



# Newsletter

Associated Students Newsletter

November 2018

## CAREER FAIR

Come and learn about the different job/internship/volunteer opportunities the community has to offer such as: Law Enforcement, School Districts, and more!

This event is open to students and community members.

**When:**

Thursday, November 15, 2018

**Time:**

3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

**Location:**

SDSU-IV Rollie Carrillo Quad/Walkway

**Questions?**

Please contact Student Life & Career Services Coordinator, Melyssa Gonzalez, at (760) 768-5556.

## ART GALLERY EXHIBIT

Rio Grande Blitz - A Solo Exhibition by Artist Luis Alonso Sanchez



**When:** Thursday, November 8, 2018

**Time:** 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**Where:** Stepling Art Gallery

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## Disneyland Field Trip

### Reminder



**When:**

**Saturday, December 1, 2018**

**Departure:** Saturday, December 1<sup>st</sup>  
6:00 a.m. - SDSU-IV Parking Lot  
(must be at parking lot by 5:45 a.m.)

**Arrival:** Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> @ approximately  
between 3:00 a.m. - 4:00 a.m. - SDSU-IV  
Parking Lot

Please take your Red ID/valid ID with you as they will be checked when you board the bus.

We **will not** return on the same bus so you **cannot** leave items on the bus.

Disneyland has lockers so items can be left there. You may take snacks and beverages with lids for the bus ride.

(We are not liable for lost/stolen items.)





## Soccer Tournament



**When:** Tuesday, November 20, 2018

**Time:** 11:30 a.m. to 12:55 p.m.

**Where:** Rollie Carrillo Quad

Team forms will be available in the Student Union Building. There is a minimum requirement of six (6) players per team.

**Food and snacks will be provided by your Associated Students Council for those who participate. 1st place team members will receive a prize. Don't miss out!**

## Active Shooter Response Training

**When:** Thursday, November 29, 2018

**Time:** 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

**Where:** Room LA-4

This presentation is in collaboration with SDSU-IV and SDSU PD.

Open to students, faculty, and staff.

**ACTIVE SHOOTER RESPONSE**  
LEARN HOW TO SURVIVE A SHOOTING EVENT



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## **Campus Safety** tips

1. Be aware of your surroundings.
2. Report any suspicious behavior or activity.
3. Park in a well-lighted area.
4. Take extra precautions at night, carry a flash light.
5. At night, walk with a friend to your vehicle.
6. Have keys on hand when walking to your vehicle.
7. Know your exits. There is always an exit besides the entrance where you walked in.
8. Don't engage in possible dangerous situations, notify 911 and then security.

## **2018 Nutrition Education Resources Convening Event**



**When:** Wednesday, November 14, 2018

**Where:** SDSU-IV Library

**Time:** 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

### **Invited**

- **Imperial Valley Food Bank**
- **Imperial County Department of Social Services**
- **Imperial County Public Health Department**
- **Calexico Neighborhood House**
- **University of California Cooperative Extension**
- **University of California Desert Research & Extension Center/Farm Smart**



**Veterans Day (Observed):**

Monday, November 12, 2018 (Campus Closed)

**Thanksgiving Break:**

Wednesday, November 21, 2018 (No Classes, Campus Open)

Thursday, November 22, 2018 (Campus Closed)

Friday, November 23, 2018 (Campus Closed)

# AZTEC OF THE MONTH



“My name is Jocelyn Leslie Garza, and I am a full time student at SDSU-IV campus. Before I start talking about my experience let me give you the background story of how I managed to get where I am now. Before graduating from Brawley Union High School in 2017 I began taking classes on concurrent enrollment at Imperial Valley College.

Concurrent Enrollment is a program where you can take college level courses as a high school student as long as you have the right GPA and your counselor approves of it. The exciting thing about it is that the classes are FREE for high school students and you jump ahead of your classmates speeding up the whole college experience. On concurrent enrollment I was able to clear out a semester worth of classes and started strong in the IVUP program. After graduating from high school June 8, 2017, I was able to graduate from IVC with distinction, June 9, 2018, exactly one year apart. Keep in mind that I was taking 16+ units every semester, and taking about 3-4 classes every summer and winter semester. It was a struggle, but thanks to my hard work and dedication, AND my support system I was able to graduate with not one, but two Associate’s Degrees. One was in Administration of Justice and the other was in Behavioral and Social Sciences. I’m proud to say that at the age of 18 I accomplished much more than I expected to do so.

Now, I am glad that I am only focusing on San Diego State and I’m striving to get my Bachelors very soon. I feel so blessed to be a part of this institution because everyone makes you feel so welcomed from the staff to the coordinators and even the whole AS group. I’m having fun at the same time meeting new people because I was originally Cohort 2017, but since I’ve jumped around I’m now a junior taking classes with Cohort of 2016. It’s a different experience because you’d expect to be with all of your friends and the people you initially came in with but, meeting these higher level students is just as great. I really enjoy the open environment on this campus and that everyone is so involved with different events like volleyball and soccer tournaments, trips, and that they really show the Aztec spirit. I’ve been a part of a few trips like Universal Studios and I hope to experience many more during my time here. To whomever nominated me as Aztec of the Month, I greatly appreciate it and I hope this very little essay is inspiring and encouraging towards others to strive and pursue an education here at San Diego State. ¡GO AZTECS!”

***Jocelyn Leslie Garza***

***Criminal Justice***

***Class of 2020***

