MATH STUDENTS EXCEL

Round One of the National Student Mathematics League Contest has been completed and the results are in. There are two rounds each year, one round that is held in Fall Semester, and one round that is held in Spring Semester.

Each round is an extremely difficult twenty question, multiple-choice test in precalculus mathematics. The contest is just for two-year schools. Students who have a four-year degree or higher from anywhere in the world are not eligible to participate.

Chabot sends its top five scores as its team score for each round. For Round One held in Fall Semester 2011, Chabot is ranked 24th out of 180 schools.

The top five Chabot students include the following:

- Jingwei You
- David Kato
- Gezhe Peng
- Ki-Yoen Kim
- Hu Qijun

That places Chabot College in the top 13.4%!

We are very proud of our Math students, and our students are to be congratulated and recognized for their intellect and competitive spirit! Recognition and appreciation also goes out to our excellent Math faculty who have worked hard to prepare these students for this rigorous competition.

STAFF TO BE RECOGNIZED NEXT MONTH

67 Chabot employees will be recognized at the annual Staff Appreciation Luncheon on Friday, February 3rd which is also the date of the College’s Spring Semester 2012 Flex Day. Starting at 11:30 a.m., faculty and staff will be treated to a buffet lunch provided by Fresh & Natural at the College’s Cafeteria.

Dr. George Railey will kick-off this annual event starting at 12 noon with the recognition of Chabot’s permanent classified professionals, faculty, and administrators who will be celebrating an employee anniversary (in 2011). In increments of five years starting with five years through thirty-five years, a special certificate of appreciation commemorating Chabot’s 50th anniversary will be awarded to 67 members of our staff.

This annual college luncheon was started in August 2001 by former Interim President Dr. Allan Kurki when Chabot was celebrating its 40th anniversary. In addition, this luncheon also recognizes the efforts of all of Chabot’s dedicated and hardworking staff, faculty, and administration as well. More information, including a list of this year’s staff that will be recognized, will be available soon.
STUDENT HEALTH CENTER REPORT

November 2011

Total days of operation: 18 days.
Total patients seen: 929 patients.
Number of patients seen by Nurse Practitioner: 462.
Number of patients seen by Medical Assistant: 91.
Number of walk-ins: 210.
Average student per day: 51.

EVENTS

▪ Smoke-Out Campaign and American Diabetes Month (November 17th).

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

▪ World AIDS Day and HIV Awareness Month (December 1st).

▪ Continue with Flu Awareness Campaign.
▪ Health and Wellness Center Newsletter/Health Talk Seminar (pending).
▪ TB Screening & Immunization Update.
▪ Continue collaboration with the Counseling Office, Campus Safety, and Office of Student Services regarding Crisis Intervention Response Team Committee.

CAMPUS COMMITTEES

▪ Health and Safety Co-Chair.
▪ Student Services Council.
▪ Mental Health Services Advisor.
▪ Mental Assistant Program Advisor.
▪ Member of District Emergency Respond Team/Pandemic Awareness.

CHABOT TO HOST EDUCATION DAY

On Friday, January 20th, Chabot College will host 16 students participating in this year’s Leadership San Leandro, a program operated by the San Leandro Chamber of Commerce. These 16 students represent an array of private and public organizations located in the San Leandro area, as well as residents of San Leandro.

Our guests will be welcomed on Friday morning by Dr. George Railey and Mrs. Isobel Dvorsky. These students will be learning more about Chabot College’s programs and services. Various leaders from local school districts and colleges will also be guest speaking and talking about their respective organizations. In the afternoon, our guests will be taking a tour of the Eden ROP and then returning to Chabot for a campus tour. Some of Chabot’s staff have participated in the Leadership San Leandro program, as well as the Leadership Hayward program.

Leadership San Leandro, a ten-month program, was established in 1994. The program is based on the belief that the City of San Leandro’s most valuable resource is its people. The program’s intent is to provide participants with vital community information along with reinforcing leadership skills. Many of the participants have sat on or are currently serving on local boards, commissions, community groups, and in elected positions, and this program helps to strengthen their knowledge of the various aspects of the private and public sectors within the San Leandro community.

Leadership San Leandro is under the direction of Jack Papazian, a Chabot College alum, and is coordinated by Carole Rinaldi.
CONSTRUCTION CORNER

Building 4000, Strength & Fitness Center is Occupied—Building 4000 is complete and being used for Spring Semester 2012 classes. The building houses varsity sports weight lifting on the first floor, and a fitness center on the second floor. The Physical Education Department is looking forward to using this great new building.

New Traffic Signal—A new traffic signal has been erected on Hesperian Boulevard at the southern exit of Campus Drive. The poles and mast arms are up. Next comes conduit and wires to power and control the signals.

P.E. Complex Renovation is Progressing—The renovation to the existing P.E. Complex is well underway. Instructors have been temporarily relocated to the new Instructional Office Building while Building 2600 is being renovated. Areas of Building 2800 are also being emptied to prepare for construction activities.

Building 1200/ PAC Plaza is Under Construction—The Building 1200/PAC/SOTA Plaza Project is underway. The renovated building will house music performance spaces, practice rooms, and the Little Theater. A small addition will house a new recording studio. Removal of hazardous materials is currently underway.

Building 1800 is Also Under Construction—Heavy demolition continues in Building 1800. Concrete slabs and wood framing are being removed to accommodate the new Math and Science facility classrooms and labs. The site between the buildings has been designed in coordination with faculty to serve as an outdoor classroom with botanical specimens not located elsewhere on campus.

Building 300 is Occupied—Building 300 is complete and being used for Spring Semester 2012 classes. The building houses lecture classrooms, computer labs, and the Chabot College IT Department along with the campus servers.