

# Crafton Hills College

## President's Report to the Board

**Gloria Macias Harrison**  
**September 3, 2009**



### ANSWER CENTERS ARE A HUGE SUCCESS

Organized by Daniel Bahner as part of a Title V Dreams Express activity, the Answer Centers are strategically placed throughout the campus to provide students with information and help

during the first few days of each semester. This Fall, more than 40 employees – staff, managers, and faculty – dedicated their time, energy and knowledge to help out students. There were 3,564 students took advantage of the Answer Centers and the 3,000+ number represents a 9.9% over a comparable time last year.



*Denise Hoyt*, Computer Information Science Professor, *Brad Franklin*, Respiratory Therapy Professor, *Kelly Bingham*, Administrative Assistant to the Vice President of Instruction staff an Answer Center.

## CHC FOUNDATION RECEIVES ADDITIONAL FUNDING

The Crafton Hills College Foundation received and deposited the \$58,000 Title V Endowment Match. After October 1, 2009, the Foundation is eligible for an additional \$30 – 40 thousand in matching funds. We hope to meet our goal and come to the Board of Trustees for approval in early 2010. The first of the Bernard Osher Foundation Endowment distribution was received. The Osher Foundation's generous \$50 million commitment is the largest gift ever made to Community College system. Each Community College is receiving funds for scholarship of \$1,000 each based on FTES. As a result, Crafton Hills College was designated for an \$88,000 endowment for Student Scholarships. The Foundation also received a \$20,000 grant early this summer from FIRST FIVE to renovate a pre-kindergarten classroom in the Crafton Hills Child Development Center.



### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

#### Activities:

Event	When	Time	Location
<b>SBCCD Board Meeting</b>	9/3/09	5 pm	CHC Cafeteria
<b>Transfer Fair</b> with representatives from over 20 universities and colleges to answer student questions.	9/8/09	10 am-1 pm	Library Quad
<b>Professional Development BBQ</b>	9/11/09		Cafeteria Quad
<b>Constitution Day</b> features "All American" themed music and information on the constitution to stimulate awareness of our founding document.	9/15 & 9/16		

#### Outreach:

Event	When
Rialto Unified Science/College Fair	9/10/09
Rialto Family Festival	9/19/09
Redlands Boys & Girls Club College Fair	9/23/09
San Bernardino Unified College Fair	9/24/09

# LIBRARY QUAD TRANSITION



**Old Quad**



**Under Construction**



**New Quad**

- Additional space for Graduation
- Better lighting
- More event space