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Around Town 10/9/08: 'Conga line of critters' pet parade at RMAC Art Block Party Saturday

The Roswell Museum and Art Center's Art Block Party on Oct. 11, will feature a Pet Parade. Decorate your pet in celebration of the arts! Be creative and enter your favorite pet in a "conga line of critters." The Pet Parade is open to all animals that are leashed or otherwise controlled. Ribbons will be awarded to the most creative and artistic costumes. Line-up begins at 10:30 a.m. To registered please call 624-6744, extension 10. You must register to compete.

The Art Block Party features a Chalk Art Festival, jazz performances, hand-on art activities, planetarium programs, solar telescope viewing, a second Saturday Student Art Show, and our famous Crazy Hair Salon. Spring River Zoo will be here with live exhibits and valuable information about animals from our region, and the Roswell Humane Society will provide grooming and pet care tips in association with the Pet Parade. This event is free and family-friendly!

Depression group to meet

Eastern New Mexico Center has a monthly Depression Support Group that meets the second Saturday of every month at the ENMMC Senior Circle facility. The next meeting will be at 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 11, in the Wilshire Center, 2801 N. Main St., Suite D, next door to Family Dollar.

The group is led by Steve Johnson, a social worker with a dual career. During the week he works with the Roswell Independent School District and weekends he works in the Sunrise Unit at Eastern New Mexico Medical Center. He has worked at ENMMC since 1997 and has been with RISD since 2001.

Depression is nothing to be ashamed of -it's a treatable illness, not an emotion! or mental weakness. If you think you may have depression, please attend the meeting.

For more information, call Senior Circle director Marifrank DeHarb at 623-2311.

Outreach Stitchers meet

Remnant Piecemakers, a partner of Sisters and Brothers in Stitchers, will meet at ENMMC Senior Circle from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Oct 11.

Sisters and Brothers in Stitches is a collaborative partnership of outreach quilters and stitches. Anyone who can tie a double knot, sew, crochet, knit or quilt will fit right in. Is not necessary to be a Senior Circle member - all age groups are welcome.

The Piecemakers meets monthly at Senior Circle, Wilshire Center, 2801 N. Main St., Suite D, next door to Family Dollar.

Although they meet monthly, their outreach features homemade goods created by individuals working out of their home. Together they make a significant difference in the quality of life in the community.

In addition, coordinator Bettie Hughes is collecting adult shoe boxes for participation in Operation Christmas Child. While not intending to plug particular brands, she said Nike and Reebok boxes are the easiest to decorate, but they'll gladly take any boxes. They may be dropped off at Senior Circle.

For more information, call Senior Circle at 623-2311.

Golf Tournament

The Eastern New Mexico University-Roswell Foundation will host the sixth annual ENMU-Roswell Foundation Scholarship Golf Tournament on Saturday, Oct. 11, at the Spring River Golf Course.

The cost for the four-person team scramble tournament is \$50 per player. Teams should have a minimum total handicap of 40. The fee includes breakfast (courtesy of McDonald's of Roswell), lunch, gift bags for each player, and awards for the top three teams, the longest drive, and closest to the pin. Additional prize drawings will also be held with items donated from a number of local businesses.

Proceeds from the golf tournament will benefit College Access Program Scholarships. CAPS will give every student in Chaves County schools (public or private) the opportunity to attend ENMU-R after high school graduation. Businesses or individuals interested in being an event, corporate or hole sponsor, contact Susan Keohane, Foundation development administrator, at 624-7059, or on the campus Web site at www.roswell.enmu.edu.

Roswell Symphony Orchestra

The Roswell Symphony Orchestra is pleased to announce the return of world renowned concert pianist Kirill Gliadkovsky in concert on Saturday, Oct. 11, at 7:30 p.m., at the Pearson Auditorium on the Campus of the New

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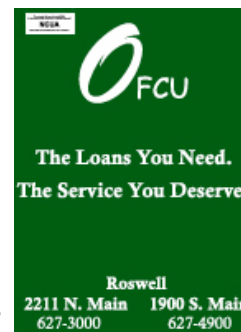
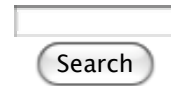
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Mexico Military Institute. Gliadkovsky is returning for his third performance with the RSO.

He will be performing the Tchaikovsky Piano Concerto No. 1 in B-flat. Other selections the Symphony will perform include the Overture to Carl Maria von Weber's opera Abu Hassan, Edward Elgar's Serenade for Strings, and Franz Schubert's Symphony No. 5. Tickets are available at the RSO Office located at 1717 W. Second St., Suite 112, or at the door.

Ticket prices range from \$23-\$31. For more information, please call the RSO Office at 623-5882.

RMAC art classes

There are three art classes still open at the Roswell Museum and Art Center. "Watercolor: A Layerist's Approach," with Dorothy Peterson will be held Oct. 25 and 26, with a few places left. "Beginning Fused Glass," taught by Sue Johnson, also has several places left. It will also be held Oct. 25 and 26. "Intermediate Fused Glass," with two places left, will take place on Nov. 1 and 8.

For registration, call Dee Nallie or Deborah Melancon at 624-6744, ext. 10 or 11, or register online at www.roswellmuseum.org. For scholarship information, call Ellen Moore at 624-6744, ext. 22. The Roswell Museum and Art Center is located at 100 W. 11th St., across from the Civic Center.

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