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Hello Siskiyous and Happy Indigenous Peoples Day!

Please join us in the student center today from 11:30a - 1p. Quartz Valley and the Karuk tribe will be celebrating with us as we kick-off the event with the <u>College's Land Acknowledgement</u>. The Land Acknowledgement will be followed by a prayer, drumming, brush dancing and a traditional gambling demonstration. Indian tacos will be available for purchase in the Eagle Cafe!

This week's updates

- **Enrollment Report:** Will be accessible on the **Enrollment Reports Webpage**.
- Maintenance & Facilities Updates: Gym Annex fascia project will begin this week. Freezing temperatures are approaching fast. Please use caution as the morning dew can create slippery sidewalks and floors.
- Reminder: Chico State Exec Team Visit: The following Chico State Executive Team
 Members will be touring our campus today, Mon. Oct. 14th between 11a 12p:
 President Steve Perez, Provost Leslie Cornick, VP of Student Affairs Issac Brundage and
 Chief of Staff Seema Sehrawat. If you see us walking around, stop and say hello!
- The SCPH Immunization Clinic and Mobile Health & Healthy Siskiyou Outreach:

 Tomorrow, Oct. 15th from 11a 1p in the Student Center parking lot. Click the <u>Vaccine</u>

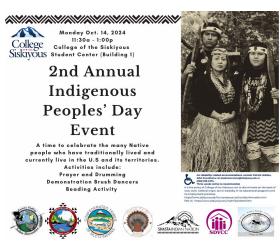
 and Health Services flyer to learn about all of the services that will be available.
- **Preview Day!** Tomorrow, Oct. 15th from 9am 12:30pm. As a reminder, the following parking lots will be coned off in preparation for the event: Parking lots F (Theater), A (Weed Pool Side) and D (ESTC & ITECH).
- CVC@ONE HOSTING WEBINAR SERIES FOCUSED ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE:
 Generative artificial Intelligence (AI) is transforming the educational landscape by
 offering both faculty and students resources and innovative strategies to change
 teaching and learning. In an effort to help faculty explore the power of AI, CVC@ONE is
 hosting a series of six webinars throughout the fall. To learn more and to register, click
 CVC Webinars.
- CalFire Cone Collection Project Results: Cal Fire's Cone Collection Project at the College yielded 50% of the cones that will be processed at their facility this year. The seed from the campus trees is currently at Step 3 (see attached graphic). If you're interested in learning more, feel free to click the following link to sign up for the Cal Fire Reforestation Services Program Newsletter.

Reminder: Smoke Free Survey: According to the Smoke and Tobacco Free Policy Report Card, in May 2018, the Board of Governors for the California Community College system adopted a resolution to provide guidance and support for all California Community Colleges to adopt and implement 100% smoke and tobacco-free policies. At that time, 47% (53/114) of community colleges had implemented a 100% smoke or tobacco-free policy. Currently, 69% (79/114) are 100% smoke or tobacco-free. In Spring of 2021, we distributed a Smoke Free Survey. Now that we are out of the COVID 'State of Emergency' we are interested in reassessing. Please complete the College of the Siskiyous Tobacco Policy Survey by Oct. 15, 2024. Feel free to share with your students!

• HR Message Regarding Work Attire: As a friendly reminder, while the District does not have a formal dress code for staff, we as District employees are the front-facing representatives of College of the Siskiyous. Consequently, we interact with students, families and community members year-round. While <u>casual business attire</u> is preferred and college branded 'spirit' wear is acceptable, please remember that our attire sends a message to the community. Let's make it a positive one!

SJEDI Corner

- American Association of University Women (AAUW) Tech Trek Student
 Presentations: Wednesday, Oct. 16th from 5p 6p. College of the Siskiyous Board
 Room. All are invited! Stop by to hear from AAUW's two Tech Trek Students as they
 present on their experiences at last summer's UC Davis STEM camp! Snacks and
 beverages will be available (while supplies last).
- Meaning Matters: How Higher Education can Help Students Find Purpose in Life and Career: LearningWell magazine, together with the Coalition for Transformational Education (CTE) and Gallup, recently hosted "Meaning Matters: a discussion on how higher education can help students find their purpose in life and career." Regarding finding purpose in one's work, Marken said, "What we find in our research is for those who don't have a sense of sense of purpose in their work, just 6% of them are thriving in their overall wellbeing," she said. "When you look at those who do have a sense of purpose in their work, 60-plus percent are thriving in their wellbeing essentially a 10-times-fold difference." Additional details and a recording to the full webinar can be accessed by clicking Learning About Purpose.



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