



## Construction on Math and Science Building continues

By Eman M. Shurbaji  
Staff Writer

Dr. Julio Blanco, new Dean of Natural Sciences and Mathematics, is elated about the new Mathematics and Computer Science Building, and students should be too.

As the entire campus expects continuous growth in the coming years, the math and computer science building also expects to follow the trend. The 3-story building will consist of larger classes and learning space. The ground floor will house the dean's office as well as a study area. Math will be situated on the second floor, and computer science on the third.

The CSU funded project is part of a major infrastructure improvement master plan. The building is part of the campus master plan initiated by President Horace Mitchell. The entire campus expects continuous increase in enrollment, perhaps reaching 18,000 students in 2014-2015.

There is also visible growth in student enrollment for Math and Computer Science degrees.

As the campus itself identifies with growth, the building

will be a much-needed addition to the campus.

The expected date of completion of the building is Winter 2008, yet full use will likely occur in Fall of 2008.

sion and growth for Nursing. The Nursing Program will have more room to stock its supplies. There will also be more space for the program's internal facilities.

Science will be in 2010.

CSUB has noticeably changed in the past year. The addition of parking spaces, greater interest in sports and a winter quarter graduation ceremony Dec. 1 are just some examples of changes. The growth of the campus and the greater CSUB community is evidence of the hard work taking place to change the campus and its relationship to the community.

Though funding for construction of the new Math and Computer Science Building is available, funding is still needed for equipment such as newer computers with faster modems and digital technology units.

Growth in the greater Bakersfield metropolitan area has greatly changed the face of the business and education. Dr. Blanco stated that the addition of more faculty to CSUB is driven by student growth. The expansion of the university calls for greater convenience in student services, as well as more suitable learning.



Juan Torres/ The Runner

Blanco states that this is a "tremendous opportunity for students" to become more adept in Math and Computer Science and be more easily employable, allowing students to be a greater part of the community.

In addition, as the old building vacates, the empty space will provide room for expansion.

The trend in growth in computer sciences and mathematics has called for accreditation of the Computer Science Program, as well as the addition of a Master's Degree in Computer Science. The plans for such a degree are in the making here at CSUB, yet the earliest implementation of a Master's Degree in Computer

## Dining Commons here to serve all

By Nathan Campbell  
Staff Writer

parking lot G.

The Commons also hosts several special events throughout the quarter. Once a month there is a themed meal that corresponds to the time of year. The next theme meal is Sept. 21, and will be an American barbecue theme meal complete with hamburgers, hotdogs and other traditional items. In addition to theme meals, once per quarter the Commons has an international meal where students from other cultures prepare native dishes for their fellow students. The date for the next international meal has not yet been determined. Also, every month birthdays are celebrated with a freshly baked cake.

The Dining Commons is one option for on-campus dining that many commuter students may not know about. According to Mercedes Martinez, the manager of the Commons, the facility is there to serve both resident and commuter students alike. The Commons offers buffet style dining and serves items from a multitude of difference cultures.

The Dining Commons is located on the west end of campus next to the dorms and

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## It's a Boy!

By Denise Zavala  
Staff Writer

said Avalos-Kegley, who was still working on campus a day before her delivery.

EJ Callahan is acting as Director of Student Activities Marina Avalos-Kegley can now add full time mother to her resume.

On September 6 at approximately 5:12 p.m. she gave birth through cesarean to her first born, a healthy baby boy who weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces. The newborn is named after his father, Stephen Charles Kegley.

"Stephen and I have been married for 6 years and as a fairly newlywed couple everyone we know was awaiting for the arrival of this baby," said Avalos-Kegley in a telephone interview. The Office of Student Activities is overjoyed to welcome little Stephen into the world. Her co-workers in the Office of Student Activities as well as several CSUB students were exceptionally delighted when they found out she was pregnant with little Stephen.

"I've had a wonderful pregnancy and since the summer was pretty relaxing, I wasn't feeling tired or overworked,"

"I love watching his every expression: watching him smile, eat and sleep," confesses the elated mother. Her husband Stephen has been a constant support and has been by her side every step of the way. Avalos-Kegley's mother, sister and friends have all been helping her with the baby.

The proud parents have taken their newborn for his first pediatrician appointment and according to the pediatrician, he is as healthy as can be. The Kegley family would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the people that have sent e-mails and phone calls wishing them well.

## A tradition like no other

By Phillip Barnett  
Staff Writer

There is no tradition like Monday Night Football, and it's tradition that ASI gets busy on Monday Nights.

Thanksgiving has its benefits, but nothing compares to a big screen TV, lots of food and of course professional football. Monday Night football is at Wiley's Pub every week of the NFL regular season with the games starting at 5:30 p.m.

This year the pub kicked things off with the defending Super Bowl Champions, the Pittsburgh Steelers playing the Jacksonville Jaguars.

The game featured one of the most talked about story lines of the season this year, Ben Rothlisberger playing after an almost fatal motorcycle accident in June and an emergency appendectomy just fifteen days prior.

If that wasn't enough, he had a fever game night.

Next week is the first game the New Orleans Saints will play at home since Hurricane Katrina tragically hit a little over a year ago,

out to see the game next week according to CSUB students.

"It's the fall quarter and people are getting back to school, this is a good place to

meet new people, catch up on what happened over the weekend or just hang out," said Josh Webb, a student and member of the Kappa Alpha Order fraternity.

"More people should come out. There is free food, a lot of people chilling and there is nothing else to do on Monday nights," said Mike Broida, Kappa Alpha Order president.

The game was a constant defensive battle with no one scoring in the first half.

The Jaguars drew first blood late in the third quarter with a 31-yard field goal. They would eventually make two more field goals in the fourth quarter from 32 and 42-yards out and win the game 9-0. The shut out gave the Steelers their first loss of the season while the Jaguars advanced to 2-0 on the season.

The down side to the game is Tony Kornheiser was commentating, whose jokes are about as corny as the average Joe's pick up line.

If you aren't much of a football fan, there are also a couple pool tables, and a lot of new people to meet.



Phillip Barnett/The Runner



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Students relax in the pub enjoying Monday Night Football playing on the big screen in Wiley's Pub

They will be playing the Atlanta Falcons and the always-impressive Michael Vick. Next Monday will also be Reggie Bush's first prime time game since his Heisman winning season last year playing for USC. The game isn't the only reason you should come



Courtesy of Marina Avalos-Kegley

Mrs. Kegley's new baby boy, Stephen.

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## Dance spirit comes alive at CSUB luau

By Ranjanpreet Nagra  
Features Editor

Students enjoyed the 10-year-old tradition of the CSUB Luau sponsored by ASI and the Student Union.

The Luau was held in Runner Park last Thursday. The menu served included fruit and vegetable salad, chicken, beef, rice and dessert. Polynesian dancers started setting up their stage with music equipment and decorations.

Around 200 students enjoyed the food and the dancers' performances all evening long.

The decorations were put together by ASI VP of Programming, Wendy Martinez, and other ASI members.

The dancers from Polynesian Paradise started their performance with five young girls dancing. This was followed by another dance called "Hokey-Hokey". The group leader, Kalai, invited the audience to dance with the dancers on stage. Many students went up the

stage and participated along with the dancers. They danced to the song "Everybody Loves the Hookie Lounge."

"It was fun. I wished I could've stayed longer until the end," said Brent West, a junior English major.

The dancing continued after dark and people came and went from time to time. The night was windy and pleasant. Traditional Tahitian dances were performed by young and old dancers from the group.

The dancers' last performance was the Fire Dance, which the audience received with much applause and excitement. The first fire dance was with two big fire balls on strings, also called "poi poi". The next dance was performed around a circle of fire with a stick burning on both ends.

"I thought the dance was beautiful. Both the dancers and the organizers put out a good effort," said Sophomore Earl Magiba.

After the performance of Polynesian dancers, the organizers put on music for people to dance. This year's Luau was once again a success.



Juan Torres/The Runner  
Students enjoy food at Thursday's Luau.

## ("Commons" continued from page 1)

For those who live in the residential halls there are two meal plans. One is a 14-meal plan which allows the student to pick any 14 meals throughout the business week. The second is the 19 meal plan which includes the additional brunch and dinner on Saturdays and Sundays. However, if you are not on a dorm dining plan, do not worry; the Dining Commons gladly accepts cash or the CSUB Runnercard.

The friendly staff prides itself on catering to the students by taking

suggestions and even recipes submitted by students. The manager was quick to point out new signs and artwork, which had been added to enhance the décor of the dining area. With all the amenities that the Commons boasts: quality meals, a diverse menu and great staff, and all for an affordable price.

"We're here to serve the students," said Martinez.



Alexis Stokes/The Runner  
Students eating lunch in the Commons.

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## Facility for Animal Care and Treatment to hold open house

Courtesy of CSUB Public Information

The 24th annual FACT Barbecue for the Birds and Open House is scheduled at California State University, Bakersfield's Environmental Studies Area on Saturday, Oct. 7. Open House begins at 2 p.m.; dinner is served at 5 p.m.

Tours of the Facility for Animal Care and Treatment (FACT) feature talks and demonstrations with live birds of prey. A number of young birds, such as barn owls, great horned owls, and red-tail hawks will be on display.

CSUB biology students will give

visitors an opportunity to dissect owl pellets and study the bones of animals eaten by the owls.

Members of Cal State's 60+ Action Network will be selling nature gifts, such as FACT T-shirts, note cards, coloring books, zoo books, and other items.

Music by "Rare and Endangered" will begin at 4 p.m., featuring folk music. The band will play again during dinner.

Dinner includes deep-pit beef and turkey, barbecue beans and salsa, tossed salad, rolls, homemade desserts, coffee and tea. Beer, wine and soda will be available.

Silent auctions will be held before dinner. A live auction will begin after dinner, along with an opportunity drawing. Door prizes will be given at the end of the evening.

Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$10 for seniors (60+), and \$6 for kids 5-12. Reservations should be made in advance. For details or reservations, please call (661) 654-3167, or order tickets on the Internet at <http://www.csub.edu/fact/bbq.html>.

FACT is a wildlife rescue/conservation education project founded in 1975 by Ted Murphy, CSUB emeritus professor of biology. FACT

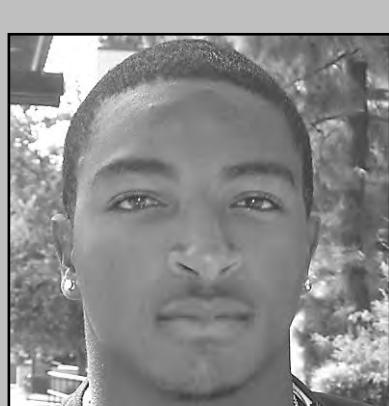
students and volunteers care for hundreds of injured or orphaned birds of prey and conduct tours of the facility and classroom programs for thousands of Kern County school children each year.

FACT is supported by the annual barbecue, members of Friends of FACT, and the sale of gift items.

## Runner on the Street

By Lisa Kerr  
Staff Writer

This Week, The Runner asked, "What are your feelings about the parking situation on campus?"



Elliot Fowler  
Senior, PEAK

"It's pretty crowded, but I don't have to worry about it since I live on campus and walk to class."



Stephanie Leyva  
Sophomore, Nursing

"I think they should have put the new parking area in a more convenient place. I am a little irritated. On the other hand, walking is healthy and can't really hurt a person."



Michael Mejia  
Sophomore, English

"I don't have to worry about parking because I live in the dorms. I think they should get a five-level parking structure and put it on campus to eliminate our parking dilemma."



Brenda Sanchez  
Sophomore, Business

"It does seem like parking sucks this year. I'm here an hour early for class and my parking still sucks. They should seriously consider building a parking structure."



Steven Valera  
Senior, Psychology

"I come so late in the day that it doesn't really affect me."

## A student's perspective: Whatever happened to the student voice?

By John Paul Horn  
News Editor

*The Student's Perspective is a weekly column that encourages campus response.*

In my three years as a student at CSUB I have seen numerous decisions, which affect the general student population and the future of this University, made with limited input from students. For example, the new parking lot placed an inconvenient distance away from the main campus buildings to make way for a new Math and Computer Science building.

Were students notified of this decision, other than Runner coverage after the fact? What happened to the construction of our Student Recreation Center? Why hasn't there been any update on the progress of its construction?

This isn't the only situation where decisions are being made that affect students.

Sodexho, the food service provider on campus, has the exclusive right to provide all food service to our campus.

While this may be convenient as the university has only one vendor with which to negotiate, it means that there are no other providers with which Sodexho must contend, often leaving students unsatisfied with the food on campus.

As economists will confirm, competitive interest is necessary to regulate a good market. If a company holds the monopoly in a market, they can provide service of any quality and arbitrarily charge for those inconsistent services.

How are we, as paying university students, supposed to learn to grow as adults if decisions are made without our input?

I had strong notions as an incoming freshman. I thought I would be treated as a responsible, decision-making adult attending a university. I thought that my days of high school were over, that I was attending a university to better myself academically.

A university is an institution where learning happens. It is supposed to encourage the ideals of independent thought and learning.

The idea that students pay to attend a university where all the decisions are made for them is ridiculous.

While the administration is responsible for overseeing the campus's mission to education, it is unfair to have them make decisions that affect the student body.

The student voice should be heard loud and clear rather than muted and cast upon deaf ears.

*The Runner wants to hear your response. If you have an opinion that you would like to share about this piece or any other articles, please feel free to e-mail a letter to the editor. E-mails should be sent to runner@csub.edu and include both your name and a number that we can contact you by telephone.*

## Crime Beat

Wednesday, September 6

### 5:16 p.m. Petty Theft Report

Occurred at Mailroom on 800. Disposition: report taken.

Thursday, September 7

No reported incidents.

Friday, September 8

### 1:45 a.m. Disabled Vehicle

Occurred at Don Hart Dr. East/Stockdale. Disposition: no further action required.

### 6:23 p.m. Assist another agency

Occurred at Don Hart Dr. West/Stockdale Hwy. BPD responding to a vehicle with male with a gun. Disposition: assignment completed.

Saturday, September 9

### 10:13 a.m. Petty Theft Report

Occurred at AYSO Soccer Fields on 9300. Taken black backpack. Disposition: Report taken.

## Sodexho serves up new face

By Javier Herrera  
Copy Editor

CSUB has a new food guru.

Nearly every bit of food that comes onto campus goes through Bob McMicken, who replaced the recently retired Leo Cromien.

Experience in the food service industry has been the greatest tool for McMicken, the new General Manager for Sodexho Foods on campus. He has been working in the food service industry since he was 15 and has been managing in the food service industry for 25 years.

With humble beginnings as a 15-year-old dishwasher, McMicken was eventually promoted to the position of District Manager and was in charge of running 22 Burger Kings in the New York area.

Before he found himself calling the shots at CSUB, McMicken had been given the duty of opening up several Hometown Buffet and Road House Grill restaurants all over California. While opening up these establishments he was given the task of training the chefs, cooks and making the establishments operational. He even opened up the Hometown Buffet that is located on the corner of South H and White Lane.

McMicken was first brought to CSUB on June 13, one week before the Senior Commencement ceremony that officially marks the end of the school year.

Aside from the Runner Café, McMicken is in charge of the Jazzman Coffee Café, the student commissary (Commons) near the dorms and Wiley's Pub in the student union.

While McMicken is here he hopes to expand the choices of food available to students as well as improving the quality of food. McMicken is also eager to "get to know everyone."

Students can get information about the nutritional value of the foods on campus and also influence

what the new menu will look like by going online to [www.csun.edu/foods](http://www.csun.edu/foods).

On this website students can calculate their daily

nutritional intake, leave comments about the food and learn more about getting food services provided to clubs by Sodexho.



Javier Herrera/The Runner

Food guru, Bob McMicken.

## Jazz Coffeehouse displays students's talent

Story Courtesy of Public Information

The award-winning CSUB jazz program will present its first Jazz Coffeehouse concert of the new academic year Saturday, Oct. 21, 2006 at 7:30 p.m. The concert will be held in the CSUB Student Union Multi-Purpose room. Tickets will be available at the door on the night of the event. Prices are \$10 for general admission and \$6 for students with ID and seniors (60+).

The Zeke Victor Trio will be the headlining act. Victor is a talented young pianist from Highland High School who is making a name for himself in Bakersfield as an adventurous performer. Joining Victor for his performance will be local giant James Dethleffson on double bass and Christian Stramaglia on drums.

This concert will also feature three talented young CSUB musicians -- guitarist Greg Kalar, drummer Eddie Ziegler and Fine Arts Merit Award scholarship winner Daniel Musquez on trumpet. These three musicians are currently recording their original compositions for the upcoming CSUB Jazz album scheduled for release in early 2007.

Other talented students and community members will perform, including guitarists Andy Bonney,

Sam Jarvis and Jeff Ardray, bassist Dallas Mercer, trumpeters Steve Eisen and Armando Castruita Jr., saxophonist Luis Lenzi, drummer Christian Stramaglia and trombonist David Kay.

The Jazz Coffeehouse Concert Series is a five-concert series where CSUB students and community members perform live jazz in all of its many guises. On any given night at the Jazz Coffeehouse Concert Series you can be treated to 1950s bop, 1970s fusion or 1990's new creative music. The CSUB Jazz Coffeehouse Concert Series is produced and direct-

ed by Jim Scully, guitarist, composer and member of the CSUB music faculty.

Scully is the director of the small jazz ensembles as well as a lecturer in music theory, theory skills, jazz appreciation, music technology and chamber music. For more information on the CSUB Jazz Coffeehouse Concert Series or the CSUB music program please contact Jim Scully (661) 654-2511, or [jscully@csun.edu](mailto:jscully@csun.edu)

## Amish Exhibit to show in Todd Madigan Gallery

Story Courtesy of Public Information

California State University, Bakersfield's Todd Madigan Gallery premieres its fall exhibition of photographer Robert Weingarten's work titled, "Another America: A Testimonial to the Amish." The exhibit opened September 14 and runs through Nov. 22.

Between 2001 and 2004 Weingarten, a California resident, photographed the daily living and pastoral environments of Amish communities in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin, Tennessee and Iowa. The collection includes about 70 photographs.

Michael Johnson, director of CSUB's Todd Madigan Gallery, said, "Given the Amish refusal of modern technology, including photography, Weingarten kept a respectful distance from his subjects yet manages to convey in

these intensely beautiful images a way of being that, despite its seeming utterly alien to our 21st century culture, is a strange reflection of us," he continued. "They are visual poems about time, place and humanity, and the series reads as a sort of allegory of existence."

Weingarten will attend a special reception for the exhibit and sign books on Thursday, Sept. 28, at 6 p.m. in the Albertson Room adjacent to the gallery. Admission and parking is free.

The Todd Madigan Gallery's exhibit hours are Tuesdays through Thursdays from 1 to 5 p.m., and Saturdays 1 to 4 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public.

For more information, please contact the Madigan Gallery at (661) 654-2238 or to view Weingarten's work, log onto <http://www.weingartenphotography.com>

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## Gamma Phi Beta

Fall 2006 Formal Sorority Recruitment



International Sororities Gamma Phi Beta (and Phi Sigma Sigma) are seeking new recruits. Ladies interested in finding out more about sorority life are encouraged to attend information nights on Sept. 21 and 25 in the Student Union Blue Room at 6:30 p.m. and Sept. 26 in the Dinning Commons at 7 p.m.

Sororities are a good way of getting involved on campus and meeting new people. Skills attained from being an active member in a greek organization can build structure for a professional career outside of college.

So instead of rushing home after classes, get involved, get active, go greek.

Fall recruitment starts Thurs. Sept. 28 at 7 p.m. For more information about Gamma Phi Beta and Phi Sigma Sigma students may go to [www.gammaphibeta.org](http://www.gammaphibeta.org) or [www.phisigmasiswa.org](http://www.phisigmasiswa.org)

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### Record setting night for Runners

By Marcus Mulick  
Staff Writer

The Cal State Bakersfield women's volleyball team gave the fans plenty to cheer about in winning its 2006 season home debut against Cal State Monterey Bay 30-11, 30-19, 23-30, 30-23 on Friday night in the Icardo Center.

Erica Baldwin opened the match by serving 14 consecutive points, which broke both the school and California Collegiate Athletic Association records. The 14 consecutive points fall only two shy of the all-time NCAA record of 16 consecutive points. Baldwin's precise serving helped the Runners coast to a 30-11 victory in game one.

Game two proved to be a little closer, but the

Runners were once again dominant in winning game two 30-19. Just when it appeared it was going to be a 3-0 sweep, the Otters turned up their game and caught CSUB on their heels in winning game three by a score of 30-23.

The fourth game, however, proved to be too much for the Otters as CSUB rolled to a 30-23 victory. Outside hitter Kerianne Kreger and middle blocker Rosemary Stribling each recorded a career-high 14 kills. Sarah Warner, who leads the CCAA in averaging 4.46 kills per game, had 13 kills on the night.

CSUB (2-3) will face No. 15 Cal State L.A. on Wednesday night in the Icardo Center at 7 pm.

Above from left to right: Runners Nicole Piva, Rosemary Stribling and Sarah Warner.

Right: Kayla Williamson makes a tough dig to keep the play going.

Marcus Mulick/ Runner



## Soccer

### This week ahead for Men's Soccer

With its longest road trip of the 2006 season in the rear-view mirror, Cal State Bakersfield returns home in hopes of finding the same strong play that helped it open the season at 3-0-0.

Bakersfield will have three more tough opponents this week, however, starting with a non-conference match against Western Washington on Tuesday at 7 p.m. Bakersfield will then host UC San Diego on Friday at 7 p.m. and Cal State Dominguez Hills on Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

The Roadrunners will be looking to spark their

squad to get back on the winning track after a rough road trip over the past two weeks. After starting the season at 3-0-0, all home matches, Bakersfield has suddenly gone just 1-3-1 on the long road trip. The Roadrunners will also be looking to say farewell with defeats to two of the toughest teams in the CCAA in their final conference matches at the Main Soccer Field in Bakersfield.

Information provided by Men's Soccer Notebook

### This week ahead for Women's Soccer

Cal State Bakersfield will look forward to playing its first home matches in more than two weeks this weekend and will look to enjoy the same success that it found early when it started the season with a 3-0-1 record at home. It won't be easy, though, with tough home games against a pair of teams that reached the postseason one year ago: UC San Diego on Friday at 4:30 p.m. and Cal State Dominguez Hills on noon on Sunday.

Both matches have different importance this

weekend. Bakersfield will be looking for its first win against UC San Diego in the program's history on Friday after losing the first eight meetings against the Tritons. On Sunday, Bakersfield will attempt to win consecutive matches over the Toros for just the second time after the Roadrunners defeated Dominguez 2-0 in the season finale last season.

Information provided by Women's Soccer Notebook

### Runner's Athletic Schedule for 9/20 to 9/27

Volleyball	Men's Soccer	Women's Soccer
Wednesday 9/20 vs. Cal-State L.A. 7 p.m.	Friday 9/22 vs. UC San Diego 7 p.m.	Friday 9/22 vs. UC San Diego 4:30 p.m.
Friday 9/22 vs. Chico State 7 p.m.	Sunday 9/24 vs. Cal-State Dominguez Hills 2:30 p.m.	Sunday 9/24 vs. Cal-State Dominguez Hills noon
Saturday 9/23 vs. Cal-State Stanislaus 7 p.m.		
<i>All games in Icardo Center</i>	<i>All Games on CSUB soccer field</i>	<i>All Games on CSUB soccer field</i>

## News

### Fall Intramural Sports

By Ariana Estrada  
Sports Editor

It's football season and that means flag football is this quarter's intramural sport. The season begins Oct. 2 and the games will be scheduled on Mondays and Wednesdays between 6 p.m. and 11 p.m.

One unit credit will be given for intramural participation only if you register under CRN# 42785 PEAK 159 Section 1 Intramurals by September 19th. Registration is not necessary to play, but only to earn credit.

There will be a players meeting and mini scrimmage on Monday Sept. 25th at 6 p.m.

and team forms are due by Friday, Sept. 29th by 5 p.m. which should be turned into the Office of Student Activities, located in the Student Union, room 138.

Flag football isn't the only option for intramural action. Weight training, swimming, track, tennis, racquetball, fencing and ultimate Frisbee are some other sports that you can participate in.

For more information on intramural sports contact Intramural Coordinator, Steven Aguilar, at 654-3449 or visit him at his office in the Office of Student Activities.

### Bakersfield Earns First CCAA Win Under Van Dyke

Deena Plach scores the game winner in the 104th minute

It might have taken overtime, but the Cal State Bakersfield women's soccer team picked up its first California Collegiate Athletic Association win on Sunday when the Roadrunners topped Cal State San Bernardino 2-1 at Premier Field.

The Roadrunners (4-3-2, 1-3-1 CCAA) had opened the season at 3-0-1 but had gone 0-3-1 in the first four matches of the CCAA season, which happened to all come on the road. But Bakersfield completed the five-match, 10-day road trip with this dramatic winner in San Bernardino to propel the Roadrunners to their first conference win under new Head Coach Nicole Van Dyke.

But the win didn't come easy against a game Cal State San Bernardino (1-6-0, 0-5-0 CCAA) side. In fact, the Roadrunners had to come from behind in order to earn the win.

After a scoreless first half, the Coyotes actually jumped on the board first when Melissa Castillo scored on a cross from Terina Dillon in the 65th minute to put Bakersfield against the ropes with less than 25 minutes remaining in the match.

The Roadrunners came right back and scored less than three minutes later to force the extra

time. Nisha Chawla scored the equalizer — the second goal of her young career — when she shot in a rebound of a shot from Taylor Sklar that hit the cross bar.

The score remained tied through the first 90 minutes and extra time was required. But less than four minutes into the second extra period, Deena Plach scored her first goal of the season on a cross from Jackie Torvestad to end the match and give Bakersfield the win.

Bakersfield goalkeeper Ashley Witten made two saves and allowed just the one goal in the win while San Bernardino goalkeeper Shawna-Rei Kam made five saves but allowed both goals in the loss.

The Roadrunners outshot San Bernardino 11-8 overall, including 6-3 in the second half.

Bakersfield returns home after the long road trip on Friday when the Roadrunners host UC San Diego at 4:30 p.m. in the first half of a women's-men's doubleheader.

Press Release provided by Sports Information

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### CSU Students and Faculty Deserve the Best

CSU students and the faculty at our 23 campuses need and deserve a learning environment that is conducive to providing quality education. That is why the CSU is disappointed that the California Faculty Association did not allow its members to evaluate the most recent proposal put on the table by the CSU, which includes:

- A 24.87 percent salary increase over four years, beginning in 2006/07, contingent upon funding of the Compact with the Governor and an additional 1 percent augmentation for compensation
- Continuation of the Faculty Early Retirement Program (FERP), reducing the number of years from five to four
- Incentive and equity pay program for full professors and tenure-track professors
- No changes to faculty eligibility for PERS retirement
- Health and dental benefits above the standard for California and other universities
- Attractive lecturer rights
- Gradually increased parking fees for faculty so at the end of 4 years they pay the same parking fees as students

The CSU hopes these issues can be resolved soon so that our faculty can receive the salary increases they deserve, and our students can continue receiving the quality education they expect from the California State University.

For more details please visit the CSU web site at <http://www.calstate.edu/bargaining-status/>

# WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## Thursday, September 20

Chemistry Seminar  
5:00 p.m. - 9:45 p.m.  
Stockdale Room

Roadrunner Volleyball  
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
Icardo Center

## Thursday, September 21

Interview Search Committee  
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  
Student Union Blue Room

Meet the Candidates  
11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Student Union MPR

Campus Crusade for Christ Bible Study  
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Yellow Room in Student Union

Sorority Information Night  
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
Blue Room in Student Union

Hip Hop Open Mic Night  
6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.  
Student Union Wiley's Pub

Jazz Concert with Ben Monder Trio  
8:00 p.m.  
Dore Theater

## Friday, September 22

Student Union Director Interview  
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Blue Room in Student Union

Meet the Candidates  
11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Multi-purpose Room in Student Union

ASi Finance Meeting  
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Student Union Yellow Room

Roadrunner Soccer  
4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
CSUB Main Soccer Field

Roadrunner Volleyball  
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
CSUB Icardo Center

## Saturday, September 23

Black Young Stars  
9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
Blue, Green, and Yellow Rooms in Student Union

Roadrunner Volleyball  
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
CSUB Icardo Center

## Sunday, September 24

Roadrunner Soccer  
4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
CSUB Soccer Field

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### CSUB Photo of the Week



Sandra Vicuna/ The Runner

Each week the Runner will run a photo of the week. We are encouraging students to show their photographic talent by sending the Runner a photo which is campus based. The best photo will run on our back page. Students submitting photos should send a caption along with their name, year and major to [runner@csub.edu](mailto:runner@csub.edu). Photos should be sent in JPG format.



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