New school shooting brings calls for gun reform

By Melissa Defoor

Thousands of students and their parents gathered to the event amid calls at the Career Expo.

The career expo was created to help students explore different career options and fields with growing job availability in Bakersfield and Kern County. It also helps to aid students who may not know what they want to pursue for a specific career or field.

The Kern High School District put together the career expo in partnership with the Bakersfield College Career Center.

The Career Expo focused on identifying the most promising careers in Kern County for students who are interested in pursuing a career but are unsure of what job is right for them. The expo is free to students.

The career pathways available at BC are Agriculture and Natural Resources, Arts, Media, and Communications, Business Marketing, Information Technology, Engineering and Industrial Technology, Health Services, and Public and Human Services.

Different businesses and employers, including General Motors, Coca-Cola, Citrus, Tri-County, American Airlines, Dollar General, California Highway Patrol, Bakersfield Police Department and Kern County Human Services, were represented at the expo.

The concept for the career expo began in October 2015, and by mid-February, the organizers had received nearly 150 applications for the event, which is scheduled to run from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday at BC.

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Bakersfield College's Department of Public Safety discusses increases in car burglaries near campus

By Jasmin Britto
Web & Social Media Editor

A recent increase in vehicle break-ins on Panorama Drive has Bakersfield College students worried about their safety. Lisa Counts, Director of the Department of Public Safety, said the department is aware of the issues and is working to address them.

According to Counts, in the month of November, the department handled an increase in reports of break-ins. She said the majority of the incidents occurred on Panorama Drive and nearby streets.

In addition, on-campus car burglaries have remained low. One of the reasons why campus parking lots remain less vulnerable to break-ins is that students and staff frequently report where they park their vehicles.

As soon as they are reported, officers will immediately respond to the scene and look for any signs of forced entry.

“I am pleased that our campus community is reporting the situation. If you own a vehicle, please report your car break-in so we can continue to investigate these incidents and reduce their occurrence,” Counts stated.

Counts also said that Public Safety is aware of the reported break-ins on campus, and the department is working to address the issue.

Alumni, members of the community, and members of the local government are also aware of the issue. The department has been working with campus neighbors to increase awareness and prevent future break-ins.

The department recommended that students lock their vehicles and use the parking garage when possible. They also encouraged students to report any suspicious activity to the department.

“By taking these steps, we can work together to reduce the number of break-ins on campus and create a safer environment for all,” Counts said.

Energy Science Fair informs students

By Hector Martinez
Reporters

With the help of PG&E and Chevron, students from 35 high schools in the San Joaquin Valley participated in a regional Energy Science Fair. The fair was designed to increase awareness of energy and environmental issues among students.

The students presented their projects related to energy science and sustainability. They showcased their projects on the stages of their schools and presented to the judges, who were teachers or professionals in the field.

The fair featured 35 projects, each with a unique theme, such as alternative energy sources, renewable resources, and climate change.

In addition, a panel of judges evaluated the projects and selected the winners. The winners received recognition and cash prizes for their efforts.

“I was really happy that this event was held at the high school on Thursday, Feb. 9,' 906, and 909,' explained Velasquez.

The fair provided an opportunity for students to learn about energy science and sustainability, and to express their creativity and ideas.

Harry Singh, Meredith Switalski, Harper Singh were three seniors that informed the Lakeside students about the fair. "we are informing the 8th graders what community, public, and private colleges are and what the differences are,' explained Switalski.

Velasquez explained that her group had researched a lot about many colleges in order to give the correct information. One of the colleges they were explaining about was Bakersfield College. Aaron Facebook, teacher at the school, felt really happy that this event was taking place at the high school. "now, we got a lot of help and support from our community. People come and meet our students and tell them about the fair, and they are happy to be informed," said Facebook.

IHS teachers gives a warm welcome to Lakeside students at gym

By Paige Atkison
Reporters

IHS teachers gave a warm welcome to Lakeside students at gym orientation. Miller is represented by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be expressed by the person making it that is to be
The event “Global Connection” brings the world to Bakersfield College

By Jenny Rosato
Web & Social Media Editor

Bakersfield College and the Kern County Museum are working to celebrate world cultures and communities. "Global Connection," on March 13 at the Renegade Crossroads in the cafeteria on 21st Street, will provide BC students, faculty, and staff with an opportunity to engage with non-BC international students who are eager to learn about American culture as well as share more about their own countries, their traditions, and their culture.

Shelton Ramirez, organizer and international student affairs, said the annual event will bring the world to Bakersfield College community. It will also help international students meet local students outside of the classroom.

According to Ramirez, the purpose of this event is to encourage and promote among students and faculty to increase awareness and appreciation of other cultures. "It is through education that we can provide a broader understanding and social development," he added.

"Global Connection" will consist of two parts. The first part is the Cultural Group Exhibitions, which will take place from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Renegade Crossroads and Center Studios. Students will be representing their countries and share stories with those who stop by. Ramirez said students attend to expect is a fun atmosphere with music, dance, and international students. Music from different countries will be adding all of the activities for the day. As of 2016, "Global Connection," BC’s international students served by the International Student Affairs Office represent 24 different countries and seven states.

The second part of "Global Connection" will be dedicated to faculty and staff who have made a difference in the lives of international students. The annual International Faculty Appreciation Dinner celebrates individuals who staff and students feel have been particularly supportive during their time. All international students have the opportunity to invite BC faculty or staff of their choice to this dinner and present them with a gift. During the dinner event, students will have the opportunity to network with representatives from the Kern County Museum.

"The second reason is that one can feel like they are in their neighborhood and seeing the history of Bakersfield in something we like. The second reason to one of our students when the home is built for the family may have been immigrants as well as recently freed people." This amendment allows the different perspectives to contribute members to society again." Ramirez said.

"We want to have a good second relationship," said McFarland Chief of Police Scot Kimble and other participants of the event.

Chief Martin said, "It starts at home. Teaching the youth that dignity comes from within. You have to believe that you are beautiful. You have to believe that you are beautiful. You have to be proud of yourself."

The dinner is by invitation only, and attendees who will be representing their countries will include Vietnam, Jordan, Palestine, and Turkey. The dinner will be held at the Firestone Room from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Both local and international students are welcomed to stop by the Renegade Crossroads to spend some time learning about the world on March 13.

Ramirez also encouraged those who wish to connect and host an international student. The International Student Affairs Office can be reached at (661) 365-4652.

The professional dealers prepare themselves before everyone begins to play poker later at the casino night.

Audience at the casino night enjoy the food that was made for them by the Women’s Club of Bakersfield. They can be reached at (661) 395-4652.

The member that owned the house was Elaini Marcell, and she was also the president of the Women’s Club of Bakersfield from 1938 to 1940. Carpenter explained that they had several games for the guests to play, just like they would in any casino. Some of the games included Craps, Roulette, Wheel of Fortune, Blackjack, and Wheel of Fortune. Carpenter explained that theaffle wheels were available for the guests with them all for the players. Carpenter said, "We have had other events where the Women’s Club of Bakersfield has been at the event as well as those who act as the chair of all the activities for the day."

The evening was a good way to spend a Friday night, and also the people who attended made a good cause for helping restore the McKeel House at the Kern County Museum.

"I have to be just like him." Carpenter said.

I noticed that drinking more water helps my skin more than anything. Also, invest in skin care products that work. I feel so much better after I use them. We have recently started using more expensive products that feel so amazing.

The idea is that you have done something good for yourself and you feel good about it. It makes you feel better. Although some are hopeful that the skin care products that work, I think it makes you feel good. We believe in a mental health hotline. From my experience, they are incredibly helpful when you feel like you need them.

One side you write what you love about yourself and the other side you write about what you don’t like about yourself.

Making a list can be an eye opener and it has helped a lot. Although it helps you to realize what to do for yourself and not be another student and not an outcast."

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Local author shares advice at writer’s workshop

By Melissa Puryear

The Writers of Kern (WOK), a local nonprofit, which focuses on providing writer’s workshops, recently held a workshop to sharpen their writing craft, share their work, and network with other authors by attending monthly meetings, workshops and citywide writing events. WOK member and past speaker J.L. Martin, an accomplished writer and founder of Wolfpack Publishing, was an October speaker and host of the workshop. The workshop was held at Books’n’Beats on Feb. 17. The subject of the workshop was Writing and Publishing Tips.

Martin, who was born in Bakersfield, graduated from Bakersfield College and has a Bakersfield College degree in English. Martin is bilingual in English and Spanish, and has grown up in the Southern High School neighborhood. He grew up writing, reading, and working in the arts and entertainment field. He brought his expertise to the workshop and shared how to host a successful book signing event, and how authors can sell their work and find them

On rejection letters, Martin said, “If you don’t get enough rejection letters you’re not writing enough.” To Martin “Rejections are a funny thing ... you think they [publishers] are giving you the cold shoulder, but what you have to do, and what you’re doing is so bad, that’s very seldom the case.”

Martin also mentioned rejection has to do with publishing limitations. “It’s a high bar when you’re coming from here and you want your ‘dirt’ for an author’s book, because the times are fit with the piece.”

It’s not the only insightful tip to the publishers world. When it comes to getting a rejection letter and authors should take notice. When authors do think he has feedback and tip of the rejection letter read, “This work is not right for our publishing.”

Yet Martin, who admitted to sending his book to every publisher he could, said, that the very next day, he received a rejection letter from a different publisher for the same book and this time, Martin was Louis L’Amour was a famous author. "I’m sure you’re credit, as one of the best and top cessation of his stories that helped him later in life and that his credits. The rest of his work. He employs both old-school network and marketing, as well as those who think he can’t do well in life and that’s very seldom the case."

As an author he wanted to get his books into as many hands as he could, so he decided to approach Army (Airforce Exchange Service) for a book signing on a military installation. This month, the Army sent him a simple email to warn him not to bring in the help of an SEO (Search Engine Optimization) expert. Martin said that he offered this expert half of the proceeds of the sale so they could still be able to walk out with one book signing a day. He commented on how he would have been on the fence if he had any. He also mentioned a positive outcome of how many books he has sold through his book signings in the early days of his writing career. He submitted his work to everywhere. This brought him to his advice on quitter letters. He said, “Writing a book is not for the weak, but it’s not for the weak. If you want to see Castro succeed, as well as those who think he can’t do well in life and that’s very seldom the case.”

Journalist Mark Trahan speaks about Native Americans at CSUB “Walter Presents” series

On Feb. 13, California State University Bakersfield hosted Mark Trahan for the “Walter Presents” series welcomed their students, teachers, and guest speaker Mark Trahan, a local journalist and advocate for Native American issues. Trahan is an independent journalist and author who has over 25 years experience in covering the issues affecting Native American people. Trahan brought up how congress is in the process of putting Native American people in the spotlight and showing them that there is a Native American community. The plan, Hoyt explains, is to go back to the time when Native American people were going out of fashion papers were going out of fashion and he wished to open up his own budget and to show that there is a Native American community. Trahan expressed his thoughts on how happy he was with the outcome of the lecture and how he hoped to educate more people about the topic of Native American health and wellness in future discussions.

Revenge Struggles: Gregorio Castro

We all struggle, and everyone has a different story. Each issue of The Rip will feature a student overcoming certain struggles to gain a new education and better their life.

By Miranda Defore

In the summer of 2017, current Bakersfield College student, Gregorio Castro, 35, tried to enroll in summer classes at his local community college an area of study that was not cost effective for decades. Castro said, he was raised in Kern County, from age 16, when he was put in an adult, inner-city environment where gang violence was rampant until age 35. During his time out, he had left his brother of 15 years. It wasn’t until Castro met James Hoyt, who was in the midst of writing a book, that Castro was able to find a way back into society. According to Hoyt, his brother was not able to go to school and was left with the question of how to get an education. Thus, Hoyt helped create group on campus and to learn how to study and socialize. According to Hoyt, Castro’s work was not only to do well in the class when they were in high school, but he also made sure to write a book.

When Castro started his first semester at BC, he was in a big challenge to do well in college. As he was incarcerated for a year and a half and was in “big trouble,” he said, he had to get a hold of himself. Castro attended classes for a few months before he was released from jail. He was released in 2012.

Castro is in an activities leader for the Bakersfield College and the Kern County office of the American Legion, he said that he is able to speak at conferences and events and can speak at conferences and events and he enjoys talking about the issue of Native American health and wellness in future discussions.

Gregorio Castro, 35, Bakersfield College student and member of Free on the Outside (FOTO) stands in the BC courtyard after sharing his struggles about becoming a student after incarceration.
By Alexis Pedroza

Jackson State University recruiter engages in a conversation with BC students at HBCU event to provide academic opportunities.

For their interest. This application also provides information on how to apply and list important dates and requirements for better helpers to succeed through the process.

According to Swindell, one of the many advantages HBCUs have is that they provide an intimate education.

They’re very diverse,” Swindell said. This gives students a higher chance of completing college and earning their degrees. Most admin- istrators for these colleges personally reach out to their students and say that they have a family atmosphere for students.

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Movie Review

“Black Panther” was a success

By Karla Gutierrez

Editor-in-Chief

The physical copy of Topp Dogg’s 1st Original Album “First Klass.” Nevertheless, Xeno-T never has created music for their fans “Top-Deck.”

The CD and I didn’t want to spoil anything for the audience. There are also two more singles “Rainy Day” and “Topp Dogg.”

The story of Topp Dogg was “Rainy Day.”

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Xeno-T satisfies my ears with joy

CD Review

By Karla Gutierrez

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Includes: Benjamin Martinez and Alexis Pedroza, Katelyn Martinez and Alexis Pedroza, Sabrina Lopez, Hector F. Bejar, Diana Coronado, Miranda Saucedo, Sydney Bound Benefit Concert for the BC Student Food Pantry benefit concert from 7-10 p.m. at the Kern County Fair Grounds

Xeno-T, formerly known as Toppy Doggy, has made adjustments since their debut in 2013. Their debut album in 2013, 2014, 2015 for CNPA General Excellence publication by Associated Collegiate Press

Why am I the only one trembling? I expect the whole audience in the theatre to be trembling. Why am I the only one trembling?

Xeno-T is currently planning to step of the way.

When I got this album, I didn’t know what to expect because “First Klass” can be anything. I was not too sure about this album. However, the only song that I have from this album is “Rainy Day.”

Listening to it is a lot of fun, I have to say I like their music very much and upbeat sound, for me is “Topp Deck”

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"by" and in so doing, he said that the greatest mistakes we have made in America is to allow the government and in so doing, we have had a major problem in what things when they happen. She said the fact is that the Democratic officials will stop that, "something will happen.

But her solution isn’t to stir it up. In fact, she said, "I will not pursue a policy, not excuse, pay the price.

The following story was the beginning of the end for gun reforming in America.

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Comeback stopped short by Moorpark defense, with 9-6

Naythan Bryant

The Renegades baseball team was defeated 9-6 by Moorpark College on Feb. 20. Moorpark’s Leifohn Delbello and Domnezio hit a double in the top of the third, driving the score to 7-2 by the end of the inning. Darin Lavigne and Jason Hyman each scored an RBI while Raggiros single to center field brought in two runs for the Raiders.

The game stayed scoreless for two innings until Moorpark’s Lavigne struck to right field, earning his second RBI of the night. BC’s scoring threat in the eighth inning brought the Renegades close to a comeback but was stopped short by Moorpark defense. Kamron Dodge, Colby Freeman, Ryan Darbee, and Brycin Hernandez all earned an RBI in the inning, bringing the final score to 9-6. BC pitcher Taylor Barnes was credited with the loss, allowing seven runs, six earned, in six innings against Moorpark pitcher Jordan Beig was awarded the win. He faced five batters and struck out two with zero runs allowed. BC currently stands at 6-10 in league and are set to play at Fullerton in their next game on Feb. 20 at 2:00 p.m.

BC victorious in double-header vs. Taft College

Naythan Bryant

The Bakersfield College softball team was victorious in a double-header against Taft College on Feb. 20. The first game brought a win with a score of 3-1 in favor of BC in BC pitcher Kyler Faly shut down Taft’s offense. Polk faced 24 batters and only allowed a single run with 11 strikeouts. Taft’s single run came from Allie Dobie home run in the top of the second inning. BC player Sanita Buntes earned the Renegades only two RBIs of the game. Doubles from Buntes and Haleigh Hutton propelled the Renegades to score two runs in the bottom of the sixth inning, which brought the final score for the Renegades to 3-1. BC kept the bats swinging into the starters overall record to 13-4 in league and are set to play Santa Barabara on Feb. 22 at 2:30 p.m.

BC wins conference game against Pierce

By Alexander Apata

The Renegades softball team won a double-header against Taft College on Feb. 20. The next away game is March 3 at 3 p.m.

Bakersfield College takes the game against Santa Barbara College with a close-call score of 2 - 1 in last inning

By Miranda DeFor

The Bakersfield College softball team won against Santa Barbara with a 2 to 1 score on Feb 22. Pitcher Kyler Faly is the current winning pitcher with three hits and eight strikeouts. Haley Hutton helped bring the team to victory after the tough game against Santa Barbara.

The next Gades softball home game is March 5 against Ventura and the next away game is March 5 at Pomerville.

In the eighth inning Nathan Ortiz throws ball to Hector Ruvalcaba to tag out a player at second.
WWE Smackdown wrestles it out in Bakersfield

By Karla Gutierrez

“WWE Smackdown Live” on the USA Network had a record-breaking May 20th, with a peak 4.5 rating and a total audience of 3.5 million viewers. The show featured a non-televised match and several controversies that kept the audience on the edge of their seats.

The show started with a dark match that included wrestlers like the current Cruiserweight Champion Akira Tozawa and Becky Lynch. The match ended with Tozawa being counted out in an octopus hold by Lynch.

The main event was a big thriller between Baron Corbin vs. Kevin Owens. Corbin was the heel character, but the audience was cheering for Owens to win. This had not happened before, but the match continued with Owens being played as a bad guy by the audience.

The show ended with a qualifying match to see who will go on to face the WWE Cruiserweight Champion at WrestleMania. It was a close match between Corbin and Owens.

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BC Women's Tennis Team has close call with SB Community College, 5-4

By Alexis Pedraza

The Bakersfield College women's tennis team won 5-4 against Santa Barbara Community College on March 13. The Renegades' win was due to the team's ability to pull off some close wins in their singles matches.

Serena Contreras defeated opposing player Gabrielle Goss 6-4, 6-3, to give the Renegades the first win of the day. Brandi Borjon then went on to win both her games, with a score of 6-4, 6-3. As a result, the Renegades secured a win against SBCC.

However, the Renegades faced a tough battle in their singles matches. Caleb Johnson from SBCC defeated Renegade player Conrad Tessendorf 6-3, 6-4, 6-3, which brought the score to 3-1 in favor of SBCC.

The next Renegade player, Jordan Nelson, won his singles match against SBCC’s Ian Johnson, 6-3, 6-4, which brought the score to 4-1. The final scoreline was 3-1 in favor of SBCC.

The Renegades' men's tennis team played single matches against SBCC, losing 5-4

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The Renegades played an exciting singles match against SBCC, losing 5-4.
**By Alexandra Apatiga**

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When I think of a fun day out, I think of going out with my family to eat somewhere, or hanging out at a friend's place playing games, and not having to cook and just chilling the day away. Now, in the midst of all the worst dreams I would think escaping a confined room was at the very least fun, but that's exactly how it went. I had the opportunity to participate in a popular puzzle adventure game known as an escape room, which are basically life-sized puzzle rooms filled with clues and challenge. The overall goal of an escape room is simple enough in that the name itself; you need to escape the room. The setup is straightforward, but it’s the way escape rooms are presented and built that make them so exciting and mysterious. And trust me, once you've done an escape room, there's nothing else like it.

Here in Bakersfield we have a few escape room attractions, but the one I participated in was the Bakersfield Escape Room. There are dozens if not hundreds of escape rooms across the United States, all with their own unique themes, rules, level of difficulty and challenges. But the basic format is that all escape rooms follow several key principles which keep people interested.

Normally, an escape room consists of a single room outlined with clues, riddles and puzzles that need to be solved or unlocked in a specific way or order. The key is in your use of clues in such a small space, and the room's enigmatic components and clues that are both easy and challenging enough for people to engage themselves in and makes the goal of escaping all the more fun!

To put it simply, the more people the better, and it makes the experience all the more fun.

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**Alexandra Apatiga is baffled over whether or not she escaped the Bakersfield Escape Room. She successfully took over the ongoing investigation that Roger Knight had begun, suddenly disappearing. Knight left clues for her to finish the investigation.**

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**Alexandra Apatiga, Editor-in-Chief, attempts the last combination code before opening the case. After several failed attempts with her friend Karla Gutierrez, she was thrilled when she finally got it open. Her finishing score was 4 minutes and 10 seconds. A worker from the escape room gave them tips on a TV screen.**

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**Alexandra Apatiga finds a clue in a book that helps put the investigation together that Knight had begun.**

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**Alexandra Apatiga tries several combinations until she finally opens the drawer. Apatiga is successful with a combination and finds a clue to help her further investigate the case of a missing person.**

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**Alexandra Apatiga is at peace knowing they have escaped the Bakersfield Escape Room.**

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**Alexandra Apatiga and Karla Gutierrez**

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