



Report to the Board of Trustees, SCCCD

September 7, 2021



OPENING DAY SUCCESS

Opening day was held on August 5 with various topics highlighted including:

- A return-to-campus update
- Title IX training
- Technology update
- Strategic planning goals

The afternoon included a session on "Student Retention and Completion: Developing Best Practices."



VACCINE VOUCHER INCENTIVE PROGRAM

Students have been responsive and appreciative of the new vaccine voucher incentive program. Students who have received the COVID-19 vaccine are eligible to receive a \$150 bookstore voucher to use on books, supplies, and snacks. To date, nearly 600 students have received vouchers.

CITY OF FRESNO FAX BUS TO BEGIN SERVICE TO CCC IN JANUARY

Associated Student Government leaders, employees, and trustees have worked tirelessly over the past few years advocating for FAX bus service to CCC. Their hard work has paid off as the City of Fresno FAX department announced bus route #3 will be extended past Nees Avenue to International Avenue. A marketing campaign will begin in October to promote the great news, including an advertising wrap on two FAX buses.

JOIN US FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS CEREMONY VIDEO PREMIERE

The annual Scholarship Awards Ceremony will be celebrated with a video premiere on Friday, September 10 highlighting our hard-working scholarship recipients. The number of scholarships continues to rise each year, thanks to the generous donors of the "Clovis Crush Giving Day" fundraising event. Details on how to watch the Scholarship Awards Video Premiere on September 10 at 6:00 p.m. via You Tube.

WELCOME WEEK ACTIVITIES OFFERED HELP, SMILES, AND FACE COVERINGS

Staff and student ambassadors hosted various welcome tables during the first week of the semester. Students picked up bottled water, schedules, and face coverings. The Tutorial Center hosted an open house during the first week of classes and various instructors brought their

Classes for a tour. Thank you to <u>ABC30</u> and <u>KMPH26</u> for the media coverage.

IN-PERSON EXTREME REGISTRATION BRINGS NEW STUDENTS

Many new students registered at the In-Person Extreme Registration on July 30 and 31.

Thank you to KSEE Education Matters for the media coverage.



CRUSH DAYS/NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

Nearly 300 students participated in the annual "Crush Days/ New Student Welcome" on July 27 and 29. Students learned about Canvas, Web Advisor, the Tutorial Center, mental health resources, and student support services. Thank you to <u>ABC30</u> for the media coverage.





SUPPORTING STUDENT SUCCESS WITH TECHNOLOGY CHECK-OUT PROGRAM

The library checked out hundreds of technology products to students including laptops, mobile hotspots, drawing tablets, headphones, webcams, and calculators. A big "Crush" thank you to the Library, IT, and Outreach Departments for their hard work on this project.



#LIVELIKEMOLLY ACTIVITIES HELD TO CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF THE LATE MOLLY GRIFFIN WITH VARIOUS ACTS OF KINDNESS

On February 21, 2015, former CCC student Molly Griffin was tragically killed by a drunk driver at the young age of 23. Molly, who was a nurse, was an incredible young woman who had a passion for doing random acts of kindness. Molly was born on August 26th which is why the college has selected the fourth week in August to spread kindness throughout the community. Various activities were held the week of August 24 including a blood drive, food pantry giveaway, Reading Heart book drive, and a phone a friend activity. Doug Griffin, Molly's father, stopped by the blood drive and participated in media interviews with The Fresno Bee and ABC30. The food pantry giveaway was a huge success and students appreciated the \$50 Save Mart gift cards. Thank you to KGPE47 and KSEE24 for the media coverage.

SUPPORT STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS BY EATING AT CHIPOTLE ON SEPTEMBER 14

The Classified Senate is partnering with Chipotle for a fundraiser to benefit the Classified Senate Student Scholarships. Enjoy a delicious dinner at the Chipotle restaurant located at 80 E Nees Avenue in Fresno (Blackstone and Nees). Download the fundraiser flyer to participate on September 14 from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m.



CLUB RUSH PROVIDES OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENTS TO CONNECT

Club Rush was held on August 18 and students were excited to learn about clubs and meet new friends.



CRUSH ATHLETICS UPDATE

The men's soccer team was thrilled to play in the first home game of the season on August 27. They faced the Hartnell College Panthers and final score was 2 to 0 Hartnell. The first home game of the season for the women's soccer team is September 7 at 2:00 p.m. The Cross Country Fresno Invitational is September 4 at Woodward Park. Visit the GoClovisCrush website to stay updated.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

9/10/21 Patriot Day, 12:00 p.m.

9/16/21 Mexican Independence Day, 11:00 a.m.