



Los Angeles Valley College

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This Issue's News & Event



Limited Summer Hours for Selected LAVC Offices

From July 19-August 13, the LAVC Admissions & Records Office, Graduation Office, Assessment Center, International Student Services Office, and Veteran Student Services Office will have special summer hours of operation. The offices of Admissions and Records, International Student Services and Veterans Student Services will be open Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., and Tuesdays from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. The Assessment Center will be open Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., and Tuesdays from 9 a.m.-7 p.m. The Graduation Office will be open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Tuesdays from 8 a.m.-7 p.m., and closed on Fridays. The Student Outreach & Recruitment Office will be open Mondays-Fridays from 8:00-4:30 p.m. For more information, contact the Admissions Office at (818) 947-2553 or visit <http://www.lavc.edu/studentserve/site/admissions/index.html>.



Computers Now Available in the Lion's Den for Students to Apply Online, and Add/Drop Classes

With the new changes to the admission application, adding and dropping process, the Monarch Den (located in the Cafeteria Building) will have computers available for students to apply online, and add or drop classes. The Lion's Den will be open Mondays-Thursday from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and Fridays from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. As of Monday, June 28, admission applications will only be accepted online at www.lavc.edu; ADA accommodations are available. No paper admission applications will be accepted. Students who would like to add or drop classes must do so online, and only add permits from the instructor will be accepted in-person. To view the location of the Lion's Den on the campus map, visit www.lavc.edu. Questions? Please contact the Office of Admissions and Records at (818) 947-2553.



Calling All Parents! It's Not Too Late for Your Kids to Attend the LAVC Monarch Day Camp

During the summer, the LAVC Monarch Day Camp holds 15 different camps at LAVC for kids ages 5-years-old and up. The Monarch Camp also offers several specialty and overnight camps for kids ages 9-years-old and up. Parents can now register their children online at <http://lavalley.augusoft.net> for all overnight adventure campus and supersaver day camp programs. Space is limited, so register today! For more information, contact the LAVC Community Services Office at (818) 947-2577, ext 4172 or visit <http://lavalley.augusoft.net>.



Free Wednesday Playgroup at LAVC for Kids Ages 2-4 Years Old

The LAVC Family Resource Center offers a free "Creative Experiences for Young Children" playgroup on Wednesdays between July 14-August 25 from 10-11 a.m. and 2-3 p.m. in Bungalow 49. This fun hour-long free weekly playgroup features social play and creative activities for parents and kids ages 2-4 years old. Participants can attend one or both sessions. Space is limited, so please RSVP to Gary Huff at (818) 778-5612 or huffgf@lavc.edu.



Calling All Students...Be Part of Student Government

The Associated Student Union (ASU), the student government at LAVC, is taking applications for appointments to the ASU Executive Council. Apply now for one of the following positions: Treasurer, Commissioner of Athletics, Commissioner of Evening Division, Commissioner of Student and Social Affairs, Commissioner of Public Relations, Commissioner of Campus and Environmental Affairs, ICC Senate Rep, or Secretary. Applications must be submitted by September 10, 2010 at Campus Center 102, or online at www.lavc.edu/asu/executivecouncil.html.



Attention Students! Watch for Your New myLACCD Debit Card in the Mail

LAVC students will now be receiving their financial aid disbursements through the new myLACCD Debit Card. Students should keep an eye out in August for a green LACCD envelope with their debit card. These debit cards through HigherOne, Inc., a financial services company specializing in higher education, will allow students the fastest and easiest way to gain access to their money—literally the same day the District releases it. Two ATM machines will also be placed on campus to allow students to withdraw their disbursement funds using the debit card. To learn more about the new MyLACCD Card, and to activate the card and select the refund preference, please visit www.MyLACCDcard.com.



Thank You to Everyone who Donated to the LAVC Blood Drive

The LAVC Blood Drive on July 21 was a huge success. The American Red Cross collected 31 units of blood from 50 blood donors that day. LAVC reached 129% its our goal for the blood drive. Thank you to everyone who participated. The next blood drive will be scheduled for Thursday, October 7.

Additional news and events are posted online at <http://www.lavc.edu/campusnews/index.html>.

LAVC in the News



July 23, 2010

Ballew ties for seventh at World Junior Championships

LAVC sophomore Kyle Ballew tied for seventh place in the pole vault at the 13th IAAF World Junior Championship in Moncton, Canada. He cleared 16 feet, 4 3/4 inches. To read the Daily New article, visit http://www.dailynews.com/sports/ci_15580822.



July 21, 2010

Program: free training for medical industry

The Healthcare Career Advancement Academy at LAVC was featured on ABC-TV (Channel 7). Reporter Leo Stallworth interviewed certificate recipients, LAVC President Dr. Susan Carleo and Youth Policy Institute President Dixon Slingerland at the program's certificate presentation ceremony. This program offers displaced workers free classes and paid internships for future jobs as medical assistants, pharmacy

technicians, and certified nursing assistants. To watch the segment, visit http://abclocal.go.com/kabc/story?section=news/local/los_angeles&id=7568493.



July 15, 2010

Such great heights

The LA Daily News featured a story on LAVC Pole Vaulter Kyle Ballew, who captured the national title June 24 at the USA Track and Field Junior Outdoor Championships in Des Moines, Iowa. He also qualified for the IAAF World Junior Championships in Moncton, Canada. To read the entire story, visit http://www.dailynews.com/sports/ci_15529198.

Please Announce to All Students

The following are important campus announcements for your students:

- **Limited Summer Hours for Selected LAVC Offices from Now-August 13.** During the summer, the offices of Admissions & Records, Veteran Student Services, and International Student Services will be open Mondays, Wednesdays-Fridays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. and Tuesdays from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. The Assessment Center will be open Mondays, Wednesdays-Fridays from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and Tuesdays from 9 a.m.-7 p.m. The Graduation Office will be open Mondays, Wednesdays-Thursdays from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Tuesdays from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. and closed on Fridays. The Student Outreach & Recruitment will be open from Mondays-Fridays from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Questions? Contact the Admission Office at (818) 947-2553.
- **Don't Forget to Buy Your Parking Permit This Summer!** During the summer, you should always display your parking permit on the dashboard of your car. Parking violations are strictly enforced throughout campus. If you don't have your parking permit, visit the LAVC Business Office located to the east of the Cafeteria. For more information, visit www.lavc.edu/businessoffice.
- **Calling All Parents! Free Summer Playgroup for Young Kids.** The LAVC Family Resource Center is offering two playgroups this summer for kids ages 2-4 years old. Bring your kids for a fun hour of social play and creative activities each Wednesday between July 14-August 25 from 10-11 a.m. and 2-3 p.m. in Bungalow 49. Attend one or both sessions! Space is limited so RSVP today! For more info, call (818) 778-5612.
- **Are Your Kids Looking for Something Fun This Summer!** The LAVC Community Services offers 15 different summer camps for kids ages 5-years-old and up at LAVC between June 28-August 20. To learn more or to register online, visit <http://lavalley.augusoft.net>.
- **Looking for Your Financial Aid Disbursement? Keep Your Eye Out for Your New myLACCD Debit Card.** Students who receive financial aid will receive green LACCD envelope in the mail with your new financial aid debit card. Once you receive your myLACCDcard, you should activate the card and select your refund preference by visiting www.myLACCDcard.com. Questions? Call the Financial Aid Office at (818) 947-2412.
- **Want to Be More Involved on Campus? Apply today for an ASU Officer position.** Applications for the following positions are being accepted: Treasurer, Commissioner of Athletics, Commissioner of Evening Division, Commissioner of Student and Social Affairs, Commissioner of Public Relations, Commissioner of Campus and Environmental Affairs, ICC Senate Rep, or Secretary. The deadline to apply is September 10, and applications must be turn in at CC104 or online at www.lavc.edu/asu/executivecouncil.

Announcements & Events for Faculty/Staff

LAVC 411 Update Form Available Online. All committee chairs are being asked to provide the campus with committee updates via the new LAVC 411 Web page. The LAVC 411 page is a new resource to the campus committee to help keep them abreast of action items/information/news from our various campus committees. Committee chairs should submit their updates through the LAVC 411 Updates Form, which is available at <http://www.lavc.edu/411/docs/LAVC411-UpdatesForm-062310.doc>. The completed form should be submitted to Maggie Lopez in the President's Office at lopezm@lavc.edu within 5 business days following your meeting. Questions? Contact Jennifer Fong at (818) 947-2433.

Save the Date—LAVC Tech Fest is August 16-18. Title V and Professional Development will be holding its "LAVC Tech Fest" from Monday, August 16-Wednesday, August 18 between 9 a.m.-3:45 p.m. on various locations on campus. A complete list of workshops is available at <http://www.lavc.edu/profdev/docs/SummerTechfest%202010.pdf>. For more information, contact Jim Marteney, Distance Education Trainer, at martenji@lavc.edu.

Attention All Classified Staff!—August 24 is the Annual Classified Staff Appreciation Lunch. The LAVC Administrative Team will be holding its annual "Classified Staff Appreciation Lunch" on Tuesday, August 24 in the Cafeteria Dining Room. All classified staff members are invited to attend. An invitation will be emailed to all classified staff in the beginning of August.

Mark Your Calendars—1st Annual "Monarch Mania" Kickoff Dinner/Drawing on August 27. LAVC Athletics will be holding the 1st annual "Monarch Mania" Kickoff Dinner/Drawing at its first football scrimmage of the season on Friday, August 27 at 6 p.m. in the Football Recruitment Patio. You will have an opportunity to win football clothing and cash prizes, and meet the coaching staff and alumni. Tickets are \$100 each (includes a tri-tip barbeque dinner); the tax-deductible donation should be made payable to the "Los Angeles Valley College Spirit Club". For tickets, contact Coach Jim Fenwick at (818) 947-2505 or Coach Leon Criner at (818) 947-2935.



Is Your Information Correct in the Online Directory? Faculty, staff and administrators who find their information inaccurate or missing, should email news@lavc.edu with the correct information (and copy his/her department chair). Thank you.

Activities this Week



A complete list of campus events and meetings is posted on the calendar at www.lavc.edu. Please contact the listed department/contact person for more detailed information.

Symbol Key:  For Students,  For Faculty/Staff,  Arts/Music,  Deadlines

Sunday, August 1

-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Monday, August 2

-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
-  Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Greater Valley Glen Council Board Meeting @ 6- 10 pm (Faculty Lounge) – Contact: Terry Anderson (818) 902-9066 tmalaw100@yahoo.com

Tuesday, August 3

- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Wednesday, August 4

- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Creative Activities for Young Children (Ages 2-4 yrs old) sponsored by the Family Resource Center @ 10-11 am & 2- 3 pm (Family Resource Center - Bungalow 49) - Contact: Gary Huff (818) 778-5612
huffgf@lavc.edu [View Flyer](#) (PDF)

Thursday, August 5

- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Friday, August 6

- 📅 Summer Session 2010 - Deadline to drop classes with a "W" (in person or Internet)
- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Deadline to petition for reinstatement
- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Saturday, August 7

- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for continuing students (by appointment)
- 📅 Fall Semester 2010 - Internet Registration for new and returning students (by appointment)

Vision Statement

Los Angeles Valley College serves the community as a leader in instructional excellence, facilitating the success of its diverse students, developing critical thinkers and life-long learners, and contributing to the economic and cultural vitality of the San Fernando Valley and beyond.

Mission Statement

Los Angeles Valley College is a comprehensive community college located in the center of the San Fernando Valley. The College serves the community by providing transfer, degree, career-technical, foundational, transitional and continuing education programs in an attractive and accessible learning environment that fosters student success. Embedded in these programs are the greater goals of critical thinking and life-long learning which are necessary for success in the workplace and for advancing one's education, personal development and quality of life.

To read the entire Mission Statement, visit <http://www.lavc.edu/vision-mission/>

***The LAVC College Bulletin is distributed to the campus community every Wednesday for the following week's activities and events.
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