

FYI NEWS

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GRAD CHAT



■ **Commencements** - The ceremony for Pueblo and Fremont Campus students will begin at 7 pm Friday, May 6, in the State Fair Events Center. Guests are asked to be seated by 6:45 pm. The ceremony for SCCC graduates will take place at 2 pm Sunday, May 8, in Wayman Gym at Fort Lewis College.

■ **Graduation DVDs** - PCC is taking orders for graduation DVDs for PCC, CSU-Pueblo and local high school graduation ceremonies and also for Phi Theta Kappa's Elementary Excellence Award ceremony. These will be professional-quality videos produced by PCC's Center for New Media. You can order videos:

- In the PCC Print Shop at any time
- Via the Internet at tiny.cc/GradVideo

Pre-ordered videos will be mailed to the address that you provide. The cost of pre-orders is \$25 per DVD. The cost of videos purchased the day of the ceremonies or afterward will be \$30. For more information, call 549-3126.

~ PCC CALENDAR OF EVENTS ~

Tuesday, May 3
CTU rep visits
4-6 pm, Davis AB

Wednesday, May 4
"Intro to Theater" Class Series of 1-Acts
12:45 pm, SJ-214

Thursday, May 5
Cinco de Mayo Celebration
11 am-1 pm, Ballroom & Hoag Theatre

Latino Chamber Business After Hours
5-7 pm, Pueblo Joe's

PHEF Telethon
6-9 pm, CNM in MT Building

Friday, May 6
Commencement for Pueblo, Fremont
7 pm, State Fair Events Center

Saturday, May 7
Cystic Fibrosis 5K Walk
9 am, Pueblo campus courtyard

Sunday, May 8
SCCC Commencement
2 pm, Fort Lewis College

Monday, May 9
Summer semester begins

Distinguished Alumni Luncheon
11:30 am, Fortino Ballroom

Tues-Wed, May 10-11
Professional Development -
for PCC employees
all day, Pueblo campus

Thursday, May 12
Youth Future Fair
9 am, Fortino Ballroom

Thursday, May 19
Latino Chamber Luncheon
11:30 am, Fortino Ballroom

Artists' Reception for
"Circle of Light Photo Project"
4:30 pm, SJ-205

Friday, May 20
Fremont Hall of Fame Banquet
6 pm, Fremont Campus

Saturday May 21
Distinguished Alumni Luncheon
1-3 pm, Fremont Campus

Tuesday, May 24
PTK's Elementary Academic
Excellence Ceremony
6:30 pm, Events Center

CINCO DE MAYO

■ **Educational Partners** - PCC and the Pueblo Hispanic Education Foundation have dedicated Thursday, May 5, as "Educational Partnership Day." They will bring 100 high school sophomores from the 4 Pueblo city schools to the PCC campus to introduce them to higher education in a cultural atmosphere from 11 am to 1:30 pm. The program will include lunch with mariachi music, a presentation program and a Cinco de Mayo history address in the Fortino Ballroom followed by tours of campus, and a closing program in Hoag Theatre.

■ **Biz After Hours** - Also on Thursday, PCC will serve as host of a Latino Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours from 5 to 7 pm in Pueblo Joe's. All faculty and staff are invited.

■ **Telethon** - Also in the evening, PCC's Center for New Media will broadcast the 21st PHEF Dollars & Scholars Telethon from 6 to 9 pm from the newly reopened "Studios at PCC" in the MT Building. It will be broadcast live on Comcast Channel 18 and also will be shown on a one-hour delay on Channel 19. The program will include local entertainment, appearances by city, business, PCC and PHEF officials, and a telephone call-in bank to which donation pledges can be made by calling 549-3373.



BEST OF SHOW WINNER

Second-year student Sarah Hastings won the plum prize -- Best of Show -- in the Student Art Show for which winners were announced during last Friday's reception in the San Juan Building. Sarah's winning digital photograph is titled "The Big Day." The Pueblo native plans to graduate in spring 2012 with an AGS degree and hopes to earn her bachelor's degree from CSU-Pueblo and eventually open a photo/gallery business here.

WRITE WELL



Provided by PCC's English Department
Easy does it! If you write the words "off of" together, you're probably using too many words. Instead of "I based this off of current research," write "I based this on current research."