Homecoming 2002 celebration to begin Monday


Events include the Laugh Olympics on Tuesday (Oct. 22), a blood drive Oct. 23 and a rally introducing the 2002 Homecoming Court Oct. 24.

The first Homecoming Powder Puff Football Game will be played Oct. 25.

The Honored Alumni Awards Banquet, recognizing eight outstanding alumni, is planned for Oct. 25. (To find out more about the honorees, please see the Oct. 16 online Cal Poly Report at www.calpoly.edu/~communic.)

Proposition 47 would bring $37.3 million to Cal Poly

Proposition 47, the education bond on California's November ballot, would pay for construction of a new engineering building at Cal Poly. Fill it with high-tech engineering equipment, and also provide the university with money to design a new architecture building and prepare plans to remodel 30-year-old Engineering West.

The Academic Senate has voted to support Proposition 47. For more details on what Proposition 47 would bring to Cal Poly, including photos of old buildings and architectural drawings of new buildings, visit www.calpolynews.calpoly.edu/general/prop47.html.

More information is also available in the Oct. 16 online Cal Poly Report at www.calpoly.edu/~communic.

Morrison reappointed chair

Mathematics Department Chair Kent Morrison has accepted a second three-year term as chair. His latest appointment runs through Aug. 31, 2005. Morrison has been teaching at Cal Poly since 1979.

Lois Dirkes to retire

The campus community is invited to a retirement celebration in honor of Lois Dirkes, a counselor in Counseling Services, 2-4 p.m. Nov. 14 in the Smith Alumni and Conference Center.

Dirkes came to Cal Poly in 1973 as an assistant professor. She has worked in the individual, group, consultation and educational counseling areas.

Funds available for proposal development

The Research and Graduate Programs office has funds available for assigned time for faculty members who are preparing grant or contract proposals. For details see the Oct. 16 online Cal Poly Report or call ext. 6-1508.

Deadline approaching for faculty grants

The deadline to submit proposals for awards of mini-grants and assigned time for the next academic year is Jan. 13, 2003. For guidelines and an application form, visit the Research and Graduate Programs Web site at www.calpoly.edu/~rgp, or call the office at ext. 6-1508.
Pacific Programs offer teaching opportunities

The Pacific Programs Faculty Selection Committee is accepting applications to teach spring quarter 2004 in the Japan Study, Thailand Study-Internship and the online at www.calpoly.edu/~commun. For more information, see the Oct. 16 Cal Poly Report online at www.calpoly.edu/~commun or contact Pacific Programs Director Richard LeRoy at ext. 6-7321 or rleroy@calpoly.edu.

CSU Research Competition open to undergrads, grads

The Research and Graduate Programs office encourages faculty and staff members to let students know about the CSU Student Research Competition, to be held May 2-3, 2003. Students can turn their senior projects or master's theses into entries. For more information, visit www.calpoly.edu/~rgp/src, or call ext. 6-1508.

Research, fraud policies in place

To protect people and animals involved in research projects, Cal Poly requires review of all such proposals. The university also has policies and procedures for dealing with scientific fraud. For details see the Oct. 16 online Cal Poly Report at www.calpoly.edu/~commun or visit www.calpoly.edu/~rgp/forms.html.

A document, “Policies and Procedures for the Handling of Allegations of Scientific Fraud and Serious Misconduct,” is available online and from Research and Graduate Programs, Grants Development and Foundation Sponsored Programs, all in the Math and Science Building.

Flu shots available Nov. 6

The office of Campus Relations is sponsoring a flu and pneumonia vaccine clinic for employees and family members 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Nov. 6 in UU 220. The cost is $16 for the flu vaccine and $25 for the pneumonia vaccine.

Payment can be made in cash or by check payable to Maxim Health Systems. For more information, call Anne Goshen, faculty-staff counselor, at ext. 6-0327.

Cal Poly Report schedule

The Cal Poly Report Digest and the Cal Poly Report online (www.calpoly.edu/~commun) appear every Wednesday during the academic year.

Articles for both are due to Public Affairs by 10 a.m., Wednesday, one week before publication.

E-mail articles to polynews@polymail.calpoly.edu or fax to 6-6533. For more information, call ext. 6-1511.

Dan Piel, 73

Dan Piel, art and design professor emeritus, died at home in San Luis Obispo Sept. 9. He came to teach at Cal Poly in 1980, two years after leaving New York and the field of advertising. He taught at Cal Poly for 13 years.

Rec Center to hold staff 'locker lottery'

Anyone interested in having a staff locker at the Recreation Center must register in person for the locker “lottery” at the Pro Shop. Those who already have an assigned staff locker must still sign up for the lottery. Registration begins today (Oct. 16) and continues through Oct. 23. For more information, call ext. 6-2243.

Winter fee waiver deadlines approaching

The following winter quarter fee waiver deadlines are approaching:

- Oct. 24 – POWER/CAPTURE scheduled registration period begins (see “Priority and Graduate Students” cycle in class schedule).
- Nov. 22 – Last day to pay fees to avoid $25 late fee.
- Dec. 1 – Last day to submit CSU admission application (undecided/non-matriculated status only).
- Jan. 21, 2003 – Last day to submit fee waiver form to Human Resources, Adm. 110.

Fees waiver guidelines, procedures and forms are available on the Human Resources Web site at http://www.affd.calpoly.edu/hree/index.html (see “Employee Fee Waiver”).

For more information, call Darcy Adams at ext. 6-2472.

Position Vacancies

STATE: The official listing of staff and management vacancies is posted at least two weeks prior to closing date at Cal Poly's Web site at www.calpoly.edu. (Select “Employment” from the Cal Poly Links drop-down box.) As a courtesy to our on-campus employees, job vacancies also are published in the Cal Poly Report. Positions marked with an asterisk indicate that qualified on-campus applicants are being considered for the position.

#486 - Research Associate Professor, Journalism Department (Chair) (ext. 6-2508). Closing date: Jan. 17.
#486 - Research Associate Professor, Journalism Department (chair) (ext. 6-2508). Closing date: Jan. 3.
#426 - Tenure-Track, Full-Time, Mathematics Department (ext. 6-2206). Review starts: Jan. 2.
#426 - Tenure-Track, Assistant Professor(s), Mathematics Department (ext. 6-2206). Review starts: Jan. 2.

FACULTY Candidates are asked to contact the appropriate department office at the phone number listed for more information or to request an application. Additional information and qualifications for each position may also be obtained online at http://http://www.academic-personnel.calpoly.edu. Please submit all application materials to the department head/chair unless otherwise specified in the ad. Rank and salary are commensurate with qualifications and experience (and time base where applicable), unless otherwise stated.

#4260: Tenure-Track, Assistant/Associate Professor(s), Industrial Technology Department (ext. 6-2680). Review starts: Dec. 1.
#4260: Tenure-Track, Assistant/Associate Professor, Journalism Department (Broadcasting) (ext. 6-2508). Closing date: Jan. 17.
#4261: Tenure-Track, Associate/Full Professor, Journalism Department (chair) (ext. 6-2508). Closing date: Jan. 3.
#4262: Tenure-Track, Full-Time, Mathematics Department (ext. 6-2206). Review starts: Jan. 2.
#4263: Tenure-Track, Assistant Professor(s), Mathematics Department (ext. 6-2206). Review starts: Jan. 2.