



LAVC College Bulletin *September 6-12, 2009*

This Week's News & Events



Campus Closed for Labor Day

LAVC will be closed on Monday, September 7 in observance of the Labor Day holiday. The college will resume its normal operating hours on Tuesday, September 8. Faculty and staff are encouraged to remind their colleagues and students of this holiday.



Know of Anyone Looking for a Job? Invite Them to the Community Job Fair at LAVC

The LAVC Job Training Office is teaming up with the Van Nuys Worksource Center to host its semi-annual job fair on Thursday, September 10 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. in the Faculty Lounge. This event is open to the community, and will feature employers such as Fed Ex, Bank of America and many more! Job counselors from Valley College will also be on hand to help answer questions from those seeking employment. For more information, contact the Job Training Office at (818) 947-2941 or email jaramiaj@lavc.edu.



Annual Student Show 2009 Exhibition in LAVC Art Gallery

The LAVC Art Gallery will feature an encore showing of “Annual Student Show 2009” exhibition from now-Thursday, September 10. This exhibition of student artwork is free to the public, and is open from Monday-Thursday from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. & 6-9 p.m. in the Art Building. For more information, call (818) 778-5536 or visit www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html.



Final Week for Students to Complete the Student Eligibility Survey

LAVC students can have a chance to 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. **The deadline is Friday, September 11**, and all students who complete the survey by the deadline will be entered in the drawing. To take the survey, visit 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.



Walk-In Registration Ends September 12

Walk-in registration for the Fall 2009 Semester will continue in the Campus Center Building until 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: Monday, September 7-Thursday, September 10 from 8 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday, September 11 from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. and Saturday, September 12 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.** For more information regarding walk-in registration, contact Admissions & Records at (818) 947-2553.



Two LAVC Students Win 1st Place in College Seen Photo Contest

Michael Trombley and Scott Mitchell, both LAVC students, won first place in separate categories in the 2009 College Seen Photo Contest for community college students that was co-sponsored by the Foundation for California Community Colleges, its CollegeBuy program, and Adobe®.

Michael won first place in the career preparation/work experience category, and Scott Mitchell won the campus life category. Both will receive Adobe® Creative Suite® 4 Design Premium and winning photo will be published this fall in *Affinity*, the California Community College alumni magazine. To view all the winning photos, visit www.CollegeSeen.org. Congratulations to Michael and Scott!



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LAVC 60th Anniversary Web Site Now Online

This year, LAVC will celebrate its 60th Anniversary. ***In commemoration of this special “diamond anniversary” the college has launched a new Web site with a calendar of events, photos of notable alumni, and information for sponsoring a pedestrian light pole banner and/or the upcoming 60th Anniversary Commemorative Calendar.*** In the coming weeks, the new site will also include a timeline of college history, a photo album with images of the college over the years, and a place for alumni, faculty and friends to share their memories of the college. For more information, visit www.lavc.edu/60.

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

LAVC in the News



August 26, 2009

Monarchs Temper Their Expectations Under Fenwick

The San Fernando Valley Sun featured an article about the LAVC Football and its new coach Jim Fenwick. Fenwick talks about his plans for the Monarch football team and how he will be evaluating how the team performs in the next few games before he can make a plan on the best way to move forward and progress. To read the entire article, visit

www.sanfernandosun.com/sanfernsun/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=4070&Itemid=2.

Please Announce to All Students

The following are important campus announcements for your students:

- ***Need to Add a Class? Pay Your Fees? See a Counselor? Then Come to the 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 until September 12. Walk-in registration hours will be as follows: Monday, September 7-Thursday, September 10 from 8 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday, September 11 from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. and Saturday, September 12 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. For more information regarding walk-in registration, contact Admissions & Records at (818) 947-2553.
- ***Looking for a Job?*** The LAVC Job Training Office and the Van Nuys Worksource Center will host its semi-annual job fair on Thursday, September 10 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. in the Faculty Lounge. This event is open to the community. It will feature employers such as Fed Ex, Bank of America and many more! For more information, contact the Job Training Office at (818) 947-2941 or email jaramiaj@lavc.edu.
- ***Annual LAVC Student Art Show Ends on September 10.*** The LAVC Art Gallery will feature an exhibition entitled the "Annual Student Show 2009", which ends on September 10. This exhibition is free to the public, and is open from Monday-Thursday from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. & 6-9 p.m. in the Art Building. For more information, call (818) 778-5536 or visit www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html.
- ***Last Chance to Win a \$300 Bookstore Gift Certificate!*** Don't miss out on your chance to 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 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 www.lavc.edu/myweb/MARTINDH/Fall09_webupdate.pdf.
- ***Mark Your Calendars! High Holiday Services at Hillel 818.*** Hillel 818, which comprises of Pierce & Valley College Hillel and CSUN Hillel will hold its High Holiday services at CSUN Hillel in Northridge starting on the evening of September 18. It will hold a "Rosh HaShanah Candlelighting & Evening Service" with Community Oneg to follow on Friday, September 18 at 6:30 p.m. A "Rosh HaShanah Morning Service" with Community Kiddush will be held on Saturday, September 19 at 10 a.m. The "Yom Kippur Candlelighting & Kol Nidre Service" will be on Sunday, September 27 at 6 p.m. On Monday, September 28, there will be a "Yom Kippur Morning Service" at 10:30 a.m. with a Yizkor (Memorial Service) at 4:45 p.m. and a light Break-the-Fast at 7:20 p.m. The High Holiday services are free for students and those under the age of 18, and \$125 per person for the community (all services). For more information, contact Hillel 818 at (818) 886-5101 or (818) 887-5901.
- ***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 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.

Announcements for Faculty/Staff

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.

Mark Your Calendars! Free Music Concerts on Wednesdays. The LAVC Music Department will begin to hold its Free Wednesday Concert Series for the Fall 2009 semester. It will start with its "Opening Concert: Faculty/Alumni Variety Show" on Wednesday, September 16 from 1-2 p.m. in the Music Recital Hall. This on-going series of Free Wednesday Concerts will feature professional musicians and students performing a variety of classical, jazz, and popular music in the beautifully remodeled Music Recital Hall. For more information, visit the Music Department Web site at www.lavc.edu/music.

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, September 6

Monday, September 7

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Tuesday, September 8

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

"Annual Student Show 2009" sponsored by the Art Gallery @ 11 am- 2 pm & 6- 9 pm (Art Gallery); Free - Contact: (818) 778-5536 www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html

Wednesday, September 9

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

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Thursday, September 10

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Friday, September 11

FALL SEMESTER 2009 DEADLINE TO PROCESS ADD PERMITS FOR CREDIT, NON-CREDIT, AND AUDIT WITH ADMISSIONS OFFICE

Last day to process Fall Semester Prerequisite Challenge

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

Full Time Faculty Orientation sponsored by the AFT Faculty Guild @ 9 am- 12 noon (Cafeteria Conference Room) – Contact: Deborah Kaye (818) 947-2569 kayedr@lavc.edu

Saturday, September 12

Fall Semester Walk-in Registration @ 9 am- 1 pm (Campus Center) – Contact: Admissions & Records (818) 947-2553

Regional Meeting for Adjunct Faculty sponsored by AFT Faculty Guild @ 9 am- 1 pm (Cafeteria) – Contact: Deborah Kaye (818) 947-2569 kayedr@lavc.edu

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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