

Calendar

Oct. 28 **Men's Soccer vs. West Hills** at West Hills, 3:00pm

Oct. 28 **Women's Soccer vs. Diablo Valley** at CRC, 3:30pm

Oct. 28 **The American Economic Crisis: A Socialist Perspective: Lecture and Discussion with Kevin Kearney**, 2:00-4:00pm, SOCCR

Oct. 29 **The Financial Crisis: Reasons, Results & Reactions**, 12:00-1:00pm, BS 125

Oct. 29 **Rock the Vote**, Mayor Heather Fargo and Kevin Johnson, along with a few other local candidates are scheduled to be here to encourage CRC students to get out and vote. There will also be a student debate and live performances. 9:00am-2:00pm, Quad



Oct. 29 **Volleyball vs. Delta** at CRC, 6:30pm

Oct. 29 **ECE Workshop- Practices that Work: The RIE Approach to Working with Infants and Toddlers**, 7:00-9:00pm, Recital Hall

Oct. 30 **The Tyranny of Oil: The World's Most Powerful Industry, and What We Must Do To Stop it with Antonia Juhasz**, 9:00-10:20am, LRC 104 and 2:30-4:00pm, BS 125



Oct. 30 **Perceptions: Oil in Africa: The New Scramble**, 2:30-4:00pm, BS 125

Oct. 30 **Volleyball: CRC vs. Modesto** at Modesto, 6:30pm

Oct. 31 **Men's Soccer vs. Santa Rosa** at Santa Rosa, 3:00pm

Oct. 31 **Women's Soccer vs. Sierra** at Sierra, 3:30pm

Oct. 31 **Halloween Event- Community Trick or Treat**, 10:00am-1:00pm at the Stadium and 5:00-8:00pm at the College Center

Nov. 1 **Annual Hall of Fame Dinner & Induction Ceremony**, 6:00pm, College Center

Nov. 7 **Coffee with the President**, 8:30-9:30am, Orchard Room

Division Highlights

CRC's **Sports Broadcasting class** and the **RTVF Advanced Television Production class** partner with Access Sacramento Cable Ch. 17 in a broadcast Tuesday (Nov. 29) night at 7 p.m. Students in RTVF Professors **Gary Martin** and **Terry Finnegan's** classes worked cameras, audio, instant replay and other technical jobs in producing last Friday's (Nov. 24) High School football game between Laguna Creek and Elk Grove High School. The game can be seen on Comcast and Surewest Cable Ch. 17.

Athletic Hall of Fame Dinner & Induction Ceremony takes place this Saturday, November 1 at 6:00pm in the college center.

The 3rd Class of Cosumnes River College Athletic Hall of Fame inductees includes:

Marlin "Skip" Davies, Administrator
Mike Fischlin, Athlete
George Harper, Athlete
Courtney (Horner) Meisel-Klebsch, Athlete
Mark Taylor, Athlete
Angie Williams, Athlete



This event honors some of the outstanding individuals who have been a part of the rich tradition of excellence at Cosumnes River College.

Volleyball: Wednesday (Oct. 22nd) beat American River College 25-22, 25-10, 16-25, 25-7, Friday (Oct. 24th) lost to Sacramento City College 19-25, 15-25, 20-25, Conference Record is 3-4 (Ranked 5th), Overall Record is now 11-8

Women's Soccer: Tuesday (Oct. 21st) tied Sacramento City College 0-0, Friday (Oct. 24th) won 1-0 vs. Modesto Jr. College, Conference Record is now 2-3-3 (ranked 5th), Overall Record is now 9-5-4

Men's Soccer: Tuesday (Oct. 21st) lost 2-0 to San Francisco College, Friday (Oct. 24th) Won 4-0 vs Contra Costa College, Conference Record is still 3-2 (ranked 3rd), Overall Record is now 10-8

Community Connections

President Rodriguez will be the keynote speaker at the Northern California Puente Transfer Motivational Conference on Saturday, Nov. 1 at UC Davis.

For Your Information



Don't forget the **Annual Book Sale** takes place Tuesday, November 4 from 8:30am-3:30pm in the Orchard Room. Proceeds from the sale will be used to sponsor Diversity Educational and Awareness initiatives and activities on campus.

Photo by Kathryn Mayo

Measure M- There will be an **informational session** October 28 in LRC 105 at 3:30pm. Join President Rodriguez for this informational presentation on Measure M. This event is co-sponsored by the Academic Senate, Classified Senate, Health and Facilities Committee, College Planning Council and Associated Student Government. For the Fact Sheet on Measure M, please [click here](#). To read the Sacramento Bee's editorial on Measure M, [click here](#).

Student Highlights

Congratulations again to CRC students, Alex Villalobos, Ming Yee Hsu, and Michael Lee who we told you in an earlier *Inside CRC* of their winning the first round of the US Green Building Council's 2008 Natural Design Competition. The competition challenged students to develop innovative smart growth designs for a proposed high-density, mixed-use section of the railyard depot district. The Sacramento Bee has picked up their story and you can [read it here](#).

The **Morris K. Udall Foundation** awards **80 (eighty) \$5,000 merit-based scholarships** annually to outstanding sophomore- and junior-level college students who are committed to:

- 1) a career related to the environment OR 2) a career in tribal public policy OR Native American health care (only Native Americans and Alaska Natives are eligible to apply in tribal public policy or Native American health care). Native American students studying tribal public policy or native health do NOT need to demonstrate commitment to the environment. Likewise, students pursuing environmentally related careers do NOT need to be Native American, nor do they need to demonstrate commitment to tribal public policy or Native health.

To be eligible, each nominee must also:

- Be pursuing full-time study during the 2009-2010 academic year,
- have a grade-point average of at least a "B" (or the equivalent), and
- be a U.S. Citizen, U.S. National, or U.S. permanent resident.

Please direct interested, qualified students to **Debra Sharkey** to discuss the application process. The deadline for students to submit their complete application package is **Friday, Feb. 20, 2009**.

Professional Development/CASSL

Oct. 27 **Desire2Learn- Workshop #2**, 12:30-2:30pm, CASSL

Oct. 27 **CASSL Seminar- Bridging the Gaps**, 5:00-7:00pm, CASSL

Oct. 28 **CRC Student Campus & Self Perceptions**, 2:00-3:00pm, CASSL

Oct. 28 **The American Economic Crisis: A Socialist Perspective: Kevin Kearney**, 2:00-4:00pm, SOCCR

Oct. 28 **Desire2Learn Components-Discussion**, 2:00-3:00pm, Library Gallery

Oct. 28 **DO Leadership Series: Strength Based Leadership/Best Practices**, 2:30-4:30pm, DO Board Room

Oct. 28 **Desire2Learn Components- Chat/Pager**, 3:00-4:00pm, CCC Confer

Oct. 29 **Adapting Blackboard to Desire2Learn**, 11:00am-1:00pm, CASSL

Oct. 29 **Outcomes Lemonade/CASSL Discussions**, 12:00-1:00pm, CASSL

Oct. 30 **Desire2Learn Components-Dropbox**, 10:00-11:00am, CCC Confer

Oct. 30 **Desire2Learn Components-Grades**, 11:00am-12:00pm, CCC Confer

Oct. 30 **CASSL Seminar-Bridging the Gaps**, 12:00-2:00pm, CASSL

Oct. 30 **Perceptions- Africa in Focus: Oil in Africa- The New Scramble**, 2:30-4:00pm, BS 125

Oct. 31 **Desire2Learn 1,2,3- Workshop #1**, 2:00-4:00pm, CASSL

Faculty/Staff Highlights

College Nurse Reona L. James, RN, BSN, PHN, MS received an honor from the Cambridge Who's Who as the 2008 Professional of the Year Representing the Public Health Industry.

October 16-17, members of CRC's Basic Skills Initiative team, **Rhonda Farley (ESL)**, **Camille Moreno (math)**, **Shihni Giedd (reading)**, and **Lisa Abraham and Cath Hooper (writing)**, attended a meeting in Anaheim: From Here to There: Plotting a Path through the Basic Skills Curriculum and Creating an Accurate Picture of Student Success in Basic Skills. The CRC team worked with colleagues from around the state to help articulate the skills, outcomes and levels of learning in all the mathematics, reading, writing, and ESL courses below transfer level. The draft rubric each discipline produced is being sent statewide for comment and modification. The final products will be used statewide to improve current data elements in the Accountability Report for Community Colleges (ARCC) and will also contribute to college and statewide strategies to improve basic skills success.

Picture(s) of the Week

Management, Faculty and Staff from CRC Student Services met on Friday for their **Student Services Summit**. Facilitator Eric Hansen from Oregon State University led the group in a variety of activities where they discussed student learning outcomes and student success.

