# CLASSIFIED SENATE NEWSLETTER

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#### **Staff Shoutout!**



A huge thank you to our Facilities, Maintenance and Operations Department for all of their hard work over the summer! They recently renovated multiple office spaces around the OC campus. Make sure to check the new facilities out!

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### \* OC LIVE: Celebrating 50 **Years of Oxnard College**

September 16, 12pm - 1pm, OC Performing Arts Building

Explore the history of Oxnard College through art, music, and dance. Our featured guest, Elena Brokaw of the Museum of Ventura County, will present on 50 years of OC's history and impact in Ventura County.

#### \* 50th Anniversary Mural Unveiling

September 25, 12pm - 1pm, Front of Condor Hall

The unveiling will take place in front of Condor Hall and light refreshments will be served. We look forward to seeing you at our continuing celebration of 50 years of Oxnard College.



# **Welcome Condors**

Welcome back to a new academic year! We hope you had a restful and rejuvenating summer. As we gear up for another exciting semester, we want to thank you for your continued dedication and hard work in college supporting our students and community.

make this year one of growth, Let's collaboration, and success! Also, Happy 50th Birthday to Oxnard College! Go Condors!



## **Employee Spotlight**



Congratulations Sheila Lu for winning the John Milton Excellence in Service Award -Classified Professional! Colleagues describe her as adaptable, collaborative, and endlessly generous with her time and knowledge. But what truly sets her apart is the way she makes people feel. Her presence fosters a sense safety and of belonging-a place where students feel seen, supported, and empowered.

#### Classified Employees with Years of Service











#### 2025-2026 Classified Senate Officers



### **OC Wins the Spirit Stick at CLI!**



The OC Classified Senate attended the Classified Professional Institute (CLI) Conference in

(CLI) Conference in Sacramento in June! We competed for most spirited school and won the Spirit Stick!



**Amparo Medina** 

Congratulations Amparo! She was elected as President of 4CS and will serve from 2025-27!

# Get your swag!

Classified Senate put on our first fundraiser for the year. Take a look and keep an eye out for our upcoming fundraisers!



**Spotlight** - Classified Staff helping students the first week of school!





**New Employees** here at OC! Please give them a warm welcome!

• Marcos Salgado - Custodian

## OC 50<sup>™</sup> Anniversary and All **College Day Celebration**



We're proud to mark 50 years of serving Ventura County! Since opening our doors in 1975, Oxnard College has been a place of opportunity for immigrant, working-class, and military families. Our story is built on the vision and dedication of educators, students, and community members who shaped the college into what it is today. Their impact continues to inspire us as we look ahead to the next halfcentury of growth and excellence. This milestone is not just a celebration—it's a tribute to our history and a promise to our future.





















#### Want to Be Featured in Our Next **Newsletter?**

Each issue of our staff newsletter features the great work and ideas from our OC Classified Staff community. If you or a colleague have started something new, reached a goal, or have a story to share, we'd love for you to send us the details!

# **Blast from the Past!**

Take a look at the rich history of Oxnard College!



















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