

GAVILAN COLLEGE

REGISTRATION GUIDE SUMMER / FALL 2015

Register Now!

Summer classes start in June
in Gilroy, Morgan Hill, Hollister, and online

Class Listings

Can be found
online, or at
Gavilan College
locations in
Gilroy, Morgan
Hill, and Hollister.

Eligibility

You are eligible
to attend Gavilan
College if:

- You are a high school graduate or you have passed the GED or the California High School Proficiency exam.....OR
- You are 18 years of age or older....OR
- You are currently enrolled in high school. High School students may enroll with Special Student Status by completing a High School Contract form.

It's easy to get started:

- **Application**
- **Assessment**
- **Kickstart**
- **Enroll!**

APPLY ONLINE!



Need help
getting started?
Visit the
Welcome Center
in SC 107A

www.gavilan.edu



Mission

In an environment that cultivates creativity, stimulates curiosity and emphasizes student learning, Gavilan College serves its community by providing high quality educational and support services that prepare students for transfer, technical and public service careers, life-long learning and participation in a diverse global society.

Gilroy Main Campus

408-848-4800
5055 Santa Teresa Blvd.
Gilroy, CA 95020

Morgan Hill Community Center

408-782-2873
17060 Monterey Road,
Morgan Hill, CA 95037

Hollister, Briggs Building

831-636-3783
365 Fourth St.,
Hollister, CA 95023

TTY (for Deaf or Hard of Hearing)
para Discapacitados Auditivos
408-846-4924

Admissions & Records

Oficina de Admisiones y Archivos
408-848-4735 or 408-846-4954

Assessment

Office/Oficina de Evaluaciones
408-846-4992

Bookstore

Librería
408-848-4742

Disability Resource Center

Centro de Recursos para
Discapacitados 408-848-4865

Financial Aid

Ayuda Financiera
408-848-4727

Noncredit Program

Programa sin Créditos
408-852-2824



Summer / Fall 2015 Registration

How to Register

Go to www.gavilan.edu
click on **myGAV**

Register online **UNLESS**:

1. You are on dismissal
2. You have a "hold" (e.g. balance owed, overdue library books)
3. You wish to repeat a course for the third time.
4. You are a high school student.

Hours of Operation

GILROY

- Monday –Thursday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
- Friday 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Summer Hours: (June 1 - August 27)

- Monday –Thursday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
- Friday 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

MORGAN HILL AND HOLLISTER

- Monday –Thursday 8:00-6:00p.m.
- Fridays 8:00-5:00p.m. (Hollister);
8:00 - noon (Morgan Hill)

All locations will be closed: May 25, July 4

Registration Calendar

Period	Date	Who can Register
Priority 1	April 29 - May 3	CalWORKS, DRC, EOPS, Foster Youth, Veterans (see notes below for additional eligibility criteria)
Priority 2	May 4	Athletes, MESA, Puente, TRiO (see notes below for additional eligibility criteria)
Priority 3	May 5 -12	Continuing students, GECA, and new-to-college students who have completed orientation, assessment and an educational plan (see notes below for additional eligibility criteria)
Priority 4	May 13 - 17	New-to-college students who have not completed assessment / orientation / educational plan.
Priority 5	May 18 - June 14 (Summer) May 18 - August 30 (Fall)	Returning, Transfer, Academically Dismissed, High School students other than GECA.
Late	June 15 - 16 (Summer) August 31 - Sept. 11 (Fall)	Students who have obtained add codes from instructors
Open-entry, late-start	Before first day of class	All students taking open-entry and late-start classes

NOTES

- Eligible Continuing students during Priority 1,2,or 3 registration must be in good academic standing (e.g., not on probation for 2 consecutive semesters or dismissal and have less than 100 earned units total excluding 30 units basic skills or ESL classes.)
- New-to-college students during Spring 2014 or later, and who are eligible for Priority 1,2, or 3 registration, must have successfully completed an assessment, education plan and orientation to be eligible. All other new-to-college students may enroll during Priority 4.

STEPS FOR NEW STUDENTS

1. Application

Apply online at www.gavilan.edu

Approximately three (3) working days after submitting your application, you will receive an email with instructions on how to log in and get your Gavilan ID (G-Number).

2. Financial Aid

Apply online at www.fafsa.gov

Apply for BOG Tuition Waiver, federal grants, work study, and student loans.

AB 540 students may submit *California Dream Act* applications at: gavilan.edu/finaid/ca-dream-act.html

3. MyGav Account

Create account at www.gavilan.edu

click on MYGAV AND SSB.

Follow the instructions for NEW USERS to set up your student account.

4. Assessment

All first time college students are required to take a placement assessment test for English and math.

Sign up online at www.gavilan.edu/admit/assess.html
(408) 846 - 4992

Bring a photo ID and your G-number (Student ID Number) to your test.

*If you wish to use placement test scores from a test taken at another college within the past two years, see a counselor (www.gavilan.edu/counseling).

*ESL students may sign up for assessment by contacting the Admissions and Records Office: (408) 848-4736 or (408) 848-4751 Practice tests are available!

5. Kick-Start

Attend an in-person *Kick Start* or complete it online. You will need your G-number and placement test scores with you.

www.gavilan.edu/orientation

*Following Kick-Start orientation all first time college students must complete the orientation process by enrolling in .5 unit Guid 210, New Student Seminar, during the first semester.

6. Counseling

Meet with a counselor to discuss your course selections. Bring copies of transcripts from other schools attended with you.

Find Walk-In counseling hours at www.gavilan.edu/counseling

7. Registration

Use Self-Service Banner at

<https://my.gavilan.edu>

or register in person at the Admissions and Records office, Morgan Hill or Hollister sites.

8. Payment

Pay Fees before deadline to avoid being dropped from all classes

9. More tips for success

- Schedule a campus tour: (408) 846-4993
- Purchase textbooks at campus bookstore or online at www.gavilan.edu/bookstore
- Have all official transcripts from other schools attended sent to the Gavilan Admissions and Records Office

Explore support services: www.gavilan.edu/student.html



GAVILAN COLLEGE DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Administration of Justice
Allied Health (Nursing)
Art
Aviation Maintenance Technology
Biological Science
Business
Carpentry Apprenticeship
Child Development
Computer Graphics and Design
Computer Science & Information Systems
Communications Studies
Cosmetology
Digital Media
Drywall / Lathing Apprenticeship
English
English as a Second Language
Engineering
Health Science
Humanities
Kinesiology
Liberal Arts
Liberal Studies
Mathematics
Media Arts
Music
Philosophy
Physical Science and Engineering
Social Sciences
Spanish
Theater Arts
Water Resources Management

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Gavilan College is smoke and tobacco-free

Smoking is permitted only in specifically designated areas that are located the parking lots

You can get help quitting! Visit Student Health Services

Gilroy Campus Parking Permits (not required in Morgan Hill or Hollister)

Term	Start Sales	End Sales	Permit valid from – to	Temporary Parking Permits Valid	Price
Summer 2015	May 18	July 6	July 15 - August 28	For 12 days from online order	\$25.00
Fall 2015	May 4	December 1	August 31 - December 18	For 12 days from online order	\$50.00 Day \$20.00 Evening

Parking permits are purchased online through the MyGav portal. You may print out a temporary permit to use while the official permit is in the mail. You will be notified by email when you submit your order, and the day the permit is scheduled to arrive in the mail. Permit should arrive approximately 7 business days after the order is placed. Students who receive Veterans Benefits or have 3rd party sponsors should contact Diane Christianson at (408) 852-2840 in Admissions & Records for special instructions on obtaining permits. **Single Day passes are available for \$2 at campus machines.**

Gavilan Rams Athletics

Sand Volleyball!

Gavilan College is excited to announce Sand Volleyball as an official sport starting Spring 2015. The Rams are currently recruiting players for the upcoming season. For more information, contact Head Coach Kevin Kramer at 408-848-4896 or email at kkramer@gavilan.edu.

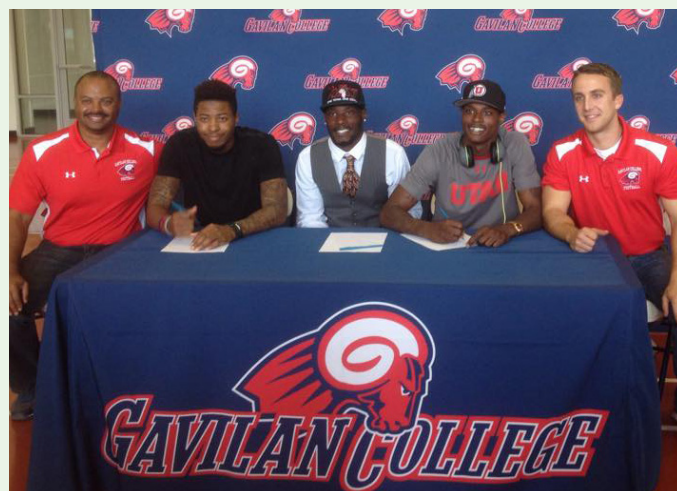
Recruiting News

Many student-athletes at the community college level dream of moving to the next level and transferring to a Division I school to play and complete a Bachelors Degree in their field of study. This year, a number of Rams achieved that goal.

Rams Volleyballer **Lilly Martinez** signed her letter of intent to continue her playing career at William Penn University in Iowa. She was the first Ram this season to sign on the dotted line. She won a Coast Conference Championship as a freshman and spent every year of her career in the CCCAA playoffs.



Congrats to Rams Volleyball standout **Jessica Stofer** for her recognition as a California Community College Scholar Athlete award recipient. Jessica received her award at the CCCAA Convention held in Ontario, CA.



Rams football coach **Spencer Gilford** is pictured here with Gavilan Rams **Deniko Carter**, **Armani Miller** and **Trevin Kelley** on National Signing Day. All three wide receivers signed their letters of intent to play football at four-year institutions. Carter will transfer to the University of Utah, Miller to West Georgia University, and Kelley to Mississippi Valley State.



Tyler DeCarlo signing his National Letter of Intent to transfer and play for West Virginia State University

Congratulations are also in order for football players **Drew Fryhoff**, who signed his letter of intent to play for Colorado State University-Pueblo, **Jeremy Robinson**, who signed with the University of Central Oklahoma and **Seth Holcomb** for signing with Minot State University!

NEWS AND EVENTS



Sowing Seeds, Nurturing Dreams

SAVE THE DATE:
April 24, 2015
*Food, wine, and silent auction to benefit
Gavilan College students*

www.gavilan.edu/gala



Sowing Seeds, Nurturing Dreams

*Gala funds student scholarships
Tickets now on sale for 2015!*



14th performance of Bach to Blues

*Faculty and local musicians'
performance supports music education*

In March, the music department faculty and local musicians brought their talents to the stage for the 14th performance of Bach to Blues. The show started with piano – a performance by the winning soloist from the annual **Marian Filice Youth Piano Competition**, followed by faculty member **Maria Amirkhanian**; then a duet of grand pianos played by Maria and **Daveed Behroozi**, in a preview of their April 17 **Two Pianos** concert. **Albert Marques** lit up the house with flamenco guitar, and was then joined by his father **Larry Marques** (pictured above) Guitarist **John Garcia** (a Gavilan alumnus) performed a set, followed by jazz/scat virtuoso **Nate Pruitt** and the band **Primary Colors**. The show closed with the audience-favorite Jam Session with all of the evening's musicians, this year joined by guest harmonic-player **Mark Fenichel**. Before the show and at intermission the talented students of the **Gavilan College Musical Ensemble** entertained the waiting crowd in front of the theater. Bach to Blues is a fundraiser for the music department at Gavilan College, providing instruments and equipment to prepare the next generation of local musicians.

Planning is underway for the second annual Sowing Seeds, Nurturing Dreams gala event to raise funds for student success. In April 2014, 200 people gathered at the wonderfully transformed Gavilan College Student Center to sample gourmet food and fine wines, bid on auction items, and socialize. The event raised over \$15,000 for student scholarships and emergency needs. Eleven Sowing Seeds scholarships of \$500 each were presented at a scholarship ceremony on May 9. The event also created a Student Emergency Fund, which this year has provided emergency food and transportation assistance for students with financial hardship.

2015 is shaping up to be an incredible event, thanks to sponsors IBI Group, The **Associated Students of Gavilan College**, **Heritage Bank of Commerce**, **Recology**, **Pinnacle Bank**, **Gavilan College Faculty Association**, **Gilroy Rotary**, **The Ford Store**, **Anritsu**, **Chinchon Family**, **Cal Color**, and **Johnson Lumber / Ace Hardware**, as well as the participating restaurants and wineries: **Fortino Winery**, **Guglielmo Winery**, **Sunlit Oaks**, **Sycamore Creek**, **Aimee June**, **Coastview Winery**, **Mama Mia's**, **Dona Esther**, **Happy Rooster**, **The Wok**, **Ladera Grill**, **Rosy's At The Beach**, **Cellar Door Catering**, **Pacific Dining**, **Gianna's Baking Company**, **Spice and Ice Bar and Grill**, and **Gelimex**.



NEWS AND EVENTS

Grand Opening for the Veterans' Resource Center

In November, members of the public, military veterans, and friends of Gavilan College gathered for the Grand Opening of the Gavilan College Veterans' Resource Center. The Keynote Speaker was Secretary of the California Department of Veterans Affairs, Major General Peter J. Gravett [ret.]

Attendees enjoyed tours, light refreshments, a ribbon-cutting by the Gilroy Chamber of Commerce, and recognition for founders of the center. The Gilroy VFW Color Guard and the Patriot Guard Riders both participated. The celebration was also sponsored by the Gavilan College Associated Student Body and Gavilan College Faculty Association, and included the display of a plaque to honor supporters of the Gavilan College Veterans' Resource Center: Gilroy Rotary, Gilroy VFW Post 6309, Carmel Doll and Toy Group, and American Legion Post No. 217.

Student veterans are an integral and growing part of the Gavilan College student body. The Veterans Resource Center (VRC) provides one-stop access to the resources and services they need. The VRC is staffed by student veterans whose goal is to help other veterans manage the transition from military service to the academic setting. The VRC is a place for veterans to connect with one another, learn about available campus services, and to provide a welcome and familiar environment for incoming student veterans.



Grand Opening for Ray Williams Arboretum at Gavilan College

2014 saw the official ribbon-cutting for a space and experience many years in the making: the Gavilan College Arboretum. Following the opening, the Board of Trustees dedicated the Arboretum to Ray Williams, the nurseryman who originally planted the rare and exotic trees now growing on the Gavilan College Gilroy campus.

The landscaping at the Gilroy campus has long been recognized as unique and the legacy of the campus landscape designer –Watsonville nurseryman Ray Williams. Williams was ahead of his time in designing a landscape that is consistent with its surroundings. He incorporated sustainable, drought tolerant native and non-native plants. He was especially interested in Australian plants, many of which were grown in the nursery of Ray and his wife, Rose.

The event also celebrated the inclusion of one of the arboretum's trees in the Urban Forest Ecosystems Institute California Big Trees Listing, the Official Registry of California Big Trees. The mission of the Gavilan College Arboretum is to promote public awareness of the unique and sustainable landscape at Gavilan College through fostering of educational, research and conservation activities.

The National Champion tree is a specimen of Eucalyptus, Omeo Gum (*Eucalyptus neglecta*) growing near the administration building on the Gavilan College Gilroy Campus. It is 56 feet tall with a 69.25 foot canopy, and is 64 inches around. It was planted in or around 1967, and is the biggest of its species in both the state and the nation. This species is not native to California, and often only grows to shrub-size in its home soil in Australia. The Gavilan College tree has attained its size due to the lack of natural predators and ideal growing conditions. The tree was officially measured by Prunedale arborist Michael L. Bench in 2013, and the results submitted to the Urban Forest Ecosystems Institute, housed at CalPoly in San Luis Obispo, at the recommendation of Matt Ritter, a Botany Professor at the university.

The arboretum at Gavilan College was begun in 2013 through the work of the Natural Sciences students and faculty to catalog and place explanatory signage for the campus' plants. Many plants date to 1966, when the Gilroy campus first opened.

For a map and more information about the Gavilan College Arboretum, go to <http://www.gavilan.edu/arboretum>.



Summer in Spain!

Spend this summer learning or perfecting your Spanish in Spain! Classes are offered at all levels, from beginning to advanced, and students may earn up to 5 transferable units. The program includes classroom instruction plus local immersion in the Spanish language.

Participants will live with a host family, enjoy family meals, and exposure to the life and culture of Spain. The program runs from June 14 - July 12. The price is approximately \$1500, plus airfare and college fees.

For more information, please call 408-848-4794 or 408-848-4842, or email dperez@gavilan.edu or amarques@gavilan.edu.

NEWS AND EVENTS

New Associate Degrees for Transfer Approved



**Associate Degree
for Transfer**
A Degree with a Guarantee.™

Gavilan College students now have nine more options in pursuing an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT). College president Steve Kinsella credited the work done by faculty in building opportunities for students: "The ADTs developed by Gavilan faculty provide students the most direct route to a university degree program. These degrees are

intended to identify a clear and streamlined path through a student's first two years of college in preparation for the last two years of a bachelor degree program at public university."

According to Kathleen Rose, Chief Instructional Officer "It's a remarkable list, offering a lot of opportunities for our students." ADT degrees were created several years ago through action by the California State Legislature, with the goal of taking the guesswork out of transfer. Students who earn an ADT degree and meet the California State University (CSU) minimum eligibility requirements are guaranteed admission to a CSU (but not necessarily to a particular campus or major.)

In addition, once at the CSU, if you are admitted and enrolled in a designated degree program you will be able to complete your bachelor's degree with as little as 60 semester units or (90 quarter units) of upper division coursework. The new degrees, in Business Administration, Political Science, Spanish, and other subjects, join the nine ADT degrees that had previously been developed. In all, Gavilan College now offers 18 ADT degrees.

To find out more go to <http://www.gavilan.edu/AssociateDegreesForTransfer.html> or speak with a counselor.

Complete list of ADT degrees offered:

- Administration of Justice (AS-T)
- Art History (AA-T)
- Business Administration (AS-T)
- Communications Studies (AA-T)
- Early Childhood Education (AS-T)
- Economics (AA-T)
- English (AA-T)
- Journalism (AA-T)
- Kinesiology (AA-T)
- Mathematics (AS-T)
- Music (AA-T)
- Philosophy (AA-T)
- Physics (AS-T)
- Political Science (AA-T)
- Psychology (AA-T)
- Spanish (AA-T)
- Studio Arts (AA-T)
- Theater Arts (AA-T)



photo by Larry Mickartz

Fulton "Bumpy" Picetti, 1936 gradu- ate of San Benito Junior College, bequeaths scholarship fund

In the largest bequest ever received by Gavilan College, alumnus Fulton Picetti, a 1936 graduate of San Benito Junior College (which later became Gavilan College) left over \$190,000 for the creation of scholarship fund in his sister's name: [Eunice J. Picetti Scholarship Fund](#) to provide scholarships for Gavilan College students.

Picetti was a Hollister resident. Following his start at San Benito Junior College, he earned a BA in Economics from Stanford University, served as a Lt. Colonel in the U.S. Army; and was an owner of Picetti & Anderson Insurance Agency in Hollister.

Scholarships are awarded through the Gavilan College Office of Financial Aid. For scholarship application and more information, go to <http://gavilan.edu/finaid/>

Plan your event at Gavilan College!

Did you know you could rent classrooms, performance spaces, and event venues at the Gavilan College campus? Gavilan College facilities are available at affordable rates for weddings, seminars, conferences, classes, meetings, and festivals. The beautiful park-like campus is the perfect backdrop for any occasion. To find out more about renting the Historic Chapel (pictured) the Student Center, a classroom, the theater, or other facility, please call the Facilities Use Office at (408) 846-4957 or e-mail angielopez@gavilan.edu.

http://gavilan.edu/facilities_use/index.html

SAVE THE DATE!

April 24	Sowing Seeds, Nurturing Dreams
May 1,2,8,9,15,16	Evita! in the Gavilan College Theater
May 8	Scholarship Ceremony
May 15	Staff Recognition/Retirement Dinner
May 20	EOPS / CalWORKS Awards Banquet
May 22	Graduation


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EVITA

GAVILAN COLLEGE THEATRE

IN COLLABORATION WITH CHRISTOPHER HIGH SCHOOL
FEATURING LEXIE DORSET SHARP

MAY 1, 2, 8, 9, 15 & 16
Matinee May 9, 2015 at 2:00 PM

\$15 Advanced Tickets, \$20 At The Door
\$12 Students & Senior

Tickets available at the Gavilan College Bookstore and BookSmart, Morgan Hill

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