



Tiger Pride

There is always great news to share about our St. Philip's College family. The following achievements align with our College Strategic Objectives: Student Success, Performance Excellence, and Principle-Centered Leadership. Stay up to date with our faculty, staff, and student accomplishments by reading the President's Newsletter online at alamo.edu/spc/newsletter and follow us on social media @GOSPC.

Student Success



Student Life Engages Students and Athletes

St. Philip's College Department of Student Life rolls out robust COVID-safe activities for students, including sports paused during the pandemic. Forty-six athletes in basketball, volleyball, and Tiger Cheer Squad are practicing for upcoming games. Student Life recently hosted an engaging Spirit Day, complete with Student Clubs and Organizations tables, Quality Enhancement Program scenarios, music and cookies. At MLK Campus, 56 students participated; there were 69 attendees at Southwest Campus.

Performance Excellence



SPC Partnership with Cowboy Breakfast Foundation Yields 6,500 Tacos for First Responders

SPC Tourism, Hospitality and Culinary Arts (THCA) volunteers – students, staff, faculty members and administrators -- arrived as early as 10:00 pm Thursday, January 27, 2022 for the annual Cowboy Breakfast on Jan. 28, held at SPC THCA building for the first time. Due to COVID, this year's event was dedicated to first responders only and 6,500 tacos were prepared for San Antonio Police Department (SAPD) and San Antonio Fire Departments (SAFD). The Cowboy Breakfast Foundation presented a check of \$10,000 that is earmarked for Tourism Hospitality and Culinary Arts student scholarships. The foundation has donated over \$250,000 to SPC over 20 years.

Principle-Centered Leadership



SPC Dean Interviewed on Career and Technical Programs During the Pandemic

St. Philip's College Dean for Academic Success Chris Beardsall was interviewed on Fox News on Feb. 2, 2022 by Joy Addison. Beardsall discussed how enrollment for skilled workers has changed during the pandemic, especially for career and technical programs, and how classes have adjusted during the pandemic. They also talked about the impact SPC graduates have on the region's workforce and economic stability.

SPC Partners with UT Austin on Co-Curricular Series



St. Philip's College Health and Biosciences Institute hosted Dr. Kirk Evoy, Clinical Assistant Professor in the Pharmacotherapy Division, University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy, as a partnership co-curricular experience for students. This is the first in a series through this new partnership. There were 63 attendees. Co-curricular experiences enhance student's learning opportunities through interactions with professionals outside of the classroom.

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