

HAPPENINGS

SEPTEMBER

MONDAY - 11

CAMPUS CENTER MOVIE, *FLIGHT 93*, FROM 10 A.M. TO 6 P.M.

TUESDAY - 12

CSEA MEETING AT 12 P.M. IN CAMPUS CENTER EAST WING

WEDNESDAY - 13

LUSA TACO SALE 10 A.M. TO 1 P.M. IN CAMPUS CENTER QUAD

THURSDAY - 14

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL VS. EL CAMINO AT 5 P.M. IN GYM

FRIDAY - 15

"HOW STUDENTS LEARN" CONFERENCE AT 8 A.M. IN CAMPUS CENTER EAST WING

SATURDAY - 16

FOOTBALL VS. SANTA MONICA AT 7 P.M. IN STADIUM

BRN APPROVES STEP UP GRANT

The Board of Registered Nursing has approved the \$500,000 RN Step Up Grant that was issued to Citrus College by the Chancellor's Office. Look for more information in a future Weekly Bulletin.

GOT CITRUS NEWS?

We want to hear from you. E-mail Citrus-related information to Stacy Quillen at squillen@citruscollege.edu The Weekly Bulletin is distributed to all faculty and staff via campus e-mail. To view past issues of the Weekly Bulletin, please visit (and bookmark): <http://www.citruscollege.edu/pio/campusnews.htm>

Deans, Directors & Staff Work on Banner

Last week, 40 deans, directors and staff members entered 1045 courses into the new Banner system. Irene Malmgren, vice president of instruction, extended her thanks to each participant. "My thanks to each of you who sat and entered course outline data, undeterred by technical problems or decision points addressed on the fly. The energy, determination and sense of "team" was tremendous," she said.



Entering courses into the Banner catalog module is significant because it drives many other processes, like creating a course schedule and hiring faculty to teach courses.

A Taste of Autumn Update: Support Our Student & Academic Programs

If you are looking for a great opportunity to raise supplemental funds for your program, here's something worth considering: participate in the silent auction at A Taste of Autumn. Simply bring us an item (or items) or a gift basket valued at \$150 or more and your program will receive 100% of the proceeds! Unique, one-of-a-kind items are popular sellers. The Citrus Alumni Association implemented this idea for its last three events and has raised over \$6,000. For details, contact the Foundation Office at extension 8825. Don't delay; all items must be received by the Foundation on or before October 2 to be included in the silent auction.

The Foundation welcomes all donations for the Silent Auction whether they are designated to support a specific program or, as always, for the general scholarship fund.

Professional Development Opportunities

Throughout the year, Instruction will be presenting a series of Professional Development workshops for Citrus College faculty, instructional deans and directors. This engaging and meaningful series of seminars and courses is designed to ensure student success. The first of these seminars, entitled "Learning About How Students Learn," will be presented on September 15 and September 29 in the East Wing of the Citrus College Campus Center. These two, one-day seminars will focus on the process of collegial collaboration toward establishing student learning outcomes and assessment. The instructors will be Norena Badway, Ph.D. and Gladys L. Barnard, Ph.D. All faculty and instructional deans and directors should consider attending. For more information, call ext. 8700.



Bookstore Employee Helps Build Labor Coalition

Michael Billbrey, bookstore operations coordinator, has been on release from Citrus College since April. Although he has not been in the Owl Bookshop, the administrator of the Los Angeles Chapter 500 of the CSEA has been extremely busy. Michael is in charge of a CSEA chapter with a potential for 7000 members. Over the past several months, he has been building the chapter and putting a team in place. In fact, they just reached a tentative agreement for the 2005-2006 year. In addition, Michael has been working on coordinating bargaining with 8 additional unions within the Los Angeles Unified School District on Health and Welfare for the 2006-2007 year. He was instrumental in building the LAUSD labor coalition and is a liaison with Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa's office, working with 3 deputy mayors on education issues as well as AB1381, the mayoral take-over legislation. Michael will be returning to Citrus in January and says he "misses Citrus and looks forward to coming back."



New Law Prohibits College Media Censorship

Last month, Governor Schwarzenegger signed legislation that protects student freedom of speech. "Freedom of speech is the cornerstone of our democracy," he said in a press release. "Students working on college newspapers deserve the same rights afforded to every other student journalist."

The bill is in response to a case ruled on by the Seventh Circuit Court in which a dean at an Illinois university halted the printing of a student article that was critical of the university's administration. The ruling extends the same protections from censorship to the student presses at the collegiate level as is provided to California high school student newspapers.

California is the first state in the nation to specifically prohibit censorship of college student newspapers. The bill passed the state Senate by a 31-2 vote on August 10 and was unanimously approved by the California Assembly. It will take effect January 1, 2007.

Reminder: BOT Meeting To Be Held This Week

The Citrus Community College District Board of Trustees will be holding their regular meeting on Tuesday, September 12. The meeting will begin at 4:15 in the Administration Building Board Room.

Citrus College to Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month

Michelle Serros, author of *Honey Blonde Chica*, a



young adult novel set in Southern California, will be speaking in the Citrus College campus center on Tuesday, September 26 at 11 a.m. The award-winning author and poet, who was named by Newsweek as

"one of the top young women to watch for in the new century," is being presented in celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month by Extended Opportunities Programs & Services, the Latina Leadership Network, the Office of the President, Student Affairs, and the Title V HSI Solo grant. For more information, call ext. 8555.

Stuffed Owl Cafe Menu

Monday

- Teriyaki Beef for \$5.50
- Turkey Loaf for \$5.50
- Corn Beef and Cabbage for \$5.50

Tuesday

- Oven Roasted Turkey for \$5.50
- Veal Parmesan for \$5.50
- Maryland Crab Cakes for \$5.00

Wednesday

- London Broil for \$5.50
- Stuffed Chicken Breast for \$5.50
- Macaroni and Cheese for \$5.00

Thursday

- Roasted Stuffed Pork Loin for \$5.50
- Curried Beef over Steam Rice for \$5.50
- Patty Melt for \$5.00

Friday

- Chef Special

Daily breakfast and lunch specials are also available. For more information, visit the Stuffed Owl Cafe.