

January 2022



Slow Food® Santa Fe

Happy New Year! We hope to see you – in person! – soon.

Looking back on 2021

We hope many of you were able to join us for these exciting events but if not, here's a brief recap with links to recordings.

We had two wonderful **Conversations with Local Author** events. The first was with **Gina Rae La Cerva** in February talking about her adventures that led to writing her book *Feasting Wild: In Search of the Last Untamed Food*. The second was with **Liddie Martinez** in May talking about her book *The Chile Line: Historic Northern New Mexican Recipes* and foods traveling from Mexico to New Mexico up the Camino Real de Tierra Adentro.

In September, we enjoyed two local **Farm Tours**, visiting **Reunity Resources Farm**, a fabulous local Santa Fe farm practicing organic and regenerative agriculture, and **Green Tractor Farm** a multi-generational farming family in La Cienega.

We learned a lot in our webinar series **Getting to know our food system: from grower to eater and everything in between**. We started with **Healthy Soils and Farming** with panelists Christine Allday-Bondy, NM Healthy Soils Working Group and Juliana Ciano, Reunity Resources. Next in May was **Meat Raising and Processing** with Tommy Casados, C4Farms in Tierra Amarilla and Judith McGeary, Farm and Ranch Freedom Alliance and Council for Healthy Food Systems. In July we focused on **Supply Chain** issues with Jennifer Knapp, La Montañita Coop Food Market, Thomas Swendson, NM Harvest CSA and Michael Venticenque, NM Farmers' Marketing Association. And in September, a panel composed of A-dae Romero Briones, First Nations Development Institute, Clayton Brascoupé, Traditional Native American Farmers' Market Association, and Cliff Fragua, Jemez Pueblo farmer and artist, addressed **Food Justice, Food Sovereignty and Food Security**. Recordings to each of these webinars can be found [here](#). We concluded the series in November with a discussion of what this all means for us as eaters.

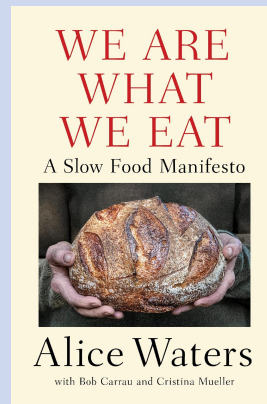
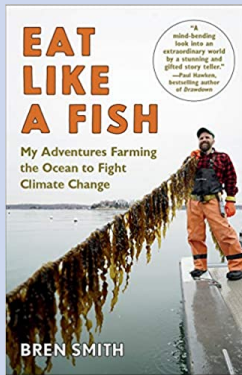
We read and discussed many interesting food-related books at our monthly **Dinner/Zoom and a Book** events, including David Chang's *Eat Like a Peach*, a memoir on James Beard (*The Man Who Ate Too Much*) and Gary Paul Nabhan's *Food from the Radical Center*, a positive prescription for healing our land and communities based on a common interest in producing healthy foods. You can download a list of all the books we've read over the years [here](#).

This was our first year on the radio with KSFR with our monthly radio show **Slow Food Santa Fe Out Loud**. We talked with many amazing guests, including Renée Fox and David Readyhough of Arable Restaurant in Santa Fe; Robert Egger, the originator of the Community Kitchen movement and Santa Fe's Food Security Advisor during the COVID-19 pandemic; and chef, author and Native foods historian Lois Ellen Frank. You can find links to all our shows [here](#).

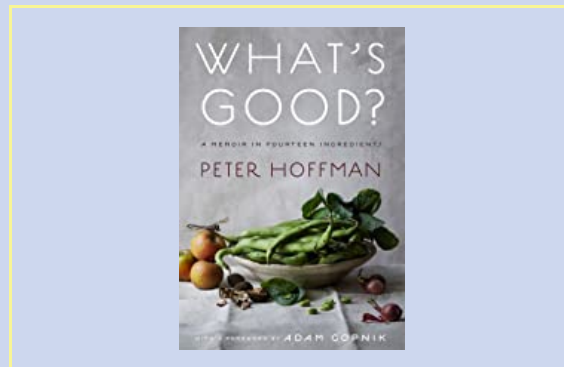
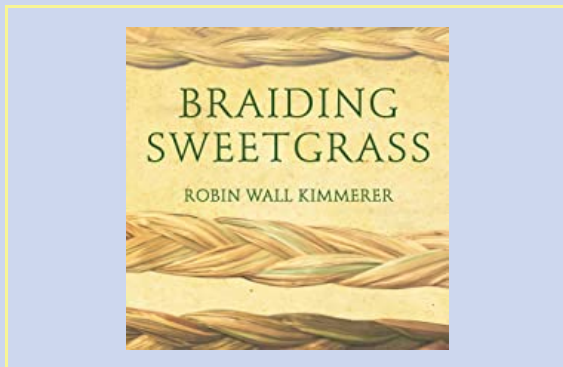
Looking Forward to 2022

We're still developing our plans for 2022 events. Here's what we know so far.

Dinner/Zoom and a Book 2022 Selections (except for January, dates tbd).



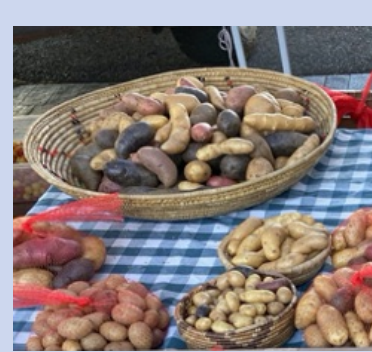
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For our first **Radio Show** of 2022, we talk with Slow Food USA. Tune in to hear about the national Slow Food organization, its plans for the coming year, and about New Mexico foods in the Slow Food Ark of Taste. **Slow Food Santa Fe Out Loud** is on the air the 1st Saturday of every month, 10-10:30 am, except for the January show which is on the 2nd Saturday.

Check out [what's in season](#) at the **Santa Fe Farmers' Market**





Best wishes for a Happy New Year from the Slow Food Santa Fe Executive Board!



Lissa Johnson and Nina Rosenberg at Reunity Resources Farm

Ellen Lampert with new grandbaby

Do you keep up to date with our Webpage and our Facebook page?

You can find all of our events as well as food-related local events and local links, at www.slowfoodsantafe.org.

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