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UNM VICE PRESIDENT for Athletics Paul Krebs has confirmed that Mike Locksley will be introduced as the Lobos' 29th head football coach on Tuesday afternoon. A news conference will be held at 3 p.m. in the UNM Student Union Building in ballroom C. The news conference will be streamed live on New Mexico's official athletics web site, www.GoLobos.com.

<http://golobos.cstv.com/sports/m-footbl/spec-rel/120808aaa.html>

THE ORGANIZATION for Alternative Transportation Systems, a student organization dedicated to promoting alternative transit, hosts an open house Wednesday, Dec. 10, from 7-8:30 p.m. in room 108 of George Pearl Hall, corner of Central and Cornell NE, to present information on the New Mexico Rail Runner Express and the extension of service to Santa Fe. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003445.html#more>

UNM AND CENTRAL New Mexico Community College students are now eligible for a 50 percent discount on Rail Runner commuter fares between Albuquerque and the new Santa Fe stations. The discount reduces the one-way fare from \$8 to \$4, and represents an incentive to persuade UNM students to consider the Rail Runner as a mode of alternative transportation when traveling to the university.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003446.html#more>

THE UNM ART DEPARTMENT hosts a student run Print Sale Thursday, Dec. 11 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Friday, Dec. 12 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Art Building, room 142, which is the printmaking lab. The Art Building is just west of the Center for the Arts. All varieties of prints – lithographs, etchings, monoprints, silkscreens – as well as photographs, cards and more will be available at reasonable prices.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003429.html#more>

TWO-TIME GRAMMY Award winner Robert Mirabal will read from his first novel, "Running Alone in Photographs," at the UNM Student Union Building Lobo room on Thursday, Dec. 11, noon-1:30 p.m. The reading will be followed by a reception and book signing at American Indian Student Services, 1119 Mesa Vista Hall, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003437.html#more>

THE UNM Symphony Orchestra, University Chorus and Concert Choir will perform Ludwig van Beethoven's "Missa Solemnis" on Thursday, Dec. 11 at 7:30 p.m. in Popejoy Hall. Bradley Ellingboe, professor of music, will conduct the approximately 300 performers on stage. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003433.html#more>

THE UNM LATIN American and Iberian Institute presents "Strengthening Our Borders: Promising New Developments in U.S.-Mexico Trade," Friday, Dec. 12 beginning at 8 a.m. at Continuing Education, 1634 University Blvd. NE.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003430.html#more>

UNM STUDENTS ARE working through the night at Parish Library. This fall University Libraries opened Parish 24/5. It is open from Sunday morning through Friday evening and between 50 and 60 students each night take advantage of the extra hours. Last spring Associated Students of New Mexico asked University Libraries to add the overnight service for students who needed the extra study time.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003436.html#more>

THE UNM FOUNDATION is sponsoring a grant writing workshop Jan. 26-30, 2009 at UNM's Continuing Education Conference Center. The Grantsmanship Center, Inc., the world's oldest and largest training organization for the nonprofit sector, will conduct the five-day workshop. Early registration is encouraged.

<http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003442.html#more>

THE ANDERSON SCHOOL of Management, at the University of New Mexico, announces a new Accelerated Master of Business Administration program designed for those with an undergraduate degree in business. The announcement comes as reports surface that universities across the country are seeing significant increases in the number of MBA applications. <http://www.unm.edu/~market/cgi-bin/archives/003444.html#more>

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