Golfing at the Stadium
The NMSU Golf Course, in conjunction with the Sun Country PGA and area golf professionals, conducted free golf lessons during the first two home football games. The hitting bay was located at the northeast entrance of the stadium. The program was a huge hit, pun intended, and the Golf Course management is working out the details to continue this program at the remaining home football games.

Confucius Day
The Confucius Institute and the Honors Living Learning Community (LLC) collaborated to present an entertaining and educational Confucius Day event in the Corbett Center Student Union. Students were treated to traditional Chinese delicacies, learned some Chinese calligraphy characters, and participated in a Tai Chi demonstration. Approximately 35 students experienced pieces of Chinese culture in the company of three Faculty Fellows: Winnie Lee, Elvira Masson, and Tim Ketelaar. Olivia Riblett, the Honors LLC Resident Assistant who worked with the program, raved about her experience, saying, “It was so awesome! The Confucius institute and Tim made my life so easy! Everyone worked so hard and all the participants loved it!”

Popup Parties
Sodexo Dining Services is sponsoring Popup Parties in an effort to promote the variety of campus dining restaurants across campus. On Tuesday, October 2, the first Popup Party took place at the Subway in O’Donnell Hall. KRUX was present with music, students received free sandwich samples, and campus dining educational materials were available.

Around the Golf Course
The NMSU Golf Course is gearing up for the NMSU Aggies Men’s and Women’s Invitational golf tournaments. Teams from all across the country will visit our campus and compete for the title. The Women’s competition will be October 9th-12th and the Men’s will be October 16th and 17th. We encourage everyone to come out and support our golf teams.

New Rock Displays at the Alumni Visitor Center
The Structural Maintenance shop worked with Mr. Zuhl to install new rock displays in the Alumni Visitor Center. This work is part of the Visitor Center Addition. The crew fabricated and installed special hangars to support the pieces.

Custodial Professional Development
Custodial Management has revised the custodial cleaning training program to provide a consistent service for the campus. The training program is taught on campus by a representative from the Cleaning Supply Company. This training included carpet care, hard surface floor care, restroom disinfection, and general cleaning. A phased approach is being utilized to be able to provide training to our new custodians first then it will be offered to the remaining staff as refresher training.
Customer Service Training
Facilities and Services Administration provided customer service training to 14 new building monitors for the College of ACES. This training included entering customer requests, tracking work order performance, and developing personal queries for reviewing work performed in their assigned buildings. The training was requested by ACES to help ensure proper coordination of building activities and assign new building monitors.

ICT teams up with Housing and Residential Life
ICT Telecommunications Services and Housing and Residential Life are working together to provide wireless routers for wireless access to NMSU housing units located on the south side of campus that do not have fiber network access. Vista Del Monte, Cervantes, and Tom Fort Village areas have been converted from older wired routers to newer wireless routers. ICT is currently working on upgrading Sutherland Village.

NMSU’s Ericsson phone system replacement
The Ericsson phone system replacement, which was installed in 1992 has been completed. Originally slated for replacement in 2002, ICT was able to extend the systems useful life an additional 15 years. The project took the efforts of the entire ICT Telecommunications Services staff.