

News at a Glance

Gerontology Certificate Program meeting

UNLV's College of Extended Studies is holding an informational meeting about its Gerontology Certificate Program on Friday from noon to 1:30 p.m. in Room 109 of the Flora Dungan Humanities Building.

The certificate is a flexible academic credit program that offers courses in 14 departments across the campus ranging from psychology to health care management to theatre.

Students currently enrolled in the program range from working professionals in the health care and social services fields to full time undergraduate students in many different academic majors.

"These students have enrolled in the Gerontology Certificate program to achieve a documented focus in their primary areas of study on serving older adults," said Dr. Ann McDonough, program director.

The scheduled informational meeting will feature faculty who will present information about careers in a variety of fields, as well as about the courses they teach within the certificate program. The meeting is free.

For more information, call the Office of Gerontology at 895-1079.

Mentoring program wrapping up

About 100 elementary students will visit UNLV on Friday to participate in closing ceremonies as the Peer Mentoring Program wraps up its activities for the 1996-97 academic year.

The ceremonies will take place from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Moyer Student Union, Rooms 201 and 202.

The program, which was formerly known as the UNLV Math, Science and Engineering Club, sends UNLV students into elementary schools to work with youngsters in grades one through five on lessons in math, science and engineering. The UNLV students, whose majors are math,

science, engineering or education, also serve as role models for the youngsters and to encourage them in the sciences.

The objectives of the program are to instill a college-bound attitude in the youth, to increase their interest in math and science, and to build a bridge to the future so that the professional fields related to math, science and engineering no longer lack appropriate ethnic minority representation.

Schools that participated in this year's program were Hoggard Magnet School and Booker Elementary School.

Two local businesses, Mel Green Architects and Bechtel of Nevada, sponsored this year's program.

For more information, call program coordinator Letroy Pugh at 895-4165.

Voter registration drive

CSUN student government and the Hispanics In Politics group are sponsoring a voter registration drive, tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, April 23.

The event will be held from 10 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. in the Valerie Pida Plaza, outside the Moyer Student Union.

Preschool registration

Parents interested in enrolling their children in the UNLV/CSUN Preschool program for the summer and fall terms should be prepared for the enrollment period next week.

Students who are currently, or have been enrolled, in the program can register on Monday, April 28, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. in the William D. Carlson Education Building, Room 117.

New students can be enrolled in the program on Tuesday, April 29, also from 9 a.m. to 1 a.m. in CEB, Room 117.

For the summer term, three weeks tuition for the program is required, along with a \$15 registration fee. Two weeks tuition, along with the \$15 fee, is required for fall term registration.

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Registration for Fall Term begins April 23
Check the Fall Registration Schedule for more details.

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