Campus Earns $229,000 in Grants

Two VTEA proposals are OK’d along with a $184,000 federal nursing initiative.

Cypress College will receive $184,000 from the federal government as part of a nursing collaborative, and two campus projects have been selected as recipients of VTEA “special populations” grant recipients. Combined, the VTEA grants will bring $45,000 to the campus.

The college is a participant in the Orange County-Long Beach Nurse Training Collaborative, which was awarded $2.1 million through the Orange County Workforce Investment Board as part of the national Nursing Workforce Initiative.

During the next two years the Nursing Program will accomplish a series of objectives to help relieve the acute nursing shortage.

The grant will allow the admission of 10 additional students into the program this coming January.

‘Meet the Pres.’ Semester Finale Set for Wednesday

The semester’s final “Meet the Pres.” session will be held on Wednesday, from 12:30-1:30 p.m. in HS-203A. The event is an informal hour of discussion with Dr. Lewis.

There is no agenda, so all members of the campus community are invited to come share ideas, agreements and disagreements. Participants may drop in anytime during the hour and stay as long as they’d like. Drinks and dessert are provided.

The event provides an opportunity to share thoughts or ask questions about things such as the Measure X construction, the piazza project and the “remodel for efficiency.”

“Meet the Pres.” is co-sponsored by Staff Development and the President’s Office.

For more information, call the Staff Development Office at ext. 47324 or send e-mail to staffdev@CypressCollege.edu.

PAC Approves Guidelines for District Production Jobs

The President’s Advisory Cabinet has approved guidelines for all print and design jobs sent to the District Production Center. The guidelines were requested by District staff to ensure that documents that are printed at the District Production Center have a correct budget assigned to them and that the content is accurate.

Standard printing projects such as letterhead, envelopes, business cards and memo pads are excluded. Also excluded are jobs completed in the campus Production Center, including instructional materials and flyers.

For jobs being sent to District, the current Production Request Form is to be approved by the originator’s immediate management supervisor.

Budget approval comes from Karen Cantor, in her absence, Jann Nelson.

The completed form and a final proof of the print job are then routed to the Public Information Officer, or Raúl Alvarez.

Guidelines are available from the Public Information Office, District Production, and are in the online edition of @Cypress. They match those approved at FC and SCE.
Soccer Playoffs Open Here on Tuesday

The women’s soccer team will open the Southern California Regional Playoffs here on Tuesday as the second-seeded team in the tournament. The Lady Chargers will host Cerritos College at 2 p.m.

The team clinched its seventh consecutive Orange Empire Conference title with a 5-0 win at Fullerton College last Tuesday. The Lady Chargers got three goals from Shannon Leslie and a pair from Cynthia Pinkney.

The victory in the OEC finale pushed the team’s record to 20-0-1 for the season, and 15-0-1 in conference play.

The win over Fullerton also increased the team’s unbeaten streak in Orange Empire Conference action to 92 games (86-0-6).

Faculty Featured at National Chemistry Week Event

Four Cypress College Chemistry Department faculty were the featured attraction at a National Chemistry Week event sponsored by the Orange County Section of the American Chemical Society.

The “Kids for Chemistry” event was held at the Santa Ana Zoo on Sunday, November 10.

It featured Kathy Hess, Terry Gleason, Richard Fee and Vanessa Valverde. Among the experiments during the day’s events was one in which Fee proved that red fabric dyes last longer in bleach than other colors (photo).

More information about the event and Cypress College’s marquee participation is available at the Web site http://home.earthlink.net/~terrygleason.

College’s El Toro Photo Exhibit Opens in Irvine

Cypress College Photography Department’s El Toro exhibit — an exclusive look at the shuttered former Marine base — is now on display at Irvine City Hall.

It’s the second stop on a tour of the county, which will culminate in the donation of the work to Orange County’s official historical archives.

This collection of more than 60 photographs of the closed El Toro Marine Corps Air Station offers a rare view of a modern-day ghost town through the eyes of 18 advanced photography students.

The exhibit will remain at city hall through December 5. Hours are 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 8 a.m.-5 p.m. on alternate Fridays.

It is open and free to the public. Irvine City Hall is located at 1 Civic Center Plaza in Irvine.

More information is available by calling (949) 724-6606 or by visiting http://www.ci.irvine.ca.us.

Construction Corner: Projects Moving Along

The major projects currently underway are progressing.

Work has begun on the removal of the piazza railing in front of the Humanities Building, which has brought new fences to the campus. However, fencing has been removed from other areas, perhaps most notably, the large area adjacent to the pool and directly above Maintenance and Operations.

Perhaps more exciting is the visible sign that the tennis court project is advancing. Drive onto campus from Holder Avenue and the cement hitting walls are now visible. The project is expected to be completed by the start of the spring 2003 semester.

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WEDNESDAY,
NOVEMBER 20,
12:30—1:30 p.m.
HEALTH SCIENCE
203A

What is the
"Remodel for
Efficiency"?

What’s the
difference between
the Institutional
Effectiveness
Task Force and
IQA?

Why have new
fundraising
guidelines
been established?

Why is it taking
so long to repair
the plaza?

MEET THE PRES.

An informal hour with College President, Margie Lewis.

Open to all staff and students—everyone is welcome.

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Bring your own lunch—we’ll provide the drinks and dessert.

Co-sponsored by Cypress College Staff Development and the President's Office

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Production Approval Guidelines
For Materials to be Printed at District Production Center

1 Approval process and accountability:
With the exceptions noted below, all printing projects must be approved in the following manner using the revised (2001) Production Request Form
• A completed form with a copy/sample/draft/mock-up attached must be approved by the immediate management supervisor. This signature indicates the content, format, and graphics are correct and appropriate, and that no copyright infringement has occurred.
• The completed form must be approved by the Budget Director — Karen Cant. Alternate approver: Jann Nelson. This signature insures that the assigned budget number is correct and that funds are available, if pricing is provided on the form.
• The completed form with a final copy/proof of the project attached must be approved by the Public Information Officer — Marc Posner. Alternate Approver: Raúl Alvarez. This signature indicates that the material meets the printing standards of the college and the District, i.e., use of a color correct reproduction of the Cypress College logo, inclusion of the anti-discrimination clause, and inclusion of the list of Board of Trustees.

No material will be printed without these three signatures.

This procedure applies to all promotional material for the college, its programs, and its events and any forms or documents which are printed at the District Production Center.

Exceptions:
• Standard reproduction (paper copying) of fliers and instructional materials, using the campus Production Center
• Printing projects which are standard printing templates, e.g., business cards, memo pads, letterhead, envelopes.

2 All brochures are to follow these guidelines:
• A color-correct reproduction of the Cypress College logo is to be displayed along with the school address, phone number (either general or specific to the particular division, department or program), and general Web site address (CypressCollege.edu).
• Where the logo is used, the "Go Places" graphic should accompany it.
- All brochures must have the Board of Trustees and the anti-discrimination clause printed on the back cover or an acceptable prominent location.
- The paper stock to be used for all brochures printed at DEC Production is to be a minimum of 80 pounds. Pre-printed brochure templates are available in a lighter-weight paper to accommodate the needs of desktop printers and copy machines.

The Public Information Officer is the campus resource for questions about all printed materials. The PIO is available and willing to help with all projects and can provide a variety of solutions.

3 When design work is developed in consultation with one of the District graphic designers, a final copy/proof must accompany the production request when it is submitted for campus approval.
The City of Irvine is pleased to present:
In Transition: El Toro Marine Corps Air Station

A Photographic Documentation by Cypress College Photography Students & Faculty on display at the Irvine Civic Center November 12 through December 5, 2002.

Take a unique look at the shuttered El Toro Marine Corps Air Station through the eyes of 40 advanced photography students and four instructors. A collection of more than 60 pictures showcase the desolate military base and at the close of the exhibit, all of the photographs will be donated to the County of Orange for its historical archives.

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The exhibit can be viewed during the Civic Center’s normal business hours, Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., and alternate Fridays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. An Opening Reception for the exhibit will take place on Tuesday, November 12, from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the Civic Center Lobby; reservations are required. For further information, please call (949) 724-6606 or visit www.ci.irvine.ca.us.
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SUBJECT: “In Transition” – A Photographic Documentation of the El Toro Marine Corps Air Station to be on Display November 12 through December 3

CONTACT: Heidi Olson, Special Events Administrator (949) 724-6673
Heather Morris, Public Information (949) 724-6252

IRVINE, CA – The City of Irvine is pleased to present In Transition: El Toro Marine Corps Air Station, on display at the Irvine Civic Center November 12 through December 3, 2002. Take a unique look at the shuttered El Toro Marine Corps Air Station through the eyes of 40 advanced photography students and four instructors. A collection of more than 60 pictures will showcase the desolate military base and when the exhibit is finished all of the photographs will be donated to Orange County for their historical archives.

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Editors Note: The media is invited to the Opening Reception at 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 12, 2002, at the Irvine Civic Center located at 1 Civic Center Plaza (Alton and Harvard). The reception will be followed by a City Council meeting at 5 p.m. where a Commendation will be presented to curator Jerry Burchfield. Please call Heidi Olson at (949) 724-6673 for more information.

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ANNUAL HOLIDAY ART SALE
December 3, 2002  9:00am-8:00pm
December 4, 2002  9:00am-3:00pm

The CYPRESS COLLEGE ANNUAL HOLIDAY ART SALE includes hundreds of one-of-a-kind art objects in a wide range of styles and all at remarkably reasonable prices. Items on sale include paintings, prints, photographs, greeting cards, jewelry, ceramics, glass, clothing accessories, home accessories, and more. Cypress College art students as well as professional artists from both Orange County and Los Angeles County will be participating in this event.

This sale is the ideal place to find unique gifts for hard-to-please friends and relatives as well as items for one's own purposes and for the special needs of the holidays. For the acutely observant shopper, there are even a few items for free!

Proceeds from the sale are used to support the Cypress College Fine Arts Gallery and its educational programs.

For more information, contact Paul Paiement
(714) 484-7134
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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.
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.