

THIS WEEK

Ongoing

- » The Model Art exhibition (through November 8), Fine Arts Gallery.
- » David Eichenger's "Euro-Foto" and Kathleen Lاراia McLaughlin's "Shades of Romania" photography exhibit (through December 9), Photograhgy Galleries.

5 • Saturday

- » "Goin' for Baroque," Campus Theater, 7:30 - 9 p.m. Additional performance on November 6 at 4 p.m.

8 • Tuesday

- » NOCCCD Board meeting, Anaheim Campus, 5:30 p.m.

10 • Thursday

- » Academic Senate, Wilson Conference Room, 3-5 p.m.

11 • Friday

- » "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest," Theater Arts Studio Theater, 8 p.m. Additional performances on November 12, 18, 19 at 8 p.m.; November 13 and 20 at 4 p.m.

THEY SAID IT

"There is no security on this earth, there is only opportunity."

– General Douglas MacArthur

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November 4, 2005 Newsletter from President Margie Lewis

Core Values:

Excellence

Integrity

Collegiality

Inclusiveness

Urgent Funding for Health Center Comes Via BOGG Waiver Change

► Recent state legislation and NOCCCD Board action will provide essential funding for the student Health Center.

The student Health Center will gain some vital funding beginning in the spring semester when the health fee is no longer covered by the Board of Governors fee waiver.

The Cypress College Health Center is a self-supporting operation that relies on student fees to cover the cost of operations. In order to continue providing a quality health service program for our students, the NOCCCD Board of Trustees approved the elimination of the health fee waiver to BOGG students.

The change — made possible because of recently approved Assembly Bill 982 — takes effect in the spring.

All students will now be responsible for the payment of this required \$14 fee. The BOGG Fee Waiver will still cover the \$26 per unit enrollment fee and reduce the parking fee to \$20.

Students who are currently receiving the BOGG Fee Waiver will continue to be covered by the grant next semester. Students may check their account status on-line at <http://www.banner.nocccd.cc.ca.us/>. Please remind students that the Spring BOGG Fee Waiver is posted within 24 hours of their registration. Non-payment of the remaining fees will result in holds being placed on their registration.

Please refer students with questions to Financial Aid, located in Tech Ed 2, at (714) 484-7114.

Winter/Spring 2006 Class Schedule Now Available Online and on Campus

The college has released its class schedule with course listings for the winter and spring term.

The document is now accessible on the main page of the college's Web site, located at CypressCollege.edu, and printed copies of the schedule are available for purchase for \$1 in the campus Bookstore and in the Admissions and Records Office.

Students who wish to attend the Winter Intersession and/or the Spring Semester can begin selecting classes via WebStar when registration begins on Monday, November 28, for continuing students.

New students can apply online by clicking on the "apply online" icon at the top of the Cypress College Web page.

Staff Development Funding Requests Due Soon

The deadline for the next Staff Development funding period is Friday, November 18. A signed paper copy and an electronic copy of the 2005-2006 Request for Travel and Conference Funding document must be submitted to Staff Development by 4 p.m. To obtain a copy of the instructions and the Excel request form, contact the Staff Development Office via e-mail at staffdev@CypressCollege.edu. For questions or concerns, please call Nancy at ext. 47326 or Elizabeth at ext. 47324.

EEO Training Session on Tuesday, November 8

The next Equal Employment Opportunity Training session for prospective hiring committee members is scheduled for Tuesday, November 8, at 3:30 p.m., in Business-203. The training is for anyone who is being proposed to serve on a hiring committee or anyone who would like to have the training (with their supervisor's permission to attend) so that they will be eligible to sit on a hiring committee in the future. RSVP to Etta Dial via phone at ext. 27273 or via e-mail at edial@fullcoll.edu.

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CONCERT - PRESS RELEASE

The Cypress Masterworks Chorale, Camerata & Orchestra
Proudly Present

“Goin’ for Baroque”

Gloria - Antonio Vivaldi
Magnificat - Johann Sebastian Bach
Dettingen Te Deum - George Frederic Handel

featuring

Sopranos: Susan Montgomery and Lori Stinson
Altos: Holly Harvey and Teresa Raridan
Basses: Tyler Thompson and Richard Kinsey
Tenor: Gerald Seminatore

Dr. Sheridan Ball, Director

Date/Time: **Saturday - November 5 - 7:30 PM** and **Sunday - November 6 - 4:00 PM**
Cypress College Campus Theater - Address: 9200 Valley View Street, Cypress
South of the 91 freeway - Between Lincoln & Orange

On the weekend of November 5/6 the Cypress Masterworks Chorale, Camerata, Concert Orchestra and Soloists will present their opening concert of the 2005-2006 season, featuring works by Bach, Vivaldi and Handel.

This program, titled **“Goin’ for Baroque,”** will open with the chamber ensemble, *Cypress Camerata*, performing Johann Sebastian Bach’s buoyant setting of the *Magnificat*. This will be followed by Antonio Vivaldi’s famous setting of the *Gloria*, as presented by the *Cypress Masterworks Chorale*. Following intermission both ensembles will combine forces for George Frederic Handel’s concise and jubilant mini-masterwork, the *Dettingen Te Deum*, which was written in commemoration of the 1743 British military victory over the French near the German town of Dettingen.

Featured soloists for this concert are sopranos **Susan Montgomery** (Long Beach) and **Lori Stinson** (Van Nuys); altos **Holly Harvey** (Mission Viejo) and **Teresa Raridan** (Brea) tenor, **Gerald Seminatore** (Fullerton) and basses **Tyler Thompson** (Fountain Valley) and **Richard Kinsey** (Long Beach).

The **Cypress Masterworks Chorale and Camerata** have toured extensively throughout Europe, Russia, and the Middle East. They have performed at the Hollywood Bowl, the Orange County Performing Arts Center, the Vatican and Radio Vienna, in addition to three appearances in New York City’s famed Carnegie Hall. The Chorale recently performed at the Sydney Opera House, in conjunction with their New Zealand-Australia concert tour, and traveled to Italy last summer for concerts in Naples, Rome, Florence and Venice.

The Masterworks Chorale has been invited to perform at the **California Music Educators State Conference** in Sacramento this spring, and an “Alaska Choral Cruise” is on the agenda for July 15-22, 2006. A concert tour to Denmark, Sweden, Finland and Russia is currently in the planning stages for the summer of 2007.

Dr. Sheridan Ball received his Bachelor’s and Master’s degrees from the University of Northern Colorado and a Doctorate of Musical Arts from the University of Southern California. He served as Chairman of the Cypress College Music Department for six years and is currently celebrating his **25th Anniversary Season** as director of the Cypress Masterworks Chorale & Camerata.

Dr. Ball is also an Associate Conductor for MidAmerica Productions in New York City.

General Admission - \$20.00 Senior Citizens and Students - \$15.00
Children 12 and under 1/2 Price - \$10.00

For ticket reservations or further information, Please Call: (714) 594-4249

www.CypressChorale.org



Brain-Based Research

Participation in this week's Brain-Based Research presentation was strong and featured a group of employees from across the District.





Vo-Tech Division Events

On October 19th our Automotive Program hosted about 40 students, plus several teachers and counselors from the Anaheim High School Transportation Academy, for a tour of our program. We also conducted several presentations designed to introduce our programs in automotive technology and advanced transportation technologies, including alternative fuel vehicles, geographic information systems, etc., to the attendees. The event was organized by our Automotive Shop Manager, Robert Chavez. Jane Jepson and Chalene Ha, the counselors for the vocational students and all of the automotive faculty and staff participated, including instructors Chuck Sherard, John Alexander, Marty Orozco, Michael Beard, Robert Anderson, and Don Blanchard, and our lab tech Lidia Coman. The event was a resounding success and has in the past contributed significantly to our program's enrollment.

On October 26, our Automotive Program and Advanced Transportation Technologies Grant teamed to participate as a presenter at the Orange County Innovation Week Advanced Technologies Event sponsored by the Orange County Business Council, Vital Link, and others. Over 200 area high school students attended the day-long event. Marty Orozco, instructor and ATTi project manager, did a presentation on Advanced

Transportation Technologies. Russ Cassela from Toyota was also a part of our presentation. He addressed employment opportunities in the automotive and advanced transportation industries. The big hit among the students was the ATTi SegWay, and several other advanced transportation "toys/tools" that we provided. In addition, we had a booth so that prospective students could pick up career and vocational program information from programs across campus. Assisting Marty with the event were Don Blanchard, Robert Chavez and Lidia Coman

On November 3rd, David Skinner from America Honda Corporation will visit our campus and do a two-hour presentation on the "Honda Hybrid Platform." At a similar presentation last year, we had 64 participants from our automotive program and from other areas across campus. Marty Orozco will be publishing a campus invitation to anyone interested in hearing about Honda's approach to the hybrid vehicle. More to come.

We will be hosting a small team of visitors from Toyota Japan on Monday, October 31. They will be touring our T-TEN program beginning at about 1:30 p.m., and their visit will last until the end of the day.

— Steve Donley