

## THIS WEEK

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### "Hellenism and the Elements"

"Sea and the Sun" is one of the items on display in "Hellenism and the Elements," a collection of works by Mehri Yazdani. The free exhibit continues through April 25 in the University Library Gallery. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday.

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## Schloretdt and Gamboa receive NSCA All-American honors

The National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA) recently awarded Sacramento State's Jamie Schloretdt (softball) and Juan Gamboa (football) its annual All-American Strength and Conditioning Athlete of the Year award.

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### Bicycling

Bicycling is a great way to commute to the campus and get exercise at the same time. Sacramento State has a free bicycle parking compound at the foot of the Guy West Bridge. It is staffed by University Transportation and Parking Services student assistants from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m., Monday through Thursday and 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Fridays during the academic year. Additional bicycle racks are located throughout campus. Bicycle lockers are also available for rent for \$50 per semester (\$30 rental fee, \$20 refundable key deposit) through ASI Peak

Adventures at 278-6321.

To make the bike commute easier, Hornet Express shuttles and Sacramento Regional Transit buses are equipped with bicycle racks. Those interested in commuting with a "bike buddy" may visit [www.sacregion511.org](http://www.sacregion511.org) for a bicycle buddy match list.

Sacramento area bike routes, bike maps, bike safety tips, California Vehicle Code bicycle laws and other information regarding your Commute Choices to campus are available from Noel Carolipio, Employee Transportation Coordinator, at

[ncarolip@saclink.csus.edu](mailto:ncarolip@saclink.csus.edu) or extension 87527.

## Bulletin Staff



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## Sac State celebrates Earth Day

Sacramento State will celebrate Earth Day with a series of events in the Library Quad from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Wednesday, April 22.

Sponsors will offer a rock-climbing wall, door prizes including three Peak Adventure trips and a bicycle, trees from SMUD and live music from student-run radio station KSSU. Tote bags, organic fruit and water bottles will be available to the first 500 students at the event.

The University Union will feature a guest speaker discussing genetically modified foods, and a showing of the outdoors movie *A River Runs Through It*.

"This event may only take place one day a year, but it is important for us to remember that we need to nurture our planet every day," says Kathryn Kay, Associated Students Inc., vice president of Academic Affairs.

The celebration is a collaboration of ASI, the Art Department, the Environmental Student Association, the Field Biology Group, the Recycling Committee, KSSU and the Natural Foods Co-op.

## STEM lecture looks at the language of numbers

Rote memorization, mind-numbing drills and constant testing are reasons mathematics gets a bad name, according to Daniel Orey, Sacramento State professor of multicultural and mathematics education.

He'll explain how mathematics is fun and entertaining at the next Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) lecture 7 p.m., Tuesday, April 28, in the University Union's Redwood Room.

The connection between in-school mathematics and the outside world is weak at best for many people, according to Orey. "Children playing soccer, working at home with their parents or even mastering a video game are not only engaged in everyday life, but are experiencing mathematical success."

Orey is an expert on ethnomathematics, an area of mathematics that uses aspects of mathematical modeling to study the relationship between mathematics and culture.

"I have long been interested in how we can incorporate diverse mathematical practices and how they contribute toward the learning and celebration of our unique cultural differences."

## Annual Sacramento State budget report available online

The 2008-09 *Annual Report on Budget, Expenditures, and Financial Information* has been completed and is available online.

The report includes detailed financial information and explains how the campus uses its resources to ensure greater opportunities for students.

"The report reflects the tremendous work of several people across our campus. The University Budget Advisory Committee contributed significantly by identifying content and format elements. The data were compiled by the University's Budget Planning and Administration analysts," says University President Alexander Gonzalez.

The report is available as a PDF at [http://www.csus.edu/aba/budget/documents/ABABudgetReport\\_Final\\_tabs\\_cover\\_000.pdf](http://www.csus.edu/aba/budget/documents/ABABudgetReport_Final_tabs_cover_000.pdf). To reduce costs, a limited number of copies were printed and distributed to the Administrative Council members, the Faculty Senate Chair, the college deans, and to a small number of additional areas. Copies have also been delivered to the University Library for inclusion in its collection.

Contact the Budget Planning and Administration Office at 278-3909 if you have any questions about the *Annual Report*. The web site is <http://www.csus.edu/aba/budget>.

"We hope you will take the time to get familiar with this report and the information it provides. Thank you for your time and consideration," Gonzalez says.

## **Sacramento State workshop wrestles with conflict issues**

Registration is underway for Sacramento State's 14th annual Conflict Resolution Workshop 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., June 15-19, on campus.

The workshop is sponsored by Sacramento State's Center for Health and Human Services Research and the Center for African Peace and Conflict Resolution. The workshop provides training in negotiation and mediation techniques as well as conflict theories, practices and mediation.

Workshop trainers include Ernest Uwazie, criminal justice professor and director for the University's Center of African Peace and Conflict Resolution; and attorney Daniel Yamshon, who specializes in arbitration and mediation.

The workshop, which features short lectures, role-playing and other exercises, is designed for people involved in community organizations, non-governmental organizations, public and private agencies, business, human rights assistance, professional and trade unions and education.

The registration fee is \$550 and includes a course manual and materials, plus two lunches. To register, visit <http://www.csus.edu/org/capcr/events/newevents/ConflictResolution-2009.htm>.

For more information on the workshop, contact Uwazie at 278-6282 or e-mail [uwazieeee@csus.edu](mailto:uwazieeee@csus.edu). For information on the Center for African Peace and Conflict Resolution, visit <http://www.csus.edu/org/capcr/aboutcapcr.htm>.

## **Outstanding Teachers**

Sacramento State's Faculty Senate presents its Outstanding Teaching, University Service and Community Service Awards, 3-5 p.m., Tuesday, April 28, in the University Ballroom I, University Union.

This year's recipients are:

### ***Outstanding Teaching***

#### **Michelle Felten**

Department of Theatre and Dance  
College of Arts and Letters

#### **Hakan Ozcelik**

Management Area  
College of Business Administration

#### **Porfirio Loeza**

Department of Teacher Education  
College of Education

#### **Turan Gonen**

Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering  
College of Engineering and Computer Science

**Debra Brady**

Division of Nursing  
College of Health and Human Services

**Linda Roberts**

Department of Chemistry  
College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics

**Julie Figueroa**

Department of Ethnic Studies  
College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies

***Outstanding University Service Awards***

**Kimberly Gordon Biddle**

Department of Child Development  
College of Education

**Jose Granda**

Department of Mechanical Engineering  
College of Engineering and Computer Science

**Joan Neide**

Department of Kinesiology and Health Science  
College of Health and Human Services

**Mary McCarthy Hintz**

Department of Chemistry  
College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics

**Kristin Van Gaasbeck**

Department of Economics  
College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies

***Outstanding Community Service Awards***

**David Rolloff**

Department of Recreation, Parks and Tourism Administration  
College of Health and Human Services

**Robin Datel**

Department of Geography  
College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics

***Lifetime Achievement Award for Community Service***

**Clifford Anderson**

Department of Philosophy  
College of Arts and Letters

**Campus engineering club holds car show**

Sacramento State will be a showcase for classic vehicles, hot rods, show cars and motorcycles Saturday, May 2, when University engineering students hold their first car show.

The students are from the College of Engineering and Computer Science's Hornet Racing Club. The event is a fundraiser to support a Formula SAE car they build and race at a collegiate competition sponsored annually by the Society of American Engineers.

The car show runs from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., in Parking Lot 8 near the Alumni Center. The event is free to spectators and open to the public. The entry fee for vehicles competing in the show is \$15 per vehicle. Prizes will be awarded to the top vehicles in various categories. To enter or for more information, send name and vehicle description to [formula@ecs.csus.edu](mailto:formula@ecs.csus.edu) or call Mike Bell at (916) 432-0741.

### **Food drive brings hope to homeless**

Spring break provided a bountiful harvest for organizers of a Sacramento State food drive April 3-10. With tent cities for the homeless as their inspiration, students and other supporters collected about 7,500 pounds of canned goods and other non-perishable items.

The U-Can Food Drive initially started out as a campus effort, organized by the University's Rotaract club in partnership with the Jewish Federation of the Sacramento Region. It soon grew to encompass other community groups such as Loaves and Fishes and the Sacramento Food Bank and Family Services.

"We wanted to get everyone involved," says Joseph Ross, a Sacramento State senior and member of The Rotaract club.

He and senior Michael Buniak came up with the idea of having a canned food drive. They were joined by another student, Paul Dickey, who had the same idea but suggested targeting efforts to specifically help homeless families living in tent cities that have sprung up in recent months around the Sacramento area.

The effort received great support from the University and beyond, Ross says, adding that a mass e-mailing by President Alexander Gonzalez helped publicize the project.

Collected food was given to Loaves and Fishes and the Food Bank for distribution to the area's homeless and families on the brink of homelessness, Ross says.

### **Forum lets Boomers voice their opinions about changing times**

Baby Boomers, the largest generation in American history, are reaching seniority and facing retirement. What that means for America, the Boomers and the generation that follows will be discussed noon-1:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 28, in Sacramento State's Hinde Auditorium, University Union.

Will Tift from the Area 4 Agency on Aging will present "From TV to Twitter & Beyond: Boomers Speak Out." The forum examines the needs of the 76 million people born between 1946-1964 and their impact on the future. It will also look at how they will be marketed to, their life expectancy, who will care for them and who will pay for it.

The presentation features a panel of five Boomers describing their childhoods during the postwar economic expansion of the 1950s-1960s and the rise of the middle class, the stress of the Cold War, the introduction of television, rock-and-roll, rhythm and blues and youth culture.

The public is invited, and a question-and-answer period follows until 2 p.m.

The event is co-sponsored by the Sacramento State Gerontology Program and Sigma Phi Omega National Honor and Professional Society.

For further information, visit [www.csus.edu/gero](http://www.csus.edu/gero) or call Laurel Sunderman at 278-7163 or e-mail her at [sunderman@csus.edu](mailto:sunderman@csus.edu).

## Campus hosts reception for retiring members

University President Alexander Gonzalez and senior administrative staff will hosts a reception honoring retiring University employees from 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday, May 4 in the University Center Restaurant. The campus community is invited to attend the event. Those interested in attending should call the RSVP line at 278-4040.

<b>Faculty</b>	<b>Sacramento State Department</b>	<b>Years</b>
Apker, Wesley	Educational Leadership and Policy Studies	11
Dovan, Hieu	Psychological Counseling Services	1
Drumwright, Bonnie	Psychology	14
Folk-Williams, John	Center for Collaborative Policy	6
Hamlen, Heidi	Biological Sciences	4
Howton, Bernita	English	27
Judd, Judithann	Child Development	14
Kim, Kathryn	Nursing	3
Lockhart, Earlene	Teacher Education	11
Navarro, Sandra	Anthropology	12
Pelton, Joy	Teacher Education	11
Smith, Timothy	Music	1
Treganza, Donald	Mechanical Engineering	13
Zoller, Kendall	Teacher Education	9
<b>To FERP</b>	<b>Sacramento State Department</b>	<b>Years</b>
Alexander, Elaine	Mathematics/Statistics	35
Barrick, Stanley	Learning Skills Center	19
Cheong-Siat-Moy, Francois	Civil Engineering	29
Christo, L. Catherine	Special Education, Rehabilitation and School Psychology and Deaf Studies	17
Cooley, Leslie	Special Education, Rehabilitation and School Psychology and Deaf Studies	13
Dworkin, Joan	Social Work	14
Leezer, Roger	Mathematics/Statistics	41
Marinoble, Rita	Counselor Education	15
McKee, Susie	Learning Skills Center	25
Moore, Kathleen	Foreign Languages	21

Phelps, James	Physics and Astronomy	26
Robinson, Lewis	Foreign Languages	21
Summers, Mary	Nursing	31
Willett, Jayne	Kinesiology and Health Science	25
<b>Off FERP</b>	<b>Sacramento State Department</b>	<b>Years</b>
Addicot, John	Speech Pathology and Audiology	35
Bierne, Jr., Thomas	Business Administration	32
Craft, George	History	39
Crain, Jay	Anthropology	42
Hagopian, Charles	Mathematics/Statistics	40
Low, Janie	Teacher Education	26
Ngo, Thinh	Mechanical Engineering	31
Roberts, Charles	History	39
<b>Staff and MPP</b>	<b>Sacramento State Department</b>	<b>Years</b>
Almeda, Roy	Facilities Services	40
Armstrong, Jill	Human Resources	9
Barnett, Kenneth	Public Safety	29
Bourne, Richard Gregory	Center for Collaborative Policy	5
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## Faculty Senate

### **Monday, April 20**

2-3:30 p.m. - Committee on Diversity and Equity (CODE) – California Suite, University Union

3-4:30 p.m. – General Education/Graduation Requirement Policies Committee (GE/GRPC), Sacramento Hall 275

### **Tuesday, April 21**

1:30-2:50 p.m. – Curriculum Policies Committee (CPC) – Sacramento Hall 275

3-5 p.m. – University ARTP (UARTP) – Summit Room, University Union

3-5 p.m. – Executive Committee – Sacramento Hall 275

### **Wednesday, April 22**

9-10 a.m. - Writing and Reading Subcommittee (CPC) – Camellia Room, University Union

3-4:30 p.m. – General Education Course Review Subcommittee (GE/GRPC) – Sacramento Hall 275

## **Thursday, April 23**

8:30-10 a.m. – Graduate Studies Policy Committee (GSPC) – Sacramento Hall 275

3-5 p.m. – Faculty Senate – Foothill Suite, University Union

## **Friday, April 24**

1-2 p.m. – Academic Information Technology Committee (AITC) – Sacramento Hall 275

TENTATIVE - 2-3:30 p.m. - Academic Policies Committee (APC) – Sacramento Hall 275

## **Professional Activities**

### **Scholarship**

**Darryl O. Freeman**, Government, presented a paper at the Southwestern Political Science Association annual meeting in Denver, Colo. The panel discussed the "Holy (or Unholy) Alliance: Religious Individuals and Political Institutions." Freeman also chaired a panel discussing "Religion and Political Behavior from a Comparative Perspective."

**Otis Scott**, Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies, contributed a chapter to the recently published book, *Ethnic Studies Research*, edited by **Tim Fong**, director of Asian American Studies. Scott's paper on public school resegregation and the 14th amendment was presented to a plenary session at the recent meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists.

**Smile Dube**, Economics, has a paper titled, "Foreign Direct Investment and Electricity Consumption on Economic Growth: Evidence from South Africa," forthcoming in *Economia Internazionale (International Economics)*.

### **Campus Announcements**

#### **KVIE spotlights Sac State artists**

Sacramento State art students will be featured on KVIE Channel 6 on *Arts Alive: Student Artists*, at 7 p.m., Wednesday, April 22; 4 p.m., Friday, April 24; and 6 p.m., Sunday, April 26.

The episode looks at photography majors who discovered a common passion for the medium after taking a documentary photography course.

The program is part of the *ViewFinder* series, funded in part by the Sacramento Cultural Arts Program of the Sacramento Metropolitan Arts Commission with support from the city and county of Sacramento and is underwritten by AT&T and SAFE Credit Union.

*Submitted by Public Affairs*

#### **Road delineators installed**

Road delineators have been installed on State University Drive East by Capital Public Radio in order to prevent drivers from making illegal left turns into the CPR parking lot.

Additional delineators will be installed on State University Drive East to prevent illegal left turns into Student Lot 7.

The delineators are similar to those installed on State University Drive South near Napa Hall. Since those delineators were installed, there have been no accidents in that area.

For more information, contact Public Safety at (916) 278-6851.

*Submitted by Public Safety*

## **USA nominations**

The University Staff Assembly is seeking nominations for election and appointment to several campus committees. The positions and associated web pages are:

USA Executive Board (president) - Term ends 2011

<http://www.csus.edu/usa/about.htm>

USA Executive Board (secretary) – Term ends 2011

<http://www.csus.edu/usa/about.htm>

Academic Policies Committee – Term Ends 2011

<http://www.csus.edu/acse/apc/charge.htm>

Academic Standards Subcommittee – Term Ends 2011

[http://www.csus.edu/acse/chrg\\_Acstandards.htm](http://www.csus.edu/acse/chrg_Acstandards.htm)

Alumni Association - Term ends 2010

<http://www.sacstatealumni.com/>.

Associated Students Inc., Audit Committee - Term ends 2010

Children's Center Parent Advisory Board – Term ends 2010

[www.csus.edu/umannual/AssociatedStudentsChildrensCenterAdvisoryCouncil.htm](http://www.csus.edu/umannual/AssociatedStudentsChildrensCenterAdvisoryCouncil.htm)

Committee for Diversity and Equality – Term ends 2011

[www.csus.edu/acse/chrg-CODE.htm](http://www.csus.edu/acse/chrg-CODE.htm)

Curriculum Policies Committee - Term ends 2011

[www.csus.edu/acse/cpc](http://www.csus.edu/acse/cpc)

Faculty Policies Committee – Term ends 2011

[www.csus.edu/acse/fpc/index.htm](http://www.csus.edu/acse/fpc/index.htm)

GE/Graduation Policies Committee – Term ends 2011 (1 staff position)

<http://www.csus.edu/acse/gep/charge.htm>

Lifetime Achievement Award Selection Committee – Term ends 2011

University Sustainability Committee – Term Ends 2010 (1 staff position)

[http://www.csus.edu/acse/archive/0809/fsa09\\_feb\\_19\\_B.htm](http://www.csus.edu/acse/archive/0809/fsa09_feb_19_B.htm)

To nominate someone or yourself, submit a name, phone number, department, e-mail address, committee name and a brief explanation of interest in the committee or executive board to [Cossette@csus.edu](mailto:Cossette@csus.edu). For nomination details visit <http://www.csus.edu/usa>.

## **WAC retreat**

Writing Across the Curriculum invites full and part-time instructors to attend a free one-day retreat focused on teaching reading and writing skills 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday, Aug. 24, in the Alumni Center. Topics include designing reading and writing assignments, sequencing assignments, teaching reading and writing as a process and peer response. Breakfast and lunch will be served. RSVP to Dan Melzer at [melzer@csus.edu](mailto:melzer@csus.edu) or call 278-6925.

*Submitted by the English Department*

## **Project Administration Essentials Workshop**

Research Administration and Contract Administration will offer a workshop on University Enterprises, Inc. processes related to the administration of externally funded projects 9-11 a.m., Wednesday, April 22, in the Hornet Bookstore Building Boardroom (suite 3010).

The workshop will be of interest to principal investigators and project administrators responsible for daily project/account administration. Topics covered will include personnel hiring, payroll and expenditure processing, obtaining reimbursements, travel regulations, running real-time financial reports and tracking project deliverables. To reserve a seat, register online at <http://www.csus.edu/research/registration/workshops.htm>.

*Submitted by Research Administration*

### **Life in the FastLane**

Research Administration will hold a FastLane demonstration 9-10 a.m., Thursday, April 23, in the Hornet Bookstore Boardroom (suite 3010).

FastLane is the interactive, web-based system used for the submission of grant proposals and project reports to the National Science Foundation. This workshop is designed for those who are new to FastLane and will demonstrate the steps to preparing and submitting a proposal through the system. Participants will also be registered to use FastLane.

*Submitted by Research Administration*

### **Serna Center director**

Nadeen Ruiz, a faculty member with the Department of Bilingual and Multicultural Education in the College of Education, has been appointed as the director of the Serna Center beginning in the fall.

Professor Ruiz has been a member of the Sacramento State faculty since 1992 and recently served as her department chair. She has also served as the director of the Cross Cultural Resource Center. While on leave at Stanford University from 2003-2005, she founded and directed Stanford's Elementary Education Program.

Her numerous publications in her research areas have earned her national and international recognition as an authoritative voice in bilingual and multicultural education.

*Submitted by the College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies*

### **Multicultural event**

Epsilon Sigma Rho Fraternity Inc., UNIQUE Programs and Associated Students, Inc., will sponsor the Sixth annual Multicultural Night 7-9 p.m., Thursday, April 30, in the University Union Ballroom.

There will be entertainment, performances and activities. It is free and open to the campus community.

*Submitted by Epsilon Sigma Rho Fraternity Inc.*

### **Food drive results**

Sacramento State donated an equivalent of 7,610 lbs worth of food for the needy in the Sacramento region during the 2008 State Employees Food Drive held at the end of 2008 and the beginning of 2009.

The food drive, carried out by staff employees in University Transportation and Parking Services, included monetary donations of \$2,312.

*Submitted by University Transportation and Parking Services*

### **New hours**

Beginning Monday, April 27, the offices of Staff Employment, Classification and Compensation and Training and Development will be open to the public 8 a.m.–3 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. The offices are located in Sacramento Hall, room 173. The lobby office in room 173 will remain open for mail drop off and pick up 3-5 p.m.

Employees who need to conduct business with those offices between 3 and 5 p.m., can contact staff members by telephone, e-mail or by appointment. Questions regarding this schedule should be directed to Elizabeth Redmond, interim associate vice president for Human Resources, at 278-4488.

*Submitted by Human Resources*

### **Global money crisis**

L. Randall Wray, a professor of economics at the University of Missouri, Kansas City, and a senior scholar at the Levy Economics Institute, will discuss the global financial crisis 2 p.m., Thursday, April 23, in the University Union's Orchard Suite.

His lecture links the crisis to the long-term transformation of the economy from a robust financial structure in the 1950s to the fragile one that existed at the beginning of this crisis.

The lecture is free and open to the public.

*Submitted by the Economics Department*

### **Anthropology Museum**

The Anthropology Museum will host a reception for the exhibit, "American Indian Histories: Art, Object, Text" noon-2 p.m., Friday, April 17 in Mendocino Hall, room 1000. Light refreshments will be served. The exhibit is open noon-3 p.m., Tuesdays-Fridays through Wednesday, April 29. It is free and open to the public.

*Submitted by the Anthropology Museum*

### **Author visits campus**

California Lectures, in partnership with the English Department and the Community Engagement Center, presents an afternoon with author Andrew Sean Greer, 1 p.m., April 20, in the University Union. A lecture preview with English professor Sheree Meyer is at 12:30 p.m. Books will be available for purchase and a book signing will occur after the lecture.

Greer is the author of a number of bestselling novels, including "The Path of Minor Planets," "How It Was for Me," and "The Confessions of Max Tivoli." Greer's stories have been anthologized and have appeared in *Esquire*, *The Paris Review*, *The New Yorker*, and other national publications.

For program information, call (916) 737-1300. Free parking is available in Lot 10 For a campus map visit [www.csus.edu/utaps](http://www.csus.edu/utaps)

*Submitted by the English Department*

### **Sac State Night at the River Cats**

Tickets are available for the third annual Sac State Night at the River Cats Thursday, May 7, when the Pacific Coast League Champion River Cats take on the Reno Aces.

Tickets are on sale at the Recreational Sports Office located on the first floor of the University Union. Tickets are \$7 each, or \$5 each in groups of 10 or more.

For information, call the Recreational Sports Office at 278-4111.

*Submitted by the Recreational Sports Office*

## **Human Resources**

### **Catastrophic leave donation program**

Sacramento State employees may voluntarily donate to other employees up to a maximum of 40 hours of sick or vacation leave credits in one-hour increments each fiscal year. Bargaining Units 1, 8, 10 and 11 may only donate up to 16 hours per fiscal year. If employees are interested in donating time, a donation form can be obtained at [www.csus.edu/hr/forms.htm#Disability](http://www.csus.edu/hr/forms.htm#Disability), or by visiting the Human Resources Disability Leaves office in Sacramento Hall 162, or by calling 278-3522.

The following employees have been approved for the Catastrophic Leave Donation Program:

Janelle Robinette, Nursing

Julie Bradley, Math Department

Wandarah Anderson, Division of Social Work

Michael Wilson, Economics

Misty Sisneros, Community Engagement Center

## Alumni Profile: Cary Kelly, '88

Sac State has produced a number of characters in its time but perhaps none like Cary Kelly.

Kelly, who received her teaching and library credentials from the University in the 1980s, is the lower school librarian at Sacramento Country Day School. She's also Scarecrow Clod Strawbottom, Lady Beatrice Teaselpaw, the Cat in the Hat and a number of other characters inspired by the many books on her shelves. Kelly has a closet full of costumes, props and stage makeup at her disposal to help her transformations. Her goal is to inspire her students to love reading, learning and the library.

"When I become a character," Kelly says, "the students are totally engaged. The youngest are wide-eyed and giggling, thinking that they are so clever to have guessed it is Mrs. Kelly under the wig. In their minds, it is permission to be creative, theatrical and a little wild and crazy. The learning takes on a new dimension."

Kelly grew up in Fresno but graduated with a master's in fine arts degree from the University of Utah. Her interest was in dance, not library science, and after graduation, she danced professionally with Ballet West in Salt Lake City for 10 years. The love of dance came naturally for the niece of Deane and Barbara Crockett, who founded the Sacramento Ballet in the mid-50s.

Kelly moved back to Sacramento in 1975 and danced with the Sacramento Ballet for a season. She also taught part time at Sac State and decided that teaching was something she wanted to do full-time. In 1985, she enrolled in the teacher credentialing program on campus.

Kelly earned her credentials over the span of three years, coming one night a week. "I came on campus mostly in the evenings and had a wonderful experience," she says. "It was classes, coffee, and conversations about books, curriculum and kids. I met such outstanding colleagues. We still keep in touch and network."

After receiving her credentials, she began working at Sacramento Country Day School as a sixth-grade teacher and in 2000 became the librarian.

Kelly says she was blessed to have had the opportunity to dance professionally. However, she says, "Being a librarian is the world's best job and every bit as exhilarating and rewarding as dancing."

## This Week in Hornet Action

### Baseball

Friday, April 24

Sacramento State vs. Louisiana Tech, 2 p.m.

Saturday, April 25

Sacramento State vs. Louisiana Tech, 1 p.m.

Sunday, April 26

Sacramento State vs. Louisiana Tech, 1 p.m.

### Softball

Saturday, April 25

Sacramento State at Loyola Marymount, noon

Sunday, April 26

Sacramento State vs. Loyola Marymount, noon

**Outdoor track**

Friday, April 24-Saturday, April 25

Sacramento State at the Brutus Hamilton Tournament, Berkeley, Calif.

**Women's tennis**

Friday, April 24-Sunday, April 26

Sacramento State at the Big Sky Tournament (Gold River Racquet Club) TBA

**Men's tennis**

Thursday, April 23

Sacramento State vs. Montana State, Rio Del Oro Racquet Club, 1 p.m.

Friday, April 24-Sunday, April 26

Sacramento State at the Big Sky Tournament, Gold River Racquet Club, TBA

**Men's golf**

Friday, April 24-Saturday, April 25

Sacramento State at the PING Cougar Classic, Provo, Utah

**Women's golf**

Monday, April 20-Wednesday, April 22

Sacramento State at the Big Sky Championships, Chandler, Ariz.

**Rowing**

Saturday, April 18 and Sunday, April 19

Sacramento State vs. UC Davis, Lake Natoma, 8 a.m.