

ACADEMIC SENATE

Agenda

Yuba College, Woodland Community College,
Clear Lake Campus, Beale Center

Notice of Special Academic Senate Meeting

Time: Thursday October 13, 2005

Place: Msvl room 201. Arrangements will be made to have the meeting taped for Woodland and Lake faculty.

V.P. Paul Mendoza will discuss the rationale behind the districts decision to close all college functions from December 26th 2005 to January 9th 2006. There will be time for Q and A's. Woodland, Lake and Msvl faculty if you have concerns and will not be available to attend, please inform your rep so they can speak on your behalf.

The following list may not include all issues for concern:

- The difficulty for many instructors to meet the December 23 grade submission deadline
- The anticipated erosion of the final exam schedule
- The absence of registration, orientation, placement testing, counseling for approximately 600 new students the week of January 2
- The absence of electronic and telephone registration for hundreds more new students the week of January 2 (this process may in fact be available but there are still some concerns)
- The absence of bookstore service to students and faculty
- The elimination of necessary technical preparation for online courses
- The closure of the library and all offices to students and faculty preparing for the new term
- The problems in conducting college business: mail, payroll, interaction with public, etc.
- The elimination of a possible intersession term for the next three years