



Los Angeles Valley College College Bulletin September 16-22, 2007

LAVC Campus News



Gail Brown on the Cover of Pasadena Weekly

Gail Brown, an LAVC photography instructor, appeared on the cover of the July issue of *Pasadena Weekly*. The three page cover story concerns her project "From Where They're Standing", which involved teaching kids in Eagle Rock and Watts how to use cameras to document their lives and create art. The project resulted in an exhibition at the Watts Towers Arts Center. The article can be read online at http://www.pasadenaweekly.com/past_issues.php



Valley of the Stars Gala Video on the LAVC Web Site

The video presentation of LAVC at this year's Valley of the Star's Gala is now available on the Web site. LAVC was the education honoree at the Economic Alliance of the San Fernando Valley's 2007 Valley of the Stars Gala at the CBS Studio in Studio City. The video highlights the college as well as our business partnerships in the community. President Wieder showed the video at the faculty opening day and the classified staff town hall meetings. To watch the video, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/videos/valleyofthestars.html>



Interim President for LA City College

On September 7, the LACCD Board of Trustees announced that Dr. Jamillah Moore, former Chief Deputy at the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office, will serve as the interim president for Los Angeles City College. She will assume the office on September 24, replacing Dr. Steve Maradian, and will occupy the position during a one-year presidential selection process. To read the entire press release, visit <http://www.laccd.edu/news/InterimPresidentNamedforLACC.htm>



Save the Date: Senior Olympics Gymnastics Meet on September 30

On September 30, the Senior Olympics Gymnastics will hold a meet from 12:45-5 p.m. in the Gymnastics Center in the LAVC South Gym. All gymnastics events will be held including the rope climb. Anyone 18 and older is welcome to participate. For more information, contact Bambi at (818) 947-2513.

LAVC In the News



September 9, 2007

Former LAVC student makes a film of the novel “Samy’s Story”

Priyankara Vitanachchi, an LAVC alumnus, was featured in a Sri Lankan newspaper story on his new film 'Samige Kathawa'. The film is based on “Samy’s Story” by Capt. Elmo Jayawardena, which was the 2001 Gratien Award winner for “Best English Novel”. To view the article, visit

http://www.sundaytimes.lk/070909/TV/tv_1.html

Campus Activities

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

Sunday, September 16

IDEAS Workshop “Topics on Photoshop CS3” @ noon – 3 pm (CC6) – Richard Holdredge x2453

Monday, September 17

Tuesday, September 18

LAVC Women’s Soccer vs. Ventura College @ 4 pm (Monarch Stadium) – Athletic Dept x2508

Wednesday, September 19

Thursday, September 20

“Fall Semester Kick Off” Music Department Faculty Variety Show @ 11:30 am (Mainstage Theater) – Music Department x2347

Friday, September 21

International Student Club Meeting @ 2–4 pm (Cafeteria Conference Room) – Joyce Romero x2644

Saturday, September 22

Household Hazardous Waste Collection @ 9 am – 3 pm (Parking Lot B) – City of Los Angeles, Sanitation Dept (800) 988-6942

Committee Meetings

For LAVC committee meetings, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/committeesfall07.html>

Campus Announcements

SECOND NOTICE OF ACADEMIC RANK. The filing period for advancement in academic rank will begin on Tuesday, September 4, 2007 at 9 am and conclude on Friday, October 12, 2007 at 12 noon.

Specifically, applications for advancement in rank will be available beginning on Tuesday, September 4, 2007 at 9 am and conclude on Friday, September 28, 2007 at 12 noon. The time frame for the return of applications for advancement in rank will begin on Monday, October 1, 2007 at 9 am and conclude on Friday, October 12, 2007 at 12 noon. Interested parties should contact Kathy Snider, Chair of the Academic Rank Committee at sniderke@lavc.edu or 818-947-2834 (office voice mail) or x2834 (campus

extension). The necessary forms, including a letter of instruction, will be forwarded to the applicant upon request. For those wishing to access the Academic Rank Policy, go online to the LAVC Website, click on faculty/staff resources and then click on Academic Rank Policy.

Los Angeles Valley College is seeking a Transfer Alliance Program (TAP) Director (Instructor, Special Assignment, .6 reassigned time). The job description is available at http://www.lavc.edu/Employment/TAPDirectorJob_ext.pdf. The letter of application and supporting documentation should be received *no later than noon, Wednesday,, September 19, 2007*. Interested persons should submit a Faculty Employment Application (www.laccd.edu/district_resources/employment.htm), three names of references (including phone/email contacts), and curriculum vitae to:

Erline Ewing
Academic Affairs
Attn: TAP Director Position
Los Angeles Valley College
5800 Fulton Avenue
Valley Glen, CA 91401

A retirement party for Eileen Pearl will be held on Wednesday, October 3 in Monarch Hall. The luncheon will be \$28 per person. Please RSVP by September 28. For more information, contact Jackie Lima at (818) 947-2700.

New Document Cameras for Faculty. Media Services has two new document cameras which can project tiny objects as well as text via an LCD projector. Project pictures in books, text passages, and show tiny objects at huge screen size enlargements. Easy to use too! Come to Media Services (Library, Room 104) by for a demo.

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 Media Services department at (818) 947-2485.

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

PLEASE ANNOUNCE TO ALL STUDENTS: The deadline to petition for Fall 2007 graduation is Friday, October 5 at 4 p.m. Please visit the Graduation Office in Administration Building, Room 127 to file your petition. For more information, call the LAVC Graduation Office at (818) 947-2403.

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 every Wednesday for the following week's activities and events.

To submit events/news items for the College Bulletin, marquee requests and/or a PR request, complete the PR Request Form at <http://www.lavc.edu/bulletin/bulletin.html>

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