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WIND TECHNOLOGY BOOT CAMP OFFERED BY CERRO COSO COLLEGE



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Cerro Coso Community College is offering a Wind Technology Boot Camp for individuals interested in learning the basics for becoming a wind technician. The Boot Camp class is being held at the California City High School, January 26 – March 19. Classes are held Monday through Thursday evenings from 6 to 10 p.m. This Community Education class is limited to 15 students and cost \$1,000.

This class is being offered in response to the demand of industry requests for trained entry level wind technicians. Graduates will have an opportunity to find employment in both California and global wind resource areas. “The need for qualified wind technicians is immediate. The industry is now a national focus given the need for alternative energy resources,” stated instructor Larry Board. Cerro Coso has partnered with Airstreams of Tehachapi, California wind professionals.

Cerro Coso Community College Instructor, Larry Board has attended Wind Training classes over the last two years and has completed Airstreams certified training program. Instructor Board and a variety of Airstream professionals will be teaching the Boot Camp classes. Airstream Instructors have 25 years of experience in the Wind Industry.





CERRO COSO COLLEGE HELD AUDITIONS FOR SPRING PRODUCTION

The Cerro Coso Community College Theatre Department is gearing up for a busy spring semester. Auditions were held the first week of classes for the hit musical *Little Shop of Horrors*. The show features a down-and-out skid row floral assistant who becomes an overnight sensation when he discovers an exotic plant with a mysterious craving for fresh blood. The plant, "Audrey II," grows into an ill-tempered, fowl-mouthed R&B singing carnivore who offers the floral assistant fame and fortune in exchange for feeding its growing appetite. Performances will take place on May 8th, 9th, and 10th in the College Lecture Center.



STUDENT VOCATIONAL NURSING CLUB HOLDS DRAWING

The Cerro Coso Community College, Student Vocational Nurses (SVN) Club held their 50/50 drawing in late November. The winner, Lidia Gutierrez (center) received \$783.55. Presenting the check are Felipa Castillo (left) who is the nursing student who sold the winning ticket and class President, Megan Droesch (right). The SVN students are fundraising to cover the cost of their graduation/pinning ceremony, and testing and licensing fees. The SVN Club wishes to thank all of the donors who participated in the fundraiser.



CERRO COSO FACULTY WRITES BOOK CHAPTERS FOR UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO PRESS

Dr. Anne C. Benvenuti, is a visiting Scholar at the University of Chicago, where she just finished a chapter on neuroscience and religion for a University of Chicago Press book edited by Barbara Maria Stafford, as the culmination of a Templeton Grant. She is simultaneously a Visiting Scholar at Georgetown University Medical School in the Systems Medicine Program, where she is working on neuroethics with Professor Giordano. Dr. Benvenuti is now a member of the United Nations (UN) Mental Health Committee, and this spring will be her fourth conference as a Non Government Organization delegate to the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women.