Congratulations, Managers of the Year!
I would like to thank Trustee Mary Hornbuckle for joining me at today’s CDMA Spring Social. It was a great opportunity to network with colleagues from throughout the District. Of course, the highlight was the announcement of the Managers of the Year for each site. This year’s winners are Coastline’s Laurie Melby, Golden West College’s Jeff Courchaine, Orange Coast College’s Kristin Clark, and from the District Office, Crystal Crane. Congratulations to all of the nominees and the winners on this well-deserved recognition.

Orange County Global Women’s Conference
Hosted by the Coastline Community College Foundation, this year’s OC Global Women’s Conference was a great success, highlighted by keynote speakers such as OC Sherriff Sandra Hutchens and Dr. Jo Ellen Chatham of Southern California Edison. I’m told there was a very diverse audience, including attendees representing Kenya and Peru. I’d like to thank Trustee Hornbuckle for representing the Board and hope you will join me in congratulating Dr. Lori Adrian and Mariam Khosravani on their hard work in empowering women of all ages toward self-development and raising awareness of issues relating to women and girls.

The Week in Review
The academic year may be over, but this summer is shaping up to be a busy one! Below is a brief listing of some of the activities that happened this week.

- I met with representatives from McGraw Hill Publishers to discuss possible partnership opportunities relative to the use and development of instructional support products and services.
- I traveled to Northern California as an invited presenter to the Solano College Leadership Academy. The presentation focused on the role of a leader in inclusion and academy participants included managers, deans, classified staff, and faculty leaders.
• I was also able to participate in Cal State Fullerton’s C-REAL Advisory Committee meeting this week to discuss several research-based projects to include partnerships between K-12, community colleges, and universities to promote student success and completion.

• I had the opportunity to meet with OCC’s baseball team who just won their fifth state baseball championship. They have also been recognized as the No. 1 team in the country according to ranking specialists at Perfect Game. Congratulations, Pirates!

(Photo: OCC Baseball Team, Coach John Altobelli, Dr. Andrew C. Jones)

Photos
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