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THIS WEEK'S ISSUE

## Farewell Interview with President Gamble

Dr. Steven Gamble is retiring from his 16-year tenure as president of Eastern New Mexico University on July 1. He will be replaced by Dr. Jeff Elwell, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Tennessee Chattanooga.

Dr. Gamble will continue working quarter-time at ENMU for at least a year in a capacity to be determined. During his 16 years, enrollment has grown every year, from 3,583 in 2001 to 6,014 in 2016-an increase of 68 percent.

During that time ENMU's campus has undergone approximately \$175 million in campus improvement projectsmostly renovations of existing buildings.



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### Digital Filmmaking Major 'Hooked' on ENMU

Joseph Miller takes on-campus courses at Eastern New Mexico University for an affordable college experience that is the perfect distance from home.



"Once I saw the filmmaking facilities, met the professors and saw the beautiful campus, I was hooked," he said. When not attending school, the digital filmmaking major lives in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

He graduated from The Learning Community Charter School in Albuquerque in 2014, and anticipates graduating from ENMU in May 2018.

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## Announcement Highlights

#### Presidential Retirement Reception Set for June 29

A come-and-go retirement reception for Dr. Gamble will be from 2-4 p.m. on Thursday, June 29, in the CUB lobby.

The campus and community are invited.

Cake and punch will be served.

Special recognitions of his 16 years of service will be presented.

For more information, call the President's Office at 575.562.2121.

#### Roosevelt County Commissioners Declare June 29 Dr. Steven Gamble Day

http://www.easternnewmexiconews.com/story/2017/06/21/news/commissioners-declare-dayfor-gamble/152890.html

#### ENMU-Roswell Hosting Retirement Reception for President Gamble

He has served as ninth President of the Eastern New Mexico University system for the past 16 years. Dr. Steven G. Gamble will retire this summer, leaving the Portales campus with record enrollment growth and numerous completed building construction and renovation projects. Both the Roswell and Ruidoso campuses have also grown and thrived under Gamble's leadership.

ENMU-Roswell invites the campus and community to a farewell reception in Gamble's honor on Monday, June 26, from 4-6 p.m. in the Administration Center lobby on campus at 52 University Blvd.

"Dr. Gamble has been committed to making the Eastern New Mexico University system the best in the state," said Dr. John Madden, ENMU-Roswell president.

"We appreciate his dedication and his focus on student success. Even in difficult budgeting times, he always made protecting ENMU's mission and its employees his top priority.

"We thank Dr. Gamble for his guidance and leadership and wish him health and happiness in this next chapter of his life."

#### Sloan Writes Freelance Article for Magazine

Wendel Sloan, Director of Media Relations, has written a freelance feature on Cami Belcher, the 2016 New Mexico State Fair Rodeo Queen, for the July issue of Enchantment Magazine. Ms. Belcher is an engineer at Sandia Labs and works on energy storage devices.

Sloan received his going-rate of 25 cents per word (50 cents if you want humor).

#### Future Campus Events

Back to Campus Staff BriefingsWednesday, August 9, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. (COB 104)Back to Campus Staff BriefingsThursday, August 10, 3 p.m. - 5 p.m.MIE/Back to Campus BriefingFriday, August 11, 8:15-10 a.m. [tentative]Back to Campus BreakfastWednesday, August 16, 2017Dawg DaysSaturday, August 19, 2017First Day of ClassesSaturday, August 22, 2017

#### 8th Annual ENMU Scholarship Golf Tournament - About to Reach a Milestone

#### by Terry Othic

Regent and Tournament Chairman

The 8th annual Eastern New Mexico University Alumni Scholarship Golf Tournament is shaping up to be another successful event. The goals for this event include raising scholarship funds for students who need financial assistance to continue their college education and to promote ENMU in the Albuquerque area as one of the best and most affordable colleges in New Mexico and the entire southwest.

We are anticipating 164 golfers to participate in this year's event that will be held at the 27-hole Santa Ana golf course near Bernalillo, New Mexico, on Friday, July 7.

While the golf tournament serves as the flagship event for funding scholarships, the majority of the funds raised come from corporate and individual sponsors who recognize the value of a college education and support ENMU in providing our students with the very best environment in which they can achieve success. This year, our tournament will have sponsors and supporters from all across New Mexico, with 30 corporate sponsors, 20 individual sponsors, and over 40 business sponsors. Beginning in 2010 with only 27 golfers and no sponsorships, the tournament has grown to the point where our eight-year net proceeds raised are just short of \$250,000!

Numerous students have benefitted from our alumni scholarships over the past eight years. This year, one of the recipients, Ms. Jennifer Martinez, will attend the tournament to personally thank the golfers and sponsors and let them know how their support has personally impacted her life as she pursues her goal of attending Stanford Law School.

A reception for area alumni, current and prospective students, and sponsors of the Scholarship Golf Tournament will be from 7-9:30 p.m. on Friday evening, July 7, at the Hyatt Tamaya hotel to celebrate the success of the tournament, the University, and to promote ENMU as one of the very best comprehensive four-year colleges in the Southwest.

This event will also allow attendees to meet President Dr. Jeff Elwell and his wife, Edwina.

For more information, contact Eastern New Mexico University's Office of Alumni Affairs at 575.562.2125 or via email at Alumni.Affairs@enmu.edu

#### Deadlines for Fiscal Year End

Purchasing Cards: The Business Office suggests that purchases end June 19, 2017 to ensure the charges will reflect on the June statement. Statements will be ready to review on June 26. If you are traveling when the statements are due, please contact the Business Office at 562-2611. Completed statements must be in the Business Office by June 29. Ruidoso statements will be due by noon on June 30.

Interfunds: Interfunds for 2016-17 must be received by the Business Office by July 6. Interfunds received after July 6 will not be processed for payment. Examples of on-campus charges include: Sodexo, housing charges for camps, printing and duplicating charges, Physical Plant charges, etc.

Corrections to Accounts: Journal Vouchers and Budget Transfers are due in the Business Office by July 7.

As per ENMU's Travel Policy, all travelers seeking reimbursement of travel costs, should complete a Travel Voucher form within five (5) working days of the trip.

All travel for 2016-2017 must be submitted to the Business Office by June 30, 2017.

Reimbursement for prior months should be submitted for payment before June 1. If you are traveling on June 30 please contact the Business Office at 562.2611.

The last day checks will be cut for FY17 will be July 11, 2017.

#### ENMU Awards Page

Click on the link below to see the many state, regional and national honors ENMU has received.

http://www.enmu.edu/news-and-events/enmu-awards

#### Golden Student Success Center Webcam

Here is the link to the webcam showing the progress being made on the Golden Student Success Center:

https://www.workzonecam.com/projects/bradburystamm/enmugolden

#### How to Find Announcements

Some employees have had questions about about not seeing their announcements in the Greyhound Gazette-but did not know to dick on "Announcements."

The "Announcements" link is in the upper right side of the front page of the Greyhound Gazette.

#### Sign-Up to Receive the Greyhound Gazette

New employees do not automatically receive the Constant Contact email on Fridays previewing the Greyhound Gazette. Anyone can sign up for the Gazette on the lower left sidebar of each issue.

The Gazette can also be accessed from a link on the lower left side of ENMU's home page.

For questions, email gg@enmu.edu.

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