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## August Roundup

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- The Great American Tortilla Toss is 2 p.m. Saturday, and the Great American Outhouse Race is 5:30 p.m. on Silver Street.

**MainStreet SalsaFest** — The 2nd annual salsa competition is 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, **Aug. 29**, on Main Street, between Las Cruces and Griggs streets in Las Cruces. Businesses, restaurants and home salsa makers, compete for cash prizes and other awards. Tasters may vote for their favorite. Entertainment and dancing provided by Sobradosis del Sabor band with salsa lesson throughout the day and a dance competition at 3 p.m. Also featured are children's activities, food and drink and vendor booths. Admission is free; tasting wristband for voting is \$3. Information: (575) 525-1955 or downtownlascrucespartnership.org.

**Downtown Ramble** — The City of Las Cruces hosts an evening of music and art 5 to 7 p.m. the first Friday of the month at the Las Cruces Downtown Mall. Information: (575) 523-2950.

### Something for everyone

**B.Y.O.C. (Bring Your Own Cheese) Happening** — A night of spoken word, musical and video entertainment is 8 p.m. Friday, **July 30**, at Forum Arts and Culture, 1500 Texas Ave, with videos by Leon de la Rosa, discussion by Dr. Deb Hoag, poetry by Lawrence Welsh, Donna Snyder, Ray Ramos and Jen Shugert, videoremixing by Rene Lopez and Tipó with DJ Kidmonks. Wine served, "bring-your-own-cheese." Cost: \$5 suggested donation. Information: Jonathan, 613-5237.

**Singles Game Night** — Peggy Kligman, inventor of "The Goat Game" will host an evening for singles at 6:30 p.m. Friday, **July 30**, at Fuddrucker's Restaurant, 5030 N. Desert. Bar service and dinner menus available. Seating is limited. Cost: \$10 (cash only). Information: 239-4224 or goatgame.com.

**100th Anniversary of Cub Scouting Lock In** - Boy Scouts of America Yucca Council will host the overnight event for families beginning at 8 p.m. Saturday, **July 31**, at Adventure Zone, Redd Road. The event features exclusive use of Adventure Zone with unlimited non-redemption game play, golf, boats and go-carts until 3 a.m. Participants may bring tents. No admission after 11 p.m. Cost: \$19 per person; pre-registration by July 28. No walk-ins accepted. Information: 772-2292 or yuccabsa.org.

**HEMPformation Session** — UTEP Students for Sensible Drug Policy will host an informational session about the chemical properties of cannabis and its uses 4 to 8 p.m. Saturday, **July 31**, at Natural Gas Conference Center (across from the UTEP Library). Admission is free. Information: ssdp.org.

**'The Great Dinosaur Deception-Exposed'** - Sun Valley Baptist Church, 9901 McCombs, hosts an evening with guest Dr. Thomas Kindell, founder and president of Reason For Faith Ministries 6:30 p.m. Sunday, **Aug. 1**. The non-profit ministry is dedicated to equipping Christian believers to "give every man an answer" for their Biblical faith. Information: 755-7232.

**Rio Grande Adelante Inc.** — The organization dedicated to serving all gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender and supportive people in the tri-state, binational border area, hosts several events each month. Participation is free,

unless listed otherwise. Information: 929-9282 or rgadelante.org.

- A Queer Bowling League is forming with five to six five-member teams. League play begins in August. Call for information/league fee.
- The "City of Night" Book Club meets the first Monday of each month (**Aug. 2**). Call for location.
- A Turkey Creek Canyon Backpacking Trip is **Aug. 28-29**, co-hosted by El Paso Ridgewalkers. Trip includes a nine-mile moderate hike in the Gila National Forest. Call to RSVP.
- A workshop "10 Smart Things Gay Men Can Do To Improve Their Lives" is 7 to 8:30 p.m. Thursdays, **through Sept. 23**, at MCC of El Paso, 216 S. Ochoa. This intimate workshop is for gay men to take positive steps in identifying and overcoming self-defeating behaviors and is based on a popular book by Joe Kort. Call to register.

The organization hosts "Queer Cinema" the 7 to 9 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of every month at Fellini Film Cafe, 220 Cincinnati. Screening is free with \$7 food purchase.

**Back-to-School Style Show** — Community Solutions of El Paso will host a style show and brunch 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, **Aug. 7**, at Woman's Club of El Paso, 1401 N. Mesa. The style show will feature models from among the many children of prisoners served by Community Solutions. Brunch will be served and attendees will have the opportunity to view fashions for back-to-school wear, provided by Macy's. Also featured is live entertainment and a drawing. All proceeds benefit Community Solutions' Connections Programs for at-risk children and youth. Tickets: \$25. Tickets/information: 861-7733.

**Bassett Place** — 6101 Gateway West. Information: 772-7479 or bassettplacemall.com.

- The Salvation Army of El Paso County's Back To School Drive is **Aug. 7-10**.
- The mall's summer arts and crafts show is Friday through Sunday, **Aug. 13-15**.
- El Paso Scale Model Society's annual summer model show is Saturday, **Aug. 14**.
- Texas's Tax Free weekend is **Aug. 20-22**, with extended mall hours 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday.
- KSII-FM's "Stuff The Bus" back to school campaign is 7 to 9 a.m. Saturday, **Aug. 21**.
- The Airplane Remote Control Model Society will have their large scale model planes in front of Bassett's Café Plaza 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, **Aug. 21**.

- A Musical Casting Call with Wise Latina Entertainment is 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday, **Aug. 22**, benefiting CISD. Chosen performers will open for Little Joe y La Familia and other top Latino bands. Stage set-up and make-ready room available; musicians must provide their own instruments.

**Mexican Revolution Centennial** — The City of El Paso Museums and Cultural Affairs department, along with several other area groups is hosting several free events throughout 2010 in honor of the 100th Anniversary of the Mexican Revolution, including lectures, exhibits, educational and artistic events and more. Information: 541-4481 elpasomuseumsandculture.com.

"Up Against The Wall: Posters of Social Protest" exhibit runs **through Aug. 7** at the Stanlee and Gerald Ruben Center for the Visual Arts at UTEP. The invitational exhibition fea-

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