



LAVC College Bulletin *August 30-September 5, 2009*

This Week's News & Events



Welcome Back! Fall 2009 Semester Starts on August 31.

LAVC will have information kiosks and parking lot attendants available during the first two weeks of the Fall 2009 Semester to help students find their way around campus. The Office of Student Outreach and Recruitment will provide information kiosks in high traffic locations on campus from August 31-September 11. The kiosks are designed to provide students with assistance, directions and to help them feel connected and welcome to the LAVC campus. ***The campus information kiosks will be open Mondays-Thursdays from 7:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m. and 5:15-7:15 p.m., and on Fridays from 7:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m.*** LAVC has also hired temporary parking attendants to direct students to open student parking lots during the first two weeks of the semester. ***The parking attendants will be stationed in all student parking lots, and will be on campus from August 31-September 11 on Mondays-Thursdays from 7:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. and 5:30-10:30 p.m.***



Attention Faculty! Notification of Procedure for Filing Applications for

Advancement in Rank

The filing period for advancement in academic rank for Spring 2010 will begin on Monday, August 31, 2009 at 9 a.m. and conclude on Friday, October 9, 2009 at 12 noon. Applications will be available beginning on Monday, August 31 at 9 a.m. and conclude on Friday, September 25 at 12 noon. The final date to return an application for advancement in rank will be Friday, October 9 at 12 noon. Interested faculty should contact Kathy Snider, chair of the Academic Rank Committee, at sniderke@lavc.edu or (818) 947-2834.



Walk-In Registration Continues in Campus Center

Walk-in registration for the Fall 2009 Semester will continue in the Campus Center Building from now-Saturday, September 12. The LAVC Admissions Office, Counseling Office, Business Office and Financial Aid have temporarily relocated to provide students with a one-stop registration area for Fall 2009 classes. **Walk-in registration hours will be as follows: Mondays-Thursdays from 8 a.m.-8 p.m., Fridays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. and Saturdays (only on August 29 and September 12) from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.** For more information regarding walk-in registration, contact Admissions & Records at (818) 947-2553.



Associated Student Union to Host Welcome Week 2009

The LAVC Associated Student Union (ASU) will host Welcome Week activities for incoming and returning student during the first week of school. On **Monday, August 31 and Tuesday, September 1, the ASU will hold a free BBQ for students (with drinks for sale for only \$1) from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. in Monarch Square.** On **Wednesday, September 2 and Thursday, September 3, it will have raffle prizes and giveaways for students from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. in Monarch Square.** All students are invited to **come and meet the ASU officers between Monday, August 31-Thursday, September 3 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. in Monarch Square.** ASU officers will be on hand to provide information about the ASU, and students can find out about how to become more involved on campus. For more information about the ASU, please visit www.lavc.edu/ASU.



Want to be Notified in Case of a Campus Emergency? Sign Up for AlertU

LAVC has adopted a new alert notification system called AlertU to communicate critical information during campus emergencies. **During an emergency, AlertU will allow college administrators to send a SMS (text) message to provide subscribers with important updates and news related to the college in the event of an emergency.** Students, faculty and staff can now sign up on the LAVC Web site to receive these emergency alerts from the college. Family and friends can also sign up to receive these alerts. To sign up, visit www.lavc.edu/facultylinks.html for the AlertU widget and fill in your phone number.



LACCD Offers Students with Opportunities for Paid Internships

Are your students looking for a paid internship? *The LACCD Interns program offers students the opportunity for a paid internship in professional offices, with flexible hours to accommodate student schedules.* Visit www.laccdinterns.org for a list of available internships. Students interested in the intern program are required to complete an online application, complete an online resume, and obtain a faculty referral. If you have any questions or concerns, or wish to schedule a class/department presentation, contact Kaisha Jones at (213) 996-2533 or at Kaisha.Jones@build-LACCD.org.



Check out the new 2009-2010 LAVC Arts Season Calendar!

Have you ever wanted to attend a concert, performance or exhibition at LAVC? The LAVC Arts Calendar for the 2009-2010 season is now available online! *The LAVC Art, Dance, Music, and Theater Art programs offers a variety of events throughout the year that are open to the public. The calendar is available at* <http://www.lavc.edu/defaultdocs/Arts%20Calendar%202009.pdf>. For more information regarding the fine and performing arts academic programs and events at LAVC, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/arts/>.

Additional news items are posted at www.lavc.edu/campusnews/index.html.

LAVC in the News



August 20, 2009

Wieder tapped to be the interim head of LACCD

Former L.A. Valley College President Tyree Wieder was named as the temporary chancellor to the nine-college Los Angeles Community College District. Wieder, who retired last summer after 14 years as president of the Valley Glen campus, was appointed to succeed Chancellor Marshall "Mark" Drummond. To read the entire article, visit http://www.dailynews.com/search/ci_13173223?IADID=Search-www.dailynews.com-www.dailynews.com.

August 20, 2009

Wieder Named Interim Chancellor

The Los Angeles Community College District Board of Trustees selected Tyree Wieder as interim Chancellor of the college district. She will take over operations while a nationwide search for a permanent replacement of former chancellor Marshall E. Drummond is completed. To read the entire article, visit <http://www.sfvbj.com/article.asp?aID=36703498.24179202.1819623.2848343.6092234.098&aID2=139962>.

Please Announce to All Students

The following are important campus announcements for your students:

- **Welcome Back to LAVC!** The LAVC Associated Student Union (ASU) will host Welcome Week activities for incoming and returning student during the first week of school. There will be a free BBQ for students (with drinks for sale for only \$1) from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. in Monarch Square on Monday, August 31 and Tuesday, September 1. Come on out on Wednesday, September 2 and Thursday, September 3 for raffle prizes and free giveaways for students from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. in Monarch Square. You're invited to meet the ASU officers, and learn how they can become more involved on campus. From Monday, August 31-Thursday, September 3 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., the ASU officers will be in Monarch Square to provide information about ASU and ASU fees. For more information about the ASU, please visit www.lavc.edu/ASU.
- **EOPS/CARE is No Longer Accepting Applications for Fall 2009!** Due to the state budget cuts, the EOPS/CARE program was only able to admit 300 new students on a first-come, first-served basis. If you are interested in applying to the EOPS/CARE program for the Spring 2010 semester, please check with the EOPS/CARE Office in January 2010. EOPS/CARE provides textbook vouchers, academic, career and personal counseling, tutoring, progress monitoring, priority registration, child care-related grants (must be eligible for CARE), and much more! To be eligible, students must be low-income and educationally disadvantaged. For more information, visit the EOPS Office in Campus Center 116, or call (818) 947-2432 or visit www.lavc.edu/eops.
- **Need to Add a Class? Pay Your Fees? See a Counselor? Then Come to Fall 2009 Walk-In Registration!** The LAVC Admissions Office, Counseling Office, Business Office and Financial Aid Office will be in Campus Center for Fall 2009 Walk-in Registration from Wednesday, August 26-Saturday, September 12. Walk-in registration hours will be as follows: Mondays-Thursdays from 8 a.m.-8 p.m., Fridays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. and Saturdays (only on August 29 and September 12) from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. For more information regarding walk-in registration, contact Admissions & Records at (818) 947-2553.
- **Calling all Actors and Singers!** The LAVC Theater Arts Department will be holding auditions for its Fall production of the "25th Annual Putnam Co. Spelling Bee" on Wednesday, September 2 from 6:30-9 p.m. and Thursday, September 3 from 3:30-6 p.m. in the Horseshoe Theater. Individuals auditioning will be asked to sing the selected audition song in the correct key. The performances are scheduled for October 15-17 and 22-24. For more information, email pylescsp@lavc.edu.
- **Want to Win a \$300 Bookstore Gift Certificate?** You can win a grand prize of a \$300 gift certificate to the LAVC Bookstore just for completing an online 5-minute Student Eligibility Survey. This survey will help LAVC determine the eligibility of LAVC students for support services funded by federal grants. Students who complete the survey by Friday, September 11 will be entered in the drawing. To take the survey, visit

http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=pYpryEeEbz4RsbuO3_2fmXOA_3d_3d. Winners will be announced by the end of September. For more information, contact the TRiO/SSS Program at (818) 947-2483.

- **Are You Looking for an Open Class for Fall 2009?** Check www.lavc.edu for a link to all the open classes that are available for the Fall 2009 semester. The link can also be viewed directly by visiting http://www.lavc.edu/myweb/MARTINDH/Fall09_webupdate.pdf.
- **Need to Contact Your Professor?** LAVC now has an online searchable directory with phone numbers, email addresses and office locations of faculty, staff and college administrators. Just click on the "Map / Directory / Hours" link on www.lavc.edu and select the link for "LAVC Phone/Email Dir".
- **LAVC is Now on Twitter.com!** If you want to get the latest news from Valley College, then follow LAVC at www.twitter.com/LAValleyCollege.
- **Connect with LAVC on Facebook.** LAVC is now connecting with students, prospective students and alumni on Facebook. You can find our page by going to www.facebook.com/lavalleycollege.

Other Important News & Announcements

Need to Find Someone at LAVC? Search LAVC Phone & Email Online Directory. The LAVC Web site now features a searchable phone and email directory of LAVC faculty, staff, administrators, departments, offices and services. The searchable phone directory can be found by visiting www.lavc.edu/directory/ or by clicking the "Map / Directory / Hours" link on the homepage. If any information is incorrectly noted on the directory, please send the update information to Tom Jacobsmeyer to be added to the directory.

Activities this Week

There may be a charge to attend the below events, please contact the listed department/contact person for more detailed information. A complete list of campus events is posted on the calendar at www.lavc.edu, including a complete faculty/staff calendar.

Sunday, August 30

Fall Semester 2009 Deadline for Residency Determination

Monday, August 31

FALL SEMESTER 2009 DAY AND EVENING CLASSES BEGIN

First day to petition for credit & no-credit Fall Semester 2009 classes

Fall Semester 2009 Open Class enrollment (Add/Drop Process in Campus Center)

First day of filing period for Fall 2009 Graduation Petition

Fall Semester Walk-in Registration @ 8 am- 8 pm (Campus Center) – Contact: Admissions & Records (818) 947-2553

ASU Welcome Week hosted by ASU @ 9 am- 4 pm (Monarch Square) – Contact: ASU www.lavc.edu/ASU

ASU Welcome Week BBQ hosted by ASU @ 11:45 am- 1 pm (Monarch Square); Free; Drinks for sale for \$1 – Contact: ASU www.lavc.edu/ASU

Greater Valley Glen Council Meeting @ 6- 10 pm (Faculty Lounge) Contact: GVGC (818) 772-GVGC www.GVGC.us

Tuesday, September 1

Fall Semester 2009 Open Class enrollment (Add/Drop Process in Campus Center)

Fall Semester Walk-in Registration @ 8 am- 8 pm (Campus Center) – Contact: Admissions & Records (818) 947-2553

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ASU Welcome Week BBQ hosted by ASU @ 11:45 am- 1 pm (Monarch Square); Free; Drinks for sale for \$1 – Contact: ASU www.lavc.edu/ASU

Wednesday, September 2

Fall Semester 2009 Open Class enrollment (Add/Drop Process in Campus Center)

Fall Semester Walk-in Registration @ 8 am- 8 pm (Campus Center) – Contact: Admissions & Records (818) 947-2553

ASU Welcome Week hosted by ASU @ 9 am- 4 pm (Monarch Square) – Contact: ASU www.lavc.edu/ASU

ASU Welcome Week Raffle Prizes & Giveaways @ 11:45 am- 1 pm (Monarch Square) – Contact: ASU www.lavc.edu/ASU

Scholarship & Award Night sponsored by LAVC Foundation Office @ 2- 7pm (Main Stage Theater, Parking in Lot B); RSVP required - Contact: Roxy Zamora (818) 947-2619

Theatre Arts Department auditions for the Fall musical 25th Annual Putnam Co. Spelling Bee @ 6:30- 9 pm (Horseshoe Theatre) – Contact: Cathy Pyles (818) 947-2787 www.lavc.edu/theatre

Thursday, September 3

Fall Semester 2009 Open Class enrollment (Add/Drop Process in Campus Center)

Fall Semester Walk-in Registration @ 8 am- 8 pm (Campus Center) – Contact: Admissions & Records (818) 947-2553

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Theatre Arts Department auditions for the Fall musical 25th Annual Putnam Co. Spelling Bee @ 3:30- 6 pm (Horseshoe Theatre) – Contact: Cathy Pyles (818) 947-2787 www.lavc.edu/theatre

Friday, September 4

Last Day for Fall Semester 2009 Open Class enrollment (Add/Drop Process in Campus Center)

Fall Semester Walk-in Registration @ 8 am- 4 pm (Campus Center) – Contact: Admissions & Records (818) 947-2553

Saturday, September 5

Fall Semester 2009 Saturday classes begin

Committee Meetings

LAVC has several committees that meet on a regular basis. A schedule of all LAVC committee meetings is available at www.lavc.edu/committees.html. This link contains meeting dates, committee chair contact info, and committee Web pages. For more information regarding a specific committee, please contact the committee chair noted below the committee name.

The LAVC College Bulletin is distributed to the campus community every Wednesday for the following week's activities and events.

A PDF version is also posted on the LAVC Web site every Friday.

To submit a request to post news items/events in the College Bulletin, post a message on the campus marquee and/or for other kinds of public relations assistance, please submit a PR Request Form, which is available at <http://www.lavc.edu/campusnews/pr.html>

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