



## *What's Happening at Luna*

**Friday, 11/08/2024** 😊

**End of Week 12 of the FALL 2024 Semester, Nov. 4-8, 2024. Here is what's happening...**

### Let it Snow

As you all know, Northern New Mexico has been hit with some extreme weather this week. Luna campuses have been closed on and off because of extreme snowfall. To follow are candid photos submitted by Luna employees of the snow in their areas. Enjoy and stay warm and thanks to everyone who shared.

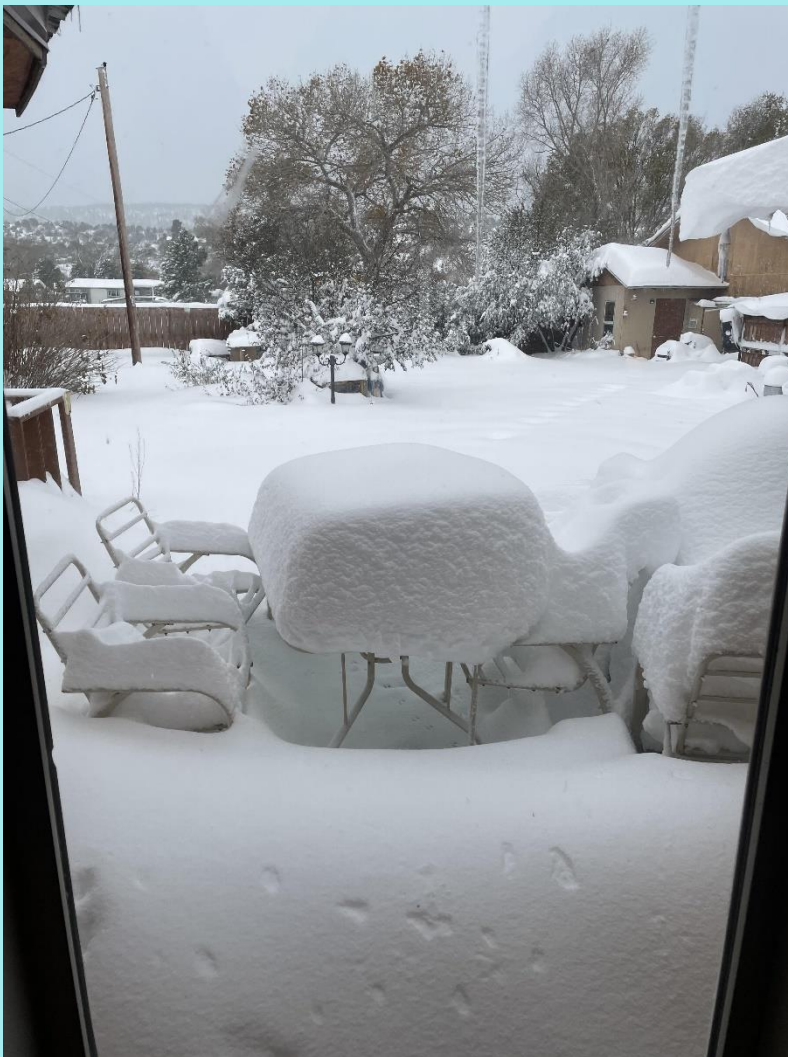


Photo provided by Amanda Tapia Benavidez.



(Photo by Nichole Collins) Paul and Carson Collins shoveling snow.

Photo by Cindy Branch





Photos by Anthony Baker



Photo by Sherry Goodyear: "Little sparrows eating my chickens' food."



Photo by Bernadette  
Maldonado: "Here is next to  
my little art studio... those  
are my three dog houses  
gone..."

Nicola Martin:  
"My little house."





Photos by Crystal Western  
Ford.

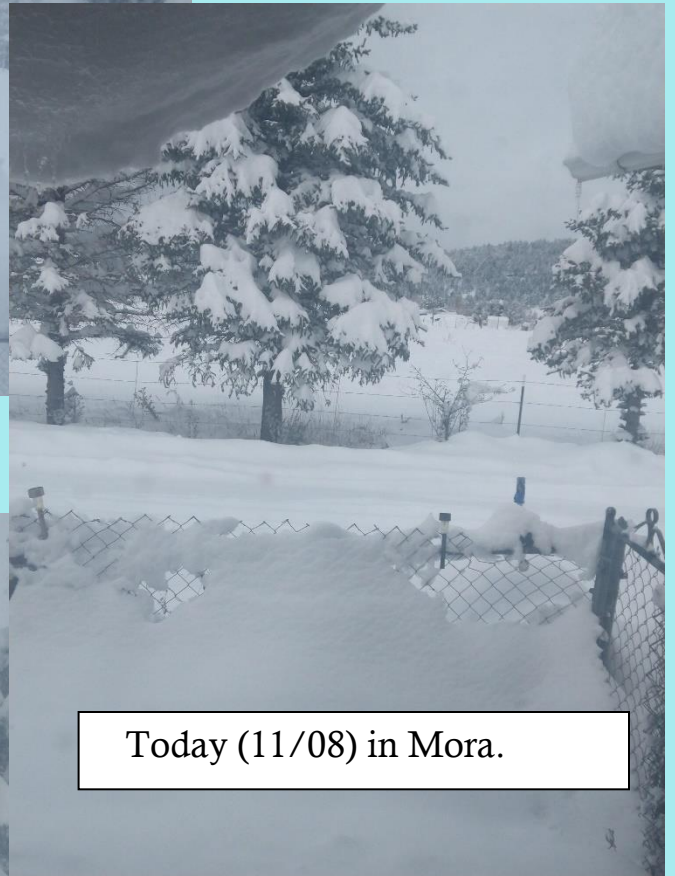


Photos by Karen Torres





Photos by Trustee Phyllis  
Martinez: "Mora, three feet  
and counting."



Today (11/08) in Mora.





Photos by Rick  
Baca:  
“Highland’s  
campus”







Photo by Dr.  
Billie Mathews:  
“My backyard  
hydrant.”



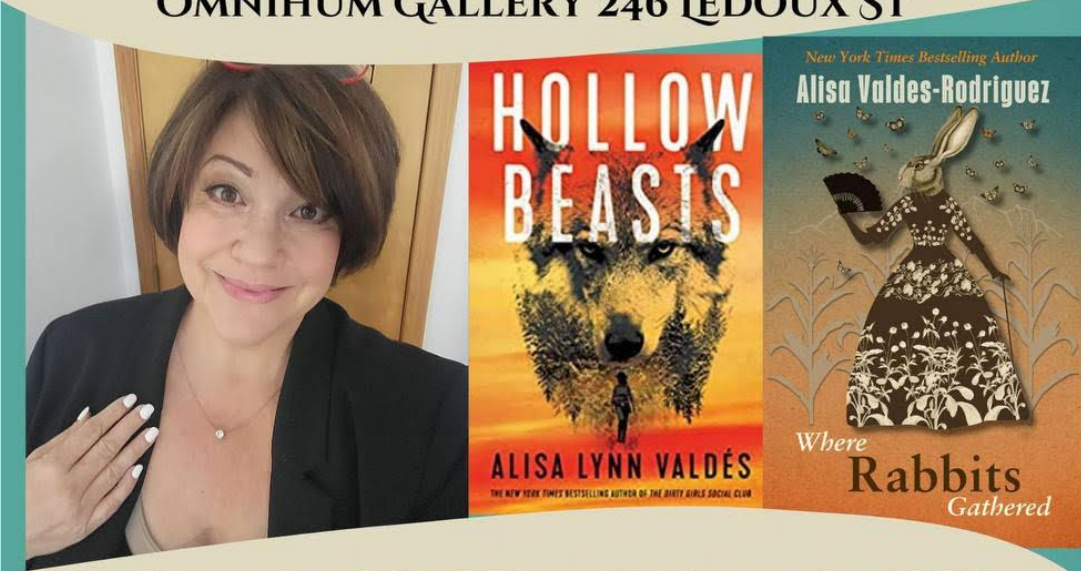
Photo by Leticia Archuleta

Book Signing

# VISIONS ACROSS BORDERS

READING AND BOOK SIGNING WITH BEST SELLING AUTHOR ALISA VALDES-RODRIGUEZ

SUNDAY NOV 17TH 2PM  
OMNIHUM GALLERY 246 LEDOUX ST



Bestselling novelist of adult thrillers and YA ghost stories. **HOLLOW BEASTS** (2023); **BLOOD MOUNTAIN** (2024); **CRY** (2025). It all began with **THE DIRTY GIRLS SOCIAL CLUB** in 2003.

**WHERE RABBITS GATHERED** coming Nov. 2024. This book tells the story of the 1st 100 years of Spanish invasion into Tewa lands in what is now New Mexico. It's based on Her own family tree. It shows the complicated, often horrific truth of what happened here.

**SUGGESTED DONATION \$10-\$25**

**BOOKS AVAILABLE FROM AUTHOR TO PURCHASE AS WELL**

**A FUNDRAISER FOR KALPULLI TAOS SUNDANCE**



Luna Eats

*Luna Eats Menu for  
Tuesday, 11/12/24*

**Creamy Potato Soup and  
Grilled Cheese Sandwiches**

Lunch is served at  
noon in the cafeteria

\$5 for staff and faculty  
Free for Luna students -  
bring your ID



### Ace Lab Hours

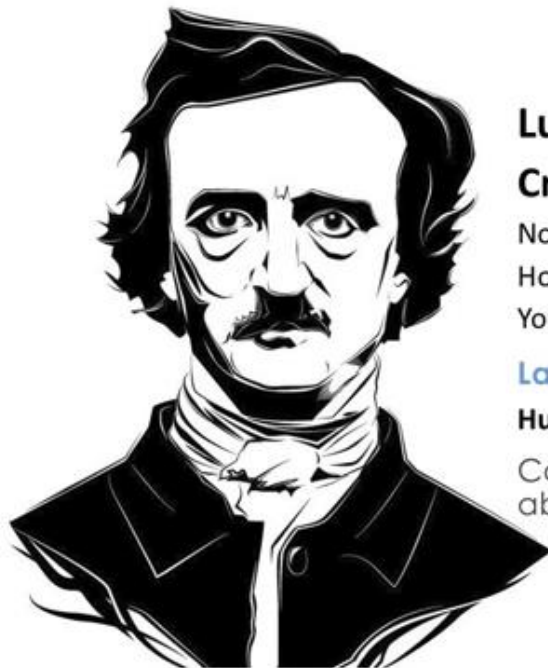
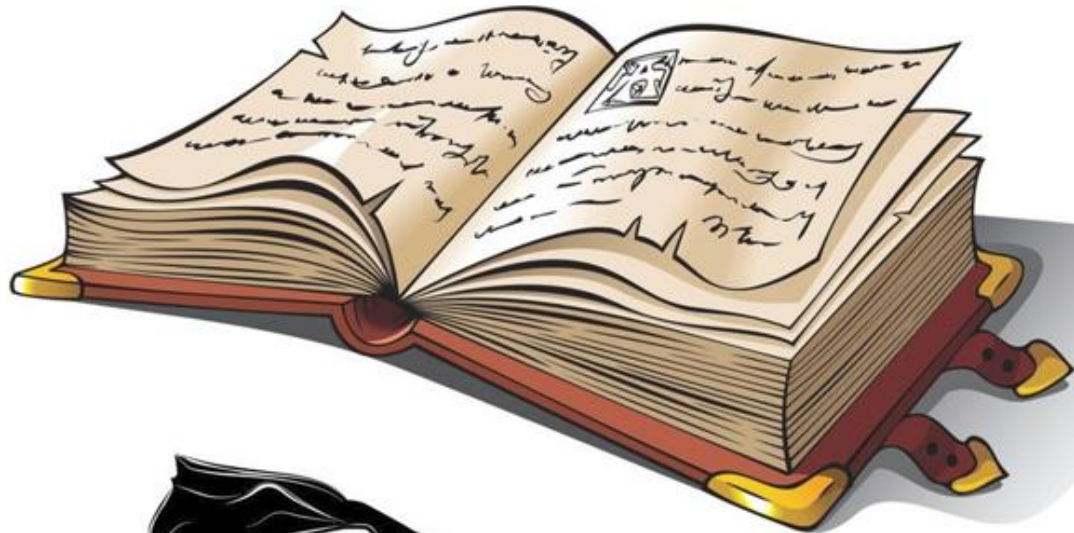
For students needing tutoring assistance, this is the ACE Lab's Updated Schedule. The ACE Lab is located in the upstairs of the Student Services Building and is under the direction of Coordinator, Mary Francis Bibb.

Tutor	Subject	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dylan <a href="mailto:dymartinez@luna.edu">dymartinez@luna.edu</a>	Psychology, Math, English	1pm – 4pm	11am – 5pm	10am – 4pm		1pm – 4pm
Em J <a href="mailto:ejimenez@luna.edu">ejimenez@luna.edu</a>	Allied Health, English, Math	4pm – 8pm		4pm – 8pm	4pm – 8pm	
Michelle <a href="mailto:michelle.perez@student.luna.edu">michelle.perez@student.luna.edu</a>	Nursing, English, Math	1:45pm – 5:45pm	3pm – 8pm	1:45pm – 5:45pm	3pm – 8 pm	
Paige <a href="mailto:pgowen@luna.edu">pgowen@luna.edu</a>	Business and Allied Health	4pm – 8pm		4pm – 8pm	4pm – 8pm	
Rainn <a href="mailto:rainn.daily@student.luna.edu">rainn.daily@student.luna.edu</a>	Science, English, Math	2:30pm – 5:30pm	2pm – 6pm	2:30pm – 5:30pm	2:30pm – 7:30pm	2pm – 5pm





## Creative Writer's Club



### **Luna Community College Creative Writers Club**

Novels. Short stories. Poetry.  
Horror. Fantasy. Sci-Fi. Comedy.  
You write it. We read it!

**Last Thursday of the month at 2 p.m.**

**Humanities Bldg Lobby**

Call 505.454.2513 or email  
[abaker@luna.edu](mailto:abaker@luna.edu) for more info.



Let's Connect

# Let's Connect! Campus-Wide Meetings



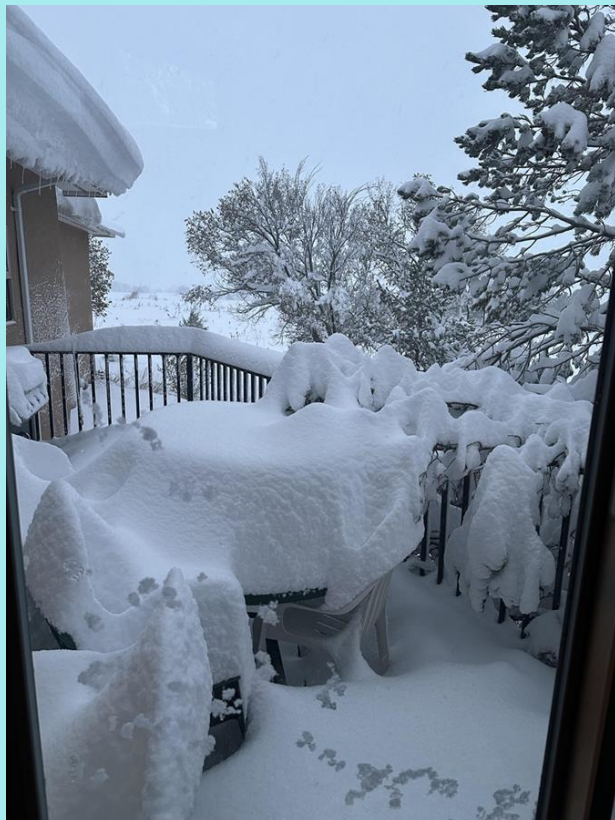
Tuesday's 3:30 – 4:30 pm **NEW TIME**

Huddles in The Cafe

Wed & Fri 8:05 – 8:15 am

Campus Wide meetings in Tech 102 or on Zoom

<https://us06web.zoom.us/my/carollinderluna?pwd=WmprRGlza3I3REFXWnYwRTBNUVBFZ09>



Dr. Linder's deck and the  
Gene Torres Golf Course in  
the distance.



## Luna Eats

# Luna Eats

Join us for a healthy lunch!

- Every Tuesday at noon
- Cafeteria in Allied Health
- Menu changes weekly
- First come, first serve

**Students are FREE.**

**Staff and Faculty \$5 cash only, exact change.  
Purchase a ticket at the cashier's desk in the  
Admin building and bring to lunch on Tuesday.  
Tickets can be used for any Tuesday lunch.**

Thank you to the Luna Strong  
and CTE programs at Luna for  
making this possible.





# 2024 LCC Winter Festival

**LCC Foundation Mission:** The LCC Foundation Board will raise and manage private resources that will support the educational mission and priorities of Luna Community College, provide opportunities for students, and enhance institutional excellence in ways that would not be possible with state funds.

Craft Fair  
Silent Auction  
Wreath Station  
Cake Walk  
Coloring Contest  
Bake Sale  
Hot Cocoa & Cider  
Good Food  
Games  
Raffle & Door Prizes  
Ugly Sweater Contest

**SATURDAY**

**Dec. 07**

11 am - 4 pm

**Luna  
Community  
College**

MEC Building  
366 Luna Drive  
Las Vegas, NM

**Vendors:** To participate in this event, please contact the LCC Foundation at (505) 454-5337 or email [lccfoundation@luna.edu](mailto:lccfoundation@luna.edu) for a vendor application. \*Limited to 25 Vendor Spaces.

**Deadline to apply:** November 22, 2024

**Space Fee:** \$25.00



## Lady Rough Rider Softball Schedule

*Games are held at Rodriguez Park – no charge*

10/13 Colorado Slammers and New Mexico Grind 12 and 2

10/19 El Paso Chilis 1 and 3

11/2 Los Cruces Ice 12 and 2

11/9 Next Level 12 and 2

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## Luna Strong



Luna Strong offers resources and support to students, staff and faculty at Luna Community College.

- Free food on campus – 3 tienditas (in Admin, in cafeteria and in Student Services upstairs)
- Timely Care physical and mental healthcare – free 24/7
- Basic Needs/Resources – contact Crystal Western Ford at [cwesternford@luna.edu](mailto:cwesternford@luna.edu) or at 505-454-2527 ext 1806

More local resources are also found on our website at <https://sites.google.com/luna.edu/lunastrong/home>



**timelycare**

### How to Access Free, 24/7 Virtual Care from Anywhere

It's simple! Follow these steps and you'll be connected to virtual health and well-being services in no time.

- 1 Access TimelyCare.** Scan this QR code.
- 2 Log in with your school email address.** Use the one that ends in .edu.
- 3 Fill out some information.** Nothing too complicated! TimelyCare is confidential, secure, and HIPAA compliant.
- 4 Click "Get Care."** Well, you get it.
- 5 Don't need a visit right away?** Check out our Self-Care tab. It's self-care at your fingertips.

Get care now at [timelycare.com/Luna](https://timelycare.com/Luna)

Having trouble logging in? Call 1-833-4-TIMELY for assistance.  
We've got you covered!

**It's for Students. FOR FREE.**

@timelycare | gtimely\_care | TimelyCare 2024





## Faculty & Staff Guidance Line

**What?** This is a dedicated phone line for your faculty and staff to reach the TimelyCare team for guidance and support in cases of student distress.

**Who?** Any faculty or staff member can use this resource.

**Why?** Faculty and staff are often the first line of support for students who can benefit from care.

**How?** Call **833-4-TIMELY** any time, day or night.  
Connect with a TimelyCare professional and talk about how to best support your students' well-being.

### Use this service when a student:



Shows academic signs of distress.



Discloses problems with family, peers, a significant other, or a recent personal loss.



Refers to self-harm.



Isolates from peers, faculty, or staff.



Shows physical and psychological signs of distress.



Is identified by peers as potentially needing support.

Have questions about a student in need of support? Call **833-4-TIMELY** for guidance.

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Pong Tournament

It's Tournament Time!

Ping Pong & Pizza

Board Games and Family Fun



Date: November 9th

Time: 4:00pm - 6:00pm

Place: Old Town Mission Community Center

301 Socorro

Free event sponsored by the Old Town Mission  
Community Center



## Rough Rider Mentorship Presents an Essay Writing Workshop for ALL



**The LCC Rough Rider Mentorship and College Readiness Program Presents...**

# An Essay Writing Workshop



**All Junior High, High School, Luna and other College Students, and Adult Learners are welcome to sign up**



- Do you need to boost your grammar knowledge, sharpen your writing skills, and elevate your English game?
- Sign up for Luna Community College's Rough Rider Mentorship and College Readiness Free Online (non-credit) Essay Writing workshop.
- Whether you're prepping for exams or simply want to improve your writing skills, we've got you covered.
- **What to Expect:**
  - Grammar basics and advanced tips
  - Essay writing techniques
  - Punctuation tips/refresher
  - Friendly and supportive environment
- Open to all levels of junior high and high school students, Luna and other college students, and Adult learners wanting an English refresher. Don't miss this chance to improve your English/writing skill set.

**When: November 11—December 2, 2024; 6:00-7:00 P.M.**

**Where: ZOOM (synchronous live)**

(Recordings will also be available for those who can't attend the live Sessions)

**Step up your English game and achieve your academic goals — for free!**

**HOW TO REGISTER: EMAIL INSTRUCTOR, SHERRY GOODYEAR AT [SGOODYEAR@LUNA.EDU](mailto:SGOODYEAR@LUNA.EDU) FOR A SIGN-UP PACKET.**

Santa Rosa



# THANKSGIVING CRAFT FAIR

A day filled with arts & crafts and SUPPORT LOCAL ARTISANS in  
your community

November  
**30th, 2024**

Blue Hole Convention Center  
1085 Blue Hole Road

8am-4pm  
**JOIN NOW**

**Presented by the City of Santa Rosa**

Contact City Hall at (575) 472-3404







# holiday *craft* fair

14  
DEC  
8am 4pm



Blue Hole  
Convention  
Center

**FOOD • GIFTS • JEWELRY • ORNAMENTS • HOME DECOR & MORE!**

1085 Blue Hole Road | INFO CALL: 575.472.3404 | Presented by City of Santa Rosa



## Reminders

- All committees, departments, and individuals with information to share are encouraged to send their knowledge to [sgoodyear@luna.edu](mailto:sgoodyear@luna.edu) each week by 5:00 P.M. on Wednesday (unless otherwise noted) for inclusion in the week's update. If you miss a deadline, don't worry, your information will be included in the following week's update provided it is still timely. When possible, your information should be in tidy bullet points that can easily be added to the basic update format. It is also helpful if you respond to the request for information for the week of the update in the reminder email that was sent out, as it makes it easier for me to find and include what you send in the update. Please submit any pictures in the form of jpegs.
- Thanks to all who shared information for this week's edition of "What's Happening at Luna."
- If you missed an edition of "What's Happening at Luna," find it here: [https://luna.edu/whats\\_happening](https://luna.edu/whats_happening).

Have a Wonderful Weekend!