

encuentro

COMING TOGETHER

a Chicano / Appalachian Exchange

Wednesday, April 10: *Encuentro / Coming Together Gallery Exhibit Opens.* Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and during evening events. The Appalshop Center Gallery is open to the public free of charge. The exhibit will be on display through May 22nd.

Thursday, April 11: *Marlon Riggs' Ethnic Notions* video screening, part of the Southern Circuit Film and Video Artists Tour, 7:30 p.m. (Admission is free)

Friday, April 12: *Si Kahn* in concert with special guests Randy Wilson and Rich Kirby, a benefit for Kentuckians for the Commonwealth, 8 p.m. (Admission \$5)

Tuesday, April 16: *Daughters and Sons, Chicanos and Appalachians, An Exchange of Family Stories* with Ruby Nelda Perez of Los Actores de San Antonio, Beverly Sanchez Padilla, Angelyn DeBord and Kim Neal Cole of Roadside Theater, Blackey writers, and others. Sponsored by the Blackey Writers Guild. The program begins at 6:30 p.m. in the Blackey Public Library. (Admission is free)

Wednesday, April 17: *Gallery Exhibit Opening Reception* 6:00 p.m. (Admission is free)
Miners and Mining in Appalachia and the Southwest, a screening of Chicano and Appalachian films including Salt of the Earth, El Corrido de Juan Chacon, and excerpts from Headwaters' work-in-progress on the Pittston strike. Films will be presented by Beverly Sanchez Padilla of San Antonio and Anne Johnson and Buck Maggard of Headwaters Television. (Admission is free)

Thursday, April 18: *Music and Story Swap* featuring Clinchco and Clintwood senior citizens groups, Haysi High School drama class, Mountain People and Places, Roadside Theater, Francisco Gonzalez, Roberto Perales, and Ruby Nelda Perez. Clintwood, VA Elementary School at 7:30 p.m. (Admission is free)

Friday, April 19: *Encuentro Concert* featuring Valerio Longoria y su Conjunto, Francisco Gonzalez y su Conjunto, The Lee Sexton Band, and Etta Baker. 7:30 p.m. at Appalshop. (Admission \$5 adults, \$3 children and seniors)

Saturday, April 20: *Roadside Theater presents Mountain Tales and Music* with visiting artists. 2 p.m. at Appalshop, suitable for adults and youth ages 10 and older. (Admission adults \$3, children and seniors \$2)

Saturday, April 20: *Francisco Gonzalez y su Conjunto and Valerio Longoria y su Conjunto* in concert at the Down Home, Johnson City, TN, 9:00 p.m. (Admission \$8 at the door, call Down Home for details at 615-929-9822)

Please note: This schedule is subject to change. Please call Appalshop at (606) 633-0108 for current information.