

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT TO MPC GOVERNING BOARD OF TRUSTEES June 24, 2015

Monterey Peninsula College Foundation supports MPC by being a strong advocate for the College in the community and by raising significant financial support for the College.

FUNDRAISING

1. Total Monthly Donations Received in April 2015: \$186,265.81

2. President's Circle Campaign

The Foundation held the President's Circle Campaign Kick-Off Breakfast on June 10, 2015. The PC Campaign provides vital resources for the Foundation, allowing us to seek and secure other resources that support a variety of campus programs.

3. Grants

We recently received a \$10,000 grant from the Pebble Beach Company Foundation to support outreach and support efforts for the Howard & Karin Evans College Incentive Program. Additionally, we are currently developing a grant proposal to Chevron to support an Advanced Manufacturing Fabrication project.

4. Howard & Karin Evans College Incentive Program

The *Howard & Karin Evans College Incentive Program* will provide scholarships to 100 students graduating from high school this Spring. The Foundation is working in collaboration with the Student Services division to welcome these students to MPC in the Fall. An informational and inspirational welcome meeting is scheduled for August 17, 2015, when the students will receive their first checks and guidance for a successful college career.

EVENTS

1. Alumni Committee BBQ

Save the date! The Alumni Committee will hold its annual BBQ on Saturday, September 12. More information is forthcoming.

2. Rubber Chicken Drop

It's back! Some people drop names, others drop the ball...but the Lobos Booster Club prefers to drop Rubber Chickens! Only 100 tickets will be sold again this year for this fun-spirited fundraiser benefiting MPC Athletics. The silliness takes place during half-time at the November 7th Football game vs. Gavilan College. Tickets will go on sale in August 2015.

COLLEGE SUPPORT

- 1. The Foundation recently provided a \$2,000 scholarship to MPC Biology student, Lexi Rawson. Ms. Rawson has been selected by the National Institutes for Health (NIH) to participate in a summer internship in Washington, D.C.
- 2. The Foundation Board approved \$10,000 in unrestricted funds to assist the college with grant-writing efforts in 2015.
- 3. The next round of Faculty & Staff Advancement Award (FASA) will be available at the beginning of the Fall semester. We are partnering with Pacific Motor Services to provide additional support for the FASA program. Each time someone takes their vehicle to PacMo for servicing and mentions MPC, 10% of the repair costs will be donated to the MPC Foundation for the FASA Program.

ADMINISTRATION

1. The next Foundation Board meeting will be held August 19, 2015.