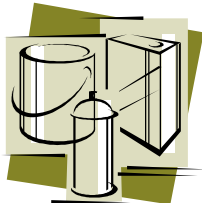




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LAVC Campus News



Household Hazardous Waste & Electronic Waste Collection

The City of Los Angeles's Department of Public Works Bureau of Sanitation will hold the second day of its Household Hazardous Waste & Computer/Electronic Equipment Collection event on **Sunday, September 21 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. in LAVC's Parking Lot B**. For more information on what items will be accepted, visit http://www.lacity.org/san/solid_resources/special/hhw/collection_schedule.htm.



Don't Miss the Free Wednesday Concert – A “Faculty Variety Show”

The Music Department's Fall 2008 Concert Series will kick off with a Free Wednesday "Faculty Variety Show" concert on **Wednesday, September 24 from 1-2 p.m. in the Music Recital Hall (Music 106)**. Every other Wednesday, the Music Department features a free musical performance that is open to the public. In addition, the Music Department also offers other concerts throughout the year. To view the complete schedule of concerts offered by the Music Department this Fall, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/defaultdocs/F08MailerInside.pdf>. For more information or to be added to their email list, contact Christian Nova at (818) 947-2347 or email concerts@lavc.edu.



Smart Classroom Training for Faculty

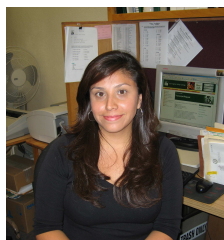
The Media Services Department will offer “Smart Classroom Training on **Thursday, September 25 in**

Campus Center 201. In just 20 minutes, you'll be up and running! Classes will be **held at 2:30 p.m. and 6 p.m.** No need to RSVP, just show up. For more information, contact Bob Dodds at (818) 947-2485.



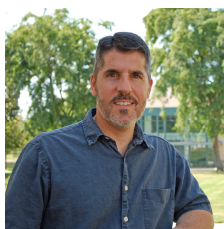
Last Week to Pick Up an Application for Advancement in Academic Rank

The **deadline to obtain an application for advancement in academic rank for Spring 2009 will be Friday, September 26 at 12 noon.** Applicants must inquire into this process on an individual basis; Group or department requests will not be honored. The necessary forms, including a letter of instruction, will be forwarded to the applicant upon request. The Academic Rank Policy is available at www.lavc.edu (click on "for faculty and staff," then click on "Faculty Resources" and, then click on the Academic Rank Policy link). **The deadline to submit the application for advancement in rank will be Friday, October 10 at 12 noon.** Interested faculty should contact Kathy Snider, Chair of the Academic Rank Committee, at sniderke@lavc.edu or (818) 947-2834.



A New Face in Academic Affairs

Maria Real is the new permanent Administrative Secretary in the Office of Academic Affairs. She will assist Dr. Sandy Mayo, Vice President of Academic Affairs, with paperwork that requires her signature, and managing the Vice President's calendar scheduling. In addition, Maria will be also responsible for initiating the hiring process of new faculty positions, processing faculty grievances, and taking Departmental Council minutes. Prior to coming to LAVC, she was an office manager at Lockwood Elementary. Maria is an alumna of LAVC. She can be reached at realmi@lavc.edu or at (818) 947-2378. Welcome Maria!



New Associate Dean of DSPS

Valley College welcomes **Dave Green, the new Associate Dean of the Disabled Student Program and Services.** Dave will oversee Disability Testing, Counseling, Accommodations, Alternate Media Production, Proctoring, the Adapted P.E. Program and the Americans with Disability Act (ADA) Transition Plan. He comes to LAVC after serving at Mission College for seven years, primarily in the role of Compliance Officer. At Mission College, Dave also served as the Interim Dean of Student Services and Acting Vice President of Student Services. He has also worked at UCLA in a variety of roles, including Mobility and Transportation Assistance Coordinator for the Office for Students with Disabilities, and Assistant to the Coordinator for the Chancellor's ADA and 504 Compliance Office. Dave holds a Bachelors Degree in Political Science and a Masters Degree of Science in Education and College Student Personnel Services. He can be contacted at (818) 947-2679 or at greendm@lavc.edu. Welcome!

Additional news items are posted at <http://www.lavc.edu/campusnews/index.html>

Please Announce to All Students:

Share the following important campus announcements with your students:

- ***Got your parking permit?*** Just a reminder, parking permits are required to park in all student lots. Buy your parking permits at the Business Office located across the street from the Cafeteria. Vehicles without a displayed parking permit will be ticketed.
- ***Deadline to Petition for Fall 2008 Graduation.*** The deadline for petitioning for Fall 2008 graduation is Friday, October 3, 2008 at 4 pm. Petitions are available in the Graduation Office in Administration, Room 127. Got questions? Call (818) 947-2403.
- ***Revised Non-resident Tuition Waiver Policy for Fall 2008.*** All non-resident students enrolled in 6 or fewer units during the Fall 2008 semester will be exempt from paying non-resident tuition. All non-resident students enrolled in more than 6 units will pay non-resident tuition for all units in which they are enrolled. For questions regarding this policy, contact the Admissions & Records Office at (818) 947-2553.
- ***Order your advanced ticket for High Holiday Services.*** Hillel 818 invites students and the community to its High Holiday services, led by Rabbi Jonathan Klein, at CSUN Hillel at 17729 Plummer Street, Northridge, CA 91325. The cost is free to students and those under 18 years of age, \$125 for the community (all services), and \$10 for the Student Rosh HaShanah Dinner (purchased in advance). All tickets must be purchased in advance; admission cards are required for entry. For more information, call (818) 887-5901.
- ***Want a paid internship?*** The LACCD Interns program offers students the opportunity for a paid internship in professional offices, with flexible hours to accommodate student schedules. Visit www.laccdinterns.org for a list of available internships. Interested students are required to complete an online application, complete an online resume, and obtain a faculty referral. If you have any questions or concerns, or wish to schedule a class/department presentation, contact Kaisha Jones at (213) 996-2533 or at Kaisha.Jones@build-LACCD.org.
- ***Save the Date!*** The LACCD and Build-LACCD, in association with Green Technology's Green California Community College Summit, will present a "Green Job Fair and Workforce Development Event" on Wednesday, October 8 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Pasadena Convention Center - East Pavilion. Admission is free! Please dress professionally, and bring your resume. Questions? Contact Michael Flores at (213) 996-2533.

Other Announcements

Save the Date—LAVC Blood Drive. Save A Life! LA Valley College will hold a Blood Drive on Tuesday, October 7, 2008 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. in Monarch Hall. To schedule an appointment sign up ONLINE www.givelife.org (sponsor code: LAVC) or contact Health Center at (818) 947-2918.

Save the Date—3rd Annual Chairs, Deans & VPAA Workshop. The AFT/LACCD will be holding its 3rd Annual Workshop for Department Chairs, Deans and Vice Presidents of Academic Affairs on Friday, October 17 from 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m. in the District Office. Continental breakfast, lunch and parking is provided. RSVP required. For more information and/or to secure your spot and lunch, contact Tina at tepherson@aft1521.org.

LACCD Health Benefits Call Center. Got questions about your eligibility, enrollment, or any of your health benefit plans? The new LACCD Health Benefits Call Center is available from Monday - Friday between 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. at (888) 428-2980. Starting July 1, all correspondences, applications, payment and requested supporting documents for enrollment should be sent to: LACCD Health Benefits Center,

770 Wilshire Boulevard, 6th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90017. For questions, contact Dawn Bastin, Director of Business Services, at (213) 891-2400.

Correction

The time of the Household Hazardous Waste & Computer/Electronic Equipment Collection event in the September 14-20 issue of the College Bulletin was incorrectly noted. The collection event will be open from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. on September 20-21 in LAVC's Parking Lot B. We apologize for any confusion this may cause.

Campus Activities

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 <http://www.lavc.edu>, including a complete faculty/staff calendar.

Sunday, September 21

Household Hazardous Waste & Computer/Electronic Equipment Collection Event @ 9 am-3 pm (Burbank Blvd. & Coldwater Canyon Ext.) – Contact: City of Los Angeles (800) 988-6942
http://www.lacity.org/san/solid_resources/special/hhw/collection_schedule.htm

Monday, September 22

Professional Development "Word: Formatting Documents" workshop @ 1-2 pm (Professional Development Center) - Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2569 <http://staffdev.lavc.edu/>
Applications for Advancement in Academic Rank Available - Contact: Kathy Snider (818) 947-2834
sniderke@lavc.edu

Tuesday, September 23

Parent & Baby Session (en Espanol) @ 10:30-11:30 am (Bungalow 49); Free - Contact: Family Resource Center (818) 778-5518 weislekm@lavc.edu
Applications for Advancement in Academic Rank Available - Contact: Kathy Snider (818) 947-2834
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Wednesday, September 24

Music Department Presents "Faculty Variety Show" @ 1-2 pm (Music Recital Hall - M106) - Contact: Christian Nova (818) 947-2347 concerts@lavc.edu <http://www.lavc.edu/defaultdocs/F08MailerInside.pdf>
Professional Development "Sharing Best Practices: Interactive Learning" workshop @ 1 pm (Professional Development Center); RSVP required. - Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2569
<http://staffdev.lavc.edu/>
Professional Development "Sharing Best Practices: Interactive Learning" workshop @ 5:30 pm (Professional Development Center); RSVP required. - Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2569 <http://staffdev.lavc.edu/>
Applications for Advancement in Academic Rank Available - Contact: Kathy Snider (818) 947-2834
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Thursday, September 25

Parent & Baby Session (for Infants) @ 11:30 a.m.-12:30 pm (Bungalow 49); Free – Contact: Family Resource Center (818) 778-5518 weislekm@lavc.edu

Professional Development "Dealing with Discipline" workshop @ 1 pm (Faculty Lounge) - Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2569 <http://staffdev.lavc.edu/>

Applications for Advancement in Academic Rank Available - Contact: Kathy Snider (818) 947-2834 sniderke@lavc.edu

Friday, September 26

Parent & Baby Session (for Toddlers) @ 11:30 a.m.-12:30 pm (Bungalow 49); Free – Contact: Family Resource Center (818) 778-5518 weislekm@lavc.edu

Professional Development "Word: Formatting Longer Documents" workshop @ 1-2 pm (Professional Development Center) - Contact: Professional Development (818) 947-2569 <http://staffdev.lavc.edu/>

Applications for Advancement in Academic Rank Available; Ends at 12 noon - Contact: Kathy Snider (818) 947-2834 sniderke@lavc.edu

Saturday, September 27

Committee Meetings

A complete schedule of all LAVC committee meetings is available at <http://www.lavc.edu/committees.html>. This link contains meeting dates, committee chair contact info, and committee Web pages.

Bond A/AA Updates

The Bond A/AA Web site is currently being updated. To view the revised Proposition A/AA Web page, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/propa/index.html>

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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