Newsletter of ENMU-Ruidoso Branch Community College

Jan. 2, 2024

Foundation Scholarship Applications Due Jan. 10 for Spring Semester

Students who meet any of the following criteria may be eligible to receive an ENMU-Ruidoso Foundation Scholarship: traditional-aged, nontraditional-aged, degree-seeking, single parent, enrolled full-time, Lincoln Co. or Mescalero resident, graduate of Hondo or Ruidoso high schools, enrolled in art classes or community choir, low income, parent of dependent children, interested in title insurance industry, or the first in your family to attend college. For info call 575-315-1216 or email Rochelle Lentschke. Applications are available in the Foundation Office.

Communication for Emergency and Weather-related Campus Closings

When the determination is made to close the campus for weather-related or emergency situations the President's Office will communicate the decision to all faculty, staff and students by messages posted on the College website and Facebook page and to your email, as well as the following TV and radio stations will be notified:



 KBUY 1360AM/105.9FM, KIDX 101.5FM, KRUI 1490AM, KWES 1450AM/93.5FM, KMWM 105.1FM, KNMB 96.7FM

Language & Fine Arts Department Received New Mexico Humanities Council Grant

The Department of Language and Fine Arts was awarded a New Mexico Humanities Council grant to fund the inaugural Ruidoso Books and Writing Festival. The weekend festival will be in April 2024 and will be free and open to the campus and the

community. Several published authors, including multiple award-winners and bestsellers, will give readings and inspiring writing activities for the public, along with informational sessions on publishing your work. More details on the 2024 Ruidoso Books and Writing Festival are forthcoming.

Foundation Receives Donation from Downshift

The leadership team at Downshift Brewing Company is investing ideas and energy into the Ruidoso community. As part of their Gratitude campaign, ENMU-Ruidoso Foundation was selected as a recipient of their generosity toward local non-profits through sales of their Gratitude label. Last week, the Foundation and campus leadership were presented with

\$1,327.50 in Gratitude campaign funds. "We are grateful and look forward to partnering on future events to benefit ENMU-Ruidoso students and campus programs," said Foundation Director Rochelle Lentschke.

Pictured left to right: ENMU-Ruidoso Foundation Director Rochelle Lentschke, ENMU-Ruidoso President Ryan Trosper, Chief External Affairs Officer Robin DeMott, Downshift Brewing Company Co-Founders Shelby Rist-Gutierrez and Jamie Rupley.



Upcoming Events

January

2 Tuesday

♦ College Campus Reopens, 8a

8 Monday

 Sierra Blanca Wildland Fire Academy through Friday, Jan. 12

10 Wednesday

♦ Foundation Scholarship deadline

11 Thursday

 Extended Hours for Spring Semester Registration, College open until 7p

13 Saturday

 Extended Hours for Spring Semester Registration, College open 10a-2p

15 Monday

 Martin Luther King Jr. Day, College Closed

16 Tuesday

♦ Spring Semester Classes begin

29 Monday

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♦ Free Community Meal, 5:30-7p



ENMU-Ruidoso branded Items available

Online Campus Bookstore

