

Happenings

MARCH

STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING

The Steering Committee will meet Monday, March 12, 2012 at 2:45 p.m. in the Center for Innovation Community Room.

PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL MEETING

The President's Council will meet Wednesday, March 14 at 8:30 a.m. in SS 205.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES' MEETING

The next meeting of the Board of Trustees is Tuesday, March 6 at 4:15 p.m. in CI 159

ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION

The annual Citrus College St. Patrick's Day Celebration will be held on the patio of the Owl Cafe on Thursday, March 15 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Sabbatical Forum

The Academic Senate and Office of Academic Affairs are hosting a college-wide sabbatical forum Thurs. **March 22 from 2:40 to 4:00 p.m.** in the Louis E. Zellers Center for Innovation, Room 159. Help celebrate Dr. Dana Hester's research on recruitment, retention and success of STEM majors, and see Dr. Dave Kary's presentation on learning and developing online skills and resources for astronomy classes by attending this informative event.



Citrus Sports Briefs

The No. 1 seeded Citrus College men's basketball post-season run continues. The team advanced to the State Final Four with a 94-88 win over San Bernardino Valley College on Saturday. Good luck to the Owls in the playoffs! Baseball season is underway with the Citrus College baseball team squaring off against Mission College in a divisional home game on March 6, a road game vs. West L.A. on March 8, and another home game against Bakersfield on Saturday, March 10.

All College Fire Drill

The college has planned a college-wide fire drill on **March 14 from 8 a.m. to noon.** Prior to this date, all faculty are encouraged to review evacuation procedures with their classes that meet within that period of time. Emergency flip charts should be posted in all classrooms. The goal is to train all students in the proper evacuation protocol and to practice the actual drill on various buildings on campus. College wide participation is a critical component of the emergency plan. If you have questions, please contact a member of the Planning Team for clarification. Emergency procedures can be accessed online at www.citruscollege.edu/emergency.

Spring Mini Grants Available from the Foundation

The Citrus College Foundation has developed a new process for applying for funding. The process allows for the review of all submitted requests at one time each semester, making the process equitable for all applicants. Requests for spring 2012 funding are due to the Foundation Office by **March 15, 2012.** Your supervisor/dean and vice president must approve these requests. The Foundation Board of Directors will not consider requests for on-going or recurring expenses, stipends, staff, staff training or professional development. The application is available online. Please call (626) 914-8825. <http://www.citruscollege.edu/foundation/Documents/GrantApplication.pdf>

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Leadership Academy

A kick-off event for the new Leadership Academy is scheduled for **March 14 at 3 p.m.** in the Campus Center East Wing. Dana Yarbrough, a second year Azusa Pacific University graduate student and Brian Lawrence, also an A.P.U. graduate student from Monrovia, have been working with Adrienne Thompson on the Leadership Academy since December of 2010. The entire Citrus College community is invited to get involved in developing future leadership workshops for students. For more information contact Adrienne Thompson at the Student Affairs Office (626) 914-8603.

The Citrus College Ceramics 'Empty Bowls Project'

Citrus College, in conjunction with the Fine Arts Program and the ceramics class students, will help feed the homeless as part of a benefit soup supper, the "Empty Bowls Project." The event is scheduled for **Friday March 9, 2012 from 5-8 p.m.** at First Christian Church, 300 N. Glendora Ave. A \$15 donation includes a handmade ceramic bowl and a delicious soup supper. For more information contact Mike Hillman x 8661.

Road Construction Continues

The City of Azusa has begun making traffic signal improvements as part of the mitigation measures for the Rosedale development project. This may impact the traffic flow near Citrus College. The improvements include a modification of the traffic signal at Alostia Avenue and Citrus Avenue; the bulk of the work will take place between March 22 and April 25. For continuing traffic and project updates, visit the City of Azusa web site <http://www.ci.azusa.ca.us/DocumentView.aspx?DID=2986>



Cinderella at the Haugh Performing Arts Center

In this all-new musical, Cinderella and her good friend, Mortimer Mouse, sing and dance their way from the kitchen of her stepmother's house to the brilliance of Prince Charming's magical ball. In the American Family Theater's series for kids, all the classic characters return including the handsome prince, the evil stepmother, snippy stepsisters, and poor Cinderella. Performances are scheduled for **Saturday, March 10, 2012 at 1:30 and 3:30 p.m.** Tickets are \$6.



Library Show Reception

The Hayden Memorial Library will display images and artifacts from local archive collections in the upcoming weeks, featuring digital reproductions of photos of life at Citrus College throughout its 97-year history. More than 100 photographs, audio tapes, photo slides, and memorabilia will be on exhibit to illustrate the college's rich and storied history. The Digital Art Gallery Show is running through March 29 with a reception to be held **Thursday, March 8 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.** For more information, contact the library at 626-914-8640 or library@citruscollege.edu

Citrus People

Achievements

- Congratulations to Citrus College student Sarah Gleason. Sarah was recently named "Miss Covina" for 2012.
- Five photography students are finalists in "The Best of of College Photography 2012" competition. Congratulations to Anthony Vidales, Katy Pace, Juliana Horejsi, Kelly Donnell and Ricky Lin.
- Congratulations to Dr. Eric Rabitoy, whose article "Effects of SI Variables on Academic Achievement," will be published in the Journal of Applied Research in the Community College in fall 2012.