



For your calendar

August 2, 2016

August 1: Rudolfo Anaya Summer Reading Program ends

Elementary students in grades K–6 from Los Alamos, Pojoaque, Rio Arriba, and Santa Fe counties (including tribal schools) should turn in their reading logs. [Read more about the rules—and the prizes!—here.](#)

August 3: Student Symposium

Los Alamos summer students [present their research](#) and share their work experiences with the public from 1–4 p.m. on the University of New Mexico-Los Alamos campus.

August 5: Deadline for Northern New Mexico Tribal Business Scholarship

The Northern New Mexico Tribal communities encourage Native students to pursue business-related degrees and use their education skills to be a part of their tribes' long-range goals for enhancing economic development and business opportunities. [Learn more here.](#)

Aynjil Baca, of San Felipe Pueblo, was a recipient of the 2014 Northern New Mexico Tribal Business Scholarship.

Through August 9: Back to School Drive

Donate a backpack filled with school supplies for elementary and middle school students. Information and [drop-off locations can be found here.](#)

August 13: Scientist in the Spotlight

Nick Generous discusses how social media tools help researchers improve disease forecasting. Next, Teri Roberts explores computer concepts, such as binary digits and supercomputers. [These talks](#) take place at the Bradbury Science Museum from 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

August 18: Science on Tap—the neutrino

Sip local wine or beer, have a bite eat, and listen as Keith Rielage, of the Lab's Neutron Science and Technology group, shares how the neutrino was discovered and studied. [The talk](#) takes place at UnQuarked in Central Park Square in Los Alamos.

August 18: Understanding Solicitations Workshop

Open to all businesses interested in government contracting, this workshop takes a comprehensive look at the components of solicitation. Learn how to decipher proposal instructions and evaluation criteria. The event takes place at Northern New Mexico College in Española from 9 a.m.–noon. [Register here](#).

The 2016 Rudolfo Anaya Summer Reading Program wraps up on August 1. Turn in your reading logs asap.

August 26–28: Startup Weekend

[Startup Weekends](#) are 54-hour entrepreneurial events where ideas are pitched, teams are formed, markets are validated and startups are started.

August 31: TEN's Tough Love

Taos Entrepreneurial Network (TEN) has launched [a new series of events](#) that will help entrepreneurs vet their business ideas in front of a panel of experts. Tough Love, from 3:30–6:30 p.m., is geared toward helping businesses identify the flaws in their product or service to help them achieve success more quickly.

September 28: REDI Conference and Workforce Summit

RDC partners with Northern Area Workforce Board and NM Workforce Connection for [this year's conference](#), which includes a workforce summit to identify possible paths forward in our challenging environment.

October 13: NNM 20/20 Campaign Awards

[The event](#) features a dinner buffet and cash bar and is a good opportunity to network and meet the job creators of our region.

Lab Volunteers

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Speaker's Bureau

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