


# Notas Y Más

May 2018

Brief news items on upcoming community events.  
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or mail to: 922 San Pedro, San Antonio, TX 78212.  
**The deadline is the 8th of each month.**

 A nature tour on the 1-mile out-and-back trail of **Bulverde Oaks Nature Preserve**—at the NW corner of Judson Rd. & Loop 1604—is offered every 1st Saturday (**May 5th**) from 9am to 12pm by **Green Spaces Alliance** to see the rescue bee hives, bird blind, pollinator meadow, stock pond, wildlife and learn about land conservation. The guided tour begins about 9:15am. Pets are not allowed! **Reserve your spot at:** [greensatx.org/bulverde-oaks/](http://greensatx.org/bulverde-oaks/)


 The **37th Tejano Conjunto Festival** is scheduled for **May 16-20**. The **Seniors Conjunto Dance & Accordion Wars** takes place on **May 16th** 10am to noon, free, at the **Guadalupe Theater**, followed by the **Conjunto Hall of Fame Reception and Induction Ceremony** honoring conjunto legends on **May 17th** at 6 pm, also at the **Guadalupe Theater**. On **May 18, 19, & 20** Conjunto concerts and dancing reign at **Rosedale Park** with 3-day passes for \$30 Pre-Sale and \$40 after May 4th or \$15 per day. For scheduling go to: [www.guadalupe-culturalarts.org/tcfsa2017-schedule/](http://www.guadalupe-culturalarts.org/tcfsa2017-schedule/)

 **LULAC's State Convention, Honoring Our Tri-Centennial & LULAC's Progressive History** takes place in San Antonio on **May 31-June 3** at the historic **El Tropicano Hotel**, 110 Lexington in San Antonio. For information see: [www.texasstatelulac.com](http://www.texasstatelulac.com)

**The Story of El Laredito: Historical Re-enactment** by cultural anthropologist **Dr. Maria Citlali Zentella & Un Dia en El Mercado**, a culinary experience inspired by the **Chili Queens** takes place on **June 8th** from 6pm to 9 pm at **Centro Cultural Aztlán**, 1800 Fredericksburg. Free! Travel through time periods with a theatrical presentation and food tasting influenced by the new settlers through different generations. And on **July 13th**, **The Story of El Laredito: Visual Art Exhibition, Poetry, Music and Dance** by renowned local artists will take place at **Centro Cultural Aztlán** from 6-9PM. Call 210. 432.1896 or check: [www.centroaztlan.org/current-events](http://www.centroaztlan.org/current-events)

In commemoration of San Antonio's 300th anniversary, The Pearl will sponsor a workshop at **The Southwest School**

of Art, 300 Augusta St., on the tradition of creating **Cabezudos** and **Gigantes** that are used in Spain for festivals and celebrations. Taught by **Maestro David Ventura** and his wife **Neus Hosta**, the sessions on **June 18-22 & June 25-28** | 9am-3pm, are free. Pre-registration is required. Participants will learn how to create the giant heads from papier-mâché and plaster using mold forms. A celebratory parade will culminate the workshop on June 30 at The Pearl. Call 210.200.8227 or email [classregistration@swschool](mailto:classregistration@swschool) to pre-register. **Participants must attend all 9 sessions.**

 **The Other Side of the Alamo** will be on exhibit at **Galería Guadalupe**, 723 Brazos St., through **July 20th** featuring 26 artists and more than 40 works curated by **Ruben C. Cordova**, Ph.D. Selected Chicano/a artists counter the mainstream myths of the Alamo's iconic status through traditional and non-traditional artwork in a variety of media. M-F, 9am-5pm or weekends 11am-5pm. Free! See: [www.guadalupeculturalarts.org](http://www.guadalupeculturalarts.org)



The Society for the Study of Gloria E. Anzaldúa (SSGA) and Trinity University present:

## El Mundo Zurdo 2018: An international conference on

THE LIFE AND WORK OF GLORIA E. ANZALDUA

### Celebrating: BORDERLANDS/LA FRONTERA—1987-2017

a day and a half of transformative dialogue & synergy • **May 17 - May 19, 2018** • Trinity University, SA TX

For scholars, artists, writers, performers, community activists & gente inspired by Chicana feminist writer & cultural theorist, Gloria E. Anzaldúa.



**Opening plenary speaker**

**LINDA HEIDENREICH**  
Chicana historian, Dept. of Critical Culture, Gender, & Race Studies Associate Professor Ph.D., University of California, San Diego



**Closing plenary speaker**

**PAOLA BACCHETTA**  
Professor of Gender & Women's Studies and Vice Chair for Pedagogy, University of California, Berkeley



Celeste De Luna  
"Lotería Napanla"  
linocut print on paper 6"x9"

**Day Trip**

**El Retorno Symposium at UT - Rio Grande Valley**  
Wednesday May 16, 2018 • 5am Departure / 8pm Return

- Stop at Cemetery in Hargill, Texas to visit Gloria's grave
- Lunch and Program at El Retorno — UT-Río Grande
- Keynote Speaker: Dr. María Herrera Sobek

**Art exhibit**

**Shadow Beast: Creating Sin Vergüenza**  
Thursday, May 17, 2018 • 6pm  
Galería E.V.A. • 3412 S Flores St, SA, TX 78204

**Noche de Cultura**

**A celebration featuring music, poetry and more**  
Friday, May 18th • Evening following day sessions  
Esperanza Peace & Justice Center  
922 San Pedro Ave • San Antonio, TX 78212

For registration info contact Lois Garza at 210-999-7601 or [lgarza@trinity.edu](mailto:lgarza@trinity.edu). | Or visit the website at: [bit.ly/MundoZurdo2018](http://bit.ly/MundoZurdo2018)