



Coast Board Connection

Highlights from the
Coast Community College District
Board of Trustees Meeting

Board of Trustees
George E. Brown
Mary L. Hornbuckle
Walter G. Howald
Jerry Patterson
Armando Ruiz
Jeri Elder, Student Trustee

Chancellor
Kenneth D. Yglesias, Ed.D.

September 6, 2006

REPORTS

Board of Trustees

- Trustee Mary Hornbuckle noted that school is back in session not only for college, but for the preschool students that she works with. Trustee Hornbuckle attended the Chefs for Scholarships event at GWC and commented that it was a wonderful event. Trustee Hornbuckle enjoyed the tour of OCC's Watson Hall and thanked Dean Mancina for inviting her to attend his college success class at GWC.
- Trustee Walt Howald congratulated GWC and OCC on appearing in US News & World Report.
- Trustee Jerry Patterson congratulated Wes Bryan on the great publicity in US News & World Report. Trustee Patterson welcomed the faculty and students back to school and said he is looking forward to the October 4 opening of OCC's Watson Hall.
- Trustee Armando Ruiz requested that the meeting be adjourned in honor of OCC's Harold Schrupp who passed away recently. Trustee Ruiz also attended the GWC Chefs for Scholarships event and thought it was wonderful. Trustee Ruiz expressed concern regarding student enrollment at each college.
- Student trustee Jeri Elder announced she attended the 2006 Student Trustee Workshop and met several trustees from all over the state to network and share ideas. Ms. Elder announced that September 22 is the first District Student Council meeting at the District office and extended an open invitation. Ms. Elder noted that she has also attended Student Council meetings at the other colleges.

Chancellor

- Chancellor Ken Yglesias discussed what an exciting time it is for all three colleges with OCC celebrating 60 years, GWC celebrating 40 years and CCC celebrating 30 years. Chancellor Yglesias announced that football season has started and congratulated both teams on winning their opening games.

Presidents

- Ding-Jo Currie, CCC president, announced Friday, Sept. 8 at 3 p.m., a 30th anniversary celebration will take place. President Currie commented that accreditation is in full swing and she is very proud of the Coastline team for their efforts in preparing the report.

- Wes Bryan, GWC president, announced the Chefs for Scholarships event was very successful. President Bryan visited classrooms during the first week of classes to visit new teachers and welcome them to GWC. Bryan announced that GWC was featured in US News & World Report. Bryan announced that enrollment is up. Bryan noted that Tuesday, September 12 is the 40th anniversary all college meeting.
- Bob Dees, OCC president, said enrollment for the fall is up 2 percent. Dees announced Friday is the campus' Focus Day and reported that Harold Schrupp, a 42-year employee, passed away.

Employee Representative Groups

- Dean Mancina, AFT president, announced they held a workshop for the new faculty members, of which 21 participated. The workshop consisted of reviewing the contract, tenure track information and the enrollment incentive program.

Student Government Organizations

- Ashley Hodge, president CCCSAC, announced SAC was successful in distributing all 750 goodie bags with information about leadership at all three CCC college centers. Hodges announced Chelsea Svir, a CCC employee, has join the SAC. SAC students are continuing to recruit members and hoping to have a few new members at the next meeting. Hodges said they are currently reviewing the by-laws to update the information about SAC its positions.
- Brandon Shelly, president ASGWC, announced the corrections the ASGWC Constitution and Standing Rules are still taking place but they hope to have a draft prepared by the next meeting to be approved and voted upon by the Student Body during the Homecoming Elections in late October. Shelly said a subcommittee met to discuss the ASGWC goals for the academic year. Shelly said they had a College Information/Recruitment booth to assist students with questions as well as held a welcome back event where they served hamburgers, chips and a drink while a band played for entertainment. They handed out GWC t-shirts to students who attended. Shelly invited the Chancellor and the Board of Trustees to their 40th anniversary kick-off event on September 12 from 11:30 to 1 p.m.
- Michelle Schneider, ASOCC student trustee, announced Club Rush/Student Fair is on Tuesday, September 12. Schneider discussed their constitution is still under review and announced Yusuf, ASOCC president, resigned to attend Columbia University on a scholarship.

Academic Senate Organizations

- CCC Academic Senate President, Nancy Jones, announced they had their first Senate meeting on September 5 and reviewed the accreditation report. Jones announced there will be a Town Hall meeting on September 22 and invited all campus staff and students. Jones also invited everyone to attend the all-college workshop on September 8.
- GWC Academic Senate President, Stephanie Dumont, announced they had their first senate meeting on September 5. Dumont said they have added seven new senate seats. Also, Dumont said they established two senate sub-committees Faculty Recognition for Awards and the Academic Senate Rules and Voting Rights. Dumont announced she presented Dibakur Barua with a resolution commending him for being selected as the 2005-06 Hayward Award of Excellence in Teaching Award recipient. Dumont announced the faculty orientation/welcome is on September 8.
- OCC Academic Senate President, Georgie Monahan, announced that the senate held an orientation for new faculty members. Monahan said they are setting goals for the year. Monahan announced Friday, September 8 is the OCC Open House and there will be a speaker focusing on the "Magic of Education".

MEETING CALENDAR

September 20, 2006	Regular/Organizational Meeting
October 4, 2006	Regular/Organizational Meeting
October 18, 2006	Workshop Meeting
November 1, 2006	Regular/Organizational Meeting
November 15, 2006	Regular/Organizational Meeting
December 13, 2006	Regular/Organizational Meeting
January 17, 2007	Regular/Organizational Meeting
February 7, 2007	Regular/Organizational Meeting
February 21, 2007	Regular/Organizational Meeting
March 7, 2007	Regular/Organizational Meeting
March 21, 2007	Budget Workshop
April 4, 2007	Regular/Organizational Meeting
April 18, 2007	Service Awards
May 2, 2007	Regular/Organizational Meeting
May 16, 2007	Regular/Organizational Meeting
June 20, 2007	Regular/Organizational Meeting