

and inspires volunteerism, service and citizenship in the community. The Education Commission is making this award available to all K-12 students in Pleasant Hill.

Why participate? Presidential recognition sets you apart from your peers. It is a tremendous honor. Even though you may not seek recognition, your example can deliver a powerful message that encourages others to take action. The award can be a strong addition to your resume and/or college application.

How to Participate

To get started, here is what you need to do:

- Track and submit your hours [here](#) first, then
- Register on the [PVSA website](#)
- Create your profile
- Join the City of Pleasant Hill team using this Record of Service Key: RNH-46691

The City of Pleasant Hill will award those who have completed the required number of hours of service, given your age, during the 12-month time period of September 1st through August 31st. Awards will be presented next fall (before the college application season gets into full swing).

Register today! If you've completed community service between September 1 and today, please submit as soon as possible.

Questions? Please contact our Education Commissioner PVSA Coordinators, [Joann Jacobs](#) or [Kelly St. Germain](#)

A FREE WORKSHOP
for High School Juniors & Parents
College Admissions 101

April 14 | Th, 6:30–8:00 pm
Teen Center: Lounge, 147 Gregory Lane

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Instructors: Patricia Lamson, MS and Patricia Whalen, MA



College Bound? Plan with the Experts

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Rodgers Ranch Urban Farm Expo & Plant Sale

Don't miss the 4th Annual Expo and Plant Sale at Rodgers Ranch Urban Farm which takes place **Saturday, April 9th from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.** If you're looking for organically grown tomato, pepper, herb plants and more, this is the place to find them. Rodgers Ranch is located at 315 Cortsen Road in Pleasant Hill.

You can also take free classes to learn how to have your best garden ever. While you're letting great ideas sink in, the DVC Culinary Department will make your taste buds swoon, and all-local vendors will offer healthy, helpful products to make your inner and outer worlds happier. There's no need to leave our fair city for world class organic vegetables. For class times and more information, visit www.RodgersRanchUrbanFarm.org.



Library Happenings

Homework Help

Thursdays, 4 - 6pm

Drop in for one on one tutoring with teen volunteers.

Eco Studio

Third, fourth, and fifth Wednesdays of the month, 3 - 5pm,

check ccclib.org for specific dates.

Learn to machine sew your own fabulous up-cycled fabric creations! Plus screenprinting, jewelry making and more.

Lego Creators Club (With Robots!)

Saturdays, 2 - 3pm

Make anything you can imagine with our huge collection of Legos! Explore the programmable universe of Lego Mindstorms with EV3 robotics kits!



"Middle College" for high school students begins in fall

MDUSD is starting a new program beginning fall 2016 for 30 high school juniors (current 10th graders). Housed at DVC, Middle College students will take three high school courses taught by MDUSD teachers and will take the rest of their courses at DVC, earning both high school and college credit.

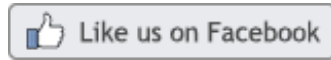
Find out more about this exciting new program at an information night which will be held on **Wed., Mar. 23 at 7:00pm** in the YVHS library.

Job Fair at Diablo Valley College

DVC will have over 60 employers visiting our campus quad on March 31st to hire OUR students for local jobs and internships. Bring your class or send your students for extra credit. Students can view the list of participating employers at

<http://www.dvc.edu/enrollment/career-employment/job-fair.html>

Whether it's an internship or volunteer program preparing our students with industry skills, or a part-time job where they can develop valuable transferrable skills, our students need to know about these opportunities and how they will benefit them in this competitive market.



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