

New Mexico State University Administration and Finance A&F Weekly Report – Week Ending 2/19/2016

- **Auxiliary Services Participates in Aggie Experience:** On Monday, February 15th, over 900 high school students participated in the Aggie Experience event. As part of the event program, participants enjoyed a lunch at the Taos Restaurant and explored our residence halls.

- **Aerial Lift Training:** Environmental Health & Safety provided specialized training on safe Aerial Lift operation to fourteen NMSU employees. Instructor Jose L. Gamon, EH&S Safety Specialist, utilized a video presentation, classroom lecture, quiz and "hands-on" operation. The course is designed to teach trainees about safe and efficient operation of aerial lift equipment per OSHA regulations, which ultimately eliminates hazards and improves safety in the work area. [More than 40 different training opportunities](#) are provided free of charge.



- **Sodexo Dining:** Students explored the worldwide origins of contemporary cuisine on Wednesday, February 17, 2016. “During Origins: The Foundations of Flavor” offered students a new understanding of the basic cooking methods that have sustained humanity since its beginnings.
- **Employee Recognition:** The Executive Director of Operations received an email from the College of Arts And Sciences praising the job performance of four Facilities and Services employees. Mary Ann Ventura and Yolanda Montoya, Administrative Assistants, were recognized for providing great customer service at the Work Order desk; Javier Lujan, Structural Maintenance Technician, and Robert Martinez, Facilities Technician, were recognized for their hard work and attention to detail. Thank you for your customer service!
- **Athletics Support:** The Operations shops have been working with Coach Green to ensure the Baseball Facility is ready for opening day and the Turf Dedication. They have completed all of the preparations that Coach Rodolph has requested to prepare the Softball Facility for the Troy Cox Tournament. Additionally, they have completed all of the pre-event work orders submitted by Coach Walters to have the Equestrian Arena ready for today’s event.
- **Open Air Trolley Campus Tours:** On Tuesday, February 16th, the Open Air Trolley was used to provide campus tours for a recruiting event hosted by Conroy Honors College. Participants included High School National Merit Scholar and Hispanic National Merit Scholar semi-finalists and their parents from New Mexico and west Texas high schools.
- **Stone Steakhouse:** The Stone Steakhouse event was held Tuesday, February 16th. Taos fired up the grill and offered the student’s their favorite steaks with premium sides.