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MERCED COLLEGE INTRODUCES FULL SCHEDULE OF FALL ARTS EVENTS

From fine art to live music and dramatic performances, Merced College's Arts Division has lined up a full schedule of events during the fall.

"Our fine and performing arts program is first class," said John Albano, dean of Social Science, Humanities, and the Arts. "We invite the community to join us this fall as we roll out another great semester of events."

The College Art Gallery, located in the Theater Building, has scheduled the following exhibits:

Dean DeCocker, Sculpture

August 17 – September 10
Reception: August 19 at 6 p.m.

Cynthia Grilli, Painting

September 21 - October 15
Reception: September 23 at 6 p.m.

Una Mjurka, Ceramic Sculpture

October 26 – November 19
Reception: October 28 at 6 p.m.

Merced College Fine Arts Faculty Exhibit

November 30 – December 10
Reception: December 2 at 6 p.m.

The Art Gallery is open free to the public Monday through Thursday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from noon to 2 p.m. and by appointment. For more information, call Art Gallery coordinator Susanne French at 209.384.6064.

The Music Department will present several programs of live music this fall. These include:

World Guitar Night

Featuring Francesco Buzzurro & Richard Smith

September 25 at 7:30 p.m. One Night Only
\$14 General - \$10 Students, Seniors & Military

Merced College Concert Band

Ken Taylor, Conductor
October 16 at 7:30 p.m. One Night Only
\$10 General - \$8 Students, Seniors, Military & college staff

Merced College Jazz Ensemble

Directed by Ken Taylor
December 4 at 7:30 p.m. One Night Only
\$8 in Advance, \$10 at the Door, \$8 Students, Seniors, Military & college staff

Merced College Chorale - Christmas Classics & Carols

Curtis Nelson, Conductor
December 11 & 12 at 8 p.m., and December 13 at 3 p.m.
\$8 in Advance, \$10 at the Door

Merced College Concert Band

Ken Taylor, Conductor
December 18 at 7:30 p.m. One Night Only
\$10 General - \$8 Students, Seniors, Military & college staff

The Drama Department has two plays scheduled this fall:

***The Rivals* by Richard Sheridan**

Directed by Jack Souza
October 2, 3, 8*, 9, 10 at 7:30 p.m., and October 11 at 2 p.m.
\$10 General - \$8 Students, Seniors, Military & MC Employees
*Special \$5 student price Thursday, Oct. 8 performance only

Suijin and the Kappa - An Original Play based on Japanese Myth

November 19*, 20, 21 at 7:30 p.m., and November 22 at 2 p.m.

\$10 General - \$8 Students, Seniors, Military & college staff

*Special \$5 student price Thursday, Nov. 19 performance only

All music and drama events are held in the Merced College Theater. For more information, call the Merced College Arts Division at 209. 386.6644.

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