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Produced at ICTN’s facilities in partnership with the City of San Bernardino and its TV station, KBSC, the news program will be managed by ICTN chief Candi Pringle and news director and anchor Greg Weissman. Greg was formerly a university public affairs director. Greg was her first “hire.” A veteran Los Angeles newsman Greg is a longtime Redlands resident who has worked at KTLA, KTUU and other KTV stations, as well as KHRM in Palm Springs/Cockeal Valley. He appears thrilled to participate in building a new regional news organization from the ground up.

In addition to the anchor, the nightly news will have several correspondents and crews that will gather videotape. Student interns from the university’s communications studies program will add to our resources, and we will use their faculty’s expertise as well. We envision this program as everything you would want in a newscast: local and national news, weather, sports and features. We want to provide viewers with a sense of place, as well as the best TV news available.

We’ll partner with the Los Angeles Newspaper Group, publishers of the San Bernardino Sun and Inland Valley Daily Bulletin, in providing daily news coverage. The Victor Valley Corporation and the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians have each committed significant contributions to building ICTN’s infrastructure and helping to prepare it for startup.

As we become known and gain audience, we will expand the number of students and faculty in our programmer’s instructional programming, both credit and/or non-credit courses, during the day and on weekends. We may also expand the service to cities in Riverside County and to additional San Bernardino County communities, increasing the depth and breadth of the network. Finally, the potential of both a satellite signal an over-the-air broadcast signal, which would carry ICTN’s programs, in addition to cable systems throughout Southern California. These are quite real possibilities that could extend ICTN’s viewership.

We’re fortunate that federal grants have funded the digital equipment needed and much of the personnel, with limited state funds needed for the animator. ICTN will soon be a reality in the lives of hundreds of thousands of people. We invite you to become one of them. Please watch the news, send us your feedback, visit the Web site (www.ictntv.tv) and let us know how ICTN affects you and your family. We want you to reflect the needs and aspirations of the communities we serve.

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We created the Inland California Television Network (ICTN). CSUSB has been the primary force in its creation, but we have many community partners in going this concept to birth (more about them below). The goal is to create a local, noncommercial television station for about one million cable TV viewers in San Bernardino County. First we will offer a nightly half-hour news program produced for our region, and then add cultural, educational, sports and informational programs.

We receive all of our TV news from Los Angeles-based TV stations. And the “news” usually focuses on crime or an essential service to our community. I hope to send out two hours’ worth of evening programs in addition to the “jewel in the crown,” our nightly half-hour news program.

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Richard Pineda is alone and is not in a classroom in the basement of the Pfau Library, there are no books, no computers and no students. Yet he is lecturing and his 22 students see him, but they cannot all see each other.

We’re fortunate that federal grants have funded the digital communications class on public affairs and we will use our faculty’s expertise as well. We envision this program as everything you would want to have in a newsroom: local and national news, weather, sports and features. We want to provide viewers with a sense of place, as well as the best TV news available.

We’re reaching out to high school kids who may not even know anything about Cal State, says the director for the university’s academic computing and media department, Mike Ross. “but who are now enrolled at Cal State and receiving college credits.” Ross manages the technical side of the program and did yeow’s work in moving it along. As Ross puts it, “the hi-tech training or internship work with businesses is anything but virtual. Businesses, too, are making the classroom real by giving students projects with real challenges. No less demanding are the four speeches these Communications students are required to give during the quarter. The challenge here is every speaker’s challenge: how to make a connection with your audience. Not easy when most of your audience isn’t in the room. It’s a virtual world of distance learning. The Web-based course also gives links to the university’s financial aid office, information about scholarships and links to key off-campus sites, such as the College Board for information on testing.

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**WEB SIGHTS**

**NEWS BY, FOR AND OF THE INLAND REGION**

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An Example by Leading

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When Fred Jandt learned that he was the 2003 Outstanding Professor at Cal State San Bernardino, he learned it in front of a small but thrilled group of graduate students during one of his communications classes. CSUSB President Albert Kang's customary "ambush" (with several previous winners of the award following right behind him) walked in on the class to announce the honor in February. But in March came the Mayor's Ninth Annual Golden Apple Awards event and a large-crowd, which had gathered to tip its hat to educators throughout the inland region. Joining Jandt from CSUSB was Jeff Thompson, chair of and professor in the biology department. Whereas Jandt had captured the broader prize for his research, teaching and community service, Thompson was the university's Golden Apple winner in the specific category of teaching. While only a handful of stu-dents witnessed the announce-ment of Jandt's award, hundreds have experienced the influence of his work. His most recent has been in guiding the development of a graduate program in communications. Its key feature is a master's degree in communications with an emphasis in mediation. Jandt began at Cal State in 1983. He designed and implemented the university's first communications degree programs and served as the founding chair of the communi-cations studies department. He specializes in intercultural communication and conflict resolution. Jandt has been an ambassador on behalf of the university to the larger community of San Bernadino and Riverside counties for years. Thompson has taught at the university since 1988. He received his Ph.D. in molecular biology from Florida State University in 1976. The Michigan native taught at the University of Illinois (Champaign-Urbana) and served as a senior staff fellow at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md., before coming to Cal State.

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The passage of this bond automatically placed its second part on the March 2004 ballot. Its approval would bring more buildings and renovations to the CSU system, including funds for a new College of Education building at CSUSB.

An Example by Leading
The Bush Administration is working to increase economic opportunities for America’s rural Hispanic and Native American communities, as well as other entrepreneurs in the interior and border areas of Southern California. The Southwest Border Initiative includes a series of pro-grams to enhance small business capacity, attract investment, build infrastructure and create jobs and business opportunities. Cal State will serve as the pilot pro-gram for a series of university-based centers. These centers will assist local Hispanic and Native American tribes and other organizations representing small or disadvantaged business con-stituencies to link with the USDA, other collaborating federal agen-cies and private enterprises. CSUSB also will be the model for similar programs to be estab-lished at other universities in Arizona, New Mexico and Texas.

“The Bush Administration is working to increase economic opportunities for America’s rural Hispanic and Native American communities, as well as other entrepreneurs in the interior and border areas of Southern California,” said Gilbert Garces, U.S. Department of Agriculture’s director of the southwest initiative, A Southwest Border Initiative Center will be established on the CSUSB campus to serve as a coordination facil-ity. Robert Carlson, CSUSB natural sciences dean, will oversee the center, which is being developed through the support of Lou Gallegos, the USDA assistant secretary for administra-tion.

“The U.S. Department of Agriculture has historically advocated programs that serve to help people through the direct delivery of services,” Carlson said. “The center will provide services for a wide variety of ongoing economic and community development programs at Cal State San Bernardino, other college and university campuses, and com-munity-based organizations.”

The initial interests of the center will be directed toward medical public health and nutrition programs; Native American business development; and development of an applied research and environ-mental education facility.
Reservoirs of Goodwill

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Krieger, who lived for many years in Riverside with her husband and family, said she was pleased to be honored by the institute and hopes those students who receive the endowed scholarships will continue to be actively involved in water issues and in developing water policies. The university has an important role to play in the state’s continuing success and in choosing water issues. It is an effort you must pay close attention to,” Krieger said. “I think we might find a future water leader from this scholarship.”

She speaks from experience. Krieger was a trailblazer among the governing boards that make water policy. Besides being the first woman to chair the Metropolitan Water District, she also served as the first woman president of the Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA) and served as the Western Municipal Water District’s representative to Metropolitan. At Metropolitan, she was involved in the planning of the massive Diamond Valley Reservoir south of Hemet and in developing the district’s first master plan.

Included in the funding of the scholarships was $28,000 from Western Municipal Water District, $23,000 from the engineering firm of Krieger and Stewart, $5,000 from Albert Webb & Associates, and nearly $3,000 was raised for scholarships from table sponsorships and tickets sold at the event.

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The Living Museum

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Yet these exhibits, adds Karch, do not stand alone. They’re supported by lectures, seminars, workshops, paper and electronic publications and many outreach activities that are making the museum “one of the region’s real study sites to educate, to inspire and to maintain public interest in both art and design,” she says. “There is something for everyone at the Fullerton Art Museum.”
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Excitement mounted as the time drew near to explore the deep waters of the Channel Islands with Robert Ballard, the discoverer of the RMS Titanic, and a crew of divers and scientists. Through the experience of these students from the Coachella Valley Desert Sands and Palm Springs Unified School districts was entirely electronic, it was also live.

The ambitious JASON Project, now in its 14th year and in its first year at Cal State San Bernardino’s Palm Desert Campus, took 4,000 middle and upper elementary school students from throughout the Coachella Valley on its expeditions Jan. 29-Feb. 7. The students’ research “cruise” was at PDC’s Richard Oliphant Auditorium, connected via satellite to the research team, which the students could hold direct conversations. PDC hosted 500 students each day.

Peter Wilson, dean of the Palm Desert Campus, said working with the JASON Project will help area students in their science studies and reinforce the campus’s commitment to working with local schools to improve and enhance science performance across the curriculum.

The JASON Project uses a cutting-edge approach to learning through a year-long standardized curriculum, access to an award-winning gated Web community, video supplements, year-round professional development training, and an annual live, two-week interactive science expedition.

The project takes its name from the Greek mythological hero who was the first to descend to the deep waters of the Channel Islands and the first to observe a two-week expedition aimed at discovery of the RMS Titanic, as well as the campus’s second building opened to classes in June 2002.

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Re-tooling for a new era

The past six years have been some of the most eventful in the history of CSUSB’s continuing education unit. The Office of Extended Learning became the College of Extended Learning (CEL) in 1998, its long-time dean, Lee Porter, retired and was succeeded by Jan Jackson; and the college’s programs contracted in certain areas while expanding in others.

In short, the past six years have been transformational for the college, yet its mission has remained constant: "To develop and deliver high quality, innovative educational programs tailored to the diverse personal and professional learning needs of the many communities we serve." President Albert Karnig’s influence in re-shaping the campus’s regional service concept and image has been an important factor in the evolution of CEL’s programs. At the close of 2002 the array and quality of extended learning’s educational offerings were wider and higher than five years before, and the college’s goals were considerably more ambitious.

For example, the extension program worked in partnership with the College of Natural Sciences to establish the Inland Empire’s first college that’s more seasoned, more practiced in a variety of programming fields costs,” he said. “The California State University has agreed to the public-private partnership to create this branch campus is unique to the CSU system, and perhaps among universities across the nation. “Local citizens, foundations and municipalities are donating construction and land costs,” he said. “The California State University has agreed to operate the campus with state funds once the buildings are built.”

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“Chancellor Reed stated in his letter that Karnig “knows how to generate support for the university among civic andcommunity leaders and from local, state and national elected officials.” Indeed, the evidence speaks for itself. The universityhas more than tripled its acquisition of federal monies—to $18million—and increased college and instate grants by 150 per-cent—to $13.7 million. Coupled with the creation of a $1.5million endowment to fund scholarships, the university’s devel-opment efforts underscore the desire to be self-reliant and toreduce dependence on state and CSU system funding.”

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“The same sentiment is echoed by the university’s first lady,Majhlini Karnig, who volunteers for many community organiza-tions. “Finding ways to bring people to the campus and the cam-pus to the community has always been a priority,” she said. Mrs.Karnig is applauded in Reed’s letter for her support for her hus-band and commitment to Cal State San Bernardino. “We bothenjoy being part of the varied activities that make a university soexisting and we’ve always thought it was important to take part inthe life of the larger community where we live and work,” she added.

“We have all felt Dr. Karnig’s presence in the community,” saidBernardino Mirror Judith Vallies. “He’s a familiar andfriendly face for the university and a willing partner with the city. His expertise and influence have been invaluable on the Mayor’sEducation Roundtable partnership with San Bernardino ValleyCollege and the San Bernardino City Unified School District.”

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“Congressman Jerry Lewis, who has represented the district thathas included the campus for more than two decades, credits Karmigfor bringing more awareness among federal officials about thevalue of higher education and its impact to the region. “I havebeen pleased to see the university grow and mature in itsapproach to education policy and how the federal governmentcan provide support,” Lewis said. “I see no small part that increasedsophistication can be attributed to the leadership of Al Karnig.” And said Congressman Joe Baca. “I have always admiredAl’s reason, compassion and resolve. He has fought hard atboth the federal and state level to bring badly needed funding tothe university.”

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In March 2001, CSUSB students voted to increase fees to expand the Student Union and construct a larger recreation center. The project will double its size. Once complete, the facilities will provide larger dining areas with more restaurant choices, more office space for student clubs and organizations, and additional space for the Cross Cultural Center, Women’s Resource Center, and Adult Re-Entry Centers. It also will house a 200-seat theater for films, concerts and speakers, more student lounges, and possibly a convenience store.

The San Manuel grant will increase the size of the Cross Cultural Center by 4,000 square feet. The expanded center will support two floors and include three conference rooms, new offices, a reception area, exhibit space and additional meeting rooms. Work is scheduled to begin this summer and will be complete around 2005. Cost of the overall Student Union expansion is $143,000 from the state Department of Rehabilitation, whose clients will be among the first to take advantage of the extended services.

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“This gift is indicative of the tribe’s continued commitment to higher education and the future growth of the Inland Empire,” said Marquez. “The San Manuel Band of Mission Indians recognizes the importance of universities and the role they play in providing education, culture and training for families and individuals within a region.”

Inland Empire residents with disabilities will soon have access to and training for the latest computer technology to help them succeed at work through a comprehensive program at Cal State San Bernardino, funded in part by a $100,000 contribution from Verizon. The grant from Verizon Foundation, the philanthropic arm of Verizon Communications, will go toward equipment and software to broaden campus and community access to the university’s existing computer assistance center for disabled students, faculty and staff. The contribution complements a $143,000 grant from the state Department of Rehabilitation, whose clients will be among the first to take advantage of the extended services.

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Women's Cross Country
The Coyotes enjoyed perhaps their best season under veteran coach Tom Burleson. Freshman distance runner Tanya Zafarzhan of Hesperia was named the CCAA's Freshman of the Year. As she led the Coyotes to an eighth-place finish in the CCAA championships and a 12th place finish out of 23 teams at the NCAA West Region. Zafarzhan became the first Coyote’s runner to earn All-CCAA honors and All-West Region honors. She set a new team record for 6,000 meters at 21:59. She and her teammates — junior Hannah Knattle of Loma Linda and senior Kate Pederson from Phelan — were all nominated for academic All-America honors by the NCAA Division II Cross Country Coaches Association.

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Coach Christian Johnson’s team won its first five games and went on to post a 9-1-1 record that included a 1-0 overtime victory over eventual national champion Simonis State. Johnny Richardson led the Coyotes with 27 points on 11 goals and five assists and earned All-West Region first team and All-West Region second team honors. Two other Coyote players earned All-CCAA honors — sophomore Jason Kaca of Whittier (21 points on seven goals and seven assists) and Barry Steele of Beaumont (12 points on five goals and two assists). Steele was later named to the All-Far West second team.

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THE IMPORTANCE OF SPORT
His presence at annual all-sports banquets, dinners for competitors in three regional tournaments and his positive remarks about the student-athletes and the coaching staff have driven home the point that athletics at Cal State San Bernardino is a major player in brightening campus life.

From the opening day of his presidency, Albert Karr has voiced his support for student-athletes and the sports they play. Much of the sports teams' success has paralleled that period since his arrival in 1997. He's often complimented student-athletes for their performance on the field or court and in the classroom, and the positive image they present to the campus.

Before he arrived, the 11 sports at CSUSB had produced just one California Collegiate Athletic Association championship — in men’s soccer in 1991. It was the school’s first year as a member of the California Collegiate Athletic Association in NCAA Division II. Since his arrival, sports teams have piled up seven CCAA championships — four in men’s basketball, two in women’s volleyball and one in baseball. But another way to gauge progress at CSUSB is the performance of more than 200 student-athletes in the classroom. In 2001-02, they compiled a collective grade point average of 2.93, well above the average for the entire student body, and produced academic All-America student-athletes.

Academic All-American student-athletes
Amy Pope was named the CCAA’s Female Scholar-Athlete of the Year. She provides more than $200,000 in scholarships for student-athletes.

The Importance of Sport
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Men's basketball — Five straight seasons of 23 or more victories, four CCAA titles, two West Region titles and a record of 133-42
Women’s basketball — A 1998 NCAA tournament appearance, four winning seasons and an 87-77 record
Baseball — One CCAA championship and three winning seasons
Women’s volleyball — Two CCAA championships, three straight West Region title game appearances and six straight seasons of 20 or more victories
Women’s soccer — Three straight seasons finishing at .500 or better — a total of 31 wins in the past three years
Men’s soccer — The Coyotes have produced 18 wins in the past two years, more wins than in the previous three years combined
Softball — CSUSB teams have put together two winning seasons with part-time head coaching, including 24 wins in 1998 and 32 wins in 2002
Golf — The men’s golf team finished third in the NCAA national championship tournament in 1998
Tennis — Working with a part-time coach, the team has shown a marked improvement with 16 dual match wins over the past three seasons, triple the number of victories the team achieved in the previous three years
Water polo — The sport was initiated at CSUSB in 1992 and has produced seven national champions — the most of any CSUSB program.

Years, Record Back
2002-2003
— In 2002-03, student-athletes posted an overall grade point average of 2.93.
— Student-athletes approved a five-year increase that, among other benefits, provides more than $200,000 in scholarships for student-athletes.
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Spring/Summer 2003
by Veronica Martinez

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Their hour turned, however, as Lance Ray (right) moved from the door to the front of the class, a red-and-white striped jersey stapled to his back. The 7-foot 4-inch wing for Cal State San Bernardino's Sigma Nu fraternity also volunteered to read to students.

Althea Ray and Yaisrael, the teacher's children, read the students had questions, and Ray had offered some answers. On what made him a good athlete: "I have five older brothers and they beat up with basketball to keep up." On the value of education: "I urge you to stay in school." Future plans: "I'll get my degree in mathematics this spring and I'd like to try on some pro-sports basketball and then someday teach at the junior college level or maybe even at your level." His answers, apparently, inspired at least one student to want to rise to college level or maybe even at your level. "I"m going to Cal State!"] said the student after listening to Ray.

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month. Graduating students go home, get higher paying jobs and tell their family, friends and colleagues about CSUSB and the M.B.A. program. To instill a sense of pride and camaraderie among its students, the program also has awarded an award-winning M.B.A. scan, which has come away with a trophy in each of the five years it has competed in a business simulation game with 31 other teams from around the country.

Beverly Delker Gentry, who received her M.B.A. this year, was a member of one of the award-winning teams. Gentry, called her participation a great learning experience because the team members had to create a product, a business plan and a report, and then make decisions affecting their business. “If forced to see how different areas of business all work together,” Gentry said.

One of the newer aspects of the program is the off-campus Executive M.B.A. program, which takes executives, managers and supervisors through a rigorous two-year course of study. So far, classes have been held for executives from Arrowhead Credit Union, physicians from the San Bernardino County Medical Society in Colton, and most recently for executives in Rancho Cucamonga. The pro- gram is also looking to offer similar studies at the Eisenhower Medical Center in the Palm Springs-Palm Desert area. Perhaps Gentry, who is an administrative specialist for CSUSB facility services and serves a campus quality improvement facilitator working with the chancellor’s office, sums it up best when assessing the M.B.A. program. “It’s been great. The faculty has a lot of experience in the business field and they are ready to help and offer their expertise,” she said. “It has been a great learning experience.”

Suites Deal

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The Fruits of Good Labor

The CSUSB Alumni Association earned honors for the Best ReachImpact Program for Grad Days 2002 and for the Best Student Program for its Coyote Pack program.

The recognition was given by the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) at its Region VII conference in Anaheim last week.

“Grad Days” is a one-stop shopping event at the university bookstore for Commencement candidates picking up caps, gowns and tickets, as well as taking advantage of Grad Days-only discounts and special on class ring, graduation announcements, diploma frames and other Cal State San Bernardino items.

“Grad Days is a fun event for graduating seniors and is definitely one of the most important activities the Alumni Association sponsors. We never want to miss an opportunity to connect with students and help build loyalty and pride for CSUSB,” said Elsa Montes, B.S., marketing '89, and a vice president for Arrowhead Credit Union.

Montes also is the vice president of the Alumni Association and chair of the Membership Development Committee.

The Coyote Pack initiative was created to encourage student attendance at campus events, building school pride and loyalty among the university’s future alumni. This is especially important on a campus of 16,300 students, of whom roughly 1,000 live in university residences. The year began with the House of Blue Kickoff and 5K Fun Run, both with Coyote Pack-sponsored events such as athletic contests and theatre productions. Back the Pack T-shirts and other giveaways were used as incentives to increase student participation. For the 2001-2002 school year, the Alumni Association recorded 4,114 Coyote Pack attendees at 19 sponsored events.

Making the Most of Membership Contributions

Among the Alumni Association’s priorities for the year was to increase its support of campus programs that (1) bring visibility to the university and prestige to the CSUSB degree; (2) provide exceptional service to students and alumni thereby fostering loyalty to the university; and (3) reconnect alumni to their alma mater.

This year the association awarded a total of $42,700 in scholarships, sponsorships, scholarships and grants to the following programs.

$17,500 Mentor scholarships awards
$10,000 Cal Stems SB Magazine
$4,000 Model United Nations student designation
$1,000 Coyote Athletics season sponsorship
$1,000 Social & Behavioral Sciences Dedication
$1,400 NCAA Division II Pacfic Regional Volleyball Tournament
$1,000 17th Annual Environmental EXPO
$3,000 College of Business & Public Administration Arrowhead Executive Award breakfast
$1,000 Fullerton Art Museum on collection acquisition fund
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Student Alumni Association established in 1999, with members contributing more than 4,000 volunteers hours to the Alumni Association.
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Grad Days celebration for graduating students.
Appreciation Basketball night with a basketball game set at 2001 Alumni Scholarship day.
Grad Days event raised an Award of Excellence from the Council for Advancement and Support of Education.

An Entrepreneur’s Life

by Kim Lane

Data entry. It didn’t pay much and it definitely wasn’t glamorous.

But it was a start for Amro Albanna, who says his job as a student worker doing data entry at Cal State San Bernardino set him on the track to a successful entrepreneurial career in a shaky economy.

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“Grad Days is a fun event for graduating seniors and is definitely one of the most important activities the Alumni Association sponsors. We never want to miss an opportunity to connect with students and help build loyalty and pride for CSUSB,” said Elsa Montes, B.S., marketing '89, and a vice president for Arrowhead Credit Union.

Montes also is the vice president of the Alumni Association and chair of the Membership Development Committee.

The Coyote Pack initiative was created to encourage student attendance at campus events, building school pride and loyalty among the university’s future alumni. This is especially important on a campus of 16,300 students, of whom roughly 1,000 live in university residences. The year began with the House of Blue Kickoff and 5K Fun Run, both with Coyote Pack-sponsored events such as athletic contests and theatre productions. Back the Pack T-shirts and other giveaways were used as incentives to increase student participation.

For the 2001-2002 school year, the Alumni Association recorded 4,114 Coyote Pack attendees at 19 sponsored events.

Making the Most of Membership Contributions

Among the Alumni Association’s priorities for the year was to increase its support of campus programs that (1) bring visibility to the university and prestige to the CSUSB degree; (2) provide exceptional service to students and alumni thereby fostering loyalty to the university; and (3) reconnect alumni to their alma mater.

This year the association awarded a total of $42,700 in sponsorships, scholarships, and grants to the following programs.

$17,500 Mentor scholarships awards
$10,000 Cal Stems SB Magazine
$4,000 Model United Nations student designation
$1,000 Coyote Athletics season sponsorship
$1,000 Social & Behavioral Sciences Dedication
$1,400 NCAA Division II Pacific Regional Volleyball Tournament
$1,000 17th Annual Environmental EXPO
$3,000 College of Business & Public Administration Arrowhead Executive Award breakfast
$1,000 Fullerton Art Museum on collection acquisition fund
$500 College of Education graduate endowment
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$1,350 Chamber Singers travel tour

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Shawn E. Cantlay, M.A. national security studies 1988, recently joined the Louisville law offices of Sikes & Harbison as a part of the firm’s Tort and Insurance Practice and Business Litigation services groups. Prior to this position, Shawn was a corporate law clerk for LG&E Energy in Louisville.

Thomas Fowle, B.A. computer science 1988, is CSUSB’s new head coach for its women’s water polo team.

Do you remember when ...?

1. Jeannie, the supervising probation officer for the Riverside County Probation Department.

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4. John Benoit, M.P.A. 1993, was elected to the California State Assembly, representing the 64th District. John is responsible to voters in cities ranging from Riverside and Moreno Valley to Rancho Mirage and Indian Wells.

5. Nicar Montaiz, B.A. psychology 1994, is a social worker and foster care recruiter for Riverside County. Nicar recently authored “Journeys Within the Self, A Deeper Insight," dealing with topics such as liberty, justice and happiness.

6. Eddie A. Cauhape, B.A. theater arts 1997, has been promoted to outside sales for New Beginnings, Ltd., a film and novelty distribution company in Los Angeles.

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(Kim Lane, B.A. management, 1990, is the senior editor for admissions & outreach communications at the University of California, Riverside.)
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Cynthia Olivo, B.A. psychology 1997, M.S. educational counseling 2001, was named associate director of admissions and student recruitment at CSUSB. Cynthia has been with the university for seven years and previously held the position on an interim basis. She currently is pursuing a Ph.D. in urban educational administration from Claremont Graduate University.

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Hispanic Serving Institution, designated by the U.S. Department of Education. The May 5 edition of The Hispanic Outlook in Higher Education ranks Cal State San Bernardino 2nd in the United States among four-year colleges for Hispanic enrollment, and 27th for bachelor's degrees awarded to Hispanics. In 2002, Hispanics earned one-quarter of the bachelor's degrees awarded at CSUSB, ranking the university fourth in the California State University for the percentage of bachelor's degrees presented to Hispanic students.

“The work of Dr. Karnig in helping to bring minority students to the university and giving them hope for the future goes to the heart of why we have the Vision of Hope Award,” said Jim Brennan, superintendent of the Diocese of San Bernardino Office of Catholic Schools, which presented Karnig with the award in February. The growth among Latinos and African Americans, in particular, has helped bring student enrollment from 13,280 when Karnig arrived to more than 16,300 today. It is expected to top 17,000 students this fall, and the president estimates annual enrollment could reach 25,000 by the end of the decade. The population boom of the Inland Empire and the Coachella Valley, where the university’s Palm Desert Campus is located, the San Bernardino-Riverside county region’s population of 3.5 million people is already larger than 20 other states in population and is growing faster than all but Florida, Texas and California itself. The university continues to manage the growth with construction, more on-campus housing, more summer programs, better use of facilities on nights and weekends, creation of distance learning programs and an overall focus on managing enrollment.

CSUSB also is feeling the desire for good cultural and social events. “I am always pleased to see an increasing number of students, faculty, staff and people from the community attend plays, concerts, art exhibits and athletic events on our campus. The university has so much to offer. We’re happy that so many people are proud to be part of this university,” said Maslyn Karnig. The recent success of Coyote athletic teams has made the university a family sports and entertainment destination and has inspired people like Harp and his wife, Anita, a 1976 CSUSB graduate, to become basketball season ticket holders. Since the late ’90s, the Coyote women’s volleyball team and the men’s baseball and basketball teams have dominated seven California Collegiate Athletic Association titles.

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Cheryl Brown, publisher of Black Voice News, a 1975 CSUSB graduate, explained: "What most people don’t realize is that Al Karnig is the biggest expert in the region. What he’s exporting is education."
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“The growth among Latinos and African Americans, in particular, has helped bring minority students to the university and given them hope for the future goes to the heart of why we have the Vision of Hope Award,” said Jim Beamun, superintendent of the Diocese of San Bernardino Office of Catholic Schools, which presented Karrig with the award in February.

The growth in cultural and social events isn’t the only area in which CSUSB has distinguished since Karrig took the reins. Educational opportunities for students and faculty have escalated considerably, extending beyond the No. 1 goal of teaching and learning to developing new research opportunities and other innovative ways to benefit the community, both on campus and off.

“He and Marilyn have sparked us to do more for the university and the community,” said Larry Sharp, president and chief executive officer of the Arrowhead Credit Union. “He has been one who’s been willing to partner with the business community. He’s really has focused on students, their access to the university and its facilities, be invited to events and feel like we are a real part of this university,” said Marilyn Karrig. The recent success of Coyote athletic teams has made the university a family sports and entertainment destination and has inspired people like Harp and his wife, Anita, a 1976 CSUSB graduate, to become basketball season ticket holders. Since the late 1990s, the Coyote women’s volleyball team and the men’s baseball and basketball teams have claimed seven California Collegiate Athletic Association titles.

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JUNE

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ART EXHIBIT. The 34th Annual Student Show (News from the Art Department series). The best works of CSUSB students. Robert V. Fullerton Art Museum. Through July 26. Museum hours: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, and 10 a.m.-7 p.m. on Thursday. Free. Parking $1.50. 880-7373.

JULY

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MUSIC. Summer Wednesdays continues with Gregg Young and the Second Street Band perform rock to reggae, jazz to blues and rhythm and blues. 7 p.m. Lower Commons. Free. Parking $1.50. 880-7360.

MUSIC. Summer Wednesdays series closes with Latin Society performing classic hits with a big Latin sound. 7 p.m. Lower Commons Plaza. Free. Parking $1.50. 880-7360.

SEPTEMBER

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ART EXHIBIT OPENING. "Symbols of Devotion: Spanish Colonial Art of Mexico." Through Jan. 31. Opening reception Oct. 4, 4-6 p.m. Museum hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., and 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Thursday. Free. Parking $1.50. 880-7373.