

# North Valley News

**"Success is not the key to happiness. Happiness is the key to success.  
If you love what you are doing, you will be successful." ~Albert Schweitzer~**

Approved by: *Rosario Galvan, Principal*

May 2, 2016



**NVOC Job Fair: May 13, 2016**  
**CCAE Spring Awards Lunch: May 22, 2016**  
**Memorial Day: May 30, 2016**  
**Graduation: June 3, 2016**



**PRINCIPAL'S  
CORNER**  
 Rosario Galvan

As we approach the end of the school year I would to remind all ABE, ESL and ASE teachers that students should do CASAS testing as soon as possible. We are behind in our bench mark targets and need all teachers to assist in testing as many students as possible. Please call CASAS Advisors Karla Galleguillos, Gustavo Cubias or Javier Flores for assistance in identifying those students who still need to be tested.

We will be having our Job and Resource Fair on Friday, May 13, 2016 from 10:30am to 1:30pm at the North Valley Campus. A number of special guests have been invited to join us and partake in this fabulous community event. I encourage all NVSA teachers to attend with their students if time and schedule permits. There are approximately 50 prospective employing agencies and resource providers offering over 900 jobs. This annual event is sure to bring our neighboring businesses and community partners together in one location for the good of our students.

Our DACE Executive Director, Donna Brashear, is retiring. She is having a Retirement Reception on May 24. Anyone interested in attending should RSVP with the flier on page 3 of the bulletin. We thank her for her leadership and wish her the best!

**PLEASE BE SURE TO VISIT THE  
NEW NVSA WEBSITE AT  
NVOC.ORG**



**L.A. MISSION &  
L.A. VALLEY COLLEGE  
ADMISSION AND FINAN-  
CIAL AID PRESENTATION**

Tuesday, May 3, 2016  
 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
 EV Campus

The presentations will last one and half hours so please plan accordingly. Those students that attend either presentation will be invited back the following week to meet with college admissions counselors to complete online application at the EV campus. Following that week, the same students will be given the opportunity to take the college Accuplacer exam to determine placement levels for their college courses in summer and fall 2016 (Consortium). Please encourage all interested students from all NVSA sites to attend.

**Register STUDENT COUNCIL VOTER  
\*\*\*to\*\*\*  
VOTE REGISTRATION  
CAMPAIGN**

Student Council representatives will be going around to the classrooms this week to distribute voter registration forms to encourage students to register to vote. We will also have voter registration forms available in the counseling office along with a registration forms box where students can drop off their forms.

**INTAKE ASSESSMENT TESTING  
SCHEDULE SPRING 2016**

Campus	Academic Assessment
NVOC	T/Th 8:00 am Th 5:00 pm
EVSC	T/W 8:00 am T/Th 5:00 pm
Rinaldi	T 8:30 am
NALC	W 8:30 am

Campus	ESL Assessment
NVOC	M/W/F 8-11:00 am T/W/Th 5-8:00 pm
EVSC	T/Th/F 8-11:00 am M/W/Th, 5-8:00 pm
Rinaldi	M/W/F 8-11:30 am
NHALC	T/Th 8:00 am-12:00 pm

**WIOA/CASA**

**ABE Reading and Math Teachers:**

CASAS makeup testing is scheduled this week. As you hand out the test booklets, please assure that students receive the test that was assigned. This is particularly important when many of the students in a class were assigned test booklets that look similar in color.

-Some of the students do not need to take a test as they already earned the maximum number of payment points allowed in a fiscal year.

**ESL Teachers:**

The WIOA office is preparing to start the last round of CASAS testing for the current school year. We will begin with ESL upper level classes to allow them to have plenty of time for TABE and promotional testing.

**II Labs Teachers:** Please pretest all new students with no previous test records. Additionally, have them fill out the Entry (blue) form.

**CASAS and EL Civics support materials can be found by going to our official link below.**

<http://www.wioalasd.com/elcivics>

This link can also be found at bit.ly/CASASlessons

Please direct your concerns and questions to the WIOA/CASAS team.

NVOC Room 104  
 818-365-9645 Extension 381  
 Gustavo Cubias- [gac84281@lausd.net](mailto:gac84281@lausd.net)  
 (NVOC)

Javier Flores- [fjf8560@lausd.net](mailto:fjf8560@lausd.net) (NVOC and EVSC)

Karla Galleguillos- [kvg8203@lausd.net](mailto:kvg8203@lausd.net)  
 (NVOC)

Maura Sakhakorn- [maura.sakhakorn@lausd.net](mailto:maura.sakhakorn@lausd.net) (Rinaldi and Whipple)

**STUDENTS SCHOLARSHIPS**

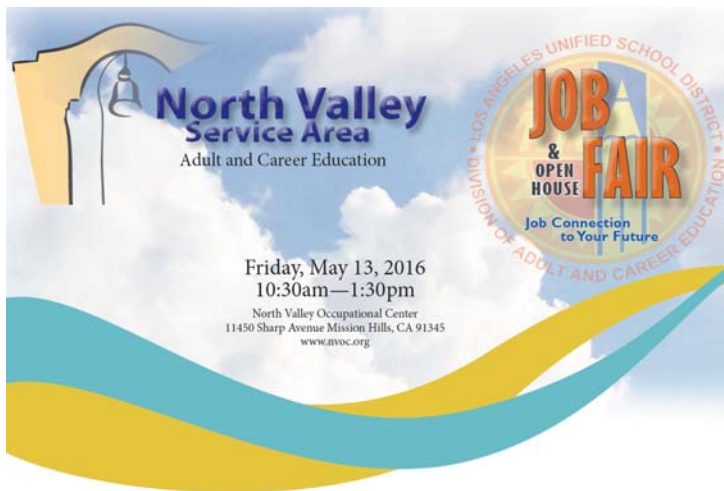
There are other scholarships still available. Please see your counseling office for more information.

**H.S. EQUIVALENCY OFFICE**

Students can take the HiSet High School Equivalency Test at the HSE Center on the Rinaldi Campus  
**(818) 832-8063.**  
**Office hours: TWTh 9:00 am—3:00 pm**

**Mission Statement**

*North Valley Service Area offers educational and training opportunities that provide a diverse population of students with skills to participate more effectively in the family, at work and in the community.*



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 Office of Assemblywoman Patty Lopez, 39th District  
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**SPECIAL GUESTS:**  
 The Office of Congressman Tony Cárdenas  
 The Office of Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti  
 The Office of LAUSD's Board Member Mónica Ratliff, District 6  
 The Office of Assemblywoman Patty López, 39th Assembly District  
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For more information call (818)759-5843 - epenuela@lausd.net  
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2015-2016



## WIOA TECHNOLOGY WORKSHOPS

NVSA's instructor-taught series of hands-on workshops focusing on one type or aspect of technology each session.

Session	Date	Title	Location
1	Friday, April 29, 2016 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.	Kahoot: Engaging and Exciting Formative Assessment Using Mobile Devices - Part 1	North Valley Occupational Center Room 201
2	Friday, May 13, 2016 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.	Improving CASAS scores using Burlington English CASAS Preparation (A Pilot Program)	East Valley Skills Center Room 218
3	Friday, May 27, 2016 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.	Quizlet: Engaging and Exciting Formative Assessment Using Mobile Devices - Part 2	North Hollywood Adult Learning Center (Whipple) Room 2

**Attendees will receive District Sponsored Training Rate or count workshop attendance for Step Advancement Purposes!**

Sessions 1 & 3: Learn how to use the mobile devices students carry around and bring with them to school for formative assessment, as classroom learning tools, and as 24/7 home-study platforms.

**Useful for ALL teachers, not just ESL! CTE and Academic teachers are especially encouraged to attend.**

Session 2: Learn how to use our NVSA iPads to increase CASAS Gains!

RSVP via Email to [barry.bakin@lausd.net](mailto:barry.bakin@lausd.net), signing up on the sign-in sheet in each school office, or by [clicking here if viewing this flier online](#).

Presenters: Barry Bakin, Theresa Villa, Pilar Zorrilla

NVSA WIOA Technology Implementation Team: Gustavo Cubias, Javier Flores  
Los Angeles Unified School District, Division of Adult and Career Education

### STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Develop effective reading, writing, listening and speaking skills
- Utilize current technology and/or resources to enhance subject area learning
- Demonstrate problem solving skills through individual and collaborative work
- Set and complete short and long term goals

### NVSA JOB AND RESOURCE FAIR

NVOC will be hosting the NVSA job and Resource Fair 2016 on Friday, May 13, 2016 from 10:30am to 1:30pm. Please invite and encourage all of your students to attend. This year there will be over 800 jobs offered at this event. All students presently looking for a job should be working on updating their resumes to bring to the Job Fair.

Teachers interested in participating in the Job Fair to promote and/or showcase a class should fill out the form left in the teachers' boxes and return to Elizabeth Penuela. If you have any questions you can email her at [epenuela@lausd.net](mailto:epenuela@lausd.net) or phone her at 818-759-5843. Trifolds will be available for your use. The Job Fair is great place to connect with potential students and share what your class has to offer.



### SAVE THE DATE

CCAЕ SPRING AWARDS LUNCHEON

**Sunday, May 22, 2016**  
**The Castaway**  
**1250 East Harvard Road**  
**Burbank, CA 91501**  
**11:00 am—2:00 pm**

### California Adult Literacy Professional Development Project

How can you prepare your learners to succeed in the workforce? Find out what employers say are essential skills for today's workforce. This series of online workshops shows you how to connect transferable skills in the classroom to the workplace. Session 1 emphasizes the need to directly teach transferable skills and the connection between using these skills in the classroom and in the workplace. This online workshop is presented in two 90-minute webinars. It is intended for both ESL and ABE/ASE instructors.

There are two versions of Session 2, one for ESL instructors and one for ABE/ASE instructors. These sessions are also divided into two 90-minute webinars. The goal of Session 2 is to provide hands-on application of skills that transfer from the classroom to the workplace and also provide examples of contextualizing ABE/ASE instruction easily by using workplace activities and forms. You only need to register for the first webinar of each session, and you will be automatically included in the second half.

Register on the CALPRO [event calendar](#), by date.

- Integrated and Contextualized Workforce Skills in the Classroom, Session 1, Part 1:
  - o **Monday, May 9, 2016, 3:00 to 4:30**
- Integrated and Contextualized Workforce Skills in the Classroom, Session 1, Part 2:
  - o **Thursday, May 12, 2016, 3:00 to 4:30**
- Integrated and Contextualized Workforce Skills in the **ABE/ASE** Classroom, Session 2, Part 1:
  - o **Monday, May 16, 2016, 3:00 to 4:30**
- Integrated and Contextualized Workforce Skills in the **ABE/ASE** Classroom, Session 2, Part 2:
  - o **Thursday, May 19, 2016, 3:00 to 4:30**
- Integrated and Contextualized Workforce Skills in the **ESL** Classroom, Session 2, Part 1:
  - o **Monday, May 23, 2016, 3:00 to 4:30**
- Integrated and Contextualized Workforce Skills in the **ESL** Classroom, Session 2, Part 2:
  - o **Thursday, May 26, 2016, 3:00 to 4:30**

For more information, contact Marian Thacher, [mthacher@air.org](mailto:mthacher@air.org) or 800-427-1422 Option 5.

# Donna Brashear's Retirement Reception | May 24, 2016

5:00-8:00 p.m.

*NO HOST BAR*

\$25 Per Person  
(Includes Gift)  
Hors d'oeuvres  
Served

at the  
Bonaventure Brewing Co.  
404 S Figueroa St., LA, CA 90071  
(213) 236-0802

Outside  
Event

\$13 validated  
VALET parking or  
\$7 SELF parking

*RSVP by Thursday, May 16, 2016*

For More Information Contact: Dora Pimentel-Baxter (213) 241-3713 or Monica Balbuena (213) 241-3729  
Make Checks Payable to DACE and send by US Mail to: Dianna Domingo | 333 South Beaudry, 18th Floor | LA, CA 90017

Name (s):

Email:

Yes, I will attend enclosed is my check for, \$

I am unable to attend, but here is my donation towards the gift. \$