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DATeline

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Study Abroad Fair planned for Thursday

The International Education and Programs office is sponsoring a Study Abroad Fair 11 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Thursday (Oct. 4) on the lawn in front of Most Gym.

More than 25 representatives from both on and off campus will be available to discuss opportunities and travel programs from around the world.

Programs to be showcased include those sponsored by Cal Poly, including the quarter abroad programs, CSU International Programs, the Mexico and Spain summer programs, and academic department exchanges.

A representative from the Financial Aid office will also be on hand with information on how to apply financial aid toward Cal Poly-sponsored study abroad programs.

For more information, contact Monica Schchter at ext. 6-5964 or mschchter@calpoly.edu.

Permits required for all campus building projects

Facilities Planning reminds departments and offices that permits must be obtained from Facilities Planning for all campus construction projects, both large and small.

The building-permit process formalizes all project planning and nods compliance reviews. For a building-permit application, go to the Facilities Planning Web site at www.facilities.calpoly.edu.

For more information, contact Mary-Alice Avila in Facilities Planning at ext. 6-7754.

Ticket information

Tickets to performances at Cal Poly are on sale at the Performing Arts Ticket Office 10 a.m.-6 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays. Call ext. 6-2787, or fax your order to ext. 6-6088. Tickets can also be bought online via TicketMaster. Visit the Performing Arts Center's Web site at pacstage.calpoly.edu and click on "Event Calendar."
Cal Poly selects four student scholarship winners

Four Cal Poly students who are either staff members or dependents of staff members have been chosen to receive 2001 Cal Poly Staff Scholarships in the amount of $300.

Two of the recipients, Steven Garcia and Jonathan Morales Jr., both engineering students, are business administration majors who work as an office assistant in the ASI Recreational Sports area. Morales, also a business administration major, is a custodian with Housing and Business Services.

The other two recipients are dependents of staff members. Danielle Wiener is an accounting assistant for the Academic Communication Center and works as a teacher at the ASI Craft Center. She is the daughter of Mathew Wiener, a building engineer supervisor for ASI.

Craig Heintzenrater, also a graphic communication senior, is the son of John Heintzenrater, a painter in Facility Services.

The Academic Staff Scholarship was developed to encourage the professional development and education of staff members and their dependents to promote excellence and to foster collegiality. The scholarship is supported by contributions from staff and faculty members from all areas of the university. Initial funding was provided by the former Cal Poly Staff Council.

The recipients are chosen by a panel of staff members based on their applications, personal statements and letters of recommendation.

The Staff Scholarship Committee is seeking donations for the 2002 scholarships. To find out more, call Pat Brodie at ext. 6-2675.

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Profs. Taylor’s program wins Quality of Life award

A program developed by Kinesiology Professor Kevin Taylor to introduce the disabled to kayaking has won recognition from a national foundation.

The Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation (CRPF) has awarded Taylor a $5,000 Quality of Life award. The program uses kayaks and supplies for his "Adaptive Padding Program," designed to provide kayaking experiences for people with disabilities. Taylor developed the program in 1999 using borrowed equipment and volunteer instructors.

As part of his "service-learning" classes, Taylor works individually with participants, teaching them to paddle a kayak safely, first in the university’s indoor swimming pool, then in the open waters of the Morro Bay estuary.

"Providing people who are mobility-impaired the freedom to explore oceans, lakes and streams through kayaking can be incredibly empowering and is a potential life-changing experience," Taylor said.

The program is offered in collaboration with SCILOSCO, a community-based group dedicated to improving the quality of life for all people with disabilities in the Central Coast. The nonprofit Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation, formed in 1999, recognizes organizations that help improve access, productivity, and quality of life for people with spinal cord injury.

Oct. 20 'all-star' rodeo set as part of Centennial

Cal Poly’s Rodeo Team and Rodeo Club will be hosting a centennial birthday with a full-scale all-star rodeo set for Oct. 20.

The day kicks off on campus with the rodeo, in which alumni and friends will compete against current and former team members.

"All past and present Cal Poly champions, alumni and friends are encouraged to compete and to see the new arena," said Bret Black, Cal Poly's new rodeo coach and a 1992 agribusiness graduate.

Rodeo competition will include such events as barrel racing, goat tying, women’s break-away, calf roping, steer wrestling, open-team roping, bareback riding, saddlebronc riding and bull riding.

The rodeo will be followed by a tri-tip dinner, dancing and a coronation ceremony and an auction hosted by Alex and Phyllis Madonna at the Madonna family ranch on Foothill Boulevard in San Luis Obispo.

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