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State Employee Charitable Campaign

Human Resources would like to sincerely thank each and every one of you for your participation in this year's SECC. Your involvement in the campaign is critical to the mission and success of the charities involved in the campaign, many of whom depend primarily on the generosity of state employees for support.

We give to you a round of applause for the fantastic job that you did in this year's campaign. ACC employees contributed \$45,073.10! Again, thank you for the support of the community and the passion you bring to the campaign.

Professional Development

Mark your calendars for ACC's Spring Development Day, scheduled for Friday, January 15, 2010. In lieu of a morning session at an offsite location, Professional Development workshops will be held at HBC at 9am-10:30am and 10:45am-12:15pm. Afternoon sessions will also be offered, from 1:30pm-3:00pm and 3:15pm-4:45pm.

The web site for the day will be available December 1st; a reminder email will go out when it is accessible. In the meantime, if you have questions please contact the Office of Professional Development & Evaluation Programs either by calling 223-7997 or emailing Nicole Bell, at nbell2@austincc.edu.

ACC Academy Participants

Congratulations to the 2009-2010 ACC Academy Participants!

Name	Title
David Baker	Sr. Computer Lab Support Technician
Gail Bayeta	Assistant Professor
Ana Broadwater	Administrative Assistant III
Keri Brophy-Martinez	Associate Professor
Azure Brown	Record Management Coordinator
Lee Buentello	Help Desk Manager
Raul Cantu	Assistant Professor
Tracie German	IT Planning Coordinator
Kelly Grant	HR Specialist II
Jeffrey Harris	Recruiting/Advising Specialist
Bernadette Hinterlong	Lab Technician
Teri Layton	Administrative Assistant III
Janette Rangel	Administrative Assistant III
Anabel Sanchez	Accounting Director
Noko Wilson	Financial Aid Specialist
Mirosalva Zuniga	Administrative Assistant II

Benefits

Diabetes ongoing Support Group for ACC Staff and Faculty

Diabetes: Take Action!

This is a group for anyone who has diabetes or is interested in learning more about diabetes. Group Leader is Sandra Gaskin (Sandy) RN, MSN. Sandy has spent most of her nursing career teaching about diabetes and helping others manage their diabetes.

November's support group will meet on November 18th in room 301.2. This is an ongoing group. November and December the group will meet the third Friday of each month. Sessions will include, What is Diabetes? What is all the fuss about food and diabetes? How do I get up and get moving? What does my medication really do?

Please join us. Sign up, come and have fun and learn a lot! To register, please email avaldez1@austincc.edu . For questions, call Alisol V. Martinez, HR Specialist II at 512.223.7800.

Come and learn about Texas Guardianships:

- What is it?
- What are the purposes for getting a guardianship?
- What are the types of guardianship?
- How do you petition for a guardianship?
- What are the alternatives to a guardianship?

General information will be provided about what to do when an individual or family member becomes incapable of making responsible decisions.

November 20, 2009 -HBC Room 301.2 – 1-2pm

To reserve a seat, please register by November 19th . Employees must register online at:

<https://www3.austincc.edu/it/workshops/www/gotoevents.php> Please contact Alisol V. Martinez at 512.223.7800 or by email at avaldez1@austincc.edu if you have any questions.

Holiday Spending: Simplified

The holiday shopping experience can cause unnecessary stress – financial, mental, and physical. Because of aggressive holiday advertising and crowded retail centers, it is wise to prepare yourself, and your family, before you head to the stores. This workshop will help you plan ahead with strategies for creating a holiday budget and sticking to it, creative suggestions for gifts, and tips for saving on your purchases.

A \$50 dollar Visa Gift Card will be given away as a door prize and a goodie bag!

December 9, 2009 -HBC Room 103.2- 12-1pm

To reserve a seat, please register by December 7th . Employees must register online at:

<https://www3.austincc.edu/it/workshops/www/gotoevents.php>

Speaker: Dawn M. Ambuehl-Sadek, M.Ed., Community Education Director, A+ Federal Credit Union