# DEMING ARTS CENTER NEWSLETTER MAY 2022

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Hours: 10am to 4pm Monday-Friday 10am to 1pm Saturdays CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY

# ARTE Y ALMA

Don't miss the high-energy May art show! Nancy Patterson will present her beautiful gourds and paintings; Painter, Sherry Ellis will also display her wonderful artwork. Beadwork by Cindy Solis is a "must see" and photos by Kelsey Baker will round out this fabulous show. This group of family and friends joined together by their love of art will amaze and delight us with their diversified exhibit. This show runs May 1-27, 2022.

# CALLING ALL LUNA COUNTY ARTISTS

June is busting out all over with the "Luna County Fine Arts and Fine Arts and Crafts" Show. All Luna County artists are invited to enter their artwork and all mediums will be accepted. Intake is **May 31**, **2022**. The show duration is June 1 to 29, 2022.

## FIRE AND FIBER LAS CRUCES

Inventive exhibitors from Las Cruces and Deming area make this a fascinating show in **July.** The creations are truly astounding, so please add this to your list of things To Do. Show duration is July 2-29, 2022.

#### ART FOR AUGUST

Artists, Mary Lou La Casse and Linda Reeder Sanchez will fill the DAC gallery with their artwork. We look forward to meeting these artists and getting to know their work.

## IDIE KARR IN SEPTEMBER

We are delighted to welcome back to the DAC, local artist, Idie Karr. Idie's exceptional western-themed paintings are a joy to behold. Many of you will want one of them for your home.

#### CALL FOR MEMBER ARTISTS

October is the Deming Arts Center Membership Show. Always a fun time, members are encouraged to enter their artwork. All mediums accepted.

# GUATEMALAN MERCADO

Mark your calendars to shop the Mercado on Friday, May 6 from 11 am to 4 pm and Saturday, May 7 from 9 am to 3 pm. The people of Guatemala provide many handmade pieces such as clothing, housewares, jewelry, keyrings, decorations and more. Get a head start on holiday gift shopping.

# CHILDRENS ART CLASSES

Children may sign up for free art classes. Call the DAC at 575-546-3663 or stop by and sign up. Our first class will be the SECOND SATURDAY IN MAY (MAY 14, 2022) 10 am to 12 pm. All ages are welcome.

## LITTLE GALLERY GIFT SHOP

Visit Susan Schiffner's whimsical "Sheriff Bird". This comical guy is made from fiber clay and would be a great addition to any home.

## ARTISTS OF THE MONTH

Nancy Costa and Val Irish display their lovely and quirky handmade fabric items. Come and see just for fun.

## **VOLUNTEER!**

The Deming Arts Center needs volunteers for Gallery Hosts and Board Members. Art expertise is not required, just a love of volunteering and a desire to help and serve the public.

## **BOTTLE CAPS NEEDED!**

Please bring us your bottle caps. We need them for upcoming art classes.

## RAFFLE WINNER!

Congratulations to Judy Helsenbeck of Altoona, Iowa for winning the gorgeous horse-themed afghan.

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## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Created and sustained by the people of Luna County, the Deming Arts Council shall educate and entertain audiences by providing intellectually and culturally vibrant visual and performing arts, while fostering multi-cultural awareness and sensitivity.

President, Marilyn Goble Vice President, Nancy Costa Treasurer, Ann Chrestman Secretary, Diane Hudgens

Directors: Dru Stevens, Judy Welch, Janet Bishop, Peggy Westenhofer, Rose Lynch,

Sylvana Gutierrez.

# VISION STATEMENT

To serve as a catalyst in the celebration of cultural diversity, fostering an understanding of, and passion for the visual and performing arts in Luna County and the surrounding area. To this end the Deming Arts Council will maintain its physical location as a welcoming place, where one is invited to communicate across lines of culture, ethnicity, and disability, thereby making the arts accessible to the widest possible audience.

Advisory Board: Tamara Hurt, Jim Olson, Lee Pattison, Rick Sherman



The Deming Arts Center, Deming, New Mexico

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