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IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE FOUNDATION

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## IVC Foundation Financial Report July 2009 - December 2009

INCOME	
Scholarship Donations	\$44,118
Pledges & Other Donations	\$39,968
Event Income	\$7,117
EXPENSES	
Scholarship Disbursements	\$59,538
Operational Expenses	\$48,606
Event Expenses	\$735
NET (Loss)	(\$17,676)

ASSET BALANCES 12/31/09	
Checking Account	\$62,045
Investment Accounts	\$1,057,561

Annual audited financial statements prepared by the accounting firm of Wilkinson & Hadley LLP along with our most recent 990 Form are available on our web site ([imperial.edu/foundation](http://imperial.edu/foundation)) and by request.

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## Upcoming Events...

- Spring Semester Starts, 2/16/10
- Foundation's Hosted Welcome Back, 2/25/10
- IVC Booth at Mid-Winter Fair, 2/26/10 - 3/7/10
- IVC Foundation Board Meeting, 3/16/10
- Spring Break @ IVC, 4/5/10 - 4/10/10
- IVC Foundation Board Meeting, 4/13/10
- IVC 50th Celebration & Open House 5/1/10
- IVC Foundation Board Meeting, 5/18/10
- IVC Commencement Ceremony, 6/12/10

## IVC Foundation Board...

- Anastasia Leptich
- Charlie Hosken
- David Salazar
- Dennis James
- Dr. Ed Gould
- Jerry Hart
- Mario Escalera
- Marlene Best
- Robertta Burns
- Tom Storey



# Foundations

A quarterly newsletter for the Imperial Valley College Foundation

## New Day, Same Mission

By Todd Evangelist



### Inspiration abounds at IVC!

As the new director of the Imperial Valley College Foundation it's been a joy to walk the campus and meet the outstanding staff and faculty who stand as pillars of education here in

Imperial Valley.

It's easy to get excited, if not emotional, when you hear some of the stories on this campus. Our recent Hall of Fame event provided an excellent opportunity for me to hear of the great accomplishments of our outstanding alumni.

How about Doug Harvey who's going to be inducted into Baseball's Hall of Fame this summer, or Jim Duggins who's company has built countless buildings in our community and has been a key leader in our Valley - to hear them give credit to **our college as a key factor for their success** is encouraging.

I'm also inspired by a friend I went to high school with (25 years ago), whom I bumped into on campus recently. I asked him if he was picking up a son or daughter, he explained

to me that he was attending IVC himself. He had a steady job out of high school at Plaster City that seemed almost guaranteed, until this recent recession when he was laid off with hundreds of others. He commented that **"I'm back in school because I need an education in order to get new job - I'm here at IVC because I can't afford anywhere else."** He was grateful that IVC enables him to get needed training and education while still being able to work part-time jobs to help provide for his family.

**...our college as a key factor for their success...**

Our mission at the Foundation is to develop resources that enhance higher education here at IVC. Whether we shape future Hall of Famers or Fathers who want training so they can get a job to provide for their family—IVC is vital.

**Your support is vital** as well. The honest truth is that the IVC Foundation has not fulfilled it's mission well. With confidence I say that we have made the changes to ensure your financial support will be maximized and used properly.

### SPRING 2010

#### Our Mission...

Our mission is to develop business resources that enhance educational opportunities for students of Imperial Valley College.

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#### Foundations...

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# Hall of Fame Dinner a Success!



*Imperial* - On February 11th the Foundation coordinated a Hall of Fame induction ceremony and dinner for a crowd of over 100 guests. As people gathered the classical sounds of the Imperial Valley String Quartet could be heard over the greetings and chatter of arriving friends and family of IVC. The highlight of the evening was the presentations of the IVC Alumni Association's Hall of Fame Awards.



... **annual event that showcases the outstanding Alumni of Imperial Valley College**



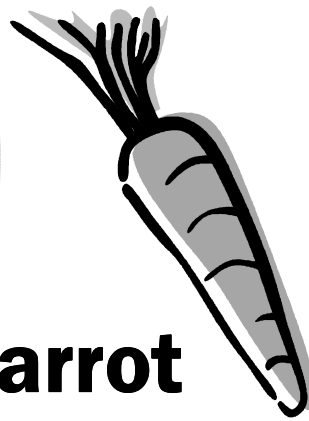
The recipients, or their designees, were honored for their outstanding accomplishments at IVC and in their careers after graduation. Pictured on the left, are: **Dr. Stan Arterberry**, Babe Henry accepting for **Doug Harvey**, Brandon Jessie accepting for his late father **Ron Jessie**, Carlos Herrera accepting for his son-in-law **Dr. Ken James**, **Jim Duggins**, and **Randy Palomino**.



The Hall of Fame Committee has its sights set on an annual event and dinner that will continue to showcase the outstanding Alumni of Imperial Valley College. Nomination forms are now available on the Hall of Fame web site ([www.imperial.edu/halloffame](http://www.imperial.edu/halloffame)). The Foundation is currently raising funds for an upgraded and permanent Hall of Fame display here on campus.



IVC's Alumni Association is being re-developed as well. Over the next few months the Foundation will be taking the lead in identifying and connecting with alumni near and far.



## A Big Carrot

*Sacramento* - If anyone can appreciate the value of a carrot it's us here in Imperial Valley. Recently IVC, and the rest of California's Community Colleges, have been given a huge carrot to chase after.

The Bernard Osher Foundation has offered to match (dollar-for-dollar) all donations made towards "scholarships" at IVC till June of 2011, up to **\$297,859**.

The IVC Foundation will be initiating a mini-campaign designed to take advantage of this once in a lifetime opportunity to double all of our scholarship donations over the next 16 months. The end result could be a total endowment of over \$600K for IVC students!! *(For every \$20K put in endowments; interest earned equals the annual student tuition at IVC - \$1,000).*

## New Coordinator for Foundation



*Campus* - **Monica Rogers**, who most recently worked for IVC's extended campus in Brawley, became the Coordinator for the Foundation this past September.

Monica attended IVC herself and will assist with the soon to be re-formed Alumni Association along with handling all of the administrative duties in the Foundation office.

Monica and her husband David reside in Brawley with their children.

# Mary Shinn Memorial Scholarship



Pictured are Jim Shinn from SonShine Counseling Center, Claudia Rodriguez and daughter, Sarah Clark and IVC Foundation Director Todd Evangelist

*El Centro* - It hasn't been easy for this initial recipient of the Mary Shinn Memorial Scholarship. **Claudia Rodriguez** (see right) is a single mother who is attending IVC not just for her goals, but also for the future goals of her daughter that she raises with her siblings and three generations in their modest home.



**"All my choices and decisions will not just impact my life, but also the life of my child."**

Claudia and Sarah Clark are the first IVC students to receive \$500 each from this scholarship that was started by long time Imperial Valley educator Jim Shinn and his partners in the SonShine Counseling Center.

Claudia is majoring in Psychology and hopes to transfer to a four year university where she will continue to study for a career as a psychologist or social worker. A new motivation has compelled Claudia in her quest to obtain her education, "All my choices and decisions will not just impact my life, but also the life of my child."

Impacting lives is exactly the intent of the Mary Shinn Memorial Scholarship.

## Book Loans now Book Scholarships

*Campus* - The popular Book Loan program at the Foundation has turned a new leaf and is now being offered as Book Scholarships. Last Spring the Foundation loaned \$5,800 out to students who often had difficulty paying it back. This Spring the Foundation is issuing \$1,000 of true scholarships. Applications are in the Financial Aid office.

# IVC Club Builds Dreams



*El Centro* - IVC's Students for Political Awareness (SPA) club recently received a grant from at&t in the amount of \$17,000 to purchase computers for their after-school tutoring program on El Centro's east side.

Shown below are representatives of at&t, local churches, El Centro City Council members and IVC's Gaylla Finnell (also shown at left with student).

