



## Los Angeles Valley College College Bulletin *July 8-14, 2007*

### LAVC Campus News



#### **BBQ Fundraiser for LAVC Student with Cancer**

There will be a barbeque fundraiser for Marcela Ceballos, an LAVC student who has been stricken with cancer, on Wednesday, July 11 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. in the quad area between Campus Center and the Administration Building. The event is being coordinated by several LAVC staff members to raise money to help her pay for medical bills. A hamburger/chips/drink combo is \$5, a hot dog/chips/drink combo is \$4.50, and a hot link/chips/drink combo is \$4. For more information, contact Josie Torres in Academic Affairs at (818) 947-2720.



#### **New VP of Academic Affairs Appointed**

Dr. Sandra "Sandy" Mayo was appointed as LAVC's new vice president of academic affairs. She will succeed Carlotta Tronto, vice president of academic affairs since 2002, who retired in June. Mayo comes to LAVC from Santiago Canyon Community College, where she was the dean of business, mathematics and sciences. Prior to that, she was LAVC's director of the PACE (Program Accelerated College Education) and Weekend College programs. She will start her position on August 1.



#### **LAVC Student Awarded Prestigious Jack Kent Cooke Scholarship**

The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation officially announced that LAVC student Edwina Loh is one of 51 recipients of the Jack Kent Cooke Undergraduate Transfer Scholarship Program. The prestigious scholarship, the largest in the U.S. to community college transfer students, will provide funding for tuition, room and board, fees and books. The program provides up to \$30,000 per year, for up to three years, for high-achieving, low-income students from community or two-year colleges.



### **Media Arts Student Wins Top Prize at Film Festival**

On June 14, LAVC Media Arts student Ima Kuroda won first place at the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Community College Film Festival for her short 16mm film "Reality". LAVC, LA City College and Santa Monica College all completed for top prizes, which included \$5,000 in editing services. The Festival was held at Westside Pavilion Landmark Cinema.



### **Seeking Campus Input on Navigation of the New LAVC Web Site**

The LAVC Public Relations office is still soliciting feedback on the navigation options for the campus's new Web site. The campus community is encouraged to provide recommendations on specific links that they would like to be included on the vertical and/or horizontal menus. A sample of a "test" Web site's navigation is available at <http://avisobeta.com/LACCD/index.php>. (This template does not reflect the actual look of the new Web site but contains samples of links and navigation tools.) Comments should be sent to [fongjc@lavc.edu](mailto:fongjc@lavc.edu).

## **LAVC In the News**



June 30, 2007

### **'76 Los Angeles Valley College volleyball team inducted into Hall of Fame**

A story on the induction of the 1976 LAVC Women's Volleyball team into LAVC's Athletics Hall of Fame on June 30. The induction banquet commemorated the specially chosen athletes, teams, athletic personnel and organizations. To read the entire article, visit [http://www.dailynews.com/sports/ci\\_6267081](http://www.dailynews.com/sports/ci_6267081)



July 4, 2007

The LAVC Planetarium Group to hold a "Summer Sky" planetarium show on July 6 at LAVC. To view the calendar listing, visit <http://www.lacitybeat.com/article.php?id=5763&IssueNum=213>

## **Campus Activities**

There may be a charge to attend the below event, so contact the respective department for more information.

### **Sunday, July 8**

"Cassini-Huygens at Saturn" Astronomy Lecture @ 7:45-9 pm (Planetarium)

### **Monday, July 9**

### **Tuesday, July 10**

**Wednesday, July 11**

**Thursday, July 12**

*LACCD Personnel Commission "How to Prepare for a Classified Exam" Workshop @ 1-3 p.m. (CCR)*

**Friday, July 13**

*Parent & Baby Sessions @ 10–11:30 am (Bungalow 49)*

**Saturday, July 14**

*High School Passing League Football Tournament @ 8 am-6 pm (Monarch Stadium/Track/Football Practice Field)*

## **Committee Meetings**

For LAVC committee meetings, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/committeessp07.html>

## **Campus Announcements**

Would you like Smart Classroom Training? During the slower summer months, IMS is offering training on demand for using the equipment in the new smart classrooms. Call (818) 947-2485 for your personal training session. There will also be small group training sessions in the fall.

Faculty and staff are urged to keep AV cabinets in new smart classrooms locked at all times. LCD Remotes are \$125 each and are very difficult to replace. If you have any questions, please contact the IMS department at (818) 947-2485.

IDEAS workshops are available to LAVC employees at no cost. To register, email Rich Holdredge at [ideas@lavc.edu](mailto:ideas@lavc.edu) or call (818) 947-2453.

Do you have any remembrances you'd like to share about Ralph Lazo? A filmmaker (independent of work mentioned in a recent *LA Times* article) is gathering information for a new film on the former LAVC counselor. He would like to talk with anyone who knew Ralph Lazo in any connection—in general or specific. If you have something to share, please contact Paul Durant at (213) 713-8882 or Les Boston at (818) 787-8646.

The Cater Foods catering truck is scheduled to be in Monarch Square (in front of Campus Center) on Monday-Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Phone orders are welcome. (213) 377-8855.

**PLEASE ANNOUNCE TO ALL STUDENTS:** The Child Development department offers on-campus Summer Parent & Baby sessions for student parents in Bungalow 49. The summer dates and times are listed on [www.lavc.edu](http://www.lavc.edu) (click on the "Parent and Baby Sessions" link). For more information, call Kathleen Weislein at (818) 778-5528.

**PLEASE ANNOUNCE TO ALL STUDENTS:** The Child Development department's Family Resource Center now offers a lactation room for breastfeeding mothers. It's a private space with comfortable chair and refrigerator available for women who need to pump milk during the day. The Family Resource Center is located in Bungalow 49. To set up a schedule, please contact Kathleen Weislein at (818) 778-5528.

## **Bond A/AA Updates**

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

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