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**CITY OF UKIAH CELEBRATES DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS WITH COMMUNITY FESTIVAL
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2025**

Ukiah, CA October 24, 2025. – The City of Ukiah invites the community to join in celebrating Día de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) with a vibrant and family-friendly event honoring the lives of loved ones who have passed. The celebration will take place on November 2nd from 11 am to 4 pm at Alex R. Thomas Plaza in Downtown Ukiah.

This annual event will share the rich traditions of Día de los Muertos through altars (ofrendas), music, dance, art, and food. Attendees can enjoy live performances, family-friendly activities, local artist, local booths from organization and non-profits, and local food vendors.

Community members are encouraged to participate by bringing photos of their loved ones for the community altar.

Participants of all ages are encouraged to dress in their best La Catrina or El Catrín attire—complete with elegant costumes and creative makeup—for a chance to win prizes. There will be a low rider and classic car showcase that will display decorated altars in the car trunks.

This event is free and open to the public, made possible by the City of Ukiah Recreation Department, Ukiah Vecinos en Acción, Community Foundation of Mendocino County, William Vainer, DDS, Periódico Al Punto, Blue Zones Project, Redwood Coast regional Center, Comfort Air, Community First Credit Union, Martha Molina Saucedo of Molina Tax Services and Dr. Marvin Trotter.

For more information, please contact the City of Ukiah Recreation Department at (707) 463-6231.



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