



# President's Update

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## ACADEMIC SERVICES

- Book written by Adjunct English Instructor Darren Simon, titled "The Dangerous Legacy," is available for purchase at the IVC Bookstore
- Summer Session Registration begins May 16, 2016
- April 7-8 CoAEMSP/CAAHEP Site Visit with Final Report Pending

### May Recognition Dates

- May 4  
International Firefighters Day
- May 6-12  
National Nurses Week
- May 15-21  
National EMS Week
- May 15-21  
National Police Week

## NetTutor Video and Online Education Initiative

- OEI Update: We are a pilot college in the secondary group and are not in the initial full-launch pilot scheduled for Fall 2016 (only 8 colleges are in the full-launch pilot). We continue our efforts in the pilot and are on schedule to participate in the OEI exchange in Fall 2017.
- Tutoring Promo Video (Featuring IVC): You can view the NetTutor Promotional Video which features President Jaime, Gaylla Finnell, Xochitl Tirado, and students from IVC!



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## STUDENT SERVICES - FINANCIAL AID

- Financial Aid staff is participating in Higher Ed Week II at our local high schools the week of May 23rd.
- 2016-17 awarding will begin Mid-June after Spring grades are posted.
- FAFSA Workshops are being scheduled at local high schools for October and November due to early FAFSA release.



## STUDENT SERVICES - 1st STEP

**Saturday, May 14, 2016**

The Student Success & Support Program held its third annual 1st Step Welcome Event. Three hundred first time college students, many of them accompanied by a parent, participated in the event. The program's goal is to increase community college student access and success by providing effective core services, including orientation, assessment and placement, counseling, academic advising, and early intervention.



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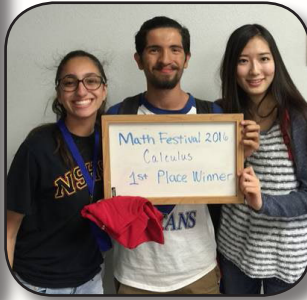
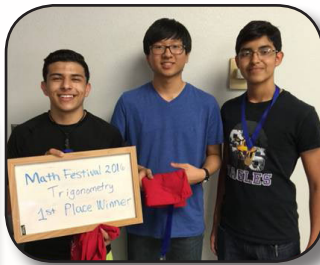
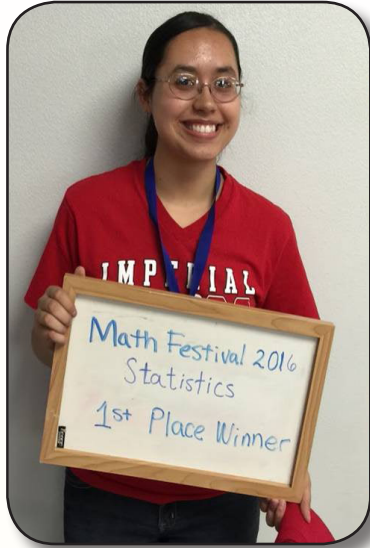


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## MATH COMPETITION

Friday, April 29, 2016



## ESL Awards

Thursday, May 12, 2016



Alfredo Ruiz is the Student of the Year and President of the ESL Club





## TECHNOLOGY – TECH DE MAYO



Welcome to Tech de Mayo  
May 7, 2016

- Imperial County Office of Education (ICOE) and Imperial Valley College (IVC) hosted the annual Tech de Mayo Conference at IVC on Saturday, May 7, 2016.
- Tech De Mayo is a great opportunity to learn about tools, resources, and strategies to integrate technology within the classrooms.
- The conference was a sold out event with 200 registered attendees and a waiting list of anxious participants.
- A special thank you to the IVC Foundation for their donation towards the raffle prizes, the IVC Business Club for catering the delicious lunch, and the Maintenance Department for the setup of this event.

## TECH DE MAYO KEYNOTE SPEAKER

This year Alice Keeler was the keynote speaker. She is a magnificent educator and provided great tutorials, resources, and classroom tips. Her website is [www.alicekeeler.com](http://www.alicekeeler.com). She is also co-author of the book "50 Things You Can Do With Google Classroom."



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## TECH DE MAYO EDUCATORS

- Imperial Valley educators were ready for a day of technology & fun...



## STATE UPDATE

- **BOG Report:** A Chancellor's office research brief comparing California's Board of Governors Fee Waiver program to financial aid programs in other states has found that California is the most comprehensive and generous of any in the nation. The report can be found at:

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- **Accreditation:** At the March Board of Governors meeting, representatives of the CEO Board including Chancellor Cindy Miles, Grossmont-Cuyamaca CCD testified about their plans to forge a better model of accreditation for our system's colleges. Two workgroups were formed – 1) to help the Commission improve their communication with their member institutions, and 2) to develop a process to move to Senior WASC.



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## MAY REVISE HIGHLIGHTS

- A \$75 million increase is proposed for a base increase.
- A \$38.6 million increase is proposed to cover lower than initially estimated 2015-16 property taxes.
- A \$29.3 million decrease is proposed to reflect a 0% COLA.
- May Revision maintains enrollment growth funding of 2%.
- A \$29.2 million increase to retire prior mandate claims, which brings the new total to \$108.5 million. Language encourages these funds to be used to promote campus security, technology, and professional development.
- A \$70.1 million decrease for the Deferred Maintenance and Instructional Equipment program to help support other priorities contained in the May Revision.
- A \$4.1 million increase for Proposition 39 energy efficiency projects
- A \$3 million increase for a new program to support digital content on e-readers in state correctional facilities
- A \$5 million increase for statewide activities necessary to support the Adult Education Block Grant program.
- A \$20 million increase for the Online Education Initiative to support the development of courses in the Online Course Exchange.
- There are no dollar changes to the Strong Workforce Program; however, the May Revision proposes several changes including a 60%/40% (college/region) split of funding allocated to regions and allowing up to 60% of the funding received by the college to be used for ongoing purposes.



## COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- **May 26:** Eighth Annual Brawley Chamber of Commerce Mega Mixer, 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m., Stockmen's Club, Brawley.
- **June 2:** 2016 Annual Brawley Chamber of Commerce Dinner and Branding Iron Award Ceremony, 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m., Del Rio Country Club, Brawley.
- **June 3:** 2016 Annual Celebration of Education, 7 p.m. to 9 a.m. Jimmie Cannon Theater, Southwest High School, El Centro.
- **June 9:** 2016 Imperial Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Silver Eagle Room, Ricochet, 450 Aten Road, Imperial.
- **June 11:** IVC Commencement.
- **June 16:** 110th Annual Dinner Meeting, El Centro Chamber of Commerce. 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Imperial Palms Resort at Barbara Worth, 2050 Country Club Dr. Holtville.
- **June 22:** Fourth Annual IV Press Athlete of the Week Awards Banquet, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Joy Seafood Grill at Imperial Center, 1111 Yourman Rd. Heber.

## RETIREMENT PARTY ANNOUNCEMENT

Please join us in celebrating 36 years of service  
In honor of

*Sergio A. Lopez*

Saturday, June 18, 2016

Club Lohoo

1111 Yourman St., Heber, CA

\$30 per person includes gift

(No host bar)

6:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.



RSVP to Adriana Sano (760) 355-6106

Payment accepted by check made payable to Imperial Valley College or PayPal.Me/Asano

(Deadline to submit payment June 10, 2016)

## END OF YEAR CEREMONIES

Date	Time	Event Name	Location	Other Information	Contact Person
May 20, 2016	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	SSS End of Year Recognition	College Center	Dinner will be served	Analisa Veliz x6379
May 24, 2016	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	IVUP Graduate Recognition	College Center	Light Refreshments	Veronica Soto X6263
May 26, 2016	1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Retirees & Years of Service	College Center	Lunch will be served	Vikki Carr X6219
May 27, 2016	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	EOPS End of Year Program	College Center	Lunch will be served	Mirella Cital X6407
June 3, 2016	6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Spring Awards Banquet	Club Lohoo		Saria X6456
June 9, 2016	1:00 p.m.	FIRE	Gym		Tina Aguirre X6347
June 9, 2016	2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Inside/Out College Program Certificate Ceremony	Imperial County Reporting Center (DRC) 324 Applestill Road, El Centro	By Invitation DRC is located north of the Imperial County Probation Department (old CYA building)	Gaylla Finnell X6511
June 9, 2016	3:00 p.m.	LVN	Gym		Tina Aguirre X6347
June 9, 2016	5:00 p.m.	RN	Gym		Tina Aguirre X6347
June 10, 2016	4:00 p.m.	POST	Room 2734		Tina Aguirre X6347
June 11, 2016	9:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.	Graduation	Gym		Vikki Carr X6219
July 23, 2016	7:00 p.m.	Upward Bound Summer Residential Program	UCSD		Erika Aguilar X6252

## Congratulations

**Congratulations to Dr. Martha Garcia as she has accepted the offer of Vice President for Student Services (CSSO)!**

**Congratulations to Jeff Enz as he has accepted the offer of Chief Technology Officer (CTO)!**

*Final approval will be on the Board Agenda for June.*



## Congratulations Rom Medina

**Rom Medina was recognized by the Community College League for his 20 years of service on the IVC Board.**

*Presented April 30th at the League Conference in Palm Desert*