

### Chel-Marie Barela receives the A&F EXCITE Award

On October 17<sup>th</sup>, Phillip Robles and Olga Holguin, Co-Chairs for AF Voice, presented Chel-Marie Barela with the EXCITE Award. This annual award is given to an AF employee for going above and beyond and demonstrating exceptional performance. Chel's work is broad and supports many NMSU areas including faculty/staff, dining services, housing, student government, and summer conference guests. She was recognized for going the extra mile in serving NMSU Main and Doña Ana campuses. She worked diligently to implement the online photo submission process for student ID cards resulting in 70% of new students ID cards created on-line and reducing wait times during Aggie Welcome and Orientations.



Left to Right: Olga Holguin (Voice Co-Chair - Chel-Marie Barela (EXCITE Winner) – Phillip Robles (Voice Co-Chair)

### A&F Semi-Annual Employee Meeting

On October 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>, Administration and Finance held their Semi-Annual Employee meeting. Ricardo Rel provided information on the 2016 General Obligation Bonds B and C; Dr. Amalia Humada-Ludeke gave a presentation on "Embracing Change"; Phillip Robles and Olga Holguin, AF Voice co-chairs, presented the EXCITE Award. In addition, employees were provided with an opportunity to attend FLSA Supervisor Training and Time Entry Training.

### TETWP Fashion Show Luncheon

The Administration and Finance Leadership Team purchased tickets for the TETWP Fashion Show Luncheon, and held a drawing to give away tickets to seven lucky A&F employees.

### National Cyber Security Awareness Month presentations

ICT's Christopher Lascano, Enterprise Systems Security Administrator, is promoting cyber security awareness through a series of presentations that focus on safe computing practices, cyber threats, and protection of personal information. NMSU students, faculty, and staff are invited to attend the presentations being held from 8:30 am to 10:00 am on October 25<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> in Corbett Center. Faculty and staff who attend will receive training credit. For more information, please visit our website: <http://infosec.nmsu.edu/security-awareness/>

### Sodexo Campus Dining



The annual Aggies Are Tough Enough to Wear Pink Dinner was held in the Taos on Oct. 18. The special pink dinner featured shrimp fajitas with guacamole and fresh pineapple salsa, garlic rosemary roast beef with Dijon shallot demi-glace, baby red peppers with chervil butter and assorted pink desserts. The NMSU Campus Health Center was also present to provide breast cancer prevention and awareness education.

Flavours by Sodexo catered the Pink Luncheon on Oct. 20 at the Pan American Center, held in support of the Aggies Are Tough Enough to Wear Pink campaign. This exquisite meal featured grilled breast of chicken with vinaigrette, roasted vegetable napoleon with savory mousse, asparagus, chocolate and pink checkered cake with chocolate ganache and heart shaped biscochito cookies.

**Balleyball:** Aggie Lounge is the site for students to play Balleyball. This is a giant version of volleyball which uses an exercise ball. The next game is scheduled for November 11<sup>th</sup>. Contact the Corbett Center Information Desk for details and time.

**At the Aggie Lounge**

Monday Night Football and Thursday Night Football games are being shown on the quad-screen in the Aggie Lounge. The Aggie vs Idaho football game was shown last Saturday.

