

Hubbell House Lecture Series

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July 19, 2008 1:00-3:00pm: *Backyard Composting*

Speakers: **Jim Brooks**, Owner, Soilutions Inc, Albuquerque <http://www.soilutions.net/>
Greg Baker, Environmental Scientist/Compost Specialist, NM Environment Department, Santa Fe
<http://www.nmenv.state.nm.us/SWB/>

Topic/Talk: 45 min powerpoint talk on composting followed by hands-on composting demonstration. Soilutions is the largest producer of organically approved compost in New Mexico. Total time = 2 hrs (see Maureen's email for needed tools & materials)

Aug 16, 2008 1:00-3:00pm: *Farm to School Program*

Speakers: **Le Adams**, Director, NM Farm to School Program & Co-Director, NM Farm to Table, Santa Fe
<http://www.farmtotablenm.org/fts/>
Marion Kalb, Co Director, National Farm to School Network, Community Food Security Coalition, Santa Fe
http://www.foodsecurity.org/farm_to_school.html

Topic/Talk: Farm to School programs & "movement"; national, state & local trends, programs & perspectives and how HHA could be involved. Powerpoint or other presentation/media (Le has a great video on NM Farm to School) supplemented w/handouts, etc. Total time = 1-2 hrs

Sept 20, 2008 1:00-3:00pm: *Food & Agricultural Policy*

Speakers: **Pam Roy**, Director, NM Food & Agricultural Policy Council & Co-Director of NM Farm to Table, Santa Fe
<http://www.farmtotablenm.org/>
2nd speaker – to be determined

Topic/Talk: Food & agricultural policy, food systems, how policy and systems affect where our food comes from, role of ag policy councils, etc. Powerpoint or other presentation/media supplemented w/handouts, etc. Total time = 1-2 hrs

Oct 18, 2008 1:00-3:00pm: *To be determined*

Speakers: To be determined, several candidates being considered

Topic/Talk: Youth & Agriculture or South Valley (SV) grain growers & marketing possibly combined with information on a food & fitness project in the SV. Total time = 1-2 hrs

Nov 15, 2008 1:00-3:00pm: *Revolution on the Range*

Speakers: **Courtney White**, Executive Director, Quivira Coalition (Santa Fe) & author of *Revolution on the Range – The Rise of a New Ranch in the American West*
<http://quiviracoalition.org/index.html> http://quiviracoalition.org/Revolution_on_the_Range/index.html

Topic/Talk: Book reading & signing. Quivira's mission is to foster ecological, economic and social health on western landscapes through education, innovation, collaboration, and progressive public and private land stewardship.

Courtney is a thought-provoking speaker who can show how what happens out on “the range” affects SV, Albuquerque and New Mexico in general. Total time = 1-2 hrs