SDSU HOMECOMING
BASKETBALL GAME vs. NEVADA REMINDER

Come join us to experience the thrill of a college sporting event with thousands of fellow Aztecs!

When: Saturday, March 3, 2018
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Where: Viejas Arena (San Diego)

Resume & Interview Workshop

When: Thursday, March 1, 2018
Time: 11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.
Where: Room N-106

All you need to do is take your Red ID, a notepad, and a pen/pencil.

We encourage you to attend, as these workshops can be very beneficial to you.

Career Fair will be open to all students and community members. Agencies will table at the Rollie Carrillo Quad and give information about their agency. They will also provide applications for open positions, internship details, etc.

When: Thursday, March 15, 2018
Time: 3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Where: SDSU-IV Rollie Carrillo Quad

Snacks & beverages will be provided.

For more information, feel free to contact Melyssa Gonzalez at (760) 768-5556 or via email at melyssa.gonzalez@mail.sdsu.edu.
Job Search Strategies Workshop

**When:** Wednesday, March 14, 2018  
**Time:** 11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.  
**Where:** Room N-106

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**Spring 2018 Volleyball Tournament**

Gather a team of 6 to 7 members and complete the Volleyball Tournament Entry Form. Forms are located inside the Student Union Building outside the A.S. Office.

**When:** Thursday, March 22, 2018  
**Time:** 11:30 a.m. – 12:50 p.m.  
**Where:** Rollie Carrillo Quad  
Food & drinks will be provided. 1st place team will receive a prize!

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**WANT TO INVITE SOMEONE? GO AHEAD!**  
(One guest per student)

- **Student fee:** $90.00  
- **Guest fee:** $100.00

**SIGN-UPS:**
In person with Student Life Coordinator, Melyssa Gonzalez, in the Student Union Building.

**Students:** Wednesday, February 28, 2018 through Thursday, March 29, 2018  
**Guests:** Monday, March 19, 2018 through Thursday, March 29, 2018

The sign-up schedule is posted outside her office door and the Student Union Building entrance door.

SDSU I.D. will be required to sign-up (NO EXCEPTIONS).

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**Monday, March 19th:** Mimi Monday Madness (Wear PJs)  
**Tuesday, March 20th:** Tank-top Tuesday (Wear a tank-top)  
**Wednesday, March 21st:** On Wednesdays We Wear Pink (Wear Pink)  
**Thursday, March 22nd:** Jersey Thursday (Wear a Jersey)  
**Friday, March 23rd:** Aztec Friiday “Pride Friday” (Wear Aztec Gear)

To verify you participated, please send us a picture to enter the Spirit Week Opportunity Drawing. The drawing will be held daily. For more details, see “SDSU-IV Spirit Week” Flyer.

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**Top 10 Items in Need of:**
- Spaghetti Sauce/Pasta  
- Peanut Butter  
- Cereal  
- Tuna/Canned Meats  
- Rice  
- Dry Beans  
- Milk (Shelf Stable)  
- Canned Meals (Soup, Stew, Chili)  
- Mac & Cheese  
- Canned Vegetables

“**Fighting Hunger Doesn’t Take A Spring Break**”  
**Food Drive**  
**Wednesday, January 17, 2018 to Friday, March 23, 2018**  
@ SDSU-Imperial Valley  

The drop-off donation locations are in the following areas:
- Administration/Student Affairs  
- Student Center  
- Library  
- East Faculty Offices

**Please help fill the blue barrels and feed a family in need.**
Purchase Your Tickets Today!

_TASTE OF THE VALLEY_  
_APRIL 6, 2018 _  6:00PM - 9:30PM_  
**Noche de Primavera**  
**2018 SDSU-IV SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER**  
_A SPRING FLING & YUMMY THINGS_  
**TICKETS $45**  
$50 at the door (Cash Only)

**Student Tickets:** $25.00  
(Sold with Melyssa Gonzalez inside the Student Union Building.)

**Public Tickets:** $45.00  
(Sold at SDSU-IV’s Administration Building.)  
OR  
Online:  
https://era.foundation.sdsu.edu/merchant/default.aspx?pg=listin&activity=1094

This event is open to the community!

For ticket & sponsorship information, contact:  
Fernanda Ferreiro via telephone  
(760) 768-5540 or via email at maria.ferreiro@sdsu.edu  
OR  
Diana Moreno via telephone  
(760) 768-5569 or via email at diana.moreno@sdsu.edu

Spring Break!  
Monday, March 26th - Friday, March 30th  
Campus Open: Monday, March 26th – Thursday, March 29th  
Campus Closed: Friday, March 30th

“Four students from SDSU-Imperial Valley were selected for the 2018 Water Resources Experiential Learning for USDA Careers through the California State University Water Resources and Policy Initiatives; providing paid internships in natural resource management, environmental studies/conservation/sustainability, and field-based research, funded by a USDA-NIFA’s HIS Education Grants Program, with service-learning project proposals for regional placement of students with training, resume building, and professional development opportunities that would otherwise not exist.”  
–Roberto Gonzalez Jr.

The Following Students Are:

- **Marina Arballo**  
Senior, Public Administration, SDSU-IV with USDA-Rural Development

- **Paola Niebla**  
Junior, Public Administration, SDSU-IV with USDA-Rural Development

- **Emily Estrada**  
Junior, Public Administration, SDSU-IV with USDA-Farm Service Agency

- **Martha Sanchez**  
Junior, Public Administration, SDSU-IV with U.S. Forest Service

Created by:  
Aileen Corcoles, A.S. Treasurer  
Melyssa Gonzalez, Student Life & Career Services Coordinator  
Miguel Rahiotis, Assistant Dean for Student Affairs
“When I graduated from Calexico High School in 2015, I knew I wanted to attend SDSU - Imperial Valley Campus not only because of the great things I heard about the university, but because it was close to home and offered the major I planned on pursuing. I was certain that IVUP was the program for me to reach my goals. The decision to apply and join IVUP was a game changer for me. Through IVUP, I have fortunately been introduced to many organizations and programs that have been instrumental for my academic development. For example, I have had the opportunity to volunteer for the Prison Education Project, Camp Hope, and Rising Stars. In addition, I have had the privilege to be taught and guided by the best faculty and staff. It is amazing to look back and see how much I have grown. I remember I applied to the university with a major in Psychology. However, I kept asking myself, ‘What is something I love to do? What is something the Imperial Valley needs more of?’ I kept asking myself those questions and realized my growing passion was to ensure that students in the Imperial Valley had access to an additional role model as they maneuvered through their education. Therefore, this determination has led me to my career choice. I am in my junior semester for the Liberal Studies major at SDSU – Imperial Valley campus. I plan to be a teacher for a couple of years at an elementary to hopefully get insight on the areas of growth and challenges in our Imperial Valley schools. Once I learn about what needs improvement, I plan to become a principal. In this future role, I intend to work together alongside other educators to improve our schools. My ultimate goals are to earn the opportunity to become a school superintendent for Calexico. My prime and overall life goal is to make a difference and reform education in the Imperial Valley and SDSU has granted me the opportunity to embark on the journey towards that goal. I would like to extend my gratitude to San Diego State University-Imperial Valley Campus for making it possible for local Imperial Valley students to follow their academic goals and reach their potential. THANK YOU!”

Sylvia Sierra
Liberal Studies Major
Class of 2019