

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Newsletter of ENMU-Ruidoso Branch Community College

Sept. 14, 2026

Fitness Equipment Available for Use for Free by ENMU-Ruidoso Students, Faculty & Staff

Fitness Center equipment is available for use by students, faculty and staff as well as family members of faculty and staff. To sign up, to use equipment throughout the rest of the Summer Session each person must register using the link below. Once you are registered, you must sign-in and sign-out at the Front Desk before and after each use. Click the link below to access Fitness registration information

[Fitness Center Registration.](#)

ENMU-Ruidoso Social Media

If you have photos or an event you would like the Marketing Team to consider putting on our social media channels please email photos and such to Ruidoso.Marketing@enmu.edu for the possibility of them to be posted.

Sign up for Emergency Notices & Campus Closings Information with RAVE Mobile Safety

The RAVE Emergency Notification System notifies registered members/ENMU-Ruidoso students, faculty and staff of emergencies including weather delays and other environmental issues via text messages, emails, and phone calls. To sign up:

- ◆ Go to www.getrave.com
- ◆ Type in Eastern New Mexico University Ruidoso
- ◆ Click Register on the right side of the page.
- ◆ Fill out your personal information. You must use your ENMU email address to sign up, but you can add personal emails and phone numbers (including speech-to-text voice messages) once you are registered.
- ◆ You will then receive a confirmation email and text. Please validate your email and cell phone numbers. It ensures proper delivery of notifications if there is an emergency.

Once your account is set up you will need to confirm your phone numbers and emails in MY ACCOUNT.



RAVE

MOBILE SAFETY

* Join us for * CONSTITUTION DAY

Thursday, September 17
12 p.m., Rm 201



Free Lunch!
courtesy of the
Sierra Blanca Chapter,
Daughters of the
American Revolution

A Fateful Compromise: The Constitution and the Issue of Slavery

presented by
Dr. Don Elder, ENMU Professor of History

Dr. Elder was born in Farmington, Minnesota, grew up in Marshalltown, Iowa, and received a teaching certificate from the University of Northern Iowa. He received his Ph.D. from the University of California, San Diego. He taught at the University of Redlands in Redlands, CA and has taught at Eastern New Mexico University since 1995. Dr. Elder has written eight books, and edited six others. He serves on local, state, national, and international commissions. He is currently the vice-chair of the New Mexico Museum of History Commission. He has been active in radio broadcasting for football, basketball, volleyball, and baseball - both at high school and college level. He was named Sportsman of the Year by the New Mexico Broadcasters Association 15 times. He was inducted into the New Mexico Broadcasters Association Hall of Fame and was also named Lone Star Conference Broadcaster of the Year. He was inducted into the ENMU Hall of Honor, and in 2025, became a member of the Eastern Plains Athletic Conference Hall of Fame. Dr. Elder and his wife Jan have two sons who both received multiple degrees from ENMU. His sons and their wives live in the Phoenix area. Dr. Elder has three grandsons and another grandson on the way. He hopes they will all one day attend ENMU!



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For more information, call 575-315-1120.

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Daughters of the American Revolution
Sierra Blanca Chapter, NSDAR

Upcoming Events

September

14 Monday

- ◆ Free I-CAN Nutrition/Cooking Class, Create a Sandwich or Wrap, Rm120, 5-6:30p



15 Tuesday

- ◆ NM Home Recovery Program Town Hall, Rm106, 5:30-7p

16 Wednesday

- ◆ 2nd 4wk Course Add/Drop Deadline
- ◆ New Mexico Higher Education Day at NM State Fair, ABQ
- ◆ Plexos/DHSEM, Rm201, 8a-5p

17 Thursday

- ◆ Constitution Day Presentation by ENMU Professor of History Dr. Don Elder & Free Lunch, Rm201
- ◆ Classic Cinema Film Series, The Blue Angel (1930), Rm201, 5p
- ◆ Online Study Night, 5-7p
- ◆ Financial Literacy, Rm115 5-6:30p



18 Friday

- ◆ Cross Country Meet, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas



18-19 Friday & Saturday

- ◆ College Rodeo, Grand Canyon Regional, Duncan, Ariz.



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- ◆ Free I-CAN Nutrition/Cooking Class, Create a Salad, Rm120, 5-6:30p
- ◆ ENMU-Ruidoso Community College Board Meeting, Rm106, 5-7p