

Submit your news and events to pikespeak.edu/publicity-request by Oct. 6 at 5 pm for the Oct. 16–29 issue.

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FIRST ANNUAL HISPANIC HERITAGE FESTIVAL

Friday, Oct. 13 | 11 am – 3 pm | Centennial Grove & Courtyard

Celebrate the histories, cultures and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central & South America.

Música en vivo del grupo *La Ilusión Nortena Oficial* y **presentación de baile folclórico tradicional a cargo** de el Grupo *Folklorico Del Pueblo*.

Disfruta de una comida gratuito incluye tacos, enchiladas, arroz, frijoles, nachos y salsa atendido por 3 *Margaritas*. También tendremos dulces mexicanos, antojitos y aguas frescas.

Ven a nuestras mesas de información donde los clubs y servicios de PPSC proporcionarán información. Aprende cómo tú y otros pueden continuar su educación en PPSC, sin importar cuál sea su estatus de residencia.

El evento es gratis y abierto al público

Live music from *La Ilusión Nortena Oficial* and a **traditional dance performance** with *Grupo Folklorico Del Pueblo*.

Enjoy a free lunch including tacos, enchiladas, rice, beans, chips and salsa catered by 3 *Margaritas*. We'll also have Mexican candy, desserts, and drinks.

Come to our info tables where PPSC clubs and services will be providing information. Learn how you and others can continue your education at PPSC, no matter what your residence status is.

Event is free and open to the public.

Learn more » **EMAIL:** Hitcel.Hernandez@pikespeak.edu or **CALL:** 719-217-0186

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUBMIT YOUR VETERAN PHOTO BY OCT. 22

Honor the veterans in your life. Submit a photo of yourself or a veteran. They will be on display at all campuses for Veteran's Week in November.



SUBMIT TO SITREP MAGAZINE

Showcase your poetry, photography, fiction, nonfiction, and other creative works in PPSC's military literary publication honoring military service members, veterans, and their families.

Submit to Parley@pikespeak.edu by Nov. 1.

PIKES PEAK REGIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY

Accepting Applications for Spring 2024 Academy from Oct 1–31. This program qualifies for the Career Advance Colorado grant, which covers all fees and costs for qualified cadets.

Bring completed application to Centennial, F300.

Qs: Cathy.Labrecque@pikespeak.edu | 719-502-3528 or pikespeak.edu/law-enforcement-academy

MOBILE FOOD MARKET NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

The next food market is Oct. 18 at Centennial and Oct. 19 at Rampart. Last month, volunteers helped provide food to more than 1,000 people.

To volunteer, contact Kandy Ruiz at 719-502-3020.

NEW PROGRAM: VETERINARY TECHNICIAN

...a dream job for animal lovers. The new, two-year Veterinary Technician program will be accepting applications on the website from Oct. 30–Nov. 30. Learn more and apply at:

pikespeak.edu/veterinary-technology

Qs: Kristin.Ballotti@pikespeak.edu | 719-502-3541 or Regina.Reyes@pikespeak.edu | 719-502-3492

REPORT A CONCERN OR INCIDENT

If someone you know is experiencing:

- Personal problems
- Changes in behavior or appearance
- Health problems
- Changes in social interactions
- Appearance of substance or alcohol abuse
- Expresses dark thoughts
- Being bullied or anything unusual

They may need support. Trained PPSC staff can help. Please use the provided QR code to SUBMIT an anonymous report.



DURING A MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS YOU'RE NEVER ALONE

Crisis Hotline Number: 844-BTR-MYND (844-287-6063) Available 24/7/365

EVENTS

Now–Feb. 2

Fathering Classes

Male students, are you a father or plan to become one? These classes will help you gain new parenting skills. Presented by The Center on Fathering and the Counseling Center.

More info: [Counseling Center 719-502-4782](tel:719-502-4782) 3–5 pm | Rampart E108

Now–Oct. 20

Faculty Art Exhibition

Discover the diverse talents of PPSC art faculty.

Gallery Hours: M–F | 8 am–noon & 1–5 pm
Gallery at Studio West | 22 North Sierra Madre St. Downtown Campus

Oct. 2–Nov. 20

Free AR Skills Training

8-week hybrid training. Self-paced virtual learning + instructor-led sessions for AR projects = Meta Spark AR certification. Explore how AR fits into multiple career paths including design, animation, business, construction, engineering, health, and more. Seats are limited. \$500 stipend upon completion.

Register now & learn more:

workforce@pikespeak.edu or 719-502-2404

Tue/Oct. 3

“Handshake” workshop

Want to work on-campus? Looking for a job? Interested in networking with employers?

Learn how to use the PPSC online job board to view jobs, search job fairs, and learn about how Career Services can help you with your career goals. 12 pm | Centennial, A218

Qs: 719-502-2360 or career@pikespeak.edu

Oct. 3, 5, 10, 12

Zumba

Join us for this fun dance fitness class. All are welcome. No sign-up required. 10:30–11:15 am

Tuesdays | Centennial, Fitness Center

Thursdays | Rampart, S205

Wed/Oct. 11

Lunch With Leadership

Ask your questions at this student town hall meeting with college leadership. Free food will be served for students attending starting at 11:45 (served in the courtyard of CC and RRC, weather permitting)

In-person 12–1 pm | Centennial Atrium

Broadcast to RRC W101 &

DTSC Learning Commons

Let us know you're coming.

Scan the QR code to RSVP.



Fri/Oct. 13

Dodgeball Tournament

Student Veterans Organization and the Fitness Center are teaming up for our first official dodgeball tournament. Come test your skills. All students welcome.

Info: 719-502-4100 or Jake.Post@pikespeak.edu

1–3 pm | Centennial Fitness Center

Fri/Oct. 13

U.S. Navy Birthday Celebration

Join Military & Veterans Programs (MVP) in celebrating the 248th birthday of the U.S. Navy. Drop by for free brownies and cookies. All students, staff, and faculty welcome.

Info: pikespeak.edu/mvp 11 am–1 pm | Rampart, Atrium