Hartnell receives $1 Million Award from the State

On Wednesday, July 18, 2018, we hosted a press conference announcing a $1 million award from the State of California via the office of Assemblymember Anna Caballero. This award will allow Hartnell to prepare a skilled workforce for employers in Monterey County and provide resources to support innovation and student learning in Agriculture Technology and Healthcare. Funds for this project will support acquiring the instructional equipment necessary to prepare students for the current agricultural and health care environments, both of which rely heavily on technology. Upgrading programs and equipment in on-campus classrooms will provide students an opportunity to learn the critical skills necessary for rapid change in both industries. The event featured remarks by Aurelio Salazar, Jr., the Vice President of the Hartnell College Board of Trustees, Norm Groot, Executive Director of the Monterey County Farm Bureau, Assemblymember Anna Caballero, and two student speakers. The event attracted a large audience that included Hartnell Community College District Board Members, Hartnell College Foundation Board Members, and a robust group of faculty, staff, students and community members. The story was also covered in two major news outlets: The Monterey County Herald and The Californian. Thank you to Assemblymember Anna Caballero and all of the Hartnell staff that made this award possible!

Farewell to Antonio Alarcon

On Thursday July 19, 2018 the Counseling Division and members of the Hartnell family gathered to wish the best of luck to Dean Antonio Alarcon on his new journey as Dean of Instructional Services at the District Office in the San Diego Community College District. Colleagues had the opportunity to share memories of Antonio through his journey at Hartnell as Dean of Student Affairs and Student Success (2017-2018) Director of Student Academic Support Systems (2015-2017) Adjunct Faculty (2014-2015). We wish you the best on your new journey.
Statewide Curriculum Institute

A Hartnell College team attended the Statewide Curriculum Institute from July 11 to 14, 2018, which was held in Riverside California. The event is put together on a yearly basis by the Academic Senate for California Community Colleges and provides a variety of perspectives, including updates from the California Community College’s Chancellor’s Office. This year's theme focused on "Reimagining the Student Experience." Presenters covered such topics as the implementation of AB 705, guided pathways, UC Transfer Pathways, the Chancellor’s Office Curriculum Inventory (COCI), and much more. The sessions allowed our team to also learn about new tutoring regulations, apprenticeship, inmate education programs, and Cooperative Work Experience. From the left to the right - Front Row: Hermelinda Rocha, Herbert Cortez, Marina Reyes, Violeta Mendoza Wagner. Back Row: Sharon Albert, Celine Pinet, Gabi Lopez, Shannon Bliss.

Back to School Supplies for Foster Youth

Individuals in foster care are getting backpacks! Thanks to Hartnell’s Foster & Kinship Care Education Department (FKCE) and The Monterey County Association of Families Caring for Children (MCAFCC), foster youth in Monterey county--pre-schoolers to college bound--will get backpacks filled with school supplies to begin their school year. The 6th annual event was hosted by Calvary Church in Monterey this past weekend where families enjoyed a BBQ, craft table, and bounce houses before picking out their own backpack.

2x4 BASH is Back!

The 2x4 BASH is back at The Western Stage, presenting their 2018 season of theatre on the edge, including Just Like Us, a play that follows four Latina teenage girls—two of whom are documented and two who are not—through young adulthood and their increasingly complicated futures. And The Flick, a Pulitzer Prize-winning comedy that examines three underpaid movie theater employees whose personal battles and heartbreaks play out in the empty aisles as they mop the movie theater floor. The BASH performs Fridays and Saturdays in repertory from July 13 – August 18 in the Studio Theatre at Hartnell College. General admission $10. Veterans, seniors, and non-Hartnell students $5. Hartnell students with ID get in FREE!
Tickets ($10 general admission) at www.westernstage.com/tickets or call 831-755-6816.

This event is wheelchair accessible. Those requiring sign language, interpreters, or real-time captioners, please contact the Box Office at least one week prior to the event: 831-755-6816.

The Western Stage Presents: Hair

The Western Stage presents the tribal-love rock-musical Hair, during the 50th Anniversary of this social and cultural phenomenon. The story follows a tribe of politically active, free-loving, psychedelic youths, living a bohemian life as they struggle to balance lives, loves, and the sexual revolution with their rebellion against the war and conservative society. Hair is a jubilant assertion of life and freedom, and a cry for peace.


Projects Update JULY 2018

Measure T First Phase

King City Expansion, Soledad Outreach Center, Nursing Health Science Building, Bldg. D & E Renovations
- Schedule is still current with construction starts for spring 2019 (Nursing), summer 2019 (Soledad), Bldg. D & E Fall 2019.

North Monterey Education Center
- Escrow scheduled to be closed beginning of August.

Solar Canopy Relocation Project
- This project will relocate the solar canopy system in Lot 3 to other areas on campus to make room for the new Nursing Health Sciences Building. Relocation planned for summer 2018.

Building B 2nd Floor Renovation
- B208 has had some renovation work to convert further to classroom/lab use. Construction start date is to be determined.

Other Projects

Performing Arts Remodel Project
- Rebar laid in preparation for the footings for the canopy.
• Foundation has been poured for the ticket booth, as well as the patio slab. The shade structure footings are dug and rebar installed in preparation for the footings.

Parking Structure Solar Project
• This project will place solar canopies on the 3rd floor of the parking structure. Construction scheduled began October 2018 with structural components being fabricated offsite. Still on schedule to be completed January 2019.

Safety Kiosk
• Tombelson, Inc. has been awarded the bid and the Notice to Proceed will be issued for July 30, 2018. This project will take four months to complete.

Starbucks
• The Master Lease Agreement has been approved. Construction is planned to begin later this year. In Studio Architects has been awarded the Architectural Services contract.

UPCOMING EVENTS

The Western Stage presents Hair
August 11 – September 1, 2018
Mainstage Theater - 7:30 p.m.
Fridays and Saturdays; 2:00 p.m. Sundays.
For tickets and information, go to westernstage.org Or call 831-755-6816

Salinas Valley Workforce Development Intermediary Advisory Board
July 23, 2018, 1:30 p.m.
City of Salinas, West Wing Conference
200 Lincoln Ave
Salinas, CA 93901

Measure T - Citizens’ Bond Oversight Committee
July 25, 2018 – 3:00 p.m.
Main Campus – Building E, Room 112

WELI Forum
Tehama Golf Club
September 20, 2018

Gala for the Arts
STEM Center Building
November 18, 2018
Athletics Hall of Fame
Saturday, November 3, 2018
Hartnell College – Main Campus
For more information about the induction, call 831-755-6810
or email Ashton Clarke at aclarke@hartnell.edu.
For more information about the induction, WELI Forum, or Gala, call The Hartnell College Foundation at 831-755-6810 or visit www.hartnellfoundation.org

For more events, go to Calendar at www.hartnell.edu

IN THE NEWS
Hartnell College awarded $1 million for upgrades
http://www.montereyherald.com/article/NF/20180717/NEWS/180719917

Want to work in agtech or nursing? Hartnell receives $1million to help you do it

Western Stage’s 2x4 BASH takes big issues to the stage

What’s your dream vacation?
http://www.montereycountyweekly.com/people/street_talk/what-s-your-dream-vacation/article_d501a8d8-8ae2-11e8-a8ae-2fad59751ffa.html