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Staff News for Santa Rosa Junior College, February 9, 2007



Spring At The Culinary Café & Bakery

There's so much going on at the Culinary Café & Bakery this spring! Located at the Brickyard Center in downtown Santa Rosa, the SRJC Culinary Arts Center houses a retail Bakery and Café that are open to the public.



The Bakery is open Wednesday – Friday from 7:30 AM to 2:00 PM. The Bakery serves Flying Goat coffee and a variety of espresso drinks. Delicious, freshly baked croissants, muffins, tea breads, scones, pastries, bagels, and assorted breads are offered.

The Café is open for lunch Wednesday- Friday, 11:30 AM - 2:00 PM. Students enrolled in SRJC Culinary Arts classes prepare and serve a lunch menu that changes weekly. Reservations are recommended and may be made anytime by calling 576-0279. Plus, on Thursdays, seniors are offered a three-course lunch at a discounted price. Or check out Food & Wine Fridays!

Prices are very reasonable: soups/salads \$3.00, entrees \$8.00 - \$9.50, desserts \$3.50, beverages, \$1.00. Free parking is available at the Santa Rosa Plaza Parking Garage. Parking is also available at the 7th Street parking garage across from the Café.

Disability Resources Parent Meeting Feb 21

Faculty and staff are invited to attend the Disability Resources annual Parent Meeting to transition high school students from 6:30 to 8:00 PM, February 21 on the Santa Rosa Campus in Newman Auditorium, Emeritus Hall in Room 1564. The meeting outlines the challenges students with disabilities will face in the transition from high school to college, the skills students need for college success, available and accessible accommodations and services, any accommodations differences between college and high school, and SRJC educational options. For more information, contact Bob Berlin-Grous at ext. 4826.



Nominations Sought! "Elizabeth Carlson Memorial Award" By Feb 9

Nominations for the Elizabeth Carlson Memorial Award for Outstanding Contributions by an SRJC Female Employee are now being sought. The criteria for nominations note that nominees should demonstrate passion for creative expression, service to college and leadership abilities that may extend to the community, dedication to students, role model for women students, faculty, and staff, and overall positive energy within sphere of influence. Nominees must also be available to receive the award on Friday, March 2.

Nominations for entry must be done via e-mail. Deadline is this Friday, February 9. Submit no more than two paragraphs that address the above criteria, and e-mail jmann@santarosa.edu. Past recipients include Karen Peterson, Judith Thorn, Karen Stanley, and Charlotte Granderson.

The recipient of this award will be announced at the Women's History Month Luncheon on Friday, March 2.

Elizabeth Carlson was an employee at SRJC from 1974–1997. She passed away at an early age in January 2000. During her employment at SRJC, she co-founded and coordinated the Disability Resources Department, and also served as the Staff Development Coordinator and Assistant Dean of Arts, Culture and Communication. She was a published author and poet who touched the lives of many. She was also a graceful and collaborative facilitator and mentor who was passionate about life, family, and friends. Contact Jennifer Mann with questions.

Alternative Degrees Programs Seminar Offered March 15

If you are seeking a non-traditional option to earn a bachelor's degree, such as seminars, telecourses, classes online, weekend classes, credit for life experiences, an outstanding evening exploring an innovative and exciting approach is scheduled on Thursday, March 15. Held from 5:30 to 7:30 PM in Cafeteria, Doyle Student Center, on the Santa Rosa Campus, the Alternative Degrees Programs Seminar will include representatives from a number of colleges who will discuss the alternative degree program options offered in our region. An overview of the variety of ways to obtain a bachelor's degree will be presented, and during the second hour of the seminar participants can connect one-on-one with the school representatives. Sponsored by SRJC's Adult Reentry Services, call for more details at 527-4375.

Sabbatical Leave Filing Period Opens Jan 31

Full-time regular faculty who are interested in applying for a sabbatical leave for the 2008-2009 academic year may pick up an application between January 31 and February 23 from Alicia Jourdain in the Office of the Dean, Business, Computer & Information Sciences, and Off-Campus & Weekend Programs in Room 2715, Maggini Hall.

Applications are only available during this filing period, and must be submitted no later than Friday, February 23 by 5:00 PM. Information about sabbatical leaves can be found in the current AFA contract. For additional information, contact Micca Gray, Chairperson of the Sabbatical Leave Committee, at ext. 4552.

Due By Feb 28 - Red Cross Seeks "Real Heroes"

The Sonoma County Chapter of the American Red Cross will host the "Real Heroes Breakfast" on Wednesday, April 25 at the Hyatt Vineyard Creek Hotel. The event honors Sonoma and Mendocino County heroes who have selflessly helped others during the past year. The Red Cross seeks nominations of local heroes who have taken action to help others or has show an extraordinary gift of compassion that reflects the values and principles of the American Red Cross.

Of the 11 award categories, education is one. Help the Red Cross honor our local heroes and your colleagues by submitting the name of a compassionate counselor, an exceptional educator, an inspiring administrator or a creative coach from the SRJC college community who may have performed a "heroic act" that is ongoing or occurred between January 1, 2006 and February 27, 2007. Full nomination details including the categories and the nomination form are available at <http://www.sonomacounty.redcross.org/>. Nomination forms must be received by February 28, 2007.

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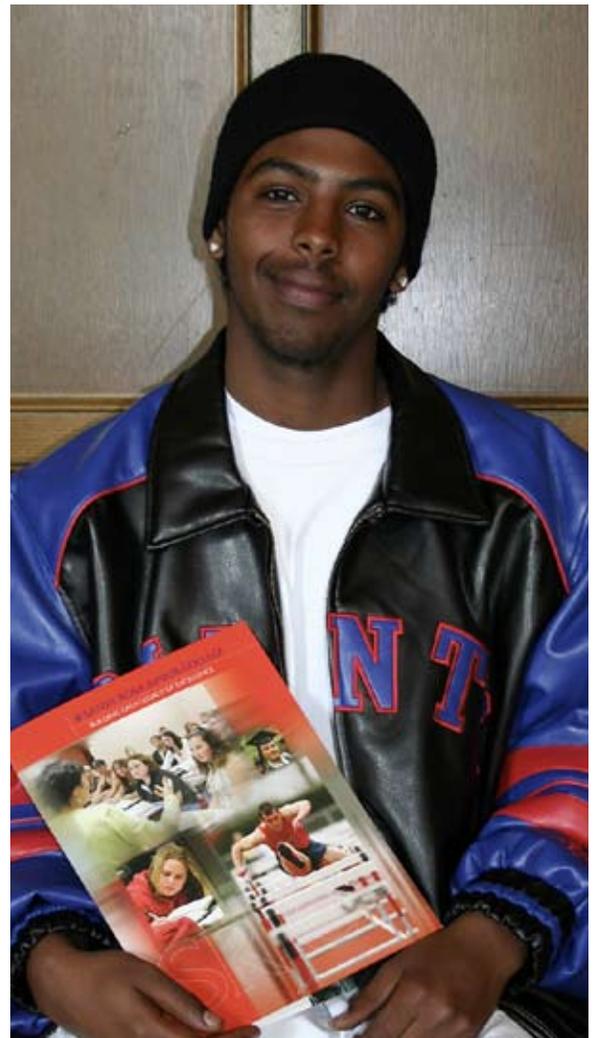
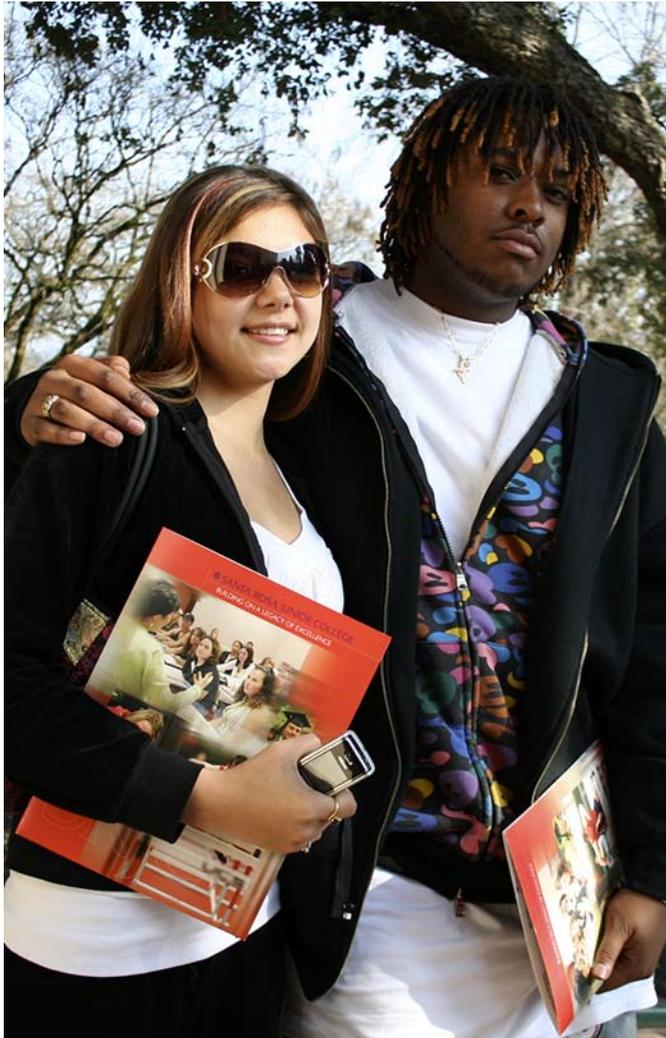
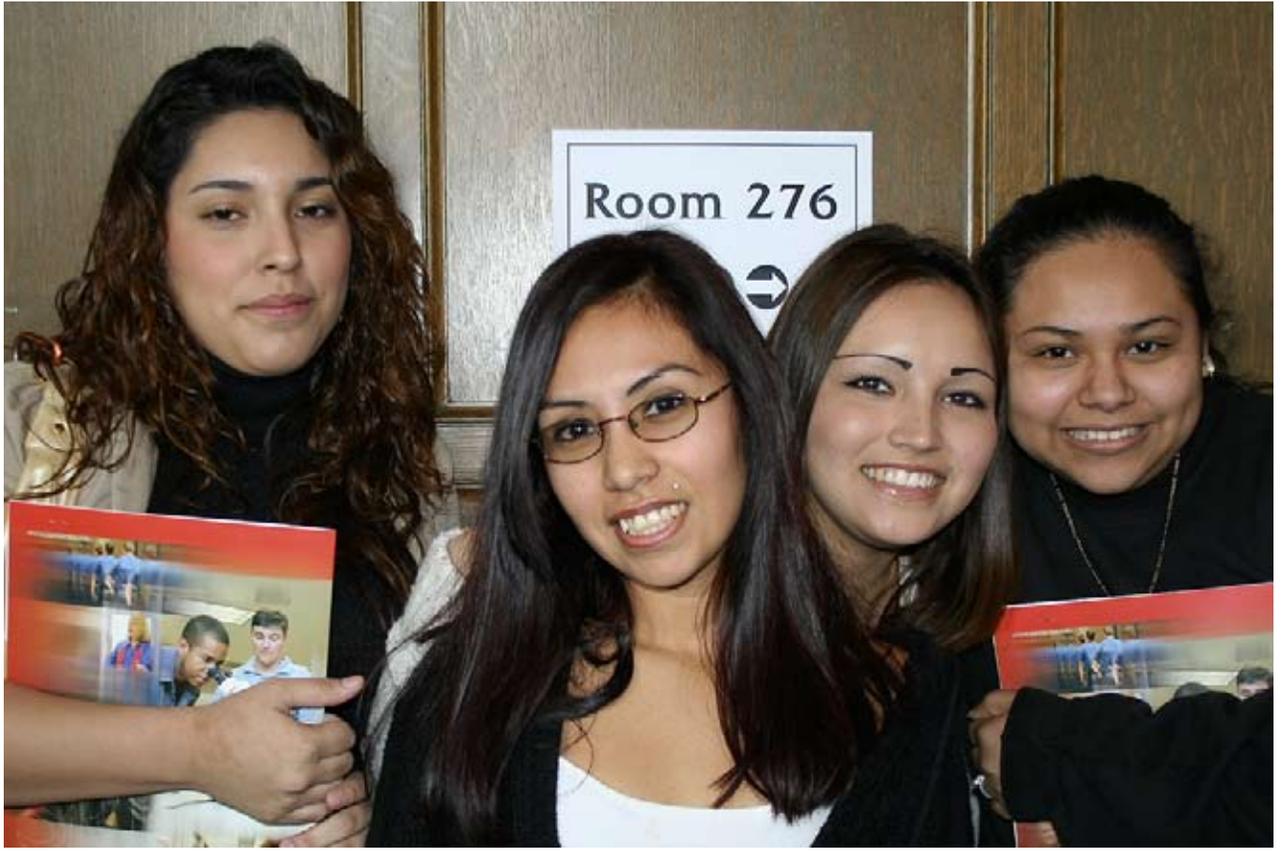
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Small Schools Event Held Feb 2

Over 200 students from more than a dozen community and alternative high schools participated in the Friday, February 2 "Small Schools Event" on the Santa Rosa Campus. Organized to help students learn directly about SRJC's admission procedures, financial aid and scholarships, career certificate offerings, earning an associate degree, university transfer, and student support services, the students enjoyed many informative activities, including an outreach PowerPoint presentation by SRJC counselors and overviews about Puente, certificate options, student leadership programs, and student clubs. Coordinated by Sharon Martinelli, Schools Relations, the event also included a delicious and fun lunch in the cafeteria for all!



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*The Santa Rosa Junior College
Foundation and
Bear Cub Athletic Trust*

*Invite you to the
12th Annual Hall of Fame Dinner*

Saturday, March 3

Santa Rosa Golf and Country Club

5100 Oak Meadow Drive.

5:30 PM No Host Bar/6:30 PM Dinner

*The event will honor the following
Bear Cub athletes:*

Joan Fleck, Athlete 1970s

John Alejos, Athlete 1970s

*Women's Track & Field Relay,
Athlete 1970s*

Nicole Findlay, Athlete 1990's

Bob Miyashiro, Coach

Laurie Beard, Special Recognition

*Please make reservations soon, as the event sells out quickly.
Reservations must be made no later than Monday, February
19. The cost per person is \$60, plus sponsorship tables are
available at \$750 per table with seating for 10, a bottle of
wine, and table recognition. Meal choices include beef,
salmon, or pasta. Be sure to indicate the number of tickets
you wish to reserve, names of guests, and meal choices.*

For more information, contact 527-4348.

Summer Study In Italy June 30 – July 21

For SRJC's final study tour to Le Marche, Tuscany, and Umbria, join in on an informational session to everything about this wonderful learning opportunity!

- Saturday, February 10, 2007, 10:00 - 11:00 AM, North Bay Italian Cultural Center, 64 Brookwood Avenue, Santa Rosa

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