

# New Mexico State University Administration and Finance A&F Weekly Report – Week Ending 3/11/2016

- **NMSU Golf:** NMSU Golf Course has been selected as a qualifier site for the Drive, Chip and Putt event. This skills challenge for the junior golfers is scheduled for July 6<sup>th</sup>. The regional qualifiers will head to the Augusta National to compete for national awards in their age groups.
- **PGA Junior League:** The NMSU Golf Course PGA Junior League team will begin practice March 13<sup>th</sup> for kids ages 1-13 to participate and gain experience on our campus golf course.
- **Throwback Thursday:** Throwback Thursday was held in the Aggie Underground on March 3<sup>rd</sup> and over 120 students enjoyed a DJ, giveaways, food and dancing. The event was sponsored by Aggie Activities Council and Corbett Center Student Union.
- **ICT Has a COW:** Elsie, as the staff of the Student Tech group affectionately call it, is the ICT Student Tech group's COW, or Computer on Wheels. The COW is a mobile cart that carries 29 laptops to a desired location serving as a temporary computer lab. The COW has been used for testing, group projects, campus events (resume workshops), and in-class assignments. To rent Elsie, please contact us at (575) 646-6858 or [it-talk@nmsu.edu](mailto:it-talk@nmsu.edu).
- **FIFA:** On March 7<sup>th</sup>, Sodexo hosted its first Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA) Tournament in the Corbett Center Student Union Aggie Underground. More than 60 students competed in the video soccer game tournament.
- **An Industry Leader:** Sodexo was recently recognized as one of the most sustainable companies in the world by earning awards in all three of the categories in RobecoSAM's annual "Sustainability Yearbook 2016" as the Industry Leader, Industry Mover, and Gold Class distinction. For the 9<sup>th</sup> consecutive year, Sodexo has been ranked as the best-performing company for economic, social and environmental performance in the Restaurant & Leisure Facilities sector.
- **13<sup>th</sup> Annual–Campus Fire Safety and Emergency Management Conference:** Fire Captain John Guerin and Fire Chief Johnny Carrillo attended the annual conference in Columbus, Ohio from March 6-8<sup>th</sup>, 2016. The conference is attended by over 350 Fire Chiefs and code officials from around the world. Unique to this conference is the opportunity for a breakaway Fire Chief lunch meeting to discuss challenges and best practices. Pictured are Fire Chiefs and representatives from Notre Dame, UCONN, Purdue, and University of Missouri along with NMSU Captain John Guerin and Fire Chief Carrillo. It was a great opportunity to learn and keep up with the changes in fire codes and NFPA requirements as well as acquire additional techniques to communicate with our students, faculty, staff and visitors.
- **Cityscapes:** Sodexo's student programming this week included: Cityscapes: Miami. The Taos Restaurant offered lunch on Tuesday with décor, city facts and authentic cultural cuisine.