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THE NEW MEXICO Department of Health has lifted restrictions on eligibility for H1N1 vaccine. SHAC is offering free H1N1 flu shots for UNM students, staff, and faculty through the SHAC Immunization Clinic – while supplies last. The Immunization Clinic is open for flu shots Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. On Tuesdays, SHAC is closed from 8 to 9 a.m. SHAC will be closed for Winter Break, Dec. 24, 2009 - Jan. 3, 2010. For more info, call the SHAC Immunization Clinic at (505) 277-7925.
http://shac.unm.edu/

BETWEEN THE ECONOMY, the political battles over jobs, health care and the environment, 2009 was a somber year. But behind all the depressing headlines there were solid accomplishments and progress in research at UNM. Here’s a chance to look at the top 10 stories in research at UNM from 2009.
http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004653.html#more

THE 2010 EDITION of Quantum, the University of New Mexico’s online research magazine, is now available for your reading pleasure. Find out how researchers use neuroimaging to discover the origins and processes behind creativity; see how new research is leading to a better understanding of mammal extinction, check out how researchers can create polymers that trap and kill dangerous bacteria; and more.
http://research.unm.edu/

YOU CAN STILL DONATE to UNM’s ‘Live United’ campaign through the month of December. Additionally, anyone who donates to the UNM 'Live United' campaign in December will be eligible for the big United Way drawing to be held the first week of January. Up for grabs are Popejoy tickets to the Jan. 10 performance of "Peking Acrobats," gift certificates to the UNM Bookstore and the Gold Rush Cupcake Shop, a Lobo men's basketball game and more.
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ARTIST JANA FOTHERGILL will be at the UNM Bookstore on main campus Tuesday, Dec. 22, from 12 to 1 p.m. to sign the official UNM Holiday Ornament. Created by Fothergill, the 2009 UNM Holiday Ornament features the UNM Duck Pond and is the second in a series. The ornament is $18.89, set in honor of UNM’s founding year, and is still available for last minute shoppers. All proceeds benefit the UNM Parent Association.
http://bookstore.unm.edu/

SMALL DECISIONS, made throughout the day, are reflected in overall health and wellness. These decisions help achieve countless goals every day. Wellness goals can be as small as “I’m going to get eight hours of sleep tonight” or as complex as “I am going to run a marathon before my next birthday.” Click on the link for guidance on setting all types of wellness goals.
http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004615.html#more
DO YOU WANT to be one of the first on campus to be notified in the event of a weather delay/closure or campus emergency? If so, faculty, staff and students are encouraged to signup for TextMe UNM, the campuswide emergency notification system that is available for messages to the Albuquerque campus. 

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THE OLYMPIC POOL and Therapy Pool is closed through Jan. 3 for tile repair. For Recreational Services’ facility hours during the winter break visit, http://recsvcs.unm.edu/, and click on the Winter Break schedule.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES is standardizing printing costs in the IT computer pods for all students, faculty and staff, as part of a main campus effort to increase sustainability and promote accountability. Starting January 2010, the IT computer pods will offer up to 250 pages of no-charge printing.

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ABBREVIATED HOLIDAY hours have been set for the Information Technologies Support Center, which handles computing, NetIDs, and password services; and IT Customer Care, which handles voice, telephone and wireless services.

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ANDERSON SCHOOL of Management Professor Richard G. Brody will be visiting King Fahd University of Petroleum & Minerals (KFUPM) in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia from Jan. 1-7, 2010. As an invited international scholar specializing in fraud and forensic accounting, Brody will be making a series of lectures to the faculty and students at KFUPM. http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004651.html#more

PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION Services has closed the South Lot for the winter break. Additionally, there will be no shuttle service during the UNM closure from Thursday, Dec. 24, through Sunday, Jan. 3, 2010 or on Martin Luther King Day, Monday, Jan 18. Regular shuttle hours and service will resume Tuesday, Jan. 19, 2010. For more information visit:

http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004599.html#more

EFFECTIVE MONDAY, Jan. 4, 2010, the Lomas Parking Structure and pedestrian walkover between the structure and UNM Hospital will be accessible only to designated student, staff and faculty permit-holders who have a security card known as a “prox-card.” The initiative is the final phase of a shared UNMH and UNM Parking and Transportation Services security enhancement plan for the structure in response to user safety and security concerns.

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THE NEXT INSTALLMENT of UNM Parent Talk is Wednesday, Jan. 6, at 6 p.m. on the main campus. Lauren Fowler-Young and Rob Burford, coordinators for Study Abroad and National Student Exchange, respectively, will discuss international and U.S.
educational opportunities available to UNM students.
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THE UNM WOMEN’S Resource Center issues a call for applications for the Spring 2010 Sabrina Single Mother’s Scholarship. Deadline to apply is Jan. 22, 2010. The scholarship is available to UNM women students who are single parents.
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THE UNIVERSITY OF New Mexico Foundation is sponsoring a grant-writing workshop Feb. 8-12, 2010 conducted by the Grantsmanship Center. The workshop will be held in the Rotunda at UNM’s Science and Technology Park.
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