Employees Celebrated for Service to Cypress College Students

The recognition of employees reaching milestones and those who are retiring was held as part of the End-of-the-Year Luau.

Allen Mottershead was honored for his 45 years of service at Cypress College on Wednesday at the annual End-of-the-Year Luau. The Engineering professor was one of 64 employees recognized for their service to the College. Another 17 employees were celebrated on the occasion of their retirement this academic year.

Also participating in the celebration were nearly 30 retirees of the College, dating back to its inception in 1966. They had been invited back to campus for the lunch and for a meeting to help plan the upcoming 50th anniversary celebration organized through the Foundation.

Employees who are retiring at the end of the academic year, or who have already done so, are: Jim Arbogast, George Beyer, Jeannie Bilic, Kenneth Burnett, Helena DeCoro, Carol Green, Diane Henry, Anne Herzog, Manuel Machado, Ron Miller, Jan Nelson, Kris Nelson, Fernando Oliveira, Gloria Pekala, Rebeca Sandoval, Dan Stephens, and Marion Shocklee.

The employees who were recognized for their service, listed by the number of years they have been employed at Cypress College, follow.

Five Years
- Santanu Bandyopadhyay
- Salvador Casillas
- Christina Johannsen

Fall Schedule of Classes Now Available Online, Due in Print Soon

Cypress College’s 2014 Fall Class Schedule is now available online. The document is expected to be in print and available for purchase in the next week.

The fall semester classes begin the week of August 25, 2014. Late-start courses get under-way the week of September 8, while second “Half-Semester” courses begin the week of October 20.

Registration for fall begins on July 15. Holidays during the fall semester are: Labor Day on September 21; Veterans Day on November 10; and four days for Thanksgiving, November 27-30.

The semester ends on December 13.

Other key dates during the semester are:
Career Technical Education Students Participate in Events

Students and employees in a number of the College’s Career Technical Education programs participated in several significant events recently.

Twenty-five students, along with faculty member Kathleen Reiland, attended the Southern California Aviation Association Aviation Careers Roundtable at the Van Nuys Airport on May 2. On May 3-4, eight of Cypress College’s best Aviation students attended the Chino Air Show. A video of the Riverside Air Show highlights featured faculty member, and alumnus, Daniel Wotring, who will be teaching the private pilot course in the fall.

This weekend, approximately 20 students will be attending the Fullerton Airport Day on Saturday, May 10.

Dean Steve Donley noted “these are not field trips, but rather optional opportunities for students to participate in industry and career events, so it is wonderful to see them taking advantage of these opportunities and bringing recognition to the Airline Travel Careers Program at Cypress College.”

CONTINUED: Arts Events Open for Art, MAD, Dance, and Photography

on Thursday, May 8, with a reception in the Gateway Plaza adjacent to the Art Gallery.

The exhibition continues through May 20. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Thursday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., and by appointment.

People In Motion, Cypress College’s spring-semester dance concert, opened on Thursday, May 8 and continues through Sunday. The Sunday matinee is at 4 p.m., with the rest of the performances at 8 p.m. The performance celebrates the completion of the academic year and showcases the dancers’ skills. People in Motion features works by student choreographers, guest artists and faculty, showcasing the excellence and inclusiveness nurtured at Cypress College.

“Performing Arts, especially dance, are an essential and integral part of our educational system. They are about creativity, leadership, focus, integrity, honesty, multi-tasking, collaboration, peaceful outlet, confidence, complexity, neuromotor skills, tenacity and healthful living. The special, live moments in time and space are priceless and can never be replaced by an App,” said Professor Erin Landry.

Tickets are available at the box office. General admission is $15; students, seniors citizens, and children are $12.

Alhadeff New Men’s Basketball Coach

Andrew Alhadeff (pronounced Al-Ha-Dif) was introduced on Wednesday as Cypress College’s new head men’s basketball coach. He becomes only the fourth head coach in the storied 48-year existence of the program.

In his remarks, Alhadeff emphasized that “in order to develop a successful program we must plan to win, we must prepare to win, and we must expect to win.” He also pointed out his desire to “restore the winning tradition” that former legendary head men’s basketball coach Don Johnson left with the program.

Coach Alhadeff comes to Cypress from Irvine Valley College, where he served as an assistant coach for the last eight years. During Coach Alhadeff’s tenure at Irvine Valley College, he assisted in moving 38 players on to receive scholarships at the four-year level, with 16 of those players receiving Division 1 scholarships. Coach Alhadeff helped to develop 26 All-Conference players, as well as an All-State player.

To read more and view a video of his introduction, visit the Chargers athletics website.

For nearly a half-million students, Cypress College has been a springboard to their dreams. Cypress College: Motivating Minds.
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Hi everyone!

Thank you to all faculty and staff who supported EOPS and wore their EOPS Strong shirts today! I would have loved to have seen all of you in your shirts, but we were just too busy. Students were so excited to be part of EOPS, they were lined up outside our office as early as 7am.

I did hear about it and heard about the excitement everywhere. Thank you to those who took pictures of your departments wearing your shirts and thank you Marc for going around to take pictures.

Today we received and processed almost 150 EOPS applications and had to stop accepting them at around 2:30pm so we can process them all by today. We will continue to accept applications again tomorrow morning.

Thank you again for your support! Stay EOPS Strong!!!

Joanne Olimberio - Program Coordinator
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- **MAY 2014**
- **Nov 2014**
- **Memorial Day Holiday**
- **May 24**: FC & CC Spring Semester Ends
Before I Die...

Do you get caught up in the day to day activities and forget what’s important to you? Originally created by Candy Chang in New Orleans, this wall is an art project for people to share their hopes and dreams through a public space.

When you pass by the wall, take a moment to reflect on your life, pick up a piece of chalk to fill in the space, “Before I die, I want to________” and start inspiring.

When: May 5—22, 2014

Where: Under the Piazza, next to CCCPLX

Funded by Cypress College Diversity Committee & International Students Program
TO: ALL STAFF  
From: Ned Doffoney, Chancellor  
Date: April 30, 2014  

As many of you are aware, the North Orange County Community College District has been exploring the possibility of addressing our many remaining facilities needs with a potential local education bond measure for November 2014. We have spent the last several months engaging with the community—conducting polls and surveys, talking about the needs of our institutions, and listening to feedback about everything from workforce development to the desire for a four-year university in the city of Anaheim. Though we have not yet made a decision in regards to moving forward with a bond—the Board of Trustees will vote on that this summer—I have been pleasantly surprised at the range and content of some of the meetings thus far. In particular, the meetings that Kai Stearns Moore, District Director of Public and Governmental Affairs, and I have had with ethnic organizations have yielded some interesting insights. For example:

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People—It was alarming for me to realize that in my six years at NOCCCD as Chancellor, I hadn’t officially met with anyone from the Orange County chapter of the oldest non-profit civil rights group in America. Our meeting with Donald Craig, Branch President of the Orange County NAACP, was stirring and profound. What began as a commentary on a recent event marking the gross injustice which ended the life of 14-year-old Emmett Till in 1955, moved on to the importance of mentorship in college, establishing financial literacy programs, and ended with our pledge to help sponsor the chapter’s annual “Juneteenth Celebration,” which honors the day that black slaves were legally freed in the United States.

Filipino American Chamber of Commerce—What a warm and welcoming group this turned out to be! All it took was one question about a recent fight featuring welterweight champion Manny Pacquiao, and the gloves, as they say, were off. We had a wonderful discussion about Pacquiao’s importance to the Filipino culture, and how his self-made story closely reflects those of many of our students. Our brief appointment was extended many times as I learned about the incredible work the Chamber does, as well as the backgrounds of President Jun Jao, Gloria Rull, and Edith Andres (who both sit on the organization’s Board of Directors). For instance, I now know that Filipino-owned businesses comprise the third largest group of Asian-American businesses in California, as well as that Gloria is an accomplished cook. I look forward to many more discussions with this lively bunch.
Islamic Shura Council—I went into this meeting not knowing what to expect. The Islamic Shura Council is an umbrella organization for Mosques and Muslim organizations all over Southern California, but not an entity that I’ve had much cause to work with in the past. As we sat down to tea with the Executive Director Shakeel Syed, and two other distinguished-looking gentlemen, I began to realize that we had some intellectual heavy hitters in the room. I had met Chairman Dr. Muzammil Siddiqi, an incredibly accomplished leader and scholar, several years ago when the Orange County Human Relations Commission gave him its “Community Leader Award.” He has also been named as one of the Los Angeles Times’ “Most Influential People in California,” but he couldn’t be more gracious and humble. Also present was Mustafa Umar of the Islamic Institute of Orange County, who was very interested in creating a future collaboration between his school and Fullerton College. By the time the talk turned to the role of education in regards to national security, and the spiritual traditions between Abrahamic religions, I felt completely at ease with our new friends.

For me, these meetings have been about more than discussing a potential bond or extolling our successful programs—though I am eager to do both. They are an opportunity to listen deeply to the needs, struggles, and achievements of likeminded men and women who work every day to make their community a better place. Their stories are a poignant reminder that although NOCCCD officially serves 18 communities, the variety of people we have the ability to influence is infinite.
Transfer Celebration

Celebrating Cypress College Students who will be transferring to a four-year University or College in Fall 2014!

May 13, 2014
1:00pm-3:00pm
CC Complex, Room 414

Breakout Sessions with University Representatives

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Please RSVP by May 9th

By bringing a copy of your acceptance letter to the Transfer Center

Cypress College Transfer Center ~ Student Center 2nd Floor
(714) 484-7129
Monday-Thursday 8:00am-6:00pm ~ Friday 8:00am-12:00pm
LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER
FIRST FLOOR ONLY

Extended Hours!!

May 12th—May 21st
8:00 AM—11:00 PM
While you obviously need the appropriate knowledge and skills to do your job, the mind-set with which you approach your work plays a dominate role in your ability to perform. If you’re discouraged, you work sluggishly, think small and give up easily. However, when you feel good, confident and exhilarated you can win people to your side and create dazzling projects.

This workshop will emphasize that a positive attitude can make individuals happier, healthier and more motivated to enjoy life. Understanding how attitude and self-esteem can change your life is the first step to finding opportunities to develop a more positive lifestyle.

It’s all about...CHOICES!

**Wednesday, May 21**

Anaheim Campus - Sixth floor, room 602  
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

and

Fullerton College, College Center  
room 229  
2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

**REGISTRATION**

Workshops are open to all regular employees with manager’s approval as appropriate. To register please access the District-Wide Staff Development Registration Calendar through myGateway on the “Employee” tab. Should you have any questions, please contact Human Resources at 808-4816.

**2014-15 Topics**

Workshops topics for the 2014-15 academic year will be announced late August.
To: All Staff  
From: Kashu Vyas, District Manager, Fiscal Affairs  
Date: April 28, 2014  
Re: 2013-14 Year End Closing Deadlines for Accounting  

As you are all aware, fiscal year-end is quickly approaching. This means that the District Business Office will be finalizing the District’s 2013-14 financial records as of June 30, 2014. In order for the Accounting Department to meet its closing deadlines, we have established the following deadlines for all departments:

**Note:** The dates below represent the dates items are due to your Campus business office, followed by the dates items are then due to the District office.

| Description                                                                 | Due to Bus. Office | Due to District |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Reimbursement Requests to be Paid by June 30, 2014 (Travel, Mileage, Petty Cash, etc.). | Mon 6/02/14        | Thu 6/05/14    |
| Charge-back Transfers through May 2014 (Postage, Media Services, Work Orders, Printing, etc.). | Mon 6/02/14        | Thu 6/05/14    |
| Hourly Academic Payroll Time Cards for hours worked through June 1-9, 2014 due to Payroll by this date; to be paid on June 30, 2014. | Thu 6/05/14        | Tue 6/10/14    |
| All requisitions for travel taking place before June 30, 2014.               | Mon 6/09/14        | Thu 6/12/14    |
| Canceled Checks (incl. Financial Aid or Grants).                             | -----              | Thu 6/12/14    |
| Transfer of Charge Journals – these must be completely approved in Banner by this date. | Mon 6/09/14        | Thu 6/12/14    |
| Checks and Cash Receipts to be deposited.                                   | -----              | Thu 6/12/14    |
| Hourly Classified Payroll Time Cards for hours worked through June 18, 2014 due to Payroll by this date; to be paid on July 10, 2014. | Mon 6/16/14        | Thu 6/19/14    |
| Budget Transfers – these must be completely approved in Banner by this date. Make sure the transaction date is before June 30, 2014. | Wed 6/18/14        | Mon 6/23/14    |
| Charge-back Transfers for June 2014 – Make sure the transaction date is before June 30, 2014. (Postage, Media Services, Work Orders, Printing, etc.). | Fri 6/27/14        | Wed 7/02/14    |
| Final deadline for invoices, mileage, travel, petty cash, etc. for items to be charged to fiscal year 2013-2014. | Fri 6/27/14        | Wed 7/02/14    |
| Payroll Redistributions for June 2014 payroll.                               | Wed 7/02/14        | Tue 7/08/14    |

If you have any questions regarding these deadlines, please contact the following:

- Business Office Dates: Contact your campus business office.
- District Dates: contact Kashu Vyas
Name: _______________________
Department/Division: _____________________________________________
Full-time Faculty: _______  Part-time Faculty: _______
Years Teaching: ________________
Years at Cypress: ________________

___ I have reviewed the website for the Great Teachers Seminar, https://www.facc.org/gts2014.asp including the information below:
  ___ I have read the information on the “Seminar Background and Purpose.”
  ___ I have read the information “Preparing for the Seminar.”
  ___ I am willing to present a one hour workshop/Q&A to share my Great Teacher experience.

Please explain in 2-3 paragraphs (single spacing) why you would like to attend the Great Teachers Seminar in Santa Barbara. Please send your request via e-mail to rgomez@cypresscollege.edu by May 2, 2014.

________________________________________
Signature
Great Teacher Seminar

Staff Development has funding for at least two faculty members to participate in the Great Teachers Seminar in Santa Barbara, California from August 3 through August 8, 2014. For information watch this video or e-mail Rebecca Gomez.