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MARIA ATENCIO, Kim Kloeppe and Ryan Lindquist are the 2009 recipients of the Gerald W. May Award for distinguished service and dedication to the University of New Mexico. They will be recognized at an award ceremony and reception on Thursday, Dec. 3, 3-4 p.m. in Student Union Building Ballroom C.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004569.html#more>

CAROLERS WILL MEET for the annual Hanging of the Greens on Friday, Dec. 4, 5:45-6 p.m. at the UNM Bookstore and conclude with the presentation of a holiday wreath to the president at University House, followed by a reception provided by the president.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004562.html#more>

UNM WILL HOLD its first official ring ceremony on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at 6 p.m. in Ballroom C of the Student Union Building. Ninety-two students will receive their rings. For more information contact Debbie Morris, UNM director of Student Activities at (505) 277-4706 or dmorris@unm.edu.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004566.html#more>

FOR NINE DAYS this past October, the KNME-TV crew followed the story of the Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta. On Monday, Nov. 30 at 7 p.m., KNME-TV, channel 5.1 will present “Balloon Fiesta,” highlighting the events that make the Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta special.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004574.html#more>

THE UNM ART EDUCATION Faculty and Masley Gallery will showcase the Fall 2009 Graduation MA Exhibition beginning Monday, Nov. 30 through Friday, Dec. 18. Special presentations and a reception will be held Friday, Dec. 4, from 5-7 p.m. MA Grads will give their final presentations beginning at 5 p.m. A reception with refreshments will follow the presentations. Studio artwork, scholarly writing and a curriculum will also be on display. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004537.html#more>

THE NEXT INSTALLMENT of UNM Parent Talk is Wednesday, Dec. 2, at 6 p.m. Vanessa Harris, director of the University College Advisement Center addresses the range of advisement services available to students preparing for course registration. Learn how students can make the most of UNM's advisement services and how parents and families can best support their student's academic path. The talks are held in the Dean of Students Conference Room, 2nd floor of the main campus Student Services Building.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004572.html#more>

THE UNM COLLEGIATE CHAPTER of the American Marketing Association presents the 2009 UNM Undie Rock ‘n’ Run Winter Tour on Wednesday, Dec. 2. The festivities get underway at 5:30 p.m. at the Student Union Building Ballroom with a concert featuring local rock band Poor Mans Ferrari. The charity run starts promptly at 6 p.m. from just outside of the SUB. The event is free and is open to all UNM students.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004568.html#more>

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR Carolyn Woodward's Jane Austen class offers a Readers Theatre presentation of "Lovers Vows," in connection with their study of Austen's novel "Mansfield Park," on Tuesday, Dec. 1 and Thursday, Dec. 3 in Humanities 108. The event is free and open to the public.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004534.html#more>

THE ROBERT WOOD Johnson Center for Health Policy at UNM presents, "Hispanic Families at Risk: The New Economy, Work, and the Welfare State," with Ronald J. Angel, sociology professor, University of Texas, Austin; Thursday, Dec. 3 from 12:30 – 2 p.m. in the UNM Student Union Building rooms Acoma A&B.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004565.html#more>

THE UNM BOOKSTORE will host a meet and greet book signing as part of its annual Faculty and Staff Appreciation Day Event, Friday, Dec. 4 from noon - 2 p.m. The event features sales throughout the store, as well as refreshments and holiday music. The event is free and open to the public.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004546.html#more>

COMADRE A COMADRE, the educational initiative in UNM's College of Education that provides education, resources and breast health support, will celebrate a Holiday Open House Friday, Dec. 4, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. The event will provide attendees with information about the services available at Comadre A Comadre.

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THE CAST OF UNM's production of RENT has taken the words of Jonathan Larson's "Seasons of Love" as a call to action. The song speaks of measuring a year in cups of coffee, in laughter, in strife and in 525,600 minutes. The cast, in association with SCRAP, the student production organization have pledged to raise 525,600 pennies to help support the AIDS Emergency Project during the run of the show, which plays in Rodey Theater through Dec. 6.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004571.html#more>

THE UNM THEATRE and Dance Department is among the first colleges to perform the rock musical RENT. The cast of the show has turned the production into more than just a performance on the stage by collecting money for the New Mexico AIDS Emergency Project and Project Share.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wNEalfew_us

THE UNITED WAY Prize Patrol will be out in force combing the Pond, Student Union building, and HSC Plaza Friday, Dec. 4 from noon to 2 p.m. looking for donors wearing United Way lapel pins. Wear yours visibly for your chance at winning great prizes from Starbuck cards, haircuts, salsa, cool stuff from the bookstore and more.

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THE UNM CONCERT Choir is raising funds to travel to the American Choral Directors Association convention in Denver this February, where they have been invited to

perform. To raise funds, the singers will raise their voices in three concerts of "A Sweet Christmas." The concerts are at the Embassy Suites at Lomas and I-25, 1000 Woodward Place NE, on Saturday, Dec. 5 at 6 and 8 p.m.; and again on Sunday, Dec. 6 at 3 p.m.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/004561.html#more>

UNM STAFF COUNCIL'S Work+Life Committee is collecting items for the Animal Humane Association and City of Albuquerque Animal Welfare Department through Friday, Dec. 11. Agencies are requesting specific items limited to: Peanut butter, bleach, milk bones (all sizes), cat treats, kitty litter, canned kitten or cat food, new washable cat toys or Kong label dog toys.

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