

*San Luis Valley*

# GRADUATES

## Class of 2024

### *Schedule of San Luis Valley Graduations*

#### **Alamosa**

May 25 • 9 a.m. • High School Stadium

#### **Antonito**

May 24 • 6 p.m. • High School Gym

#### **Byron Syring DELTA Center/ Monte Vista Online Academy**

May 11 • 10 a.m. • Jean Ritchey Central Auditorium

#### **Centauri**

May 25 • 10 a.m. • Centauri High School

#### **Centennial**

May 25 • 11 a.m. • High School Gym

#### **Center**

May 25 • 10 a.m. • Viking Gym

#### **Creede**

May 23 • 6 p.m. • High School Gym

#### **Crestone Charter**

May 17 • 2:30 p.m. • Crestone Charter School

#### **Del Norte**

May 25 • 2 p.m. • Upper Rio Grande School Gym

#### **Moffat**

May 18 • 3 p.m. • Moffat School Gym

#### **Monte Vista**

May 24 • 7 p.m. • High School Gym

#### **Mountain Valley**

May 18 • 10 a.m. • High School Gym

#### **Sanford**

May 24 • 7 p.m. • Sanford High School

#### **Sangre de Cristo**

May 24 • 6 p.m. • High School Gym

#### **Sargent**

May 20 • 7 p.m. • High School Gym

#### **Sierra Grande**

May 24 • 5 p.m. • High School Gym



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## Good Luck & Congratulations!

### Antonito High School



Kevyn Aragon



Darius Cisneros-Gomez



Karizma Gallegos



Luke Garcia



Zanita Garcia



Jasiah Jiron



Luz Elena Parra Ramirez



Annika Sisneros

**Graduation:**  
**May 26 • 6 p.m.**  
**Antonito High School**

*Class Colors:* Pink, Black & Metallic Silver

*Class Flower:* Lily & Baby Breath

*Class Song:* Pack my Hometown — Eli Winders

*Class Motto:* How lucky am I to have something that makes saying goodbye so hard. — Winnie the Pooh



# Byron Syring DELTA Center - MV Online Academy



Jacob Adams



Jayla Balderrama



Elizabeth Berlanga



Ender Cadnapaphornchai



Taegan Coleman



Paige Cordero



Laura (Jade) Davoudlarian



Diamond DeHerrera



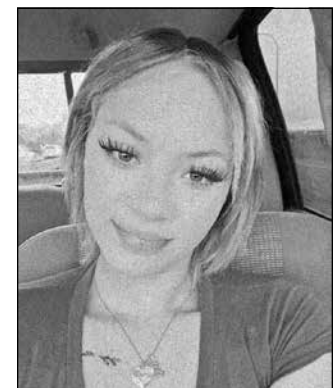
Alorah Duzenack



Osvaldo Galindo



Payton Garcia



Fantaysia George



Sean Gibson



Cyrus Guymon



Ryen Haas



Tristan James



Carson Klein



Jordan Leeson



Christopher Lopez



Ana Lamsargis



Leeann Manzanares



Ian Milian



Zaylee Samora



Hunter Sims



Alona Tafoya



Mikayla Torrence



Chanel Tucker



Christopher Valenzuela



Natalie Velazco



Mariekah Vigil



Camri Wolf



Dyana Zamarripa

**Not Pictured:**  
 Benigno Gallegos  
 Angel Garcia  
 Christopher Koehn  
 Eduardo Martinez-Figueroa  
 Hope Salazar

**Graduation:**  
**May 11 • 10 a.m.**  
**Jean Ritchey Central**  
**Auditorium**  
*Class Colors:* Delta-Black  
 OLA-Blue & White



# Centauri High School



**Kaleb J. Anderson**



**Logan T. Bagwell**



**Isaiah A. Baroz**



**Zachary J. Bechaver**



**Deven S. Brady**



**Taylor I. Bright**



**Nathaniel M. Casias**



**Andre Cervantez Maez**



**Leon A. Chacon**



**Aundre L. Chavez**



**Diego J. Chavez**



**Delainey O. Christensen**



**Taven B. Cornum**



**Colton D. Creery**



**Colby S. Crowther**



**Peyton K. Crowther**



**Kylie M. Dunnahoo**



**Allen J. Espinoza**



**Brandon D. Espinoza**



**Vaughn A. Fernelius**



**Mason T. Finehout**



**Zachery D. Gallardo**



**Cheyenne D. Garcia**



**Jalissa J. Garcia**



**Jordan M. Garcia**



**Mason Y. George**



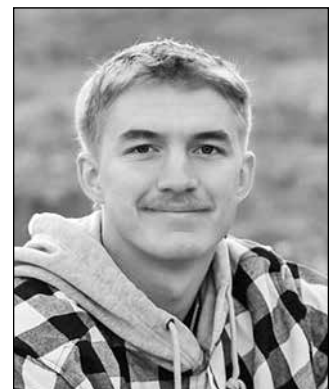
**Danessa G. Gonzales**



**Joshua C. Hanel**



**Diego M. Hernandez**



**Chaz M. Holman**



**Kaley M. Holman**



**Saige T. Hostetter**



**Rye J. Howsmon**



**Keegan B. Huffaker**



**Troy J. Huffaker**



**Jaelyn N. Jackson**

# Centauri High School



Tyson K. Jaramillo



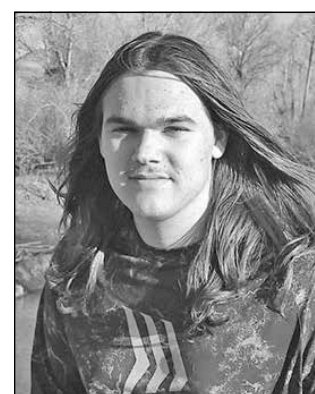
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Lacey A. Johnson



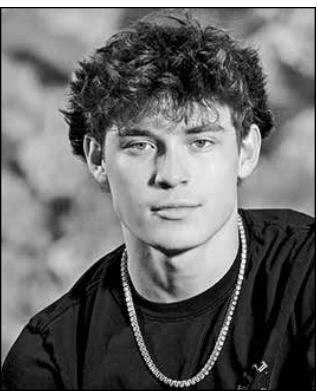
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Rodney J. Kirkgard



Faith L. Livingstone



Xavier G. Lopez



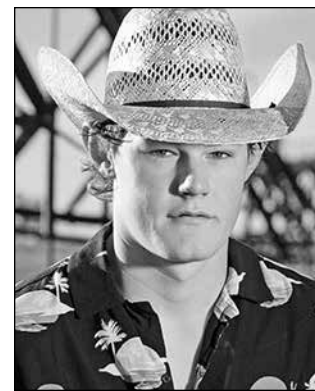
Kyanna M. Martinez



Addison N. McCarroll



Camry J. Miller



Skylar E. Montague



Tayden J. Montoya



Cody J. Mortensen



Julia Kae I. Patigdas



Joshua O. Polkowske



Kailyn L. Polzin



Kiara R. Quintana



Ayden O. Romero



Brena E. Roybal



Kallon K. Russell



Shania L. Sandoval



McKenzie J. Schneider



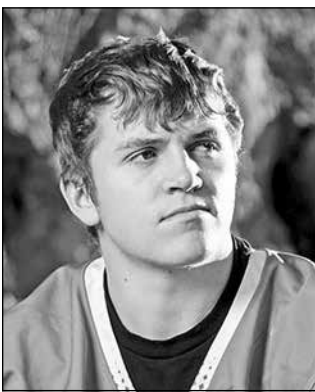
Clarissa J. Sisneros



Kaia E. Skadberg



Ayzlynn M. Sowards



Shelton P. Sowards



Richardson E. Tailleir



Corbyn D. Thomas



Anicia L. Valdez



Antonio A. Valdez Reyes



Riley C. Valdez



Camryn M. Wilfong



Honorary Graduate  
Logan Smith

***Graduation:***  
**May 25 • 10 a.m.**  
**Centauri High School**

*Class Colors:* Red & Black

*Class Flower:* Sunflower

*Class Song:* Party in the USA — Miley Cyrus

*Class Motto:* What's up brother! — Sketch

# Centennial High School



Samuel Aguilera



Anaela Benton



Manny Benton



Diego Franco



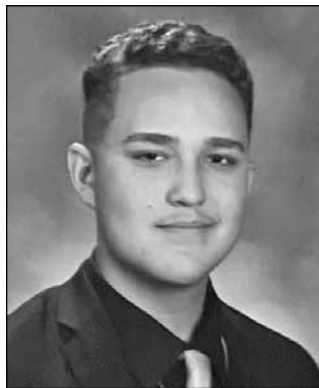
Alegria Gamboa



Enrique Molina



Martin Navarro-Pacheco



Romen Portillo



Cecilia Rael



Gisele Rael



Noemi Renteria



Jazmin Salcido



Steven Sanchez III



Rhylina Serna



Devon Vigil



Not Pictured:  
Dillan Alter

## Graduation: May 25 • 11 a.m. Centennial Gym

Class Colors: Red, Silver & Black

Class Flower: Red Rose & Sunflower

Class Song: Good Times Go By Too Fast — Dylan Scott

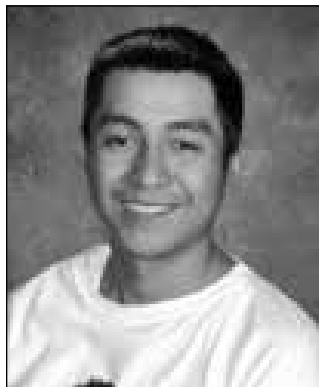
Class Motto: Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter, and those who matter don't mind — Dr. Seuss



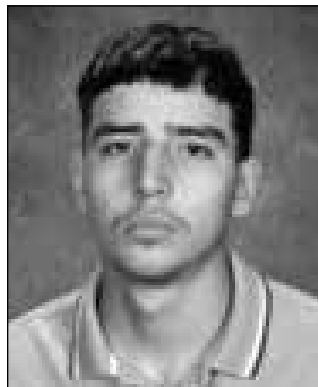
# Center High School



Jaime Aguilar



Rashawn Aguilar



Joub Apodaca Laguna



Alexa Bustamante



Leonardo Carrillo Majalca



Jordan Duran



Alanna Garcia



Arazeliz Garcia



Yanelli Garcia

## Let's Hear It for Our Graduates!

We're giving a big hand to the dedicated seniors who have worked so hard for this day. Their perseverance and accomplishments make us proud to be a part of this community. Keep up the great work, grads!



# CONGRATULATIONS

*Graduates*

## Congratulations, Class of 2024!

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# Center High School



Francisco Gregorio Gómez



Monserrat Gutierrez



Selah Harrington



Marcos Hernandez



Marissa Hernandez



Hayle Larimore



Jesenia Limon



Yulisa Maldonado



Cheyenne Martinez



Billy Martinez-Montoya



Kimberly Muro-Ornelas



Ciara Paiz



Javier Ramos-Baca



Alicia Rios



Cristian Roblero Santiz



Willa Seesz Sanchez



Devin Thompson



Shayla Thompson



Lorenzo Trujillo



Jesus Valadez-Feliz



Francisco Villa



Not Pictured:  
Juan Trejo-  
Chaparro

## Graduation: May 25 • 10 a.m.

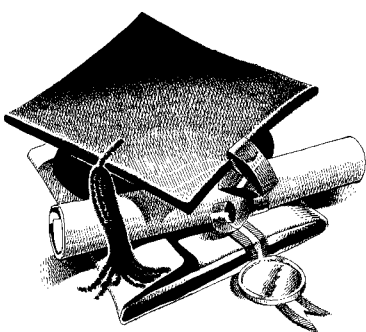
### Viking Gym

Class Colors: Blue & Silver

Class Flower: White Lily & Yellow Daisy

Class Song: I Lives — OneRepublic

Class Motto: See You Later Dudes



**Congratulations!**  
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now, graduates! Think  
big, work hard and enjoy  
your success.



# Creede High School



Hunter Harness



Garin Heinrich



Tiernan King



Lane Mitchell



Will Roden



Lyric Stecken

## Graduation:

**May 23 • 6 p.m.**

**Creede Gym**

Class Colors: Hawaiian Print

Class Flower: Savory Moroccan Jelquinium

Class Song: Toes — Zac Brown Band

Class Motto: What could possibly go wrong?




**Creede**  
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# Crestone Charter School



Haley VanWalleghan



Ziah Pesqueira

## Graduation:

**May 17 • :30 p.m.**

**Antonito High School**

Class Colors: Green, Black & Gold

Class Flower: Black Spider Lily

Class Song: Stayin' Alive — Bee Gees

Class Motto: Don't gain the world and loos your soul, wisdom is better than silver or gold. — Bob Marley



# Wishing You a Beautiful Graduation Day

Here's hoping everything comes up roses on your graduation day! May it be filled with happiness, friendship and plenty of fun.

## Congratulations to the Class of 2024!





# Del Norte High School



Nickolas Atencio



Autumn Becenti



Piper Cavaletto



Izabella Colonna



Juanito Dickson



Kaesyn Eagles



Colby Gandy



Joshua Gonzales



Lacey Gutierrez



Kayleigh Haynie



Zack Howell



Destiny LeBlanc



Analicia Ledford-Vigil



Chiara Lambardi



Ashlee Lovato



Peytin Neal



Keith Pierce



Blas Pinon



Marques Quintana



Zachary Romero



Lionel Suarez Jr.



Gage Trujillo



Craig Williams



Cody Worz



**Graduation:**  
**May 24 • 2 p.m.**  
**Upper Rio Grande Gym**

*Class Colors:* Peach & White

*Class Flower:* Azalea

*Class Song:* Sleep on the Floor — The Lumineers

*Class Motto:* People say nothing is impossible,  
but I do nothing every day. — Winnie the Pooh



**Three Cheers for  
the Class of 2024**

You did it! Years of hard work have led you to this day, and now is your moment to enjoy the accolades. We wish you all the best on your graduation day and in your future endeavors. Good luck, graduates.

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# You Have Arrived

**Congratulations on your graduation!**  
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## Del Norte Class of 2024



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# Moffat High School



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Caleb Boone



Austin Gardner



Leona Hastey



Jacob Martinez



Ivory McElhaney



Kadence McWilliams



Robert Morley



ShayArta Sidel



Marie Velazquez



Taylor Wallace



**Graduation:**  
**May 18 • 6 p.m.**  
**Moffat Gym**

Class Colors: **Green, Gold & Purple**

Class Flower: **Daisy**

Class Song: **Stand By Me — Ben E. King**

Class Motto: **When you're dead, you're dead but no so dead, if you contribute something. — John Dunsworth**

# Monte Vista High School



Todd Adams



Asia Alarid



Zariah Archuleta



Analicette Arroyo-Archuleta



Nevaeh Bacon



Aaylarhi Bate-Fichter



Shaina Baumgardner



Jeremiah Cale



Jose Castro Angulo



Celeste Chacon



Mika Chapa



Ernest Chiquito



Zakaria Defaye



Isis Delgado-Cervantes



Xavion Duran



Alycia Espinosa



Jacob Gallegos



Kayleigh Garcia

**Graduation:**  
**May 24 • 7 p.m.**  
**Monte Vista Gym**

Class Colors: **Lilac & Sage Green**

Class Song: **Life is a Highway — Flatts**

Class Motto: **Learn from yesterday, live for today, and dream for tomorrow. — Albert Einstein**

Class Flower: **Tulip**

# Monte Vista High School



Chloe Gerlach



Valerie Goodland



Nevaeh Guerrero



Francisco Martin Hernandez



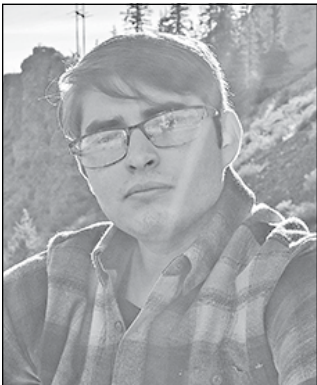
Stefanie Lopez



Magdalena Marrufo



Jaylah Martinez



Luke Martinez



Augustus Miller



Donovan Neal



Jack Noonan



Manuel Ochoa



Destiny Pacheco



Katie Pacheco



Sean Quintana



Alexia Rivera



Maria Rivera



Allesandra Rocha Avalos



Jordan Rockey



Makyla Salazar



Jasmine Samora



Sara Sarinana



Annika Schaak



Oakley Sisneros



Laura Story



Adrien Valdez



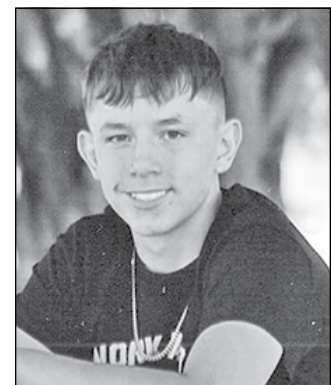
Angelina Vargas



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Cienna Villalobos



Ethan Wolfe



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Giovanni Gonzalez-Mascarenas



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Tristin Helmick



Nova McConnaughay



Mason Merritt-Armenta



Honey Sandoval



Klayt Staudt



Alexandria Tronquet

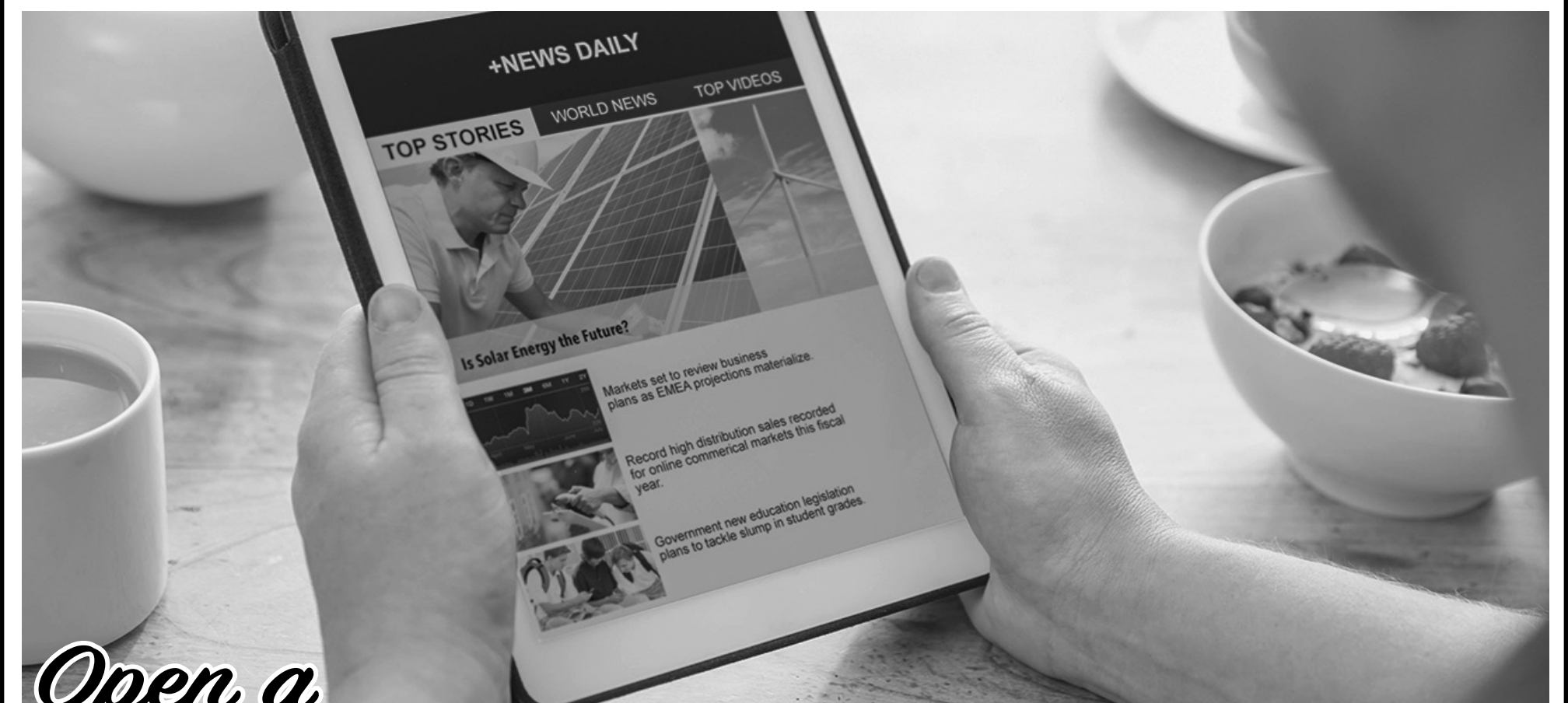
**Graduation:**  
**May 18 • 10 a.m.**  
**Mountain Valley Gym**

Class Colors: **Pink & Black**

Class Flower: **Tulip**

Class Song: **Good Ol' Days — Macklemore**

Class Motto: **The hardest battle you will face in life is to be no one but yourself in a world which is trying its hardest to make you like everybody else. — E.E. Cummings**



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Brecken Crowther



Cienna Daniels



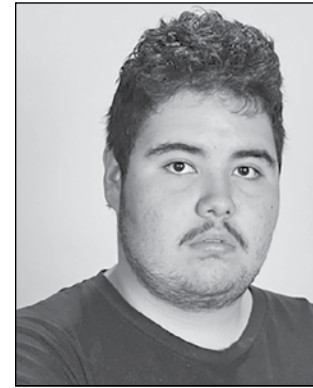
Ashley Dominguez-Gonzalez



Mercedes Dunn



Ashli Fairhurst



Demario Gomez-Sisneros



Emmit Larsen



Roj Larson



Sedona Larson



Isabelle Linares



Holly McDaniel



Rylee Price



Makan Quintana



Lincoln Reynolds



James Sanchez



Sarah Schwartz



Alex Sittler



Delton Soffel



Gregorio Slone



Jaimey Turner



Faith Westberg



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**Sanford High School**  
*Class Colors:* Purple & Forest Green  
*Class Flower:* Tequila Sunrise Rose  
*Class Song:* Senior Year — Drew Baldridge

**Class Motto:** It matters not what you are thought to be but what you are.  
 — Publilius Syrus

**SLVREC 2024 Scholarship Recipients:**

**SLV REC Adams State University Four-Year Scholarship:**  
 Ashley Dominguez, Sanford High School

**Martin Christensen Memorial Lineworker Scholarship:**  
 Joshua Holman, Sanford High School

**Michael Rierson Scholarship:**  
 Sienna Gallegos, Alamosa High School

**Robert Wolfe Scholarship:** Diego Chavez, Centauri High School

**SLVREC Past Director/Tri-State Scholarship:** Kaia Skadberg, Centauri High School

**SLVREC Past Retired GM Ray Villyard & CEO John Villyard/Tri-State Scholarship:**  
 Riley Valdez, Centauri High School

**SLVREC Dependent Scholarship:**  
 Mario Villalba, Alamosa High School

**Basin Electric Power Cooperative Scholarship:**  
 Antonio Reyes, Centauri



# Sangre de Cristo High School



LaKota Douglas



Palma Enriquez



Idahlia Garcia



Seanna Garcia



Jerrick Martinez



Sydney Mason



Isabella Rodriguez



Brenton Sierra



Bryanna Sierra



Kaiden Smit

***Graduation:***  
**May 24 • 6 p.m.**  
**Sangre de Cristo Gym**  
*Class Colors:* Lilac & White  
*Class Flower:* Purple Rose & Baby's Breath



## Seize the Day!

As you celebrate your graduation, we'd like to take a moment to express how proud we are of your hard work and achievement. We hope you will continue to aim high and reach for the stars. Your potential for success is limitless, and we wish you all the best in every future endeavor!

**Congratulations and warmest wishes to the Class of 2024!**

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# Sargent High School



Giovanni Aguilar



Bailey Asbell



Westen Burkhart



Rylee Echols



Annabelle Heineman



Brooke Hoffstaetter



Cayden Larimore



Hayden Lester



Azmarae Lister



Sydney Lorentzen



Trenton Lovelace



KayleeAnn Martinez



Trenton Paskett



Jesse Pescatore



Jaxon Ritchey



Lane Spearman



Garrett Thomson



Matthew Voss



Gracie Wilson



Corbyn Wright

## Graduation: May 24 • 7 p.m. Sargent Gym

Class Colors: Hot Pink & Gray

Class Flower: Pink Peonies

Class Song: Where the Wild Things Are — Luke Combs

Class Motto: I'm here for a good time, not here for a long time.



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# Sierra Grande High School



Josiah DeHerrera



Alexia Gonzalez



Alexis Johnson



Tyler Kester



Orlando Maes



Derek Martinez



Manuel Miranda



Brian Ontiveros



Jesus Reyes Renteria



NayLani Velasquez

***Graduation:***  
**May 24 • 5 p.m.**  
**Sierra Grande High School**

***Class Colors:*** Baby Pink, Light Gray, Black & White

***Class Flower:*** Magnolia

***Class Song:*** Rise Up — Andra Day

***Class Motto:*** We'll never be those kids again. — Frank Ocean

**Congratulations, Graduates!**

# Smart Move, Graduates!

**Your diploma opens the door to opportunity and success, and we are very proud of your achievement today.**

As you celebrate this milestone, please be smart about your safety and the safety of others. Drinking and driving can take away all of your future dreams in an instant. Never get in the car with a driver who has been drinking, and make sure the friends you love stay safe and sober behind the wheel.

