



Imperial Valley College

Applied Sciences

Newsletter

Fall 2007

Admin of Justice,

POST PROGRAM

The Police Officer Standards Training Program plays a direct role in introducing law enforcement to those interested in serving the community. The program is demanding, but produces a life-changing experience as students become familiar with criminal justice and police procedures.



The Reserve Level III course graduated 14 qualified and dedicated students on November 29th. Some have submitted applications with the Imperial Valley Law Enforcement Police Reserve Programs to work as Level III Officers. A few are being processed for jobs with the CA Dept. of Corrections and Rehabilitation, El Centro Police Dept., and Imperial County Sheriff's Dept.

PC832 COMPLIANCE

As of January 1, 2007 the Reserve Officer III Program has become PC832 Compliant.

CORRECTIONS OFFICER ACADEMY

A Corrections Officer Academy is currently in the works. More information will follow in future newsletters.

Alcohol & Drug Studies

CAADE

The Alcohol & Drug Studies Program recently got nationally accredited by the California Association for Alcohol/Drug Educators (CAADE).

Business

BUSINESS COMPUTER LAB

The Business computer lab is open from Monday through Friday from 8 am to 8:45 pm.

Child, Family, and Consumer Sciences

TRICK-OR-TREATING

On Halloween, the Preschool and Infant Toddler Center children were taken on a trick-or-treating trip around campus. The children were dressed up in their Halloween

costumes and seemed to enjoy the treats and watching the adults who were also wearing Halloween costumes.

PRESCHOOL & INFANT/TODDLER CENTER



Santa gave children books in an effort to increase literacy among the children enrolled in IVC's Preschool & Infant/Toddler Center.

FOSTER CARE, KINSHIP, & ILP



Is that Santa on a Harley?

The Customer Service Committee sponsored the Imperial Valley Foster Care, Kinship, and ILP gift drive. Gifts were distributed to about 500 children & teens at the Foster Care party held at IVC on Dec. 14th. Thank you Becky Green, Lency Lucas, & CFCS staff! Special thanks also to the many Angel Tree sponsors that adopted children for the gift drive!!

Industrial Technology

SCHOOL PRESENTATIONS

Industrial Technology instructors and district counselors have taken the initiative of visiting local high schools and providing presentations about the Career Technical Education programs available within Industrial Technology.

Nursing, Health, & EMS

INTERIM ASSOCIATE DEAN

We would like to welcome Diedre Pollock-Blevins as the new Interim Associate Dean for the Nursing, Health Technologies, and EMS Division. Congratulations and thank you for all that you've done so far and what's yet to come.

Apprenticeships

JOURNEYMEN

On November 6th four more apprentices received IID Board recognition for

completing their training and examination through the IID state approved apprenticeship program validating their journeyman status.

Community Outreach

CAREER FAIR/ COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY DAY

Another successful Career Fair was held on October 8th. Special thanks to Joe Espinoza and Beatriz Avila for organizing it. Thank you to everyone who helped in making this event a success (you know who you are!). Hundreds of students came from schools in the Imperial Valley to learn about exciting careers and higher education.

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REDESIGN OF CTE BUILDING

Because there are no longer plans for a Culinary Arts program, the CTE Building is in the process of being redesigned. At several Applied Sciences meetings there were discussions and prioritization was finalized on what programs would get space in the area that had originally been dedicated for Culinary Arts. Applied Sciences has been working with the architect on the redesign.

PROGRAM REVIEW

Program Reviews were conducted for Career Technical Education

programs in order to meet Ed Code 78016 requirements.

CARL D. PERKINS

The next five-year Carl D. Perkins local plan is underway. Interested Applied Sciences programs submitted an RFP and will be considered for prioritization during the beginning of the spring semester.

NEW WEBSITE

The new Applied Sciences website has been created and continues to be a work in progress. Please take a look.

OFFICE RELOCATION

To accommodate the new administrator position of Dean of Instruction, the office of Applied Sciences is being relocated from the Administration Building to the Workforce Development Center (1700 Building).

Important Dates

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

January 17
Business Showcase 2008

February 29-March 9
Mid-Winter Fair 2008

April 23
Applied Sciences Expo 2008

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