

Art as a vessel for stories

Exhibition celebrates the work of Anthony Chee Emerson, a Diné artist from the Four Corners. **Page 5A**



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Mr. Know-It-All explains traffic circles and IDs the source of Farmington's church bell sounds. **Page 2A**

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Polar jet stream brings eight inches of snow to Farmington

Hazardous conditions close schools across San Juan County



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Winter geese bathe in the Animas River at Berg Park on Friday after an overnight snowfall.

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New Mexico swung from its hottest December on record to a snowpacked January, as a polar jet stream storm delivered up to 8 inches of snow in Farmington and blanketed the

state's mountains.

Aztec reported 3.7 inches and Cedar Hill 2.5 inches, according to Clay Anderson, a National Weather Service meteorologist in Albuquerque.

Schools across San Juan County closed because of hazardous conditions, and Farm-

ington police advised residents to stay home.

A social media post described Farmington roads as "hazardous" and urged residents to "stay home unless you absolutely need to be out."


Farmington Police Spokeswoman Shanice Gonzales said

there were no significant weather-caused traffic crashes.

The Farmington Electric Utility Service reported outages in at least nine areas.

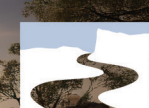
About 2,700 customers in Farmington, north of Aztec and

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