



American Welding Society®

EL PASO SECTION

Friday January 23, 2026
Networking Opportunity

Lost Arts Forge and Metalwork
7340 Arroyo Seco, Las Cruces NM, 88011
(575)644-0658

Social, Demonstration, and Networking Event:
6:00 PM – 10:00PM

We will be grilling hamburgers and hotdogs, and will have the grill available if you would prefer to bring something else to cook up.

Please bring your beverage of choice and safety glasses if you have them.

Meeting Agenda:

- 1. Welcome and Introductions**
- 2. Student Chapter Formation Update**
- 3. Shop Tour and Machinery Demonstrations**
- 4. Open Die Power Hammer Forging Demo**
 - Large stock reduction with a 200-pound hammer
 - Forging a Chef's knife with an integral bolster
 - Forging Decorative iron work
- 5. Pattern Welded Steel Forge Welding Demo**
 - 200-pound Self-contained Hammer
 - 100-pound Mechanical Hammer
- 6. New Business**
- 7. Other**
- 8. Next Meeting**
- 9. Adjournment**