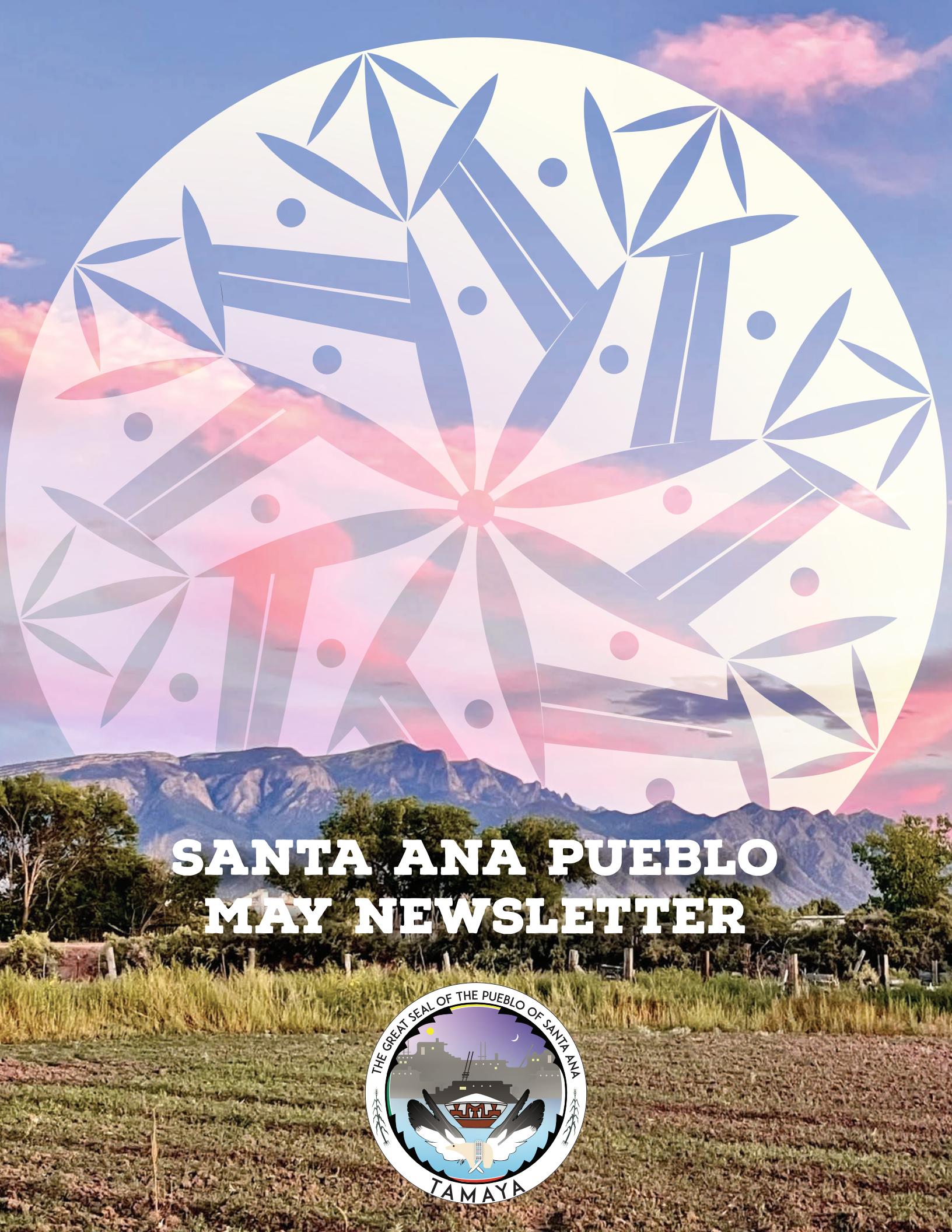
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