

CALENDAR



March is Women's History Month!

March 23 WEAVE "The Psychology of Domestic Violence," 7:30-8:50am, BS 129

March 23 "What's up with Pat- Gender Identity and Social Psychology," 9:00-10:20am, BS 129

March 23 "How to change the world from underneath the glass ceiling: Shattering Ideas about what you can do with you life!" 9:00-10:20am, Bookstore Patio

March 23 Film and Discussion: "The Globalization of Sex Trafficking," 10:30-11:50am, BS 114

March 23 "Women Mean Business in the Fight Against Poverty and HIV/AIDS," 12:00-1:20pm, BS 125

March 23 Presentation and Discussion: "Media, Gender, and Society: Advertising Images," 1:30-2:50pm, L 102

March 24 Film and Discussion: "Advertising Images and Our Sense of Ourselves: Are They Still Killing Us Softly?" 9:00-10:20am, LRC 104

March 24 "Story Telling," 12:00-1:00pm, Orchard Room

March 24 "Living with Race, Living with Words: When We Were Colored and Beyond," 7:00-8:30pm, Recital Hall

March 25 Video Clips and Discussion: "Women in Defense of the Environment," 10:30-11:40am, CAC 138

March 26 "Redefining the Domestic Sphere: American Women Reformers and Community Organizing," 9:00-10:20am, L317A

March 26 Film Clips and Discussion: "Women Behind the Camera: Some Women Filmmakers in America and Community Organizing," 10:30-11:50am, L111

March 26 Film and Discussion: "Human Development and Human Trafficking: Born into Brothels," 12:00-1:20pm, BS 119

March 26 Documentary Film and Discussion: "N!ai, The Story of a !Kung Woman," 1:30-2:50pm, LRC 104

March 26 "Women in Art, Women Artists: Painting and Photography," 5:30-6:50pm, L111

March 27 Film and Discussion: "Reconciliation in Rwanda: Rwanda Rising and Women Leading the Healing Process," 10:45-12:05pm, LRC 104

OTHER EVENTS:

March 24 Men's & Women's Tennis: CRC vs. Modesto at Modesto, 1:00pm

March 24 Baseball: CRC vs. SCC at SCC, 2:30pm

March 24 Softball: CRC vs. Diablo Valley at Diablo, 3:00pm

March 25 Concert Band, Brass Choir & Sheldon HS Band, 7:30pm, Recital Hall

March 26 Baseball: CRC vs. SCC at CRC, 2:30pm

March 27 Free Income Tax Return Prep, 9:00am-1:30pm, BS 145A

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March 28 Free Income Tax Return Prep, 9:00am-2:30pm, BS 145A

March 28 Baseball: CRC vs. Santa Rosa at Santa Rosa, 1:00pm

FACULTY/STAFF HIGHLIGHTS

Counselor **Hoyt Fong** recently conducted a workshop for Crocker Art Museum docents. This was a diversity training. There were approximately 80 docents that participated. The Crocker Art Museum is dedicated to having their docents be more understanding of the growing diversity of the visitors who attend the museum.

Philosophy professor **Rick Schubert** has accepted an invitation to speak at the 3rd International Taekwondo Symposium hosted by U.C. Berkeley August 14-15, 2009. The International Taekwondo Symposia bring together select scholars from around the world whose academic work bears upon the study and practice of Taekwondo (a Korean martial art).

Sociology professor **Paul Zisk** did field research in Cambodia over the winter break on the Angkor Wat Temples, The Khmer Rouge Genocide (the killing fields), and the children of the dump (kids living on the largest dump in SE Asia). Paul is going back in May/June to observe the Khmer Rouge genocide trials.

Picture(s) of the Week... have you tried the *Hungry Hawk* yet? Our students have and seem to love it. They are also taking advantage of the tables set up around it.



STUDENT HIGHLIGHTS

It's been estimated that 4,000 students from across California participated in last week's March in March rally at the State Capitol. Protesting cuts and possible fee increases to education in the budget, many students said they felt it necessary to show lawmakers they care about education and need all the help and support they can get. CRC's ASG president **Calvin Monroe** spoke and said it was good to see students energized about the cause. Calvin told them "no longer will students be passive... these are our campuses, our careers, and our lives and we need to take it back!"

DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS

The **Los Rios Study Abroad** program is the featured program in this quarter's Gilman Program newsletter. The Gilman Program is part of the Institute of International Education program (along with the Fulbright Program), and provides scholarships to Pell grant recipients who are studying abroad with a certified Gilman study abroad program.

RTVF professor **Gary Martin** took his RTVF students on the biannual Professional Hollywood/Burbank Studio Tour last week with behind the scenes tours at Universal, Warner Bros., and some of the indie producers. The students had a chance to talk to professionals in their fields and to see what's available and what will be the next wave of digital technology to enhance the fields of television and film production. Students also had the opportunity to visit the Kodak Theatre (home of the Academy Awards) and the famous Pig and Whistle restaurant on Hollywood Blvd.

A follow up to a previous *Inside CRC* announcement...The Diablo Valley College Philharmonic gave the commissioned premiere of music professor **Kurt Erickson's** new piano concerto 'Here Comes Trouble' on February 28, 2008. Acclaimed Berkeley-based pianist Jerry Kuderna performed the solo role in this 20-minute, two movement work. Kurt attended 3 weekly rehearsals prior to the performance to help work with the student performers, and he gave a brief talk before the concert to approximately 400 members of the community. Kurt reports that student feedback was overwhelmingly positive - they thought it was really "cool" that they had the opportunity to work with a living composer to help bring about the premiere performance of a new work. Kurt really loves this aspect of teaching: helping students to get really excited about music and showing them how relevant and important it is to create new pieces and take a pro-active attitude about their profession.

Men's Tennis: March 13th the team hosted Modesto Jr. College and Lost 9-0; March 20th the team hosted Reedley and Lost 9-0; Conference Record: 0-6; Overall Record: 0-9

Women's Tennis: March 13th the team hosted Modesto Jr. College and Lost 8-1; March 20th the team hosted Reedley and Lost 9-0; Conference Record: 0-6; Overall Record: 0-9

Baseball: March 17th went on the road to Delta and Lost 3-1; March 19th the team hosted American River College and Lost 8-4; March 21st the team hosted Diablo Valley College and won 13-12; Overall Record: 13-9; Conference Record: 4-3 (Tied for 3rd Place); Ranked 12th in the North

Softball: March 17th the team hosted Santa Rosa College and won 5-4; March 19th the team traveled to Sierra College and won 12-7; Overall Record: 24-6; Conference Record: 4-2 (3rd Place); Region: 5th; State: 10th

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

March 23 Sexual Harassment Prevention, 9:00-1:30am, PCR

March 24 Desire2Learn, Training #1, 2:00-4:00pm, Library Gallery

March 24 DO Leadership Series: Generations, 2:30-4:30pm, DO Board Room

March 26 Desire2Learn, Training #3, 10:00am-12:00pm, Library Gallery

March 27 Excel 2007- Differences Between 2003/2007, 12:30-1:30pm, Library Gallery

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

CRC is hosting "**An Evening with John Sexton**," the last photography assistant of Ansel Adams. Viewpoint Photographic Art Center is sponsoring the event, which takes place Saturday, April 4, at 7:00pm in the Recital Hall. Tickets may be purchased by calling (916) 441-2341 or via email at info@viewpointgallery.org. For more information go to: <http://www.viewpointgallery.org/content/events/2009/sexton.php>

FOR YOUR INFORMATION



Tickets are now available for the **Foundation Gala 2009!** The event will be **May 2, 5-8:30pm** and will feature four great jazz bands, including our very own **Wendell Fishman**, food catered by our own culinary students, wine from local vineyards, beer from **BJ's Brew House** and will provide a great opportunity to mingle with your colleagues and the community. Thanks to **Methodist Hospital**, who is our Presenting Sponsor (for the 3rd year). Tickets are available through the Foundation office for \$25 each. Funds raised will go to support scholarships and student academic support. Call the Foundation office at 691-7320.