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The Town of Bernalillo will once again continue the tradition of the Children's Christmas Fund to benefit less fortunate children in our community. Monetary donation of any amount, or new toys will help brighten the holidays for the children of Bernalillo. Donations can be made at Town Hall.

Also, If you know of a child that might not otherwise receive a gift this season, forms are available at Town Hall.



The Town of Bernalillo is conducting their 3rd Annual Coat Drive for

Children. We are accepting donations of new or gently used coats at Town Hall which will then be distributed to local non-profit organizations for distribution in the town.

Please donate a coat to the 3rd Annual Town of Bernalillo Coat Drive for Children.



- Need parenting help during challenging times (at no cost to you)?
- Want information about your child's development (at no cost to you)?
- Want a developmental evaluation for your child (at no cost to you)?

We Serve:

Pregnant parents;
Families of newborn children up to 36 months, with some programs for children through 5 years;
Bernalillo County and Sandoval County, including the surrounding pueblos.

PB&J believes in YOU... Call today to find out more.
Town of Bernalillo
255 A Camino del Pueblo, Bernalillo
505-867-2356



Goodwill Industries of New Mexico is more than just a thrift store, founded in 1941, Goodwill has been a local nonprofit organization for 73 years!

Goodwill is excited to have a new location open in Bernalillo and to provide the following free services:

Gateway To Work: Personalized path to success that focuses on those who are ready, willing and committed to joining the workforce. The goal of this program is to assist participants in securing long-term community based employment.

Good Skills: Comprehensive job readiness training, including Employment Basics, Financial Literacy, Computer Basics and Customer Service.

Trail Works: Temporary, paid training in retail skills, green skills and warehouse skills.

Transitions: Designed to assess skill level and work with the individual to refine existing skills.

Good Jobs: Designed to help people find long-term employment in the community that meets their needs, abilities and interests.

Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program: Reintegrates homeless veterans into employment and provides supportive services.

Supportive Services For Veteran Families: Helps stabilize housing for very-low income veterans and their families who are homeless or at risk of homelessness.

Brain Injury Case Management: Crisis-related, short-term program to serve individuals with traumatic and acquired brain injuries by assisting with obtaining long-term services.

Senior Community Service Employment Program: Provides low-income seniors 55+ with work experience and training with the goal of permanent community employment.

For more information visit our website at www.goodwillnm.org/programs. Goodwill is excited to be a part of the community and hope you will support Goodwill by donating and shopping at our newest location, **1021 Venada Plaza Drive!**

CALENDAR

November 5: Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting @ Town Hall @ 6:30 pm

November 10: Town Council Meeting @ Town Hall at 6:30 pm

November 24: Town Council Meeting @ Town Hall at 6:30 pm

November 27th and 28th: Town of Bernalillo Offices and Facilities closed for the Thanksgiving holiday.



The Silent and Deadly Winter Hazard

Carbon Monoxide poisoning can happen at any time of the year, but the danger is greater during the winter. The gas carbon monoxide is odorless, colorless, tasteless and poisonous.

How can I protect myself from carbon monoxide poisoning?

- Never heat your home with the oven or range burner.
- Never idle your automobile, even for a minute, in your garage.
- Never perform your own maintenance on fuel-burning appliances. Hire a licensed technician.
- Never attempt to bypass a safety device on any fuel-burning appliance.
- Never ignore a smell of fuel. This indicates a problem with the appliance or a leak in the fuel system.
- Never run snow blowers, lawn mowers or similar appliances inside your garage.
- Never use gas or charcoal grills inside a garage.
- Never ignore a carbon monoxide alarm.
- Never drive a vehicle with a defective or leaking exhaust system.

How will you know if carbon monoxide is present in your home?

You won't without a carbon monoxide detector. The Town of Bernalillo Fire Department recommends installing at least one carbon monoxide detector per household, near the sleeping area. A second detector near the home's heat source provides extra protection. Choose an Underwriter's Laboratories (UL) listed detector that sounds an audible alarm. If you have any questions about Carbon monoxide detectors or their installation please call the Town of Bernalillo Fire Department at (505) 771-7135



The New Mexico Office of Workforce Solutions has an office in Bernalillo at:

301 Rail Runner Ave., Bernalillo, NM 87005
Phone: 505-771-2160 / Fax: 505-771-2541

Services they offer to residents of the Town of Bernalillo include:

Career Services—Research specific occupations, choose a new career, or analyze your skills to find an occupation that best suits you.

Education Services- Find a suitable training or educational program, as well as information on training providers and schools.

Veteran Services—Find out what health, pension, education and

vocational rehabilitation benefits are available for veterans and their dependents.

Senior Services-Learn about topics of interest to seniors, including health care, employment, and federal benefit programs.

Job Seeker Services-Find assistance in looking for or getting placed in a new job and learn how to develop effective resumés and cover letters.

Financial Services-Prepare a basic budget analysis, create financial plans, and locate financial aid to help make your training and education goals a reality.

Youth Services-Find information about finding a job, exploring different careers, and alternative post-high school paths for youth.

Disability Services-Find information about services in your area that benefit people with disabilities, including employment, health, and financial resources.



Fall is here and Thanksgiving is just around the corner. We have a new program here at the library, so when your friends and family come to gather around the table, please let them know that they too can take full advantage of the library and its resources.



Borrow

Our new **Temporary Borrower's Program** allows visitors to get a temporary library card. It's fast...It's easy. All they need to do is fill out an application, show a picture ID, and leave a deposit of \$20. They can check out what they want and when all items are returned, we return their \$20.

Board Games...we just received a new assortment of games. Come in and have some fun. Games are always available to play!



November Events



November 1st through 26th – Decorate the library with turkeys you color. Tell what you are thankful for. Let's beat last years number of 47 turkeys.

Nov. 11th – 3:00 to 4:00 – Story and Craft

Nov. 13th - After school till closing. Board Games will be put out throughout the library. Just come, sit, and play.

Nov. 15th – 10:00 to 11:00 – Author Book Talk and Book Signing

Nov. 18th – 6:00 pm - Family Movie Night

Nov. 25th – 3:00 to 4:00 - Story and Craft