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1. A NUMBER OF AVENUES are available for members of the campus community who want to seek counseling following today's tragic events at Virginia Tech including: Student Health Center, Residence Hall Advisors, Dean of Students and Counseling, Assistance & Referral (CARS). <http://parent.unm.edu/>
2. UNM POLICE REITERATE the need for people to be observant, to take seriously things that appear suspicious and to report them to police. They also ask that people be proactive, and if someone they know appears to be at risk and needs help, please tell someone in authority who can arrange assistance. <http://police.unm.edu/>
3. THE RESEARCH STUDY GROUP (RSG) has been charged by the Provost to review and make recommendations for improvement of all aspects of main-campus research administration. To see how the RSG's study is progressing and how to provide input, visit the RSG main page at: <http://research.unm.edu/rsg>.
4. UNM'S BENEFITS AND Employee Services Department will present "Staff as Students" on April 18 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Student Union Building Ballroom B. "Staff as Students" is an opportunity for UNM employees to increase their career development and education by using their Tuition Remission benefit. The event is open to all UNM benefit eligible employees. For more information contact Joey Evans at 277-0658 or via e-mail at, [jevans2@unm.edu](mailto:jevans2@unm.edu).
5. UNM LIBRARIES will honor Anthropology Professor Sylvia Rodriguez on Tuesday, April 17 at 2 p.m. in the Willard Reading Room of Zimmerman Library as part of their Faculty Acknowledgement series. Rodriguez will give a short talk on "Acequias and Collective Ethnography." The talk will explore the ideas contained in her recently released book from the School for Advanced Research Press "Acequia, Water-Sharing, Sanctity and Place." <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001882.html#more>
6. THE 2007 FELLOWS at the Center for Regional Studies will be presenting their work on University Libraries Collections on Wednesday and Thursday, April 18-19, at 9 a.m. in the Willard Room of Zimmerman Library. The fellows conduct a variety of projects that enhance the accessibility of materials in the Center for Southwest Research to the public. They are funded and sponsored by the Center for Regional Studies and Dr. Tobias Duran. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001888.html#more>
7. OPEN FORUMS continue Thursday, April 19, for the new director of the School of Public Administration. All forums will be held from 2 to 3 p.m. in the Social Sciences Building, rm. 3030. Interested members of the campus community are invited to attend. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001886.html#more>
8. LEGEND CLASHES with reality on the American Frontier as Professor Paul Hutton presents "Kit Carson's Ride," the 2007 C. Ruth and Calvin P. Horn Lecture in Western

History and Culture, on Thursday, April 19 at 5:30 p.m., Ballroom B in the University of New Mexico Student Union Building.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001859.html#more>

9. THE UNM OPERA Theatre presents a new translation of “The Magic Flute,” a grand opera in two acts by W. A. Mozart, April 19-22. Translated and directed by Marilyn Tyler, UNM professor of music, “The Magic Flute” will be sung in English by a first rate cast. Jorge Perez-Gomez will conduct the critically acclaimed UNM Symphony Orchestra, with guest conductor Annunziata Tomaro.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001857.html#more>

10. JOIN UNM’S celebration of Native American culture and heritage at the 52nd annual Nizhoni Days April 23-29. The festivities open on Monday, April 23, with an all day Native American Film Makers Showcase beginning at 10 a.m. and the Miss Indian UNM pageant at 6 p.m. in Student Union building ballroom C. All events are free and open to the public. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001873.html#more>

11. UNM PARKING & Transportation Services will host an Alternative Transportation Fair on the Cornell Mall in front of the Student Union Building on Monday, April 23, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The purpose of the fair is to help students, faculty, and staff learn about available alternative transportation options and benefits, and find out more about how they can be supported in their efforts to utilize these options.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/001861.html#more>