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ANALYSIS: APPLE EVENT AT FLINT CENTER

Lackluster keynote, smartwatch disappoint



PHOTO COURTESY OF SID JOSHI

Top right: The mysterious Apple cube that was under construction throughout summer.

Top left: Apple CEO Tim Cook unveils the latest iPhone at De Anza's Flint Center on Sept. 9.

Bottom: Groups protest Apple's business ethics outside the event.

Sam Tovmasian
FREELANCER

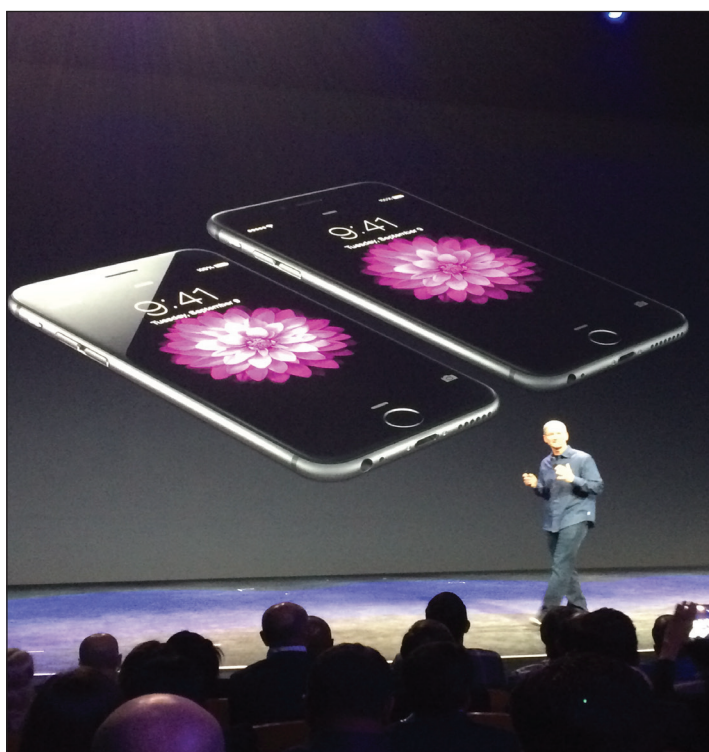
With more pre-orders for the iPhone 6 than any other iPhone before, the Apple Inc. keynote on Sept. 9 at the Flint Center on De Anza College's campus was a stellar success for CEO Tim Cook.

The event itself, however, was pretty underwhelming. The event consisted of a herd of sweaty journalists and investors congregating to hear Cook and his engineers tell them about what anyone could have read on a press release on Apple's website.

The event began with an inspirational video of Jobs' "Here's to the crazy ones" campaign, set to upbeat indie music – you know, to make us feel good about ourselves.

Cook walked out afterwards to tell us how excited he was to unveil what Apple has been working on all year. Some people in the audience were visibly

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SAM TOVMASIAN | LA VOZ STAFF

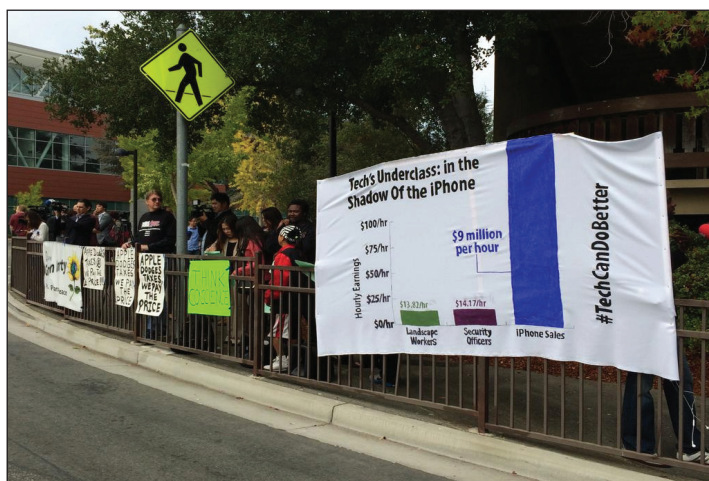


PHOTO FROM: CULT OF MAC - TWITTER ACCOUNT

BY THE NUMBERS

24
number of trees removed from Sunken Garden, to be replaced with bigger versions

\$500,000
how much Apple paid for "campus disruption"

\$157,000
how much Apple paid for rental and exclusive use of MLC, parking lots and campus center

\$400,000 - \$450,000
how much Apple will pay to restore and replace balustrades

55,000
number of books and art works from the De Anza library Apple will store for one year

50 feet
height of the white cube Apple built in the Sunken Garden

SOURCE: DE ANZA RENTAL AGREEMENT

Dons fall in first home game



PHOTOS BY: MARION HOHLFELD | LA VOZ STAFF

Top: A pass intended for De Anza sophomore wide receiver James Roe (15) is intercepted by American River defensive back Malcolm Scott (8). The Dons lost their home opener 49-28 on Saturday Sept. 13.

Middle: Sophomore quarterback TJ Menning (7) surveys the field and attempts to find an open receiver.

Bottom: De Anza freshman running back Nick Bernardo (8) avoids a tackle by American River linebacker Lawrence Hall (43).



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Saturday
Sept. 27
CHRISTMAS CANTATA WITH GRACIAS CHOIR AND ORCHESTRA
7 p.m.
Flint Center
Gracias are embarking on a U.S. tour and they are coming to Cupertino. They have won multiple awards, including the grand prize at Riva del Garda International Choral Competition in Italy this year, and first prize at the Montreaux Choral Festival in Switzerland. Admission is free, but tickets are required for entry. For free tickets, please call 408-772-7324. More information can be found at www.iyfusa.org.

Wednesday
Oct. 1
STUDENT SERVICES DAY
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Main Quad
Students have the opportunity to learn about programs and services available all over campus. Departments will have tables and tents will provide shade. Sponsored by the DASB Student Rights and Services Committee.

Thursday
Oct. 2
CLUB KARAOKE
11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Main Quad
Students have the opportunity to learn about programs and services available all over campus. Departments will have tables and tents will provide shade. Sponsored by the DASB Student Rights and Services Committee.

Announcements
Foothill
FOOTHILL REPERTORY DANCE COMPANY OPEN CALL
Friday, Sept. 26
6 p.m.
Dance Studio (Room 2504)
Dancers of all abilities, backgrounds, styles and sizes are invited to an open call for the Foothill Repertory Dance Company in the Dance Studio (Room 2504). For more information, call or e-mail Foothill College Dance Director Bubba Gong at (650) 949-7354 or gongjiibubba@fhda.edu.

DEADLINE TO PETITION FOR FALL GRADUATION WITH AA-T/AS-T DEGREE
Wednesday, Oct. 1
Counseling Office
The deadline to petition for Fall Quarter graduation with the Associate in Arts Degree for Transfer or Associate in Science Degree for Transfer (AA-T/AS-T degree) is Oct. 1. If you intend to graduate at the end of this quarter, you are responsible for scheduling the required 30-minute petition consultation with a Foothill counselor online or by calling (650) 949-7423. You must meet with a counselor to complete the petition. Schedule your appointment well before the deadline. Appointments fill up quickly; plan accordingly.
THE COPERNICUS COMPLEX: ARE WE SPECIAL IN THE COSMOS?
Wednesday, Oct. 8
Smithwick Theatre (Room 1001)

As part of the 15th annual Silicon Valley Astronomy Lecture Series, Columbia University Director of Astrobiology Caleb Scharf, one of the leading scholars at the interface of astronomy and biology, will discuss The Copernicus Complex: Are We Special in the Cosmos?, an illustrated, non-technical lecture. Seating is first come, first served. Arrive early to locate parking.

Is humanity on Earth special or unexceptional? For the first time in human history, we stand poised to answer this question from a scientific perspective.

Scharf is the author of the widely praised popular book Gravity's Engines, which was the basis of the BBC/Science Channel documentary, Swallowed by a Black Hole. His textbook, Extrasolar Planets and Astrobiology, won the 2011 Chambliss Prize. Scharf will sign copies after the lecture. The free lecture series is sponsored by the Foothill College Astronomy Program, NASA Ames Research Center, SETI Institute Astronomical Society of the Pacific.

BLDG. 3500 CLOSED; LIBRARY SERVICES REMAIN AVAILABLE
LIBRARY SERVICES OFFERED THROUGHOUT RENOVATION PROCESS
Through July 30, 2015
The Foothill College Library (Bldg. 3600) is closed for a one-year renovation. Library services continue to be offered throughout the renovation process. The library has reopened with full services in its temporary location in Bldg. 3600. Learn more about the remodel. For a list of indoor and outdoor alternate study areas on campus, access www.foothill.edu/news/seating_areas.php. You can also continue accessing the college's online library at www.foothill.edu/library/. For a list of temporary study areas around campus during construction, click the QR code below:



Announcements
De Anza
CELEBRITY FORUM
Throughout 2014 - 2015 school year
8 p.m.
Flint Center at De Anza College
The following people will be speaking as part of this year's series:

- Bill Nye "The Science Guy"
Oct. 22, 23 and 24
- Robert Gates
Nov. 19, 20 and 21
- Anderson Cooper
Jan. 21, 22 and 23
- Platon
Feb. 18, 19, and 20
- Walter Isaacson
March 25, 26 and 27
- Soledad O'Brien
April 22, 23 and 24

Alan Alda
May 13, 14 and 15
Tickets are available in packages for Wednesdays, Thursdays or Fridays. To purchase tickets, go to the celebrity forum website at <http://www.celebrityforum.net/vendini.php>.

SAVE ON FALL 2014 SHORT COURSES

Fall 2014 course offerings are available for registration. Enroll by Sept. 28 and receive up to 40 percent off each course. Discounts automatically applied at checkout. For a list of course offerings, scan the QR code below with your smartphone:



APPLICATION WORKSHOPS

UC Application
Wednesday
Oct. 1: 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Thursday
Oct. 2: 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

CSU Application
Wednesday
Oct. 1: 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Thursday
Oct. 2: 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Friday
Oct. 3: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

For a complete list of CSU and UC application workshop dates, use your smartphone and scan the QR code below:



WELCOME WEEK
Information Tent (Main Quad)
Monday
Sept. 22: 7:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday to Thursday
Sept. 23 - 25: 8:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

DASB Senate Info Booth
Monday to Wednesday
Sept. 22 to 24: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Meet Your Senate Day
Thursday
Sept. 25: 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Entertainment
Monday
Sept. 22: 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
"Drop the Bass Monday" - DJ
11:30 a.m - 1:30 p.m.
Sponsored by De Anza Associated Student Body (DASB) Diversity & Events Committee

Tuesday
Sept. 23: Noon to 1 p.m.
San Jose Taiko
(Japanese Drumming)
Noon - 1 pm
Sponsored by Inter Club Council

Wednesday
Sept. 24: 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Mellow Wednesday (Jazz Music)
11:30 am - 1:30 pm
Sponsored by De Anza Associated Student Body (DASB) Diversity & Events Committee

BOOKSTORE HOURS
First Week
Monday-Tuesday
Sept. 22 to 23: 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Wednesday-Thursday
Sept. 24 to 25: 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Friday
Sept. 26: 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday
Sept. 27: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Second Week
Monday-Thursday
Sept. 29 to Oct. 2: 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Friday
Oct. 3: 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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Attention Foreign Students:

Wondering how you can remain in the U.S. after you finish school? Your family can help you to get a **permanent green card** by investing in a U.S. business through **EB-5 investment immigration**. Hurry.... visa quotas will limit this window of opportunity. You need to apply 2-3 years before you graduate. Call us for a **FREE** case evaluation.



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Friday
7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

- Breakfast
- Soup
- Salad
- Pizza
- Burgers
- Sushi
- Cold & Hot Sandwiches
- Pasta
- Ice Cream
- Beverages
- Fruit

Located in the Hinson Campus Center

Sept. 22, 2014

GENDER-NEUTRAL BATHROOMS

De Anza College installs three on campus

Pati Shojaee
STAFF WRITER

De Anza College added three single occupancy gender-neutral bathrooms to the campus this past summer. The gender-neutral bathrooms should provide a safe and discrimination free bathroom for people who are not comfortable using single-sex bathrooms.

“The council undertook this effort because there were individuals in the De Anza community that, for numerous reasons, felt uncomfortable with gender-specific bathrooms,” said Julie Lewis, intercultural/international studies division instructor and department chair of African-American Studies. “Gender-specific bathrooms can be limiting to parents with young children, people that prefer some privacy when using the restroom and people that may be harassed because of the restroom they go into.

“It is very important that the campus community understands that the additions of the gender neutral bathrooms are about ensuring every member of the De Anza community feels safe

and supported,” said Lewis.

“This is not just a transgender or LGBTQQAI issue or concern, but a human rights concern. We want all people, and all bodies, to feel safe and included. It is important that we all continue to support a larger social discourse on safety, inclusion and equity for all.”

– Veronica Neal,
Director of the Office of
Equity

She said the most important reason for these bathrooms is to help each person in this community feels welcome at De Anza. She said this addition is just a small step towards meeting that goal.

“It is our hope that we will

have more gender-neutral bathrooms in the future and will continue to advocate and educate on this topic across our campus community,” said Veronica Neal, Director of the Office of Equity. “This is not just a transgender or LGBAQQI issue or concern, but a human rights concern. We want all people, and all bodies, to feel safe and included. It is important that we all continue to support a larger social discourse on safety, inclusion and equity for all.”

Along with instructors and administrators, De Anza students, including members of the Rainbow Club, support the latest additions around campus.

“Gender neutral bathrooms are much needed on campus to provide spaces for trans and non-binary individuals to go where they feel more comfortable,” said Chris Gilpatrick, 24, communication studies major. “I don’t think many people realize that those individuals often times have to wait to go home to use the facilities. An act that seems easy to cisgendered people can be an exercise in stress for others.”

Measure C bond program funds \$6.2 million library renovations

Nang Hlaing
STAFF WRITER

De Anza College’s library closed for renovations Aug. 7 and is expected to reopen until July 2015.

During the closure, all library services will be temporary relocated to the Learning Center West on the second floor. The entrance to the LCW is behind the Library. Enter through the west side of the building and look for the stairs or the elevator.

The construction budget is \$6.2 million.

This upgrade is funded through the Measure C bond program. According to the De Anza College Library website, a \$491 million bond

was approved by local voters in 2006 for construction, equipment and technology in the FHDA District.


The bond is solely for the purpose to enhance the school infrastructure to keep up with technological changes.

At De Anza the Measure C bond program has funded the creation of the Advanced Technology Center, the Media Learning Center and the corporation yard. As well, the program has funded renovations of the stadium and track.

For more information go to: <http://www.deanza.edu/library/renovation.html>

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- Upgraded wireless access
- Improved individual study areas
- Group study rooms with state-of-the-art technology
- Improvements, such as additional electrical outlets, for bringing your own laptop or tablet



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COMMITTEES



ADMINISTRATION

FRIDAY | 12:30 p.m. | Senate office



Diversity and Events

FRIDAY | 1:30 p.m. | Senate office



environmental sustainability

MONDAY | 12:30 p.m. | Senate office



FINANCE

MONDAY | 3:30 pm | Student Council Chambers A



MARKETING

FRIDAY | 1:30 p.m. | Student Council Chambers B & C



STUDENT rights & services

THURSDAY | 12:30 p.m. | Senate office

De Anza Voices: Good food near campus

Tips for new students

Susan Garcia
STAFF WRITER



June Low
28
undeclared

“Go to financial aid, it will surprise you with all the help you can get, especially for international students, and you’ll accomplish your goal.”



William Puna
19
undeclared

“Think twice before you decide to skip your classes. You skip once and it’ll make you fall behind, think wisely.”



Omar Naguib
19
mechanical engineering

“Make sure to schedule all your classes smartly and it’ll help you to stay on top of all your school work. And don’t fall behind on anything.”



Frank Romero
19
business

“Be prepared to study alot and definitely learn how to manage time wisely to accomplish anything”



Patricia Agraz
19
business

“In college, things will add up. Don’t fall behind. You have to keep on pushing yourself and get everything done.”



Ismael Shafi
19
undeclared

“If you want something, just work hard for everything you want and be ready for college.”

Kavin Mistry
STAFF WRITER

For all the students who want more diverse options for food and places to hang out besides what is offered at De Anza, Cupertino has a lot to offer near campus. Most of the easily accessible grub spots are located in the Oaks Shopping Center, which is a mere 5 minute walk from De Anza.

One of the more popular places for students is **Togo’s**, which provides good, quick food at a decent price. De Anza students can receive a discount when they present their ID card which gets them a 6-inch sandwich, chips and a drink for only \$6.50.

Quickly’s and **Coffee Society** are also located in The Oaks Shopping Center. Quickly’s is a fast, cheap food option for anyone in a hurry, and it is hard to beat \$2.50 for a medium bubble tea with pearls.

Coffee Society is a great place to hang out and meet up with friends.

A very open place that provides a friendly environment for students trying to get off campus. Also, when you show your De Anza ID card you receive 10% off any

provides great value for your dollar. Your De Anza ID card also allows you to obtain a free soda when you purchase a sandwich.

Next to **Ike’s** is **Panda Express**, where you can pick up a tasty meal fast before heading back to De Anza.

For students who have longer breaks, **Pizza My Heart** is a quick drive down to the corner of Stevens Creek and De Anza Blvd at the Cupertino Crossroads Shopping Center. Here, you can get a frequent muncher’s card that gives you the chance to get free drinks and pizza.

In the same plaza, **Philz Coffee** is another good hangout spot as an alternative to Coffee Society. Philz Coffee offers interesting and different drinks to try, such as Turkish coffee and mint mojito iced coffee, options not available at any other coffee shop.

There is a huge variety of food locations that are tasty, easy and fast to reach on break, no matter what the craving.



MARY-WHILLOW HAWLEY | LA VOZ STAFF



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cash purchase.

Right across the street, on Stelling road, **Ike’s Lair** is a popular sandwich place that quickly

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HEALTH SERVICES

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Information about scholarships, FAFSA status and much more - go to their webpage:



PLACEMENT TESTING

Tests in science, english and mathematics. For testing dates and times:



KIRSCH CENTER

Environmental studies classes, new study locations and home of the BHES division:



PRINTING STATIONS

Need to print on campus? Learn the process and where the stations are located:



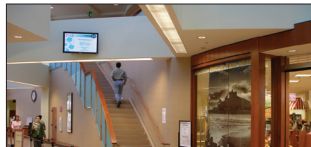
SECURITY

Lost and found, report a crime, and request escorts at night... Campus Security has you covered:



MLC

Your class is here, but it's not on any campus kiosk; the MLC also houses other services too!



COUNSELING

Develop an education plan, file for your degree and other services make sure your on the right track!



BOOKSTORE

Rentals, textbooks, art supplies and munchies...this place will be busy so plan accordingly!



JOIN LA VOZ

No experience needed! Everyone welcome!

Contribute to the award-winning student newspaper La Voz by writing stories, shooting photos, creating web content or producing videos.

Classes still open:

JOUR 61a - Student News Media Production - 3 units
Practical experience in creating news media content. No prerequisite.
Tuesday/Thursday 4:30 - 5:45 p.m.

JOUR62 Series:

Practical experience in creating news media content. No prerequisite.
Attend orientation session Tuesday Sept. 23 in MCC10 at 7 p.m.
JOUR 62a - Freelance Reporting for Student Media 1 unit
JOUR 62b - Freelance Photography for Student Media - 1 unit
JOUR 62c - Freelance Video Production for Student Media - 1 unit
JOUR 62d - Freelance Digital Production for Student Media - 1 unit
JOUR 62e - Freelance Graphics for Student Media - 1 unit
JOUR 62f - Freelance Copy Editing for Student Media - 1 unit

JOUR 21a - News Writing and Reporting - 3 units
Learn how to report news and write concise, information-packed stories for news media. Prerequisite: EWRT 1A or ESL 5.

For more information email Cecilia Deck at deckcecilia@fhda.edu



FROM APPLE P. 1

shaking with excitement, as if Steve Jobs' carcass was going to descend from the ceiling with the iPhone 6.

Sadly, the keynote dedicated a large portion of time to advertising plugs for various companies who wanted to show off their products in the guise of a tech demo. The absolute worst moment of the event was when U2 performed a song and then announced to the crowd that they are going to force their way into every iTunes user's library for free, whether we like it or not.

Finally we heard the magic words: "One more thing." At this point, even I was excited. What could it be? A spaceship? An even bigger iPad? I couldn't wait. I palmed the iPhone sitting in my pocket, thinking of all the joyous occasions we've spent together – evading social situations, hiding in my room from family dinners, checking Facebook every eight minutes – what beautiful device will Apple give me now?

"And finally, there it was... It's... a watch?"

This was the one more thing? An ugly watch that lets me read walking directions to Whole Foods across the street? Really?"

As a video began playing, I stared in awe. The camera flew around the device showing off the intricate details in the metal, the sleek aluminum corners, the perfectly glossed buttons. It zoomed out and I thought to myself that I should've worn more deodorant because I was sweating more than usual.

And finally, there it was... It's... a watch?

This was the one more thing? An ugly watch that lets me read walking directions to Whole Foods across the street? Really?

"Customizable to fit your personality!" Cook said as he switched the watch face to a Mickey Mouse theme.

After the event, the attendees and I walked out to the big, white mystery building that was being built for most of summer in the Sunken Garden. The big mystery was that they allowed the attendees to try out all the products that were unveiled, which was a nice thought until you realize they spent thousands of dollars building a glorified kiosk.

I should have just stayed home and refreshed the Apple homepage.

But no, I heard from my friends that the live stream underwhelmed as well. Ugh.

OUR REVISED MISSION STATEMENT

And what we hope to accomplish with it

With La Voz's revised mission statement we hope to clarify the focus of La Voz Weekly and further explain our role in the De Anza College community.

Our previous mission statement needed updating because it was too concise and didn't fully explain what we hope to accomplish with our news coverage.

With these values in place our goal is to broaden our coverage of De Anza and establish a forum where all students can be heard.

We are committed to training successful student journalists

who don't allow bias to cloud their ability to report the news fully and include all sides of a story.

We also hope to serve as a public forum where members of the De Anza community can write in to share and discuss ideas.

If you believe we have strayed from our mission statement, failed to cover an event, left out important information, or you simply want to make your voice heard please write us at lavoz@fhda.edu

You can also submit a letter to us through our website lavozdeanza.com

Mouse over the share your voice tab and select submit a letter to the editor.

We will do our best to run as many letters as possible. If we cannot fit a letter in the paper in a timely manner we will run it on our website.

For more information on letters see the box in the bottom right corner of this page.

Thank you for reading La Voz Weekly and we hope you share your views and write in.

If you have any questions feel free to stop by the newspaper office located in room L 41.

Previous mission statement

La Voz provides the De Anza community with quality media, reliable information and a forum for communication among students, faculty and staff. La Voz serves as a student-run First Amendment publication as well as a historical record for the college.

Revised mission statement

The mission of La Voz Weekly is to provide the De Anza College community with the most accurate, most thorough and most interesting campus news, sports and entertainment and serve as a forum for communication among students, faculty and staff. La Voz is a student-run First Amendment publication as well as a historical record for the college.

The principles that staff members of La Voz Weekly should operate on are:

To assertively seek content that has high interest, impacts the reader, provokes discussion and advances the reader's knowledge.

To react quickly to any newsworthy events on campus.

To create content as relevant to readers as possible by reporting what has happened, what is happening and what will happen in the news.

To create a product that is a reflection of the diversity of the backgrounds, goals and interests of the readers.

To show a commitment to diversity by reflecting the cultural traditions, beliefs and views of members of the De Anza community.

To avoid stereotyping and typecasting in our reporting.

To consistently adhere to the ethical guidelines of La Voz and the Society for Professional Journalists and foster the most professional environment possible at all levels.

To train technically and ethically successful student journalists.

To foster an open environment within our own newsroom that welcomes a variety of views and encourages discussion.

LA VOZ WEEKLY

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De Anza fumbles away home opener

Jacob Sisneros
Managing Editor

In a game that had nine turnovers, two costly mistakes spelled defeat for the De Anza College Dons as they lost their home opener 49-28 against the American River College Beavers on Saturday Sept. 13.

A 35-yard fumble return for a touchdown and a 35-yard interception return for a touchdown by American River on the Dons’ first two possessions of the second half gave the Beavers a quick 14-point advantage that the Dons couldn’t recover from.

“You get all amped up, then you sit for 20 minutes [at halftime] and sometimes you come out sluggish,” said Dons’ sophomore quarterback TJ Menning. “To lose by 21 is unacceptable.”

American River began the scoring with a 15-yard touchdown reception by freshman wide receiver Jonathan Lopez with 3:12 to go in the first quarter.

A fumble by the Beavers at their own 32-yard line set up a rushing touchdown by Dons’ freshman running back Nick Bernardo and tied the score 7-7.

Two minutes later, a 38-yard reception by Dons’ sophomore wide receiver Oscar Graves set up a rushing touchdown by sophomore fullback Jordan Gallegos and put the Dons ahead 14-7 at the 10-minute mark in the second quarter.

American River responded quickly on its next drive with a 54-yard touchdown pass

from sophomore quarterback Tanner Trosin to sophomore wide receiver Tyler Young tying the score 14-14 and ending the scoring for the first half.

After American River turned the ball over on downs to start the second half, a fumbled handoff by Menning was recovered and returned for a touchdown by Beaver’s sophomore defensive lineman Ewing Simmons. This gave American River a 21-14 lead with 13:25 left in the third quarter.

On the first play of the next series for the Dons, Menning threw an interception that was returned for a touchdown by American River sophomore defensive back Damion Sanders.

In a 20-second span, the Beavers had scored twice and jumped out to a 28-14 lead with 13:12 left in the third quarter.

Five minutes later, American River extended its lead to 35-14 with a touchdown run by freshman running back Wadus Parker.

After freshman quarterback Jamie Ybarra Jr. threw an interception for the Dons, American River threw an interception of its own. Freshman linebacker Joe Kaufusi returned the interception nine yards for a touchdown and cut American River’s lead to 14 points.

On the ensuing possession, De Anza sophomore defensive back Thaddeus Phillyaw intercepted another pass by Trosin, but the Dons were unable to capitalize on the turnover.

The Beavers made De Anza pay when they got the ball back, scoring on a 60-yard touchdown reception by freshman wide

receiver Marc Ellis and putting the game out of reach 42-21.

The teams traded touchdowns once again as De Anza scored on a one-yard run by Menning and American River returned another interception for a touchdown, making the final score 49-28.

“We beat ourselves in the third quarter,” Graves said.

The Dons turned the ball over six times in the game and three of those were returned for touchdowns. They also caused three turnovers and returned one for a touchdown.

“We have to keep moving forward and minimize mistakes,” Bernardo said. “There is only room for improvement.”

Bernardo led the Dons in rushing with 44 yards on 14 attempts and a touchdown. Graves led De Anza in receiving with four catches for 64 yards and sophomore wide receiver Trae Owens finished with five catches for 42 yards.

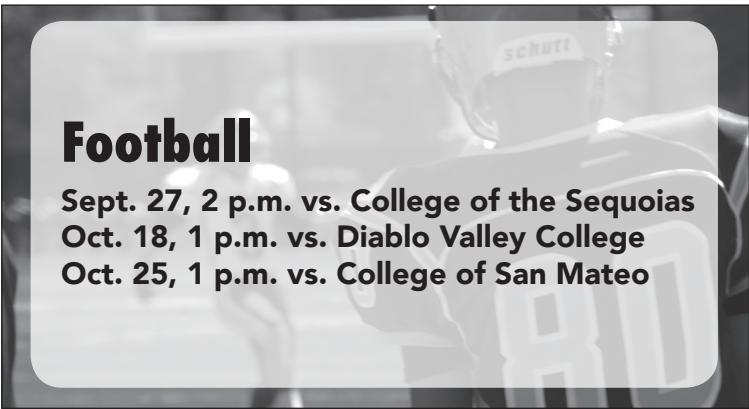
Menning was 17-33 with 142 yards passing and two interceptions for the Dons. Menning’s backup Ybarra Jr. was 4-12 with 40 yards and also threw two interceptions.

Dons head coach Dan Atencio said he switched quarterbacks often in the game to keep their legs fresh and get each quarterback experience.

“We are playing the toughest teams we can find,” Atencio said. “It will pay off when we get to conference play.”

De Anza’s next home game is on Saturday Sept. 27 at 2 p.m. against College of the Sequoias.

SCHEDULES



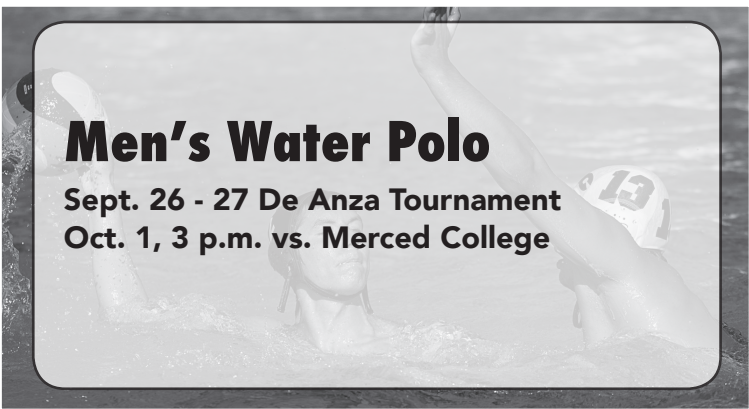
Football

Sept. 27, 2 p.m. vs. College of the Sequoias
Oct. 18, 1 p.m. vs. Diablo Valley College
Oct. 25, 1 p.m. vs. College of San Mateo




Men’s Soccer

Sept. 30, 4 p.m. vs. Chabot College
Oct. 7, 4 p.m. vs. Las Positas College
Oct. 10, 4 p.m. vs. West Valley College



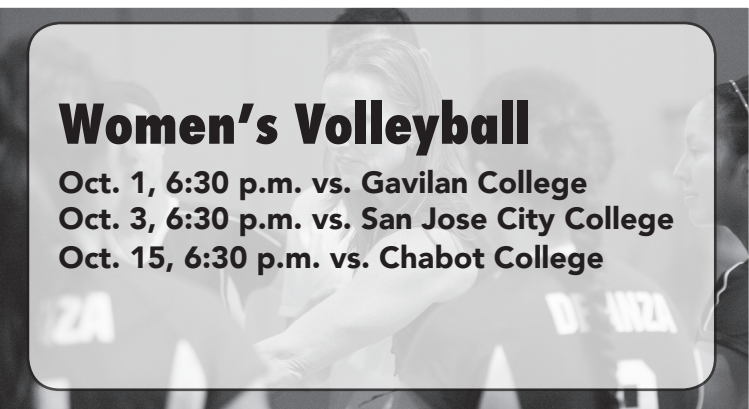
Men’s Water Polo

Sept. 26 - 27 De Anza Tournament
Oct. 1, 3 p.m. vs. Merced College



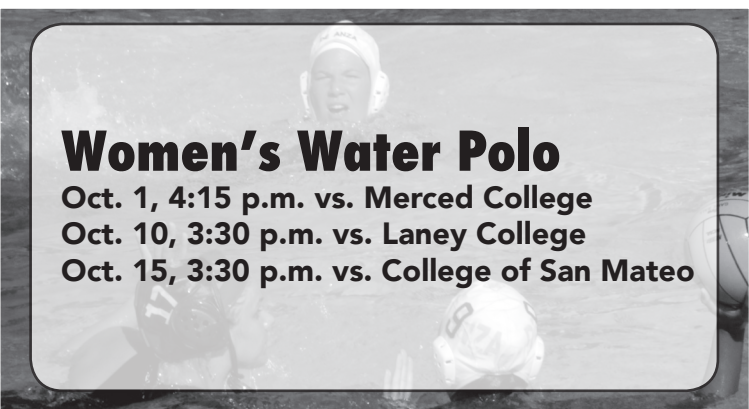
Women’s Soccer

Sept. 30, 4 p.m. vs. Evergreen College
Oct. 3, 4 p.m. vs. Hartnell College
Oct. 21, 1:30 p.m. vs. Skyline College




Women’s Volleyball

Oct. 1, 6:30 p.m. vs. Gavilan College
Oct. 3, 6:30 p.m. vs. San Jose City College
Oct. 15, 6:30 p.m. vs. Chabot College



Women’s Water Polo

Oct. 1, 4:15 p.m. vs. Merced College
Oct. 10, 3:30 p.m. vs. Laney College
Oct. 15, 3:30 p.m. vs. College of San Mateo



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Top Left: The De Anza Dons celebrate after a goal by forward Rajae Delane (9) put the Dons in the lead in the final minutes of the game. De Anza won the Sept. 16 game against Lake Tahoe 3-2 to remain undefeated as of Friday.

Top Right: Forward Rajae Delane (9) scores the game winning goal for the Dons. It was Delane's second goal of the game.

Right: Defender Sean Mcloughlin (21) collides with a Lake Tahoe player while trying to take the ball away

Left Middle: Midfielder Roberto Mendoza (10) steals the ball from a Lake Tahoe player sending him stumbling in the process.

Bottom: Forward Ranier Plantinos (11) kicks the ball past lake Tahoe in an attempt to score early in the game. Despite multiple attempts to score De Anza was held scoreless in the first half.



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