

APRIL 10-16, 2023

LAVC's Welcome Center is Here to Help You

Monday-Thursday, April 10-13 from 8 a.m.-7 p.m., Friday, April 14 from 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

In-Person, Virtual, Phone and Email

The <u>LAVC Welcome Center</u> is here to help you find what you're looking for at Valley College! They can help answer general questions and provide registration assistance.

- In-person assistance Welcome Center, 1st Floor of the Student Services Center (SSC) (view map)
- Chat live Welcome Center Virtual Lobby (craniumcafe.com)
- **Phone** (818) 938-8418 (press 1 for Welcome Center)
- Email LAVCStudentSupport@laccd.edu

Spring 2023 - 2nd 8 Week Classes Begin

Monday, April 10

Day and evening classes for the Spring 2023 2nd 8 Week Session begins on Monday, April 10. If you want to add a class, you can add online using mycollege.laccd.edu Student Portal until the second day of class. If you wish to add after the second class meeting, you will need to get a permission number from the instructor. If you need assistance, contact our LAVC Welcome Center.

Fall 2023 Schedule Posted Online

Monday, April 10

The Fall Semester 2023 Schedule is available online starting April 10, 2023. To view the Fall Schedule, please check the <u>Class Schedules page</u> or the <u>mycollege.laccd.edu Student Portal</u>.

Art is Good for You! Series - Color Connection: A Creative Mindfulness Workshop

Wednesday, April 12 from noon - 1 pm

LAVC Art Gallery (view map)

The LAVC Art Gallery is proud to present Color Connection: A Creative Mindfulness Workshop as part of the Art Is Good For You! series. Explore the calming qualities of watercolor. Discover which colors you enjoy by painting the rainbow, journaling the feeling and connection with each color. Take the time to simply observe the ebb and flow of paint on paper as we breathe. All materials provided.

Free Wednesday Concert: Music for Political Expression: National Identity

Wednesday, April 12 at 2:30 p.m.

Music Recital Hall (Music 106) (view map)

The theme of this week's concert is Music for Political Expression: National Identity. Haydn String Quartet ("Emperor") - 2nd Movement, and the Mendelssohn Quartet in d minor. Performed by The Malibu Coast String Quartet (Maria Newman, Nina Eftuhov, Scott Hosfeld, and Paula Hochhalter). Our secondary theme of "Entartete Musik" includes a performance of music by Felix Mendelssohn.

FREE COVID-19 Rapid Antigen Tests Available

Students and employees can pick up to two FREE Covid-19 at-home rapid antigen testing kits (per person, each week). Pick up tests in-person on Monday-Thursday from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. & Friday from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. at LAVC Staff Services in ACA 1701 (view map). Please show your student or employee ID when picking up your kits. For more information, check the LAVC Covid-19 Antigen Home Testing Kit Distribution.

New Food Option on Campus: Chicaterranean Food Truck

We are excited to announce a new food option on campus! Beginning today, April 10, 2023, Chicaterranean food truck will be on campus from 2:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. on Monday through Friday, located near Lot F (near the Community Services Center and Monarch Athletic Center). Please view their online menu; they are offering a variety of entrees, including chicken and lamb over rice, falafel plates and sandwiches, gyros, quesadillas, cheeseburgers, chicken tenders, and more!

Check Out the Computer Commons Lab (above the Library)

The Computer Commons has 97 Windows computers, two iMACs, a B&W and color printer/copier, a high-resolution scanner, two study rooms, and dedicated staff to assist you. The lab is open Monday-Thursday from 7 a.m. to 7:45 p.m., and Friday from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. in LARC 234 (second floor of the Library & Academic Resource Center). Visit LAVC Computer Commons online or on the Cranium Café.

Now Enrolling—FREE Parenting Classes for Spring 2023

Enhance your parenting skills while earning a certificate of completion. LAVC offers a pair of FREE in-person and/or online parenting classes, and they can help improve your ability to balance school and family life. For more information, contact Raffi Kahwajian at (818) 947-2961 or kahwajr@laccd.edu

Important Dates & Deadlines

The following is a list of important Spring academic dates and holidays. Please check your myCollege.laccd.edu Student Portal for more info:

Summer/Fall 2023 - Priority Registration for Group 1 Begins

Monday, April 17

- Summer/Fall 2023 Priority Registration for Group 2 Begins Thursday, April 20
- Summer/Fall 2023 Registration for Group 3 Begins
 Tuesday, April 25
- Summer/Fall 2023 Registration for Group 4 Begins Thursday, May 4
- Summer/Fall 2023 Registration for Group 5 / Open Enrollment Begins Monday, May 8

Upcoming Events

National Trans HIV Awareness Day

Tuesday, April 18 from 11-2 p.m. in the Mosaic Village Unity Center

The Rainbow Pride Center, The University of Puerto Rico, and AltaMed will provide resources and information about HIV for <u>National Trans HIV Awareness Day</u>. There will also be an art installation.

Yoga Relaxation Session

Tuesday, April 18 from 12-1 p.m. in Monarch Square

The Mosaic Village Unity Center and Student Health Education will be hosting a <u>Yoga Relaxation</u> <u>Session</u> led by Ana Maria Delgado. The yoga session, which will be held in the Mosaic Village Unity Center, CC127 in bad weather, is open to all students, staff, and faculty.

ASU Candidates Forum

Tuesday, April 18 at 12:30 p.m. on Zoom

Student Government Elections are this month, come get to know the candidates who will represent you on campus at our ASU Candidates Forum.

Free Wednesday Concert: Music for Political Expression - Support and Protest

Wednesday, April 19 at 2:30 p.m. in the Music Recital Hall (Music 106)

The theme of this week's concert is <u>Music for Political Expression - Support and Protest</u>. A special presentation of "Entartete Musik" (Degenerate Music) that was banned during WWII: Composers who were targeted by the Nazi regime. Music of Géza Frid, Dick Kattenburg, Pavel Haas, and Eric Zeisl performed by professional musicians from the LA area: Wendy Prober, Audrey Yoder, Diana Tash, and Maria Newman. This concert is related to the 2022-23 "One Book, One College" program, featuring the book "Maus" by Art Spiegelman.

American Red Cross Blood Drive

Thursday, April 20 from 8:45 a.m.-3:15 p.m. in the Bloodmobile parked in front of AHS (near Ethel Avenue & Burbank Boulevard)

The American Red Cross's Bloodmobile will be on-campus for students, faculty and staff to donate blood. To schedule your appointment, visit RedCrossBlood.org (sponsor code: LAVC).

Associated Student Union & Student Trustee Elections

April 24-April 30, 2023

The Associated Student Union and LACCD Student Trustee Elections will be on Monday, April 24th through Sunday, April 30, 2023. You can vote online through your myCollege.laccd.edu
Student Portal and on the Online Vote Net Platform. For information on the candidates please visit the ASU Elections website or stop by the Student Life Office located in the 2nd floor of the Student Union Building.

To find additional upcoming events, check the LAVC Calendar of Events.

LACCD encourages persons with disabilities to participate in its programs and activities. If you anticipate needing any type of accommodation, or have questions about the physical access provided, please contact the event organizer listed in the link above as soon as possible, but no later than ten (10) business days prior to the event.