

## Press Release

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### **FALL SEMESTER STARTS SOON**

(Lamar, Colorado; August 11, 2010) Lamar Community College will quickly begin another fall semester. While most courses begin the week of August 23<sup>rd</sup>, LCC full-time faculty and students will return the week of August 16<sup>th</sup>. Fall orientation activities begin and residence halls open on Wednesday, August 18. LCC's Student Service Center, Campus Bookstore, and Learning Support Services will hold extended hours between August 18-23, including 9 a - 1 p on Saturday, August 21.

The College has new programs to offer students, including the implementation of Construction Technology/Historic Preservation and addition of Barbering within its Cosmetology program. Construction Technology brings a variety of certificates of study, including Carpentry, Electrical, Masonry, Painting, Plumbing, and Welding. Within Historic Preservation, the College will offer Construction, Decorative Arts, Research & Documentation, Masonry, Metal, Woodcraft, and a Generalist alternative. Each area comes with Associate of Applied Science options, including Sustainable Building. The Business/Information Technology Department has significantly updated its offerings with new Accounting and Bookkeeping Clerk certificates, six associate degree options, and four new Health IT options, in conjunction with LCC's Allied Health area. Its Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management certificates offer potential and current business operators the opportunity to gain valuable skills. LCC is also re-implementing its Nurse Aide (CNA) certificate this fall.

There is still time to apply for admission, register for courses, and request financial aid before classes begin. "Although we recommend that potential students start the process now and begin courses on time, students can enroll through the end of the first week for regular term classes," commented Dean of Student Services Kimberly Bright, "we have personnel who can assist students to apply for admission, assess current skill levels, advise students on their options, register for courses, and secure financial aid. Students can also start the enrollment process online at [www.lamarcc.edu](http://www.lamarcc.edu)."

The college highly recommends that students attend Orientation activities, such as academic advising, brush-ups, workshops, and general, online, and fitness center orientations. "This gives our new students the very best start at LCC," explained Bright, "if you miss them, you may pass up valuable information that is critical to your success in college. Parents and

family members are also encouraged attend an orientation at 10:00 a on Saturday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, so they can better understand their roles.”

All current students are invited to attend any and all activities they wish.

To make an appointment with Student Service Center personnel or an advisor, contact 336.1590 or [information@lamarcc.edu](mailto:information@lamarcc.edu).

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