



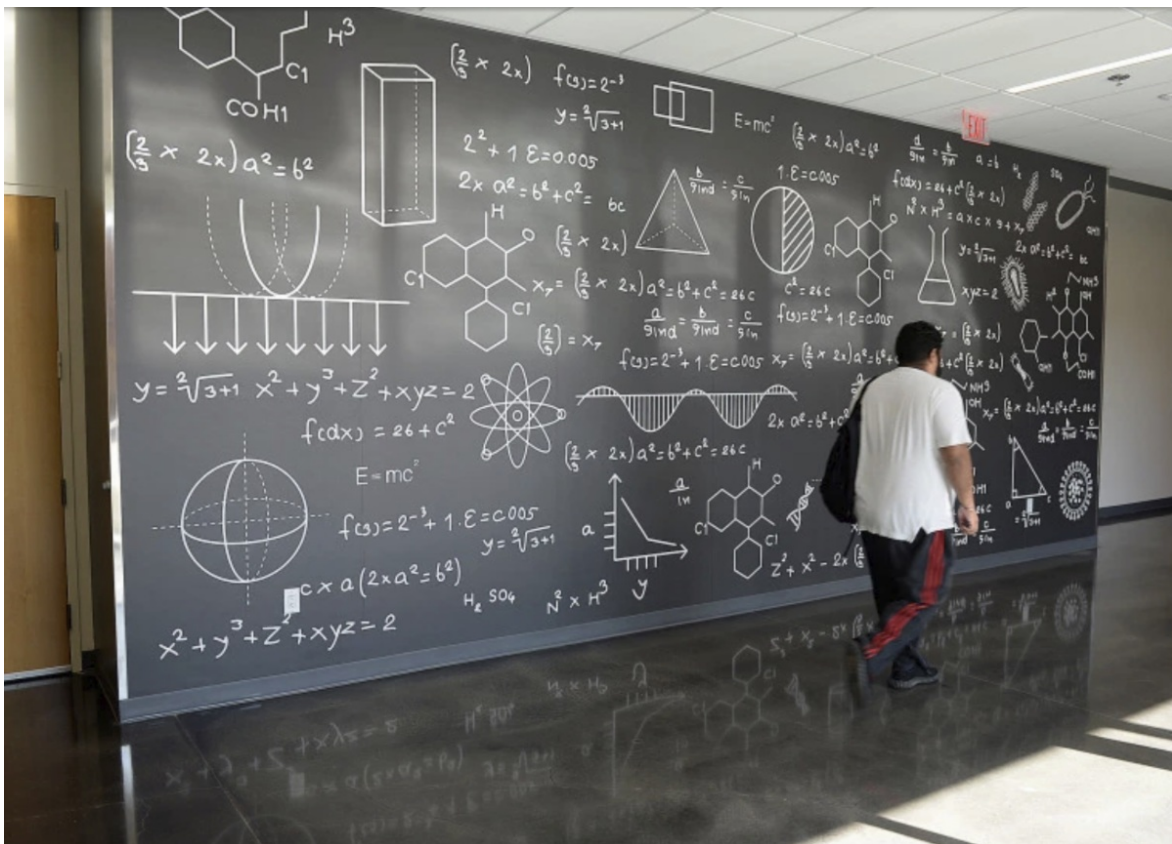
STAYING COMMITTED AND CONNECTED

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SCC Top 10 Most Diverse

"The Chronicle of Higher Education" (8/23/19) ranked SCC #10 in the nation in the category, "Colleges With the Greatest Racial and Ethnic Diversity Among Students, Fall 2017" and gave the college a 78.3 in the Diversity Index. "The Diversity Index indicates on a scale of 1 to 100 the probability that any two students at the institution are from different racial or ethnic groups." SCC was listed in the top 10 of 4-year public institutions because we offer a BS degree. CSU East Bay ranked #9 on the list.

Science & Veterans Building Dedicated



The Science Building and Veterans Resource Center was dedicated last week. The 44,000 square foot, state of the art facility will allow the college to increase offerings in the sciences and increase support services for veterans, active military, and their families.

The facility boasts a state of the art anatomy cadaver dissection area, labs for Chemistry

and other sciences and an upgraded Chemistry instrument room.

The Veterans Resource Center is designed to act as a liaison between the college and military students.

Solano College was recognized as the first Purple Heart Community College on the West Coast during the ceremony.

Alumnus Named Officer of the Year



Fairfield Police Sgt. Pedro Arroyo was not only recently promoted to sergeant he was also honored as the department's officer of the year, singled out by his peers and supervisors for his hard work and dedication. (Joel Rosenbaum — The Reporter)

Congratulations to SCC alumnus Pedro Arroyo, a former member of our police cadet program, who was named Fairfield Officer of the Year.

Vallejo Center Hosts Chamber Annual Mixer





The SCC Vallejo Center hosted the annual Vallejo Chambers Alliance Annual Mixer last Thursday. The mixer is part of the SCC Business Partnership Program.

Athletics News



Diving Coach Pat Harrington: Coach Harrington won three gold medals at the FINA Masters World Championships a couple weeks ago in Gwangju, South Korea. Pat won the 7.6 meter platform, the three meter springboard and the one meter platform events. Pat will continue to train for the US Masters National Championships next year and future FINA World Championships.

Men's Basketball moving on:

Isaiah Duplechan University of Hawaii, Hilo
Sterlen Thomas, Quincy University, Quincy, Illinois

Congratulations!



Softball Team: Congratulations to the softball team's head coach, Nikki Gentile, who was the recipient of this year's AD Award, displaying outstanding achievement academically, athletically and in the community.

The softball team achieved a team GPA of 3.0 for the year and successfully transferred all seven sophomores to four year institutions. In addition to winning the BVC Championship, the team volunteered extensively in the community at events

including Coastal Clean-up, the Solano County Food Bank, the Make A Wish program at Solano College Child Care Center and the Fairfield Rotary Club.

Women's Soccer Alumni Game: What a great turnout at the annual women's soccer alumni game! The current team gets to hear all about what the alumni are doing now including those who moved on to four year colleges and playing, those who are getting their degrees, starting families and having kids!

Joining us and helping with the alumni was Solano's 1st assistant coach Dave Todd who was with us for our inaugural season in 2002 and spent many years coaching at Solano. Thanks Dave!

Final Score of the game – 2019 team 3, Alumni 1



Games This Week

Women's Soccer

Friday August 30 4pm vs Cosumnes 4pm

Volleyball

Wednesday August 28 3pm vs Sierra

Friday August 30 Solano Classic 3 and 5pm

Saturday August 31 vs Feather River 4pm

These Students Know Relaxation



These two students told Sandra Therrien last week that hanging out in hammocks on campus was a great way to relax or study in between classes and hoped others would bring their own hammocks and join them! Only time will tell if this catches on...



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