

Family Engagement APS and Community Resources

Name: APS Art Center

Address: Montgomery Complex
3315 Louisiana NE
Albuquerque, NM 87110

Phone: 880-8249-- Gina ext.166, Erin x 160, Sara x 156

Instructional Manager, Trudy Randour x 340

Bilingual: No

Fee: No (Supply needs vary)

Topic: Art/Music/Drama/Dance/Emerging Literacy

Summary: The workshops given relate to any arts-focused topics: classroom demonstrations, teacher/staff in service training, and parent and family workshops. Presenters can tailor presentations to school/parent/teacher needs. Art/literacy connections, music/literacy connections, multicultural topics such as storytelling...all are possible.

Will address: Parents, students and staff

Grade Level: PreK-12

Name: Marc Wunder/Stefanie McDermott

Address: Montgomery Complex
3315 Louisiana NE
Albuquerque, NM 87110

Phone: 880-8249-ext. 205, 108

Bilingual: No

Fee: No

Topic: Hands-On Science

Summary: Works with Explora. Classroom demonstrations, teacher/staff in-service training, and parent and family workshops. Presenter can tailor presentations to school/parent/teacher needs. Science connections.

Will address: Parents and staff

Grade Level: PreK-5

Name: Betsy James

Vendor:

Address: P.O. Box 6654
Albuquerque, NM 87197

Phone: 342-9782

Email: betsy@betsyjames.com

Web: www.betsyjames.com/www.listeningatthegate.com

Bilingual: Yes (Spanish)

Fee: Yes (\$200.00 + tax/45-60 min.-negotiable)

Topic: Literacy/Writing and Illustrating/Story Making

Summary: I'm an awarded writer and illustrator of children's books and I also write young adult novels. I talk about the process of writing and illustrating with plenty of pictures. As a group we will write and illustrate a story, demonstrating to ourselves that stories are everywhere. I give very interactive presentations. I prefer to speak to smaller groups, maximum of 100. I love what I do, and love to share it!

Will address: Parents, students and staff

Grade Level: PreK-12

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Name: Loren Kahn Puppet and Object Theater

Vendor #: 11347

Address: 4913 Guadalupe Trail NW
Albuquerque, NM 87107

Phone: 344-2186

Email: loren@lorenkahn puppet.com

Bilingual: Yes (Spanish/French)

Fee: Yes (\$200.00 and up)

Topic 1: Puppetry and Object Theater

Summary: Puppet Theater – shows from 1/2 hour to 50 minutes in length, includes some Spanish mostly English. Puppets range in style from hand puppet to rod puppets and objects. My stories are from world traditions, funny, warm and human and some are original. I prefer audiences no larger than 40-80.

Will Address: Parents, students and staff

Grade Level: Toddler-12

Name: Poetry Alive

Vendor #:

Address: P.O. Box 18111
Asheville, North Carolina 28814

Phone: 1-800-476-8172

Email: poetry@poetryalive.com

Web site: www.poetryalive.com

Bilingual: Yes

Fee: Yes (\$810.00/with lodging - \$990.00/without lodging/1day-3 events=1 day)

Topic 1: Poetry

Topic 2: Storytelling

Topic 3: Community shows for broader range of ages.

Summary: Poetry Alive has high-energy shows presented by a team of two professional performers. A typical 45-50 minute show includes 15-20 poems tailored to fit the age and interests of the audience. The poems themselves memorized and performed theatrically. Repertory consists of poems commonly found in popular textbooks and anthologies.

Will address: Parents, students and staff

Grade Level: K-12

Name: Bilingual Storyteller

Martin H. Gabaldon – APS Employee

Vendor #: None

Address: 2828 Carlotta Rd. NW
Albuquerque, NM 87104

Phone: 842-1681

Email: gabaldon_martin@aps.edu

Bilingual: Yes (Spanish)

Fee: Yes (Sliding Scale)

Topic 1: Parent Education and Training

Topic 2: Story Telling

Summary: I am a bilingual storyteller with emphasis on trickster tales from around the world. Coyote, Anansi the Spider and Brer Rabbit are a few of the tricksters that come to you through

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story telling. I present to parents and teachers the need for young children to understand oral traditions.

Will address: Parents, students and staff

Grade Level: PreK-8

Name: Nieves Torres
(Former UNM Professor)

Vendor #:

Phone: 328-3333

Contact: nievesggt72@gmail.com

Bilingual: Yes

Fee: \$100.00 hr.

Topic: Leadership for Parents

Topic: Early Childhood Standards

Summary: Provides classes for parents in how to positively impact student achievement. She also can provide classes in Parent Leadership and Adult Literacy.

Will address: Parents and students

Grade Level: Early Childhood-12

Name: Parents Reaching Out

Vendor #:

Address: 1920 B Columbia Dr. SE
Albuquerque, New México 87106

Phone: 247-0192

Fax: 247-1345

Fee: No

Bilingual: Yes

Topic: Support and Training

Summary: We provide information for parents, family members, educators and professionals who are involved with children in New Mexico. We have books, articles, pamphlets and newsletters on topics from A to Z. A variety of subjects are available.

Will Address: Parents and staff

Grade Level: Birth-23yrs

Name: Peggy Chavez PhD

Vendor #:

Address: 823 Bridge St. SW
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87105

Phone: 877-6261

Email: chavezkajukembo@comcast.net

Fee: Yes (depends on the workshop requested)

Bilingual: Yes

Topic 1: Parent Education and Training

Topic 2: Discipline

Topic 3: Literacy Development

Topic 4: Early Childhood/Adolescent Development

Topic 5: Home Learning Environment

Topic 6: Personal Life Skills & Family Management

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Summary: To collaborate with educational and community based agencies in enhancing individual and family strengths. Provide instruction in parent education, early childhood education, family relations, cultural diversity, personal development, career guidance and family resource management.

Will Address: Parents, students and staff

Grade Level: PreK-12

Name: Joe Hayes

Vendor #: 15855

Address: P.O. Box 8619
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Phone: 1-505-982-3381

Fax: 1-505-982-2954

Email: joehayes@newmexico.com

Fee: Yes

Bilingual: Yes

Topic: Storytelling, Southwestern stories and writing.

Summary: Joe Hayes is an award-winning author and the Southwest's premier storyteller and a nationally recognized teller of tales from the Hispanic, Native American and Anglo cultures. His bilingual Spanish-English tellings have earned him a distinctive place among America's storytellers. His book El Cucuy is the winner of the 2005 Land of Enchantment Award.

Will Address: Parents, Staff and Students.

Grade Level: Elementary and Mid School.

***Mr. Hayes must have at least a half-day session scheduled in order to drive to Albuquerque.**

Name: Mary Chloe Schoolcraft Saunders, M.Ed
Author, Storyteller, Workshop Facilitator

Vendor#:

Address: 8938 4th Street NW Unit A
Albuquerque, NM 87114

Phone: 331-2689 898-0124

Email: mcspossibilities@yahoo.com

Website:

Fee: Yes

Bilingual: No

Topic: Literacy Workshops, Origami and Storyteller

Summary: This former speech and language pathologist offers make and take workshops that focus on both primary (listening and speaking) and secondary (reading and writing) modes of language essential to literacy. Participants are gently guided with trigger-phrases and storytelling to complete enchanting origami models such as the cup, hat, book, box, bird and others. The models are then used as prompts for reading and writing group and individual journal entries, original stories, and/or poems. (Origami is the ancient art of paper folding.) Mary pairs origami with literacy as she uses origami in her storytelling presentations. Familiar beloved titles include "Brown Bear, Brown Bear" and "Big Wide-Mouth Frog". Her own book and "fold-and-telling" Spread Your Wings and Fly" has been a favorite with many. Her programs with children are interactive and provide an opportunity to fold for 1st-5th grades as well as adults.

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Grade Level: K-12

Name: Lois Ruby

Author, Writing Workshops, Presenter

Vendor #:

Address: 8223 Grape View Court NE

Albuquerque, NM 87122

Phone: (505) 293-5478

Email: loisfruby@gmail.com

Website: www.loisruby.com

Fee: Yes (negotiable)

Bilingual: No

Topic: Author of books for middle grade readers and teens

Lois Ruby has published fourteen books on a variety of subjects, all of which come down to the theme of justice. She conducts lively and interactive sessions. She has presented all over the county including keynote addresses. She presents to students as well as faculty workshops on writing, censorship issues and creativity.

Will Address: Parents, staff and students and seniors.

Grade Level: 4-12
