



President Harrison welcomes faculty and staff to a new year



As another academic year got under way, Dr. Dianne Harrison welcomed faculty and staff members at the World Theater on August 21.

Dr. Harrison, CSUMB's second president since its founding in 1994, emphasized the university's accomplishments to date and her view of CSUMB's future. Here's a sampling of her remarks:

"Every new academic year is exciting, no matter if you are new or returning. New students, new classes, new faculty, new staff, sometimes even a new president. A time for new beginnings.

"Though I know from my visits to virtually every building that there were staff and some faculty members working on campus this summer . . . it is so wonderful to have students and faculty back in full force in our university community to bring it back to life."

Dr. Harrison discussed how CSUMB is now positioned to progress from its start-up phase to a mature university.

"During the presidential search process, I saw a university perched on the cusp — much like the students whom we serve — ready to take the next big steps to firmly establish a promising future. And just as I was excited to be a catalyst to that change for my students when I started my career in higher education some 30 years ago as an assistant professor, I am excited to be here to lead that process for this university and its students, faculty, staff and community right now."

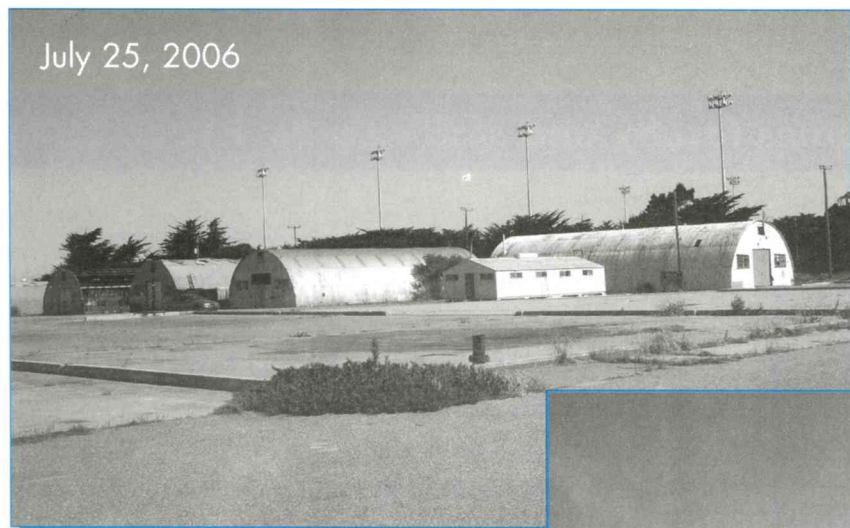
Looking toward the future, Dr. Harrison outlined the specific areas she will concentrate on this year.

"As we all, old and new, start this academic year, we have outstanding accomplishments to work from and important outcomes to target. As we all work together in the months ahead, I want you to know what I'm committed to:

- maximizing the quality of every program.
- enhancing the campus environment and experience for every member of the campus community.
- marshalling the resources necessary to succeed in everything we do.
- most importantly, I am committed to the success of every student — in every transaction amongst us. I hope you will join me in that commitment." ❖

Out with the old . . . in with the new

CSUMB's landscape has undergone a dramatic transformation over the past four years with construction of the Science/Academic Center, North Quad, Aquatic Center and the Alumni & Visitors Center. In stark contrast to these new facilities sit hundreds of abandoned military structures that dot the campus, some dating back to the early 1940s.



As part of its transformation, the old military buildings are being razed in a carefully orchestrated operation to beautify the central campus and add needed amenities for students.

"It's a campuswide project to get rid of military structures that are surplus and we have no plan for renovating," said Ron Deller, lead construction manager in Design & Construction.

This first phase involves leveling the site for new baseball and softball fields. It also includes demolishing buildings near the Aquatic Center and area where the Tanimura & Antle Family Memorial Library will sit. This phase involves demolishing approximately 85 buildings and foundations left behind by the Army. Before the buildings are demolished, any hazardous material found in them, no matter how small, must be removed in a process called abatement. The environmental engineering firm of Winzler & Kelly Consulting Engineers was retained to determine the location and

quantity of contamination in the buildings. Once this information was assembled, they devised a plan to remove contaminated material and transport it to a landfill. The abatement contractor is PARC Environmental. Castroville-based Randazzo Enterprises Inc. is handling the actual demolition.

And, about 600,000 square feet of asphalt needs to be broken up — and recycled.

"We're grinding all the asphalt, rock and concrete from the demolition to produce a base rock material," said Deller. "We'll use it to pave a road bed to be used by trucks involved in building the library. The objective is to keep as many trucks off the campus streets as possible."

A grinding machine located behind the University Center takes large pieces of the



debris, crushes it, and outputs paving material for the new road.

The road runs from the VA clinic and ends behind the University Center, traversing the future heart of the campus called "The Crescent." When completed, this area, featuring a long, graceful walkway circling an expansive grassy meadow, will offer students an inviting place to study and relax.

"It's anticipated that site preparation for the library will be completed by late August, as there are only 10 buildings to demolish in that area," Deller said. Groundbreaking for the library is scheduled for Oct. 3.



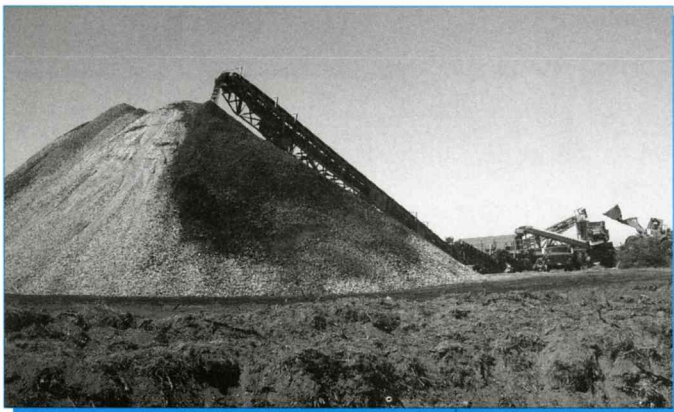
Ron Deller manages the demolition work on campus.

Construction activity around the campus will intensify over the next year. As work begins on the library, the baseball and softball fields will be constructed and the existing field house will be completely rebuilt.

Work to upgrade the campus underground utility infrastructure will continue, including telecom, electrical power, gas, water and sewer.

CSUMB will also construct a central boiler plant for a new system to heat campus buildings. Hot water lines must be installed under roadways to distribute water to the buildings. The trenching required to install the pipes comes on the heels of the trenching done earlier this year to install conduit for the fiber optic telecommunications upgrade. That project, dubbed the TIU, is in its final phase.

"There are 50 to 60 old boilers that now heat campus buildings," said Deller. "They're inefficient, and because of their age, are prone to failure. We already own two of



A mountain of asphalt rises at the recycling plant, just behind the University Center.

the three boilers needed for the new central plant, and these boilers will serve CSUMB well in the short term. The key is to get the hot water lines in the ground now. These same lines can be used at a later date to incorporate highly efficient co-generation systems for heating and power generation."

In conjunction with the central boiler plant installation, CSUMB's electrical power distribution infrastructure will be upgraded in the central campus area. The existing overhead high-voltage power distribution system that services the campus is in poor condition. The infrastructure project will put new high-voltage power lines underground into conduit and will allow the removal of most of the power poles and transformers that exist today. ❖

Little-known history

During the 1940s and 1950s, the main garrison area of the former Fort Ord served the U. S. Army as an airport. In 2007, the sprawling site will be transformed into baseball and softball fields for CSUMB. Bounded by Lightfighter Drive, Gen. Jim Moore Boulevard, Freeman Stadium and Second Avenue, the former airport featured a short runway and parking areas for Army airplanes and helicopters.

In the early 1960s, when a larger Army airfield was constructed adjacent to Fort Ord (now Marina Municipal Airport), it was named in memory of Maj. Gen. Carl F. Fritzsche. Fritzsche, who died in September 1960 in an aircraft accident near Oakland, was commanding general of Fort Ord at the time of his death.

Once Fritzsche Army Airfield was operational and the main garrison airfield shut down, the old aircraft maintenance hangars were relegated to use as a motor pool. Later, the site was converted to the South Parade Ground, where graduation ceremonies were held for trainees. When Fort Ord was decommissioned in 1994, the unused buildings became an eyesore as the new university grew up around them.

After being demolished this summer, the former airport's rusty aircraft tie-down points and the Quonset-style buildings located next to the stadium, are now only a footnote in history.

New faces join CSUMB's management team

Martin Tadlock

In his position as dean of the College of Professional Studies, Dr. Tadlock oversees the schools of Business and Education, as well as the Department of Liberal Studies and the Department of Health, Human Services and Public Policy. He most recently served as the dean of the College of Professional Studies and dean of the School of Graduate Studies at Bemidji State University in Minnesota. Tadlock oversaw the departments of accounting, business, technological studies, physical education, health and sport, and professional education.



Marylou Shockley

As chair of the School of Business, Dr. Shockley oversees all programs of this academic unit. She earned a Ph.D. in business management at Oxford University, England. Since then, Shockley has pursued her research interests in knowledge management, diversity, leadership and corporate governance with an emphasis on social responsibility. A 25-year career in the telecommunications industry has provided her with significant managerial and leadership experience.



Laurie Hatch

Dr. Hatch is the director of Teaching, Learning and Assessment. TLA supports faculty and students by developing techniques to promote University Learning Requirements and Major Learning Outcomes. Most recently, she was director of the graduate certificate in college teaching and learning at the University of

Kentucky. Her research interests include aging and gerontology and the scholarship of teaching and learning. Hatch serves as the chair of the committee on teaching for the American Sociological Association.



Joseph Eng

Dr. Eng is the new director of the Writing Program and the Academic Skills Achievement Program. ASAP is open to all students and offers peer tutoring services. Eng comes from Eastern Washington University, where he served as writing program administrator.



Don Yackley

As the director of Residential Life, Don Yackley has responsibility for all campus housing and related student support services. He joins CSUMB from Portland State University, where he was the director of residential life. Earlier, Yackley was director of residential life at the University of Idaho.



Other appointments

Dr. Chris Hasegawa has been named vice president of development in University Advancement. This assignment is in addition to his responsibility as dean of Extended Education. Steve Reed serves as interim vice president of University Advancement. Dr. Betty McEady is now the chair of the School of Education/Teacher Education Department. ❖

Howard Gauthier is CSUMB's new athletic director

Dr. Howard Gauthier has joined CSUMB as its new director of athletics, intramurals and recreational sports. Gauthier has over 20 years of experience in intercollegiate athletics and was most recently the athletic director at Southwest Minnesota State University, a member of the NCAA Division II Northern Sun Conference. His career also includes a five-year stop as athletic director at Division I Idaho State.

Gauthier earned a doctorate in education from Southern Illinois University in 1988, after receiving a master's degree in sports management from the University of St. Thomas (Fla.) in 1984.

In commenting on Dr. Gauthier's appointment, President Dianne Harrison said that, "His vision for athletics at CSUMB will benefit the student athletes and our campus community enormously." ❖



Howard Gauthier presides over CSUMB's athletic programs.

VPA student's Capstone mural graces pool

Margo Mullen, a 2006 graduate of the Visual and Public Art Department, has left a permanent record of her attendance at CSUMB — a mural covering an entire wall at the Aquatic Center.

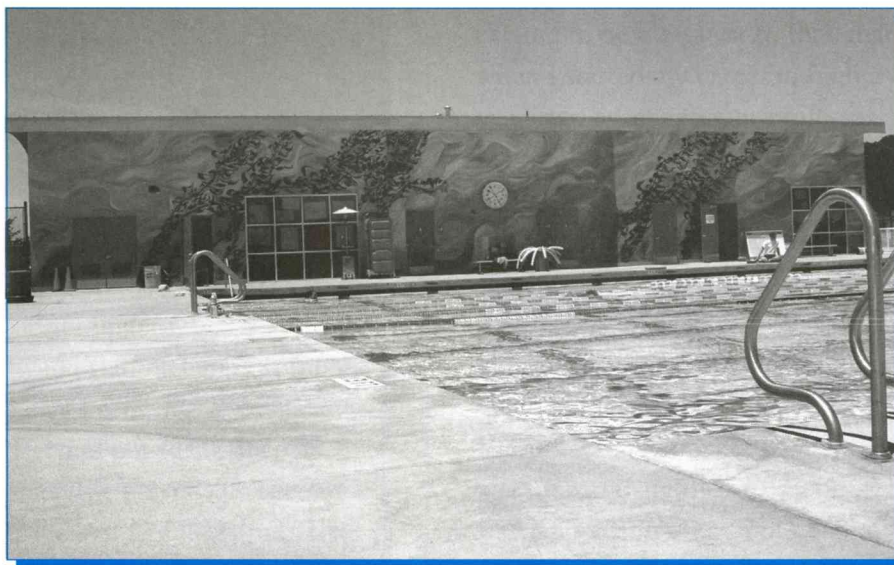
While a student here, working at the pool and playing water polo were important experiences for Mullen.

"I wanted to give back to the Aquatic Center community," she said. "I conducted research with the assistance of the

Monterey Bay Aquarium, Earth

Systems Science and Policy students Jessica Watson and Rocio Delgado, as well as local divers of Monterey Bay to design the mural.

"My research for the mural has brought me closer to the regional community, and I thank CSUMB for the great opportunity."



Margo Mullen's mural graces the entire east wall of CSUMB's Aquatic Center.

Provost Marsha Moroh said, "Every morning when I swim, the colors and the forms just seem to dance along, and it just makes my heart smile. Thanks for infusing the walls — and the pool — with such life and beauty."

Frank Degan, CSUMB's sailing

coach, added, "Having spent years diving the kelp beds in Monterey Bay, I am astounded at how lifelike the mural is. The attention to detail is amazing." ❖

Son de Madera musical group at World Theater

Using the rare and beautiful instruments of eastern Mexico, Son de Madera represents the leading force in the current musical and dance genre that blends elements of Spanish melodies and African rhythms.

The group will perform at the World Theater on Sept. 21 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$22 for CSUMB staff and faculty members; \$25 for the general public.

For tickets or further information, call the World Theater box office at 831-582-4580 or purchase tickets online at the CSUMB.EDU/worldtheater website. For disability-related accommodations, contact the World Theater box office no later than 10 business days prior to the event. Date, program and artists are subject to change. ❖

Watch history in the remaking

On Sept. 9, the overgrown roads and deteriorating buildings of old Fort Ord will be transformed into the Dutch countryside, circa September 1944.

American, British and Polish soldiers will move alongside armored vehicles. They will patrol on high alert because there may be German soldiers waiting behind the old wooden buildings.

The time travelers are members of the World War II Research and Preservation Society, recreating the battles of Operation Market Garden.

The Fort Ord Alumni Association sponsors the event.

Since its inception in 1996, the association has awarded 73 scholarships to CSUMB students.

The reenactment is open to the public.

When: Saturday, Sept. 9 from 3 to 5 p.m. Spectators should plan to be there by 2 p.m.

Admission: Adults, \$10; students and military (active or retired), \$8; children under 12, \$5.

For information or to purchase tickets, call 582-3908. More information is available online at the www.ww2rps.com or foaa.CSUMB.EDU websites. ❖

James Lovelock lecture

Independent scientist and inventor James Lovelock is scheduled to speak at CSUMB on the Earth's climate crisis and the fate of humanity. Lovelock's work led to the founding of the Green movement. Author of the *The Revenge of Gaia*, his famous Gaia Theory has changed the way we think of the earth.

The lecture is presented by CSUMB and the Big Sur Environmental Institute.

When: Monday, Sept. 18 from 4 to 6 p.m.

Where: University Center Ballroom

Admission: Free

For additional information, call 582-3758. More information is also available online at the www.startitup.org/lovelock website.

Facilities hours expanded

To better serve campus residents, Facilities Services and Operations has expanded its night and weekend hours. The expanded coverage includes the main campus and residence halls. For East Campus Housing, Alliance Services should be contacted.

Faculty and staff members should contact Facilities; students should report problems to their resident adviser, who will then contact Facilities.

The expanded hours are from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday-Friday and 2 p.m. to 11 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

From 5 p.m. to 11 p.m., Monday-Thursday, contact Facilities at 760-2175 or 760-2205. From 5 p.m. to 11 p.m., Friday, call 760-2205. From 2 p.m. to 11 p.m., Sunday, call 760-2175.

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Meet Greg Pool

What's your job title?

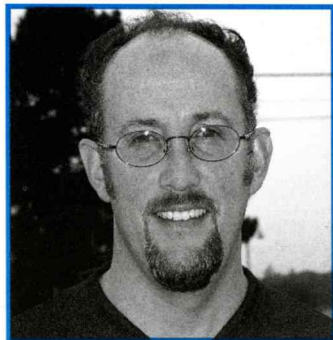
I'm the lead staff of Web Services in Information Technology.

How long have you worked for CSUMB?

Since 1995. I spent five years teaching as an adjunct professor, becoming a full-time staff member in 1997.

Do you like it here?

I grew up in Monterey, so working at CSUMB is my own fulfillment of the Vision Statement. I get to repay this community for my higher educational opportunities with my own "service through higher education."



What's a typical workday like?

Web Services answers day-to-day operational requests concerning websites and webpages, including the Charlotte content management system. We've also worked on a number of

other projects like the UHR Online Recruitment System, which reduced UHR's paper usage to a trickle.

What's most interesting about your job?

I interact with thousands of people every day when they hit the website, but I hardly feel the effect of all their requests. My staff and I also get to study and improve business processes across campus, leading to huge savings of time and money.

Tell us about your personal life.

I've been married since 2004 to Juliet, who works at the Monterey Bay Aquarium. Our daughter, Sonoma, had her first birthday last August.

What's something most people here don't know about you?

I started working with the Internet when it was still considered an avocation, so there were no degrees or classes to prepare me for this career. My degrees are in geology. After my master's, I worked at the Hawaiian Volcano Observatory on the Big Island. Then I taught middle school earth science in Hilo.

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