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## STATE TREASURER VISIT

State Treasurer, John Chiang Visited Imperial Valley College on January 12, 2018.



## BUSINESS SHOWCASE

- The Imperial Valley Joint Chambers of Commerce held their annual Business Showcase on Thursday, January 11, 2018 at the IV Expo.
- IVC employees and students from various areas represented the college:



- Student Services, Financial Aid, SSS, EOPS, Academic Services, Economic & Workforce Development, Diesel, Automotive Technology, Renewable Energy, Distance Ed, Institutional Research, Foundation, & Student Ambassadors.

## STUDENT SERVICES

The LEAP (Leadership and Education Advocate Program) Students provided campus tours to **215** K-12 students during the second week of December.



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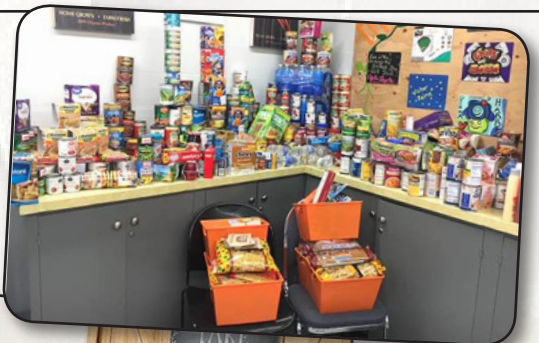


## STUDENT SERVICES: FINANCIAL AID

- Financial Aid staff have coordinated and conducted FAFSA Workshops at all local high schools including private schools, alternative education and continuation campuses.
- Over 3,400 2018-19 FAFSA records have been received to date.
- We will continue to support high schools with FAFSA completion throughout the Spring.
- All Completion Grant funds have been distributed to students, 452 students received a \$750 award.

## STUDENT SERVICES

The IVC Kitchen received over 2,200 food and hygiene items during December 2017 and over 140 items of clothing this week. Thank you ASG, Dean Dave Drury and Sun Community Federal Credit Union employees!!



## ACADEMIC SERVICES

- IVC's POST Academy started in January.
- Forty-one students are currently enrolled in POST Level 1. (38 local students and three from College of the Desert)
  - 9 women and 32 men with average age of 27.
  - 12 working part-time for Imperial County agencies, they will be seeking full-time positions after completion of Level 1.
- The completion ceremony is scheduled for June 7, 2018.
- **Thank you** Ed Wells and to all the team members who contributed to making POST Level 1 a reality! **Next Page** ▶





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## ACADEMIC SERVICES

### Public Safety Building - Well Utilized



## ACADEMIC SERVICES

### LVN Program

- Twenty-four students will commence the LVN Program.
- The completion ceremony is scheduled for June 2019.



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## ACADEMIC SERVICES

● Faculty Member, **Frank Hoppe** who is a **Reference Librarian at IVC** will start broadcasting on Thursday February 1, 2018 at Bluegrass Country Radio (88.5 HD-2), which serves the Washington, DC market. It will stream online at [bluegrasscountry.org](http://bluegrasscountry.org), and shows will be archived for two weeks after their initial broadcast.

● Broadcasts will occur Thursdays from 12:00pm – 3:00pm ET (9:00am – 12:00pm PT)

● The focus of the show will continue to be traditional Bluegrass, Bluegrass Gospel, contemporary Old-Time, and pre-WWII Country 78s.

● Please check it out and send your requests and feedback to me at [fphoppe@gmail.com](mailto:fphoppe@gmail.com)



Frank Hoppe

## STATE UPDATE: Budget



### Proposition 98

● \$780 million in new Proposition 98 general fund spending for the California Community Colleges.

### Apportionments

● \$175 million to support transition to a student-centered funding formula. The proposed formula would allocate base funds for enrollment, and provide additional funding in support for low-income students, as well as reward colleges' progress on increasing the number of certificates and degrees awarded.

● \$161.2 million for a 2.51% COLA to apportionments.

● \$60 million for 1% growth in access.

### Educational Services

● \$46 million to support the California College Promise (AB 19).

● \$32.9 million to support the consolidation of the Full-Time Student Success Grant and the Completion Grant programs, shift to a per-unit grant, and augment grant amounts. \$7.3 million for a 2.51% COLA for the EOPS, DSPS, CalWORKs and the Child Care Tax Bailout programs.

### Online and Innovation

● \$100 million (one-time) and \$20 million (ongoing) to establish a fully online community college to provide critical educational and economic opportunities to specified adult working learners.

● \$20 million for an Innovations Awards program to support innovations that close equity gaps. (one-time)

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## STATE UPDATE: Budget Cont.

### Workforce

- \$30.6 million to fund shortfalls in apprenticeship programs between 2013-14 and 2017-18. (one-time)
- \$20.5 million for a COLA to the Adult Education Block Grant (AEBG) program.
- \$17.8 million to reimburse apprenticeship programs for estimated instructional hours provided at a new RSI rate.
- \$5 million to develop a unified dataset for adult learners.
- \$2 million to increase the number of certified nurse assistants being trained through the Strong Workforce program. (one-time)

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- **Feb. 3:** Pioneer Days 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Pioneers' Park Museum, 373 E. Aten Road, Imperial.
- **Feb. 3:** Nite At The Races, 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Stockmen's Club of Imperial Valley, 275 Marjorie Ave., Brawley. Sponsored by United Way of Imperial County.
- **Feb 9:** 20th Annual MARDI GRAS "A Beer Tasting Xperience", 6:00 p.m., Carmen Durazo Cultural Arts Center, Sponsored by Calexico Chamber of Commerce, running for King and Queen of Mardi Gras Dr. Martha Garcia & Fidel Gonzalez.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

*Dates To Remember*

- **Jan 26:** Prison Recognition Ceremony – 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Calipatria State Prison.
- **Jan 26 – 29:** CCLC Effective Trustee Workshop and Annual Legislative Conference (IVC Students will be attending the Annual Legislative Conference in Sacramento and meeting with Legislators).
- **Feb 8:** Annual SDICCCA Dinner, 5:30 – 8:00 p.m., Maderas Golf Club, Poway.

