Happy New Year!

We get to open up the book, and start a new chapter. The new book is called Opportunity and we get to fill the pages with new ideas, thoughts, goals, experiences, teachings and most of all, new opportunities for joy and laughter.

YOUR college Library wants to play a part in bringing joy and laughter with the 14th annual Love YOUR Library day. “Laugh with YOUR Library” is set for February 9th with the goal of bringing students, staff, faculty and the community-at-large an opportunity to lighten up for an evening. To turn that frown upside down, we will have Taos’ Improv Medicine perform as the opening act for the Native American comedy duo James and Ernie. It is sure to be a night to make your cheeks ache.

Some of the members of Improv Medicine have been or are currently UNM-Taos staff or faculty. Their website explains that their goal is “Leveraging the engagement and power of live performance” and delivering “entertainment, inspiration, and education.” It sounds like a perfect fit for the goal of this year’s Love YOUR Library event.

And, what could be more inspiring and entertaining than two gentlemen who turned their lives around so well that they are now spreading their message worldwide, and even acting in movies and television. James Junes and Ernest Tsosie III have been presenting a positive message through comedy for over 10 years and we are honored to have them perform for the Taos community.

So, mark your calendars for February 9th for some love and laughter at the 2018 Love YOUR Library event and support the library’s future endeavors.

The goal of this bi-monthly newsletter is to be sure you see some of the print journals that can be checked out for your perusal but always remember so much of the resources available through YOUR library can be accessed 24/7. All you have to do is register for one class at UNM-Taos, and the whole world opens up to you. Don’t procrastinate, now is the time to contact UNM-Taos and see how you can fill the pages of this new book called Opportunity.

We can’t take credit for this quote as it was taken from dgreetings.com but we’d like to end with: “A new year is like a clean page to start from anew and the pen is in your hands. So write the most beautiful new chapter of your life yet.”
48) You Are A Number
Imagine a future where a three-digit score dictates your place in society.
_By Mara Hvistendahl_

86) Something to Watch
Over Me
One company thinks it has the answer to the senior caregiver shortage - let tech do the job.
_By Lauren Smiley_

22) The Inconstancy of Nebulae
Variable nebulae have intrigued observers for centuries due to their changeable nature on potentially short timescales.
_By Ted Forte_

32) When Neutron Stars Collide
After decades of hard work, astronomers have caught their first spacetime ripples from the smash-up of two dead stars.
_By Govert Schilling_

45) The Newlyweds
Newlyweds from India are torn between traditional and modern influences as their family and culture test their limits. _By Mansi Choksi_

63) The Human Factor
How the publisher of Harper’s Magazine learned the real meaning of dissent; a memoir. _By John R. MacArthur_
28) NM’s Smartest Ski Area
A trip home conjures memories of a small-town skiing vibe and carving turns with heavyweight IQs.
By Stephen Shankland

42) Trail’s End
Author Dan Flores knew he wanted to live in New Mexico. It just took 36 years of wandering to get here.
By Dan Flores

28) Words Creating Space: Three-Dimensionality in Prose
“...in three-dimensional writing, the relationship does not flow directly from author to reader. Rather, a space apart from both author and reader is created.”
By Rachel Howard

52) Disappearing Act
“And just because a writer is borne into a situation doesn’t mean that person has the linguistic or emotional gifts to tell a compelling story about those circumstances.”
By Thomas Sleigh
Spring 2018 Library Hours

Mon - Thurs 8:00 am - 7:00 pm
Fri 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Computer lab closes 15 minutes early.

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What's New?

Love YOUR Library 2018

Laugh with YOUR Library

Come to our 14th annual Love Your Library event and Laugh with YOUR Library!
Featuring the comedy stylings of the stand-up duo James and Ernie and Taos' own Improv Medicine!

James Junes and Ernest David Tsosie III, are sober and drug free performers, presenters, and motivational speakers. For the past 10 years James & Ernie have been speaking and performing comedy with a positive message throughout Native America and Canada. They provide a hilarious take on Native American life and current affairs.

February 9, 2018 7:00 to 9:00PM
Bataan Hall, 120 Civic Plaza Drive, Taos NM
Cover $10. Kids 12 and under are FREE!