



# Calendar of Events

## *Anne Frank: A History for Today*

Coronado Center (South of Barnes & Noble)

February 1 to March 31, 2010

Albuquerque, New Mexico

<http://annefrank.sks.com>

### ART EXHIBIT

#### Looking Through The Shadows/Interpretations



**Date:** February 1 – March 31

**Location:** Exhibit Site, Coronado Ctr.

Albuquerque, NM Artists have always reflected on the most important social issues of their time. The artists create an atmosphere with thought provoking works that give visual voice in the struggle to achieve

human rights, democracy and tolerance.

### LECTURES

**Sexual Violence, Oppression and the Community: Why Sexual Violence is Everyone's Issue**, Rape Crisis Center of Central New Mexico



**Date:** Saturday, February 6

**Time:** 3:00 pm

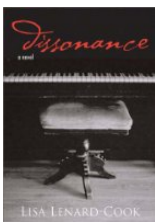
**Location:** Exhibit site at Coronado Center (south of Barnes & Noble)

Contact: 505-266-7711

**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

The session will cover the basic dynamics of sexual violence as a form of oppression as well as the need for the community to be a part of the solution toward ending sexual violence

**Lisa Lenard-Cook**, author of *Dissonance*



**Date:** Tuesday, February 9

**Time:** 6:30 pm

**Location:** Esther Bone Library  
950 Pinetree Rd. NE, Rio Rancho

**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

Ms. Lenard-Cook will speak about her book, focusing on Anna, a piano teacher who inherits scores from a composer she does not know.

**Helene Silverblatt**, professor at UNM School of Medicine



**Date:** Saturday, February 20, 2010

**Time:** 3:00pm

**Location:** Exhibit Site- Coronado Center

**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

Dr. Silverblatt will speak about her cousin Selma Meerbaum-Eisinger, a young Jewish poet who died in a Ukrainian forced-labor camp in 1942.

### Honor and Endurance

**Davis Begay**, Hon. Consul General of Japan, Abq.



**Date:** Saturday, March 6, 2010

**Time:** 3:00 pm

**Location:** Exhibit site

**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

American-born Japanese American men and women endured cruel racism and inequities during WWII and came through with honor.

**Sonja's Legacy**, presented by Tom Lerner



**Date:** Saturday, March 13

**Time:** 3:00pm

**Location:** Exhibit site -Coronado Center

**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

Talented young artist Sonja Fischerova imprisoned in Terezin concentration camp was 13 years old in 1944 when she was

killed in the gas chambers. Relative Tom Lerner will speak about her.

**Cor Suijk**, Contemporary Holocaust Education Foundation, NY.



**Date:** Saturday, March 20

**Time:** 3:00 pm

**Location:** Exhibit Site- Coronado Center

**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

Cor Suijk is the CEO Emeritus of the Anne Frank House, Amsterdam and President of the Contemporary Holocaust Education Foundation, NYC,

a teacher's in-service institute. He is renowned for his efforts to bring the internationally acclaimed Anne Frank in The World: 1929-1945 exhibit to over 100 cities in the United States (twice to New Mexico collaborating with New Mexico Human Rights Projects) and also to many other places throughout the world. In his late teens, Cor helped his family hide Jews from the Nazis and was captured and placed in a concentration camp. He was a close friend and personal assistant to Otto Frank. Otto Frank gave Cor the 5 missing pages of Anne's diary for safe keeping and asked Cor not to publish them until both he and his second wife had died.

Cor traveled extensively throughout the U.S. with Miep Gies, the Frank family protector and keeper of Anne's diary, including a trip to Albuquerque in 1995 where she spoke to a crowd of 2000 at the Convention Center. Until Miep's death at the age of 100 on January 11, 2010, Cor personally assisted her with her correspondence answering more than 5000 letters from people all over the world.

## PLAYS AND PRESENTATIONS

### Dramatic Reading and Panel Discussion of the Diary



**Date:** Sunday, February 21  
**Time:** 2:00– 4:00 pm  
**Location:** El Rey Theater, 620 Central Ave. SW, Abq  
**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

A moderated panel discussion led by Jane Blume. Sponsored by Albuquerque Library System, NM Holocaust and Intolerance Museum, Santa Fe Opera and El Rey Theater

**Reception to follow:** 4:00- 5:00 pm  
**Location:** NM Holocaust & Intolerance Museum, 616 Central Ave. SW, Albuquerque

### Time with Corrie ten Boom



**Date:** Sunday, February 7  
**Time:** 3:00 pm  
**Location:** Exhibit site – Coronado Center  
**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

Albuquerque performer, Susie Sandager gives a one-woman dramatization of the life of Corrie ten Boom – a Christian woman who hid Jews during the Holocaust.

### The Roots of Violence in Indian Country: A Historical Journey



**Date:** Sunday, Feb. 14  
**Time:** 3:00 pm  
**Location:** Exhibit site - Coronado Center  
**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

**Beverly Wilkins** Domestic Violence Prevention Advocate and **Lemyra DeBruyn**, Adjunct Professor, School of Public Health, U. of Nevada will discuss the impact of the Boarding School Era on family and community tore thousands of children away from their cultures and languages and set the stage for violence in American Indian communities. Social determinants of health, environment, suicide, violence and diabetes will be addressed as symptoms of this history across generations.

### *The Diary of Anne Frank*, ABQ Stages



**Dates:** March 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21,  
**Times:** Fri. & Sat. 7:30 pm Sundays 2:00 pm  
**Location:** The Filing Station 1024 4th St. SW, Albuquerque

In this new adaptation, Anne Frank emerges from history a living, lyrical, gifted young girl, who confronts her rapidly changing life with honesty, wit and determination.

**Tickets:** Call Kari at 505.515.9149

### Here and Now: The Courage to Stand in 2010,



**Date:** Saturday, March 27  
**Time:** 3:00pm  
**Location:** Exhibit site – Coronado Center Coronado  
**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

African American Museum and Cultural Center of New Mexico presents a panel discussion with individuals from Office of African American Affairs, NAACP, and Equal Employment Opportunity Commission on how intolerance is fueled by the deadly combination of race, religion and politics and the courage to confront. What do you have to withstand, in order to stand.

## RIO RANCHO FILMS

Sponsored by Esther Bone Memorial Library, Rio Rancho, NM – all films are **FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

### *Diary of Anne Frank*



**Date:** Saturday, February 6  
**Time:** 10:00 am  
**Location:** Esther Bone Memorial Library  
950 Pinetree Road, NE, Rio Rancho, NM

The autobiographical drama of a young Dutch Jewish girl hiding from the Nazis during World War II. The story is told from the narrative perspective of Anne, a young girl hoping to live to womanhood.

### *Defiance*



**Date:** Saturday, Feb. 13  
**Time:** 10:00 am  
**Location:** Esther Bone Memorial Library  
950 Pinetree Road, NE, Rio Rancho, NM

*Defiance* stars Daniel Craig, Liev Schreiber, Jamie Bell, and George MacKay as four Jewish brothers from Belarus who escaped Nazi persecution and fought with rescued fellow Jews.

### *Schindler's List* Date:



**Date:** Saturday, Feb. 20  
**Time:** 10:00 am  
**Location:** Esther Bone Memorial Library  
950 Pinetree Road, NE, Rio Rancho, NM

German businessman, Oscar Schindler saved the lives of more than a thousand Polish Jewish refugees employing them in his factories.

## FILMS

**Shown on Saturdays & Sundays, 2:00 PM,  
Exhibit Site, Coronado Center  
FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

### *The Wave* – 42 min

**Date:** Sat., February 6 and Sat. March 13  
History teacher Burt Ross initiates a daring experiment to explain to his students the atmosphere in 1930's Nazi-Germany

### *Weapons Of The Spirit* – 38 min

**Date:** Sun. February 7  
How the 5,000 Christian citizens of a French village responded to the Nazi policy of discrimination.

### *Purple Triangles* – 28 min

**Date:** Sat. February 13  
The Kusserow family talks about the persecution of Jehovah Witnesses during Nazi Germany.

### *Not In Our Town* – 30 min

**Date:** Sun. February 14  
A community in Billings, Montana stands together against shameful actions in their town.

**One Out Of Ten – 42 min****Date:** Sat. February 20 and Sun. March 28

For every one child who lived, nine others did not.

The film tells stories of those few children who survived.

**Plum Blossom In Snow – 51 min****Date:** Sun. February 21 and Sat. March 20The true story of Yhizhen Dai who was killed in China for his belief in and support for Falun Gong, an ancient form of qigong. Film followed by discussion with Falun Dafa practitioner **Chris Smith****We Were Marked With A Big A – 44 min****Date:** Sat. February 27

Little is known about Nazi persecution of homosexuals. Survivors tell stories of their arrests.

**The Last Days – 87 min****Date:** Sun. February 28

Five Hungarian Holocaust survivors tell of concentration camp horrors and their desire to survive.

**More Than Broken Glass: Memories Of Kristallnacht– 60 min****Date:** Sun. March 7

November 1938 "Night of Broken Glass" when synagogues and Jewish businesses were burned.

**The Freedom Writers – 123 min****Date:** Sun. March 14

A California teacher finds unique way to unify her disadvantaged and racially divided students.

**The Double Crossing: The Voyage of St. Louis– 60 min****Date:** Sun. March 21

Jews fleeing 1939 Nazi Germany on SS St. Louis were denied entry to Cuba and USA and forced to return to Europe.

**Auschwitz: If You Cried You Died– 25 min****Date:** Sat. March 27, 2010

Holocaust survivors visit Auschwitz and discuss how intolerance and violence provides lessons for today.

**OTHER HAPPENINGS****The Children's Hour**, KUNM-fm radio**Date:** Saturday, January 30**Time:** 9:00 – 10:00 am**Location:** KUNM 89.9 FM radio

Producer Katie Stone will interview Anne Frank Exhibit representatives from New Mexico Human Rights Projects

**New Mexico Community FaithLinks****Date:** Month of February**Time:** 2:00 – 5:00 pm, M,Tue,Th,Fr.**Location:** Los Ranchos Elem.School

Contact: 505.242.3353

Project SEAL, a 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC after school learning program, will address Anne Frank.**Professional Development Opportunity****Date:** Friday, February 19, 4:30 pm – 8:30 pm OR Saturday,

February 20, 8:00 am- 12:30 pm

**Location:** New Mexico Museum of Natural History and Science, 1801 Mountain Rd. NWKNME and Albuquerque Public Schools will sponsor a workshop focusing on the new Henry Lewis Gates series *Faces of America* which

explores the dynamic and shifting relationship America had with new immigrants in the 20th century.

To reserve your seat please call 505-277-8296

**Varian Fry: Assignment Rescue 1940 – 1941****Date:** March 1 – May 31, 2010,**Time:** 11:00 am – 3:30 pm, Tuesday - Saturday**Location:** NM Holocaust and Intolerance Museum, Alb.

Magazine editor Varian Fry helped rescue 1,500 people in danger of Nazi persecution.

**Discussion and Book Signing with author Rabbi Malka Drucker****Date:** Thursday, April 1**Time:** 6:30pm**Location:** Esther Bone Memorial Library  
950 Pinetree Rd. SE Rio Rancho, NM 87124Rabbi Drucker has authored several books including *Rescuers: Portraits of Moral Courage* (non-fiction) and the children's title *Jacob's Rescue, A Holocaust Story* (fiction). She will discuss these books and conduct a book signing following the event.**Ani Ma'amin****Date:** April 6 and April 7, 2010,**Time:** 10:00am**Location:** KiMo TheatreKeshet Dance Company performs *Ani Ma'amin*, a powerful modern dance piece exploring the impact of the Holocaust on American Jews.**Friedl Dicker-Brandeis Exhibit including art of children in Terezin concentration camp – UNM College of Education****Date:** Spring 2011, UNM Art Museum