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HR Key Events Calendar

Realigning Student Services Forum	July 10
Convocation 2018	August 30



YMCA First Coast Games Recap

For the fifth year in a row, FSCJ participated in the YMCA First Coast Games (FCG). This program allows Jacksonville companies to engage in friendly competitions in a variety of activities. This year, FSCJ teams participated in bowling, flag football, basketball, Top Golf, the Healthy Living Challenge and the 5K. Here are a few highlights for each team:

Flag Football-The team had several exciting victories including winning 2nd in their division.

Basketball-While the efforts for all sports were strong, the basketball team was a clear winner for best FSCJ performance as they went all the way to the championship before just coming up short. While past years had seen basketball teams not win a single contest, this team managed to combine talent and desire to produce some outstanding victories.

Top Golf-Not much could be more fun than representing FSCJ at Top Golf! Our team had a great time and managed not to shank any balls into the spectators.

Bowling-Although we were the two-time defending champions, the pins were just not falling our way as we finished third overall. Interest in being part of the bowling team remains high since bowlers had to score well in tryouts to be part of the team. Next year, we plan to strike back and return the title back to FSCJ!

5K-FSCJ had 16 employees complete the 5K race held at the Winston YMCA in Riverside. The course consisted of several loops of running up and down the river walk area from the Landing all the way up to the Fuller Warren Bridge.

Overall, the games were a great success and FSCJ finished top 3 overall. Participation this year was stronger than prior years and team members are already excited for the 2019 games!

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Operating Calendar Update

At the June 12, 2018 meeting, the DBOT approved a revision to the 2018-19 Academic Calendar changing Spring Break to align with the recently modified Duval County Public Schools calendar. The [2018-19 Operating Calendar](#) has been updated to reflect Spring Break as March 10-16, 2019.

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[Mentor Commons](#)

Training and Organizational Development is pleased to once again offer Magna Publications 20-Minute Mentor Commons to all FSCJ faculty and staff. This resource offers online and on-demand, flexible and accessible professional development. While targeted to faculty and administrators, staff may benefit from access as well. With the wealth of topics available in this library, and with unlimited access, employees can tailor their professional development learning experience. The programs feature outstanding presenters delivering practical information and advice about the issues educators face every day in the classroom. Visit the [Mentor Commons](#) section of the Training and Organizational Development website for details on how to sign up.

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[Professional Development Catalog](#)

For video or written instructions on how to enroll in professional development courses, visit [this page](#). View the [Training and Organizational Development website](#) for a variety of helpful professional development resources. Please contact hrtraining@fscj.edu with general questions about classes, input on course offerings or issues registering. The following offerings are 1% salary incentive approved.

Date	Time	Location	Topic	Class Number
Thursday, July 12	2 p.m. – 4 p.m.	AO-204	AFPD 3112 – Escape the Dull Classroom: Tools to Engage Your Students	4478
Wednesday, July 18	2 p.m. – 3 p.m.	AO-204	AFPD 4061 – Settling Employees in Unsettled Times	4490
Thursday, July 19	2 p.m. – 4 p.m.	ATC-T112	AFDP 4062 – Management/Leadership Skills	4495

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[Florida Retirement System \(FRS\) Workshops](#)

The FRS offers free and unlimited financial planning workshops for FRS-covered employees via webcast. Below is the webcast schedule for July 2018.

Date	Time	Topic
Wednesday, July 11	10 a.m. – noon	Using the FRS to Plan for Retirement
Wednesday, July 11	1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Taking Control of Your Finances
Thursday, July 12	10 a.m. – noon	Nearing Retirement in the FRS
Thursday, July 12	1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Understanding the FRS Investment Plan

To Register:

By phone: 1-866-446-9377, Option 2

Online: Login to the [workshop registration page](#)

- Select “Attend a Workshop”.
- Select “A WEBINAR” under the "County" drop-down box (be sure to select "A WEBINAR" and **not** the county living or working in).
- Select the desired workshop topic.

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