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THE POPULAR UNM Health Sciences Center drive-thru flu shot clinics for immunization against the seasonal flu will be conducted again this year on Saturday, Oct. 17 and Oct. 24. The drive-thru clinics will be set up at the UNM Family Practice Center at 2400 Tucker NE, on the UNM north campus. These flu shots are free to everyone. If you are a member of the Lovelace or Presbyterian health plans, you can get your free shot Oct. 13 - 15, at the SUB.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004362.html#more>

THE DIVISION OF HUMAN Resources' Benefits and Employee Health Promotion Program have announced the dates for its annual Preventive Health Week with health services available to UNM faculty, staff and adult dependents (age 18 and older). Preventive Health Week will be held Tuesday, Oct. 13 through Thursday, Oct. 15 in the UNM Student Union Building.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004351.html>

THE UNM HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER presents “Global Health Partnerships,” the first Southwest Regional Symposium on Global Health, Tuesday, Oct. 13-Wednesday, Oct. 14 at the Domenici Center for Health Sciences Education. The event highlights international cooperation in research, education and clinical medicine between the UNM School of Medicine and partners in Africa, Asia and Latin America.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004331.html#more>

DE COLORES, Inc. is hosting its annual leadership awards banquet on Friday, Oct. 16 in honor of Hispanic Heritage Month. Individuals and organizations are invited to sponsor a table for this year’s event, titled, “Celebrando Nuestra Herencia: Celebrating Our Heritage.” The banquet will include a book signing by UNM Law Professor Laura Gomez, author of, “Manifest Destinies: The Making of the Mexican American Race.”

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004319.html#more>

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES has announced the purchase of 200 new computers for its computer labs – also called pods – across campus. These state-of-the-art PCs and MACs are available for student, faculty and staff use within the pods.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004376.html#more>

FACULTY, STAFF AND STUDENTS are encouraged to signup for UNM’s Emergency Notification System that is available for emergency messages to the Albuquerque campus. TextMe UNM, which was implemented in 2007, is an opt-in text messaging system that provides UNM students, faculty and staff with fast, convenient, real-time message alerts. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004361.html#more>

HOMECOMING IS RIGHT around the corner and now is the time for departments to start planning for the annual Homecoming Decorating Contest. This year's theme is "Lobo Knights." Decorate your office or design a coat of arms that best represents your department. Great prizes for the top three winners! Each department participating will

receive a commemorative 2009 Homecoming poster. For more information contact: Laura Montoya, [lmont@unm.edu](mailto:lmont@unm.edu) or (505) 277-4347 or Lisa Delgado, [ldelgado@unm.edu](mailto:ldelgado@unm.edu) or (505) 277-7870. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004265.html#more>

UNM'S FIRST "5k Rock 'N Run for the U" and the one-mile fun run/walk and treasure hunt, are the highlights of 'Family Weekend, A New Mexico Tradition,' set for Saturday-Sunday, Oct. 24-25. The run starts Saturday at 9 a.m. followed by a full day of UNM Family Weekend activities including a UNM Homecoming tailgate party and Lobo football game. Community members are welcome to register for the run, which benefits student scholarships. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004288.html>

HENRY D. COLEMAN, a founding partner in Coleman Sudol Sapone P.C. will talk on "Update on the Economy. Where Do We Go From Here From a Technology/Patent/Small Business Perspective," on Tuesday, Oct. 13 in Room 3010, Domenici Education Center on the UNM HSC Campus. The talk begins at 7:30 a.m. The seminars are free and open to the public. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004354.html#more>

IN RECOGNITION of Indigenous Day, UNM Native American Studies and the Native American Studies Indigenous Research Group presents a brown bag discussion with Hawaiian journalist and filmmaker Anne Keala Kelly on Tuesday, Oct. 13, 12:30-2 p.m. in Native American Studies office, Mesa Vista Hall 3080. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004375.html#more>

CHRIS POWERS, national director of the David Boren Scholarship Program, will lead workshops on graduate and undergraduate Boren scholarships and fellowships, on Tuesday, Oct. 13 at 10:30 a.m. in the basement of the Student Health Center across from the Student Union Building. Hosted by the Office of International Programs and Studies, Powers' presentation is appropriate for students as well as faculty and staff involved in international education at UNM. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004359.html#more>

DIETER PATT, governor of the German county of Kreis Neuss, is the featured speaker at the next International Luncheon, set for Tuesday, Oct. 13 from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the Scholes Hall Roberts Room. Patt's colleague, Juergen Steinmetz, will accompany him since Patt steps down as governor of Kreis Neuss in October, making this Patt's final official visit in his current capacity. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004321.html#more>

A MEMORIAL CELEBRATION for Megumi Yamamoto is set for Wednesday, Oct. 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the UNM Alumni Memorial Chapel. The Office of International Programs and Studies in conjunction with the Department of Physics and Astronomy are sponsoring it. Yamamoto was a graduate student in the Physics and Astronomy Department from Japan who died on June 9 in a hiking accident in the mountains near

Santa Fe. The memorial will honor her life and remember her contributions to UNM.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004379.html#more>

THE UNITED STATES ARMY Field Band Brass Quintet will present a master class/coaching session at UNM on Wednesday, Oct. 14 from 10-10:45 a.m., followed by a short recital beginning at 11 a.m. Both events are in Keller Hall, in the Center for the Arts and are free and open to the public.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004346.html#more>

AUTHOR RAY MICHAEL BACA will be at the UNM Bookstore on Wednesday, Oct. 14, from 2 to 4 p.m. to discuss and sign copies of his book, *Brotherhood of Light: A Novel about the Penitentes and the Crypto-Jews of New Mexico* (Florincanto Press). This event is free and open to the public.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004373.html#more>

THE SCIENCE & SOCIETY Distinguished Public Talks series presents 'High Altitude Adaptation in Andean Birds' with Christopher C. Witt on Thursday, Oct. 15 at 5 p.m. in rm. C of the UNM Conference Center located at 1634 University Blvd. N.E. A meet and greet will also be held prior to the talk at 4:30 p.m. The lecture is free and open to the public. Plenty of free parking is available.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004372.html#more>

UNM HOSTS THE Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture 2009 ACSA Southwest Fall Conference, titled, *Chang[e]ing Identities; Design, Culture + Technology*, Thursday, Oct. 15 through Saturday, Oct. 17 at George Pearl Hall, the UNM School of Architecture and Planning building. Topics include "Culture and Inhabiting Everyday Landscape," "Emerging Technologies" and "Community Engagement."

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004369.html#more>

THE UNM COMMUNITY is invited to participate in a pre-United Way campaign "tee-off" Friday, Oct. 16 in the 8th Annual UNM Golf Fiesta at UNM's Championship Course. The tournament is open to all students, faculty, staff, alumni and retirees. "UNM Lives United" is the theme for the University of New Mexico's Annual United Way campaign, which begins Oct. 26.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004349.html#more>

THE HARWOOD MUSEUM of Art of the University of New Mexico and The Couse Foundation present "From Paris Ateliers to Taos Adobes: How Irving Couse & Joseph Henry Sharp Brought Beaux-Arts Aesthetics to the American West," a lecture by Art Historian Marie Watkins on Friday, Oct. 16 at 7 p.m.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004367.html#more>