

Santa Ana Star Center

The Rio Rancho Events Center - recently renamed the Santa Ana Star Center - is nearing completion in the middle of the beautiful future downtown Rio Rancho.

This project was a joint venture between Bradbury Stamm and Hunt Building Group. Hunt is well known for their stadium and arena experience, but knew that they needed someone on board who knew the New Mexico market as could assist with providing the needed field personnel. A joint venture was created with Hunt provided the office and management support and Bradbury Stamm providing the onsite supervision.

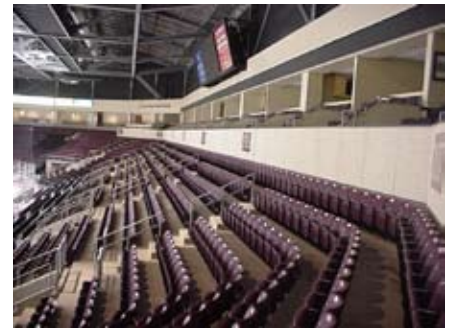
The project was complicated by the fact that it is the cornerstone of the future Rio Rancho. When construction began there were no utilities / roads to the site. In addition the site required an extension retaining wall which dictated the schedule and sequencing for the project.

With venues of this type there are many different vendors involved, from the seating, the ice making system, all of the concession areas that require a great deal of coordination.

We are all looking forward to enjoying a game in the Center this winter!

Interesting note:

The New Mexico Scorpions will be playing in the Santa Ana Event Center, but have found their home to be Tingley Coliseum in Albuquerque. A structure that was originally built back in 1957 by Bradbury Stamm. We are proud to be construction another great long-term venue for central New Mexico.



Location..... Rio Rancho, NM
 OwnerCity of Rio Rancho
 Architect.....Sink Combs Dethlefs
 Size158,700 sf
 Cost.....\$31M
 Completed.....October 2006