



WELCOME PRESIDENT DR. KIM E. ARMSTRONG

The first day of the Spring semester was exciting for students and the campus community. President Dr. Kim E. Armstrong joined the “Crush” family as the third president of Clovis Community College. Dr. Armstrong was inside and outside in the rain welcoming students.

Thank you to the local media for the coverage: [ABC30](#), [The Business Journal](#), [The Fresno Bee](#), [GV Wire](#), and the [Clovis Roundup](#).



President Dr. Kim E. Armstrong has been out and about sharing the “Crush” spirit at various events including:

- City of Clovis Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Community Breakfast
- CCC Classified Senate Meeting
- CCC African American Success Initiative Welcome Event
- Fresno Metro Black Chamber of Commerce 5th Annual Business Salute to Martin Luther King Luncheon
- Clovis Unified School District CTE night
- City of Clovis Council Meeting
- City of Fresno Meeting with Mayor Jerry Dyer & Deputy Mayor Matthew Grundy
- Clovis Chamber Salute to Business Awards Luncheon
- Legislative Day in Sacramento



OPENING DAY SUCCESS ON JANUARY 5

First on the agenda was Chancellor Dr. Goldsmith leading the wonderful swearing-in of CCC's third president—Dr. Kim E. Armstrong. It was a delight for faculty, staff, and administrators to learn more about President Dr. Armstrong and her vision and goals, which include:

1. Maintaining and cultivating a continual process of improvement culture: continue to build on the excellence at the college.
2. Continuing to be the community's college: strengthen volunteerism and awareness in the community.
3. Expanding the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion work.
4. Taking the Institutional Learning Outcome's to the next level: continual process and improvements

Other topics covered were:

- Emergency Response Training.
- Title IX update.
- Update on the Student Learning Outcomes/Service Unit Outcomes/Administrative Unit Outcomes process.



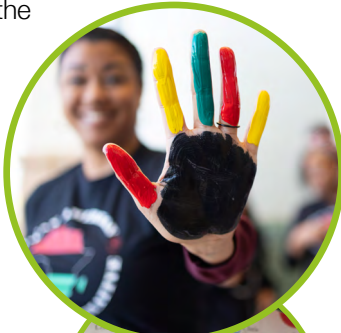
View more Opening Day photos on [Flickr](#).



CCC CELEBRATES BLACK HISTORY MONTH WITH ENGAGING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

View the wonderful events on the [CCC calendar](#), which include:

- Opening Ceremony featured Dr. Kim Armstrong, singing of the Black National Anthem, Poetry Ready and Unity Art Project.
- Art Exhibit - This Is Our Story-This Is Our Song – The 80s Heavies
- Neo Soul Yoga
- United Through Our History - Allensworth State Historic Park Visit
- Recharge with the Fresno African Drumming Circle and Food Trucks
- 5th Annual African American Read-In
- Black Professionals Career Panel
- San Francisco Day Trip – Museum of African Diaspora
- History Talk - Reimagining the Civil Rights Movement
- Black Panther: Wakanda Forever
- SCCC African American Wall of Honor Induction Ceremony



ACADEMIC SENATE ANNOUNCES TNT

Each spring semester, the CCC Academic Senate awards two faculty members the TNT Award for Faculty Excellence. The TNT award is a Senate and faculty driven accolade that aims to illuminate, appreciate, and honor outstanding individuals whose meaningful work, above, beyond, behind, and between the scenes, is often overlooked, unheralded, and interstitial areas, makes a very real difference in all our lives at our college. In Spring 2023, the Academic Senate recognized Stacy McArron and Stephanie Coffman for their outstanding contributions to our college. [Read more](#) about their respective accomplishments.

WELCOME TO THE SPRING SEMESTER

Student Ambassadors offered lots of smiles and were ready to greet and help students at various Welcome Week tables. A Zoom option was also available for students taking online classes. The new student welcome event “Crush Days” was held on January 6 and 7. Students learned about various campus programs and resources to help them be successful in college. Also, in-person tours were held, and new students had the opportunity to meet faculty and staff.



CCC HOSTS SCCC TRUSTEES

Chancellor Dr. Carole Goldsmith and newly-elected SCCC Trustees Robert A. Fuentes and Destiny Rodriguez, and Trustee Deborah J. Ikeda visited our campus on January 25. The special visit included a tour, listening to amazing student testimonials, and learning about the college's incredible programs and services. [View the photos on Flickr.](#)



CRUSH ATHLETICS: CCC NAMES NEW SWIMMING/DIVING COACH

The spring season offers meets and competitions for swim and dive, and track. Student-athletes are ready to kick off the season. Visit www.gocloviscrush.com for the latest news and events.

Jim Bossert was recently named the new swimming & diving head coach. Coach Bossert has an outstanding pedigree in the sport, both as a student-athlete and as a coach and understands firsthand the value of creating a comprehensive and compelling student-athlete experience. Read more about Coach Jim Bossert.



[View the CCC Calendar](#) for upcoming events!