

# EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT TO MPC GOVERNING BOARD OF TRUSTEES April 22, 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 March 2015: \$161,229.72

# 2. Athletics Booster Club

The Booster Club held its Rubber Ducky Drop raffle at the April 18 baseball game vs. Hartnell. Winners were Bill McClintock, Lucy Willman, and Joy Junsay. The MPC Hospitality Club provided snacks for sale with proceeds benefitting the Booster Club. The Foundation is greatly appreciative of all of the volunteers and MPC staff who helped out with this successful event.

## 3. President's Circle Campaign

The Foundation is currently inviting community members to serve as President's Circle Ambassadors, who will assist with soliciting members to the 2015 President's Circle. The Campaign Kick-Off Breakfast is scheduled for June 10, 2015.

#### 4. Grants

Currently, the Foundation has two pending grant requests to help continue outreach efforts and recruit disadvantaged youth who may not be planning to attend college to enroll at MPC.

In addition, the Foundation will be submitting its first Federal grant to SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration) on May 1, 2015 to continue the work of the Student Mental Health Program.

## 5. 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 program will offer students a three-part scholarship incentive, as well as motivation and support while attending MPC. Students will receive \$500/semester for two years while enrolled full-time at MPC (contingent upon meeting all criteria); as well as a \$1,000 transfer incentive if they enroll at a four-year university or college within four years of admittance into the program.

#### **EVENTS**

# 1. President's Address to the Community, Presented by Union Bank

In collaboration with the Superintendent/President's Office, the Foundation will be hosting the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual President's Address to the Community on May 1, 2015 at 11:30 am at the Monterey Conference Center. The 2015 President's Awardee is Mr. Charles Page. Tickets and table sponsorships are available here: <a href="www.mpcfoundation.org/pa15">www.mpcfoundation.org/pa15</a>.

#### **COLLEGE SUPPORT**

- 1. Spring 2015 Faculty & Staff Advancement Awards have been announced! A total of \$20,303 was awarded. We received a total of 26 proposals, collectively requesting \$57,072. Of those, 16 proposals were fully or partially funded.
- 2. The Foundation Board approved \$10,000 in unrestricted funds to assist the college with grant-writing efforts in 2015.

## **ADMINISTRATION**

1. The next Foundation Board meeting will be held May 20, 2015.