

The Coronado State Historic Site and Kuaua Pueblo

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New Mexico's first historic site shines a light on PUEBLO LIFE in centuries past. Explore the site of Kuaua Pueblo, founded around 1325 AD, and the history museum.

Be inspired by original fifteenth-century kiva murals recovered in the 1930s—among the finest PRE-COLUMBIAN ART ever recovered in the US—and see the reconstructed PAINTED KIVA.

Hear newly revealed evidence of CONFLICT at Kuaua between native people and the Coronado expedition.

Don't miss the SPECTACULAR VIEWS of the Rio Grande and Sandia Mountains from self-guided trails and ramada-covered PICNIC SITES.

Try your hand at other popular activities including BIRDWATCHING and the JUNIOR RANGER PROGRAM. Check out the unique southwestern and native-made items in our GIFT SHOP.



Plan Your Visit

The Coronado Historic Site is located at 485 Kuaua Road in Bernalillo, NM.

Hours: Thursday - Sunday, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Closed Monday - Wednesday
Days/hours subject to change — For the latest information,
Visit <http://nmhistoricsites.org/coronado> or call 505 867-5351

Directions: From I-25, Exit 242, then take US Highway 550 west 1.7 miles to Kuaua Road.

Admission: \$7.00 adult, children under 16 free. Free for all New Mexico residents the first Sunday of each month.



About the Friends of Coronado Historic Site

A dynamic and fun group, our more than 300 members support both the Coronado and Jemez State Historic Sites with financial assistance, volunteers, and legislative advocacy. We support ongoing efforts such as:

- Historic preservation and restoration
- Academic research grants
- A docent program
- School outreach
- Museum exhibits
- Sun Father's Gift Shop at the Coronado Historic Site
- Special events such as our fall Fiesta of Cultures in Bernalillo and the Light Among the Ruins holiday celebration in Jemez Springs.



Consider Becoming a Friend

As a member of the Friends of Coronado, your benefits will include:

- Free admission to both Coronado and Jemez Historic Sites
- Free monthly lecture series
- The opportunity to participate in hands-on research and community archaeological digs.

Plus, you'll have access to exclusive MEMBERS-ONLY ACTIVITIES such as guided field trips, craft workshops, behind-the-scenes museum visits and hikes to culturally significant sites. There may be a nominal charge for some activities. (Some activities are temporarily on hold due to COVID-19.)

To Join the Friends of Coronado or for More Information



Visit www.kuaua.org
Email friendsofchs@comcast.net or
Call 505 771-0416

Or, pick up a membership brochure at the Coronado or Jemez Historic Sites.

The Friends of Coronado is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.