



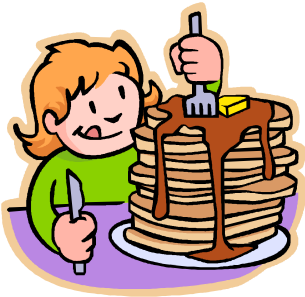
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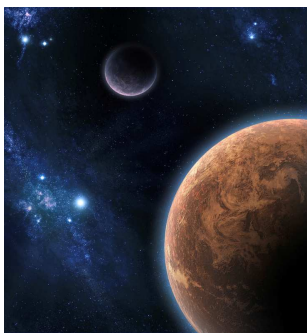
## LAVC College Bulletin *April 25-May 1, 2010*

### This Week's News & Events



#### **GVGC's Pancake Breakfast & Community Safety Fair on April 25**

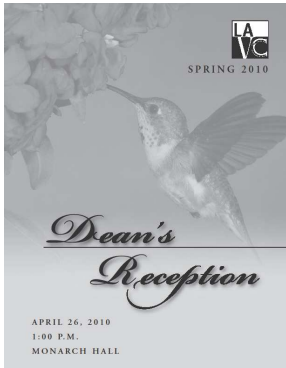
***On Saturday, April 25, the Greater Valley Glen Council (GVGC) will sponsor two community events—a Greater Valley Glen Firefighters' Pancake Breakfast from 9 a.m.-12 noon at the Los Angeles Fire Department's Fire Station 102 at 13200 Burbank Boulevard in Van Nuys, and a Greater Valley Glen Community Safety Fair from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in LAVC's Parking Lot A.*** Proceeds from the pancake breakfast, which costs \$5 for people 13 years-old and older, \$3 for children 4-12 years-old, and children 3 years-old and under will receive a free child's plate, will be donated to the LAFD Valley Glen Fire Station 102 House Fund. The community safety event will feature community information booths on neighborhood watches, public safety, emergency preparedness, pet adoptions, bicycle safety, and much more! The following agencies will also be attending: LA Police Department, LA County Sheriff's Department with helicopter, LA Fire Department with fire trucks, emergency responders, and much more! Free parking will be available in College Road South and Parking Lot H; the college map is located at [www.lavc.edu/map](http://www.lavc.edu/map). Community sponsors include IHOP of North Hollywood, Dasher Lawless, Inc, and LA Valley College. For more information, contact Terry Anderson at (818) 905-9066.



#### **LAVC Astronomy Group Lecture on "Remote Beacons in the Dark Universe"**

***The LAVC Astronomy Group will present a one-hour lecture on the "Remote Beacons in a Dark***

**Universe" on Sunday, April 25 at 7:45 p.m. in the Planetarium.** The guest speaker for this presentation will be Dr. Rik Williams from the Carnegie Observatories in Pasadena, who will be talking about "dark matter" in the universe and its effects on galaxies. Dr. Williams is a postdoctoral researcher at the Carnegie Observatories, specializing in the formation of massive galaxies, and on the growth of supermassive black holes. For more information, call the LAVC Astronomy Group at (818) 947-2335.



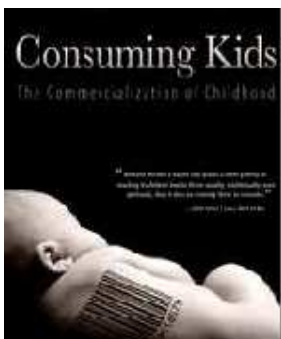
**LAVC Honors Outstanding Students at Spring 2010 Dean's Reception**

**The LAVC Associated Student Union (ASU) and Tau Alpha Epsilon (TAE) will sponsor the Spring 2010 Dean's Reception on Monday, April 26 at 1 p.m. in Monarch Hall.** This event, which is held every semester, recognizes outstanding students who have made the Dean's List (full time students with at least a 3.5 GPA in 12 or more units at LAVC, and part-time students with at least a 3.5 GPA in 6-11 units who have completed more than 12 cumulative units at LAVC) and the President's Honor List (students who have been on the Dean's List for three consecutive semesters) in the Spring 2010 semester. For more information, contact the ASU at (818) 778-5516.



**You're Invited to Attend an LAVC Town Hall Meeting on the Facilities Master Plan**

**LAVC will hold two town hall meetings to update the college community on LAVC's Facilities Master Plan on Tuesday, April 27 from 12:45-1:45 p.m. and Thursday, April 29 from 4-5 p.m.; both events will be held in the Cafeteria Conference Room.** LAVC President Dr. Sue Carleo and Steinberg Architects (LAVC's master planner) will give an update on the college's upcoming bond building projects, and share the college's long-term plans for future growth. For more information, contact the LAVC President's Office at (818) 947-2321.



**Free Film Screening at LAVC – Consuming Kids: The Commercialization of Childhood**

**The Campaign for a Commercial-Free Childhood, in sponsorship with the LAVC Child Development,**

**Psychology, Sociology and Anthropology programs will present a free screening of the film “Consuming Kids: The Commercialization of Childhood” on Wednesday, April 28 from 1-3 p.m. in Monarch Hall.** This brand-new and critically acclaimed film throws desperately needed light on the practices of a relentless multi-billion dollar marketing machine that’s selling kids everything from junk food to violent video games. Consuming Kids will change the way you think about childhood in the 21st century. This event is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Elmida Baghdaserians at (818) 778-5502 or [baghdaes@lavc.edu](mailto:baghdaes@lavc.edu).



**Donate Blood and Save 3 Lives! LAVC Blood Drive on April 29.**

**The American Red Cross and the LAVC Student Health Center will sponsor a Blood Drive on Thursday, April 29 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. in the Blood Mobile outside the Allied Health and Sciences Center building.** All donors who give blood at the LAVC Blood Drive may be entered in a drawing for a chance to win free movies for a year! To schedule your life-saving appointment, contact the Student Health Center at (818) 947-2918 or sign up online at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) (enter sponsor code: LAVC).



**California Early Childhood Mentor Program to Hold a Seminar at LAVC**

**The California Early Childhood Mentor Program will hold a seminar for directors, administrators, owners and providers of early care and education on “Reducing Liability in Early Care and Education” on Thursday, April 29 from 1:30-3:30 p.m. in the Cafeteria Conference Room.** This seminar, which is being presented by Karla Pleitez and Geoff Manley, attorneys for the Public Council Law Center’s Early Care & Education Law Project, will get legal advice on issues that commonly arise in the following areas: parent-provider contracts, family law, and Americans with Disabilities Act. The event is free to attend. Free parking will be available in Parking Lot B. For more information, contact Ellen Farhood, coordinator of the Mentor Program, at (818) 947-2600, ext 8082 or email [farhoofe@lavc.edu](mailto:farhoofe@lavc.edu).



**Looking for a Job? Come to the Next LAVC Job Club Meeting**

**LAVC's popular Job Club will hold its next meeting on Friday, April 30 in the Faculty Lounge.** This unique program has been highly successful in returning people to the workforce. The group gives jobs seekers a golden opportunity to network with others, peruse job leads, meet with professional job counselors, and refine their job search techniques. For more information, call (818) 947-2941 or visit [www.lavc.edu/jobtraining/jobclub.html](http://www.lavc.edu/jobtraining/jobclub.html).



### LACCD Names Dr. Daniel LaVista as its New Chancellor

*The Los Angeles Community College District (LACCD) Board of Trustees has recently selected Dr. Daniel LaVista to be the next Chancellor of the Los Angeles Community College District.* Starting August 1, LaVista will lead the nine LACCD college campuses, which includes LA Valley College. Since 2004, LaVista has been the Executive Director of the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, where he managed an agency that coordinated efforts among the 23-college Virginia Community College System, the state's 16 public colleges and universities, and private and out-of-state institutions. Prior to that, he was the Executive Director of the Illinois Board of Higher Education. He also was the president of two Illinois community colleges, McHenry County College and the College of Lake County, and was Chancellor for the Community Colleges of Baltimore County in Maryland.

### Please Announce to All Students

The following are important campus announcements for your students:

- **Calling All Dean's List and President's Honor List Students!** The LAVC Associated Student Union and Tau Alpha Epsilon will sponsor the Spring 2010 Dean's Reception on Monday, April 26 at 1 p.m. in Monarch Hall. This event will recognize outstanding students who have made the Dean's List and the President's Honor List. For more information, contact the ASU at (818) 778-5516.
- **Come Learn about the Facilities Master Plan at the LAVC Town Hall Meeting.** LAVC will hold a town hall meeting to share the college's current and future building plans. You are invited to attend one of two town hall meetings: on Tuesday, April 27 at 12:45 p.m. in the Cafeteria Conference Room and on Thursday, April 29 at 4 p.m. in the Cafeteria Conference Room. For more information and/or to request an accommodation, contact Maggie Lopez at (818) 947-2433 or [lopezm@lavc.edu](mailto:lopezm@lavc.edu).
- **Have You Touched a Life Today? Donate Blood and Save 3 Lives.** The LAVC Blood Drive will be held on Thursday, April 29 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. in the Bloodmobile outside of the Allied Health & Sciences Center Building. Donors may be entered in a drawing for chance to win free movies for a year. Sign up online at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) (type in sponsor code "LAVC"). For more info, call the Student Health Center at (818) 947-2918.
- **Free Movie Screening at LAVC!** Don't miss a free screening of the film "Consuming Kids: "Consuming Kids: The Commercialization of Childhood" on Wednesday, April 28 from 1-3 p.m. in Monarch Hall. This brand-new and critically acclaimed film throws desperately needed light on the practices of a relentless multi-billion dollar marketing machine that's selling kids everything from junk food to violent video games. For more information, contact Elmida Baghdaserians at 818 778-5502 or [baghdaes@lavc.edu](mailto:baghdaes@lavc.edu).
- **Final Week of the Typewriter Exhibit at the LAVC Historical Museum.** The "Metal into Words" exhibition at the LAVC Historical Museum will close on April 29. The exhibit, which is open Monday-Thursday, from 3-7 p.m., is free and open to the public. The exhibit features a wide variety of antique typewriters, miniature machines, toys, and various typewriter-related items, with informational background and descriptions accompanying the display, from private collection of Martin M. Cooper. For more information, call the LAVC Historical Museum at (818) 947-2373 or visit [www.lavc.edu/museum](http://www.lavc.edu/museum).
- **Make a Difference...Donate Your Used Books Today!** Tau Alpha Epsilon and Better World Books are holding a Book Drive on campus to benefit literacy efforts in Africa and around the world. Please, help TAE's efforts by donating any kind of books you don't need anymore. (It's okay if they have some highlighting and water damage marks.) Just drop the books in the big green collection boxes at the following locations: Library, Cafeteria, Writing Center, EOPS/CARE Tutoring Center, ASU Office, and the English Department Office's Conference room. For more information, contact TAE at [tae.lavc@gmail.com](mailto:tae.lavc@gmail.com).

- **Help The Needy by Donating to the TAE Food Drive.** Tau Alpha Epsilon and the Los Angeles Regional Food Bank are holding a Food Drive on campus to provide meals and basic products to the needy. Please donate nonperishable food items in the Foodbank barrels located at the following locations: Administration Building, English Department Office, Library, and the EOPS/CARE Tutoring Center. Much needed items include: canned tuna, sardines, stew, soups, cereals, nuts, applesauce, sugar, peanut butter & jelly, pancake mix, rice, pasta, and personal care items such as toothpaste, shampoo, soap, and deodorants. For more information, contact TAE at [tae.lavc@gmail.com](mailto:tae.lavc@gmail.com).
- **Help to Improve Communication at LAVC by taking the Communications Survey.** LAVC is doing a campus-wide survey to help the college improve campus communication to our faculty, staff and students. You can provide feedback on communications by taking the student survey at <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Z8CJB6>. If you have a question or there is a problem with accessing the survey, please call (818) 947-2434 or email [research@lavc.edu](mailto:research@lavc.edu).
- **Are You Interested in Being a Science, Technology, Engineering and Math Major? Sign Up Today for the STEM Summer Bridge Program!** The LAVC STEM Program will be holding a Summer Math and Engineering Bridge from June 21-July 1, 2010. Students who are interested in majoring in Science, Technology, Engineering or Math are invited to participate. For more information, visit [www.lavc.edu/stem](http://www.lavc.edu/stem).
- **Magic Mountain College Days Tickets are \$20!** The LAVC Bookstore is selling Six Flags Magic Mountain College Days tickets for only \$20 each; the tickets can be used any day between May 3-24, 2010. You will receive a free booklet of Six Flags discount coupons with each purchase of a College Days ticket. The LAVC Bookstore is also still selling Six Flags Magic Mountain general admission tickets for only \$26.00 each (regular price is \$54.99). For more information, contact the LAVC Bookstore at (818) 947-2313.

## Events & Announcements for Faculty/Staff

**Help Improve Communications at LAVC by Taking the Communication Survey.** LAVC is doing a campus-wide survey to help the college improve campus communication to our faculty, staff and students. Faculty and staff are encouraged to complete the survey at <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ZKFGKKR>. If you have a question or there is a problem with accessing the survey, please call (818) 947-2434 or email [research@lavc.edu](mailto:research@lavc.edu).

**Got Upcoming Events and/or Good News That You Want to Share?** If your department/office/program/service has a news item, upcoming campus event, or information that you want to share with the public and/or the campus community, please email your PR Request Form (available at <http://lavc.edu/campusnews/pr.html>) to the Public Relations Office at [news@lavc.edu](mailto:news@lavc.edu). The Public Relations Office can assist with disseminating press release, post announcements in the College Bulletin, post events on the college's electronic marquee, posting events or information on the LAVC Homepage, and more. Questions? Contact the PR Office at [news@lavc.edu](mailto:news@lavc.edu).

**April 26 – Lunch & Learn Session: Plagiarism.** LAVC Professional Development will offer a “Lunch & Learn Workshop” on plagiarism on Monday, April 26 from 1-2 p.m. in the Professional Development Center (Bungalow 83). This session will be facilitated by Deborah Kaye. Come share teaching strategies for classroom management, socialize with colleagues, and have a chance to win a USB drive filled with resources by bringing a copy of a handout or teaching strategy. Please bring your lunch (beverages and desserts will be provided). For more information, visit [www.lavc.edu/profdev](http://www.lavc.edu/profdev), or contact Professional Development at (818) 947-2712 or [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu).

**April 26 – Promoting Dialogue about Diversity in the Classroom.** LAVC Professional Development and the LAVC Diversity Committee will offer a workshop on “Promoting Dialogue about Diversity in the Classroom” on Monday, April 26 from 1-2:30 p.m. in the Cafeteria Conference Room. This workshop will help you overcome anxiety about discussing diversity in your classes, teach you activities that creatively promote diversity awareness, and allow you to participate in exercises to use in class. Find out how to use role modeling to help students appreciate similarities and differences during peer interactions. This workshop is facilitated by Melissa



Shepherd, MFT. For more information, visit [www.lavc.edu/profdev](http://www.lavc.edu/profdev), or contact Professional Development at (818) 947-2712 or [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu).

**April 27 & 28 - Using the Valley College Portal.** LAVC Professional Development, Title V and Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Grant will offer several sessions of the "Using the Valley College Portal" workshop in the Professional Development Center (Bungalow 83). Choose from one of the following four sessions: Tuesday, April 27 from 1-2 p.m. or from 5:30-6:30 p.m., or Wednesday, April 28 from 11 a.m.-12 noon or from 1-2 p.m. Come learn how to use the "My LAVC Portal," located at <http://my.lavc.edu>. This new information system will allow you as a faculty member to exchange information with your students, such as syllabus, assignments, and discussions; maintain your faculty profile; and receive targeted information, such as announcements. The portal will save you time and give your class an online presence. This workshop will be facilitated by Jim Marteney or Justin Stonehocker. For more information, visit [www.lavc.edu/profdev](http://www.lavc.edu/profdev), or contact Professional Development at (818) 947-2712 or [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu).

**April 29 – Photoshop.** LAVC Professional Development and Title V will offer a "Photoshop" workshop on Thursday, April 29 from 1-2:30 p.m. in Engineering 100. This workshop, which is facilitated by Justin Stonehocker, will cover the basic concepts of Photoshop such as how to create new image documents, size manipulation, toolset functions and examples, filters and layers. For more information, visit [www.lavc.edu/profdev](http://www.lavc.edu/profdev), or contact Professional Development at (818) 947-2712 or [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu).

**April 29 – Nuts & Bolts of Assessment.** LAVC Professional Development and the SLO Committee will offer a "Nuts & Bolts of Assessment" workshop on Thursday, April 29 from 1-2:30 p.m. in the Professional Development Center (Bungalow 83). This hands-on workshop facilitated by Rebecca Stein, SLO Coordinator, will make it easy for you to assess your student learning. For more information, visit [www.lavc.edu/profdev](http://www.lavc.edu/profdev), or contact Professional Development at (818) 947-2712 or [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu).

**April 30 - LEED Green Associate Exam Prep Training.** LAVC will hold a "LEED Green Associate Exam Prep Training" on Friday, April 30 from 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. in the Cafeteria Conference Room. The training will be presented by LEED accredited professionals who are also experienced LEED project managers. Flex credit is available to those who participate. A light breakfast and lunch will be served. RSVP required. To RSVP, contact Don Gauthier at [gauthidg@lavc.edu](mailto:gauthidg@lavc.edu) or (818) 778-5514.

**April 30 - Green Trends & Sustainability Practices Workshop at Mission College.** LA Mission College will have a "Trends in Green & Sustainable Practices" workshop on Friday, April 30 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. in Mission College's Campus Center, Room 5 & 6 at 13356 Eldridge Avenue in Sylmar. The workshop will focus on green jobs and green pathways in LA County for college faculty/staff, and high school, middle school and tech prep partners. For more information, call (818) 833-3407 or email [aribruar@lamission.edu](mailto:aribruar@lamission.edu).

**Do You Know Where Your 60th Anniversary Banner is On Campus?** Check out the LAVC 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary web site for a map noting the location of all the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary pedestrian banners along with the sponsor(s) of each banner. To view the link to the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Banners web page, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/60/banners.html>.

**Save the Date—Greening Valley College Afternoon Tea Talk on May 7.** LAVC Job Training, Professional Development, VTEA Grant, and VCAP will hold a Greening Valley College Afternoon Tea Talk on "How big is your carbon footprint? How can you reduce it?" on Friday, May 7 from 1:30-3 p.m. in the Professional Development Center (Bungalow 83). For more information, contact Roana Thornock at (818) 947-2455 or [thornorm@lavc.edu](mailto:thornorm@lavc.edu).

## Activities this Week

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](http://www.lavc.edu). For a schedule of campus committee meetings, visit [www.lavc.edu/committees.html](http://www.lavc.edu/committees.html).

### Sunday, April 25

Summer Session 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)

Community Services Winter/Spring 2010 Registration (Online). [www.lavc.edu/communityed](http://www.lavc.edu/communityed)

Greater Valley Glen Firefighters' Pancake Breakfast @ 9 am- 12 noon (LAFD Valley Glen Fire Station 102 – 13200 Burbank Blvd, Van Nuys, CA 91401); Tickets: \$5, Children 4 to 12 \$3, Children under 3 Free – Contact: Terry Anderson (818) 902-9066 [View Flyer](#) (PDF)

Greater Valley Glen Community Safety Fair @ 10 am- 2 pm (Parking Lot A); Free – Contact: Terry Anderson (818) 902-9066 [View Flyer](#) (PDF)

"Remote Beacons in a Dark Universe" LAVC Astronomy Group Lecture @ 7:45- 9 pm (Planetarium) - Contact: LAVC Astronomy Group (818) 947-2335 [falkdj@lavc.edu](mailto:falkdj@lavc.edu) <http://lavcastrogroup.org/>

## Monday, April 26

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Community Services Winter/Spring 2010 Registration (Online or in person). [www.lavc.edu/communityed](http://www.lavc.edu/communityed)

Lunch & Learn Session on Plagiarism for Faculty @ 1- 2 pm (Professional Development Center – Bungalow 83) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712 [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu)

"Promoting Dialogue About Diversity in the Classroom" Workshop for Faculty @ 1- 2:30 pm (Cafeteria Conference Room) - Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712 [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu)

"Metal into Words: the Martin M. Cooper Typewriter Collection" Exhibition @ 3- 7 pm (Historical Museum – Bungalow 15/16); Call ahead to verify hours of operation - Contact: Bill Carpenter (818) 947-2373 [carpenb@lavc.edu](mailto:carpenb@lavc.edu) [www.lavc.edu/museum/calendar.html](http://www.lavc.edu/museum/calendar.html)

Greater Valley Glen Council Committee Meeting @ 6- 10 pm (Faculty Lounge) - Contact: Terry Anderson (818) 902-9066

## Tuesday, April 27

Summer Session 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)

Community Services Winter/Spring 2010 Registration (Online or in person). [www.lavc.edu/communityed](http://www.lavc.edu/communityed)

ASU Club Day @ 9 am- 2 pm (Monarch Square) - Contact: Associated Student Union (818) 778-5516 [www.lavc.edu/asu/calendar.html](http://www.lavc.edu/asu/calendar.html)

Van Nuys Worksource Job Fair @ 10 am- 1 pm (Monarch Hall) - Contact: Job Training (818) 947-2941

LAVC Town Hall Meeting (Facilities Master Plan) @ 12:45- 1:45 pm (Cafeteria Conference Room) - Contact: President's Office (818) 947-2321 [View Flyer](#) (PDF)

Using the Valley College Portal for Faculty @ 1- 2 pm (Professional Development Center – Bungalow 83) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712 [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu)

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Creative Experiences for Young Children Program (Ages 2-4) @ 4- 5 pm (Bungalow 49); Free RSVP – Contact: Family Resource Center (818) 778-5612 [View Flyer](#) (PDF)

Using the Valley College Portal for Faculty @ 5:30- 6:30 pm (Professional Development Center – Bungalow 83) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712 [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu)

## Wednesday, April 28

Summer Session 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)

Community Services Winter/Spring 2010 Registration (Online or in person). [www.lavc.edu/communityed](http://www.lavc.edu/communityed)

Using the Valley College Portal for Faculty @ 11 am- 12 noon (Professional Development Center – Bungalow 83) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712 [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu)

Using the Valley College Portal for Faculty @ 1- 2 pm (Professional Development Center – Bungalow 83) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712 [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu)

Screening of *"Consuming Kids: The Commercialization of Childhood"* @ 1- 3 pm (Monarch Hall); Free – Contact: Elmida Baghdaserians 818) 778-5502 [baghdaes@lavc.edu](mailto:baghdaes@lavc.edu).

*"Metal into Words: the Martin M. Cooper Typewriter Collection"* Exhibition @ 3- 7 pm (Historical Museum – Bungalow 15/16); Call ahead to verify hours of operation - Contact: Bill Carpenter (818) 947-2373 [carpenb@lavc.edu](mailto:carpenb@lavc.edu) [www.lavc.edu/museum/calendar.html](http://www.lavc.edu/museum/calendar.html)

Readings by Professor Bill Wallis and Professor Dick Wimmer @ 7- 8 pm (Fireside Room) – Contact: Dick Wimmer (818) 889-1006

#### **Thursday, April 29**

**Summer Session 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)**

Community Services Winter/Spring 2010 Registration (Online or in person). [www.lavc.edu/communityed](http://www.lavc.edu/communityed)

LAVC Blood Drive @ 9 am- 3 pm (Blood Mobile next to Allied Health & Science Building) - Contact: Student Health Center (818) 947-2918

*"Careers in Entertainment"* Career Speaker Workshop Series @ 1- 2 pm (Foreign Language 102) - Contact: Career/Transfer Center (818) 947-2646 [View Flyer](#) (PDF)

Photoshop Workshop for Faculty/Staff @ 1-2:30 pm (Engineering 100) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712 [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu)

*"Nuts & Bolts of Assessment"* Workshop for Faculty/Staff @ 1- 2:30 pm (Professional Development Center – Bungalow 83) – Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2712 [profdev@lavc.edu](mailto:profdev@lavc.edu)

*"Reducing Liability in Early Care and Education"* CA Early Childhood Mentor Program Seminar @ 1:30- 3:30 pm (Cafeteria Conference Room); Free - Contact: Ellen Farhood (818) 947-2600 ext. 8082 [View Flyer](#) (PDF)

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LAVC Town Hall Meeting (Facilities Master Plan) @ 4- 5 pm (Cafeteria Conference Room) - Contact: President's Office (818) 947-2321 [View Flyer](#) (PDF)

#### **Friday, April 30**

**Summer Session 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)**

Community Services Winter/Spring 2010 Registration (Online or in person). [www.lavc.edu/communityed](http://www.lavc.edu/communityed)

LEED Green Associate Exam Preparation Training @ 7:30 am- 4:30 pm (Cafeteria Conference Room); RSVP required - Contact: Don Gauthier (818) 778-5514 [gauthidg@lavc.edu](mailto:gauthidg@lavc.edu)

LAVC Job Club @ 9 am- 12 noon (Faculty Lounge); RSVP required – Contact: Job Club (818) 778-5832 [www.lavc.edu/jobtraining/jobclub.html](http://www.lavc.edu/jobtraining/jobclub.html)

LAVC Astronomy Group Public Planetarium Show @ 8- 10 pm (Planetarium) - Contact: David Falk (818) 947-2864

#### **Saturday, May 1**

**Summer Session 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)**

Community Services Winter/Spring 2010 Registration (Online). [www.lavc.edu/communityed](http://www.lavc.edu/communityed)



**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.  
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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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