Orchesis Dance Concerts Continue Feb. 5-7
Orchesis Dance Company continues performances of "Impact," the company’s 39th annual concert, Thursday through Saturday, Feb. 5-7 at 8 p.m. in the Spanos Theatre. For more information, visit http://orchesis.calpoly.edu/lhcurrentpro.html and http://www.calpolynews.calpoly.edu/news_releases/2008/December/Orchesis.html.

NSF and Research Ethics: A New Requirement
The Philosophy Department is launching its Technology and Ethics Lecture Series with a practical talk about a new research-ethics training requirement. Mandated by the America COMPETES Act, this requirement affects all researchers seeking funding from the National Science Foundation. Tom Powers of the University of Delaware will talk about related challenges, including compliance. The talk is open to the public and will be held on Friday, Feb. 6, from 12-1 p.m. in the Fisher Science Building, Room 286. For more information, visit http://ethics.calpoly.edu or email Patrick Lin at palin@calpoly.edu.

Faculty, Staff Invited to LEAP Luncheon Feb. 11
The Leadership Education for Asian Pacifics (LEAP) group invites faculty and staff to a luncheon on Feb. 11 in the PAC Lobby from noon-1:30 p.m. LEAP has invited Patrick Hayashi to be the keynote speaker. Hayashi was the University of California's associate president and political strategist. He helped establish Berkeley's Asian-American studies program in the '60s and led post-affirmative action strategies to move the UC campuses away from selecting students based on grade-and-test-score formulas (SAT/PSAT) toward a broader, individualized review. He will reflect on his career and share his life experiences as an Asian-Pacific American in higher education. Lunch is provided. RSVP to mshibata@calpoly.edu.

Campus Dining and Bookstore Discounts Offered Feb. 11
Join El Corral Bookstore and Campus Dining for specials and a storewide 30 percent off sale Feb. 11 from 5-8 p.m. They are having their annual PJ Party for faculty, staff and students. Come in your pajamas to dinner at Metro 19 and Backstage Pizza, and shop at El Corral Bookstore to receive 30 percent off on all Cal Poly clothing and gifts, Valentine's Day gifts, student supplies and much more.

Engineering Summer Camp Set for July 6-10
Applications are now being accepted for Engineering Possibilities in College (EPIC), the College of Engineering summer camp for high school students. Renamed EPIC, the camp will run July 6-10. Visit http://epic.calpoly.edu/ for more information and to register your high school student. Space is limited to 140 students so encourage everyone to apply early.

Catastrophic Leave Drive for Susan Tonik
Susan Tonik, administrative analyst/specialist in CAFES, Agricultural Research Initiative, has qualified for personal catastrophic leave. To donate vacation and/or sick leave to help Tonik remain in full pay status during an extended leave of absence, contact Heidi Lorge in CAFES-College of Agriculture at ext. 6-5158 or hlorge@calpoly.edu to request a donation form.