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Chancellor Names Provost Kennedy Interim CSUN President

Veteran Academic Affairs Administrator to Assume New Duties in June, Perhaps Serve One Year

California State University Chancellor Charles B. Reed, during an April 8 campus visit, announced the appointment of Louanne Kennedy (left) as interim president of Cal State Northridge. Kennedy, provost and vice president for academic affairs since 1993, will assume her new duties in June.

"Louanne Kennedy has the leadership skills, experience and knowledge about Northridge to guide the university through this transition period," said Reed. "The campus is in good hands while we work with the faculty and students on campus to find the best president to lead CSUN in the future."

Kennedy is expected to serve as interim president for up to one year after CSUN President Blenda J. Wilson leaves campus this June to head an educational foundation. The search for a new president could take until December or early spring 2000, and the chosen candidate might not arrive until the summer of 2000.

Kennedy has held the administration's second-ranking position at CSUN, and been responsible for the campus in the past when the president has been away. Kennedy oversees the university's Academic Affairs Division, the largest of the campus' operating units with a nearly $90 million annual budget.

In that capacity, the provost guides all academic services at the university, including undergraduate programs, the University Library, CSUN's Ventura Campus, graduate studies and international student programs and institutional research.

"Cal State Northridge has been my home for the past six years. The faculty, staff and students are outstanding, and I am proud to have this opportunity to work closely with them all in the coming year," said Kennedy. "We are a campus that has accepted many challenges and accomplished much together. We will continue the direction already established by President Blenda Wilson."

Kennedy, a New York University graduate, came to CSUN from Kean College of New Jersey, where she was vice president for academic affairs from 1990 to 1993. Before that, she was associate provost at Baruch College in the City University of New York system from 1987 to 1990.

Kennedy succeeds Wilson, who after serving as CSUN president since 1992, announced last month that she would leave at the end of the spring semester to accept the position of president and chief operating officer of the Nellie Mae Foundation in Braintree, Mass. During his campus visit, the chancellor indicated he wants the university's next permanent president to decide on vice president selections. Thus to cover the transitional period, Wilson announced that Jim Sullivan, CSUN's interim vice president for administration and finance, will stay an extra year.
And, with Vice President for Student Affairs Ron Kopita already having announced that he plans to leave his post at the end of the spring semester, campus officials said an interim appointment to oversee that division likely would be forthcoming.

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Area Residents Give CSUN High Marks, Opinion Survey Reports

More Than 60 Percent Say Campus Does a Good Job of Educating Students

A San Fernando Valley region survey commissioned by Cal State Northridge shows that four-fifths of respondents give the university high marks in name recognition and more than 60 percent say CSUN is doing a good job in educating students.

The survey, conducted March 13-18 by an independent firm, Steinberg & Associates of Calabasas, shows that about four-fifths of all respondents are familiar with the term "CSUN," the acronym commonly used to name the campus.

Nearly three-fourths of those surveyed say they are either very or somewhat familiar with the CSUN campus. And more than 60 percent say the university is doing a good job in educating students, while only 4 percent give the university a poor job approval rating.

"These are impressive numbers," said pollster Arnold Steinberg. "They indicate that 'CSUN' is a useful acronym and that the campus itself enjoys broad recognition."

"And, a clear majority gives high marks to Cal State Northridge in its job approval," Steinberg said. "And of the 10 percent of respondents who attend CSUN, an overwhelming majority -almost 70 percent-say the school was their first choice in selecting a university."

"These survey results are a tribute to the fine work of our faculty, administrators and staff, and our focus on providing a high-quality liberal arts education," said CSUN President Blenda J. Wilson. "And, it confirms what we've long suspected: CSUN is widely recognized by the people of the San Fernando Valley as a valued and highly desirable educational institution."

"It's also gratifying to know that we're the 'first choice' for so many people who are selecting a university for their undergraduate or post-graduate studies. And, while about a third of all respondents say they either currently attend CSUN or have in the past, almost 96 percent say CSUN is important to them," the president added. "This shows there is a remarkable ongoing synergy and a mutual appreciation between the university and the Valley."

Wilson said the university initiated the survey because "we wanted to gain quantifiable information about how people throughout the Valley recognize and regard CSUN, as well as how they make their decisions in choosing a college for themselves or their children. Needless to say, we are very pleased with these results."

Steinberg said the random telephone survey queried 750 registered voter households in the greater San Fernando Valley. "The integrity of the survey was assured by using a continuously dynamic random sample, controlled by a central computer," he said.
"While the statistical margin of error for such a survey, with 750 completed interviews, could be plus or minus about 3.6 percent (at the 95 percent confidence interval), we believe the actual error is likely to be less," he said.

Among all those surveyed, Steinberg said, about one-fifth said they had graduated from CSUN. "This is a remarkable figure and testifies to the continued influence of CSUN in the community," the pollster added.

Of those polled who said someone in their household was attending CSUN, 59 percent said they were attending college full time and 37 percent part time.

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University to Name Planetarium for Donald Bianchi

Former Science and Math Dean Helped Develop CSUN's Science Complex

Cal State Northridge will honor the memory of Donald E. Bianchi, founding dean of the College of Science and Mathematics, by naming the university's planetarium for him during a special ceremony Friday, April 23.

Bianchi, one of the university's earliest faculty members, died in March 1996 following a brief illness. CSUN President Blenda J. Wilson will name the planetarium for Bianchi during a 4 p.m. ceremony on the lawn of Science Building 3.

"Dean Bianchi's leadership was the sustaining factor in developing Cal State Northridge's science complex," Wilson said. "There was a great groundswell of support among our faculty and students to name one of our science buildings in his memory, and I'm delighted for his family that we will help commemorate his legacy in this way."

Bianchi joined the biology faculty in 1959, when the campus was still known as San Fernando Valley State College. Fourteen years later, he became dean, a position he held for 23 years, including two years when he also was acting vice president for academic affairs. As dean of the College of Science and Mathematics, Bianchi was instrumental in the creation of the four-building science complex, laying the foundation for the college's outstanding achievements in research and teaching.

Bianchi's own professional accomplishments included numerous journal articles and books on such topics as cell biology, microbiology and botany.

-Carmen Ramos Chandler
FYI

For Your Information publishes announcements of public meetings, notices, events, deadlines and classes and courses of interest to the university community. The deadline for the May 3 issue is Mon., April 26.

We will strive to include all items submitted by deadline occurring during the two-week period until the next issue. Items further in advance will be run on a space-available basis. Please submit items by sending them to mail drop 8242, faxing them to (818) 677-4909, or e-mailing them to pubinfo@exec.csun.edu. E-mail is the preferred method of submitting. Note: fmi—means for more information.

Public Meetings

Personnel Planning and Review Committee
Meets 1:15-5 p.m. Wed., April 21, and Wed., April 28, President's Conference Room A.

Educational Policies Committee
Meets 2 p.m. Wed., April 21, Advising Resource Center/EOP Conference Room 100, Education Annex.

Faculty Executive Committee
Meets 1-5 p.m. Thu., April 29, President's Conference Room A.

Notices

Faculty Senate Elections
The Faculty Senate will be holding elections through Fri., April 23. All ballots must be in by 5 p.m. Fri., April 23. fmi-x3263.

Matadors Federal Credit Union Seminar
The Matadors Federal Credit Union is sponsoring a free seminar on how to buy a car. The seminar will be conducted
by Dean Woods of Auto Select from 5-6:30 p.m. Wed., April 21, at the Matadors Federal Credit Union, 9401 Reseda Blvd. Topics include the ins and outs of buying a car. The campus and community are invited. Seating is limited. fmi and RSVP-Pierre Joujon-Roche, (818) 993-6328, x202.

Coalition on Substance Abuse and Violence Prevention

The Campus Community Coalition on Substance Abuse and Violence Prevention will meet at 1 p.m. Thu., April 29, in the Student Health Center Conference Room.

Advisory Board on Equity and Diversity

Non-academic staff members interested in serving on the Presidential Advisory Board on Equity and Diversity should submit their names to Jeanette Mann by 5 p.m. Mon., May 10, in the University Park Apartments, Building 13, Room 107 or mail drop 8208. fmi-x2077.

Summer Session Catalogs

Summer Session class schedules are available in the Matador Bookstore and in the College of Extended Learning Office located at the main entrance of the Matador Bookstore. Students need not be regularly enrolled at CSUN to take summer credit classes. Hundreds of university credit courses will be offered in three separate sessions beginning Mon., June 7. Summer classes also will be held at the university's Ventura Campus. fmi-x2786.

NCOD Information

CSUN's National Center on Deafness provides the following Q. and A. for university faculty and staff members to better serve the university's deaf and hard-of-hearing students.

Q: How do deaf and hard-of-hearing students give presentations in class?

A: The students will choose to either sign presentations with the interpreters voicing, or they will voice for themselves. The professor should keep in mind that grading is for the presentation of content, rather than the interpretation. Therefore, voice quality, pronunciation, etc. from the interpreter should not influence the grade for the student's presentation (either positively or negatively).

Q: What if the deaf or hard-of-hearing student wants to meet with the professor during office hours?

A: The student has the option of either communicating directly with the professor, or requesting an interpreter. Some students prefer to communicate verbally one-on-one when there is no background noise; others may prefer to communicate through writing; still others will prefer to use the services of an interpreter. The best place for the interpreter to sit is next to the professor so the student can see both during the meeting.

Special Education Stipends

CSUN has stipends available for the following special education credential programs:

- **Project COMETS.** Undergraduates start early childhood, mild/moderate or moderate/severe disabilities (K-12) credential course work while finishing a bachelor's degree. Stipends up to $5,000 available for spring.
- **Project CLAD-SE/early childhood credential (birth to pre-K).** First year full-time course work and field experience, second year employed as interns or emergency credential teachers and completion of course work. Stipends up to $6,000 available for spring and fall.
- **CLAD-SE/ACT.** Participate in the one-year alternative accelerated collaborative teacher preparation program for mild/moderate or moderate/severe disabilities (K-12). Stipends up to $6,000 available for summer. fmi-x2534.
Athletics Web Site

CSUN Athletics is changing its official athletic web site to a new domain at www.GoMatadors.com. In addition to providing popular fan information, the web site features a new On-line Matador Team Shop. The shop includes caps, sweatshirts, polos, jackets, T-shirts and one very exclusive feature: several items can be customized to include sport specific or alumni designations. This feature is particularly valuable with graduation approaching. As an added incentive, the merchandiser will offer free shipping and a percentage of the sales to be contributed to Matador athletics with every on-line purchase. fmi-x2683.

Catastrophic Leave Donations

Debbie Gonzalez (Interpreting Services) is recovering from an illness and is seeking donations of sick or vacation time. Donations can be up to 16 hours per fiscal year. The donation form can be downloaded from the following web site: www.hrs.csun.edu/Forms/PledgeforDonationofLeave/OHRS_1-8.doc and sent to Terry Castro-Oistad (Payroll Services), mail drop 8228.

Extension Credit Courses

Departments wishing to offer courses, workshops or seminars through the College of Extended Learning for Fall 1999 need to submit course offering forms as soon as possible to the College of Extended Learning. Post-baccalaureate classes, professional courses and workshops developed to upgrade, update or meet license requirements offer additional opportunities, particularly when developed in cooperation with professional organizations. fmi and course packets- Alice Lu, x2892 or Sari Small, x7527 or x3911.

Events

Recycle Week

The University Recycling Program is sponsoring Earth Week '99 from Mon., April 19 through Fri., April 23. The schedule of events is as follows:

- Mon., April 19: Discussion and slide presentation titled "Together, We Can Heal the Bay," featuring Bill Pope from Heal the Bay. At noon in the University Student Union, Santa Clarita Room.
- Tue., April 20: Lecture titled "Recycling in L.A.," featuring Daniel Hackney and Kelly Ingalls from the Bureau of Sanitation, Solid Resources. At 11 a.m. in the USU, Santa Clarita Room.
- Wed., April 21: Tree Planting around the USU at 8 a.m. Meet in the USU Santa Clarita Room. To register, call x2194.
  - Cans for Habitat from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. in the USU, Court of Community Pit. Fill the USU pit with aluminum cans to raise funds for Habitat for Humanity. fmi-x3260
  - CSUN Earthfair featuring displays and information from environmental organizations, public agencies, private businesses, and campus groups. From 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. in the USU, Court of Community.
  - CSUN Steel Drum Ensemble performance at noon in the USU Court of Community.
  - Lecture titled "Protect the Surf" featuring Bruce Macdonald at 2 p.m. in the USU, Balboa Room.
- Thu., April 22: The Hazmobile will be collecting household hazardous wastes from 7 a.m.-3 p.m., in Parking Lot T (corner of Lassen and Lindley). The Hazmobile will collect hazardous wastes until Sat., April 24. CSUN ID required.
  - Slide tour titled "Toxic Tour," featuring Carlos Porras from Communities for a Better Environment and Matthew Cahn, CSUN political science professor, at 11 a.m. in the USU, Santa Clarita Room.
- Fri., April 23: CSUN Campus Recycling Tours at 10:30 a.m., in the Burbank Recycling Center and at 1 p.m., at
the Community Recycling and Resource Recovery, Inc. Sign up by calling the Environmental and Occupational Health Student Association, x3449.

**Anthropology Forum**

The anthropology department is sponsoring an informal discussion titled "CSUN Life Experience Forum" from 1-3 p.m. Mon., April 19, in Sierra Hall, Room 239. Students from the Anthropology 375 class will share descriptions of their fieldwork and research they conducted this past semester.

**Brown Bag Film Series**

The Marilyn Magaram Center will show the film "Eat Smart-The Latest in Nutrition Information" from 12:30-1:30 p.m. Tue., April 20, in Science trailers, Room 524 and from 11 a.m.-noon Wed., April 21, in Science trailers, Room 520.

**Chemistry Seminars**

The chemistry department, with sponsorship from the Chemistry Club and the Southern California affiliates of the American Chemical Society, is hosting upcoming seminar speakers. Wednesdays, 4 p.m., in Science 2228 as follows:

- April 21: Eric Doehne from Getty Conservation Institute on "Salt Weathering and Cultural Heritage."
- April 28: Juli Feigon from UCLA on "Cation Binding and Folding in DNA and RNA."

**Graduate Education Conference**

The Graduate Students Community Association, the Provost Council, Associated Students, the Union Programs Council, Multicultural Psychology Association, USU, and Kaplan are sponsoring a conference titled "Advancement to Graduate Education" at 10 a.m. Sat., April 24 in the University Student Union, Grand Salon. Topics include graduate school admission process and faculty mentorships. Seating is limited. fmi-Cedric Hackett, x2658.

**Planetarium Dedication**

President Blenda J. Wilson cordially invites the campus and community in the dedication of the University Planetarium in memory of Donald Bianchi, the founding dean of the College of Science and Mathematics at 4 p.m. Fri., April 23, on the Planetarium lawn. A reception and commemorative slide show will follow. RSVP at x2004 or e-mail bianchi.rsvp@csun.edu.

**Teacher Recruitment Fair**

The Career Center is sponsoring a teacher recruitment career fair and education expo from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Thu., April 22, in the USU, Northridge Center. The fair gives school district administrators the opportunity to meet qualified CSUN teacher applicants. Alumni may be charged a service fee to attend.

**Korean Reception and Exhibition**

The Oviatt Library is sponsoring an opening reception for its exhibition titled "Mi: Beauty in Korean Art and Culture," at 6 p.m. Fri., April 23 in the Oviatt Library. There will be Korean dancers, a calligraphy demonstration, and authentic Korean food and drink. Everyone is invited to this free event. The exhibition will run through Fri., May 28 in the lobby of the Oviatt. Items on display include a replica of the Shilla gold crown from the 5th century, a 16th century wood printing block and ornamental pendants and dagger. fmi-x2638.
Asian American Studies Lecture

The Asian American Studies Department is sponsoring the seventh annual distinguished lecture featuring Angela Oh, a prominent attorney and civil rights activist at 8 p.m., Fri., April 23, in Business Education, Room 101. The first graduating class of AAS majors and the winners of the department's outstanding student awards also will be announced at this event. The campus and community are invited. fmi-x4966.

Carnival '99

The Union Programs Council is sponsoring Carnival '99 from Mon., April 26 through Thu., April 29. The event celebrates the community through educational displays, activities, and an arts and crafts fair. The arts and crafts fair will be set up on Campus A road on the south end of the USU for the whole week. fmi and a schedule of events-Jose Corral, x2640.

President's Luncheon

President Blenda J. Wilson is holding a President's Business Council luncheon from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Tue., April 27, at the Lakeside Golf Club in Burbank. Tickets are $60 per person or $500 per table of six guests plus a CSUN Presidential Scholar and university official. J.D. Power III, chairman and founder of J.D. Power and Associates, will be the keynote speaker on the topic "Focus on the Customer." The luncheon will be President Wilson's farewell to the business community. RSVP by Fri., April 23. fmi-x2150.

Geological Lecture

The Department of Geological Sciences and the Geology Club will sponsor a lecture titled "Recent Geologic Investigations of the Simi Fault, West end of Simi Valley, California as an Example of Recency of Faulting and Its Assessment," featuring Jerry Treiman from California Division of Mines. At noon, Wed., April 28, in Science Building 1, Room 1231. fmi-x3541.

Kinesiology Dance Concert

The kinesiology department is sponsoring a spring modern dance concert at 8 p.m. Fri., April 30, in the USU, Performing Arts Center. The concert is in celebration of the university's 40th anniversary. Tickets are $7 for students, faculty, staff, and seniors and $8 for general admission. They may be purchased at the Associated Students Ticket Office.

CPR Blitz

The West San Fernando Valley Division of the American Red Cross is sponsoring the Northridge Hospital Medical Center Fifth Annual CPR Blitz from 9 a.m.-noon Sat., May 1, in the Matadome. Registration begins at 8 a.m. The cost for Adult/Child CPR program is $15 and includes CPR certification. Entries received after Sat., April 24 will cost $20. fmi-(310) 277-2171.

First Amendment Forum Dinner

The journalism department is sponsoring the Kenneth Devol First Amendment Forum Dinner and lecture titled "News vs. Entertainment: Does It Matter if the Line Disappears? First Amendment Implications," featuring Erwin Chemerinsky. On Wed., May 5, in the Warner Center Marriott, 21856 Oxnard Street, Woodland Hills. Reception begins at 6 p.m. and dinner is served at 7 p.m. Cost to attend is $50. RSVP by Fri., April 23.
Classes

Technology Training

Information and Technology Resources (ITR) offers a variety of free information and technology training workshops to faculty, staff and students. The schedule of classes is as follows:

- Introduction to Scanning 35mm Slides and Negative. With Lee Choo from 2-4 p.m., Oviatt Library, Room 18.
- Tue., April 27: Tips for Using Microsoft Word 97 for Desktop Publishing Projects. With Gail Said Johnson from 2-4 p.m., Administration Park, Dome 704A.
- Wed., April 28 and Wed., May 5: How to Use Internet Relay Chat for Real Time Discussion. With Jerry Schutte, from 2-4 p.m., ML 248A.

Career Center Workshops

The Career Center is sponsoring workshops in the Career Center. Reservations are recommended. The schedule is as follows:

- Wed., April 21: Entertainment Workshop for Internships. With Sandi Silverman from noon to 1:30 p.m., in the USU, Pasadena Room.
- Wed., April 21: Careers in Non-Profit. With Jan Potzman and Debbie Gravelle from 1-3 p.m.
- Tue., April 27: How to Find a Job. With Angie Orzada and John Arany from 3-4 p.m.

Biotechnology Seminar Series

The colleges of Science and Mathematics, Engineering and Computer Science, Health and Human Development, and Social and Behavioral Sciences are sponsoring a seminar series exploring the interdisciplinary nature of biotechnology presented by experts from academia and industry. One unit of credit can be applied by signing up for independent study course 499 (undergraduate) or 699 (graduate).

- Thurs., April 22, Jack Iverson with the Biomedical Engineering Society will speak on "Bioinformatics: Mathematics, Computer Science, and Engineering." In Science 2223 from 2-3:30 p.m. Lecture is 2-3 p.m. with discussion afterward.
- On Fri., April 30, Miriam Cotler, chair of the health sciences department, will speak on "Issues in Genetic Engineering and Ethics." In Science 2132 from 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Training and Development Programs

The Office of Human Resource Services is sponsoring workshops on topics including accounting, career assessment, conflict mediation, employee relations, fee waiver, labor law, managing stress, new employee orientation, purchasing, retirement, tax-sheltered annuities, travel, and wellness. The upcoming schedule is:

- Wed., April 28: New Employee Orientation from 8-11 a.m. in the University Club. Topics include a campus overview, employment and benefit information, compensation system, and public safety information.

Brochures are available online at www-hrs.csun.edu. fmi-Office of Human Resource Services, x3820.

CSU Channel Islands
The health science department is announcing the opening of admissions for the RN to BSN program to be offered at CSU Channel Islands beginning in the fall semester. The program enables practicing registered nurses to complete their bachelor's of science degree in nursing. fmi-(805) 654-4575.

### Deadlines

**Outstanding Achievement for Equity and Diversity**

Nominations are being accepted for the Ninth Annual Award for Outstanding Achievement for Equity and Diversity. All departments, schools, administrative units, programs, and individuals are eligible. Nominations must be received by 5 p.m. Fri., April 30. fmi-x2077.

**Employee Fee Waiver**

State employees interested in participating in the Employee Fee Waiver or Faculty Dependent/Spouse Fee Waiver Programs for fall 1999 should contact Carol Hallenbeck, x2173, or e-mail feewaiver@csun.edu, for an application/enrollment packet. Packets will be sent automatically to continuing participants in both programs. The application deadline for new participants and continuing participants with changes in admission status is Mon., May 10. Deadline for continuing participants is Thu., July 1. The fee deadline is also July 1. Participants in the Faculty Dependent/Spouse Fee Waiver Program should follow the deadline and procedures in the schedule of classes and their fee waiver packet. The fee waiver program is located in the Office of Human Resource Services in Administration Park 702. Hours are 8 a.m.-noon, Monday-Friday. fmi-carol.hallenbeck@csun.edu or feewaiver@csun.edu.
The Associated Students Ticket Office is in the University Student Union sells tickets to many events on campus, excepted for some held by outside groups. The ticket office is open from 9:30 a.m.-5p.m. Mon.-Fri.. For prices not given, call (818) 677-3093, or x2488.

**Art**

Admission is free unless otherwise specified.

**Julie Bennett**

Featuring her works of painting.
Dates: through Fri., April 23.
Place: HH 1102 on Halsted St. east of the Art & Design Center
Info & Time: (818) 677-2156

**Gerardo Zucca**

Featuring his works of painting.
Place: HH 1102 on Halsted St. east of the Art & Design Center
Info & Time: (818) 677-2156

**Kathy Waggoner**

Featuring her works of ceramics.
Place: HH 1102 on Halsted St. east of the Art & Design Center
Info & Time: (818) 677-2156

**Aviva Weiner**

Featuring her works of art education.
Dates: Fri.-Fri., April 30-May 7.
Place: HH 1102 on Halsted St. east of the Art & Design Center
Annual Juried Student Art Exhibition

Featuring work by graduate and undergraduate art students at CSUN.
Dates: Sat., May 1-Thu., June 3.
Times: Mon.-Sat., Noon-4 p.m. and Tue.-Fri., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Place: Art Dome ML236

Paintings of Contemporary Haiti

Frantz Ewald's works are a commentary on the political upheaval in Haiti.
Dates: through Sat., May 29.
Times: Noon to 2 p.m., weekdays and one hour before Performing Arts Center performances.
Place: Performing Arts Center lobby

Athletics (home games)

Doubleheader (DH)

Softball
April 24 CSU Fullerton (DH) noon
April 25 CSU Fullerton noon

Dance

FASA Annual Filipino Cultural Night
A celebration of traditional Filipino and Filipino-American culture through song, dance and theatrics.
Date & Times: Sat., April 24, 2 & 7 p.m.
Place: Performing Arts Center
Admission: Free

Kinesiology Spring Dance Concert
The kinesiology department highlights CSUN's top dancers in this annual event directed by Paulette Shafranski.
Date & Time: Fri., April 30, 8 p.m.
Place: Performing Arts Center
Admission: $8 general, $7 senior citizens, faculty, staff and students

Film

All films are free and shown in the Satellite Student Union. Cal within five working days for a sign language interpreter. After 9 p.m., CSUN I.D. required or guests must be accompanied by someone with a CSUN I.D.

Step Mom
Thu., April 22 8 & 10 p.m.
Sat., April 24 8 & 10 p.m.

You've Got Mail
Thu., April 29 8 & 10 p.m.
Sat., May 1 8 & 10 p.m.

Music

Admission to all music events (unless otherwise specified): $10 general, $7 faculty and staff, $5 students and seniors

Odds Against Tomorrow

A screening of the film "Odds Against Tomorrow" starring Harry Belafonte. The evening will feature blacklisted writer, Abraham Polonsky, and critically acclaimed director, Robert Wise, who will discuss the film and sign copies of the newly published screenplay book, Odds Against Tomorrow: The Critical Edition.
Date & Time: Mon., May 3, 6:30 p.m.
Place: Performing Arts Center
Admission: Free

Alexander String Quartet

Music Guild Chamber Concert series.
Date & Time: Mon., April 19, 8 p.m.
Place: Performing Arts Center
Admission: $22 general, $17 seniors, $7 students, $5 CSUN students

Northridge Brass Ensemble

Conducted by William Bing, this fiery brass ensemble will hold your attention.
Date & Time: Wed., April 21, 8 p.m.
Place: Recital Hall
Admission: Free

CSUN New Music Ensemble

Featuring a mix of recent works and 20th century classics directed by Daniel Kessner.
Date & Time: Sat., April 24, 8 p.m.
Place: Recital Hall

CSUN Steel Drum Ensemble Concert

The Steel Drum Ensemble performs a wide variety of music with a bit of something for everyone. Audience members are invited to play in the "Engine Room" (rhythm section) of the band.
Date & Time: Sun., April 25, 3 p.m.
Place: Performing Arts Center

Jim and Joy with the Heartland Band in Concert
Direct from Nashville, Heartland Radio presents the next great country duet. Hosted by Gerry Dicker.
Date & Time: Sun., April 25, 7:30 p.m.
Place: Performing Arts Center
Admission: $20 general, $15 seniors, $10 students and children Tickets available at CSUN Ticket Office x2488.

Guitar Solo Recital

Music by classical guitar performance majors both graduate and undergraduate students of Ron Purcell
Date & Time: Thu., April 29, 8 p.m.
Place: Recital Hall
Admission: Free

The University Chorus with the Women's Chorale

An evening with two of CSUN's talented choral ensembles accompanied by pianist Carol Roberts and Jan Sanborn on the organ, conducted by Elmer Heerema and Nicole Baker.
Date & Time: Fri., April 30, 8 p.m.
Place: University Student Union, Northridge Room

Mariachi Reyna de Los Angeles in "A Tribute to Women's Mariachi"

Under the direction of Jose Hernandez (Mariachi Sol de Mexico), featuring young women bringing a new perspective to Mariachi music.
Date & Time: Sat., May 1, 8 p.m.
Place: Performing Arts Center
Admission: $15

Afternoon Delight

Guitar students of Ron Borczon and Gregory Newton present a concert of classical, contemporary and chamber jazz.
Date & Time: Sat., May 1, 1 p.m.
Place: Recital Hall
Admission: Free

The CSUN Honors String Quartet

Performing some of the great works written for string quartets, directed by Andrew Cook.
Date & Time: Sun., May 2, 8 p.m.
Place: Recital Hall

Chicano Studies Dept. 30th Anniv. Celebration Showcase

A festive showcase featuring Mariachi Aztlan, Ballet Folklorico, Conjuntos Hueypan, music and dance groups from the Chicano Studies department and many others.
Date & Time: Sun., May 2, 2 p.m.
Place: Performing Arts Center
Admission: Free

Piano Ensemble Recital

Piano duets and works for two pianos, four hands, directed by Elmer Heerema.
Date & Time: Tue., May 4, 7 p.m.  
Place: Recital Hall  
Admission: Free  

Theater/Performance

Shelter

An original play about the homeless in a New York shelter learning to express themselves and their lives through creative writing. Written by graduate student Erica Paley Stevens, directed by CSUN alumna Lee Isenberg.  
Dates & Times: April 16-18, 22-25; 8 p.m. Thu.-Sat., and 5 p.m. Sun.  
Place: Studio Theater, Speech/Drama Building  
Admission: $6 general, $4 student  

Brothers Grimm Sisters Wild

Featuring the world's favorite tales, told through the arts and magic of puppetry and live performance with playwright/director alumnæ Mia Truxaw.  
Dates & Times: April 23-25; Fridays 7 p.m., Sat. & Sun. 2 p.m.  
Place: Little Theatre, Speech/Drama building  
Admission: $5

Working

From corporate executive to garment worker and from the fireman to a housewife, the audience will see inside these lives to share the humor, the hope and the heart that built America.  
Dates & Times:

- Fri., April 30, 8 p.m.  
- Sat., May 1, 8 p.m.  
- Sun., May 2, 5 p.m.  
- Wed., May 5, 7 p.m.  
- Thurs.-Sat., May 6-8, 8 p.m.  
- Sun., May 9, 5 p.m.

Place: Campus Theatre, Speech/Drama building  
Admission: $12 general, $10 faculty, staff, senior, $7 student

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