

CHI Digest

Exciting Things To Come !

CHI is growing and so are the exciting events and opportunities!



by Anthony Abate on November 2, 2017

We have reached the halfway point of the Fall semester here at Crafton! CHI coordinator, Judy Cannon, along with the four appointed Ambassadors, are hard at work brainstorming and creating new events and activities for CHI students. The primary goal this year is to develop the CHI presence on campus and to strengthen the sense of community among Honors students.

We have already begun this through our brand new Honors lounge where students can work, print for free, eat their lunch, and most importantly meet other honor students. We have also developed this newsletter that will let all CHI students know what exciting things are happening within the program. We are looking forward to an amazing year and to the growth of the Honors program!

THIS MONTH'S ANNOUNCEMENTS & HIGHLIGHTS



We Have Created A New Logo!

by Anthony Abate on November 2, 2017

We have decided to update our logo for CHI! This new logo was created as a fresh new representation of our Honors program. It will be utilized in many ways, and one of the most exciting utilizations will be creating T-shirts that will soon be available to purchase so you can show your pride as a member of CHI!



Three Peaks Challenge

by Anthony Abate on November 2, 2017

Crafton has presented a challenge to help students succeed called The Three Peaks Challenge. The first of the three challenges is happening next week on Saturday, November 11 from 8:00-1:00. The busiest time will be 9:30-11:30, and students can volunteer any part of the day



that works for them. This first challenge is great for CHI students because it gives us an opportunity to earn some community service hours. This event is a holiday food drive through Redlands Family Service. Make sure you wear your Crafton gear and bring another friend to represent CHI! Details about the event can be found on the flyer at the bottom of this newsletter.

Honors Professor Highlight

by Anthony Abate on November 2, 2017



Meet Professor **James Urbanovich**! COMMST 100H -Elements Of Public Speaking COMMST 125H- Critical Thinking Through Argument & Debate **What you can expect while taking one of his Honors classes:** *"Expect that you will be treated differently as far as expectations for quality coursework. My first and foremost goal for all students is to instill an academic work ethic that will help them succeed throughout their college career, in all courses. I expect my Honors students to have already achieved this necessary standard for student success."* **The qualities he expects to find in each Honors student:** *"Primarily self-motivation and a standard of excellence. I have been involved with the Honors program for many years*

and have consistently witnessed a rise in the quality of Honors students in recent years. I look for no excuses, commitment to quality and fierce academic curiosity."

What a student can expect as an Honors assignment in his class:

"For public speaking, some detailed rhetorical analysis essays/speeches and for Argumentation, a student can expect to teach chapters from the course text to the class."

What being an Honors professor means to him:

"It means that I have to deliver to all students the instruction that meets their needs at whatever level they happen to be at. For Honors students, this means I have to be prepared to place the academic cookie jar on a higher shelf as I expect their reach to be a bit more advanced than other students. "

Honors Student Highlight

by Maranda Jiles on November 2, 2017



Meet Angel Wilson!

Angel is from Yucaipa, CA and plans on double majoring in Communication and Theater Arts

Angel's Educational Goals:

"During high school, I was always deemed an "'A' minus 'B' plus" kind of student. I wanted to change this in college and strive for excellence in everything I do. There were a couple adversities that occurred this semester that caused a yield to my academic progression. However, I'm grateful to God this was merely a yield and not a diminishing. After emotional and spiritual growth, I'm ready to jump back in the race towards a 4.0 and hopefully a successful transfer into UCLA."

Swing by the honors lounge to check out Angel's full interview.

Get Involved With Our Newsletter!

by Anthony Abate on November 2, 2017

We would like to give CHI students an opportunity to showcase their talents. If you would like to write a short article or share your art or photography with others, now is your opportunity! We are now accepting submissions. Email any submissions or questions about being featured to: <u>a.abate3394@student.sbccd.edu</u>

Do You Have Honorable Friends?

by Anthony Abate on November 2, 2017

We continue to grow in numbers weekly here at CHI but we know there are more honorable students who would like to challenge themselves with the exciting opportunities in our program. We encourage you to share your experience with friends and classmates and encourage them to apply to join CHI. All of the qualifications as well as the benefits of completing the program can be found on our school website as well as in the link at the bottom of our newsletter. The only thing better than succeeding and accomplishing your goals is being able to do it with friends!

Volunteer Opportunity



FSA Fall Food Drive Hosted by the LDS Church of the East Valley



COME JOIN THE FUN!!! Address: 612 Lawton St. Redlands Ca, 92374

Volunteer by yourself or come with your club, Family, or Church

Refreshments and Music

Multiple shifts for your convenience

Projects for all ages

AND PLENTY MORE!!!

Saturday November 11th, 2017 we will be hosting our 7th annual Holiday Food Drive. The Fall Food Drive brings in over 22,000 pounds of food and allows us to feed families of the East valley who need extra help during the holidays. We need volunteers to help WEIGH, PROCESS, SORT, and STORE the Food.



15 years old minimum (if younger please be accompanied by an adult)

*Food Drive starts at (8:00am and ends between 2pm- 3pm).
We will receive the bulk of donations between (9:30am -11:45am)
To Volunteer for this event contact
Blake Geffen, Volunteer Coordinator
(909) 793-2673 or rfsblake@outlook.com

Mon., Dec. 11 – Fri., Dec. 15: Finals Have You Told Your Friends About

Upcoming Events

Fri., Nov. 17: CHC Student Research

Fri., Nov. 10: Veterans Day. Campus closed.

students encouraged to attend, whether they

are presenting or not. A light lunch (free) will

Sat., Nov. 18: Southern California Conference

for Undergrad Research (SCCUR) at Cal Poly

Pomona. CHC Honors student Pargoal Arab

Wed., Nov. 29: Honors Students and Faculty

Luncheon, 12:00, CHL 100. (This is one of the

MANDATORY events for all CHI students. If

you cannot attend, please let Judy know in

Tues., Dec. 5: PIZZA IN THE LOUNGE! Wed., Dec. 6: HTCC Conference (UC Irvine,

April 7) abstracts due to Judy at

honors@craftonhills.edu.

Conference, 9:00-12:00, CHL 100. All CHI

be served beginning at about 11:00 AM.

will be presenting at this conference.

Thurs., Nov. 23: Thanksgiving

advance.)

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