Chabot College Institutional Core Values and Framework

A. Vision

Chabot College is a learning-centered institution with a culture of thoughtfulness and academic excellence, committed to creating a vibrant community of lifelong learners.

B. Mission Statement

Chabot College is a public, comprehensive community college that prepares students to succeed in their education, progress in the workplace, and engage in the civic and cultural life of the global community. The college furthers student learning and responds to the educational needs of our local population and economy. The college serves as an educational leader, contributing its resources to the intellectual, cultural, physical, and economic vitality of the region. Recognizing that learning is a lifelong journey, the college provides opportunities for intellectual enrichment and physical well-being of all community members who can benefit.

C. Values

LEARNING AND TEACHING
• Supporting a variety of teaching philosophies and learning modalities.
• Providing an environment conducive to intellectual curiosity and innovation.
• Encouraging collaboration that fosters learning.
• Engaging in ongoing reflection on learning by students and by staff.
• Cultivating critical thinking in various contexts.
• Supporting the development of the whole person.

COMMUNITY AND DIVERSITY
• Building a safe and supportive campus community.
• Treating one another with respect, dignity, and integrity.
• Practicing our work in an ethical and reflective manner.
• Honoring and respecting cultural diversity.
• Encouraging diversity in our curriculum and community of learners.

INDIVIDUAL AND COLLECTIVE RESPONSIBILITY
• Taking individual responsibility for our own learning.
• Cultivating a sense of social and individual responsibility.
• Developing reflective, responsible, and compassionate citizens.
• Playing a leadership role in the larger community.
• Embracing thoughtful change and innovation.
Unit Plan: Description of the Unit

Unit:
Division or Area to Which You Report: A & H Division
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Audience: To be read and responded to primarily by Marketing and Outreach
Purpose: Used for public relations, used in catalog and/or brochures, grant applications. Marketing & recruiting materials
Instructions: Write about one paragraph which should include the unit’s mission statement. You may include an image or picture, if you wish. You may use last year’s description with updates or revisions as needed.

Please use this text box to write your description. Expand if necessary.
The mission of the PAC is to support the college mission and strategic plan, as well as remain a viable revenue center for the College. The PAC does this now by efficiently operating a theater complex supporting a wide variety of college programs. The new challenges that we now face are the physical limitations of our backstage dressing rooms and rehearsal room space. We are stretched beyond legal capacity in some cases. The rapid growth of the Music and Theater Arts dept. simply requires rehearsal, classroom and holding room space that does not exist. The rental/lease side of the PAC’s operation, which annually funds college programs with it’s excess revenue, also is placing demands on the space we cannot adequate handle.

80% of the PAC usage is by the outside community, mostly rentals, or “fee for service” events. Therefore the majority of the PAC’s activities are community based. As such, it not only creates enough revenue to support itself, it also is a significant tool in community outreach. By looking at the annual use report one can see that the usage of the facility mirrors the diverse socio-economic make-up of our surrounding community.

The Chabot PAC is probably the only auxiliary unit of the college that has annual revenue in excess of expenses. Expenses include all of the regular employee salaries and all of the cost of hourly staff, all supplies etc.