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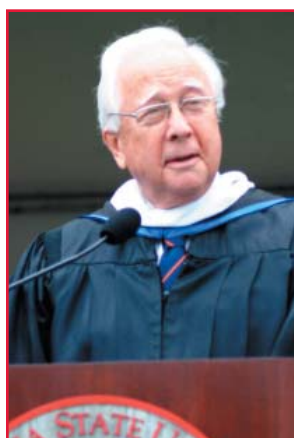


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Campus Community Helps to Create Memorable Commencement

Members of the Class of 2006, led by the University's first graduates of master's programs, enjoyed their special day last Saturday. Pictured here are some of the staff, faculty, special guests and volunteers who worked for months to make it a special day for the graduates and the more than 5,000 family members, friends, and guests who gathered on the South Quad.



Commencement Speaker McCullough Recommends Summer Reading

In addressing the Class of 2006 at last Saturday's commencement ceremony, David McCullough recommended three books for summer reading. As we have received several inquiries for the list, we are providing them here for your reading pleasure.

- *Wind, Sand and Stars*, by Antoine de Saint Exupery, a book, McCullough says, that is "about the pioneer days of aviation but much more importantly about responsibility as the core of morality."
 - *The Lives of the Cell*, by Lewis Thomas, which focuses on science but the essays are also about "our great the human need to be useful," McCullough said.
 - *The Screwtape Letters* by C. S. Lewis, "a funny, wise essay on the Devil and his work."
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Summer Hours for Islands Café, Java Hut, Library

- Islands Café, effective through Thursday, August 24, will be open Monday through Friday, breakfast, 7:30 – 9:30 a.m.; lunch, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.; and closed for dinner. It will also be closed Saturdays and Sundays during this time. These hours do not apply to summer conference or catering schedules.
 - Java Hut (Bell Tower Coffee Shop), effective Monday, June 5, will be open Monday through Friday, 8 – 11:30 a.m.
 - University Library, through Sunday, August 27, will be open 9 a.m. – 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. It will be closed Saturdays and Sundays during this time and on holidays, Monday, May 29, Memorial Day, and Tuesday, July 4.
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Adelphia's *Impact* Show Features University

Adelphia Communications will air a two-part television program featuring the University throughout the month of June. Part I of the cable station's program, *Impact*, a television-style magazine show focusing on the local community, is scheduled to be aired from Monday, June 5, through Sunday, June 11. Part II is scheduled to be aired Monday, June 12, through Sunday, June 18. *Impact* airs countywide at 6:30 p.m. and repeats at 9 p.m., seven nights a week. A new show starts every Monday, then repeats through Thursday. *Impact* airs on Adelphia channel 12 throughout the county, except for Ventura, where viewers tune in on channel 10 (channel 14 for West Ventura). Adelphia spent a full day on campus interviewing many members of the campus community, including students, faculty, and staff, as well as filming several campus sites.

June 12 Is Deadline for Submitting Information for Orientation Sessions

Members of the campus community are invited to submit informational items to be distributed at this summer's Island View Orientation sessions. At each orientation, incoming students are given a tote bag filled with information on campus activities, services, and programs, as well as community information provided by members of the Camarillo Chamber of Commerce. Those interested in including items for the tote bags should provide 1,000 copies to the Housing and Residential Education office in Anacapa Village by Monday, June 12.

For more information, please contact Lisa Racine, coordinator of Student Leadership and Development, at ext. 8961.

Reminder: University to Experience Shutdowns During Summer for Electrical Work

To make electrical repairs and upgrades on equipment, the University will shut down the campus over three successive weeks: from 6 p.m., Thursday, July 20, through 6 p.m., Sunday, July 23; from 6 p.m., Friday, July 28, through 6 p.m., Sunday, July 30; and from 11 p.m., Friday, August 4, through 6 p.m., Sunday, August 6 (if necessary). The shutdowns will affect the entire campus except for the Information Technology Center and the

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Public Safety Building. All other buildings will be off limits during this time and the general community will be notified not to visit the campus, to avoid any potential safety issues.

For further information, contact Luann Allen, assistant director, Operations Service, Operations, Planning, and Construction, at ext. 8462.

Reminder: *Nautical* Yearbook Available for Pre Purchase in The Cove Bookstore

The Nautical, the inaugural yearbook of the University, is now available for purchase at The Cove Bookstore. The yearbooks are available at \$70 each and will be distributed at the Welcome Back Barbecue on August 27 in the South Quad. *The Nautical* is a 248-page, full color publication produced by students that features campus history, student profiles, alumni, programs, and events. Advertising opportunities are still available.

For more information about The Nautical, call ext. 3121.

New Books, DVDs Available at Library

With the summer break here, the University Library announces that it has added a number of new items to its collection of popular fiction and non-fiction titles and DVDs.

For more information, contact Debi Hoffmann, reference and instruction librarian, at ext. 2701.

Kudos

The University received an HP Technology for Teaching grant designed to transform and improve learning in the classroom through innovative uses of technology. The grant proposal was written by Cynthia Wyels, associate professor of mathematics. HP (formerly Hewlett-Packard) will present an award package to the University of HP products and a faculty stipend that together are valued at more than \$69,000.

Construction Report

A number of improvement projects will be worked on during the summer, including the addition of restrooms, the remodeling of the courtyard between Topanga Hall (Art Complex) and Islands Café, as well as improvements to the access area around Islands Café. Expect some noise and dust in these areas. The entry to the cafe from the courtyard side is closed for the next few weeks. Access during this period will be via the service entrance off of University Drive. Notices will be posted to direct patrons to that entrance.

Summer Schedule for *Wavelength* Announced

Because many members of the campus community are now off campus, *wavelength* is not published in June and July. Anyone having a campus-wide announcement of an urgent or time-sensitive nature should contact Communications and Marketing for an all-campus announcement. *Wavelength* will resume Friday, August 4.

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Note: In general, event announcements in *wavelength* are presented in chronological order.
It is advisable to submit items at least four weeks in advance of the event.

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