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Parking Update

Parking Services is pleased to report that, despite what you may have heard, there are still more than 300 parking spaces available on campus at any given time, particularly in lots A3, A4, A9, and A/E. With the onset of some major campus construction projects toward the end of the semester, however, many parking spaces will be lost. The Broome Library and Town Center construction projects will occupy lots R, A6, A8, A9, and a large portion of A/E. Parking Services is working with Operations, Planning, and Construction to find alternatives, including a temporary parking lot near the corner of University Drive and Santa Paula Street, across from the California Institute on Human Services.

This project will be funded in part by a recent fee increase approved by the Student Fee Advisory Committee, which included student representatives. The increase will be imposed on students, MPP, confidential employees, and tenants – members of the campus community not represented by collective bargaining. The fee increase will largely be used to maintain our current lots and campus transit system; it will not fund any new parking lots or parking structures. With students bearing the brunt of the fee increase, as an issue of fairness, there will be no new specially designated parking spots created.

As we enter into this unusually active time for campus construction, some parking convenience will undoubtedly have to be sacrificed, but Parking Services will work hard to explore alternative solutions. We are open to suggestions from the campus community. Your patience and understanding are greatly appreciated at this time. We will keep the campus community informed as we proceed.

For more information, contact Ray Porras, director of transportation and parking services, x8434.

Memberships Available for Fitness and Recreation Center

The University Fitness and Recreation Center is now open and looking for members to participate in a variety of fun and exciting fitness opportunities. Activities range from basketball and volleyball to weight training and cardiovascular development and offer members an opportunity to increase their health and well-being. The Fitness Center offers faculty and staff an opportunity to not only increase physical fitness, but also to meet and get to know students in a casual and fun environment. Membership fees are \$100 annually or \$40 per semester and can be paid at Parking Services. The hours of operation are from 11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Showers and lockers are available.

For more information, contact Nathan Avery, coordinator for recreation and leisure services, x8902.

Grant Awarded to Preserve Camarillo State Hospital Artifacts

Gina Nichols, a former CSUN@CI history student who completed an internship with the CSUCI Lagomarsino Archives this past summer, wrote a grant in January to obtain funds to preserve the Camarillo State Hospital artifact collection. The grant, entitled, "Camarillo State Hospital Collection: Arrangement, Preservation, and Exhibition" was approved for funding by the CSUN Student Projects Committee for \$2,800. Ms. Nichols is currently completing her master's degree at CSUN.

For more information, contact Evelyn Taylor, archivist, x8830.

EndNote and WriteNote Software Available from University Library

Interested in keeping track of and managing all the citations you come across on a daily basis? Want to have a storage system for the images that you download? The University Library has the solution for you. EndNote software helps you manage, store, and use citations. In addition to storing information, EndNote "talks" with Microsoft Word so you can easily import citations from EndNote into your Word document as a properly formatted citation. A web-based student version of EndNote called WriteNote allows students to save Web pages, collect citations, and learn how to arrange information using a variety of writing systems (e.g. MLA, APA, ACS, Chicago, etc.).

For more information, contact Peter Sezzi, reference librarian, x8561.

Off-Campus Access Now Available for Electronic Journals and Databases

The University Library's collection of electronic journals and databases are now accessible from home and off campus. Potential users need a User ID and the nine-digit number on their ID card. Information on this service is available via the Web at www.csuci.edu/library/faculty.

For more information, contact Amy Wallace, librarian, x8911.

Faculty Publication

Assistant Professor of Chemistry Simone Aloisio recently published an article in *A Journal of Physical Chemistry* (v107, pp. 6381-6387). "Temperature and Pressure Dependence Study of the Reaction of IO Radicals with Dimethyl Sulfide by Cavity Ring-Down Laser Spectroscopy" is an experimental kinetic study of the reaction of iodine oxide (IO) and dimethyl sulfide (DMS).

For more information, contact Simone Aloisio, assistant professor of chemistry, x8999.

Channel Islands String Quartet to Perform Free Concert

The Channel Islands String Quartet will perform a lunch-time concert on Tuesday September 23 in the University Library Courtyard. Music begins at noon.

For more information, contact Amy Wallace, librarian, x8911.

Stress Management Workshop

Assistant Professor of Psychology Harley Baker will be offering a stress management workshop from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 2. Attendees will learn how to recognize their stressors and gain some insight into lessening the negative impact of stress. The workshop will take place in the Banquet Room of the Administration Building. Open to students, faculty, and staff.

For more information, contact Colleen Bennett, human resources administrator, x8846.

Call for Staff Achievements

As you may have seen in previous editions, *wavelength* has been pleased to feature academic achievements from the Cal State Channel Islands faculty. We would like to include professional accomplishments by staff members as well. We encourage supervisors or employees themselves to forward any recent industry awards, professional recognitions, or exceptional work-related achievements to kent.baxter@csuci.edu.

For more information, contact Kent Baxter, communications specialist, x8940.

Campus Construction Report

Following is an update of construction activities on campus:

- Hazardous materials abatement and demolition work continues on the Science Annex renovation project.
- The Student Housing Project has picked up speed. Foundations were poured for the first of three buildings. The remainder of the foundations and the first floor slabs will be poured this week. Expect very heavy construction activity, including concrete and sand trucks delivering materials to the site. The Potrero Road entrance to campus will be affected by construction traffic for the next two weeks.
- The Administration Building renovation continues. This project is scheduled to be completed in October/November, and the building will be ready for occupancy towards the end of the year.
- Renovation of the D Wing of the Bell Tower Building is complete except for some heaters in the class labs.
- Building 19 is now being renovated. Abatement is complete, and new carpet and acoustical treatment will be installed. Construction work is scheduled to start in early October. The schedule shows the project will be ready for January occupancy.
- The second phase of the University Glen Housing Project continues. Phase I-B is on schedule for completed units, starting as early as December for the Monterey Townhomes and early next year for the Arroyo Townhomes and Loma Vista Apartments. The pool and cabana facility are now under construction. Plans for a ball field have been finalized by the landscape architect and will be going out to bid within the next few weeks. Completion is scheduled for New Year.

- Renovation of Building 33 is ongoing. Abatement is complete and construction is slated to start in early October. The building will be ready for January occupancy.
- The Town Center project will go out to bid in a couple of weeks.
- Parking Services and Operations, Planning, and Construction are in an ongoing discussion about how to provide an additional 80-100 parking spaces in the southeast corner of campus.
- Contract documents for the John Spoor Broome Library project are almost complete and will be ready to go to bid in October.

For more information, contact Juan Beltranena, director of facilities, x8496.

Around Campus



Dancers from Teatro Inlakech celebrate Mexican Independence Day in front of the Bell Tower Building.

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