

Día de Muertos

2010 COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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The Día de Muertos Community Calendar is compiled and distributed by the National Hispanic Cultural Center. For more information please, refer to event listings information.

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OCTOBER 18 – NOVEMBER 3

National Hispanic Cultural Center

Día de Muertos Ofrenda Installation

ROY E. DISNEY CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS
AND PETE V. DOMENICI EDUCATION CENTER
ON DISPLAY OCTOBER 18 – NOVEMBER 3, 2010,
FREE

The ofrenda is a beautiful display of artistry and craftsmanship, along with genuine respect and dedication to the traditional celebration. Artist Catalina Delgado Trunk guides teachers and their classrooms to create traditional ofrendas for Día de Muertos. This year, the installation includes a special ofrenda in remembrance of bicyclists that have lost their lives on New Mexico roads by artist, Jacobo de la Serna. The public is invited to visit ofrendas during NHCC regular hours and special events.

For more information, 505-246-2261 ext. 167

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

National Hispanic Cultural Center

Ofrenda Workshop

PETE V. DOMENICI EDUCATION CENTER
LIMITED TO 25, 9 AM- NOON
FREE (DONATIONS ENCOURAGED)

Families and individuals are invited to participate in this hands-on workshop on the creation of small ofrendas honoring loved ones who have died. Supplies will be provided, but participants are also encouraged to bring their own items to include in their ofrenda projects such as photos, letters, etc.

For details, NHCC Education Department,
505-246-2261 ext 167, www.nhccnm.org.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

National Hispanic Cultural Center

Día de Muertos Family Day

PETE V. DOMENICI EDUCATION CENTER
NOON - 4 PM, \$1 DONATIONS ENCOURAGED

Families and community members are invited to learn about the Día de Muertos celebration. The afternoon includes a presentation on the history of the holiday, hands-on art stations, student, community and artist ofrendas, and musical entertainment. Local artists Catalina Delgado Trunk and Kenny Chavez will lead hands-on artmaking.

Screenprint artists from Trillion Art Space will

be printing Día de muertos t-shirts on demand - \$15 for new shirts and \$10 if you bring your t-shirt (or jeans, or canvas bag or...) to print on! T-shirt sales benefit arts education at the National Hispanic Cultural Center while also supporting your own fashion presence!

For details, NHCC Education Department,
505-246-2261 ext 167, www.nhccnm.org.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

La Raza Unida y Cambio

South Valley Día de los Muertos Celebration

Art Workshop: Altars - History Traditions and Symbols

SW NETWORK FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AND
ECONOMIC JUSTICE STUDIOS
1 PM - 4 PM, FREE

Participants will learn about altar construction and other Día de los Muertos traditions. Workshops are free and all ages are welcome.

www.muertosymarigolds.org, 505-344-4028 &
244-0120

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23-24

Presented by "Arte de Muertos" (ADM) Productions, LLC

Arte de Muertos Expo

Hard Rock Hotel & Casino

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 10 AM - 6 PM
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24, 10 AM - 5 PM

This event gathers the best of the best of "Día de los Muertos" artisans from all over the southwest and is truly an impressive showcase to experience. In addition to traditional "Día de los Muertos" folk art, various other colorful forms of mixed media inspired creations can be found, i.e., shadow boxes, jewelry, wood carvings, ceramics, and wind chimes for purchase. Visitors are given the opportunity to purchase one of a kind art from the artist who created the piece and receive details about its purpose and process of creation.

www.artedemuertos.com, 505-832-2323

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24

Presented by Embassy Suites & Spa

Day of the Tread, Bike/Run/Walk!

BEGINNING AT THE EMBASSY SUITES
ROUTES VARY, BEGINNING AT 8:45 AM

Grab Your Bicycle or Lace Up Those Running Shoes! Reward yourself for all those long hot summer days in the sun, with crisp air, picturesque landscape, and lots of fun! Join us for a family-oriented, charitable bike ride (12 to 100 mile course), walk and certified 5k/10k run. Whether you ride, run or walk, the 2010 Day of the Tread has a treat for everyone!

Visit www.dayofthetread.com for details, routes and registration.

OCTOBER 26, 27 AND 28

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Día de Muertos School Day Events

ROY E. DISNEY CENTER OF PERFORMING ARTS
9 AM - 2 PM, FREE

School groups attend a 90-minute session that includes a slide lecture on the history of the celebration, a hands-on art station, and a guided tour of the ofrenda installation.

Student and school groups must register in advance at 246-2261, ext. 189.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29

Masks y Más

Masks y Más Día de Muertos Open House

MASKS Y MÁS ON CENTRAL, AVE.
4 PM - 7 PM

Meet our artist-in-residence and "muerte maker" from Peru, Javier Benitez. The evening also features a group show of local artists, Brandon Maldonado, Valerie Milovic and El Moises along with specials on muerte "stuff."

www.maskymas.net, 505-256-4183

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29

Working Classroom

Celebration of Día de Muertos

WORKING CLASSROOM'S NEW VISIONES GALLERY
6 PM - 8 PM

Everyone is invited to attend Working Classroom's annual artistic celebration of Día de Muertos which includes an installation, traditional Mexican dinner and live music.

For more information please contact David Leigh at 242-9267.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30

La Raza Unida y Cambio

South Valley Día de los Muertos Celebration

Art Workshop: Street Theater Workshop

SW NETWORK FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC JUSTICE STUDIOS
1 PM - 4PM, FREE

Participants prepare thematic skits to act out in the parade on November 7. Workshops are free and all ages are welcome.

www.muertosymarigolds.org, 505-344-4028 & 244-0120

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

South Broadway Cultural Center and Library

Día de los muertos

SOUTH BROADWAY CULTURAL CENTER
2 PM - 5 PM
EXHIBIT ON VIEW THROUGH NOVEMBER 26

Join us for an afternoon of art, music and entertainment with El Duetto los Travadores, Goldie Garcia, Chuy Martinez, Cipriano Vigil, Rosalia de Aragon as La Llorona, and La Rondalla.

For more information, 505-848-1320

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2

National Hispanic Cultural Center

La Despedida: Día de Muertos Community Gathering

DOMENICI EDUCATION CENTER
5:30 - 7:30 PM

Community members and families are invited to contribute to our community ofrenda in the honoring families and individuals in an

atmosphere of respect and honor. This evening of remembrance includes a blessing, poetry, music and hot chocolate. Free

For details, NHCC Education Department, 505-246-2261 ext 167, www.nhccnm.org

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7

La Raza Unida y Cambio

2010 South Valley Día de los Muertos Marigold Parade and Celebration

4 PM - 8 PM, FREE

Parade starts at 4pm at the Bernalillo Sheriff's Sub Station on Centro Familiar and Isleta. Parade will follow Isleta all the way up to the Westside Community Center. Music, Altars, Food, and Art Vendors following parade. Come in your best calavera attire.

www.muertosymarigolds.org, 505-363-1326 & 505-344-4028

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Santísima in Old Town

5th annual Dia de Muertos Celebration

SANTÍSIMA IN OLD TOWN
6 PM - 11 PM

Pick up all your Día de Muertos needs here; sugar skulls, papel picado, pilacas, and much more.

There will be door prizes, refreshments, and live entertainment. Local artists will be displaying their artwork and giving some away. Dress up as a Día de muertos figure and enter the costume contest for a prize. Stay in your costume and join the Día de Muertos Parade through Old Town.

For information contact Johnny at 246-2611

OCTOBER 1 - OCTOBER 31

Mariposa Gallery

Día de los Muertos Invitational Show
MARIPOSA GALLERY

Reception Friday, October 1, 5 pm - 8 pm

Our most favorite show of the year featuring work by James Jimenez, Sara Swink, El Moises, Michelle Marquette and a host of others.

www.mariposa-gallery.com, 505-268-6828

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EVENTS OUTSIDE ALBUQUERQUE

OCTOBER 27 – NOVEMBER 27

Branigan Cultural Center

Day of the Dead Exhibit

BRANIGAN CULTURAL CENTER

Visit a juried, multimedia exhibit focusing on Day of the Dead traditions and celebrations.

www.las-cruces.org/museums, (575) 541-2154

OCTOBER 27 – NOVEMBER 13

Branigan Cultural Center

Day of the Dead Altar

BRANIGAN CULTURAL CENTER, BCC CLASSROOM

Come view a traditional altar for Día de los Muertos on display in the BCC Classroom. Assembling the altar has become an annual tradition for Jose Tena, along with his dancers and students.

www.las-cruces.org/museums, (575) 541-2154

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30

Branigan Cultural Center

Day of the Dead Program

BRANIGAN CULTURAL CENTER, SHANNON GALLERY, 11AM-1PM

Join us for a performance by Ballet Folklorico de la Tierra del Encanto and posolé dinner. The program and meal are free, on a first come first served basis.

www.las-cruces.org/museums, (575) 541-2154

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30–31

Calavera Coalition

Day of the Dead on the historic Mesilla Plaza

LAS CRUCES, NM

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31, NOON - 7 PM

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31, NOON - 5PM

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

A family oriented 2-day event featuring dancers, original art and handmade crafts, fiesta foods, live music and a giant candy-filled piñata. Everyone is invited to build a personal altar on the plaza for a donation of 3 items of non-perishable food. There will be a candlelight procession to San Albino Cemetery on Tuesday, November 2 at 6pm starting and ending at Mesilla Plaza.

www.calaveracoalition@q.com

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31

Museum of International Folk Art, Santa Fe

Day of the Dead/Día de muertos

MUSEUM OF INTERNATIONAL FOLK ART

1 - 4 PM, FREE

Art projects for ages 2 to 102 include decorating Sugar Skulls and Making Muertos Nichos (Memory Boxes). Sample pan de muerto, (sweet bread), enjoy live music by Mucho Corazón and more! By Museum Admission, New Mexico residents with I.D. Free on Sundays, youth 16 & under and Museum of New Mexico Foundation Members admitted free.

www.internationalfolkart.org, 505-476-1200