Hornet Homecoming Week will be buzzing with events

CSUS is gearing up for a Homecoming Week filled with fun activities Tuesday, Oct. 15 through Saturday, Oct. 19, when the Hornets take on Portland State at 1 p.m. at Hornet Stadium. The week will have a blast-from-the-past, 1950s theme. Among the CSUS Alumni Association events at the Steven Lee Yamshon Alumni Center will be a classic car display and traditional rock 'n' roll sock hop with live music from the 1950s.

Noontime events in the library quad will include a barbeque, live music with a local band, spirit rally and campus photo. The schedule of events is as follows:

Tuesday, Oct. 15
• Alumnus Ken Macias will speak on “Restoring Trust: Ethics in Business” at the Alumni Breakfast Club at 7:30 a.m. in the Yamshon Alumni Center. The campus community is invited. Admission is free and breakfast will be served. For reservations, call 278-4899.

Wednesday, Oct. 16
• Class of ’52 “Golden Grads” reunion luncheon from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Yamshon Alumni Center. $25 per person. For more information, contact Linda Scott at 278-4899 or scottl@csus.edu.
• Barbecue with live music in the library quad from noon to 1 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 17
• Open house at the Yamshon Alumni Center

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Donations from alumni, employees on the rise

Increasingly large numbers of CSUS graduates and employees provided private support to the University last year, highlighting a year that saw an estimated $8.9 million in gifts and special revenues, according to the annual report on external funding submitted to the CSU Chancellor’s Office last week.

In addition, CSUS generated $71 million in grants and contracts.

Outside funding is increasingly important to the University, especially as the state struggles with budget troubles. As the mantra throughout the CSU system goes: “CSU campuses are now state-supported rather than state-funded institutions.”

“Taxpayers provide funding for California public colleges and universities, but we need increasing amounts of outside funding to remain on the cutting edge of our academic programs,” says Robert Jones, CSUS vice president for university affairs. “Resource development from non-state sources will continue to be central to the University’s capacity to serve its students, and through them, the Capital Region more generally.”

The CSUS report shows that gifts from alumni increased 30 percent last year. Gifts from the campus community, meanwhile, increased 60 percent with 270 faculty, staff and emeriti providing support to academic departments, scholarships and general university programs.

Among the corporations providing gifts of both cash and in-kind support were SBC Pacific

CSUS has experienced unprecedented enrollment growth over the past few years.

To serve these students and to invest in their future, the future of the University and to accommodate growth, CSUS has undertaken many steps. These include a significant building program, scheduling year-round classes, extending days and hours of operation, and offering long distance education and offsite programs as well as offering alternative methods of instruction such as televised and online computer classes.

Nonetheless, regional demographics indicate the need to build out the current campus master plan to accommodate predicted growth over the next few years. If the University does not build out all excess current capacity in five years.

This Election Day, Nov. 5, California voters will be presented with Prop. 47, a $13 billion education bond measure that includes funds for construction within all segments of public education from kindergarden to high school.
The CSUS Bulletin welcomes submissions to the Professional Activities Section from faculty, administrative staff, and students. All stories are run on a space available basis. They should be no longer than 75 words and may be submitted to bulletin@csus.edu or faxed to 278-5290.

DAVID MADDEN, English, has been awarded a California Arts Council Individual Artist Grant for Poetry. Her piece “One” has been translated into French and Vietnamese for publication this fall.

ROSEMARY PAPALEVIS, education and administration policy, has an article on “Revisiting the 1999 Cocking Lecture: Asynchronous Partners” published in the fall 2002 Educational Leadership Review Journal. The article dealt with higher education teaching using technology.

DOMAN LUM, social work, had the second edition of his book Culturally Competent Practice: A Foundations for Understanding Diverse Groups and Justice Issues published by Brooks/Cole last summer. Two other social work professors, ANDREW BEIN and FRANCIS YUEN, joined Lum in co-authoring a chapter for the book on qualitative research.

Air Force officers in Air Force field training camps over the summer. Other distinguished achievements at camps this summer were made by students ADAM KRAFT, DAVD NOWOTENSKI, BRIAN TETER and COREY VOORHEES, who were Distinguished Graduates in technology.

in the news

AMY LUI, sociology, was interviewed for the half-hour public affairs show on 100.3 FM on Sept. 29. She talked about her annual survey of public opinion and quality of life in the Sacramento region.

MATTHEW NEWMAN, California Institute for County Government, was quoted in a July 26 Sacramento Bee article on the regional impacts of the national economic downturn. He was also quoted on KFBK and KJXZ on July 25 on the same topic.

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from 4 to 7 p.m. The campus community is invited for ice cream sundaes and root beer floats.

Campus photo at 12:30 p.m., CSUS marching band and a new fire alarm system will be added. This is the second phase of a three-part effort to address these infrastructure deficiencies.

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For additional information, visit www.laos.ca.gov, www.usa.ca.gov or www.calstate.edu.

through university. Since the 1980s the Leg- islature has charged that construction projects and major renovations at California public universities and colleges need to be financed by voter approved general obligation bond issues. The November bond measure is one of two measures approved by the Legislature to go before the voters. The second will be on the March 2004 ballot and if passed would provide for three additional buildings at CSUS.

For a bond to qualify for the ballot, the Legislature must approve it by a two-thirds vote and the governor must sign it. The bond funds would be divided four ways by a predate-termined formula to provide for new construction and a backlog of renovation and repair projects.

For the November bond measure, CSUS has $20.6 million of projects awaiting funding on the CSU statewide approved list. The measure pass, the first project currently on that list is $18.6 million to upgrade deteriorating infra- structure, such as the original sewer pipes, which were not designed to handle so many buildings and students. It will also provide for changing aged and inefficient heating and air conditioning units. Some wiring and a new fire alarm system will be added. This is the second phase of a three-part effort to address these infrastructure
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Alumni events top Homecoming Week activities

Gallery features alumni presidents

Established in 1950, the Alumni Association’s leadership from former graduates of the University has raised more than $1 million in funds for scholarships and awards. The Social Studies Building and the Alumni Center building.

Tickets are $25 per person and proceeds benefit the CSUS Alumni Association Scholarship Fund. For tickets, contact 278-6295 by Oct. 10.

2002 Alumni Honors recipients

John Abl, Electrical and Electronic Engineering
Sonia Agga Begert, English
Dianne Benner, Chemistry
Lou Blanas, Criminal Justice
Despina Costopoulos, Child Development
Liz Fenkell, Ethnic Studies
David Ferguson, Computer Science
Lance First, Accountancy
Eugene Gin, Government
Sharon Gower, Teacher Education
Candace Hayes, Special Education, Rehabilitation and School Psychology
Becky Houghob, Theatre and Dance
Robert Hubbell, Speech Pathology and Audiology
Ann Leu, Biological Sciences
James Mar, Counselor Education
Nathanial Martin, Mechanical Engineering
Terry Murphy, Civil Engineering
Judy Quatrinn, Recreation and Leisure Studies
Carol Reed, Construction Management
Jamie Rogers Brown, Economics

Jessica Smith, Environmental Studies
Scott Stevens, Music
John Tonge, Physics and Astronomy
Vinh Truong, Management Information Science
Ray Tufts, Kinesiology and Health Science
Patrick Turner, Geography

Carla Vasquez, Management
Diane Welch, Nursing
Lee Yang, Educational Leadership and Policy Studies
Karen Yeherton Zamarripa, Public Policy Administration
Tanya Zaccone, Foreign Languages
Lisa Zaffran, Geology

Luncheon honors accomplishments

CSUS will once again honor a group of alumni at the annual Alumni Honors Luncheon.

Academic departments from across campus nominated alumni for their accomplishments and contributions in their fields. This year, 33 alumni will be honored. The complete list can be found below.

The Honors Luncheon will be noon to 1:30 p.m., Friday, Oct. 18 in the Steven Lee Yamshon Alumni Center.

Tickets are $25 per person by reservation only and can be purchased by calling the alumni office at 278-6295.

NUMEROUS NOMINATIONS

Nominations are being taken for a number of faculty awards. They include the campus-based Outstanding Teaching Award and Outstanding Service Awards, as well as the CSU system-wide Wang Family Excellence Award.

Outstanding Teaching Awards recognize one faculty member from each of the seven Colleges for their teaching. Full-time and part-time faculty members are eligible. Nominations are due in the dean's office of the nominee's College by Friday, Dec. 6.

Outstanding Service Awards recognize one faculty member from each of the seven Colleges, and one non-instructional faculty member, for their service to the University. Full-time and part-time faculty members are eligible. Nominations are due in the dean's office of the nominee's College by or to the library dean, vice president for student affairs or athletics director, by Friday, Dec. 6.

Wang Family Excellence Awards recognize four faculty members and one administrator from each of the CSU system. It includes a $20,000 award. Nominations are due by 4 p.m., Monday, Nov. 4 in the Faculty Senate Office. Details on all the awards: 278-6595.

MONEY MATTERS

The annual fall budget briefing will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, Oct. 18 in the University Theatre, Shasta Hall 113. All members of the campus community are invited to attend. Details: 278-6312.

CLERY ACT INFORMATION AVAILABLE

In compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act, CSUS has made crime statistics available online at www.csus.edu/police/clairct.htm. Reported crimes that occurred on campus, in certain off-campus buildings or property owned or controlled by CSUS and on public property within, or immediately adjacent to and accessible from the campus, during the last three years are included.

The report also includes institutional policies concerning campus security, alcohol and drug use, crime prevention, the reporting of crimes, sexual assault and other safety matters. Print copies are available in the library, and by request form the Office of Public Safety and the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs.

LAST GO-ROUND

The English department has begun a lecture series called “The Last Go-Round,” which will feature soon-to-retire faculty.

The first event will feature Charles E. Nelson presenting a lecture titled “The Future of Literary Studies,” at 5 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 17 in the University Union Student Board Chambers.

The campus community is invited.

BREAKFAST CLUB LOOKS AT BUSINESS ETHICS

“Restoring the Trust: Ethics in Business” is the topic for this year’s series includes: “A Surviv- ers’ Tale” by Winnie Comstock, founder of Comstock’s Business magazine, on Tuesday, Dec. 10, “Sacramento and the Arts” with Jill Kaiser, executive director of the Metro Chamber of Commerce Business and Art Council on Tuesday, April 8; and “Planning for the Future” with Martin Turtle, executive director of the Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG) on Tuesday, May 13. Seating is limited. For reserva-

GRANT-WRITING

There will be a workshop on grant-writing and proposal development from 8:30 a.m. to noon, Saturday, Oct. 12 in the University Union Orchard Room.

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As part of its new “artist in residence” program, the Women’s Resource Center is seeking a diverse group of women to develop creative pieces to share with an audience during Women’s History Month in March. Experience is not necessary. Applications are available at the Center, which is located in the library. The deadline is Tuesday, Oct. 15. Details: 278-7388.

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SUNNY STRINGS

The University's Sun Quartet—a music ensemble celebrated for its craft throughout the region—will perform at 8 p.m., Friday, Oct. 18, in Capistrano Hall 155. Tickets for the event are $8 general admission and $5 for students and seniors.

The Sun Quartet members are all artists in residence at CSUS and include cellist Andrew Luchansky, violinist Anna Presler, violist Anna Kruger and violinists Ian Swensen and Anna Presta. At the concert the group will perform Haydn's beloved "Emperor Quartet," as well as the romantic masterpiece Brahms' Opus 51.

Swensen is one of very few musicians to have been awarded top prizes in both the International Violin Competition and the International Chamber Music Competition. Presler has taught at several universities including the Center for Chamber Music in New Hampshire and she has participated in music festivals around the world.

Krug is a founding member of the renowned Lark Quartet which has toured extensively for the past 10 years throughout the United States, Europe, Asia, Australia, New Zealand, Mexico, Canada and Russia. Luchansky earned his bachelor's in cello performance from the New England Conservatory of Music, his master's from New York State University and has studied chamber music with members of the Juliard Quartet.

Tickets for the concert are available at the CSUS Ticket Office at 278-4323.

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Bell, Intel, Hewlett Packard, Calgene, Agilent Technologies and Panasonic. Major support from foundations included gifts to the Charter Schools Development Center's projects, an endowment in Chicano studies and $400,000 for the Hydrogeologic Studies Lab.

Also last year, the University’s Call Center was completed and took responsibility for the annual fund campaigns of all seven Colleges. That effort led to more than $220,000 in pledges.

The $80 million in total external support represents about one-quarter of the institutional resource base for 2001-02, which was about $322 million. About $194 million—including about $42 million in student fees—was from the state's general fund.

Every CSU campus provides an external funding report to the Chancellor's Office each year at about this time.

The Chancellor's Office reviews the information provided by the campuses and typically makes minor adjustments. A combined CSU system report on external funding is then presented early the following year at a Board of Trustees’ meeting.

Tuesdays, Oct. 14

Postponed until Nov. 18.

“When Mountains Tremble,” lecture, 1992 Nobel Prize recipient Rigoberta Menchu Tum. Tickets $20 general/$10 CSUS students. Tickets at CSUS Ticket Office at (916) 278-4323 or at Tickets.com at (916) 766-2277.

Tuesdays, Oct. 15


CSUS Saxophone Quartets, concert, 8 p.m., Music Recital Hall in Capistrano Hall. (916) 278-5155.

Wednesday, Oct. 16

Symphonic rock concert, noon, Serna Plaza adjacent to the University Union. (916) 278-6997.

“Class of '52 Golden Grads Reunion,” Homecoming luncheon, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., Yamshon Alumni Center. Tickets $25 per person. (916) 278-4899.

Homecoming barbeque, live music, noon, Library Quad. (916) 278-6295.

Thursday, Oct. 17

The Laramie Project, drama by Moise Kaufman based on the murder of Matthew Shepard, 8 p.m., Playwrights' Theatre in Shasta Hall. Tickets $13 general/$8 students, seniors and alumni. Tickets at CSUS Ticket Office at (916) 278-4323 or at Tickets.com at (916) 766-2277. Continues Oct. 17, 19 - 20.

“Day of Percussion,” master classes, workshops, recitals, drum circles, lectures, panel discussions and more, all day beginning at 10 a.m., Capistrano Hall. (916) 278-5155.

“In Celebration of Our Cultures 2002,” dance performances, dinner, cultural entertainment, crafts fair and more, 5 -11:30 p.m., University Union Ballroom. Tickets $25 (916) 845-3029.

Sunday, Oct. 13

The Laramie Project, drama by Moise Kaufman based on the murder of Matthew Shepard, 2 p.m., Playwrights’ Theatre in Shasta Hall. Tickets $13 general/$8 students, seniors and alumni. Tickets at CSUS Ticket Office at (916) 278-4323 or at Tickets.com at (916) 766-2277. Continues Oct. 18 - 20.

Signs, movie, 7:30 p.m., University Union Ballroom. (916) 278-6997.

Homecoming Spirit Rally with CSUS Marching Band, 1:30 p.m., Library Quad. (916) 278-6295.

All meetings are in Sacramento Hall 275 unless otherwise noted.