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CITY COLLEGE OF SAN FRANCISCO

Café Musee Event

When: Saturday, March 19, 2011 @ 9:30am-12:30pm

Where: Ocean Campus, Visual Arts Building, Room 114

Subject: Giuseppe de Nittis, (1846-1884) and the Paris Salon Painters

Come and see the elegant production— altogether modern and elegant— of an Italian artist who very much became part of fashionable Paris and was fond of saying he had “married France”.

Presented *en français* by Renee Morel and the Café Musee team. Open to all. Venez parler d'art et faire la connaissance d'autres francophones et Francophiles!



The Importance of Being Ernest

The CCSF Theatre Department presents “The Importance of Being Ernest” by Oscar Wilde and directed by John Wilk.

Oscar Wilde's frivolous comedy for serious people is one of the world's best written comedies. The play takes a look at English society and the transgressions of hopeful lovers, none of whom are named Ernest.

Performance Dates:

Fridays, March 11 and 18, at 8 pm

Saturdays, March 12 and 19 at 8 pm

Sundays, March 13 and 20, at 2 pm

Admission: General, \$15; Students & Seniors, \$10.

For more information, contact the theater department at (415) 239-3100.

Scholarship Deadline is April 4!

Several scholarships are available for International Students studying in the CCSF credit program! This is a great opportunity to help pay for books or tuition while gaining academic recognition for transfer applications. **Applications are due by 4pm on April 4, 2011!** Visit the Scholarship Office in MUB 130B for info.

Healthcare & Nursing Career Seminars

Are you considering a career in the healthcare field? CCSF Career Development and Placement Center will present the following seminars along with the Nursing Department and Radiological Science Department. The department program directors will speak about the majors and career paths.

Nursing as a Major?

When: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 @ 2:30-4:00pm

Where: Rosenberg Library, Room 305

Career Options in Healthcare

When: Wednesday, March 16, 2011 @ 1:00-2:30pm

Where: Rosenberg Library, Room 301

These programs are free! Questions? Call 415.452.5112



Immigration Reminder

Spring Break Travel Requirements

If you are planning to travel outside the United States during the Spring Break (March 25-April 1), here is a checklist of important documents to bring with you:

- Your SEVIS Form I-20, endorsed for travel. (See Ron Brovelli, in the International Student Admissions Office, Conlan Hall, Room 107, to sign page 3 of your I-20).
- A current Passport valid for at least six months
- A valid, current Visa
- Your I-94, Departure Card

If you are flying, the airline will collect your I-94 prior to departure and you will complete a new one upon reentry. You do not have to turn in the I-94 if you are visiting Canada or Mexico. You should also have with you your CCSF Student ID.



Bay Area Events– March 15 to April 15, 2011

March 20, 2011

Sunday Streets at Pier 39

Embarcadero at Pier 39

San Francisco is kicking off its first Sunday Streets event of 2011 on the Embarcadero. This event is an opportunity for people to roam the streets and partake in fun fitness-related activities.



Come play at Pier 39! Get ready to be dazzled by Pier 39's street performers as they perform some of their best tricks at the Entrance Plaza from 11am-1pm. Then, put on your dancing shoes and sing along to your favorite hits from 2-4pm. If you bring your bike, Pier 39 will provide bike valet service from 11am-4:30pm. The bike valet service is provided by San Francisco Bike Coalition and will be located between Hard Rock Café and Aquarium of the Bay. The Embarcadero will be closed to vehicle traffic from 11am-4:30pm.

Admission: Free

Information: www.sundaystreetsf.com

March 24-27, 2011

San Francisco Dance Film Festival

145 9th Street, Suite 310 (at Mission)

Now in its second year, the festival has expanded to include four days of programming with presentations and workshops hosted by the Ninth Street Independent Film Center, Dolby Laboratories, and Alonzo King's LINES Dance Center. This year's expanded event showcases some of the best dance films from around the globe selected from an incredibly diverse pool of entries from twenty-five countries.



Admission: \$10 per film

Information: www.sfdancefilmfest.org

April 8-10, 2011

West Portal Sidewalk Arts & Crafts Fair

West Portal Avenue between 15th & Ulloa

Enjoy this annual sidewalk fair & show featuring local artists. It draws shoppers in search of fine artwork, hats, beauty products, jewelry, and much more! Fair takes place daily at 10am-5pm.

Admission: Free

Information:

www.pacificfinearts.com/schedule.htm

April 9 & 10, 16 & 17, 2011

Cherry Blossom Festival

Civic Center and Japantown

In 2009 the Northern California Cherry Blossom Festival will be celebrating its 42nd year and one of California's most prominent celebrations of Asian traditions. Each year over 200,000 people attend this dazzling display showcasing the color and grace of the Japanese culture and diversity of the Japanese American community. Bring family and friends out for these two consecutive weekends of performances, crafts, food, cooking demonstrations, martial arts, exhibitions and a colorful parade.



Admission: Free

Information: www.nccbf.org

April 9 & 10, 2011

Green Festival

SF Concourse Exhibit Center, 635 8th St. (at Brannan Street)

This 10-year-old 'Party with a Purpose' is an exciting weekend experience for individuals, friends and families. Festivities include presentations by more than 125 renowned authors, leaders and visionaries, informative how-to workshops, cutting-edge films, enriching kid's activities, organic beer and wine, delicious organic vegan and vegetarian cuisine, diverse live music and an amazing marketplace of more than 350 green local and national businesses and organizations.

Admission: \$10

Information: www.unionstreetsf.com

REMINDER!

Tax Returns must be post-marked by April 15, 2011 for the 2010 tax year.