

**Administration and Finance
Weekly Activity Report
Week Ending: April 11, 2014**

- **NMSU INSIDER** – The new Barnes & Noble at NMSU Instagram feed has been added to the NMSU INSIDER free mobile app so that you can view in-store apparel items as well as their online selections. A “Classic Aggie” is back and on polo’s that are now for sale in the store.
- **ICT participates in remote computer access pilot project** – NMSU’s Engineering department, with assistance from ICT, has piloted a project that allows students to use virtual computers, software-based emulations of physical computers, in a class on Windows Server Software. ICT is currently investigating the use of virtual computing across the NMSU system to better serve the computing needs of the NMSU community while saving on hardware maintenance, usage and power cost, as well as costs associated with software licensing and upgrades. See page 3 of the Tuesday, April 8, 2014 edition of [The Roundup](#).
- **Barnes & Noble at NMSU** – Curious George visited the store this past weekend for the children on campus and in the community. Several authors were hosted at the store that included Todd Miller (Nason House/Border Patrol), Louis Rodriquez (J. P. Taylor Symposium/NMSU Center of Fine Arts) and Marianne Boruch (La Sociedad).
- **ICT Student Technology staff holds Popcorn Day for students** – Chasity McNeil and Brenda Purcell of ICT’s Student Technology group were on hand to give NMSU students the good news about Microsoft Office 365 Pro Plus, a software package for students that includes Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Outlook, OneNote, Publisher, Access and Lync for Windows users and Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Outlook for Mac users. Chasity and Brenda answered questions, passed out handouts and provided instructions for downloading 365 Office Pro Plus. More than 150 students enjoyed free popcorn, courtesy of Student Technology.

