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AN EVENING WITH DOLORES HUERTA

Tue, Oct 28 | 6:30–8pm | Centennial, Theater

Join us for a moving evening with labor and civil rights icon, Dolores Huerta. Hear from the legendary labor leader and activist who co-founded the United Farm Workers and received a Presidential Medal of Freedom from President Obama. Huerta is coined with the rallying cry “¡Sí, se puede!” [Yes, you can!], which has been used by activists of all kinds. This event includes a keynote address by Huerta and a moderated live Q&A. It’s free and open to the public so invite your family and friends! Space is limited so make sure to RSVP and arrive early!



Scan the QR code to register. Questions? Contact sel@pikespeak.edu.



DIA DE LOS MUERTOS CELEBRATION

Wed, Nov 5 | 11am–1pm | All Campuses

Celebrate, honor and remember! The Dia de los Muertos celebration takes place November 5 across the campuses, with Pan Dulce, Mexican hot chocolate, and cultural activities open to all students, faculty, and staff.

Community Altar displays will be up from October 27 through November 7. You’re invited to bring a printed photo of a loved one (including pets) to place on an altar at:

- The Grove – Centennial Campus
- Student Lounge – Rampart Range Campus
- Learning Commons – Downtown Campus

Contact sel@pikespeak.edu with questions.

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

FALL ARTS MONTH READING & OPEN MIC

Thu, Oct 30 | 12:30–1:45pm | Rampart, Atrium

Celebrate Arts Month with a live reading featuring poetry, fiction, nonfiction, and spoken word from students, faculty, and staff. Each reader gets 3–5 minutes to shine. Come share your voice—or just listen in. Contact amie.sharp@pikespeak.edu or 719-502-3404 with questions.

FACULTY ART EXHIBITION

Now–Oct 31 | Downtown, The Gallery at Studio West

Celebrate the creativity of our faculty at the Fall 2025 Art Exhibition! **Gallery Hours:** Mon–Fri, 8am–5pm (closed 12–1pm). Questions? Contact Gallery Front Desk at 719-502-4040.

INTRAMURAL VOLLEYBALL

Tue, Oct 7–Nov 18 | 5–7pm | Centennial, Fitness Center

Grab your friends and join us. The regular season begins Oct 14, and it all leads to Championship Night on Nov 18. All skill levels welcome. Questions? Stop by the Fitness Center or call 719-502-2555.

FINANCIAL FOUNDATIONS: MANAGING STUDENT LOAN DEBT
Thu, Nov 6 | 12pm
Centennial, A140 + Zoom

Student loans are real, but so are your options. Whether you’re borrowing or already repaying, learn how to take control.

- Demystify loan forgiveness, interest rates and repayment
- Learn how to reduce or avoid student debt
- Discover grants, scholarships, and loan types that meet your goals

Scan the QR code to register.

Questions? Contact sel@pikespeak.edu.

A MIDSUMMER NIGHT’S DREAM
Th–Sun, Nov 6–9 & Nov 13–16
2–4pm or 7–9pm
Downtown, Muliken Black Box

Directed by Sarah Sheppard Shaver, the production features current students and alumni reimagining this timeless story with humor, heart, and a few love potions gone wrong. **Tickets are \$15 general admission or \$10 for students, employees, military and seniors.** Seating is limited—arrive early or risk the waiting list! Scan the QR code for showtimes and to purchase tickets. Contact sarah.shaver@pikespeak.edu with questions.

ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES



PPRLEA SPRING 2026 APPS

Due Oct 31 | Online

The Spring 2026 Pikes Peak Regional Law Enforcement Academy application is open. Take your next step toward a career in law enforcement! Scan the QR for details. Questions? Contact cathy.labrecque@pikespeak.edu.



ADN APPLICATIONS

Oct 15–Oct 31 | Online

Attention future nurses! The application window for the Spring 2026 ADN cohort is Oct 15–Oct 31. Don’t miss your chance to apply! Scan the QR code to learn more. Questions? Contact nursing@pikespeak.edu.

CTU MEET & GREET

Mon, Nov 3 | 9am–1pm | Centennial, MVP Lobby

Stop by to grab CTU swag and connect with your Military Education Liaison. Whether you’re a current student or alum, learn more about CTU’s Alumni Association and how to stay connected. Contact mmoore2@coloradotech.edu with questions.

HALLOWEEN BASH

Wed, Oct 29 | 10am–2pm

Centennial Grove & Learning Commons

Come dressed to impress, bring your pumpkin masterpiece, and enjoy a frightfully fun day with karaoke, costumes, and community!



Clubs & Orgs Fair | 10–11am

Officially recognized clubs and organizations are invited to host a table or Halloween-themed activity during the Clubs & Orgs Fair. Scan the QR code to sign up. Please fill out this form.

Costume Parade & Contest | 11am–12pm

Show off your best costume for a chance to win prizes! Bring your carved pumpkin to the Bash and enter it in our Pumpkin Carving Contest!

Karaoke & Nacho Bar | 12–2pm

Sing your heart out and grab some nachos while celebrating with your friends.

STUDENT CLUBS



Connect, learn, and lead through student clubs at PPSC.

Join a group or start your own! Scan the QR code to learn more.



NEURODIVERSITY CLUB MEETING

Thu, Nov 6 | 11am–12pm

Centennial A200V + Discord

Connect with other neurodiverse students and allies. Help shape the future of the club and build community. Join us in person or online via Discord. Scan the QR code to join the discord. Contact ash.owen@pikespeak.edu with questions.

SERVICES & RESOURCES

UCCS TRANSFER INFO SESSION

Tue, Oct 28 | 11am–2pm | Rampart S205

Planning to transfer to UCCS? Meet with UCCS Transfer Specialist Amanda Garcia and PPSC Advisor Lisa Rosenberg to talk through your transfer pathway and get your questions answered.

CSU TRANSFER INFO SESSION

Wed, Oct 29 | 10am–2pm | Rampart S205

Thinking about transferring to CSU–Ft. Collins? Drop by to meet with CSU Transfer Specialist Fletcher Howell and PPSC Advisor Lisa Rosenberg. Get help with your admissions application and explore your transfer pathway. Bring a laptop or tablet.

SOCKTOBER DRIVE

Now–Thu, Oct 31 | Rampart, E213 & CHES, front desk

Share a pair to show you care! The PPSC RN–BSN Program is collecting new or gently used socks and shoes for the unhoused. Drop items in donation boxes at the Nursing Offices on either campus!



PTK PRESIDENT’S SCHOLARSHIP

Now–Dec 1 | Online

Pell Grant recipients can apply for the President’s Scholarship to waive the Phi Theta Kappa membership fee. Scan the QR code to apply. Contact hitcel.hernandez@pikespeak.edu with any questions.