October 17-21, 2011 on the Bakersfield College Main Campus

BC “Geek Week” 2011

Bakersfield College will recognize the importance that Audio Visual makes in our daily life by celebrating National Audio/Visual Week October 17-21, 2011. National Audio Visual Week was started by the professional audiovisual trade association InfoComm International to recognize the importance of audiovisual technology.

Audio Visual (Media Services) staff at Bakersfield College help to enhance the student educational experience by providing the necessary technology to our classrooms and by assisting faculty and staff with the necessary tools to provide that experience! We are starting small this year with only two days of workshops on October 18th and 19th!

Please come to a workshop and gain some valuable tools!!

We have an awesome giveaway! You’ll get one entry for each workshop or technology demo that you attend and the more entries you have the better chance you’ll have to win!

“TECHNO-TUESDAY” October 18th

11am – 12:30 Technology Demo: FrontRow Audio Systems and eBeam Edge
(Student Services 151): Check out some audio/voice amplification hardware from FrontRow systems and an interactive whiteboard solution (eBeam). A representative from Troxell, Communications Inc. will be on hand with other new A/V technology!

12:45-1:15 (in SS 3A) 1:30-2pm (in FACE 20) – Technology Demo: Epson Brightlink Interactive Short Throw Projector: Join us for an interactive demo on the new Brightlink short throw projector. We have one installed in Student Services 3A and one in Family & Consumer Ed 20. A brief explanation of TeamBoard Draw will be given and some pointers from the Epson representative. Bring your questions and check it out! Those interested in a SmartBoard should attend.

2pm-2:45pm – Peer to Peer: “Inside BC” with Richard Marquez (in Library 147) Come and learn the successful ways that English Professor Richard Marquez enjoys using the new portal “Inside BC” with his classes and students. He’ll share his valuable insight and offer some great tips on how to use the portal. This is a great workshop for faculty interested in using the new portal or anyone interested in “Inside BC”! Be sure to sign up early, there is limited seating and you won’t want to miss Richard’s presentation! Cookies will be served!!
“WI-FI WEDNESDAY” October 19

9am until 4pm – “BC’s Biggest Geek 2011” Competition: Are you the biggest technology geek at Bakersfield College? If so, today is your day to get recognized for it! Remember, pocket protectors and taped glasses are the norm so you’ll have to outshine the norm to win! A picture truly tells your story... so we need your picture as your entry. Media Services staff will take your picture on Wednesday October 19th only. No college or high school pictures – it must be from October 19th only!! A blue ribbon panel of judges will decide and the winner which will be announced at College Council on Friday October 21st.

10am-10:45 – CCC Confer Admin Tools Workshop (Levinson 40): Geared towards support staff: Anyone is welcome to attend. Learn the latest in setting up meetings with your computer using a valuable tool, CCC Confer. Join the experts at CCC Confer who will share how to set up a FREE account, set up conference calls for meetings over a conference telephone, webinar meetings and more. This workshop is geared towards staff, which will then have an extra technology tool at their disposal!!

11-11:45 – Do You See What I See? Jing with Todd Coston (Levinson 40): Jing is a simple but effective screen recording and screen capture tool. It can be used in a wide variety of ways both for instructional purposes and in every day work. Jing allows you to make short recordings of activity on your computer screen and then easily share it with others. The tools are free and work on both PC and Mac.

12-12:45 – Brown Bag it & Chat with a Techie (Levinson 40): IT & Media Services staff will be on hand to have this brown bag chat session. “BYOD and more...” Meaning Bring Your Own Device and more... this session is to answer any questions you have about Information Services and Media Services and what our two departments can do for you! So bring your own lunch and your questions! Cookies will be served!!

1:15 – OMG! BC on FBI! WTH!? Social Media at Bakersfield College (Levinson 40) BC’s Public Information Officer (PIO) Amber Chiang presents. Come learn about all the places that Bakersfield College is out there using social media! Facebook, Twitter, you name it, it’s simply amazing what Amber does to promote/highlight/provide information in social media about Bakersfield College. She will share the funny and the bizarre aspects of using social media, this will be an engaging presentation! Cookies will be served!!

2:2:45 – CCC Confer Faculty Tools Workshop (Levinson 40): Geared towards faculty: Anyone is welcome to attend. Join the CCC Confer experts as they share how to set up office hours, use the various tools that CCC Confer offers faculty such as chat/webinars and archiving. They will also show you how to set up a FREE account!