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LAVC Campus News



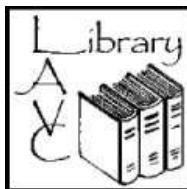
Valley Symphony Orchestra Concert at LAVC

The LAVC Valley Symphony Orchestra will present a chamber music concert on **Sunday, March 16 at 2:30 p.m. in the LAVC Music Recital Hall**. The concert will feature Haydn's "Oboe Concerto in C" (with Leonid Belinsky, oboe), Morton Gould's "Softshoe Gavotte", Kurt Weill's "Little Threepenny Music", and Chaul's "Piano Sonata" (Robert Chauls, piano). Tickets are \$25 for general admission and \$15 for students and seniors. For more information, contact the Valley Symphony Orchestra at (818) 947-2775.



LAVC Philharmonic Choir, College Choir and Vocal Jazz Ensemble Presents "The Poet Sings"

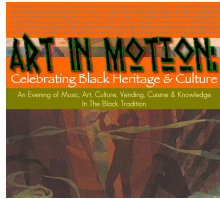
The LAVC Philharmonic Choir, LAVC College Choir and LAVC Vocal Jazz Ensemble will present a concert entitled "The Poet Sings" on **Sunday, March 16 at 7 p.m. in Main Stage Theater**. This eclectic concert comprises of prose from famous and non-famous poets set to various musical styles from the renaissance to the romantic period. Tickets are \$6 and can be purchased at the door. For more information, contact the LAVC Music Department at (818) 947-2347.



Student Workshop on How to Use the Online Library Catalog

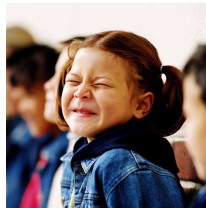
The LAVC Library will offer several "Online Catalog" workshops for students, which will cover basic and advanced searching in the online library catalog, keyword vs. subject heading searching, refining searches, understanding call numbers, and collecting bibliographic data. The workshops will be held on **Monday, March 17 from 5:30-6:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 18 from 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 19 from 10:30-11:30 a.m., Thursday, March 20 from 8:30-9:30 a.m., and Friday,**

March 21 from 12 noon-1 p.m. Students must sign-up in advance at the Library Reference Desk. For more information, contact the LAVC Library at (818) 947-2425.



A Celebration of Black Heritage and Culture Event at LAVC

The LAVC African American Studies Department presents "Art in Motion: A Celebration of Black Heritage and Culture" on **Wednesday, March 19 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in Monarch Hall**. Join us for an evening of wholesome traditional foods, international vendors, live music performances, poetry, traditional dance and more! Mandla Kayise, a motivational educational speaker, from New World Education will be the featured guest. This event is a fundraiser for the LAVC African American Studies Department. Donations are requested but not required. The community is invited to attend this fun-filled family-friendly activity. For more information, contact Tara Lake at (818) 947-2486.



A Free Talk on Strategies for Disciplining Children

The LAVC Child Development Department will present "Use Discipline as a Challenge-Not a Problem" on **Thursday, March 20 from 11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m. in Monarch Hall**. This is a free talk on best practices of discipline strategies by Barbara K. Polland, a professor, parent, psychotherapist and author. For more information, contact the Elmida Baghdaserians at baghdaes@lavc.edu.



LAVC Student Inducted into National Football Hall of Fame-SFV Chapter

LAVC Monarchs football player Fataali Choulee was nominated and accepted by the National Football Hall of Fame, San Fernando Valley Chapter for the 2007-2008 school year. He accepted his award on March 11 at the Sportsmen's Lodge in Studio City. Congratulations!

For additional LAVC news and events, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/campusnews/index.html>

LAVC in the News



March 5, 2008

Cinematic Love for "Yiddish Theater"

Marvin Zuckerman, retired dean emeritus of Los Angeles Valley College, is quoted in a story about the history of Yiddish Theater. To read the entire article, visit

http://www.palisadespost.com/content/index.cfm?Story_ID=3691.

February 2008

Exemplary Award Winner: LAVC Early Childhood Workforce Development Project

The Academic Senate of California Community Colleges and Foundation of California Community Colleges selected the LAVC Child Development Department's Early Childhood Workforce Development Project as one of its two Exemplary Award winners. They were recognized by the Board of Governors and received \$4,000 and a plaque. To download the complete article, visit <http://www.asccc.org/Publications/Ros.htm>.

Campus Activities

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 www.lavc.edu.

Sunday, March 16

Valley Symphony Orchestra Concert – Annual Chamber Music Concert @ 2:30 pm (Music 106); Admission: \$15-\$25 – Contact: Valley Symphony Orchestra (818) 778-5609

“The Poet Sings” Concert (LAVC Philharmonic Choir, LAVC College Choir, LAVC Vocal Jazz Ensemble) @ 7 pm (Main Stage Theater); Admission: \$6 – Contact: Music Dept (818) 947-2347

Monday, March 17

LAVC Wind Ensemble Concert @ 8 pm (Mainstage Theater); Admission: \$5 – Contact: Chauncey Maddren (818) 947-2346

LACCD Personnel Commission “CalPERS Retirement Workshop” @ 9 am-12 noon (LACCD Board Room, 770 Wilshire Blvd, Los Angeles) – Contact: Myrna Perez (213) 981-2016

Professional Development/STARS Training - “Sharing Best Practices: Dealing with Discipline & Plagiarism” Faculty Workshop @ 1-2 pm (Professional Development Center) – Contact: Deborah Kaye (818) 947-2569

LAVC Library “Online Catalog Workshop” @ 5:30-6:30 pm (LAIR Computer Lab) – Contact: LAVC Library (818) 947-2425

Tuesday, March 18

LAVC Library “Online Catalog Workshop” @ 11:30 am-12:30 pm (LAIR Computer Lab) – Contact: LAVC Library (818) 947-2425

Wednesday, March 19

ASU Club Day @ 9 am-2 pm (Monarch Square) – Contact: Associated Student Union (818) 947-5516

LAVC Library “Online Catalog Workshop” @ 10:30-11:30 am (LAIR Computer Lab) – Contact: LAVC Library (818) 947-2425

Free Wednesday Concert – Nucleus Ensemble @ 1 pm (Music 106); Admission: Free – Contact: Music Dept (818) 947-2347

Professional Development/STARS Training - “Publishing/Collaborating in Word: Collaborating on Documents” Workshop @ 1-2 pm (Professional Development Center) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712

“Art in Motion: A Celebration of Black Heritage and Culture” Event @ 6:30-8:30 pm; Admission: Donation – Contact: Tara Lake (818) 947-2486

Thursday, March 20

LAVC Library "Online Catalog Workshop" @ 8:30-9:30 am (LAIR Computer Lab) – Contact: LAVC Library (818) 947-2425

"Use Discipline as a Challenge, Not a Problem" Discussion with Author and Psychotherapist Barbara K. Polland @ 11:30 am-12:45 pm (Monarch Hall) – Contact: Elmida Baghdaserians baghdaes@lavc.edu

Professional Development/STARS Training - "Extending Excel: Consolidation, Outlines, Views and Reports" Workshop @ 1-2 pm (Professional Development Center) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712

Technology Institute Training - "The Power of Photoshop" Workshop @ 1:30-4 pm (Media Arts Lab-- Campus Center Basement) – Contact: Jim Marteney (818) 947-2808

LAVC Theater Arts *Lysistrata* @ 8 pm (Horseshoe Theatre); Admission: \$15 General, \$10 Students/Seniors – Contact: Theater Arts (818) 947-2790

Friday, March 21

Deadline to apply for an ASU and/or Student Trustee (District) position @ 4:00pm. Info: (818) 947-5516

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LAVC Theater Arts *Lysistrata* @ 8 pm (Horseshoe Theatre); Admission: \$15 General, \$10 Students/Seniors – Contact: Theater Arts (818) 947-2790

LAVC Astronomy Group Planetarium Show @ 8-10 pm (Planetarium); Admission: TBA – Contact: LAVC Astronomy Group (818) 947-2335

Saturday, March 22

LAVC Theater Arts *Lysistrata* @ 8 pm (Horseshoe Theatre); Admission: \$15 General, \$10 Students/Seniors – Contact: Theater Arts (818) 947-2790

Committee Meetings

A complete list of Spring 2008 LAVC committee meetings is available at <http://www.lavc.edu/committeessp08.html>

Campus Announcements

PLEASE ANNOUNCE TO ALL STUDENTS: Want to get involved in student government at Valley College? The deadline to apply for an ASU position or Student Trustee (district) position is this Friday (March 21). Applications and information is available in Campus Center 102. Apply today! For questions, call the Associated Students Office at (818) 947-5516.

PLEASE ANNOUNCE TO ALL STUDENTS: Want to study in Rome this summer? The deadline to sign-up for the LAVC Summer in Rome Study Away Program is Friday, April 4. For more information, contact Michelle Visco (818) 947-2456.

PLEASE ANNOUNCE TO ALL STUDENTS: The LAVC Bookstore now offers three different Universal Studio Passes for purchase. The College Pass gives unlimited admission from September through June (no Summer use) with few blackout dates for only \$54. The regular Annual Pass is \$65 and offers

unlimited use with a few blackout dates. A Day Pass can be purchased for \$42. For more information, ask the cash register at the LAVC Bookstore.

Tyree Wieder's Retirement Party. Save the date! A retirement dinner for Tyree Wieder will be held on Saturday, June 14 at 5 pm in the Warner Center Marriott. For more information, contact the President's Office at (818) 947-2321.

John Maddox's Retirement Party. Save the date for a retirement party for John Maddox. The party will be held on Friday, May 16 from 12-3:30 pm at the Sportsmen's Lodge in Studio City. For more information, contact Rose Drummond or Sheri Berger. Be on the lookout for the official flyer!

Norman Siever's Retirement Party. Save the date! There will a retirement party for Norman L. Siever on Thursday, May 29 from 12:30-3:30 pm at the Sportsmen's Lodge in Studio City. For more information, contact Cheryl L. Glasband at (818) 778-5501.

Frank Sinsheimer's Retirement Party. On Friday, May 30, there will be a retirement luncheon in honor of Dr. Frank Sinsheimer from noon-3 pm at the Sportsmen's Lodge in Studio City. The cost is \$35 and includes lunch and a gift. Please RSVP to the LAVC Foundation Office by Tuesday, May 15. For more information, contact Greg Morrison at (818) 947-2845.

Free registration for TechEd 2008 for LAVC faculty, staff and administrators! Don't forget to register for the TechEd 2008 Conference, which will be held on April 13-16 at the Ontario Convention Center in Ontario, California. Register online at www.TechEdEvents.org/lavc and follow the directions on the "Cooperative Registration Information Page" for LAVC. LAVC's Cooperative Education Code is 027LAV. You will need to follow the directions or you will be charged individually for the registration. For more information, call (916) 418-5134.

Reminder! The afternoon of Friday, March 28 is a 4-hour Spring Break holiday. The holiday applies to all full-time employees who are scheduled to work during Spring Break, including unrepresented employees. For employees who work less than full-time or who do not ordinarily work on Fridays, please consult the appropriate collective bargaining agreement.

Bond A/AA Updates

For updates on Bond A/AA projects, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/propa/index.html>

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

To submit a request to post news items/events in the College Bulletin, a message on the campus marquee and/or for public relations assistance, complete the PR Request Form at <http://www.lavc.edu/bulletin/bulletin.html>

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