



# THE JOHN LETTER

STUDENT ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 3RD - FEBRUARY 9TH, 2014

Email your items to Terry.Hutchinson@rrcc.edu. Deadline is Wednesday at Noon prior to the week of publication.

All events listed in the John Letter are open and FREE for Current Students unless otherwise noted!

## Get To Know...



### Anthony Torres

#### About:

**What's his major:** Aerospace & Electrical Engineering  
**Someday he wants to...** Fly to the moons of Jupiter in a spaceship I helped design

**Last trip he took:** NASA White Sands Testing Facility with Engineering club

**Childhood idol:** Nikola Tesla  
**Pets:** 3 dogs

**Daily craving:** Chocolate

**Best job:** Chemistry Stockroom technician or STEM mentor

**Dinner with anyone from anytime:** Michael Faraday or Nikola Tesla or Maxwell

#### Favorites:

**Activity:** Tinkering

**Color:** Green

**Food:** Spaghetti

**Book:** Ender's Game (but not the author)

**Class:** IDEA

**Planet/star/galaxy/etc...:**

Milky Way/Andromeda

**Drink:** Coffee

**Animal:** Dog

**Number:** 22

Students! We want to get to know you! Stop by the Student Project Center if you would like to be in our next edition!

More "John" on the back!

## CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

Monday, February 3rd

### VOLUNTEER FAIR

Some volunteer to gain experience and skills, meet new people, and network to find a job. Others desire to promote a worthwhile activity and give back to the community. 30+ organizations will be represented  
10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. on The Bridge!

### NSLS LEADERSHIP TRAINING DAY

Open to NSLS members only.  
2:00 - 5:00 p.m. in the Community Room

Tuesday, February 4th

### GRAPHING CALCULATOR TUTORIAL

Graphing calculator tutorial that includes successful algorithm input and graphing.  
11:00 a.m. - noon & 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. in the Gateway Room

### STUDENT FOOD BANK:

AT THE STUDENT LIFE DESK. UP TO 4 FREE ITEMS PER WEEK WITH CURRENT STUDENT ID.  
11:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. & 4:00 - 6:00 P.M.

Wednesday, February 5th

### NSLS Welcome Party

Open to everyone! Stop by and see if The National Society of Leadership and Success is right for you.  
4:30 - 7:00 p.m. in the Mt. Evans Room.

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### L.O.T.S. of Success seminar

Start your semester off right with some success essentials: Learning styles, Organization, Time management & Studying strategically.  
11:00 a.m. - noon in the Community Room

### C4 - Complete What You Started

Pledge to Graduate, or receive your Certificate.  
11:00 - 1:00 p.m. on The Bridge.

Campus activities continued on the back!

### Available at the Student Life Desk:

- Student IDs - Free (replacement \$10)
- RTD 10-ride booklets - \$17
- Locker Rental - \$8
- Movie Tickets (limit 6) - \$8
- Postage Stamps (limit 6) - 46¢
- Photocopies - 10¢/page
- Color Prints - 50¢/page
- Faxes - 50¢ local \$1 long distance
- Checkout with Current ID:**
- Playstation 3 and Xbox 360 Games
- Pool Balls and Cues
- Computer Equipment
- Ping-Pong Paddles & Balls
- Basketballs, Volleyballs, Soccerballs
- Tennis Equipment

## Campus Recreation Center Planning Workshops

We need your ideas & input  
In the Great Hall

Tuesday, February 4th:  
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 5th:  
4:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 8th:  
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

## ARVADA CAMPUS ACTIVITIES:

### Free Popcorn

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays:  
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. & 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.  
Saturdays: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

### Food Bank

Wednesday: 5:30 - 7:00 p.m.  
Thursdays: 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

### Math Tutoring

Monday: 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday: 1:30 - 2:30 p.m. & 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

### Wednesdays

Behavioral Health Counselor Katey Parsons will be on campus by appointment only, Wednesdays  
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. please call  
303- 914-6655.



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## CAMPUS ACTIVITIES CONT.

Thursday, February 6th

*Club Round Table*  
12:15 - 1:00 p.m. Mt. Evans Room

### D2L Student Orientation

Review accessing Desire2Learn (D2L), finding courses and using various tools. Attendees will explore discussions, quizzes, the dropbox, email, content, gradebook and best practices to be successful.  
Noon - 1:00 p.m. in the Gateway Room.

Friday, February 7th

### NSLS Orientation

Open to everyone! Stop by and see if The National Society of Leadership and Success is for you!  
10:00 - 11:00 a.m. in the Den.

### Campus Computer Basics

Learn how to log on, navigate and print from the campus computers like a pro! This hands-on workshop will cover The Rock portal, online resources, D2L, and much more!  
1:00 - 1:45 p.m. in the Student Project Center

## Two New Allied Health Certificates at RRCC

Two new online/hybrid health certificates are available for this **Spring** semester registration:

### Home Health Aide and Hospice Aide.

To register for the internship and clinical segments, applicants must be Nurse Aid Certified through the State of Colorado.

Please contact Chryste Weitzel 303-914-6063 or [chyrste.weitzel@rrcc.edu](mailto:chyrste.weitzel@rrcc.edu) for any questions

## MONEY!

Remember, there are two steps to COF:

- 1: Apply
- 2: Authorize

Please preview your bill to ensure your COF stipend has been applied to your account! If not...

Contact:

Jenn Panetta, COF Advisor  
303-914-6254 or email  
[jennifer.panetta@rrcc.edu](mailto:jennifer.panetta@rrcc.edu)



## Campus Portal

Find what you need!

Log in to The Rock:

- Add/Drop classes
- Student Clubs
- Desire2Learn
- Upcoming Events
- And more

Check out the link on [www.rrcc.edu](http://www.rrcc.edu)

# the rock



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Facebook!

[facebook.com/redrocksc](http://facebook.com/redrocksc)  
AND



Twitter!

[twitter.com/rrccedu](http://twitter.com/rrccedu)

## Learning Commons News

### Math Tutoring Hours for Lakewood

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Friday: Closed

Saturday: 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

### For Arvada:

Monday: 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday: 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

& 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.



## STUDENT VETERANS CENTER

Southwest Corner of Library  
Computer, TV Lounge,  
VA Literature, Magazines, etc.

## Payroll Deadline

Biweekly Payroll: 1/25 - 2/07

E-timesheets are due Friday, February 7th  
by **12:00 p.m.** Pay will be direct  
deposited Friday, February 21st, 2013.

## NEED HELP FILLING OUT THE FAFSA? NO PROBLEM!

Stop by the Financial Aid Office or call (303) 914-6256 and schedule an appointment with Larry Porter. He can sit with you one on one and help guide you through the whole FAFSA application process online. Fill out the 2013 - 2014 FAFSA just in time for the Spring semester or complete the new 2014 - 2015 FAFSA, now available online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)  
So don't waste any time, schedule your appointment today!

Reason #1265 to frequent the RRCC coffee shop: We possess a profound plethora of power-strips.

Who doesn't love a power-strip? No I'm not talking about a certain style of male exotc dance, I'm talking about those little things that you plug your computer into. You can also plug your cell phone into it, as well as your electronic exercise belt that juggles your belly fat until it gets annoyed and leaves your body. (It is a scientific fact that fat is easily annoyed and has a very low tolerance for gentle vellication.) Anyway, we got power-strips. Fun fact: power-strips are also called 'surge protectors' because they protect your electronics, such as your life-sized David Hasselhoff automaton, from random and destructive surges in power. What a fun fact! Anyway, stop on by and enjoy our bounty of luxurious 'surge protectors.' Bring your cell phone, bring your exercise belt, and bring the Hoff.

-Bob, the magic coffee makin' man

## Get Your Flu Shots!

\$15, no appointment needed over at the Student Health Clinic.

\*Must provide current student ID

## Graduation Application Deadline!

Are you completing a degree or certificate program this semester? Don't forget to submit your Graduation Application online by **February 5th**. Or you can see Carla in Student Records.

## Taking an Online Class?



RRCC's online system is Desire2Learn

For more details go to:

[online.rrcc.edu](http://online.rrcc.edu)

## Work Out Free

The Fitness Center is FREE for all RRCC students. Bring your current student ID & stop by for orientation.

Fitness Center hours vary each semester, during semester breaks, holidays and school closures. Please call 303-914-6375 or stop by for current hours.

