

## Bakersfield College President's Report

to the Kern Community College District Board of Trustees

Sonya Christian, February 8, 2018

## **Enrollment Update**

Bakersfield College headcount is up by 9.4% bringing the total to 20,768. FTES has increased 6.1% bringing our current FTES to 6,894. The number of sections offered has also increased compared to this time last year by 10.2%.

Bakersfield College	Point-in-Time Comparison <sup>1</sup> Spring - Census Week				Spring 2017 FTES as a % of the Eventual	Spring 2018 FTES as a % of
	Spring 2017	Spring 2018	Diff	% Chg	Tem-End⁵	Spring Target <sup>6</sup>
Current Headcount	18,978	20,768	1,790	9.4%		
Duplicated Enrollments	51,699	55,153	3,454	6.7%		
Waitlisted Enrollments <sup>2</sup>	127	793	666	524.4%		
Current FTES3	6,499.1	6,894.8	395.7	6.1%	91.4%	90.1%
Workload (FTEF)	411.5	461.0	49.5	12.0%		7,652.1
FTES/FTEF <sup>4</sup>	15.8	15.0	-0.8	-5.3%		Spring 2018
Active Sections	1,914	2,110	196	10.2%		Target

# BAKERSFIELD SouthWest

In response to persistent community requests for more courses in the southwest, Bakersfield College has now expanded our course offerings in the SouthWest. Located on Stockdale Hwy in 93311, this location is an alternative option for students who can't make it all the way to the Panorama campus for morning, afternoon, evening, and weekend classes.

Last week, our Outreach team held an express enrollment event to help students in the southwest become familiar with the location and register for late-start courses. With this SouthWest location, a degree is closer to home for our Southwest students.

### **Upcoming Events**

#### Dr. Michael Eric Dyson

Author of "Tears We Cannot Stop: A Sermon to White America" Thursday, Feb. 08, 2018 at 7:00PM

**Indoor Theater** 

Agriculture Career Exploration Day Friday, Feb. 09, 2018 at 9:00AM Agriculture Building & Cafeteria

Black Holes Planetarium Show Thursday, Feb. 15, 2018 at 7:30PM William M. Thomas Planetarium

## BC Performing Arts Presents The Hot L Baltimore

Th - Sat., Feb. 22 - 24, 2018 at 7:30PM

**Indoor Theater** 

#### **Sydney Bound**

featuring Lydia Ranger and Monty Byrom to benefit the Chamber Singers March 10, 2018 at 5:00PM & 7:30PM

**Bakersfield Music Hall of Fame** 

#### Commencement

Friday, May 11, 2018

**Memorial Stadium** 



# Sydney Bound with your Support

BC's Chamber Singers are headed to perform in the Sydney Opera House with the support from many in our community. From touring Europe in 1965 and again to Rome in 2015, the BC Chamber Singers are bringing BC's talent to incredible spaces.

The final benefit concerts are scheduled to take place March 10th with both a matinee and evening show. Both shows will feature performances by Monty Byrom and Lydia Ranger.

Thank you to Trustee Kyle Carter, for the support to make the final benefit concert happen.

## Finding The Lost Hills

Bakersfield College continues its commitment to serve neighboring rural communities by providing local access to higher education.

Recently, The Wonderful Company extended an invitation to engage in discussion and planning about making local higher education a reality for the residents of Lost Hills.

Thank you to Trustee Romeo Agbalog and Lynda Resnick for joining the leadership from BC, and leadership from Wonderful Education and The Wonderful Company.



Photographed: Leadership from Bakersfield College, Wonderful Education and The Wonderful Company

### President's Whereabouts

- Jan. 19, 2018 | Presented to the North Orange County Community College District

## Keeping Arvin Connected with Community Updates

"We know how much education can affect a family," said Abel Guzman, BC Director of Rural Initiatives.

"Imagine how much a college can affect a city."

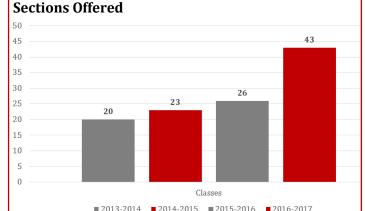
Earlier this week, a team from BC, together with Arvin Mayor Jose Gurrola shared details and plans for the BC center in Arvin. It's an exciting time for Bakersfield College and an exciting time for KCCD. Together, we are bringing college closer to home.



Photographed: Arvin Mayor, Jose Gurrola, Sonya Christian, and future Arvin Renegades

### Growth in Arvin





#### **Student Enrollments**

