



# News and Notes

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## Chancellor's Forum at City College

Please join your colleagues at City College in attending a presentation and open forum with the Chancellor to discuss issues affecting the District and plans for the future.

**Date:** Tuesday, September 9, 2008  
**Place:** D-121A/B, Faculty/Staff Dining Room  
**Time:** 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Flex Credit Available. Sign up for Workshop [49491](#) - Chancellor's Forum. (President Burgess)

## President's Message:

City College was featured on KUSI Ch. 9/51 this past Wednesday throughout the 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. broadcast. Vice President Peter White, Financial Aid Director Greg Sanchez, and Bookstore Supervisor DeeDee Porter were featured interviews - discussing the economic impact on City students.

Enrollment update: September 2, 2008  
 FTES is up at City College 3.9% compared to the same week last fall. The SDCCD FTES is up 3.3%. SDCCD classes are filling at a greater rate this fall than last fall (86% as compared to 78%).

Look forward to seeing you at the Chancellor's Forum on Tuesday, September 9 at 3:00 in the Staff/Dining Room. - Terry

## Meetings of the Week

<b>Monday</b>	9/08/08	10:00 a.m.	Health and Safety	D-121A
		1:00 p.m.	Review of Services	D-121A
		2:30 p.m.	Academic Senate	D-121A
<b>Tuesday</b>	9/09/08	2:00 p.m.	President's Council	D-102
<b>Wednesday</b>	9/10/08	2:00 p.m.	Curriculum Tech Review	B-104
		2:00 p.m.	Instructional Technology Council	R-108
		3:30 p.m.	Master Planning and Resource...	D-102
<b>Thursday</b>	9/11/08	12:00 p.m.	Institutional Assessment Committee	D-121A
<b>Friday</b>	9/12/08	12:00 p.m.	Diversity Committee	D-121A

## Submissions

Please e-submit ALL Bulletin articles directly to Barbara Butler and Lydia Gonzales in the President's Office by 12:00 p.m. on Thursdays one week prior to publication. Thank you.

**Evening and Weekend Administrator:**  
**Cellular Phone**  
**(619) 559-3468**

## Calendar of SDCCD Board Meetings

SDCCD Board Meetings		
Date	Time	Location
Thursday, September 11	4:00 p.m.	District
Thursday, September 25	4:00 p.m.	City
Thursday, October 9	4:00 p.m.	District
Thursday, October 23	4:00 p.m.	Mesa
Thursday, November 25	4:00 p.m.	District
Thursday, December 11	4:00 p.m.	District

## Campus Construction Project Updates and Notices

On City's homepage, simply click on the **AT WORK FOR CITY COLLEGE** graphic on lower left column.



For all construction project updates and notices, please go to:  
<http://www.sdcity.edu/buildingupdates/default.asp>.

## Campus Events

Many new events are added throughout the semester. To add your event, simply click on the **SUBMIT YOUR EVENT** graphic at [www.sdcity.edu/events.asp](http://www.sdcity.edu/events.asp).



September 16 - 18  
 October 3 - 4  
 Saville Theatre:  
 World Cultures:  
 Athletic events:

Constitution Week Activities  
 3rd Annual San Diego City College International Bookfair  
[www.sdcity.edu/saville\\_theatre](http://www.sdcity.edu/saville_theatre)  
<http://www.sdcity.edu/worldcultures/pdf/WC-EVENTS.pdf>  
<http://www.sdcity.edu/athletics>

At Home:            Wednesday, September 10th    Women's Volleyball  
                          Friday, September 12th            Women's Soccer

## City College Faculty -Staff Resources

For current updates: [www.sdcity.edu/faculty-staff.asp](http://www.sdcity.edu/faculty-staff.asp)

Directories ♦ Faculty/Staff Downloads ♦ Meetings Calendar ♦ President's Bulletin ♦  
 Web Site Updating and Development ♦ Faculty/Staff Fitness Center Calendar ♦ District Resources ♦ Additional Links

## Committee Reports

Committee Reports can be found in your Outlook mail under Public Folders.

Academic Senate Executive	<a href="http://www.sdcity.edu/academicssenate">www.sdcity.edu/academicssenate</a>	Flex Committee	<a href="http://www.sdcity.edu/faculty-staff.asp">www.sdcity.edu/faculty-staff.asp</a>
Academic Senate	<a href="http://www.sdcity.edu/academicssenate">www.sdcity.edu/academicssenate</a>	Institutional Assessment Committee	
Chairs' Cabinet		Instructional Services Council	
Curriculum		Institutional Technology Council	
Curriculum Tech Review		Master Planning & Resources Oversight Council	
Environmental Stewardship Committee	<a href="http://www.sdcity.edu/esc">www.sdcity.edu/esc</a>	Review of Services	
Foundation Board Meeting		Student Services Council	

***Any comments in regards to the Accreditation Mission Statement should be sent to [sdeaton@sdccd.edu](mailto:sdeaton@sdccd.edu). Interested persons who would like to attend the Master Planning and Resource Oversight Council meeting is welcome. The next meeting will be on September 10th at 3:30 p.m. in room D-102.***

## **PHILOSOPHY**

San Diego City College is a multicultural institution committed to providing open access to all who benefit from instruction and to meeting the diverse and ever-changing educational, cultural, and economic needs of the inner city and surrounding communities of San Diego. As City College prepares world citizens in the 21st century, we recognize that the aim of education is the development of the whole person, who is prepared to value citizenship and to participate in a global community. To improve access and achieve excellence, we acknowledge and affirm teaching and learning as our highest priority. We recognize that citizens in a free society must cherish and protect the tradition of academic freedom and responsibility. We further believe that people are our greatest resource and we are committed to developing an environment that cultivates learning, understanding, and respect for students, faculty, staff, and the community.

## **MISSION**

The mission of City College has as its highest priority student learning and achievement.

City College provides:

- Lower division and general education courses that lead to Certificates, Associate Degrees or transfer to a four-year college or university;
- Career technical education programs that meet specific industry needs, upgrade the employment skills of students, and fulfill licensing requirements of the state of California as well as contribute to the economic development of our region; and
- Important and essential student support services and basic skills instruction to assist all students in meeting their educational goals.

Additionally, City College is committed to:

- The development of informed, active citizens who will be engaged in the global community, lifelong learners, and literate in information technology;
- Institutional community involvement, community development and community service;
- Equity, inclusiveness, and diversity in all of its manifestations;
- High quality instructional programs, essential student support services, including co-curricular and cultural activities;
- A continuous campus-wide cycle of program review and assessment with integrated planning, and resource allocation;
- Developing and participating in programs that benefit the environment through resource management, conservation, and recycling.

(Revised and approved by the MP&ROC on 10/10/07, and approved by the President's Council on 10/16/07)  
(Deaton)

**Green Speaker Series - Presented by City's Environmental Stewardship Committee**  
**For complete calendar: [www.sdcity.edu/esc](http://www.sdcity.edu/esc)**

Green Speaker Series				
Date	Speaker	Time	Place	Subject
Tuesday, September 9	Rachel Borgatti, Manager, Solana Center	11:25 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	D-121B	Worm bins. Reduce waste. <a href="http://www.solanacenter.org">www.solanacenter.org</a>
Thursday, September 18	Scott Murray, President, Slow Food San Diego	11:25 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	D-121B	Counteract fast food. Support local farmers and artisans. <a href="http://www.slowfoodsandiego.org">www.slowfoodsandiego.org</a>

**Environmental and Health Concerns**



To avoid chemical leaching into food, go easy on processed, canned or fast foods and never microwave plastic. (Environmental Stewardship Committee)

**AB1725**

**Faculty/Staff Development and Travel**

All are reminded that the travel/staff development request for travel in October are due on Tuesday, September 06, 2008 by 12:00 p.m. Please submit all the required information and documents to Don Long (box in the mail room).

All the necessary forms/instructions have been distributed by email and there are also forms in the appropriate adjacent to the mail room. (Long)

**Athletic Information**

**Fitness Tip:**

**Mid Morning Eating Habits**

Making the best use of new and healthful foods takes some planning. My suggestion always is to review your daily schedule and figure out when you are hungry and then create a food plan that will fit into your lifestyle. Mid morning is the one time in the day that is challenging to prepare something healthy to eat. Prepare yourself to avoid the mid morning sweets and you simply cannot expect your body and mind to perform at their best if you don't fill up with high performance fuel. I suggest you pack a sack full of high carbohydrate treats to avoid grabbing high fat treats and make sure to eat a snack a few hours before you exercise. In addition, drink plenty of fluids throughout the day.

Be careful in using vending machines for all selections are not equal. You are in good shape if you can get pretzels, low fat popcorn, raisins, fresh fruit, juice, peanuts, low fat granola bars and yogurt. When all else fails, plan ahead and bring with you some snacks from home. A bagel makes for a great snack. Good luck! (Greer)

## **Campus Police**

### **Rape Aggression Defense Classes**

#### **Miramar College**

**Date:** Saturday, October 25th and Saturday, November 1st, 2008

**Aerobic Room:** A-111

**Time Of Classes:** 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

This is a 12-hour program that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction, and avoidance, while progressing on to the basics of hands on defense training.

- ◆ No-nonsense, practical techniques of defense
- ◆ Provides static, fluid, and dynamic hands on training
- ◆ Provides students with comprehensive manual
- ◆ Has a LIFETIME return
- ◆ It's FREE



**REGISTER AT ANY COLLEGE POLICE OFFICE. THE PROGRAM IS OPEN TO WOMEN ONLY!** (Girls 12 Years And Up With Parents Consent Are Welcome). Number of participants is limited. Please note we must have 15 participants signed up.

#### **Program Schedule:**

Session 1: Introduction and hands on training (Oct. 25th)

Session 2: Students will participate in 100% full contact (Nov. 1st.)

For additional information please contact: College Police at Miramar College 619-388-7353  
Ask for Sgt. D. Medero (Medero)

## **City College Foundation Scholarships**

### **Friends Of Downtown Scholarship For San Diego City College**

#### **Criteria:**

1. Must be currently enrolled in a minimum of 9 units at San Diego City College with plans to continue the following semester.
2. Must have already complete 18 units of college, to be verified by SDCC.
3. Must have a 3.0 or higher GPA, to be verified by SDCC
4. Must attach a one-page essay about your educational, community and career goals.
5. Must be U.S. Citizen or a resident alien.

**Note:** Scholarship recipients will be selected at the discretion of the Friends of Downtown Scholarship Committee. Not all eligible students will be selected to receive a scholarship, due to limited funds.

#### **Information About The Friends Of Downtown Scholarships:**

1. Number of awards for 2007-2008 School Year: 40+ Total (1 per student)
2. Amount of each award: \$450.00, if student meets the criteria listed above
3. Scholarships to be awarded on campus in October.

#### **Application Procedure:**

1. Return completed application with attached essay to the Office of Student Affairs (Room D-106) by noon October 6, 2008.
2. Applicant must submit a one-page typed, double spaced essay describing their educational, community and career goals, as well as need for this scholarship. The essay should include background information, volunteer activities on campus and/or in the community, why the applicant is applying for this scholarship, and why they should be considered. Attach essay to application.
3. If qualified, you will be contacted to participate in a group interview scheduled in Oct 2008.

**Application Deadline:** October 6, 2008 -12:00 p.m. (Ruffo)