

STAYING COMMITTED AND CONNECTED 2018

MARCH 5,

# SCC Alumni Association Raises Money at Crab Feed

The Solano Community
College Alumni Association
hosted its Crab & Shrimp
Feed Saturday evening in
the Student Center on the
main campus.

Besides food, patrons enjoyed entertainment by Captain Bob's Dive Bar, featuring music by the Raymond Victor Band, a



well-known Solano County-based jazz and blues band.

A no-host bar featured frozen margaritas, piña coladas, microbrews on tap from Heretic Brewing Company, and Suisun Valley wines. A silent auction included fine desserts.

The crab, according to Curt Johnston, director of the SCC Educational Foundation, came from Pezzolo Seafood of San Francisco.

Established last year, the Crab & Shrimp Feed is a way "to invite the community into the college and create an opportunity for faculty and staff to interact with the public and SCC alumni and friends," according to Johnson.

"In this context," added Johnston, "this event is all about having a fun evening and enjoying each other's company. But it's also an opportunity to support the formation of the alumni association."

The event's major sponsors include Travis Credit Union, PG&E, Medic Ambulance, AT&T and Touro University California.

More pictures of the event next week!

## A Letter to the Campus Community

#### From Margo Virzera, Art Educator at Vanden High School

Hello Solano Community College,

I am the ceramic art teacher at Vanden High School in Fairfield. I wanted to write you to tell you how excited I am for the partnership that Marc Lancet has started with the college and our high school.

I met Marc last year at the California Conference for the Advancement of Ceramic Art (CCACA). This past Tuesday, Marc came in and did a fabulous demonstration for my students! He did a PowerPoint about his work as well as all the firings done at Solano CC. He then proceeded to do a hand-building demonstration.

Some of my students are graduating this year and going to Solano CC in the fall. I also have some students that currently take classes at Solano CC as high school students. I know this experience that Marc created for my students really got them excited for their future in doing art as well as their future at college.



# **Pantry Project Update**





From February 1<sup>st</sup> until last week, we dispensed 58 bags. Last week, a total of 26 were given out. We have shared info

with the families with the Early Childhood Development program – we expect the number of weekly participants to reach at least 30-35!

Shopping takes place at least once each week – recently we spent \$1,475 (saving \$1,750).

# Human Collective Raising Money for Circle of Friends Charity



# Coins for Change



Your help is needed in this fundraising activity led by The Human Collective Club (THC) to to support a charity in need.

The Human Collective Club would like to support The Circle of Friends— an agency that provides peer programs that serves adults with mental health conditions, who reside in Solano County.

From February 26th until March 19th 2018, you can help by collecting coins that you see in the streets or simply the ones that you never use, like in the bottom of your car or purse.

You can use your own little Ziplock bag to collect the change; if needed, THC can provide one. Bags can be dropped off at building 900, room 904 at Main Campus, information centers at Vallejo and Vacaville sites as well. Thank you for your support.

For further questions, please email Eduel Salvador at <a href="mailto:esalvad2@students.solano.edu">esalvad2@students.solano.edu</a>

# **Update on Solano's Tennis Teams**

#### **Tennis**

On Tuesday, February 27, 2018 the Solano Falcons made their way over the Carquinez Strait to face off against Diablo Valley College (DVC). Thea Jimenez and Yasmeen Awad won their singles as Jimenez and Awad paired up for doubles and the Lady Falcons finished the contest victorious with a convincing: 8 to 1 victory

On the men's side, Caspers/Dolan playing Number Two for Solano beat their opposition (8 - 0). In Singles, Solano stood strong against the Viking attack: Reis Vince-Cruz, Joe Caspers, Sean Dolan and Aaron Brumels found a way to win. The

Falcon Men emerge out of the contest: 7 Ito 2.

Congratulations Falcons, well played!

# **Women's History Month Events**

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#### March 6

1-3pm Main Campus (Back Half of the Cafeteria)

#### March 6

3-5pm Main Campus Fishbowl (rm. 1421)

#### March 8

3-5pm Vallejo Center Film - Eyes on the Prize Discussion about the shift from the Civil Rights Movement to the Black Power Movement

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## March 15 Film & Discussion-Women's History Month

1-3pm Main Campus (Back Half of Cafeteria)

March 20

3-5pm

Main Campus

Fishbowl (rm. 1421)

March 22

3-5pm

Vacaville Center

March 27

2:30-4:30pm

Main Campus

Room 713

March 28

2:30-4:30pm

Main Campus

Room 713

March 29

3-5pm

Main Campus

Fishbowl (rm. 1421)

Film - I'm Carolyn Parker: The Good, the Mad and the Beautiful

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Panel #1 - Women in Academics

Panel #2 - Professional Women

Movie - Hidden Figures

Presented by the Student Life Office, ASSC, and History Dept.

### **Kudos to Custodial Staff**

Early last week, SCC President-Superintendent Celia Esposito-Noy had a family member at Vallejo Kaiser hear from a woman complaining about the Kaiser bathrooms. When asked further, the woman told him, "You know who has the cleanest bathrooms? Solano Community College!" He asked her which location and she told him that the Vallejo Center bathrooms were great but she was really impressed with the bathrooms at the Fairfield campus! Her compliments were unsolicited and clearly she is impressed enough to share with a stranger. Great job to all involved.

# You're Invited- Free Concert This Wednesday



SCC's Music Department invites you to a free concert this Wednesday, March 7th at 7pm in the SCC Theatre. The concert will feature the SCC Jazz Ensemble, SCC Chamber Choir and special guest, the Vacaville High School Jazz Combo. The Chamber Choir will perform contemporary and gospel songs. The Jazz Ensembles will perform a variety of musical styles by Duke Ellington, Lee Morgan and other great jazz artists.

## **Sports Schedule...**

#### **Softball**

Tuesday, March 6 - Contra Costa @ Solano (1 & 3 pm)

Saturday, March 10 - Solano @ West Valley College (12 & 2 pm)

#### **Baseball**

Tuesday, March 6- Laney College @ Solano (2pm)

Thursday, March 8- Solano @ College of Marin (2pm)

Saturday, March 10- Los Medanos College @ Solano (1pm)



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