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Staff News for Santa Rosa Junior College, August 10, 2001

Accreditation Self Study Begins August 17

Approximately 100 members of the ten standards committees for SRJC Accreditation process will meet on Friday, August 17, from 1 to 4 p.m. in the Staff Lounge on the Santa Rosa campus to begin planning the work that needs to be done for the college's Self-Study.

"As part of the college community, you are all a resource in this common effort," said Karin Guzman, chair of the Accreditation Steering Committee. "Please feel free to share your views with the committee members or with myself."

For more information, contact Guzman at 521-7924.

SRJC Offers Saturday Service Beginning August 11

Santa Rosa Junior College will offer Special Saturday Service at four locations, Saturday, August 11, for students who want to register for fall classes at SRJC.

On Saturday, August 11, students may register in-person from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at SRJC's Santa Rosa campus, 1501 Mendocino Avenue in Santa Rosa; SRJC's Petaluma campus, 680 Sonoma Mt. Parkway in Petaluma; at Healdsburg High School, 1024 Prince Street in Healdsburg; or at Sonoma Valley High School, 20000 Broadway in Sonoma. Students can use the opportunity to register for any class being offered anywhere in the district by Santa Rosa Junior College.

SRJC's Santa Rosa and Petaluma campuses will also be open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays, August 18 and 25. The Petaluma campus will continue to be open on Saturdays throughout the semester, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Reservations Due Now for Annual Harvey Hansen Picnic

Reservations must be made no later than next Wednesday, August 15, for the 17th annual Harvey Hansen Picnic which will be held August 17 from 5 to 9 p.m. at SRJC's Shone Farm.

The annual welcome-back barbecue is designed to welcome all new faculty and staff as well as all returning faculty and staff and SRJC retirees. Cost of the event is \$12.50 per person which includes food and a donation to the Harvey Hansen Scholarship Fund. Drinks are provided by the All Faculty Association and cooking is done by SRJC staff and Friends of the SRJC Agriculture Department. Faculty, staff and retirees are invited to bring a spouse or guest. Children are not allowed.

All regular employees who were hired after September 8, 2000 and their respective spouse or guest, are hosted at the event, however they must make a reservation.

To reserve your space, send your name (and the name of your spouse or guest), along with a check (made payable to the SRJC Foundation) to Reta Kyle in Business Services. Mastercard and VISA will also be accepted. Tickets must be purchased in advance; there will be no ticket sales at the door.

For further information, contact Sabrina Profeta-Meyer in the Human Resources Department, ext. 4821.

Latest Volume of SRJC History Now on Sale

The most recent installment in a series of histories about Santa Rosa Junior College is now available.

[Access Accelerated: Santa Rosa Junior College 1990-2001, A Decade of Fulfillment](#), was written by Brook Tauzer, emeritus professor of history and former Vice President of Academic Affairs at SRJC, who worked at the college from 1955 through 1986.

The 95-page publication was made possible through a grant from the SRJC Foundation and is being sold for \$10. To purchase a copy, call the Foundation (527-4348) or e-mail edonath@santarosa.edu, or stop by the Foundation Office in the Pedroncelli Center on the corner of Elliott Avenue and Armory Drive in Santa Rosa.



Reservations Due Next Week for Chamber Educator Breakfast

Reservations for the annual Education & Business Partnership Breakfast, sponsored by the Santa Rosa Chamber of Commerce on August 29, are due by next Wednesday, August 15.

Three SRJC faculty members, Carole Bennett, Business Office Technology; Michael Salinger, Consumer and Family Studies; and Ruben Sandoval, English and Puente, will be honored at the breakfast.

Faculty and staff may make reservations through SRJC's Public Relations office through August 15. Checks should be made payable to the Santa Rosa Chamber of Commerce.

The faculty members were nominated by the Academic Senate's Faculty Recognition Committee for the Chamber's Excellence in Education awards. The awards are designed to recognize exemplary teachers from kindergarten through the university level. Nominations are sought from all of the schools in Santa Rosa. All nominees are honored at the event and one teacher from each educational level (elementary, middle, high school, junior college, and university) will receive an award.

The breakfast will be held from 7 to 9 a.m. at the Flamingo Hotel in Santa Rosa. Tickets are \$20 per person, which includes a continental breakfast. The keynote speaker will be Michael Pritchard, a youth activist, humorist and Public Television host who is known for his ability to help young people gain insight into themselves and the choices they make.

He has the unique distinction of winning the San Francisco International Comedy Competition while he was California Probation Officer of the Year.

SRJC Survives Computer Virus Attacks

The infamous "Code Red" and "Sir Cam" worms have not invaded any computers at Santa Rosa Junior College thanks to quick action by the college's Computing Services Department.

"We have a couple of systems in place that attempt to delete, reject, or quarantine the viruses as they come into campus," explained Randy Gallimore, Internet Services Specialist. "The software, including fixes and patches, seem to be doing the job."

Gallimore said faculty and staff can help avoid virus attacks by not opening email attachments from people they do not know. They should also avoid opening any messages that come in multiples—either the same subject from many different people hitting the inbox all at once, or multiple messages from the same person with different subject lines.

"When in doubt, do not open the email or attachment. Just delete the item(s) and empty your recycle bin/trash can/wastebasket," Gallimore said. "If you feel that you have actually contracted a virus of any sort and that your computer might be infected, please call the help desk (524-1765) for further instructions."

Photo Exhibit at Doyle Center Through September

Black and white and color photographs by Santa Rosa photographer Richard Parry-Jones are being exhibited through September at Santa Rosa Junior College's Doyle Student Center.

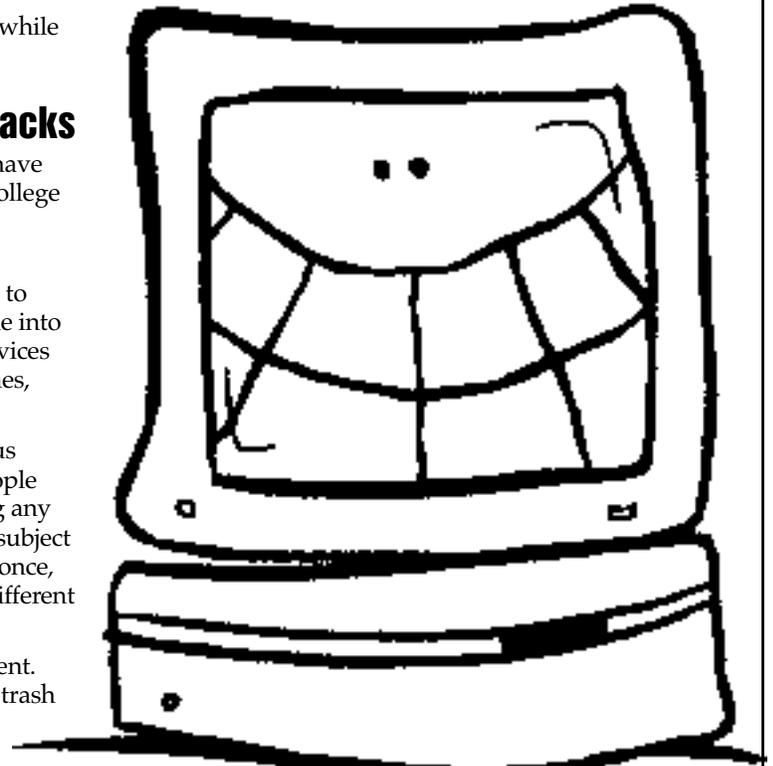
The exhibit, sponsored by SRJC's Alumni & Friends Association, is free and open to the public. The Doyle Center, located on SRJC's Santa Rosa campus, is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, call (707) 527-4460.



Congratulations to **Roz Ringle**, SRJC Payroll Technician, and her husband Bill on the July 18 birth of their second grandchild, Reily Jacobs Ringle. Reily weighed seven pounds, one ounce, and was 20 in. long at birth. He is the son of the Ringle's son Richard and his wife, Jessica Harris. Reily already has his very own website: www.geocities.com/reilyjacob71801/ complete with photos of the entire family.

Correction

The sympathy notice about Marie Church in the July 26 Insider included an error. Marie worked for the college for 15 years (1963-1978) and not 25 years as indicated in the article.



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