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Hello Siskiyous and happy first day of December! Ya, that's right. It's December!

I hope all of you had a wonderful and well-deserved Thanksgiving Break!

This week's updates

- Enrollment Report: Can be accessed by visiting the Enrollment Report Webpage.
- Maintenance and Facilities Updates: Reed painting will be in the gym foyer this week. Areas impacted by the upcoming theater arts construction project will begin moving this week and next. Native Grounds will be here this week pruning the lab space next to the Science Building.
- **Strawberry Cart:** This Wednesday, Dec. 3, at the Weed and Yreka Campuses from 8:30a 10a (or while supplies last).
- The Geography of California Community College Enrollment: Course-Taking Trends in the Online Era: Tuesday Dec 9 from 12p 1p. A new research brief from Wheelhouse: The Center for Community College Leadership and Research explores this question by examining students' ties to their "home college": the campus where they primarily take classes. Despite widespread access to distance learning, researchers found that only 21% of enrollments are taken outside of a student's home campus. To register for this free webinar, click here.
- **Holiday Lunch!** Wed. Dec. 10 from 11a 1p. Stop by the Student Center to get a delicious (and complimentary) lunch!
- **Siskiyous Ugly Sweater Festivus Party:** Thurs. Dec. 11 from 4:30p 6:30p. Stop by the Mt. Shasta Brew Co for some complimentary drinks, appetizers, laughter and fun! Flyer attached. \$100 cash prize goes to the person wearing the ugliest sweater!
- Early Closure Tuesday Dec 23, 2025: The Weed and Yreka Campuses will close at 2p on Tue. Dec. 23 so that people can start preparing for the Holiday Break.
- Save the date: Spring 2026 Convocation: January 23, 2026 8:30a 11:30a at the Weed Recreation Center located at 161 E Lincoln Ave, Weed, CA 96094. Lunch served at the College of the Siskiyous Weed Campus from 12p 1p. Draft agenda is attached. Outlook invite forthcoming.



- American Association of University Women (AAUW) Silent Auction Fundraiser: AAUW is auctioning two, unique prototype tables at this weekend's Craft Fair! Visit us at the craft fair to submit your bid. 100% of proceeds go to AAUW-Siskyou Branch and assists with sending two Siskiyou County 7th graders to Tech Trek, a week-long STEM camp at UC Davis, as well as a \$1000 Student Scholarship for a COS Student transferring to a 4-year university.
- **Designing Gatherings That Matter: A Human-Centered Approach:** Tue. Dec. 9 from 11am 12:15a. In this 75 minute session we will embark on a journey through human-centered design to craft gatherings that captivate, inspire, and drive meaningful change. For more information and to register for this free webinar, click here.
- 2025 Women's Equity Empowerment Certificate Program: 100% Virtual 2025 Spring Cohort 3, 4 and 5 Due Date December 13th. The Women's Equity Empowerment Certificate Program led by Dr. Yasmin Davidds Leadership Institute in partnership with the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office, is a mission-driven women's leadership institute empowering innovative professionals with the skills, knowledge, and ability to emerge, succeed, and support each other globally. The program is delivered online in a synchronous format via Zoom. The Women's Equity Empowerment Certificate Program helps women employees across colleges gain the tools and confidence to empower themselves to support the college's goals through self-advocacy, personal agency, and equity. To learn more at the apply, click here.

Colleague of the Month!

Our Colleague for the Month of December is.....LYNNETTE WILCOX! Lynnette currently serves as one of our amazing Academic Coaches, the Vice President of the Classified Senate, an OER Workgroup member and a Classified Professional Representative of IPB. Fellow colleagues boast about Lynnette's student-first focused work ethic, in which she prioritizes student needs to tailor her feedback to their learning styles. Lynnette's work on various committees allows her to have a greater focus on how the circumstances of other parts of the college can affect how she assists our students. Lynnette CARES not just about her job and her colleagues, but also about the students of our college. Lynnette, you are very much appreciated. Thank you for everything you do on a daily basis! Congratulations! *Note: There will be no Colleague of the Month for the month of January. We will resume in February.



On Monday, Dec. 8, I will be attending an all-day meeting at Sierra College sponsored by the Campaign for College Opportunity & CCLC. I hope to send the All-College email on Tuesday, Dec. 9, 2025.

Thanks all and have a fantastic week!

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