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Hello Siskiyous and Happy Classified Professionals Appreciation Week!

Classified professionals play an undeniable role in our success. They keep our environment safe, clean, and functional. They provide vital support to our core functions and ensure a smooth operation. More importantly, they often serve as the friendly faces that greet our students, staff, and visitors each day. While Classified Staff Appreciation Week is a dedicated time to show our thanks, we recognize the importance of expressing gratitude year-round. We encourage everyone to take a moment to thank a classified professional for their contributions.

*This week's updates*

- **Enrollment Report:** Can be accessed [here](#). You'll notice that a spring enrollment report was posted last week. This report reflects the FTES generated by our new Teacher Preparation Program facilitated by Butte County Office of Education which has yielded us an additional 40+ FTES! Great job to everyone who contributed to the launching of this program. It was not an easy task.
- **Maintenance and Facilities updates:** Evans investigated the lost water valve to the gymnasium in parking lot E yesterday. Cooling system work at both campuses this week. Fire alarm testing on the Weed campus on Mon. June 3rd and on the Yreka campus on Tue. June 4th.
- **Commencement Kudos!** HUGE thank you to everyone who contributed to another fantastic graduation ceremony! Special thank you to Dawnie and her team. The commencement speeches were moving, and the weather was perfect. Congratulations class of 2024!
- **Nominate a Colleague:** Do you know of a colleague who consistently goes above and beyond? Who goes out of their way to help others? Someone who uplifts their fellow colleagues through support and positive compliments? If so, feel free to submit your nomination for colleague of the month starting on June 1, 2024. When submitting, please include a specific example/event which prompted your decision to nominate this individual. Nominations can be submitted in the Virtual Suggestion Box (link located in mySiskiyous or [here](#)). Thank you JT for this wonderful suggestion!

### **SJEDI Corner**

- **Access Webinar Series hosted by the UCLA Tarjan Center:** Wednesday, May 29 10a - 11:30a. Some of the accessibility topics that will be covered include screen reading

order, plain language, formatting and design, use of color, and use of figures and images. The speaker will walk through examples using Adobe Acrobat Pro DC and Microsoft Office 365 Powerpoint. To register, click [here](#). Flyer attached.

- **Save the date - 2024 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility Institute:** Sept 25-27, 2024 Hyatt Regency Irvine. Participants can expect to gain practical tools to strengthen DEIA practices within their colleges. Moreover, the institute offers a platform for networking with fellow stakeholders from California community colleges to exchange effective DEIA and anti-racism practices and ideas. Colleges are encouraged to bring a diverse team of 6 - 8 students, classified, faculty, and/or admin. If interested, please let me know by emailing [cperlas@siskiyous.edu](mailto:cperlas@siskiyous.edu).

Since next week is a short week, there will be no All-College email and, going into the summer, I will be sending All-College email 'Lites'.

Thank you and have a great finals week!



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