



FYI NEWS

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HSI WEEK

■ **Huge extravaganza on tap** - PCC will pay tribute to the Hispanic culture this week (Sept. 19-23) by hosting entertainment, speakers and educational experiences to mark National Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) Week. The program will have an official kickoff at 11:15 a.m. Monday in the campus courtyard. Titled "La Influencia del Pueblo," it is intended to pay tribute to Hispanics who have had a positive influence on Pueblo while celebrating the fact that PCC is designated as a Hispanic Serving Institution. On the lighter side, for PCC students and staff there will be a Piñata Contest on Monday, a zumba class Monday evening, a Poster Contest with winners announced Tuesday, and a Salsa con Salsa competition on Thursday. At stake in the contests are gift certificates and scholarships. Our branch campuses will have separate events as noted at right. The SCCC East had a festival last Saturday.



~ PCC CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES ~

Monday, Sept. 19

Constitution Day Program
9 am, Pueblo Joe's

HSI Week begins:

▶ **HSI: Special Meal Deal Lunch**
11 am, Pueblo Joe's

▶ **HSI: DHPH's Mariachi Aguila**
11 am, Pueblo Joe's

▶ **HSI: Welcome & Introductions**
11:15 am, campus courtyard

▶ **HSI: Pinata Contest Judging**
3:30 pm, courtyard patio



▶ **HSI: Zumba Class**
5:30 pm, Fortino Ballroom

Fitness Class: Nutrition
5:30-6:30 pm, Rec Center

Tuesday, Sept. 20

Health & Wellness Fair (for faculty & staff)
(Fast 12 hours before blood test.)
7-11 am, Fortino Ballroom

Press Conference:
President's Leadership Program
2 pm, Barb Fortino

▶ **HSI: Poetry Reading: Maria Melendez**
2 pm, SJ-214

▶ **HSI: Student Poster & Art Show**
3 pm, SJ-214 - *(guest artist: Tony Armijo)*
Poster Contest winners announced at 6 pm.

Meet State Board - (faculty & staff)
3:40 pm, Fortino Ballroom A

Fitness Class: Yoga
5:30-6:30 pm, Rec Center

Business Plans seminar
5:30-7:30 pm, Occhiato Theater

▶ **HSI: Meet the Author:**
Poems by Juliana Aragon Fatula
6:30 pm, Fremont Campus

Wednesday, Sept. 21

▶ **HSI: Speaker - Angela Giron**
10:30 am, Fortino Ballroom

▶ **HSI: Speaker - Stephanie Garcia**
10:45 am, Fortino Ballroom

▶ **HSI: Speaker - Dora Luz Cobian-Klein**
11 am, Fortino Ballroom

▶ **HSI: ASG Program**
Speaker: Henry Roman
Performer: Desirae Mendez
Speaker: Steven Trujillo
4-6 pm, Fortino Ballroom

Fitness Class: Balance
5:30-6:30 pm, Rec Center

Thursday, Sept. 22

▶ **HSI: Salsa con Salsa**
4 pm, Fortino Ballroom



▶ **HIS Activities: Salsa con Salsa, Pinata Breaking, Flamenco dance**
1-4 pm, SCCC-West

Fitness Class: Pilates
5:30-6:30 pm, Rec Center

Friday, Sept. 23

High School Counselors Workshop
8 am, Hoag Theatre

▶ **HSI: Poetry Reading: Juan Morales & Juliana Fatula-Aragon**
6 pm, Pueblo Joe's

HAPPENINGS

■ **Constitution Day** - PCC will celebrate this national day on Monday, Sept. 19, with a program of guest speakers, a DVD presentation, the singing of patriotic songs and the distribution of free pocket-sized copies of the U.S. Constitution in Pueblo Joe's beginning at 9 a.m.



■ **Health Fair** - A Health and Wellness Fair for faculty and staff is scheduled from 7 to 11 am Tuesday, Sept. 20, in our Fortino Ballroom. Besides many basic free services, those who have already signed up will get a blood test and/or a flu shot, both for free. **Remember that fasting for 12 hours is required for the blood test.** Also, note that PCC physician Dr. Arguello will be on the SCCC West Campus Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning and on the SCCC East Campus Thursday afternoon to give free flu shots to students.

■ **State Board visits** - Members of the State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education will visit our Pueblo campus Tuesday afternoon and will be on hand at 2 pm for a news conference being held to introduce the students in our new President's Leadership Program and to hear their goals for the year. At approximately 3:40 pm, all faculty and staff are invited to mingle with the State Board members at a reception to be held in the Fortino Ballroom until 4:30.

■ **Faculty of Year** - It's time for students and staff to nominate their favorite instructors for Faculty of the Year and Part Time Faculty of the Year. Nomination forms will be available beginning Monday, Sept. 19, until Oct. 6. They also are available on D2L. Get forms and turn in entries at the following offices on PCC campuses: AB 230-Janet Elkins, Cosmo 100-Michele Edwards, GC 104-Susanne Carter, MT 176-Kathy Stanko, SJ 224-Susan Pelto, Fremont-Sterling Jenkins, SCCC West-Stan Eubanks, SCCC East-main office.