

THIS WEEK

11 • Monday

» Veterans Day (Campus Closed)

12 • Tuesday

- » A.S. Food Drive (through November 22)
- » "Recent Work" by Gretchen Gates (through December 14)
- » NOCCCD Board of Trustees meeting, District Offices (Anaheim), 5:30 p.m.

14 • Thursday

» Academic Senate, WCR, 3-5 p.m.

15 • Friday

» [CC-LEADS, Culinary Arts, 12-1:30 p.m.](#)

16 • Saturday

» Patrons of the Arts: "Mostly Ragtime — Scott Kelly at the Piano," FA-304, 7:30 p.m. 🖱

Note:

» "Meet the Pres." — originally scheduled for Wednesday, November 13 — will be held on Wednesday, November 20. It will still take place from 12:30-1:30 p.m. in HS-203A

“THEY SAID IT”

“Voting is like recycling. I know if I don't do it, probably it won't change anything. But if everybody acted that way, what would happen then?”

— Unidentified voter on [NPR](#)

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Voters OK Prop. 47, ie: New Library

► The education bond measure passes with nearly an 18-point margin.

California voters have passed [Proposition 47](#), the \$13.05 billion statewide education facilities bond that will fund construction of Cypress College's new Library/Learning Resources Building.

Voters statewide approved Prop. 47 with 58.9% of all ballots cast in favor and 41.1% opposed. The margin wasn't quite as wide when looking specifically at Orange County voters, although a majority (51.9%) said yes.

All results are pending final certification.

The measure was just one of several items of campus interest on the November 5 ballot.

Also of note, the composition of our Board of Trustees will remain the same because Donna Miller won re-election and Manny Ontiveros finished sixth in his bid for one of two seats on the Anaheim City Council. Trustees Jeffrey P. Brown and Otto Lacayo faced no opposition in their re-election bids.

Lucinda Alibrandi, a Social Science faculty member, was elected to the Buena Park Library District board.

Faculty member Vanessa Musso finished third in her attempt to win election to one of two trustee seats on the Los Alamitos Unified School District.

Facilities bonds — similar to our own Measure X, which was approved in March — were passed for two Orange County community college districts: Coast and Rancho Santiago. [Both passed with more than 60% of all voters](#) supporting the measures.

In all, community colleges did well with

NOCCCD Trustee, Area 4		
Donna Miller	60,061	49.8%
John J. Marcinko	26,256	21.8%
Tony Roberts	20,243	16.8%
Tracy G. Campbell	14,142	11.7%

Proposition 47		
Yes	3,738,155	58.9%
No	2,610,415	41.1%

Buena Park Library District		
Lucinda Alibrandi	5,374	33.2%
Bob Niccum	3,596	22.2%
Shandarea Easton	3,400	21.0%
Diana R. Griffiths	2,529	15.6%
George Lippman	1,284	7.9%

Los Alamitos Unified School District		
Marilyn H. Bates	9,829	47.0%
Dominic Holzhaus	7,002	33.5%
Vanessa Musso	4,087	19.5%

Anaheim City Council		
Bob Hernandez	13,795	18.7%
Richard Chavez	12,158	16.5%
Bob Zemel	11,541	15.7%
Harry Sidhu	7,868	10.7%
John Koos	7,213	9.8%
Manny Ontiveros	6,383	8.7%
Stefanie O'Neill	5,663	7.7%
Bobby McDonald	4,297	5.8%
Steve Eichler	1,941	2.6%
James Mills	1,429	1.9%
Robert J. Flores	1,372	1.9%

bond measures. All but one of the 15 statewide measures appeared to win approval, generating a total of \$3.2 billion for the individual districts.



Class Schedule Online; On Campus Soon

The Spring 2003 Class Schedule is now available online at CypressCollege.edu. The schedule includes a complete listing of classes offered during the upcoming Winter Intersession — which will be held January 2-17.

Spring classes begin the week of January 21, late-start courses — 15- and 16-weeks long — begin February 4 and second “1/2-Semester” classes begin during the week of March 24.

Printed copies of the schedule will be available on campus around the middle of this month. A guide to using the re-designed schedule can be found on page 6 of the book. 🖱

CHARGERS

Congratulations to Hortensia Modregon. She will be honored on Friday as a recipient of the Orange County Hispanic Education Endowment Fund's Apple of Gold for Excellence in Teaching Award. The Apple of Gold Award is presented to outstanding educators and community counselors. The award is presented to exemplary teachers, advisors and role models who provide inspiration for all learners, especially for Hispanic youth.



The Cypress women's water polo season concluded on Wednesday, November 6 with a 13-8 loss to Los Angeles Valley College in the first round of the Southern California Regional Playoffs. **Melanie Craig** scored three goals to lead the Lady Chargers who completed their season with a 17-14-1 record.

In other playoff news, the women's soccer team will learn this week who they will play in the Southern California Regional Playoffs. The playoffs begin here on Tuesday, November 19.

OPENINGS

For more information on these job openings, visit the NOCCCD Web site:

Child Care Center Attendant (FC)
Instructional Aide/High School Diploma Program (SCE/Anaheim)
Instructional Assistant/High School Diploma Program (SCE/Wilshire)
Computing Analyst (SCE/Anaheim)
Records/Admissions Technician (SCE/Anaheim)
Instructional Aide/Computer Program (SCE/Anaheim)
Part-time faculty positions

Photo Class Produces Work for Non-Profit Group

Students in the "Introduction to Professional Photography" class, instructed by Cliff Lester, just completed an assignment which involved work to be featured in this year's annual report for Para Los Niños.

Para Los Niños, founded in 1980, is a non-profit family service agency designed to raise at-risk children out of poverty and into brighter futures through positive educational opportunities and support involving families and communities.

In addition to the images which will appear in the annual report, due out in mid-December, the students'

work will be presented in a student show which will begin the first part of the spring 2003 semester.

Para Los Niños serves more than 3,500 families each year and more than 1,300 children, ranging from 6-weeks to 18-years old, each weekday. Programs and services are located at 15 sites in Pico-Union, Central, East, West, and South Central Los Angeles, and Ontario.

A note on the back of the group's annual report thanks Lester, his students and acknowledges Cypress College.

New Software Eliminates Spam, a.k.a. Junk E-mail

Academic Computing is currently testing a system that will remove unsolicited junk — known as "spam" — from campus e-mail accounts.

Computer users who notice a decrease in the amount of spam are asked to contact the Academic Computing Help Desk at ext. 47157 and inform them. This will help Academic Computing staff determine if the cost of the new system is worth the benefit received. If you notice other odd behavior with e-mail, report that also.

Monkey Still Rallying at the Bookstore

Fans of the World Champion Anaheim Angels will find a variety of items of interest at the Bookstore.

There are three commemorative magazines highlighting the world series action and the stories behind the rally-monkey-inspired team: *2002 World Series Champion Anaheim Angels* — \$5.99; *Sports Illustrated* (November

4), highlighting the Angels and their World Championship — \$3.50; and *Sports Illustrated* special commemorative issue "Finally!: Anaheim Angels World Champions 2002" — \$5.99.

Also available is a commemorative t-shirt packaged in a plastic mug for \$12.99.

Construction Corner: Update on Piazza Railing



MEASURE X CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Removal of the piazza railing in front of Humanities began last Wednesday. The cutting of the topping slab and the sandblasting took place last week, and the railing removal is scheduled for the end of this week. Every attempt is being made to work around the teaching schedule for the divisions, but still get the work done. The railing removal will continue over the next few weeks in areas that are least likely to impact instruction. The area around the perimeter of H131 and H136 will be finished last, in hopes that classes will be finished for the holidays.

Construction managers from PCM3 continue to work with the contractors on the existing theater and tennis courts projects, while tBP/Architects continue to work with the planning groups for the Student Center and the School for Continuing Education. LPA Architects are working with the planning group for the Children's Center.

The library has now been funded with the passage of Prop. 47. The design drawings are complete and the project is now into the working drawing stage. Once drawings are complete, the project will be submitted to the Department of State Architecture for approval. Construction could start in approximately one year.

BRIEFLY

The Cypress College Leadership Enhancement and Development Series — CC LEADS — continues this Friday. This week's topic is "Building Relationships" and is facilitated by Virgil Adams, a Social Science faculty member, and Olivia Veloz, a staff member in Title III. Each session is led by faculty and staff who have participated in college-sponsored leadership activities during the past two years. The lone exception is the December 6 workshop, which will be facilitated by two wonderful staff development presenters from the Company of Experts.

CC LEADS is open to all faculty, staff, administrators, and Associated Students officers.

Forty people attended the first session, featuring Dr. Lewis. Five more workshops follow this week's. Call ext. 47324 for more info.



The Career Planning Center hosted a Region VIII Career Day with 40 counselors, administrators and classified staff from all the regional colleges attending to share ideas about "what's working" at their colleges. The intent was to learn new ways to serve students and the community more effectively.

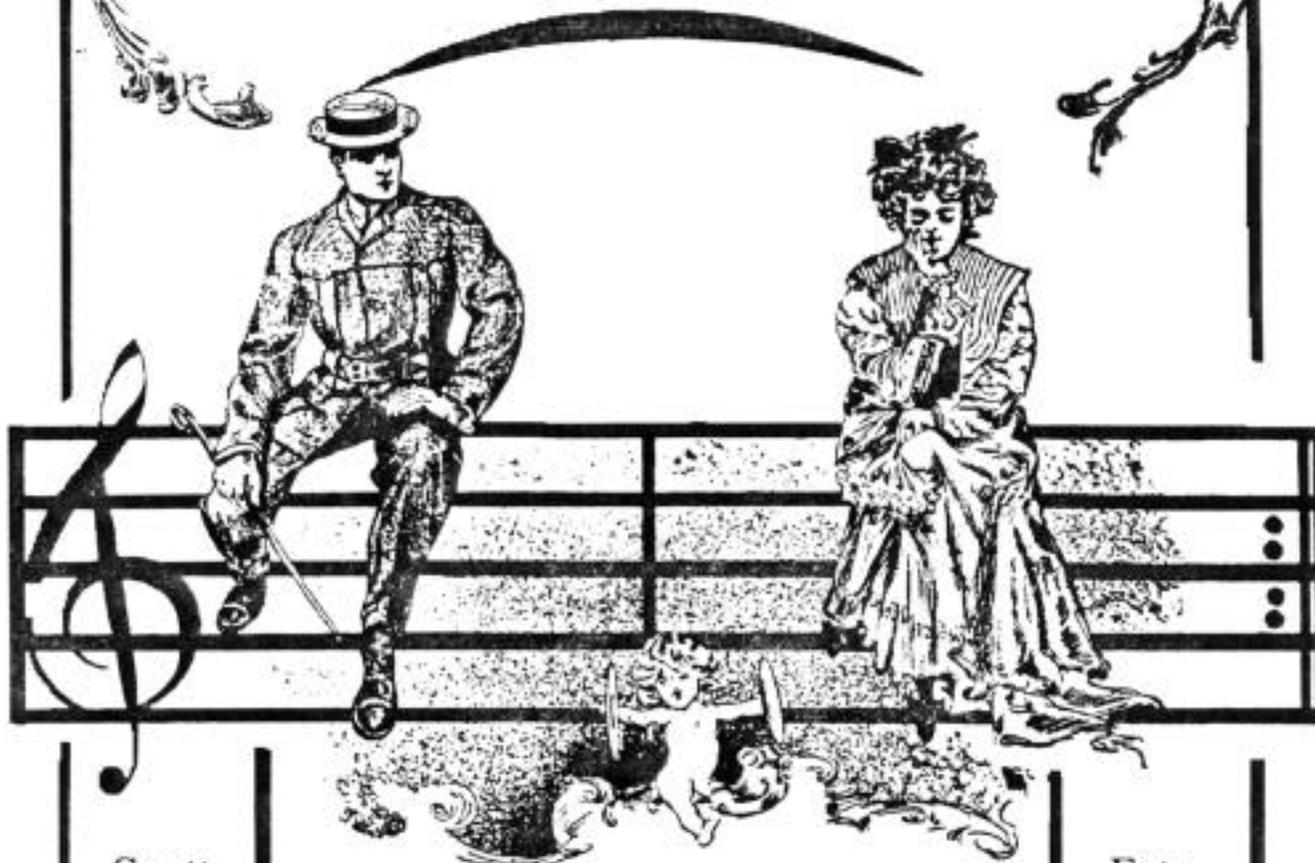
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Cypress College Patrons of the Arts

Present

Mostly Ragtime

Scott Kelly at the Piano



Scott
Joplin

"Jelly
Roll"
Morton

Saturday, November 16
7:30 P.M.

Admission
\$7.00
(Children \$5.00)

Fats
Waller

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Confrey
and others

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Coast CCD (\$370M Bond)		
Yes	81,118	64.8%
No	44,077	35.2%
Rancho Santiago CCD (\$337M Bond)		
Yes	46,559	63.8%
No	26,386	36.2%

What is Proposition 47?

The following is the official ballot description of Proposition 47, as provided by the State of California's Web site:

This thirteen billion fifty million dollar (\$13,050,000,000) bond issue will provide funding for necessary education facilities to relieve overcrowding and to repair older schools. Funds will be targeted to areas of the greatest need and must be spent according to strict accountability measures. Funds will also be used to upgrade and build new classrooms in the California Community Colleges, the California State University, and the University of California, to provide adequate higher education facilities to accommodate the growing student enrollment. These bonds may be used only for eligible projects. Fiscal Impact: State cost of about \$26.2 billion over 30 years to pay off both the principal (\$13.05 billion) and interest (\$13.15 billion) costs on the bonds. Payments of about \$873 million per year.

Para Los Niños Annual Report

The following note appears on the back of the annual report for Para Los Niños:

Para Los Niños is most grateful to photographer Clifford Lester and his students in Photo 201: Intro to Professional Photography at Cypress College for generously donating their services to this annual report. This project, which served as the final class assignment, exposed students to editorial photography, one of several forms of commercial photography they are exploring. Photographs taken at Para Los Niños will be exhibited at the college's photo gallery in January 2003.

Cypress College

Leadership Enhancement And Development Series

All sessions will begin at 12 noon and end at 1:30 p.m.,
except on December 6, which is a 3-hour seminar.
Please bring a brown bag lunch; we will provide drinks and dessert.

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| October 18, 2002 | Introduction to CC LEADS | with Dr. Margie Lewis |
| November 15, 2002 | Building Relationships | with Virgil Adams, Social Science
and Olivia Carter, Title III |
| December 6, 2002 | Appreciative Inquiry | 12:00 p.m. to 3 p.m.
with Nancy Stetson , Company of Experts
and Charles Miller, Company of Experts |
| February 7, 2003 | Leadership Styles | with Nancy Deutsch, Staff Development
and Patty Pelachik, Business & CIS |
| February 28, 2003 | Building Teams | with Jerri Hayes-Williams, Business & CIS
and Akilah Allen, Admissions & Records |
| March 28, 2003 | Managing Conflict | with Virgil Adams, Social Science
and Albert Miranda, Physical Plant |
| April 25, 2003 | Time Management, Wellness & Celebration | with Michele Warren, EOPS
and Regina Ford, Admissions & Records |

REWARDS:

Full-time faculty who attend outside their contract hours may earn 1/2 equivalent credit unit toward advancement on the pay scale for every 10 hours of workshop attendance.

Classified staff who attend outside their contract hours can earn 1/2 unit professional growth and development unit credit for every 9 hours of workshop attendance.

All other participants who complete the workshop series will earn a certificate of completion.

Please return this portion to:

Connie Lowery, Staff Development
no later than October 14, 2002

_____ Yes, I will commit to the CC LEADS program.

Name: _____ Telephone ext. _____

Division/Department _____ email address _____

CYPRESS



COLLEGE
Go Places

Educational Excellence

Students and staff are proud of the many top-quality academic and vocational programs at Cypress College. Our students say Cypress College is a good place to build skills and connect with others. Many feel their confidence grow. Graduates say that after completing a program at Cypress College, they feel well prepared for their next step, whether that's a career or the university.

A Great Environment

Students often comment about the warm, personal and friendly experience at Cypress College. They say they feel safe at the college and enjoy the atmosphere. Students like that teachers remember their first names and say "hi" on campus. They also enjoy the casual environment, beautiful grounds and ample parking. And they rave about the relaxing duck pond.

Personal Attention

Cypress College classes are always taught by highly qualified faculty members. Students think their teachers are excellent and willing to go the extra mile for them. Faculty members like Cypress College because they love to teach. The result is personal attention and one-on-one interaction between students and their instructors. Many students say they came to Cypress College for that reason alone.

Value and Quality

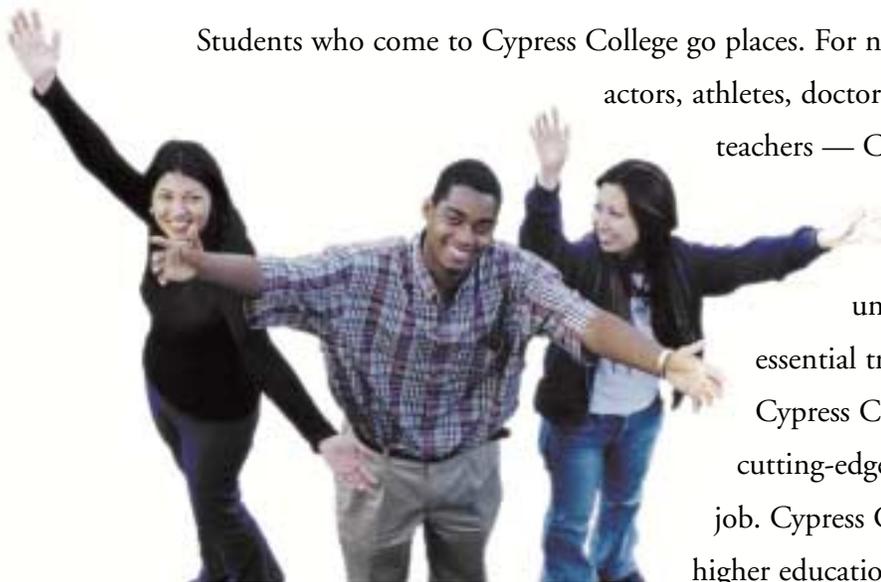
Ask a Cypress College student if they're getting a good deal and you're likely to hear this response: "My friends are paying a fortune for the same education." It's not only the exceptionally low cost of just \$11 per unit, either. Students say they know they're getting a top-quality education and transfer credits, too.

A Fun Experience

You can't quite call Cypress College a party school. At least not in an official publication. But students say they find lots of opportunity for involvement. The campus has a vibrant arts community and several top-notch athletic programs. Not to mention all the attractions — like Downtown Disney and Knott's Berry Farm — that are just a stone's-throw from the campus.

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For nearly a half-million students, Cypress College has been a springboard to their dreams. Come to Cypress College and *Go Places*

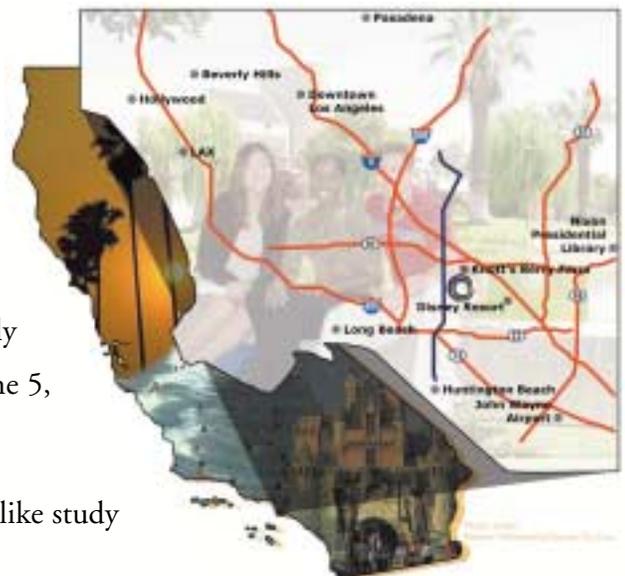


Students who come to Cypress College go places. For nearly a half-million people — including actors, athletes, doctors, executives, mechanics, nurses and teachers — Cypress College has been a springboard to their dreams. For some, Cypress College is the ticket into their university of choice and for others it provides essential training for a rewarding career. Just one Cypress College class is often all it takes to provide cutting-edge skills that lead to a promotion or a new job. Cypress College, founded in 1966, provides a quality higher education to more than 16,000 students of diverse

backgrounds each semester. More than 25% of Cypress College's students are Latinos, 18% are Asian, 7% are Filipino, 5% are African American, 38% are Caucasian, and 7% are from other ethnicities or are unidentified. The college serves the Orange County cities of Anaheim, Buena Park, Cypress, Garden Grove, La Palma, Los Alamitos and Stanton, although residents of any city are welcome.

Cypress College is committed to promoting student success and contributing to intercultural understanding, in a student-centered learning environment. Offering 58 university-transfer majors, 107 career-certificate programs, and degrees in 46 areas of study, Cypress College has traditional semesters beginning in January and August, while short-term courses start throughout the year. A Cypress College education costs just \$11 per unit, California's lowest tuition. Financial aid and scholarships also are available to qualifying students.

Cypress College, in sunny Southern California, is in the shadow of major tourist attractions such as Disney's theme parks and Downtown Disney (about six miles), Knott's Berry Farm (less than five miles), and The Block entertainment complex (about 10 miles). The campus is 12 miles from the beach and provides quick access to Long Beach and Los Angeles. Located at 9200 Valley View Street in Cypress, the college is easily accessible from several Southern California freeways, including the 5, 91, 605, 22 and 405.



The 110-acre Cypress College campus features a lake, park-like study areas and beautiful weather year-round.