



Cowell College
Handout
 The Pursuit of Truth in the Company of Friends
April 2015
 Cowell College Programs, Room 133, (831)459-2255
 also online at cowell.ucsc.edu/activities

New Orleans College Night

Tuesday, April 28
6 - 7:30 pm
Cowell Dining Hall



Come experience the sights, sound, and taste of the culture-rich city of New Orleans. Join in the party with southern food, music, dance, and some history you may have never heard about this unique American city! Performing for us will be **Element Brass Band**, hailing from Davis, CA. They will share the evolution of New Orleans music from it's roots in the African diaspora to modern-day jazz and second line parades.

Menu: jambalaya, vegetarian po-boys, seafood gumbo, crawfish, red beans and rice, collard greens, cole slaw, cornbread, buttermilk biscuits, bingets, bread pudding, lemonade and iced tea. Doors open at 5:45 pm.

College Night Ticket Info: Cowell students with a meal plan: swipe your card at the door. Off-campus students without a meal plan: pay \$2 in advance at the Programs Office room 133. Faculty & staff contact Provost Assistant: cwprvstasst@ucsc.edu, 459-2251. Arrive on time.

Campus Housing Info 2015-16

Priority Housing Application Period: April 13 - 20
online at www.studenthousing.ucsc.edu

Interested in campus housing for next year? Do not miss this deadline! You must apply to be able to participate in room selection for the 2015-16 year.

Info Session - Wed., April 1, 10:30am, Stevenson Event Center

Housing Coordinator Jed Milroy will host an informal housing information session for fall 2015 housing. Learn about your options. Bring your group and your questions!



Become a Cowell Welcome Leader!

Application Deadline:
Friday, April 3 at 12 noon

Cowell Welcome Leaders (WLs) are an amazing team of volunteers who help new Cowell students when they arrive in the fall. WLs assist with Move In, plan Welcome Week activities, and help produce Cowell Night Live with leadership and hard work. Pick up an application and job description from folders around Cowell or online at cowell.ucsc.edu/activities.

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
Classes Begin	30	31	01	02	03	04	
Location Key FSL: Mary Holmes Fireside Lounge CDH: Cowell Dining Hall SEC: Stevenson Event Center		1-2p: Meditation, FSL 6-7p: Hula Hoop Club, Founders Glen 7-8:15p: Yoga, FSL	10:30a: Housing Info Session, SEC 8-10:30p: Poetry Slam, FSL	8-9p: Balloon Art Brigade, FSL 8-9:30p: Cowell Senate Meeting, Conf. Room 132	<i>Deadline: Welcome Leader Application, EAP Scholarship</i> 11a-1p: Condom Co-op, Outside CDH 5-6p: Meditation, FSL 5:30-8p: Spring Student Show, Smith Gallery 7p: Magic Tournament, FSL	10a-3p: Paper Cutting Demo, Pickard Smith Gallery	
SUNDAY	05	06	07	08	10	11	
		1-2p: Meditation, FSL 5:30-7p: Vietnamese Spring Roll Making, Provost's House 6-7p: Hula Hoop Club, Founders Glen 7-8:15p: Yoga, FSL		8-9p: Balloon Art Brigade, FSL 8-9:30p: Cowell Senate Meeting, Conf. Room 132	11a-1p: Condom Co-op, Outside CDH 5-6p: Meditation, FSL	2-4p: Outdoor Concert & BBQ, Provost's House	
	12	13	14	15	16	18	
	<i>Begin: Priority Housing Application Period</i>	<i>Stevenson College Night: DH closes 2pm</i> 1-2p: Meditation, FSL 6-7p: Hula Hoop Club, Founders Glen 6:30p: Cowell Social & Assembly Mtng., CDH 7-8:15p: Yoga, FSL		8-10:30p: Poetry Slam, FSL	8-9p: Balloon Art Brigade, FSL 8-9:30p: Cowell Senate Meeting, Conf. Room 132	<i>Student Project Fund Application Deadline</i> 11a-1p: Condom Co-op, Outside CDH 5-6p: Meditation, FSL 5-7p: Views from the Hill: Looking Out, Looking In, Pickard Smith Gallery	12-5p: Drum Feast, Family Student Housing Field
	19	20	21	22	23	24	
		<i>End: Priority Housing App. Period</i> 3-5p: Healthy High Festival, Cowell Courtyard	1-2p: Meditation, FSL 6-7p: Hoop Club, Glen 7-8:15p: Yoga, FSL		<i>Deadline: Cowell Awards and Prizes</i> 8-9p: Balloon Art Brigade, FSL 8-9:30p: Senate, Room 132	<i>Alumni Weekend</i> 10a-4p: UCSC Earth Summit 2015, College 9/10 Multi-Purpose Rm 11a-1p: Condom Co-op, Outside CDH	<i>Alumni Weekend</i>
	26	27	28	29	30		
	10a-12p: Cowell's Birthday Brunch w/ Alumni, Provost's Lawn 12-1p: Dizikes Concert, Humanities 206		6-7:30p: New Orleans College Night, CDH 7-8:15p: Yoga, FSL	8-10:30p: Poetry Slam, FSL	8-9p: Balloon Art Brigade, FSL 8-9:30p: Cowell Senate Meeting, Conf. Room 132	10-11:30a: The Creation of Beauty in the Company of Friends, Page Smith Library 5-6p: Meditation, FSL	

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Weekly at Cowell

Meditation Class for All

Tues., 1-2 pm & Fri., 5-6 pm; Mary Holmes Fireside Lounge
For more info: telessar@ucsc.edu



Meditation classes for all. Come learn basic meditation techniques to help you clear and calm the mind, relax, and find peace.

Hula Hoop Club

Tuesdays, 6-7 pm; Founders' Glen (Lawn behind Parkman)

NEW!! Yoga at Cowell

Tuesdays, 7-8:15 pm; Mary Holmes Fireside Lounge
For more info: nicolettejohnsonyoga@gmail.com



Yoga at Cowell is back for spring quarter with instructor Nicolette Johnson! Join us on Tuesdays for a Hatha inspired flow suited for all levels (even brand new beginners). Be on time as space is limited. Mats are available for use.

Balloon Art Brigade

Thursdays; 8-9 pm; Mary Holmes Fireside Lounge
For more info: slugballoons@gmail.com



Come learn the simple art that created smiles, beginners of any level are welcomed!

Cowell Senate

Thursdays; 8-9:30 pm; Conference Room 132
For more info: slugballoons@gmail.com

Questions, concerns, or want to get more involved with Cowell? Come to Senate to voice your opinion and hear others on pressing issues in the community.

Condom Co-Op

Fridays; 11 am-1 pm; Outside Cowell Dining Hall
For more info: shop@ucsc.edu

Best Prices in Town! 8 condoms for \$1! Come buy safer sex supplies and learn about the other resources SHOP has to offer.

How to Make: Fresh Vietnamese Spring Rolls!

Monday, April 6; 5:30-7 pm; Cowell Provost's House

For more info: chgng@ucsc.edu

Get the start of your spring rolling by learning how to make fresh Vietnamese Spring Rolls! A delectable treat that's so quick and easy to make, you're going to wonder why you'd even bother ordering them from restaurants.



Outdoor Concert & BBQ

Saturday, April 11; 2-4 pm; Cowell Provost's House Backyard
For more info: smuniz@ucsc.edu

Stop by Faye's backyard for some awesome bands and delicious burgers! This will be a perfect way to kick off spring quarter. Don't forget to bring a blanket and enjoy the beautiful weather.

Cowell Social & Assembly Meeting!

Tuesday, April 14; 6:30 pm; Cowell Dining Hall

For more info: vvotino@ucsc.edu

Not sure where to eat on Stevenson College Night? Come to the Cowell Social for free *Panda Express* dinner, music, photo booth, roaming entertainment, games, and the presentation of your Cowell Senate budget and constitution. You have a vote! Arrive promptly at 6:30 to get a ticket for dinner and to vote. We'll keep it brief so there's lots of time for the activities and dinner. Food is first-come, first-serve.

Views from the Hill: Looking Out, Looking In

Friday, April 17; 5-7 pm; Eloise Pickard Smith Gallery

For more info: blackmer@ucsc.edu

Healthy High Festival

Monday, April 20; 3-5 pm; Cowell Courtyard and Founders' Glen
For more info: mkcorder@ucsc.edu

Come and enjoy a healthy high! Yoga, painting, bounce house, disc golf, and lots of other fun activities!

Cowell 2015 Prizes & Awards

Deadline: April 23; Noon; Provost's Assistant Office (Rm. 116)

For complete criteria contact: Tristan, cwprvsta@ucsc.edu or <http://cowell.ucsc.edu/academics/collegeprizes.html>

Outstanding poet? Book artist? Non-fiction writer? Student leader? Submit your work and nominations to win prizes. Best of luck!

Cowell Poetry Prize (\$100)

Cowell Press Prize (\$100)

Cowell Illustration Prize (\$100)

The UCSC Annual Dante Prize (\$300)

John Dizikes Writing Prize (\$500)

Carol Freeman Leadership Award (\$100)

John Lynch Multicultural Service Award (\$100)

Cassius Ellis Memorial Award (\$100)

The Creation of Beauty in the Company of Friends

Saturday, April 25; 10-11:30 am; Page Smith Library

For more info: vhamilto@ucsc.edu

Join us alumni weekend for a panel of three Pioneer artists, Eric Thiermann, Holly Downing and Richard Shaffer, who have lived their lives in art. Refreshments will be provided!

Dizikes Concert

Sunday, April 26; 1-2 pm; Humanities Lecture Hall

For more info: shcarril@ucsc.edu

Join us on the last day of Alumni Weekend in celebration of UCSC's 50th anniversary! We will be taking it back to the year 1965 with a show to remember. Come listen to students, alumni, Acquire A Cappella and the Hightones sing songs from the Beatles, Temptations, The Beach Boys and more!

Now Hiring for 2015-2016!

Apply online: <http://careers.ucsc.edu>

The Programs Office is hiring for 2 positions to train in spring quarter and continue on through next school year.

Tech Crew Lead, \$10.00/hour, ER #0271

Graphics Designer & Admin Assistant, \$9.50/hour, ER #6644

Around Campus...

Drum Feast

Sat, April 18; 12-5 pm; Family Student Housing Field (West Side)

For more info: airc@ucsc.edu

The annual UCSC Sophia Garcia Robles Drum Feast celebrates the food, songs, dances, and contemporary lifeways and arts of Indigenous peoples in North America.

Important Housing & Academic Deadlines

Date	Event/Deadline
Apr 1	Class enrollment deadline
Apr 8	Class permission numbers required
Apr 17	Deadline to add/drop/swap a class, change grading option, and apply for part-time program
Apr 24	Deadline to declare a major/minor
Apr 29	Deadline to apply to graduate for Spring 2015 (through my.ucsc.edu)
Apr 30	Deadline to apply for intercampus visitor

Dizikes Art Cases

For more info: DizikesArt@gmail.com

Come see the new display in the Dizikes Cases! Featuring work from the Merrill Pottery Co-Op, and works by Cowell affiliate Misha Holtz. Stop by and appreciate the art of your fellow students.

DVD Library

Cowell Senate Office, Room 135

For more info: CowellDVD@gmail.com

Come by Cowell College's DVD Library to access a plethora of movies (of every genre) completely free of charge!

Kinetic Poetics Project Slam

Wednesdays, April 1, 15, & 29; 8-10:30 pm; Mary Holmes Fireside Lounge
For more info: kineticpoeticsemail@gmail.com

Join your community for a night of poetic expression. Lend an ear or grace the stage to share your own words. Sign-ups: 7:30pm.

Smith Gallery Spring Student Show

Friday, April 3, 5-8:30 pm; Eloise Pickard Smith Gallery

For more info: pmfisher@ucsc.edu

Join us for the last student art show of the year, featuring work from senior, Francesca Enzler! Come contribute to our interactive art piece and east your eyes on the artwork while feasting on some free delicious desserts. Hope to see you there!

Cowell EAP Scholarship Deadline

Friday, April 3; Submit Applications to Cowell 116

For more info: cwprvsta@ucsc.edu

Studying abroad in the Summer/Fall of 2015? Cowell offers a scholarship to students in the EAP with a GPA of 3.5 or higher. Find the application and list of requirements on the Cowell College website.

Game Night - Magic: the Gathering

Friday, April 3; 6-11 pm; Mary Holmes Fireside Lounge

For more info: halewill@ucsc.edu

Magic: the Gathering fans rejoice! A night of Magic right in your college, with the (free entry) booster draft starting at 7, a crash course for beginners at 6, and casual play and trading throughout!

Paper Cutting Demo with Alice Masek

Saturday, April 4; 10 am-3 pm; Eloise Pickard Smith Gallery

For more info: pmfisher@ucsc.edu

Come learn the fundamentals of the beautiful and delicate art of paper cutting with UCSC alum Alice Masek! All materials will be provided, as well as FREE breakfast! Space is limited-- to secure a spot, please email Paolina at pmfisher@ucsc.edu.

Commencement Countdown!

11 Weeks Left

cowell.ucsc.edu/commencement

Cowell students who plan to graduate by Winter 2016 are eligible to be in the Cowell Commencement this June. Read the comprehensive "Info for Cowell Grads" page today!

- register to be in the ceremony & printed program
- nominate student speakers (deadline: April 15)
- learn about admission, parking, regalia

Cowell Commencement: **Sat., June 13, 1:30 pm, East Field**