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STUDENT EDITION

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## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

John C. Hernandez, PhD

Students:

IVC is proud to participate in the **I'm First-Gen College Student Celebration** on Tuesday, November 8. With incredible support from the Classified Senate, Guided Pathways, and the Office of Student Equity, this celebration is an opportunity to recognize the contributions of our first-generation students, as well as our first-generation faculty, staff, and administrators.

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November is Native American Heritage Month, a time dedicated to celebrating the diverse cultures, traditions, and histories of Native Americans, Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians, and the Island communities to ensure their rich histories and contributions continue to thrive with each passing generation.

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## Undocu Resource Fair

As part of [Undocumented Student Action Week](#), IVC's Office of Student Equity hosted a resource fair on October 18. In addition to the resource fair, a series of undocumented portraits were on display for attendees to learn about undocumented jobs, hobbies, and experiences living undocumented in our communities. [See Photos »](#)

## IVC Foundation Raises \$61,242 on Third Annual Giving Day

The IVC Foundation raised a record \$61,242 on the third annual [Giving Day](#) which will support IVC scholarships and programs. The one-day, online campaign took place on October 20 just before the 37th anniversary of the founding of IVC. This year, participants were invited to a Giving Day booth on the SSC lawn for treats, giveaways, photo opportunities, and more.

[See Photos »](#)

## ASIVC Halloween Celebration

The Associated Students of IVC (ASIVC) hosted a Halloween celebration on Monday, October 31 with music, pumpkin carving, trick-or-treating, and games!

[See Photos »](#)

## 11th Annual IVC/Saddleback Research Symposium

On October 29, the IVC and Saddleback Honors Programs hosted the 11th Annual [IVC/Saddleback Student Research Symposium](#). IVC and Saddleback students convened in person on the Saddleback College campus to share oral presentations and poster displays of their research in a range of disciplines. Of the 47 research projects, 36 were presented by IVC students. [Read More »](#)

## Women's Volleyball Team Takes Another Step Toward an OEC Title

IVC's women's volleyball team took another step toward an Orange Empire Conference title with a win at Cypress on October 28. The Lasers, ranked No. 9 in the state, swept their sixth opponent in a row. The team, which improved to 15-4 overall and 11-1 in the OEC, has a two-match lead over Santa Ana and Orange Coast in the standings. [Read More »](#)

## SOCCCD Chancellor Julianna Barnes Tours IVC

South Orange County Community College District (SOCCCD) [Chancellor Julianna Barnes](#) toured the IVC campus on October 26. The chancellor's tour included stops at the [Arts Village](#), the [Esports arena](#), [Food Resource Center](#), and newly renovated chemistry labs. [See Photos »](#)

## IVC and ATEP Polling Locations Open Saturday, November 5

IVC and ATEP will serve as polling locations for this year's general election. The

vote centers will be open to the public November 5 - 8 inside the IVC cafeteria and in IDEA 125 at ATEP. [See Hours »](#)

### **IVC Cafeteria Closed November 2 - 9**

Beginning Wednesday, November 2, the IVC Cafeteria will be closed for general use voting and will reopen on Thursday, November 10. The [Everytable](#) fresh vending machine and microwave have been moved to the stairwell left of the cafeteria's main interior entrance. This [temporary location](#) can be accessed through the exterior SSC entrance closest to Lot 9. See [vending machine map](#) for coffee, cold beverage, and snack vending machine locations.



### **TAKING THE TROPHY: SHOWCASING THE SUCCESS OF IVC'S SPORTS MEDICINE PATHWAY**

Whether on the court or in the classroom, students in the sports medicine pathway at Irvine Valley College are scoring when it comes to gaining skills. With a supportive team of faculty, and ample amounts of hands-on learning, these Lasers are gearing up for success at IVC and beyond. [Read More »](#)



## IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES

### Spring 2023 New & Returning Student Registration

[How to Register for Classes »](#)

[Class Schedule »](#)

### First-Gen College Student Celebration

Tuesday, November 8 | 11 am - 2 pm | SSC Quad

### Election Day

Tuesday, November 8

[IVC and ATEP Vote Centers »](#)

### College Fair

Wednesday, November 9 | 10 am - 1 pm | SSC Quad

### Veterans Day Commemoration

Thursday, November 10 | 11 am - 1 pm | SSC Quad

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