



BOARD REPORT

July 10, 2003

NEW CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS REPORT

Eastern Sierra College Center

Bishop

The following are the accomplishments at Eastern Sierra College Center- Bishop Campus through June 23, 2003:



The road work on Highway 198 is complete, as required by Cal-Trans. The site concrete work continues to be placed. The exterior punch list was developed and reported to the contractor and prime subs for correction of defects. The remainder of the interior punch list items contin-

ues to be perfected and is near completion. The water system permit is expected the end of July. The sewer treatment plant permit process is ongoing.

Mammoth Lakes

The following are the accomplishments at Eastern Sierra College Center- Mammoth Lakes Campus through June 23, 2003:



The electrical finish is continuing. The case work is nearly finished in the Science co-lab. The finish plumbing is continuing throughout the building. The stone veneer reference testing is continuing. Horizontal blinds are being installed. Interior door installation will begin. Concrete work is in progress. Light standards in parking lot are being set.

IWV Learning Resource Center Ridgecrest

The following are the accomplishments at IWV Campus through June 15, 2003:



East elevation, stone veneer @ stair tower, EIFS system finish & mech. yard block wall



1st floor gyp. board and taping continues.



South elevation, EIFS finish is installed and scaffold is coming down.



West elevation, EIFS finish complete on roof walls, stone veneer complete.

The metal roofing is in progress. The HVAC and electrical work continue in the building's interior. Interior framing, insulation, and drywall operations are also ongoing. The stone tile installation is complete on the exterior of the building. The installation of the suspended ceiling continues at the clerestory. The Exterior Insulated Finish System (EIFS) continues on the north side of the building. The mechanical yard masonry block wall is complete.

CERRO COSO CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Assemblyman Bill Maze's Field Representative takes a 'Stand for Children'

On May 30, Cerro Coso CDC and Pre-school in California City participated in the "Stand for Children" reading event by the Kern Association for the Education of young Children and the Kern County Child Care Council. As part of the "Stand for Children" promotion, Ms. Mary Lou Priest, field representative for Assemblyman Bill Maze, came

and read a book to the children. This was a wonderful opportunity for the child development field to join together and demonstrate the importance of quality child development programs for all young children in Kern County. Following the book reading, the Cerro Coso staff provided activities demonstrating the value of learning through play and how school readiness activities are incorporated into our curriculum. Families were invited to share what the program has meant to them with the representative and several families wrote letters to give to Assemblyman Maze.



Ms. Priest said she was very impressed with the learning opportunities we at Cerro Coso are providing for the children. She said she would pass this information on to Assemblyman Maze.

Physical Activities Class/Jamboree

The Cerro Coso Child Development Center and Cerro Coso Physical Activities class at California City held a "Physical Activities Jamboree." This is California City's 4th Jamboree. The Cerro Coso CDC staff and the students of the physical activities class offered many hands on activities promoting physical development. The children went on a bear hunt, made parachutes, and expressed their creativity with fusing beads and decorating bags to carry home their items made in the 6 areas offered.



The Physical Jamboree was a huge success! We had our largest attendance to date, 80 students and families.



California City

The RPU Elementary School and the Cerro Coso CDC and Preschool in California City held a kindergarten day for the preschool children going into kindergarten next fall. The purpose of our collaborative effort was to help children and families experience a smooth transition into the elementary school.

The children visited 3 different kindergarten classes. Following their visit to the classrooms, they ate in the cafeteria. It was great to see children who started the day with hesitation, join in and gain confidence that they are going to be safe and successful in their “new” school.



The day also provided an opportunity for many parents to meet the teachers and observe their teaching styles so they will be better equipped to participate in their children’s future education.

**CCCC
Special Events Calendar
June/July 2003**

June 9, 2003	Summer Session Begins
July 4, 2003	4 th of July Holiday (COLLEGE CLOSED)

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Quote of the Month

“It is the supreme art of the teacher to awaken joy in creative expression and knowledge.” *Albert Einstein*

