

HAPPENINGS

JANUARY

MONDAY - 15

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.

HOLIDAY

TUESDAY - 16

TECH REVIEW MEETING FROM 11 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M. IN FP 100

WEDNESDAY - 17

N.O.W. PIZZA AND SODA SALE FROM 10 A.M. TO 2 P.M. IN CAMPUS CENTER MALL

THURSDAY - 18

LATINA LEADERSHIP NETWORK MEETING FROM 12 TO 1 P.M. IN THE FACULTY/STAFF LOUNGE.

FRIDAY - 19

GRANT PLANNING MEETING FROM 2 P.M. TO 4 P.M. IN LIBRARY FISHBOWL

FEDERAL MILEAGE RATE

The federal mileage rate for the District effective January 1, 2007 is 48.5 cents. This is an increase from 44.5 cents in 2006. Please remember to calculate the new rate when submitting mileage claims.

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>

Campus Fire Alarm Replacements

Beginning Monday, January 14, Facilities will begin replacing building fire alarm systems across the campus. Most of this work will be done at night and in the early morning hours. A tentative schedule showing when the work will take place in each building will be posted online at www.citruscollege.edu/facilities. It is recommended that staff secure all personal and sensitive items prior to the time when work will be done in their building. "The contractor is bound to leave some evidence of his night's work behind, and I would like everyone to be aware of what's going on," said Michael Harrington, director of facilities and construction.



The Campus Fight Against SPAM

During the winter break, new filters designed to block SPAM were installed on the campus computer servers. These new filters are focused on the problem area of image SPAM. This new filter has been very effective in blocking a large amount of image SPAM, which has included pharmacy and Viagra messages. However, the filter has also caused a fair number of legitimate e-mails, which may include signature or background images, to be blocked.

In order to help alleviate the problem of unwanted blockages, a new feature called "challenge e-mail" will be implemented. If a message is considered SPAM, the server will automatically send a challenge message back to the sender. The message will explain the reason for the challenge, and request a simple "REPLY" to verify the authenticity of the sending e-mail address. Once this reply is received by the campus server, the sender will no longer be blocked by the filter. If you have any questions or comments, please call Leigh Buchwald at ext. 8810.

Earn a bachelor's degree at Citrus College

Earn a bachelor's degree from California State University Long Beach (CSULB) without leaving Citrus College. Citrus is developing a new program in which students, faculty and staff can earn a Bachelor of Science in Occupational Studies from CSULB by taking classes on the community college's Glendora campus. An orientation meeting will be held Monday, February 26 at 5 p.m. in the Citrus College faculty lounge. Those interested in participating in the program, or who would simply like to learn more about CSULB, are invited to attend. As part of the proposed program, Citrus College will offer five 400-level undergraduate CSULB classes on campus, the first of which are planned to be offered in the summer. The web address published in last week's bulletin was inoperable. The correct web address is www.csulb.edu/prof. For more information about the Baccalaureate Degree Classes at Citrus College, or to RSVP for the orientation, call (626) 914-8700.



AD Board, Conference Room Reservations

If you are interested in reserving AD 202, the Administration Building Board Room, or AD 206, the Administration Building Conference Room, the new contact person is Pam Sewell. She can be reached at ext. 8821.

Faculty Member Earns Ph.D

Congratulations to Scott Mondrala, biology instructor, for successfully defending his dissertation last month. The title of his dissertation is, "Mechanistic Studies Into the Inhibition of Topoisomerase II by Benzene Metabolites and Other Polyphenolic Compounds." His research focused on elucidating potential mechanisms through which benzene, a common industrial solvent, induces leukemia. He officially graduated from the program at the end of the fall 2006 quarter.



STD Testing, Treatment Available in Health Center

Teachers, please inform your students that the Student Health Center offers free STD testing, and treatment for positive results. For more information, call Shauna Bigby at ext. 8635.

Saturday Series for Kids: A Kid's Life

Bring your little ones to a heart-warming musical filled with upbeat music, dazzling dance, and colorful characters. The Haugh Performing Arts Center's Saturday Series for Kids is presenting, "A Kid's Life," the story of a fun-loving 5-year-old and his dog exploring their hometown. General admission tickets are \$6. Performances are at 1:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, January 20. For more information, call (626) 852-8046.



Intercampus Athletic Events

Are you a Citrus College employee and tend to have a competitive side or are you known as a trash talker? Then please join us for spring intramurals! We will be playing flag football, half-court basketball, indoor volleyball, and inner-tube waterpolo. Teams will be comprised of 6 or 7 related individuals who must be classified, faculty and/or management. The teams also must be co-ed; must compete in all four events; and must pay \$20 per person to compete. You will be assigned a team color and are encouraged to think of a creative team name. Individual event and over-all tournament winner prizes will be awarded. If you can't make your own team, you can enter yourself as an individual and a team will be found for you. Additional information can be found on the Spring Intercampus Athletic Events flyer that was distributed last week. For more information, call ext. 8636. All funds raised by the events will go toward student scholarships.

Stuffed Owl Cafe Menu

Monday

- Martin Luther King Day -- Campus Closed

Tuesday

- Oven Roasted Turkey for \$5.50
- Shepard's Pie for \$5.00

Wednesday

- English Meatloaf for \$5.00
- Linguini with Alfredo Sauce for \$5.00

Thursday

- Chicken Pot Pie for \$5.50
- Cheese Enchiladas for \$5.00

Friday

- Chef Special

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