

# Bernalillo County Open Space

# 2013

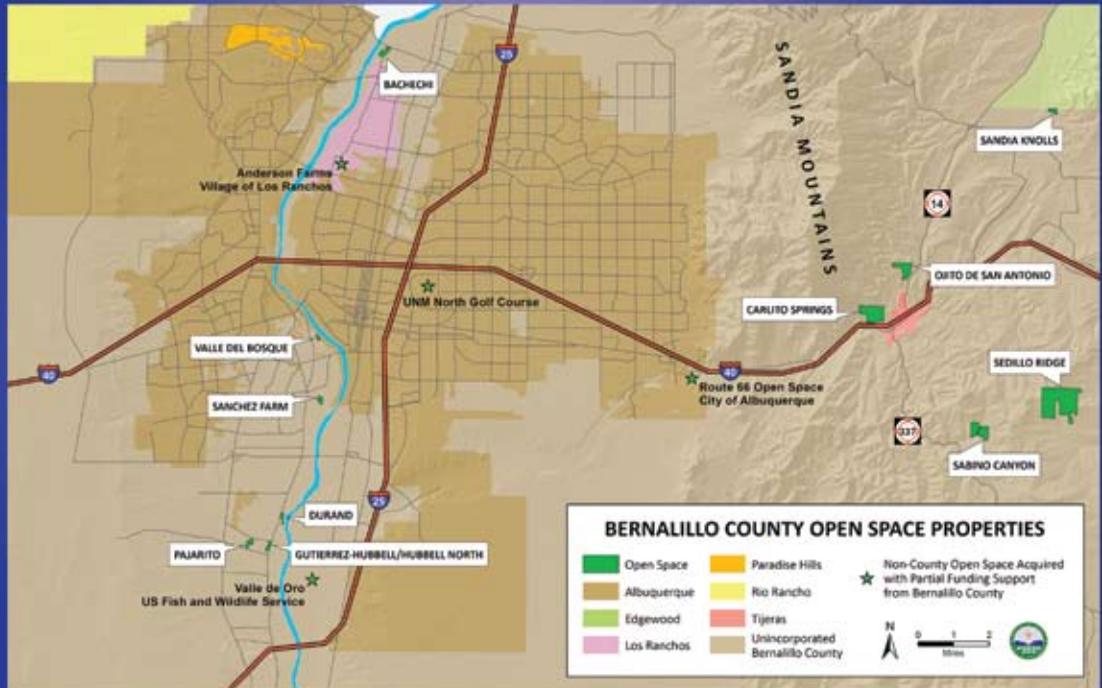
# Program of Events



## Open Space:

Your County's Environmental, Historical  
and Cultural Treasures

# BERNALILLO COUNTY OPEN SPACE PROPERTIES



## VALLEY OPEN SPACE PROPERTIES:

**BACHECHI**  
(9 5 2 1 RIO GRANDE BLVD. NW)

**VALLE DEL BOSQUE**  
(4 8 0 SUNSET RD. SW  
ALBUQUERQUE, NM)

**SANCHEZ FARM**  
(1 1 8 0 ARENAL RD. SW  
ALBUQUERQUE, NM)

**DURAND**  
(4 7 5 0 ISLETA BLVD. SW)

**PAJARITO**  
(5 9 9 5 BECK RD. SW)

**GUTIERREZ-HUBBELL HOUSE**  
(6 0 2 9 ISLETA BLVD. SW)

**HUBBELL NORTH**  
(5 9 4 5 ISLETA BLVD. SW)

## EAST MOUNTAIN OPEN SPACE PROPERTIES:

**SANDIA KNOLLS**  
(3 5 CANYON RD., SANDIA PARK, NM)

**OJITO DE SAN ANTONIO**  
(3 0 SAN ANTONIO DR.  
CEDAR CREST, NM)

**CARLITO SPRINGS**  
(8 2 CARLITO SPRINGS RD.  
TIJERAS, NM)

**SEDILLO RIDGE**  
(1 9 3 BRANNAN RD  
TIJERAS, NM)

**SABINO CANYON**  
(3 4 FOREST RD. 2 5 2  
TIJERAS, NM)

*Bernalillo County Open Space strives to be a dynamic network of properties with important natural and cultural resources. The land is managed to benefit people, plants and wildlife by protecting and enhancing viewsheds, water resources, wildlife habitat, cultural and historical sites, and prime agricultural land; and provide resource-based recreation and environmental education.*

*Bernalillo County Open Space is offering a wonderful program of events, workshops, and opportunities for you this year. Get out and enjoy Open Space.*

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## Master Naturalist Program

### Mission Statement

The Bernalillo County Open Space Master Naturalist Program aims to instill the pursuit of lifelong learning and promote environmental stewardship. Participants are actively engaged through education and service dedicated to the beneficial management of natural resources on Open Space properties.

### **The Master Naturalist Program provides an excellent opportunity to participate in conserving, preserving and restoring the local environment.**

Through the Master Naturalist Program, a select group of dedicated participants will enjoy a wide range of FREE classes and hands-on experiences including 55 hours of classroom training and field studies over a two month period. Upon completion of the classes and field studies, participants will carry out a 40 hour service project on Open Space properties.

This program is ideal for individuals who have a love for the outdoors, curiosity of the natural environment, and desire to work with others and help support conservation measures that improve land health.



Applications will be accepted from March 1-29, 2013 at [www.bernco.gov/openspace](http://www.bernco.gov/openspace). The training will take place in June and July on Thursday evenings and every other Saturday.

## Soaring the South Valley

**Soaring the South Valley Festival at Durand Open Space on April 20, 2013** (located at 4750 Isleta Blvd. SW)



Durand Open Space was once home to Westernair Inc., an airplane maintenance business owned by the Durand family. Small planes flew in for anything from engine repairs to paint jobs to reupholstery work. Today, the property commemorates more natural airborne creatures, birds. This year, Bernalillo County Open Space is working

with a number of partners to organize a fun-filled family event celebrating both birds and planes at Durand Open Space. This will take place on the heels of final site enhancements at the property that features a new vehicular and equestrian parking lot, a gathering space complete with benches and a shade structure, and bird sculptures. There will be a number of exciting things happening both on the ground and in the air include the following:

- Guided bird walks
- Birding 101 tips and tricks
- Model plane demonstrations
- "Birds of a Feather" kid's activities
- Live birds of prey
- And many other fun things to learn and do



### South Valley Bird Guide

The South Valley, located in Bernalillo County just south of Albuquerque, offers picturesque Open Space properties, the Rio Grande corridor, and historic agriculture fields that are all ideal for bird watching. During the Soaring the South Valley Celebration, Bernalillo County Open Space will present a new "South Valley Bird Guide" developed in partnership with the New Mexico Ornithology Society, Central New Mexico Audubon Society, and master naturalists. Throughout this publication, readers will discover ideal sites to view birds, basic birding tips and resources, and commonly seen birds in the South Valley.

## Backyard Farming Series

This series features experts in their field who provide hands-on experiences giving participants practical information transforming their backyards into a thriving urban oasis of food, medicine and wildlife habitat. This series is FREE, but participants must RSVP. The workshops will be held at the Gutierrez-Hubbell House located at 6029 Isleta Blvd, 3 miles south of Rio Bravo Blvd. The series is developed in partnership with the Hubbell House Alliance, Bernalillo County Extension Office, and Erda Gardens and Learning Center.

### Tree Care

**February 2 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Learn correct techniques for pruning, what fruit trees thrive best in your landscape, when to plant, and proper planting guidelines. Additional opportunities for small group hands-on pruning exercise will take place throughout the month.

### Edible Landscapes

**March 9 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

This workshop will cover garden basics and help you choose the best fruits, veggies and herbs to build a beautiful, edible garden in your own yard. Nissa Patterson of Albuquerque Growing Gardens Team will present on her front yard garden project and how it has intrigued and impacted her community. Michael Reed of La Orilla Farm will present on permaculture design and the concept of "food forest."

### Soil Science and Composting

**March 16 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Come to this workshop to understand how to determine what type of soil you have and how to build healthy soil with composting. Shawn Hardeman will cover soil science, what soil is made of and what that means to the backyard farmer. John Zarola will explain compost methods and compost building so that participants will be ready to begin at home.

### Backyard Beekeeping

**April 13 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Learn the basics of beekeeping and what you need to know when getting started. We will be comparing both Langstroth and Topbar hives. Albuquerque beekeepers will be on hand to review the beekeeping calendar, equipment, hive management, things to consider if keeping bees within the city limits and troubleshooting common problems.

### Water Wise Gardening

**May 4 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

We live in a desert. Find out how to conserve water in your thirsty garden. Amanda Bramble of the Ampersand Sustainable Learning Center will present low-technology and do it yourself solutions to address the sustainable use of water, including grey water and rainwater harvesting.

### Composting Intensive

**May 18 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Come with your compost conundrums! Our expert, John Zarola from the Bernalillo County Master Composters will give you the answers to your toughest compost questions. Participants will leave with information on both "hot" and "cold" composting methods as well as lists of what to add and what to avoid adding in your compost.

### Farm Tour

**June 1 from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.**

The Gutierrez-Hubbell House sits on 10 acres of agriculture land that is managed by the Bernalillo County Extension Office. Farm Manager Gabriel Bauman-Baker is actively engaged in modeling a variety of sustainable and innovative backyard farming practices throughout the property. Come learn about caring for heirloom fruit trees and grape vines, drip and flood irrigation, year-round growing techniques, and planting for wildlife.

### Backyard Chickens and Goats

**August 17 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Learn what you need to keep chickens or goats as part of your urban homestead. Participants will leave with knowledge of regulations, as well as what chickens and goats need in terms of shelter, space, food and best breeds. Ongoing care, common problems and potential products that can be harvested from chickens and goats.

### Food Preservation Methods

**September 7 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

This much loved workshop is back again! Find out how to put food up for the winter with methods such as hot bath canning, pressure canning and lacto-fermentation. Speakers Kim Pophal and Sofia Rose will elaborate on food preservation techniques, appropriate equipment and trouble shooting. Bring your favorite recipes to sample and share!

### Seed Saving

**September 21 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Seed saving is both art and science, but anyone can learn the basics on saving common veggie and herb seeds. See how saving garden favorites can ensure a more adaptable crop for the future in this informative workshop. Participants will practice harvesting homegrown tomato seed as well as other commonly saved seeds. This workshop will be presented by expert Joshua Cravens of Save New Mexico Seeds and Arid Seed Cache.

### Conservation Farming Forum

**November 9 from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

We all want to conserve and enhance our precious resources and wildlife. Learn innovative techniques that can create habitat that invites birds and pollinators on your property while creating a lovely garden for you and your family to enjoy. A panel of speakers will discuss creating foodsheds that include and encourage all forms of life on the farm.

## East Mountain Interpretive Series

Bernalillo County Open Space is working with local partners to offer this interpretive series. Participants will go on a tour of Open Space properties while learning about the history and environmental significance of the area. The sessions are FREE however, space is limited and participants must RSVP.

### Geology of the Sandia Mountains and Tijeras Creek

**April 27 from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. at Carlito Springs Open Space**

Hydrogeologists Dan McGregor will talk about how the Sandia Mountains were formed long ago and the significance of fault lines and snowpack to springs that provide precious water to the wildlife and human inhabitants in the East Mountains. McGregor will also talk about the types of rocks found in the Sandia Mountains, including travertine that is used in many structures at Carlito Springs.

### Trail Cooking and Dutch Ovens

**May 11 from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. at Sabino Canyon Open Space**

Come and examine a different approach to trail cooking. Marty Peterson will focus on utensil free and novelty outdoor cooking techniques that are ideal for mountain excursions to backyard sleepovers. Peterson will cook in paper bags, foil, on sticks and rocks.

### Archaeology 101

**August 3 from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. at Sabino Canyon**

Whispers from people long ago still drift in the winds today. Discover the practice of archeology in our arid state that is littered with clues to the ancient past. Archeologists from the New Mexico Office of Archaeological Studies will talk about discovering, excavating and caring for artifacts that are casually found in the landscape and the stories locked into these fragments of time.

### Forest Ecology in the East Mountains

**September 28 from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. at Ojito de San Antonio**

Learn about the history and complex nature of our dryland forests and best management practices used by professional land managers to promote biodiversity while preventing forest fires in times of drought. Sue Hansen Putze, district manager of Ciudad Soil and Water Conservation District will present a fuelwood thinning project at Ojito de San Antonio discussing the process, applied techniques and end result.

### Heirloom Apple Orchards in New Mexico

**October 19 from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. at Carlito Springs**

The story of apple orchards goes back from when Spaniards brought a variety of fruit trees from Spain to cultivate throughout New Mexico in the 1600s with the help of Franciscan monks. Later, homesteaders and hobby horticulturists continued to establish orchards in New Mexico. The fruit tree's checkered past includes use for moonshine as well as grandma's apple pies. Come learn about the fascinating story of heirloom apple orchards at Carlito Springs where fruit trees serve a different purpose today.



## Naturalist Series

Awaken your senses to the natural world around you by observing the plants and animals in the Bosque and learn from local experts about this extraordinary ecosystem. Bernalillo County Open Space presents the Naturalist Series featured at Bachechi Open Space located at 9521 Rio Grande Blvd. Parking is available at the Alameda parking area. **The workshops are FREE; however, space is limited and participants must register.**

### Bug Love

**February 13 from 6 – 7:15 p.m.**

To kick off its 2013 Naturalist Series, Bernalillo County Open Space has invited New Mexico State University entomologist Dr. Tess Grasswitz to talk on the subject of “Bug Love,” a light-hearted but informative exposé of the weird and wonderful world of insect courtship and mating behavior.



### Seasonal Sightings and Nature Journaling

**February 23 from 1 – 4 p.m.**

This workshop will feature forester and environmental educator Mary Stuever who will open the door to the world of phenology, providing hands-on instruction on how to document the changes in nature through journaling. Mary will provide valuable tips on how to weave writing and art into journaling. No previous art experience is necessary, so if you are new to nature journaling, this workshop is for you!

### There's Music in the Air

**March 23 from 1-3 p.m.**

Flutist and harpist, Bonnie Schmader, will be joined by other local musicians in exploring music and sound. Not only has the natural world inspired countless composers, but the very essence of music relies on sound waves traveling through the air. We will explore these connections through performance, demonstration and audience participation. No musical experience is necessary, but if you have an instrument, you're encouraged to bring it with you!

### Labyrinths: Walking Earth's Transformational Paths

**April 21 from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

Led by BJ Harris, this hands-on workshop will teach participants about the history and styles of labyrinths and their connection to the earth. Using natural ephemeral materials, workshop attendees will create several temporary labyrinths together at the Bachechi Open Space, providing inspiration to create your own labyrinths at home.



### Celebrate Arbor Day

**April 26 from 6:00-7:30 p.m.**

Certified arborists will talk about best practices in caring for trees, and local foresters will present on the state of our forests in light of changing climate and drought conditions. Participants will receive a free tree to take home in celebration of Arbor Day.

### Spring Fever

**May 5 from 8:30-10:30 a.m.**

Nothing awakens a childlike excitement for spring like a gaggle of goslings or bunch of ducklings following their parents about. During this workshop, we will talk about the many wild creatures that enliven our environment and the cycle of life that seems to peak during spring.

### Natural and Human History of the Middle Rio Grande Valley

**May 19 from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.**

City Archeologist Dr. Matt Schmader will lead a walking tour and tell the story of how the Middle Rio Grande Valley has changed over time, shaped by natural and human forces.



### **Hippity Hoppity Herps** **August 24 from 10 – 11:30 a.m.**

The chorus of a Rio Grande leopard frog or woodhouse toad, the colorful display of a painted turtle's shell and the slithering of a common king snake are all part of the bosque experience. Michael Sanchez from the New Mexico Museum of Natural History & Science will bring a variety of local reptiles and amphibians to show and share. These herps are sensitive indicator species and can tell us much about the health of our bosque ecosystems.

### **Stories That Float** **August 24 from 1 – 3 p.m.**

Like water, stories are fluid and flowing and connect us to many places. Susi Wolf uses the ancient art of story telling to teach about the elemental liquid that we all need to live, weaving together stories, music and puppets.

### **Nature Photography** **September 8 from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.**

This workshop is ideal for the novices interested in starting nature photography and those with experience who want a few extra tips. During the workshop, a friendly competition will also be presented for both novices and expert photographers.

### **Stargazing** **September 13 from 7 – 9 p.m.**

This event will start with an indoor, hands-on presentation followed by stargazing through large specialized telescopes with local astronomers from The Albuquerque Astronomical Society.

### **Nature Journaling** **October 5 from 9 – 11 a.m.**

Take the time to stop, really look at, smell and draw the flowers. Nature journaling aids in deeper observations and learning about the natural world and is a good practice for the professional or hobby naturalists. This workshop will offer easily applied techniques for journaling.

### **Fire and Clay** **Either October 5 from 1:30 – 4 p.m.**

Fire provides the heat energy to transform the world around us. Learn about the traditions of micaceous pottery from Dr. Kurt Anschuetz, and participate in an open air firing that transforms clay into beautiful bowls.

### **Wildlife Corridors** **October 12 from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.**

Wildlife corridors run through the urban maze of Albuquerque, providing vital passage for both large and small animals. Learn about some of the animals that also call Albuquerque home, and the research projects that provide insight into how these wild animals survive in and around our city.

### **Creepy Crawlies** **October 27 from 1 – 3 p.m.**

Get into the Halloween spirit by getting up close and personal with things that creep and crawl. The fascinating world of insects and other creepy crawlies will come alive in this program presented by staff and volunteers from the New Mexico Museum of Natural History & Science.

### **Art Show and Nature Photography Competition** **November 16 from 4 – 6 p.m.**

This culminating, festive event will feature the nature photography and art inspired through the Naturalist Series. Come and experience the creative expressions of nature through sights, sounds, labyrinths and stories.



## Special Events



### **Cesar Chavez Day of Service**

**April 5 from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. at Sanchez Farm Open Space**

The Recureda a Cesar Chavez Committee (RCCC) is organizing the 20th annual march on April 6 to and from the National Hispanic Cultural Center to educate the community about the life and work of the great American civil rights leader Cesar Chavez. The festivities will begin the day before, on April 5, with a Day of Service at Sanchez Farm Open Space. Hundreds of students will learn about Cesar Chavez's legacy and the importance of agriculture with hands-on activities and service projects. RCCC works with a number of partners including La Plazita Institute, Food Corps and Bernalillo County Open Space. To learn about the march or volunteer for the Day of Service, visit [www.cesarchaveznm.org](http://www.cesarchaveznm.org).

### **Families Exploring the Wonders of Nature**

**May 18 from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. at Bachechi Open Space**

Bernalillo County Open Space and The New Mexico Wonder of Learning Collaborative will be presenting a workshop geared for families that provides parents and guardians of young children with tools for deepening experiences in nature and fostering the desire to explore. This workshop is free and open to guardians and their children. Register at [www.bernco.gov/openspace](http://www.bernco.gov/openspace).

### **A Diamond on the Camino Real**

**August 10 at the Gutierrez-Hubbell House**

The Gutierrez-Hubbell House History and Cultural Center has a long history as a trading post, post office and community center for the Pajarito area along the Camino Real. Hubbell House Alliance and Bernalillo County Open Space will feature speakers who will present this historic site and its role on the trade route. Visitors will also have a chance to see the ongoing improvements at the property with the implementation of an Exhibit Master Plan including new interpretive signs, themed exhibits, and compound. The celebration will continue later in the evening with a festive farm-to-table dinner sponsored by the Hubbell House Alliance.

### **Annual Food Festival and Field Day**

**October 13 at the Gutierrez-Hubbell House**

This annual event is organized by the Mid-Region Council of Governments, Edible Santa Fe and local partners. Sponsored by Bernalillo County Open Space, the Food Festival and Field Day is free to the public and offers a wide variety of family fun activities. Visit [www.localfoodnm.org](http://www.localfoodnm.org) for more information and don't miss out on all the fun including:

- Fresh grown produce from local farmers
- Food and refreshments
- Fun for kids: face painting, seed spitting, farm animal and sack races
- Lecture series on backyard farming topics
- Food tasting prepared by local chefs
- Live music and entertainment
- Much, much more!

### **Dia Del Rio**

**October 19 from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. at Durand Open Space**

Join the City of Albuquerque Open Space Division and Bernalillo County Open Space for the annual volunteer event that celebrates the Rio Grande and its bosque. You and your family can help with a variety of projects including native shrub planting, trail work, and trash cleanup at Durand Open Space. Visit [www.cabq.gov/openspace](http://www.cabq.gov/openspace) for more information.



## Bernalillo County Open Space Partners

**Acequia Madre de San Antonio Community Ditch Association.** The Acequia Association is a key partner in managing Ojito de San Antonio Open Space. They oversee the acequia and work with BC Open Space on programming opportunities for youth and the general public.

**Alliance of Natural Resource Outreach and Service Programs (ANROSP).** ANROSP promotes awareness and citizen stewardship of natural resources and provides assistance to the BC Open Space's Master Naturalist program by offering resources, materials, advice, and opportunities. [www.nralliance.org](http://www.nralliance.org)

**Bernalillo County Agricultural Extension Office.** The Extension Office provides BC Open Space with technical advice and training on best land management practices. They are partners on the Backyard Farming Series, Food Festival and Field Day and Food for People initiative. Additionally, they manage the Gutierrez-Hubbell Fields and demonstration gardens. [www.bernalilloextension.nmsu.edu](http://www.bernalilloextension.nmsu.edu)

**Bosque Ecosystem Monitoring Program.** BC Open Space is a major sponsor of BEMP, a long-term ecological research program using volunteers to monitor key indicators of structural and functional changes in the Middle Rio Grande Bosque. BEMP assists BC Open Space with interpretive signs and materials, as well as educational events. [www.bosqueschool.org/bemp.htm](http://www.bosqueschool.org/bemp.htm)

**City of Albuquerque Open Space Division.** CABQ and BC Open Space partner on managing adjacent properties such as Bachechi Open Space and Alameda Open Space, as well as on select events such as Dia del Rio. [www.cabq.gov/openspace](http://www.cabq.gov/openspace)

**Ciudad Soil and Water Conservation District.** BC Open Space works with CSWCD to promote healthy forests and wildfire protection in the East Mountains through fuel thinning projects. A CSWCD representative also serves on the Master Naturalist Advisory Committee. [www.ciudadaswcd.org](http://www.ciudadaswcd.org)

**Cottonwood Gulch Foundation.** Representatives with the Cottonwood Gulch Foundation serve as caretakers for Bachechi Open Space and assist with program development at Bachechi. [www.cottonwoodgulch.org](http://www.cottonwoodgulch.org)

**East Mountain Historical Society.** BC Open Space works with the EMHS to develop interpretive materials. EMHS also assists with the East Mountain Interpretive Series. [www.eastmountainhistory.org](http://www.eastmountainhistory.org)

**Environmental Education Association of New Mexico.** BC Open Space is a member of EEANM. EEANM provides valuable educational resources and opportunities, and helps to promote Open Space events. [www.eeanm.org](http://www.eeanm.org)

**Hubbell House Alliance.** HHA is a not-for-profit organization that manages the Gutierrez-Hubbell House and property. HHA works with the BC Open Space to develop public events such as the Backyard Farming Series. [www.hubbellhousealliance.org](http://www.hubbellhousealliance.org)

**La Plazita Institute (LPI).** LPI manages Sanchez Farm Open Space in the South Valley and collaborates with BC Open Space on site enhancements and educational events for youth. [www.laplazitainstitute.org](http://www.laplazitainstitute.org)

**Middle Rio Grande Conservation District.** MRGCD oversees and manages the acequias throughout the Middle Rio Grande Valley. They provide technical assistance and scheduling for flood irrigating on Open Space properties, as well as assistance with interpretive signs and educational programs. [www.mrgcd.com](http://www.mrgcd.com)

**Mid-Region Council of Governments (MRCOG).** MRCOG organizes the annual Food Festival and Field Day at the Gutierrez-Hubbell House. They also provide networking and educational opportunities for sustainable agriculture practices. [www.mrcog-nm.gov](http://www.mrcog-nm.gov)

**Native Plant Society of New Mexico, Albuquerque Chapter.** The Native Plant Society assists the BC Open Space land health monitoring efforts as it pertains to vegetation studies and identification. They also help with interpretive materials and educational programming. [www.npsnm.unm.edu/albuq.html](http://www.npsnm.unm.edu/albuq.html)

**Pajarito Village Association.** PVA assists BC Open Space with site enhancements, interpretive signage, and educational programming at Pajarito Open Space. [www.svcna.org/pajaritovillage/index.html](http://www.svcna.org/pajaritovillage/index.html)

**Recureda a Cesar Chavez Committee.** RCCC educates youth and the community about the legacy, life and work of Cesar Chavez by promoting his universal values and timeless vision for a better world and engaging the community in the spirit of service. RCCC organizes the annual Cesar Chavez March and Day of Service.

**Rio Grande Nature Center State Park.** A RGNCSP representative sits on the Master Naturalist Advisory Committee and helps to advise and promote BC Open Space events and education outreach. [www.emnrd.state.nm.us/PRD/PGNC.htm](http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/PRD/PGNC.htm)

**RiverXchange.** RiverXchange is an experiential environmental education project that engages 5th graders in hands-on field experiences learning about river ecosystems, watersheds, stormwater and water quality issues in New Mexico, including on Open Space properties. [www.riverxchange.com](http://www.riverxchange.com)

**Roadrunner Food Bank.** The Roadrunner Food Bank is a not-for-profit food distribution center that feeds hungry people throughout New Mexico. BC Open Space and the BC Extension Office partner with the Roadrunner Food Bank on the Food for People initiative that provides fresh, organic produce grown at the Gutierrez-Hubbell agriculture fields to people in need. [www.rffb.org](http://www.rffb.org)

**State Forestry Division.** BC Open Space works with the New Mexico State Forestry Division to promote healthy forests in the East Mountains through hazardous fuels treatment projects. [www.nmforestry.com](http://www.nmforestry.com)

**The New Mexico Wonder of Learning Collaborative** is made up of several individuals and organizations throughout New Mexico that are planning the arrival of the traveling exhibit, The Wonder of Learning, from Reggio Emilia, Italy to Albuquerque in 2014. The Collaborative works with Bernalillo County Open Space to offer Families Exploring the Wonders of Nature workshops.

**U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services, Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program (USFWS).** The USFWS provides technical advice to improve wildlife habitat on Open Space and serves as a partner agency for the Master Naturalist Program. [www.fws.gov/partners](http://www.fws.gov/partners)

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