¡Que Pasa!

A monthly newsletter from the Chicano Studies' Retention and Outreach Division

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Chicano Studies Update

What's new at Chicano Studies, a little of this and a lot of that. If you are looking for spring classes for yourself check out the three new courses offered by the Chicano Studies Program - Introduction to Chicano Literature , Introduction to Chicano Studies,and Chicano History to 1900 - Check out all the classes, stop by and talk to Dr. Medina or Dr. Marquez during office hours for more information or call the Chicano Studies office.

Lupe's Corner

And now a word from your friendly Project Assistant.... Spring has sprung, and fall has now fell!!! Just a reminder that the weather is now starting to cool down. Please remember to carry a jacket or a sweater with you and just because it looks nice outside — it does not mean it is that nice outside. Stay warm and take care of yourself !! All math students who are struggling with math, chemistry or any other area of study, please come in to the office so that we may get you into some of the free tutorial services we have available for you. Keep in mind that spring registration is soon approaching and you need to see your advisor and begin thinking about some classes to sign up for. If you have difficulties finding classes and your advisor come in to Chicano Studies!!!! And if you're all doing just peachy-keen, come in to see me and just say hi!!! Te Watcho - Goodbye..

Retention Program Is For You

The Chicano Studies Retention and Outreach Program is working to help all Chicano students on the UW Madison campus. Check out all the workshops and information sessions offered by the Retention and Outreach staff. Student services are part of an effort to help all the Chicano students be successful at UW-Madison. Use all the opportunities you can to make it!!! Check in with Lupe during her office hours Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Be the BEST you can BE!!! Be a WINNER!

Be the Right Number

Are you working on your math and enjoying it less? Well, maybe we've got your number - and your number is 4.0 -Math!!!! - That's right Math. We all need it, and as some of the students in engineering say - "It could be fun". Anyway if you're doing well or if you need help, listen to this: Jesus Castellon, a Chicano graduate

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1 Chicano Studies Retention Workshop: Stress Management and Test Taking
5 Chicano Midterm Pizza Bash
7 Chicano Studies Video Series
Del Mero Corazon
Zoot Suit
8 Law School Caravan - Memorial Union
9 & 10 National Hispanic Leadership Conference - Chicago IL
11 MEChA Student Picnic - Vilas Park
12 Dia De La Raza
13 Chicano Studies Retention Workshop: Winterizing Yourself 175 Science Hall
17 Badger Football Homecoming
21 Chicano Studies Video Series
I Am Joaquín
El Norte
29 Chicano Studies Retention Workshop: Selecting a Major - Memorial Union, 3:30pm
29 Chicano Studies Retention - Graduate Professional Workshop Understanding and Applying to Graduate School. IMCC, from 3-5 pm
30 Last day to drop classes
31 Halloween

Math Club

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student working on his PhD in math, (WOW) will be assisting students to work at better understanding math,- or better yet, how you can work it!!! Jesus has started a Chicano Math Club, which will meet on Saturday to review and work not only on home-work, but also as a way to master math and it's concepts. The Math Club will meet at 1:00 p.m. on Saturdays, in Chicano Studies classroom 175A in Science Hall. So if its 101,112, or 979 math you need help with, stop by Chicano Studies. Look for Lupe and sign up today. Be number one with your math!!!!!

More Workshops!

The UW-Madison Counseling Center is currently offering workshops for students in a lot of areas of interest and needs. Sessions will be offered in Career Exploration, Test Anxiety, Study Skills, Stress Management, and lots more. Stop by the Counseling and Consolation Center, 905 University-Room 401 or call 2622-1744, or you may check with Victor at the Counseling Center or come by Chicano Studies Retention office.

Keeper of the Keys

Victor Lares — better known as the "keeper of keys" to all because of all the help and information he always seems to have — is spending some afternoons at the Chicano Studies Retention office. Victor will be at Chicano Studies on Tuesdays and Fridays from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. If you need some help, or just someone to talk to, he's a good listener. Come on by! You can also make appointments for other help or information with him too.

¡Si Se Puede!

* Congratulations to Luciano, first-year student, for making it on the UW Crew Team - He's been working out hard since the beginning of school. GOOD LUCK and good going! Yes you can!!!

* Congratulations to Dr. Richard Flores UW-Madison assistant professor of Chicano Studies and Anthropology for recently being awarded the University of Wisconsin System grant for minority ethnic research - he will carry out work towards a book on the Christmas festivity, La Pastorela. WAY TO GO!

F.Y.I.

Did you know that there's something call the "Multi-Ethnic Student in Business Organization" on the UW-Madison campus? If your going in the School of Business or you're currently enrolled, join today. Call Manuel Diaz, business school advisor, at 262-6199 or stop by for a chat at the Business School, Room 107. CHECK IT OUT!

S.H.P.E.

No, it's not a new computer or a new computer program, it's the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineering, UW-Madison Student Chapter. S.H.P.E. is an organization for students in engineering; it works on projects, helps with jobs, scholarship information and lots more. Where and when? Check it out! Call or stop by the S.H.P.E. advisor Vilma Linares at 2350 Engineering or with any S.H.P.E. member for meeting times and places.

Tu Voto es Tu Voz

Your vote is your voice: that's what that means. If you are 18 years of age or older you should be registered to vote, and think about the November election. Be a part of the solution and not the problem. VOTE. If you are not registered to vote check with Rebecca, Heather or Cathi — all three can register you to vote. CHOOSE OR LOSE!!! Vote in November.

Chicano Thanksgiving

Well, it's almost time for that first big holiday of the season: Thanksgiving, a time to give thanks for what we have, as well as remembering those that don't have! For those sticking around Thanksgiving day and the weekend, Carlos will again have "the eat until you can't anymore" Thanksgiving dinner on the 26th of November. So get ready. Start working on making room for all that good food at the 10th Annual Chicano Thanksgiving... Sign up today.....

"Los Musicos"

The first meeting of the UW-Madison student and staff/faculty music group will be on Friday October 23rd at 5:30pm. This will be the first meeting of the group, who plan to be organized soon and make their debut by May. The group will preform Chicano, Tex-Mex, and traditional Mexican music. Stop by or call Rudy at 264-3000.

El Buckie is Back!

Chicano Studies' Armadillo mascot "El Buckie" is back on campus, and studying very hard. We hadn't heard anything from he Buckster all summer or even at the beginning of school this year. But finally "El Buckie" stopped by Chicano Studies office and spent some time with the staff of "Que Pasa". The last time some of us saw him at the National Chicano Studies Conference in San

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Graduate Students Reorganize

With the increasing number of Chicano and Chicana graduate students this year on the UW-Madison campus, the Chicano/a Graduate Student Association announced plans to widen its active base. Plans are underway for meeting on the first and fourth Fridays of each month; meeting times and places will be announced at a later date. The association is developing a phone and mailing list of graduates, and is maintaining a graduate student information center at Chicano Studies. If you are a graduate student on campus, stop by and talk to Elizandro Carrington for more information. The graduate student association also welcomes returning adult students. Stop by or call!

Dia de Los Muertos

From October 16 through November 7, the UW Memorial Union will host the Celebration of Life/Images of Death - El Día de los Muertos Exhibit. The exhibit that will be at the Porter Butts and the Class of 1925 galleries is in part due to the efforts of Ray Hernandez, a Chicano graduate student in the Art History department. The exhibit will bring together the works of Midwestern Latino artists and introduce the viewers to the Mexican/Chicano cultural perceptions of the life/death cycle and its pertinence to its people's identity. El Día de lod Muertos/The Day of the Dead is an annual event celebrated inChicano communities at which time people visit the gravesites of their departed loved ones; spending time and sharing food with the spirits of the dead serves as a reminder that they are still with us and an important part of contemporary Mexican/ Chicano experience.

UW-Madison to Host Latina Conference

Plans are underway for a two-part continuum conference entitled "Mujer Latina." The first part of the conference is scheduled for May 1, 1993, which will focus on "Nuestra Salud y Nuestra Sexualidad." Both conferences will deal with and focus on Latina issues and concerns. Organizers are looking for volunteers and input for the development of the conference. For additional information and meeting times, contact Susan Colorado at Chicano Studies or Angie Lugo at the Law School. Join the committee and make this conference a success.

Register for Spring, It's Important!

Registration for spring semester 1993 will begin November 10. Lupita advises all students, especially the first year students, to check with their advisors - and if you don't have one, find one! Check course requirements and course listings. Plan ahead.

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Congratulations to all the Chicanos/ Chicanas involved in the "Día de la Raza - Columbus Didn't Discover Me" Day march and rally on October 12. It's great to see the students taking the lead on issues which are important to all of us. We saw you on TV and your picture in the paper. We need your leadership! ¡Si se puede!

Congratulations to Ray Hernandez for his efforts and leadership in bringing the "El Día de los Muertos" exhibit.

UW-Madison Latino Alumni

The UW-Madison Latino Alumni Club will, this year for the first time, host a brunch and football event for all Latino Alumni on Saturday, November 14. Latinos from all over the United States will participates in what is hoped will become a yearly event. The day activities will include a post-game reception as well as cheering the Badgers on against Minnesota. Keep an eye out and network with your Latino UW-Madison alumni.

Word for the Week

The Retention and Outreach component is offering a challenge to all Chicano/Chicana students. Each week a new word will be posted at Chicano Studies and we challenge people to define it andcompose a sentence with it. The winner will be selected by impartial judges for correct usage and innovation.

Planning for Graduate School?

The Chicano Studies Retention and Outreach program, in conjunction with the Chicano/a Graduate Student Association, will sponsor the annual "How to Apply to Graduate School" workshop on October 29, from 3:00 o 5:00 p.m. at the IMCC conference room (second floor of the Memorial Union). Representatives from the Graduate School, the La Follette Institute and current UW-Madison graduate students will provide an inside look at graduate school. The workshop is aimed at UW-Madison Latinos/Chicano undergraduate juniors and seniors, but all students are welcome.

Buckie Out and About

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Antonio, Texas, he was down by the riverwalk with Victor,Yolanda and Terri. Next someone told us he was up on stage at the "Hammer" concert dancing and singing with the posey along with Susan, Tim, and Eddie. El Buckie gave Que Pasa an update of his summer activities: he told us he had gone out west to California, spent some time with Jay Macias, and his dad playing golf out in East L.A.; was down around the Rio Grande Valley for fun and sun with J.C. and also to meet new student Adolfo; then up to San Antonio to visit with Letty, Rebecca, Patsy and the staff over at Project Stay. He told us he had been over to Chicago with Alex and Cathi helping them look for Jennifer at a Cubs game. But now as he puts it, "He's back to study," to ask about all the new Chicanos and Chicanas on the UW campus, and said he had met some of them, but would like to meet all of them, undergrads and grads. He was over at the Witte with Rudy for Tex-Mex music, got some help from Manuel with his math, and was working on his Spanish up on the 9th floor of Ogg. Buckie told us he was playing some hoops with Rosa, Anna, and Adeliza over at Chadbourne on the weekend. Carlos said he saw him at the the Ohio State-Badger game, working the side lines with Chuck. If anyone sees him around campus, ask him to stop by Chicano Studies and talk to Lupe about his classes.

Happy Birthday Wishes To ...

Lupita Serna	10-2
Shammid Rivera	10-8
Yvonne Sanchez	10-11
Martin Keane	10-17
Luciano Oviedo	10-18

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