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September Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
11:00 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Fridays 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

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RAC Library Leaves



Our New SEC Rep is a Dynamo!

Mary “Lucy” Baca is our new Socorro Electric Co-Operative (SEC) District 1 representative, which area encompasses all of the Rio Abajo community in northern Socorro County. So who did we elect? Mrs. Baca is a tiny, intelligent, soft-spoken lady who oozes with energy and drive.

Mary Lucy is now a resident of Casa Colorada, but was born in Magdalena and with her 11 siblings, raised in Jarales. Growing up in the area, she is very familiar with the community and our needs.

When she was hired to be the interim Belen City Manager during Mayor Jaramillo’s tenure, Mary was instrumental in completing an internal audit that balanced the city’s financial status. Obviously, with the new mayor, the temporary position ended, but she was pleased to be able to turn over accurate books with a balanced budget.

Now in retirement and after a short rest, Mary decided to focus her training, experience, talents and skills to benefit her own “backyard,” and therefore, ran for the SEC board position with

Socorro Electric Cooperative (which is a non-paying position).

Today, between taking care of her husband and home, she juggles the onslaught of training and classes regarding electricity and electrical companies as well as SEC meetings. Having been elected only a few months ago, Mary has attended a few of the meetings and is working hard to familiarize herself with all the workings of the Co-Op in order to effectively work for our community’s benefit.

She has made it very clear that the present Manager, who was recruited by the prior Board Members, is an outstanding administrator that has cleaned up a lot of past inefficiencies. Mary also notes that the Manager’s responsiveness to the Board creates great potential for innovative, cost-effective growth that will benefit everyone associated with SEC.

Mary hopes to quickly complete the basic training for her newly elected position, and she made it very clear that if anyone living in the Rio Abajo community needs her help or support regarding SEC issues, that she would be available to do all she can.

If you have SEC concerns (or just wish to congratulate her), call (575) 618-7378, or via her SEC email: mbaca.district1@socorroelectric.com. ✂

RAC Library News



Fundraising and New Projects

In honor of National Hispanic Month we will be holding our first *Hispanic Bingo/Loteria*. It will be held on a Friday evening at the Our Lady of Sorrows Parish Hall in October. The Library Board is busily acquiring prizes from businesses and artisans in the area and various plans for food choices are being made. Obviously, by October we'll have everything ready!

We are also preparing a new project – *The Rio Abajo Community Cookbook* – and we need your help! We are asking for at least one recipe from everyone, with a story and/or picture to go with the recipe. For example, is the recipe only one person was famous for making? Was it used as a traditional holiday meal? Did

someone once “wear” the delicious dish?

The cookbook will be put together and all publishing costs will be paid by the Library, but we hope that it will eventually be used as a fundraising item.

So, are you and your family ready to share any culinary “secrets?”

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SERVICES RAC LIBRARY OFFERS:

- Books, Magazines, Movies & Audio Books to borrow
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- Faxing (local area only)
- Help with homework/research
- Job Search assistance
- Free Family Pass to 15 NM museums and historic sites
- Open computers with internet
- Notary Public services
- Snacks & Beverages ✂

Homemade Venison Jerky



By Philip

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Jerky is lightweight, easily portable, and provides protein and energy for even the most active



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and get free admission
to museums & historic
sites across the state!**

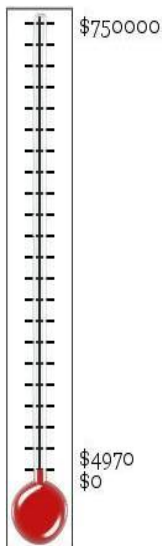
The Family Pass opens the doors to the 15 exceptional museums and historic sites listed below. From Native American treasures to space exploration, world-class folk art to super dinosaurs, ancient sites to the state-of-the-art New Mexico History Museum – our museums and historic sites celebrate the essence of New Mexico!

**The Family Pass is available
FREE to RAC Library
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lifestyle. While beef remains the most popular version of jerky, preparing venison is a similar process and results in an equally delicious snack.



RAC LIBRARY BUILDING FUND STATUS

Total amount needed: \$700,000 total

STEP ONE:

Site development = \$70,000 (preparing site, septic, well, electrical hook-up)

Kick-off funds provided by:

La Joya Community Development Association (\$1,000)

Socorro Electric Cooperative Foundation (\$1,000)

La Joya Educational & Charitable Assistance Organization (\$500)

Help our Library get its own building!

Donations accepted at:

RAC Library and on-line at www.GoFundMe.com/RACLibrary & Amazon Smile

Commercially-made jerky is expensive, high in sodium, and has a limited number of flavors. Homemade jerky means you can use game or fish or locally-sourced meat, and you have a huge variety of flavor or marinade options.

In The Complete Book of Jerky, Philip provides jerky recipes, details basic butchery, how different muscles on different types of meat translates into jerky, and ways to prepare jerky in a food dehydrator or smoker.



Classic Venison Jerky Recipe

- 2 pounds lean venison, sliced into 1-1/4-inch thick strips
- Marinade
- 2 tablespoons salt
- 2 tablespoons soy sauce
- 1-1/2 tbsps dark brown sugar
- 4 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 teaspoons ground black pepper

In a nonmetallic container, mix the salt, soy sauce, brown sugar, minced garlic, and black pepper. Place the meat strips in the marinade and evenly coat. Place the strips on oven racks or dehydrator trays and refrigerate for 24 hours, then dry the meat. Make sure the meat reaches an internal temperature of 160 degrees F. Remove, let cool, and store in sealed jars in the refrigerator.

Big Batch Venison Jerky

- 5 pounds lean venison, sliced into 1/4-inch thick strips
- Marinade
- 1 cup soy sauce
- 1/2 cup Worcestershire sauce
- 2 tablespoons liquid smoke

- 1/2 tablespoon salt
- 1/2 tbsp ground black pepper

In a nonmetallic container, mix the soy sauce, Worcestershire sauce, and liquid smoke. Add the meat strips and coat all sides. Cover and marinate 8 hours or overnight in refrigerator. Drain the marinade and arrange the strips on oven racks or dehydrator trays. Mix salt and pepper in a shaker and sprinkle evenly onto one side of strips; turn over and sprinkle the other side. Dry the meat. Make sure the meat reaches an internal temperature of 160° F. Remove, let cool, and store in sealed jars in the refrigerator.

NOTE: This article first appeared in the July/August 2016 edition of Mother Earth News,. With permission, the excerpt was presented. For more info, see www.MotherEarthNews.com

This Month's Events

Sept.1-5, 2016 – Labor Day Weekend

**Socorro County Fairgrounds
SOCORRO COUNTY FAIR**

A lot of our neighbors are entering items, so let's all join in the fun and so who wins the best of the best !

**Sept. 5, 2016 – Monday
LABOR DAY**

This Month's Events

**Sept. 7, 2016 – Wednesday
6:00 pm at RAC Library
LA JOYA ACEQUIA MEETING**

Updates on activities and water scheduling will take place.

**Sept. 9, 2016 -- Friday
9:30 am at North Soc. Senior Center, Veguita
SENIOR'S DANCE**

All Seniors welcome.

**Sept 9, 2016 – Friday
9:30 am at RAC Library
RIO ABAJO COMMUNITY LIBRARY
BOARD MEETING**

Everyone (especially patrons) welcome and invited to have a voice in how the library operates

**Sept 9, 2016 – Friday
9 am-2pm at Veguita Senior Center
FREE WELL WATER TESTING**

See our Senior Center article on page 4 for more information.

**Sept. 11, 2016 – Sunday
NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS DAY**

**Sept 12, 2016 – Monday
6:30 pm at RAC Library
LAJOYA LADIES' CRAFTING CIRCLE**

Work on projects, learn crafts, and visit. Plans also begin for Festival of Cranes booth. For info call 864-0666

**Sept 14, 2016 – Wednesday
9:00 am, Sr Center, Las Nutrias
RAC MOBILE LIBRARY**

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This Month's Events

**Sept. 17-18, 2016 – Saturday and Sunday, La Joya
ANNUAL OUR LADY OF SORROWS
FESTIVAL**

This is the biggest annual fiesta of the year for the OLS Parish.

**Sept 19, 2016 – Monday
11:00 am at Las Nutrias Parish
Hall (Hwy 304)
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL/ROAD
RUNNER FOOD BANK**

Free food is distributed for low-income households. To enroll, come in one hour early.

**Sept. 22, 2016 – Thursday
AUTUMN BEGINS (AUTUMNAL
EQUINOX)**

**Sept. 23, 2016 -- Friday
9:30 am at North Soc. Senior
Center, Vegueta
SENIOR'S DANCE**

All Seniors welcome.

**Sept 28, 2016 – Wednesday
9:00 am, Sr Center, Las Nutrias
RAC MOBILE LIBRARY**

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING OCTOBER
ANNOUNCEMENTS: 5:00 P.M.,
SEPTEMBER 26, 2016**

N. Socorro Senior Center



*By Pat White-
Johnson, Site
Manager*

The twice-a-month dances are continuing and the number of dancers is increasing. The band, "Amistad," is wonderful and performs a wide variety of music. The NM Environment Department and Dept. of Health are offering water tests for private wells serving homes not connected to a public water utility to our

community on Friday, Sept. 9th, from 9 a.m. through 2 p.m.

To participate, fill a clean container with at least a quart of your well water just before leaving to bring in your sample. If you have a house filtration system, collect the water at the well head. Let the water run 2-3 minutes before collecting the sample.

When you arrive at the Center, they will ask for some details about your well and they will want to know the distance from your well to the nearest septic tank/leachfield system.

If you're bringing in a water sample on the 9th, don't forget your dancing shoes! The band, *La Amistad*, will be performing at our dances on September 9th and 23rd.

Other items on our event calendar include:

- Pool Tournament on Sept. 15 at the Socorro Senior Center. Rides will be provided.
- Casino Run at Santa Anna Star on Sturday (Sept. 3). Linda Mares will be leaving the Senior Center a 9 a.m. and will return by 4 p.m. Reserve a seat for \$7.

Our Senior Center is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. All seniors 60+ are welcome to join in the activities and for a hot meal (lunch is served at 11:15 a.m.)

Have something to sell?

For \$1 you can let everyone in northern Socorro County know

---- PLUS ----

Help support the Community
Library!

See page 7 for more info!

For additional information, call Pat at (505) 861-2860, or Linda Murillo, the Interim Director, at (575) 835-2119. ✂

Commission News



*By Martha Salas,
District 1, Socorro
County Commission*

This seems to have been a busier than average summer, and with the busy comes lots of information that we all can use.

MOSQUITOS. The County has the ability to spray for mosquitos near any county road. The primary contact for Vector Control is Michael Jojola (575-835-0589, ext. 1107). After being notified that spraying is needed, Mr. Jojola will come out during the time period that the temperature is within a certain radius (usually in the evening or early morning). After a 6-month nationwide search, a new state veterinarian has been named for



ROAD ISSUES. The Road Department should be notified if there are potholes or serious water-caused erosion on any county-controlled road. Art Gonzales is the man to notify for this issue, and his office number is (575) 835-2041

FIRE ISSUES. A somewhat serious issue has arisen concerning controlled fires. By EPA and County restrictions only cardboard, paper and yard refuse (old brush, grass, twigs, etc.) can be open burned. Open burns do not include incinerating old



mattresses, plastic bottles, household waste and other toxic-releasing items. Not only is this illegal, but the fumes from non-natural items are causing serious problems for neighbors and the community. The smoke and fumes are going through swamp coolers and into the air of those with asthma and lung problems, plus are causing complicated allergic reactions. So, please be considerate of others and avoid burning household refuse.

Other County services will be covered next month. Meanwhile, if you want more information on these and other programs, check out the website at www.socorrocounty.net. ✂

Rio Abajo Community Celebrations

September 1

Carolyn Franklin's birthday

September 2

Martha Carangelo's birthday

September 3

Leonor Garcia's birthday

Rio Abajo Community Celebrations

September 4

Joseph Chacon's birthday

September 8

Sapphire Esquivel's birthday

September 10

Kenneth Mankins's birthday

September 13

Shania Sanchez's birthday

September 14

Jakob Garcia's birthday

September 17

Ryan Stanton's birthday
Graciela Trujillo's birthday

September 18

Rosalyn Romero's birthday

September 19

Sherry M Glaser's birthday

September 20

Isaac Noe's birthday
Rojelio Silva's birthday

September 22

Patricia Montoya's birthday

September 25

Richard Citrino's birthday

Rio Abajo Community Celebrations

September 26

Juan Vazquez's birthday

September 30

Linsey Sanchez's birthday

IS A BIRTHDAY, ANNIVERSARY OR CELEBRATION COMING UP? LET US KNOW AND WE'LL PASS THE WORD!

Amigos de la Sevilleta

Celebrate Sevilleta!



*By Tamara Coombs,
President of Amigos de la Sevilleta*

Once a year, Sevilleta National Wildlife Refuge and its Friends group, Amigos de la Sevilleta, invite the public to celebrate New Mexico's largest and most biologically-diverse refuge. Its 230,000 acres contain mountains, desert, grasslands and wetlands.

Whether you've driven by the brown signs for at Exit-169 on I-25 and wondered about the refuge, or haven't been here in years, or



In honor of National Hispanic Month the Rio Abajo Community Library
presents

La Loteria (Mexican Bingo)

Friday – October 14, 2016

Beginning at 7:00 p.m. at

Our Lady of Sorrows Parish Hall (NM Highway 304, Las Nutrias)

10 Games

(7 regular for Prizes & 3 specials for Cash)

come often—there's something new to see and do on October 22.



Picture taken by Colin Barnett.

There will be strenuous hikes, easy walks, and four-wheel drive tours to distant corners of the refuge. Longer tours need reservations, but if you don't like to plan in advance, just show up at the Visitor Center on October 22. We'll have unreserved hikes and walks, exhibitions, live animals, solar telescope, archery range, kids' activities (including Animal Olympics, Tracks and Scat, Fun with Geology) and the annual "Drawn to Sevilleta" awards program for student artists.

And the new "Ten Minute Talks" will feature experts on native plants, prairie dogs, box turtles and more, sharing interesting stories about what they know best. Plus, live music and a food truck to keep you entertained and well fed.

Come join us! Reservations open Tuesday, Sept. 6. Come Labor Day (September 5), check out: www.amigosdelasevilleta.org, then call 505 864 4021 on Sept. 6 if you want to make reservations. ✂

NM Rail Runner

Possible Shuttle



There is a very real possibility that the Rio Abajo community will be able to have a shuttle service to and from

the Rail Runner station in the future. Although we are only in the pre-planning phase, the basic proposed shuttle will enable train passengers to be picked up, driven to the station and then upon returning home, catch the shuttle to your parked vehicle.

There are 2-3 possible pick-up/drop off sites being investigated, possible schedules, etc. In next month's newsletter we plan on making a survey available, as well as distributing the survey to several sites in the community, in order to determine whether there is sufficient interest in this service to continue planning for the shuttle.

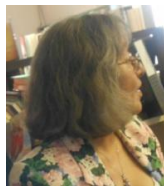
Why would this be significant? Well, not only would this enable daily commuters to save costly travel expenses, but would enable others to schedule appointments in Albuquerque more conveniently and make special events more fun for everyone.

More information will be forthcoming! ✂

Natural Health Tips

12 Medical Myths

By Donna Hernandez, ND, MH



The medical misinformation that is circulating is causing an unprecedented epidemic of chronic disease in human history. Of the 12, I'm providing six this month and the rest in October.

1: Cardio is One of the Best Types of Exercise

Traditional cardio works on the slow twitch muscle fibers in red

muscles, but none of the white muscle super-fast twitch fibers. "Sprint 8" refers to Peak Fitness done once or twice a week, where heart rate is raised up to your anaerobic threshold for 20-30 seconds, followed by a 90-second recovery period.

Intermittent sprinting produces high levels of chemical compounds called catecholamines, which burns more fat from under your skin and within your muscles, and results in increased weight loss and growth hormone levels. This is important after age 30 when growth hormones steadily decline.

2: Vaccines are Safe and Effective and Prevent Disease

Pro-vaccine-safety experts say vaccines can over-stimulate a child's immune system, can cause the disease it's designed to protect against, or worse. When several are given together, or in close succession, interactions may overwhelm developing immune systems.

The CDC recommends 36 doses before 18 months of age (when a child's body and brain is undergoing massive development) and a total of 48 doses of 14 vaccines by kindergarden! Any wonder why there has been an explosion of neurological and immune system disorders?



There are three questions to consider. First, is the vaccine in question safe? Second, does it effectively prevent disease? And third, which vaccines can safely and effectively be given together or in close succession?

3: Fluoride in Your Water Lowers Your Risk of Cavities



The theory is that fluoride in water supply reduces the incidence of dental cavities.

However, the health dangers of fluoride are so numerous; they outweigh any benefit. Even promoters of fluoridation concede that fluoride works from the outside of the tooth, not from inside your body.

There is practically no difference in tooth decay between fluoridated and non-fluoridated countries and between states that have a high- or low percentage of fluoridated water. Meanwhile, fluoride causes significant harm, from dental fluorosis to thyroid damage to reduced IQ... and much more.

4: GMOs are Safe, Well Tested & Economically Beneficial

GMOs may be the greatest health disaster in America. Since their introduction in 1996, multiple chronic illnesses jumped from 7%-13%, food allergies doubled in less time, and many other ailments have exponentially increased with the introduction of GM foods.

The American Academy of Environmental Medicine has urged doctors to prescribe non-GMO diets, citing studies that show how GMOs cause disorders such as vital organ damage, gastro-intestinal and immune system

problems, accelerated aging, infertility, dysfunctional regulation of insulin and cholesterol. GMO foods also pose a significant environmental threat, and industry promises of financial benefits have also proven to be false.

5: Sun Causes Skin Cancer

Melanoma is the most dangerous type of skin cancer and accounts for 75% of skin cancer deaths, but there's *no evidence* to link sun exposure to skin cancer. Several studies confirm that appropriate sun exposure actually helps *prevent* skin cancer. In fact, melanoma occurrence decreases with greater sun exposure, and can be increased by sunscreens.



Vitamin D formed in your skin from exposure to sunlight provides built in cancer protection. Vitamin D goes directly to genes in your skin that prevent ultraviolet-caused abnormalities. Avoiding the sun or always using sunscreen eliminates this built-in cancer protection. Statistics confirm that melanoma rates have increased with sun avoidance and increased use of sunscreens. If avoiding the sun actually *was* the answer, then melanoma rates should have decreased exponentially over the past couple of decades.

6: Saturated Fat Causes Heart Disease

An *unproven hypothesis* from the mid-1950s, has been harming your health and that of your loved ones for about 40 years now. TRUTH: saturated fats from animal and vegetable sources provide the building blocks

for cell membranes and a variety of hormones and hormone-like substances, without which your body cannot function optimally.

They also act as carriers for important fat-soluble vitamins A, D, E and K. Dietary fats are also needed for the conversion of carotene to vitamin A, for mineral absorption, and for a host of other biological processes. In fact, saturated is the preferred fuel for your heart!

NOTE: Donna, who lives in La Joya, is a Naturopathic Doctor, a published author, and writes regular articles for publications on the internet.✂

Joke of the Month



An inebriated man rolled up at a fairground rifle range booth and threw down the necessary money. The booth operator at first refused to let him have a turn, considering that his drunken state would endanger the public, but the drunk insisted and was given a gun.

He aimed unsteadily in the general direction of the target and after trying to focus, pulled the trigger three times. The booth owner, on inspecting the target, was astonished to see three bulls eyes. The star prize for the evening was a large set of glassware, but the showman was certain the drunk wasn't aware of what he had done, and gave him instead a consolation prize, a turtle. The drunk wandered off into the crowd.

An hour or so later he came back, even more drunk than before. Once again the showman demurred, but once again the drunk insisted, and once more scored three bulls eyes and was given another turtle.

Rio Abajo Community Library Board

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Eventually the drunk rolled up again and insisted on a third attempt. Once more he picked up the rifle, waved it around in the general direction of the target, pulled the trigger three times, and, again, scored three bulls eyes. But this time there was an onlooker with good eyesight.

"That's fantastic", the man said. "Hasn't he scored three bulls?"

The showman, cursing his luck, made a play of going over to the target and inspecting it closely.

"Yes Sir!" he announced to the crowd. "This is fantastic! Congratulations, sir, you have won the star prize, this magnificent 68-piece set of glassware"

"I don't want any bloody glasses," the drunk replied. "Give me another one of those crusty meat pies." ❧

Word of the Month



Horology: (Noun)

The art or science of making timepieces or of measuring time.

EXAMPLE: Olive oil has been used as a lubricant since the early days of *horology*.

Origin: 1810-20; Greek, combining for or "*hora*" hour + *logy*. ❧

Future Events

October. 5, 2016 – Wednesday
6:00 pm at RAC Library
LA JOYA ACEQUIA MEETING

October 7, 2016 – Friday
9:30 am at RAC Library

Future Events

RIO ABAJO COMMUNITY LIBRARY
BOARD MEETING

Everyone is welcome and invited

October 10, 2016 – Monday
6:30 pm at RAC Library
LAJOYA LADIES' CRAFTING
CIRCLE

Work on projects, learn crafts, and visit. Plans also begin for Festival of Cranes booth. For info call 864-0666

October 6, 2016 – Wednesday
9:00 am, Sr Center, Las
Nutrias
RAC MOBILE LIBRARY

October 14, 2016 – Friday
7:00 pm at Our Lady of
Sorrows Parish Hall, Las
Nutrias

1ST ANNUAL NATIONAL HISPANIC
MONTH MEXICAN BINGO

A family-fun evening playing Mexican Bingo (La Loteria). More details next month!

October 17, 2016 – Monday
11:00 am at Las Nutrias Parish
Hall (Hwy 304)
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL/ROAD
RUNNER FOOD BANK

Free food is distributed for low-income households. To enroll, come in one hour early.

October 20, 2016 – Wednesday
9:00 am, Sr Center, Las
Nutrias
RAC MOBILE LIBRARY

October 22, 2016 – Saturday
At Sevilleta National Wildlife
Refuge
AMIGOS DE LA SEVILLETA'S
ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE

Join the festivities, activities, and to see which students won awards. For more info, see pg 5.

October 31, 2016 – Monday
HALLOWEEN

Future Events

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SEPTEMBER 26, 2016

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THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR
SUPPORT AND VOTES during the Socorro Electric Cooperative election. I will do my best to represent and advocate for you. – Mary Baca

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JAZZY ELECTRIC WHEEL CHAIR, never used plus vehicle carrier. Retails for \$5,000, selling for \$2,500. (505) 861-0497 or cell (505) 610-1723.

LOOKING FOR FRUIT TREES. Do you have a tree whose fruit you don't want? Will trade canned goods (made from your fruit) in exchange for the chance to harvest the goodies. (505) 864-3662.

Want to run an ad in next month's newsletter? It's only \$1 a month for 25 words or less. Deadline: September 26, 2016. For display ad rates, call at (505) 861-8289. ❧

Order Form for Ads, Subscriptions and Volunteers

Subscription:

☐ Request an annual subscription (with gifts and extras) to the monthly newsletter (\$15/year) to cover the costs of copies and postage (enclose a check or money order made out to Rio Abajo Community Library).

Advertising

☐ I want to run an ad for \$1 and am enclosing what I want my ad to say (25 words or less) to include in the next newsletter.

☐ Contact me regarding display advertising.

Volunteering/Donations

☐ I want to volunteer to help out at the library for one hour per week.

☐ I want more information about serving as a Board Member on the Rio Abajo Community Library Board to help direct and advise the Library (one meeting a month for about one hour).

☐ I want to donate goods and/or services for RACL fund-raising efforts.

☐ Make a cash donation of \$_____ (make check or money order: to Rio Abajo Community Library).

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