



Los Angeles Valley College

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This Issue's News & Event



A New Look to LAVC Web Site

LAVC recently launched a redesigned look to the LAVC homepage and Web site. The Web site now features a smaller masthead with links on how to apply online, register for classes, access the MyLAVC portal, access online classes, and view the schedule of classes. In addition, there is now a link on the homepage to the online campus phone/email directory and the LAVC Calendar of Events. To view the LAVC homepage, visit www.lavc.edu.



Final Week of Summer Hours for Selected LAVC Offices

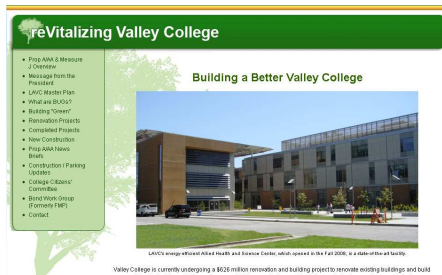
The LAVC Admissions & Records Office, Graduation Office, Assessment Center, International Student Services Office, and Veteran Student Services Office will have special summer hours of operation until Friday, August 13. The offices of Admissions and Records, International Student Services and Veterans Student Services will be open Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., and Tuesdays from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. The Assessment Center will be open Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., and Tuesdays from 9 a.m.-7 p.m. The Graduation Office will be open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Tuesdays from 8 a.m.-7 p.m., and closed on Fridays. The Student Outreach & Recruitment Office will be open

Mondays-Fridays from 8:00-4:30 p.m. For more information, contact the Admissions Office at (818) 947-2553 or visit www.lavc.edu/studentwebsite/admissions/index.html.



Computers Available in the Lion's Den for Students to Apply Online, and Add/Drop Classes

With the changes to the admission application, adding and dropping process, the Lion's Den (located in the Cafeteria Building) will have computers available for students to apply online, and add or drop classes. The Lion's Den is open Mondays-Thursdays from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and Fridays from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. As of Monday, June 28, admission applications will only be accepted online at www.lavc.edu; ADA accommodations are available. No paper admission applications will be accepted. Students who would like to add or drop classes must do so online, and only add permits from the instructor will be accepted in-person. To view the location of the Lion's Den on the campus map, visit www.lavc.edu. Questions? Please contact the Office of Admissions and Records at (818) 947-2553.



Check Out the Updated reVitalizing Valley College (Prop A/A& Measure J) Web Page

LAVC maintains a Web page that provides the campus and community-at-large with information and updates on the college's building and renovation project. The Web page has been recently updated to include a list of the college's facility master plan, news briefs on past events, construction and parking updates, and a new President's Message. To view the Web page, visit www.lavc.edu/revitalizingvalley.



Get Your Tickets to the 1st Annual "Monarch Mania" Kickoff Dinner/Drawing

LAVC Athletics will be holding the 1st annual "Monarch Mania" Kickoff Dinner/Drawing at its first football scrimmage of the season on Friday, August 27 at 6 p.m. in the Football Recruitment Patio. Tickets are \$100 each (includes a tri-tip barbecue dinner). Guests will have an opportunity to win football clothing and cash prizes, and meet the coaching staff and alumni. Ticket payment should be made to the

“Los Angeles Valley College Spirit Club”. For more information or tickets, contact Coach Jim Fenwick at (818) 947-2505 or Coach Leon Criner at (818) 947-2935.



Calling All Students...Be Part of Student Government

The Associated Student Union (ASU), the student government at LAVC, is taking applications for appointments to the ASU Executive Council. Apply now for one of the following positions: Treasurer, Commissioner of Athletics, Commissioner of Evening Division, Commissioner of Student and Social Affairs, Commissioner of Public Relations, Commissioner of Campus and Environmental Affairs, ICC Senate Rep, or Secretary. Applications must be submitted by September 10, 2010 at Campus Center 102, or online at www.lavc.edu/asu/executivecouncil.html.

Additional news and events are posted online at <http://www.lavc.edu/campusnews/index.html>.

Please Announce to All Students

The following are important campus announcements for your students:

- **Limited Summer Hours for Selected LAVC Offices from Now-August 13.** During the summer, the offices of Admissions & Records, Veteran Student Services, and International Student Services will be open Mondays, Wednesdays-Fridays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. and Tuesdays from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. The Assessment Center will be open Mondays, Wednesdays-Fridays from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and Tuesdays from 9 a.m.-7 p.m. The Graduation Office will be open Mondays, Wednesdays-Thursdays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Tuesdays from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. and closed on Fridays. The Student Outreach & Recruitment will be open from Mondays-Fridays from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Questions? Contact the Admission Office at (818) 947-2553.
- **Don't Forget to Buy Your Parking Permit This Summer!** During the summer, you should always display your parking permit on the dashboard of your car. Parking violations are strictly enforced throughout campus. If you don't have your parking permit, visit the LAVC Business Office located to the east of the Cafeteria. For more information, visit www.lavc.edu/businessoffice.
- **Calling All Parents! Free Summer Playgroup for Young Kids.** The LAVC Family Resource Center is offering two playgroups this summer for kids ages 2-4 years old. Bring your kids for a fun hour of social play and creative activities each Wednesday between July 14-August 25 from 10-11 a.m. and 2-3 p.m. in Bungalow 49. Attend one or both sessions! Space is limited so RSVP today! For more info, call (818) 778-5612.
- **Looking for Your Financial Aid Disbursement? Keep Your Eye Out for Your New myLACCD Debit Card.** Students who receive financial aid will receive green LACCD envelope in the mail with your new financial aid debit card. Once you receive your myLACCDcard, you should activate the card and select your refund preference by visiting www.myLACCDcard.com. Questions? Call the Financial Aid Office at (818) 947-2412.
- **Save the Date— LAVC Job Club Meets on August 27.** LAVC Job Club will be holding its next meeting for job seekers on Friday, August 27, in the Cafeteria Conference Room. This unique program has been highly successful in returning people to the work force. For more information, visit www.lavc.edu/jobtraining/jobclub.html.

- **Want to Be More Involved on Campus? Apply today for an ASU Officer position.** Applications for the following positions are being accepted: Treasurer, Commissioner of Athletics, Commissioner of Evening Division, Commissioner of Student and Social Affairs, Commissioner of Public Relations, Commissioner of Campus and Environmental Affairs, ICC Senate Rep, or Secretary. The deadline to apply is September 10, and applications must be turn in at CC104 or online at www.lavc.edu/asu/executivecouncil.

Announcements & Events for Faculty/Staff

Looking for a Campus Event or Committee Meeting? Check out the LAVC Calendar of Events. The LAVC homepage has a link to a calendar of campus events for faculty, staff, students and the community. If you would like to post your department/program's event, activity or meeting on this calendar, please submit a PR Request Form (available at www.lavc.edu/campusnews/pr.html).

Save the Date—LAVC Tech Fest is August 16-18. Title V and Professional Development will be holding its "LAVC Tech Fest" from Monday, August 16-Wednesday, August 18 between 9 a.m.-3:45 p.m. on various locations on campus. There will be three full days of fabulous workshops on technology, and you can attend as many sessions as you wish. Go to <http://lavc.edu/profdev> to see the schedule and descriptions. For more information, contact Jim Marteney, Distance Education Trainer, at martenji@lavc.edu or Professional Development at (818) 947-2712 or profdev@lavc.edu.

Attention All Classified Staff!—August 24 is the Annual Classified Staff Appreciation Lunch. All classified staff members are invited to the "Classified Staff Appreciation Beach Party Luau" on Tuesday, August 24 from 11:30 am- in the Cafeteria Dining Room. This annual event is sponsored by the LAVC Administrative Team. Classified Staff should pick up their lunch ticket from Violet Amrikhas in Administration 104B before the event. Questions? Contact Jennifer Fong at (818) 947-2433 or Violet Amrikhas at (818) 947-2533.

Attention Faculty—Opening Day for Faculty is August 26. All LAVC faculty are invited to LAVC's Opening Day 2010 on Thursday, August 26. Breakfast begins at 8 am in Monarch Square. The day will end at 3 p.m. Questions? Contact Deborah Kaye at (818) 947-2569.



Is Your Information Correct in the Online Directory? Faculty, staff and administrators who find their information inaccurate or missing, should email news@lavc.edu with the correct information (and copy his/her department chair). Thank you.

Activities this Week



A complete list of campus events and meetings is posted on the calendar at www.lavc.edu. Please contact the listed department/contact person for more detailed information.

Symbol Key:  For Students,  For Faculty/Staff,  Arts/Music,  Deadlines

Sunday, August 8

-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)



Monday, August 9

-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)





Tuesday, August 10

-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)
-  *Classified Staff Development Committee Meeting @ 11:30 am- 12:30 pm (Faculty Lounge) – Contact: Arlene Stein (818) 947-2339 www.lavc.edu/classifiedstaff/*




Wednesday, August 11

-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)
- Creative Activities for Young Children (Ages 2-4 yrs old) sponsored by the LAVC Family Resource Center @ 10- 11 am & 2- 3 pm (Family Resource Center - Bungalow 49) - Contact: Gary Huff (818) 778-5612 huffgf@lavc.edu [View Flyer](#) (PDF)*




Thursday, August 12

-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)
-  *Work Study Employee Orientation sponsored by the LAVC Financial Aid Office @ 9:30 am- 12 noon (Fireside Room) – Contact: Silvia Diaz (818) 778-5560*
-  *Work Study Job Fair sponsored by the LAVC Financial Aid Office @ 10:30 am- 3 pm (Monarch Hall) – Contact: Silvia Diaz (818) 778-5560*

Friday, August 13

-  Fall Semester 2010 - Concurrent Enrollment Admissions Application Deadline for 14 years old and under students.
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Saturday, August 14

-  Summer Session 2010 – Summer session ends
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Vision Statement

Los Angeles Valley College serves the community as a leader in instructional excellence, facilitating the success of its diverse students, developing critical thinkers and life-long learners, and contributing to the economic and cultural vitality of the San Fernando Valley and beyond.

Mission Statement

Los Angeles Valley College is a comprehensive community college located in the center of the San Fernando Valley. The College serves the community by providing transfer, degree, career-technical, foundational, transitional and continuing education programs in an attractive and accessible learning environment that fosters student success. Embedded in these programs are the greater goals of critical thinking and life-long learning which are necessary for success in the workplace and for advancing one's education, personal development and quality of life.

To read the entire Mission Statement, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/vision-mission/>

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.

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