



# SPRING CALENDAR

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## ART

### MAY 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13

Jennifer Lynch Spectra, presented by Richard Levy Gallery, 514 Central Avenue SW, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Reception on May 5, from 6-8 p.m. An exhibition of abstract paintings and unique prints by Jennifer Lynch spanning 13 years. Admission is free. Visit [levygallery.com](http://levygallery.com).

## JUNE 1

Happy Arte Hour, at National Hispanic Cultural Center, 1701 4th Street SW, 6-8 p.m. NHCC invites adults for artistic fun in a relaxed social setting, an excellent opportunity for friends to hang out, a date night option, or a place to connect solo with fellow art enthusiasts. Drinks and snacks will be available to purchase. Various materials will be available. Free event. Donations of \$5+ are encouraged. Call or email Elena Baca at 505-246-2261 or [elenad.baca@dca.nm.gov](mailto:elenad.baca@dca.nm.gov) or visit [nhccnm.org](http://nhccnm.org).

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

### SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS

Celebrate the seasonal cycles through prayer, song, and dance with the Cultural Dance Program presented by Indian Pueblo Cultural Center, 2401 12th Street NW, from 11-noon & 2-3 p.m. Dances connect us to our ancestors, community, and traditions while honoring gifts from our Creator. Admission is free for museum members or with museum admission. Call (505) 843-7270. Visit [indianpueblo.org](http://indianpueblo.org).

### THURSDAYS

Meditation, non-traditional. Sit together quietly for 40 minutes, followed by 45 minutes for sharing, questions, and exploration of meditative work and how it sheds light on our lives. Open to people from any tradition or no tradition. On Zoom. [MeditationNM.wordpress.com](http://MeditationNM.wordpress.com) or call Jay, 505-281-0684.

### MAY - JUNE

Powerful Tools for Caregivers is a FREE six-week class that provides tools to reduce stress, deal with difficult emotions, and increase self-care strategies. You will learn how to take care of yourself while caring for a relative or friend. Each class series meets at the same time and same day for six-consecutive weeks. Participants receive a free copy of "The Caregiver Helpbook". Each course is limited to 10 participants. 505-494-4021 or visit [www.familycaregivernm.org](http://www.familycaregivernm.org)

### MAY - JUNE

Caregivers Toolbox Workshops  
Workshops to provide family caregivers with the skills to prepare for the journey ahead. Topics include: Caregiver Self Care, Community Resources, Understanding and Addressing Difficult Behavior, Dementia 101, and Advance planning. No pre-registration required. Call 505-494-4021

### MAY - JUNE

Caregiving for an LGBT Person: Best Practices  
Gain a greater understanding of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender community and how best to care for an LGBT person. Hour one: Basic information about the LGBT community, older LGBT folks, appropriate language, and the opportunity to challenge some of our assumptions. Hour two: Explore the lived experiences of older LGBT adults and how those experiences impact trust and safety and suggest best practices for care. Caregivers are welcome to attend one or both hours. No pre-registration required. Call 505-494-4021

### MAY 2 & 16

Support groups are compassionate places for family caregivers to voice their struggles. You are not alone. In our groups, caregivers share information and get emotional support. 505-494-4021 or visit [www.familycaregivernm.org](http://www.familycaregivernm.org)

### MAY 6

Anne Hillerman's "The Way Of The Bear." New York Times bestselling author Anne Hillerman will speak

at Placitas Community Library, 453 Hwy 165, Placitas, NM, at 2 p.m. Admission is free. Call (505) 867-3355 or visit [placitaslibrary.com](http://placitaslibrary.com).

### MAY 6

Turkish Food & Culture Fair at Raindrop Foundation Turkish Cultural Center, 7901 Mountain Road NE, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. The free event features samples of Turkish- Mediterranean Cuisine (Doner Gyro Kebab, Baklava, Turkish Coffee, and more), cultural exhibits, folk dances, live music, a children's area, and arts & crafts. Visit [eventbrite.com](http://eventbrite.com).

### MAY 6-7

The Bernalillo Indian Arts Festival, presented by Authentic Native Arts Association (ANAA), at Loretto Park, 237 S. Camino Del Pueblo, Bernalillo, NM, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. The open-air market features jewelry, sculptures, pottery, paintings, photography, clothing, beadwork, woodcarving, entertainment, food, special events and more. Free admission. Visit [bernalilloindianfestival.com](http://bernalilloindianfestival.com).

### MAY 6-7

The Rio Grande Valley Celtic Festival and Highland Games, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. The Festival represents the united efforts of New Mexico's Celtic Community to celebrate and foster the traditional Celtic culture of Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Brittany, Cornwall, Manx, and Galicia. It features Celtic dance, athletics, games, music, arts, history, entertainers, food, and vendors. Admission is \$15, children 11 and under are free. Visit [celtfestabq.com](http://celtfestabq.com).

### MAY 7

Cinco de Mayo Folk Art Fest, at La Parada and Farm & Table, 8917 4th Street NW, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. It features 40 plus local Artisan vendors, food, a free Piñata decorating workshop, and entertainment with live music by Juanita from noon-3 p.m. Visit [facebook.com/events/246473057810193](http://facebook.com/events/246473057810193).

### MAY 9

Live entertainment on Zoom. Desert Home Companion! An hour of home-grown stories, music and entertainment in the coziness of your own home. Tune in at 6:45 pm Tuesday, April 11. See [Cuttsbooks.Wordpress.com](http://Cuttsbooks.Wordpress.com) or call Jay, 505-281-0684.

### MAY 13

San Ysidro Day 2023 Celebration, at Sanchez Farm Open Space, 1180 Arenal Road SW, 10 a.m. The annual celebration of San Ysidro Day in the South Valley. The ancient yearly procession and blessing of San Ysidro y Santa María de la Cabeza. Free event. Visit [facebook.com/events/1350074699122652](http://facebook.com/events/1350074699122652) for more information.

### MAY 15

For Older Americans Month in May, we will be holding a free Senior Health and Information Fair, 9am-1pm. There will be several agencies represented, entertainment and demonstrations. We are located at 10 Tijeras Ave., Tijeras, NM, phone #505-286-4220

### MAY 25

Support group for adoptees, birth parents, adoptive parents, or any adult with an interest in adoption meets the 4th Thursday of every month (except Nov and Dec) at the Young at Heart Choir Rehearsal Space at 2404 San Mateo Place NE in Albuquerque from 7-8pm. It is located on San Mateo Place which is just off of San Mateo Blvd. located behind Denny's and the San Mateo Inn just north and east of the I40 and San Mateo Blvd intersection. Please call (505) 350-1344 with questions, or visit our website [nmoi.org](http://nmoi.org)

## FARMERS' & GROWERS' MARKETS

The Farmer's and Growers' markets throughout New Mexico will soon open and feature New Mexico's finest and freshest home-grown fruits, vegetables, and various foods. Visit [farmersmarketsnm.org](http://farmersmarketsnm.org).

### SATURDAYS THROUGH NOVEMBER 4

Downtown Growers' Market presented by

DowntownABQ MainStreet Initiative at Robinson Park, 810 Copper Avenue NW, 8 a.m.-noon. It features fresh local produce, handcrafted wellness products, unique art, hot-prepared foods, music, and entertainment. Visit [downtowngrowers.org](http://downtowngrowers.org).

### MAY 7 - OCTOBER 29

Rail Yards Market opens on May 7, every Sunday from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. A non-profit run growers' market, established in 2014 by volunteers and neighborhood residents, celebrates all things local and at the heart of New Mexican culture. Every Sunday, you can peruse 100's New Mexico's finest food, farm, artisan, and healing vendors and hear live musicians, with educational and demonstration zones for kids and adults. Visit [railyardsmarket.org](http://railyardsmarket.org).

## DANCE

### MAY 4, 11, 18, 25

New Mexico Folk Dance for Seniors at the National Hispanic Cultural Center, 1701 4th Street SW, features four weeks of traditional New Mexico music with dance classes like La Marche. Classes run for four consecutive Thursdays from 1:30-3:30 p.m. The program is part of the NHCC's Siempre Creativo program, which provides a free multidisciplinary arts program for seniors and is a free community event supported by AARP New Mexico. Register at [nhccnm.org](http://nhccnm.org), or call 505-724-4771 for assistance.

### THROUGH OCTOBER 3

Taco Tuesdays - Salsa Nights, presented by Voodoo Girl Pizza & Pints, 1401 2nd St NW, 7-10 p.m. Spice it up for Taco Tuesday Salsa Nights, Spinning the hottest Salsa, Bachata, Merengue y mas! No Cover. Visit [facebook.com/Voodoogirlpizzaofficial/events](http://facebook.com/Voodoogirlpizzaofficial/events).

## WEDNESDAYS

Free Introduction to Tango with Class and Dance at Juno Brewery + Cafe + Art, 1501 1st Street NW, 7 p.m. It is free and a lot of fun. No partner or experience is required. Visit [abqopentango.wixsite.com/website](http://abqopentango.wixsite.com/website).

## MUSEUMS

### MAY 5

Mars Day @ the Museum 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Included in Museum or Planetarium Admission. Bring the family or just treat yourself and visit the planet Mars at the Museum! For more Info: [jayne.aubele@dca.nm.gov](mailto:jayne.aubele@dca.nm.gov) or call 505-841-2800

### MAY 7

Free Sunday Mornings in April at Albuquerque Museum, 2000 Mountain Road NW, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Call 243-7255 or 311; visit [cabq.gov/museum](http://cabq.gov/museum).

### MAY 19

Adult Nights at Explora, 1701 Mountain Road NW, 6:30-9 p.m. Each adults-only evening features a unique theme with related activities—from performances and guest lectures to art and science installations to hands-on science experiments with materials. 21 Plus only event. Admission is \$7-\$10. Visit [explora.us/programs/adult-night/](http://explora.us/programs/adult-night/).

## THEATRE

### THROUGH MAY 7

The Revolutionists at The Adobe Theater, 9813 4th Street NW. Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30 p.m.; Sundays at 2 p.m. The Revolutionists is a play about four tough women who lived boldly in France during the French Revolution's Reign of Terror. Tickets are \$17-\$24. Call (505) 898-9222. Visit [adobetheater.org](http://adobetheater.org).

### MAY 6-7

The New Mexico Ballet Company features "Resilience" at the National Hispanic Cultural Center, 1701 4th Street SW, Saturday, 7 p.m.; Sunday, 2 p.m. NMBC's 50th-anniversary performances. Admission is \$15, \$25, and \$35, with discounts for kids 12 & under, students, and seniors. Visit [nhccnm.org](http://nhccnm.org) or [my.nmculture.org/overview/18800](http://my.nmculture.org/overview/18800).