

♥ MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE ♥

Palo Verde College

Black History Month

**Have you ever wondered why February is Black History Month?
Well check it out!**

Origins of Black History Month

The story of Black History Month begins in 1915, half a century after the Thirteenth Amendment abolished slavery in the United States. That September, the Harvard-trained historian Carter G. Woodson and the prominent minister Jesse E. Moorland founded the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History (ASNLH), an organization dedicated to researching and promoting achievements by black Americans and other peoples of African descent. Known today as the Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH), the group sponsored a national Negro History week in 1926, choosing the second week of February to coincide with the birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass. The event inspired schools and communities nationwide to organize local celebrations, establish history clubs and host performances and lectures.



Source: <http://www.history.com/topics/black-history/black-history-month>

Upcoming Events:

- Black History Month
- Feb- 4th UCR Workshop
- Feb. 8th- Last day to Register
- Feb. 14- Valentine's day
- Feb. 15 & 18th Campus Closed for Presidents Holiday
- Feb 22-23 College Basketball

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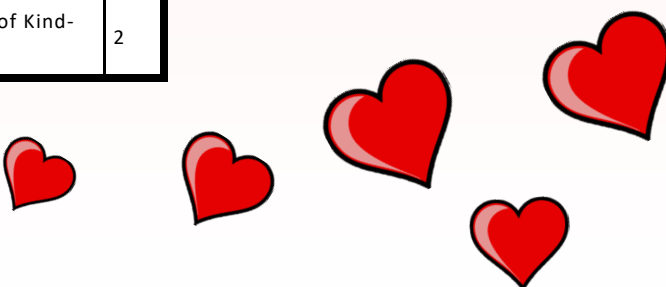
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UCR Financial Aid Workshop

UCR will be at PVC on February 4, from 1pm to 3pm working with us to better understand Financial Aid at the UC level. If you have questions about Financial Aid from any of the UC's, this is the time to get you questions answered.

Basketball Tournament

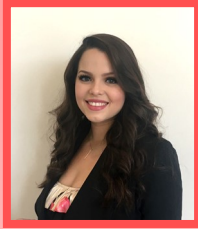
Ahoy Matey! We have some exciting news. The Pirates will be competing in a Basketball Tournament on February 22-23. This Tournament will take place in the Clancy Osborne PE Center here at Palo Verde College. Come support your fellow PIRATE'S!



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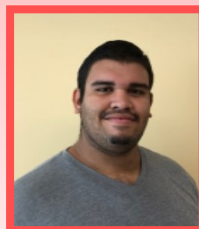
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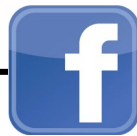
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Meetings held every Tuesday @11 in the ASG Room (CS133). All students welcome!



Congenital Heart Defect Awareness

Congenital Heart Defect Awareness Week occurs from February 7 to 14. Considered by the March of Dimes as the most prevalent types of birth defects, congenital heart defects (CHDs) are considered deadly health conditions that a baby is born with. CHDs change the function and/or shape of a newborn's heart (or parts within) to the point of that overall health is compromised, which means treatment is typically required within the first hours, days, or months of life.



Random Acts of Kindness Day

February 17th is Random Acts of Kindness Day. You know what to do...perform a few random acts of kindness. Almost any kind deed will do. We highly recommend you perform kind acts on as many people as you can. This is a favorite day for many people and groups. People like the idea of showing a little kindness to others. Its fun and rewarding to be kind. People like being on the giving and receiving end of this day of kindness. It makes both the giver and the receiver feel positive about themselves.



WELCOME BACK PVC PIRATES

ASG WOULD LIKE TO INVITE ALL STUDENTS TO VISIT THE STUDENT ACTIVITIES CENTER AND ENJOY YOUR TIME BETWEEN CLASSES.