

BOSCO TECH'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



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TECH COLLEGE FAIR DRAWS CROWDS**

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Tech family–

So many exciting things are currently happening on campus, due in no small part to the enthusiasm and dedication of our students.

From our ASB to extracurricular clubs, our students show every day that their education is not limited to textbooks and test taking. In stepping up, exploring ways to get involved, and dedicating themselves to their community, they are widening their world and making the most of these high school years for themselves and others.

Our senior class is wrapping up the college application process and entering the anticipatory waiting season will begin for them. Let's pray for them and the important decisions they will make in the coming months.

As we near Thanksgiving Break, I hope you are able to take some family time to reconnect and let your young people know that you see how hard they've been working and how proud you are of them (I plan to do the same with my own kids, when we can get everyone in one place at the same time!)

In our day-to-day busyness, it's often easy to overlook what a blessing our children are and that they are something to be genuinely thankful for. Their youthful observance of the world may differ from our more 'experienced' view, but their fresh outlook is often just what we need to regain our enthusiasm and maybe even a fresh perspective.

May your Thanksgiving be happy, restful and touched by gratitude. I was recently introduced to the words of Meister Eckhart, a fourteenth century German priest and philosopher who once said "If the only prayer you said in your whole life was 'thank you,' that would suffice." While that may be overly simplistic, it is a good reminder to express our gratitude to the one who has made it all possible and who sustains us daily. God bless!

*Thankful for you and your family,
Jeff Krynen
Principal & Tech Alumnus (BT '81)*



FOLLOW THE TECH



2025 ALUMNI RACE IS NOVEMBER 1!

THE TRADITION CONTINUES

Join us for the annual Alumni Race at Bosco Tech!

- Saturday, November 1
- Location: Bosco Tech (Check-in by the flag pole)
- Check-in: 7:30 AM sharp
- Snacks provided – fuel up after the run!

This isn't just about the race—it's about reconnecting, having fun, and keeping the Bosco Tech spirit alive. While donations are welcome to support future events and programs, there's absolutely no pressure. Just come ready to run, cheer, or enjoy the fun!

For more information, contact Head Coach Blayze Fimbres at bfimbres@boscotech.edu.

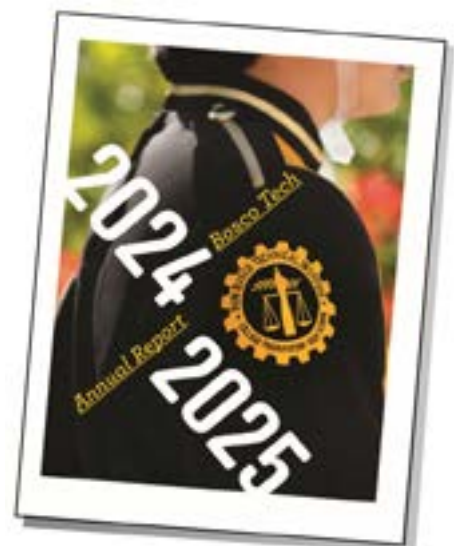


2024-2025 ANNUAL REPORT IS ONLINE

In the 2024-2025 Bosco Tech annual report, we invite you to explore highlights from the last academic year, review our year-end financials, and join us in thanking our generous alumni, parents, foundation partners, and friends for their continued support of the Tech.

To read the full report, visit:

<https://www.boscotech.edu/giving/annual-report>



OCTOBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

At the end of each month, the winners of the Student of the Month award are recognized for success in the classroom, as well as the display of outstanding characteristics as citizens of the school community. These individuals were voted on by their teachers to receive this recognition. The winners of the Students of the Month for September are:

- **For Grade 9: Noah Renfeldt**
- **For Grade 10: Enrique Perez (MSET)**
- **For Grade 11: Evan Cipriani (MAT)**
- **For Grade 12: David Kassabian (BMET)**

Congratulations and well done, October award winners!

Grade 9



Noah Renfeldt

Grade 10



Enrique Perez

Grade 11



Evan Cipriani

Grade 12



David Kassabian

SAVE THE DATE
ST. PATRICK'S
DAY 2026!

Join us for the 2026 Blarney & Blessings Celebration in honor of our own Bishop Dave!

JOIN US FOR A GREAT TIME!

WHEN: Sunday, March 8, 2026 at 5:30 p.m.

WHERE: Bosco Tech campus

WHY: To raise a pint and support Tech students!



BOSCO TECH



DON'T MISS THE FUN--
LIVE MUSIC & DANCING!

2025-2026 ASB EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Bosco Tech's Associated Student Body (ASB) is a student-led organization that plans and manages school events, represents the student body and works to create a positive and spirited school environment. ASB officers serve as student leaders helping to promote school spirit and ensure students feel welcomed and included. In their own words, the 2025-26 ASB executive officers explain why they became involved in ASB, what their goals are, and what they hope to leave behind for future classes:

Ethan De La Cruz (MSET '26), Executive President: It took me three years to find out that building a community was my passion for this school. Fueled by that, I strive to build upon that iconic Bosco brotherhood by providing the best events to my teams' fullest capabilities. That can be either enjoyable, informative or even better—both. I recommend ASB to those who feel passionate to help and find brothers just like them and to find their purpose and find fulfillment beyond a college brag sheet, just like my fellow executive brothers. But it isn't only about developing the community's spirit, but the connections between individuals. I am just happy to be a servant under God!



Tristan Ting Torres (BMET '26), Executive Vice President: I've been working for four years within ASB, trying my hardest to fulfill my plan that I had set from the start—to aid this school to become better than it has ever been! To continue the legacy of the executives that came before us isn't an easy task, but I am here to put my all into it. Not for myself, but for this community which I have been graced by God to be placed within for these years. As I had said last year, and the years before, join our ranks in ASB to help out your brothers and join in the Salesian spirit growing our connection as brothers, and as the children of God!

Julian Santana (MSET '26), Executive Secretary: In the past years, I've heard of phenomenal ideas ASB came up with, but never really got past the planning or whiteboard stage. As Secretary, I want these ideas to be brought to the students and not only make the whole school happy, but all future classes to come. By making sure everything happens on time and efficiently, we can make the most out of these ideas and set up future goals so that we have a clear and organized roadmap of what's to happen and be done. I want to help set up a legacy for this year's board, and for future cabinets to pick up this legacy and carry it forth for as long as Bosco Tech stays standing.



ASB EXECUTIVE OFFICERS



Raul Tapia (MSET '26), Executive Treasurer: As Treasurer, I want to make sure I can help make this school year enjoyable for all of my brothers. Money has always been a hot topic in ASB, and now that I am in a position to help manage our finances, I can help each class with whatever event they want to do such as prom, GradNite, retreats, etc. I want to guide all the underclassmen into making all the right decisions, so that way we can all make this year one to remember.

Tomas "Diego" Carranza (MAT '26), Executive Public Relations: I know this school, I know Bosco Tech, and I think that its students are the leaders of tomorrow. As Executive Public Relations, I want to communicate this to the people of this world and especially my own fellow students who may need a reminder of that. Using my skills in media production, I will do my best to make ASB a spearhead for spreading Salesian spirit and creating lasting bonds between us leaders and our student body.



Jose Alvarez, Jr. (BMET '26), Executive Dance Committee President: As Dance President, I plan on starting up the trend of making dances a lot more enjoyable. Bringing back school spirit for these dances is key to making a good high school experience. Dances should be a great time for people to relax, enjoy themselves, meet new people, and overall have a great time away from school. I plan on making that come to life and hopefully start a trend for others to follow. I am ready and excited to fulfill that role and be the rock that others will build upon.

Ricardo Martinez (ACE '26), Executive Chaplain: I hope that this year will be filled with memorable rallies, spirit games, and various events. ASB keeps the brotherhood of the school alive through maintaining and improving the "playground" aspect of the Oratory alive. My role as Chaplain allows me to remind others of the Salesian spirit at Bosco, as well as being rooted by our faith in Christ.



Thank you, gentlemen!



NOVEMBER 2025

BY ATHLETIC DIRECTOR RICARDO GONZALEZ

The Fall Season is winding down and Winter is coming. If you are interested in playing a sport this year, be on the lookout for information from coaches, the athletic department and our instagram @BoscoTechTigers.

FOOTBALL

Coach Uballez and his team finished their season on Halloween against Verbum Dei. Congrats to the players, boosters and coaches for all their hard work this year! Follow @[boscotechfbll](#) for more information.



CROSS COUNTRY

Coach Blayze Fimbres and his runners are in the middle of a competitive season looking to finish strong and qualify for Southern Sections playoffs. Contact bfimbres@boscotech.edu for more information.

- **Wednesday 10/29** CDR Dual Invitational at Don Knabbe Park (JV 1:45pm/ Var 2:15pm)
- **Wednesday 11/5** CDR League Finals (JV 3:30pm/ Var 4pm)

SOCCER

Head Coach Eric Alvarenga is ready to start the 25-26 Winter season with Non League Games. Follow @[bosco_tech_soccer](#) on Instagram for more news and updates.



BASKETBALL

Coach Hernandez and his staff have been hard at work preparing for the Winter Season. Varsity, JV and Frosh will be competing in non-league and tournaments throughout November.



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BASEBALL

Coach Duhamel and his teams are preparing for fall and winter ball with training after school at the field. Follow [@boscotechbaseball](https://twitter.com/boscotechbaseball) for more news and updates.

GOLF

Coach Brian Waters leads his growing golf program into another strong season in the Del Rey League for next year. Contact bwaters@boscotech.edu for more information on training and winter work going into the spring season.

TENNIS

Contact Coach Rudy Herrera rherrera@boscotech.edu for more information on practices and opportunities to join the team! Winter Training will be starting soon.

VOLLEYBALL

TRYOUTS will take place November 4, 5, and 6 from 6:30 to 8:00 PM and November 8 from 8:00 to 10:00 AM. ALL ARE WELCOME. No prior volleyball experience required. For questions, please contact Coach Reyes at dreyes@boscotech.edu



IN GRATITUDE

we are
grateful

The Bosco Tech community is extremely grateful for all recent donations made by generous foundations, organizations and alumni. Among those gifts:

Name	Amount	Purpose
Anonymous	\$275,000	Capital Campaign
Anonymous	\$ 50,000	ACE equipment
Jorge Flores (DR '83)	\$ 25,000	Capital Campaign
NASA JPL	\$ 6,300	Robotics
Arizona Community Foundation	\$ 1,000	Scholarships

Bosco Tech truly appreciates our benefactors who share our mission to educate young people. Please let us know if you have connections to a charitable foundation, or if your employer has a grantmaking program. Contact Manager of Foundation Relations Anne Sigoloff at asigoloff@boscotech.edu or (626) 940-2027.

ALUMNI, WE'RE HEADED YOUR WAY

COMING SOON TO A VENUE NEAR YOU!

Techmen in the Reno area had a great time at their recent meet-up at Depot Craft Brewery.

Several more get-togethers are scheduled. Tech alumni, we want to see you at these complimentary, casual gatherings! Getting together the Tech brotherhood no matter where you live, that's what these free gatherings are all about! No presentations or speeches, no fund requests, just a chance to catch up with Techmen in your neighborhood, enjoy appetizers and a beverage in a low-key patio setting, and network with your brothers for a while. For details, visit <https://www.boscotech.edu/alumni/out-of-town-alumni-receptions>



San Diego	Nov. 6	Ventura	Feb. 5	Inland Empire	Apr. 9
North OC	Nov. 20	Phoenix	Feb. 19	Las Vegas	Apr. 16
SGV	Dec. 11	South OC	Feb. 26	South Bay	Apr. 30
Palm Springs	Jan. 15	Pasadena	Mar. 26	Denver	May 14
				Long Beach	May 21

REENROLLMENT FOR '26-'27 SCHOOL YEAR

It's that time of year again to welcome families to apply for Fall 2026! The online enrollment packet release date is **November 3, 2025**, and the deadline to submit the online enrollment packet is **February 6, 2026**. Submitting your enrollment packet early or on time helps us prepare for a successful school year! The online reenrollment packet is accessible through your FACTS Family Portal starting on Friday, Nov. 3.

- Parents must apply annually online for reenrollment through the FACTS Family Portal.
- The reenrollment packet is required to be filled out and submitted before applying for tuition assistance.

Accessing via the Tech's website:

- Please go to www.boscotech.edu, from the top right-hand corner
- Select Student/Parent Hub
- Scroll down and click on FACTS Login
- DBTI-CA is the district code
- Sign in with your username and password
- Select Parent and then select Login

Once on the FACTS Family Portal home page,

- Select Apply/Enroll on the left-hand side,
- Select Enrollment/Reenrollment,
- Select Click Here to Open Enrollment,
- Select the Start Enrollment Packet.

Enrollment Packets are pre-populated; please update information carefully and confirm the data before submitting your reenrollment packet. This information becomes your son's permanent school record. Please carefully review before submitting.

As stated in the enrollment contract, an enrollment fee of \$700 is charged to your FACTS payment plan account and is split into two payments of \$350 each, with a due date of **Feb. 27, 2026**, and **March 27, 2026**, as an automatic withdrawal from your FACTS payment plan account.

Following that are student service fee charges of \$800, split in two payments of \$400 on **April 24, 2026** and **May 15, 2026**.

We are looking forward to providing your child with a productive school year! If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Doris Longoria at dlongoria@boscotech.edu



TUITION ASSISTANCE FOR '26-'27

The tuition assistance application is available as of **November 3, 2025** and the deadline date to submit is **February 6, 2026**. **Please note that no exceptions will be made after the deadline of Feb. 6.**

Parents must apply annually online for tuition assistance through the FACTS Family Portal. Once the reenrollment packet is submitted apply for the online tuition assistance application through the FACTS Grant & Aid, by following the steps below:

- Select Click Here to Open Enrollment
- Select the Start Enrollment Packet
- Returning families log in to your FACTS Family Portal. On the home page select Financial, and then select apply for FACTS Grant & Aid
- Sign in with your email and password
- Click on Start Tuition Assistance Application
- Select the appropriate school year 2026-2027
- Complete the steps as prompted and upload all the required documents
- Submit with FACTS Tuition assistance processing fee of \$45

Please note:

The information requested above is essential to FACTS and the Tuition Assistance Committee for review. The committee feels a strong responsibility to make fair and logical decisions. Therefore, your responsibility, if you wish to be considered for tuition assistance, is to provide updated and valid information.

To ensure your application receives full consideration, please complete each step indicated above. Any incomplete applications will not be reviewed. We expect that all recipients of tuition assistance maintain both good academic standing and conduct. Additionally, please note that if your FACTS account is past due, your tuition assistance may be affected. We are dedicated to helping families afford a Bosco Tech education.

We hope that applicants find our process straightforward and easy to complete. Thank you for your time and consideration.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. John Garcia at jgarcia@boscotech.edu.



ALUMNI REUNION WEEKEND

TECHMEN RETURN TO CAMPUS

A weekend dedicated to our alumni community—Techmen from all over the country joined us on campus the weekend of October 10 and 11 for the 2025 edition of Techmen Reunion Weekend.

The festivities began on Friday, October 10, with the All-Alumni cocktail mixer. The fun continued on Saturday, October 11, with individual class reunions, celebrating the milestone anniversaries of several years.



HONORING A TECH ICON

CELEBRATE TECH BASKETBALL LEGEND WITH US ON JAN. 14!



An exciting part of the Tech's annual Alumni Reunion Weekend was a very special recognition of Tiger Basketball legend and two-time All American Wayne Engelstad (PH '85). Wayne helped the Tech's 1984 Division I team shoot to #12 in the nation with his skill, averaging 25.3 points per game. He went on to play in the NBA and in Europe's Continental Basketball Association, as well as in Argentina and Australia.

Wayne will be recognized during the January 14 home game—everyone is invited!

TECH ALUMNI, ARE YOU HEARING FROM US?

If you or a Techman friend is not hearing about upcoming alumni events, please make sure we have your current contact information. Visit www.boscotech.edu/alumni/info.

INTERNSHIP SEASON IS HERE

BY MRS. ANNE SIGOLOFF, INTERNSHIP COORDINATOR

Internship season has started at Bosco Tech! Earlier this month, nearly 50 ambitious juniors attended the “kick off” Lunch & Learn meeting where they discovered extensive opportunities available to them next summer with companies like Boeing, City of Hope, L.A. Metropolitan Transportation Authority, MUSE TV, the USC Bridge Institute’s Science Jr. program and WET Design, to name a few.



With more than 75 partnerships forged by Bosco Tech, most resulting from our dedicated alumni and parents, students can

explore a variety of career interests and majors from architecture, biotechnology, aerospace, civil and mechanical engineering, business, marketing, graphic design, law and medicine.

A guest speaker panel of six seniors who recently completed summer internships was the highlight of the kick-off session. The recent interns gained valuable hands-on experience in “real world” work settings at JMDiaz, Inc. (**Massimo Sorce**), Los Angeles Metropolitan Transportation Authority (**Ricardo Martinez**), MUSE TV (**Diego Carranza, Liam Lopez** and **Nicholas Renteria**) and USC Bridge Institute’s Science Jr. Program (**Diego Favela**).

The confident and well-spoken seniors shared their projects, insights, experience and advice on everything from how to navigate learning new technical skills to networking and pushing oneself out of your comfort zone to make the most of the internship.

MUSE TV intern Diego Carranza (MAT) encouraged students to go the “extra mile” to network. Nicholas Renteria agreed, stressing how important it is to make the most of their internships by not only networking with mentors and bosses, but other interns, especially if they are already in college.

Interning at MTA’s Transportation Academy program, Ricardo Martinez shared how he ventured out of his comfort zone to learn new graphic design and digital marketing skills to help design bus overlays for the 2026 World Cup.

Massimo Sorce, who interned at civil engineering company JMDiaz, Inc., owned by alumnus Juan Diaz, ‘84, refined and expanded his AutoCad skills. He shared how his alumni mentors, owner Juan Diaz, ‘84 and Senior Project Manager Algis Marcuiska, both also former civil engineering professors at Cal Poly Pomona, provided Massimo with practical advice to “keep exploring different areas of engineering, get involved early, and not be afraid to reach out to

INTERNSHIP SEASON

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people in the field. They said that making connections and getting hands-on experience will help a lot later on.”

Diego Favela has always been interested in science and was considering majoring in biology. Through his immersive research internship with the USC Bridge Institute Undergraduate Science Jr. Program, he gained experience in research methods, lab techniques and specialized equipment which is usually taught at a college level. Diego spent the summer researching fungal platforms

developed in the lab to transform plastic waste into useful organic molecules. He shared that the internship was a major factor in clarifying his college major.

“I would have to say that this internship helped clarify my college major,” he said. “I want to major in marine biology.”

WEIGHT ROOM: NEW RECORDS BROKEN

BY COACH CARLOS PLANTILLAS

The competition was fierce this fall, and our student-athletes came ready to lift! Congratulations to these record-breakers for their incredible Hex Bar Deadlift performances in September and October.

- 101–115 lb. Weight Class: Hex Bar Deadlift In the 101–115 lb. weight class, Ezio Veneziano lifted 275 lbs., topping Gilbert Espinoza’s 2005 record. Not long after, Jayden Calm raised the bar even higher by breaking Ezio’s new record with a monster lift of 290 lbs.!
- 161–175 lb. Weight Class: Hex Bar Deadlift Vincent Nieves dominated multiple weight classes, first crushing Michael Moh’s 2004 record in the 161–175 lb. class with an impressive 435 lb. deadlift.

But he didn’t stop there! Vincent Continued his record-breaking run with a lift of 460 lbs, beating Ray Estorga’s 2004 record in the 176–190 lb. Weight Class: Hex Bar Deadlift.

Congratulations to the student-athletes for working extremely hard this fall!



FALL APPEAL FEATURES ALUMNI

"BUILT BY TECH," ALUMNI GIVE BACK

The Tech's fall appeal has been mailed to donors and alumni; this year's theme is "Built by Tech." For so many, their years at the Tech shaped the adults they've become. Personal and professional choices have been influenced by lessons learned here—chief among them: to give back, to step up, to be the difference they want to see.

Featuring three involved alumni, including Mr. Rudy Herrera (H), we tell the story of their commitment to giving back, based on what was built in them by Bosco Tech. To see the piece, visit: https://issuu.com/boscotech/docs/built_by_tech-fall_2025



RED CROSS LEADERS COMPLETE TRAINING

Alfredo Wolf and **Owen Beltran**, the Tech's Red Cross Club president and secretary, attended exhaustive educational and training sessions in October. Held at the Red Cross Arcadia headquarters, a youth leadership retreat included CPR training (shown in photos); a later training session focused on international humanitarian law.

"During the retreat, we did many fun things such as learning CPR basics," said Alfredo. "I also learned about the many different programs Red Cross has to offer such as the IHL which is the International Humanitarian Law. I think it's important that we have our own Red Cross Club at the Tech to be able to give back to our community and help others! I hope our club can give back as much as possible and open pathways for our students to help others."

"I believe that the Red Cross Club is important as it provides opportunities for service," said Owen. "It follows the principles and philosophy of Don Bosco of loving kindness, servant leadership, and community. I hope for the members of the club to discover within themselves the importance of service as we do our service to them."

Great job, gentlemen!



TECH + HUMANITY = IMPACT LAB

Bosco Tech's new student-created Impact Lab is combining engineering and technology with community impact. The first project: designing and 3D-printing prosthetic hands for amputees. The goal is to deliver the first cohort of prosthetic limb models by December or early January to nearby communities.

The club currently holds weekly meetings to plan and build and is organized into two sectors, the Engineering Team, focused on design and fabrication, and the Public Relations Team, focused on outreach and partnerships, and managing the team's social media presence.

Leaders of the dedicated group, led by junior Aditya Kumar, shared their vision and goals for impact:

- **Aditya Kumar, Impact Lab President:** At Impact Lab, we don't just create Engineers. We develop the next generation of entrepreneurs, ready to lead with real-world experience. Impact Lab provides students with a gateway to utilize their creativity outside of the classroom, toward solutions that matter.
- **Seraj Arteaga, Director of Engineering:** Impact Lab doesn't just make an impact on our community, but also on our members by encouraging technical development and fostering innovation, both as students and as strong young leaders.
- **Gavin Castellanes, Director of Public Relations:** Impact Lab gives students with a wide variety of talents the chance to join together and support our community. It also provides an opportunity to boost their communication and confidence through pitches and fun activities. The variety in our skill sets is what makes the Impact Lab so special.

We're looking forward to hearing much more from these forward looking young people!



CLUB'S CAR SHOW IS HUGE SUCCESS

The Tech's Car Club hosted a hugely successful first annual car show on Oct. 18. More than 50 entrees created a great display of custom and restored cars parked across the mall.

The event raised more than \$6,300 for the club's racing costs, exceeding all goals. In addition, a generous show participant donated a convertible Mustang.

Among the show's prize categories was an award for alumni entries.

Congratulations to Victor Marquez 1957 Chevy Bel-Air (first prize), Carl

Miller 1958 Chevy Impala (second prize) and Dan Burrola, 1964 Austin Healey (third prize).



RED CROSS CLUB'S FALL BLOOD DRIVE

BY MRS. ANNE SIGOLOFF, RED CROSS CLUB MODERATOR

With record breaking participation, Bosco Tech's Red Cross Club partnered with Cedars-Sinai Hospital this month to collect 50 pints of life, saving blood. This is an increase of 47% from last year's fall drive and the highest amount yet since the pandemic!

Dedicated parents, students, faculty and staff streamed into the multi-purpose room all day donating well after 6 pm to help save lives.

Rising to the occasion, Bosco Tech students represented nearly 50% of blood donors, many for the first time! Nearly a third of student donors are regular blood drive participants, many donating consistently since they were eligible at 16.

Dozens of Red Cross Club volunteers did their part to make the drive a success by helping with check-in, check-out, and handing out snacks and drinks to donors. Several club members not only volunteered, but donated blood too. It was inspiring to see several father/son and mother/son teams joining the effort. Thank you, Bosco Tech Family, for helping save lives !



CALTECH HOSTS BOSCO TECH

Eight BMET juniors attended a recent Watson Lecture, hosted by the California Institute of Technology. The lectures series has shared Caltech research and discovery to the public for more than 100 years. “Molecules, Mysteries, and the Matter of Existence” was presented by Professor Nick Hutzler who addressed how scientists are using molecules to explore why our universe is made of matter instead of antimatter.

“It was definitely a complex topic, but Professor Hutzler explained it in a way that helped a lot of us actually understand the chemistry and physics behind his research,” said Tech student Andy Cao.

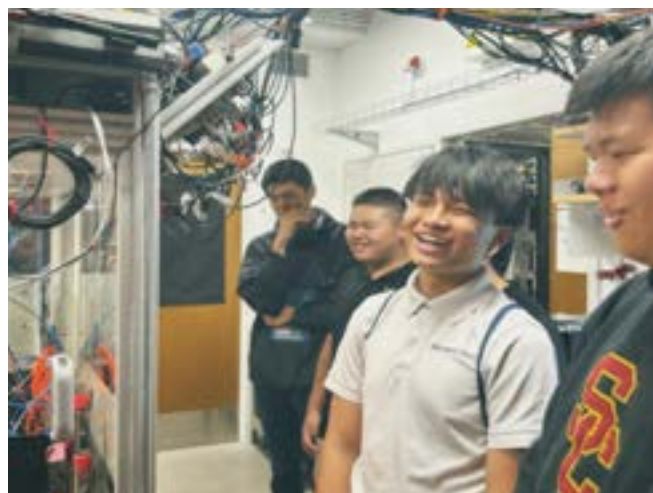
Prior to the lecture, the fortunate students had dinner at The Athenaeum, Caltech’s historical private faculty club, and then enjoyed a private tour of the Hutzler Lab and overview of current research being conducted there.

“It was fascinating to see the kind of experiments, which typically used lasers and radioactive isotopes, that connect what we learn in class to real discoveries being made today,” shared Andy.

As the Watson Lecture began, host Dr. Crystal Dilworth (see [drbrain.phd](#)) recognized the Tech group and gave them a warm welcome. During the talk, the engaged audience asked Professor Hutzler questions directly through a live QR code Q and A. “He took the time to explain his answers in a really clear and engaging way,” Andy said. “We also ran into a Bosco Tech alumnus who recognized our group.”

Special thanks to Ms. Marlena Jackson, who chaperoned the group.

“Everyone left the evening with a better understanding of how science can help answer the biggest questions about the universe and with a deeper appreciation for research,” Andy said.



DRUG & ALCOHOL AWARENESS EDUCATION

BY MR. CARLOS PLANTILLAS, DEAN OF STUDENT SERVICES

October 20-24 was the Tech's annual Drug and Alcohol Awareness Week. The week culminated with a meeting by class year hosted by a California Highway Patrol officer. A video was presented to students addressing the dangers of drug and alcohol use, focusing on its impact on brain development and future outcomes. After the video, the officer shared a power point presentation including powerful firsthand accounts of DUI and substance abuse cases involving teenage drivers. His testimonials resonated with the students, providing a clear understanding of the potentially fatal and life-altering consequences of driving under the influence and distracted driving.

Following the officer's talk, students were given the opportunity to wear "beer and THC goggles" and were asked to walk a straight line and then attempt to operate a driving simulator, which was provided by fellow student, **Izaiah Plantillas**.

The students had an impactful lesson on the dangers of drugs and alcohol, with a few laughs while watching their peers fall attempting to walk a straight line and crashing during the simulator. They were able to acknowledge that you can't drive or walk when you are impaired or under the influence of drugs or alcohol.





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OPEN HOUSE



**SUNDAY, 16
NOVEMBER 2025**



**12:00 PM -
4:00 PM**

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Bosco Tech 2025 Christmas Evergreens Fundraiser

Support Bosco Tech this holiday season! Funds raised help support the tuition assistance program and other efforts. Order at: <https://shirwoodfundraiser.com/BoscoTech>

IN THE SPIRIT OF THE SEASON

Give your support and enjoy beautiful holiday evergreens fresh from the Pacific Northwest.



Item #	Order Name
512	22" White Fir Wreath

- 22 inch diameter white fir wreath
- Two-foot red velvet under suspended bow in center top
- Flowers also come in various color/size options
- Single decorating instructions with illustration

\$35.00



Item #	Order Name
418	White Cedar Garland

- 20-foot of gorgeous cedar garland
- Floral fresh-cut winter cedar
- Easy-to-use, peace carrying bag
- Two 18 inch artificial sections included

\$35.00

DIRECT DELIVERY GIFT PROGRAM

Perfect gifts with a personalized holiday message, will arrive directly to recipient fresh within the first two weeks after Thanksgiving.



Item #	Order Name
512A	22" Mixed Evergreen GAR Wreath

- Our largest, most dramatic mixed evergreen wreath with white fir, incense cedar, bearded juniper and figur holly berries
- Two-foot red and white patterned bow
- Guaranteed fresh delivery within the first two weeks after Thanksgiving
- Personalized gift message

\$70.00



Item #	Order Name
412A	White Cedar GAR Garland

- Two stunning two-foot sections made of fragrant, fresh-cut winter cedar
- Guaranteed fresh delivery within the first two weeks after Thanksgiving
- Personalized gift message

\$75.00



Item #	Order Name
512C	48" Centerpiece

- Cedar, white fir, pine and bearded juniper
- Arranged in an oval black and ivory
- Four white paper berries and red holly berries
- Approximately 12 inches in diameter
- Includes 18 inch tapered LED candle
- Personalized gift message
- Delivered within 2 weeks after Thanksgiving

\$55.00



Item #	Order Name
512B	Mixing GAR Door Wreath

- This elegant white fir door wreath is made entirely of 22 inch fir, an evergreen exclusive to the Pacific Northwest. This door wreath is complemented by heavy white pine cones and a blackwood tree branch (style may vary).

\$60.00



Item #	Order Name
512A	22" Mixed Evergreen GAR Wreath

- White fir, incense cedar, bearded juniper and small holly berries
- Delicate red and white patterned bow
- Fragrant wrapped in cedar mistletoe
- Guaranteed fresh delivery within the first two weeks after Thanksgiving
- Personalized gift message

\$60.00



Item #	Order Name
512C	Evergreen GAR Set

- Our 22 inch Mixed Evergreen GAR Wreath with red and white holly berries
- Two stunning two-foot cedar sections
- Guaranteed fresh delivery within the first two weeks after Thanksgiving
- Personalized gift message

\$100.00



Organization Name : Don Deane Technical Institute
 Contact Name : Cedar Rivers or Donna Campbell-Middle
 Phone : 426-949-2006 or 426-627-3197
 Email : cedriv@shirwoodtech.edu

Evergreens order form is on next page



Don Bosco Technical Institute

Make Checks Payable To: Bosco Tech

Seller's Name: _____

Order Collecting Form

Customer Name		Case Products											Direct Delivery		Total	
Addr. & Ph.		Item#	W2	G3	W3M	G3M	G3M	S4M	S4M	W4M	W4M	YCM			Addr.	Paid
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**BOSCO TECH PARENT COUNCIL
INVITES YOU TO THE**

Winter Wonderland Holiday Boutique

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13th • 8AM-2PM

FREE ADMISSION FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Santa will be on-site for some fun family photos. Raffles will be taking place every 2 hours for a chance to win some fabulous prizes.

Come holiday shopping with amazing vendors, great food, seasonal performances, fresh wreaths, holiday activities & more!

Pet Adoption with
The Bubbles Dog Rescue



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Please note that dates, events and locations are subject to change. Check the school's full calendar at <https://www.boscotech.edu/student-life/calendar> for the latest updates.

FRI-SAT	10/31-11/1	FIRST LEGO LEAGUE ROBOTICS PRACTICE
SAT	11/1	ALL SAINTS DAY ALUMNI RACE
SUN	11/2	ALL SOULS DAY
WED	11/5	HERFF JONES JUNIOR RING ORDERS AT 5 PM IN LIBRARY, 2ND FLOOR PARENT COUNCIL MEETING AT 6 PM
FRI	11/7	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTURE VISIT
FRI-SAT	11/7-8	FIRST LEGO LEAGUE ROBOTICS PRACTICE
SAT	11/8	DROP-IN COLLEGE APPLICATION HELP 9 AM-1 PM S.T.A.R. TUTORING AT 9 AM
TUES	11/11	VETERANS DAY (SCHOOL CLOSED)
FRI-SAT	11/14-15	FIRST LEGO LEAGUE ROBOTICS PRACTICE
SAT	11/15	S.T.A.R. TUTORING
SUN	11/16	FRESHMAN TIE CEREMONY AT 9:30 AM TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION SESSION #3 AT 11 AM OPEN HOUSE 12-4 PM HERFF JONES JUNIOR RING ORDERS 3:30-5 PM (LOCATION TBD)
FRI	11/21	THANKSGIVING PRAYER SERVICE AT 2:35 PM
FRI-SAT	11/21-22	FIRST LEGO LEAGUE ROBOTICS PRACTICE
SAT	11/22	FOOTBALL BOOSTER RINCON TURNAROUND FUNDRAISER
SAT-SUN	11/22-11/30	THANKSGIVING BREAK
MON-TUES	11/24-25	OFFICE HOURS 8 AM-3 PM
WED-FRI	11/26-28	OFFICE CLOSED
THURS	11/27	HAPPY THANKSGIVING!
FRI-SAT	11/28-29	FIRST LEGO LEAGUE ROBOTICS PRACTICE
SUN	11/30	UC APPLICATION DEADLINE
MON	12/1	CSU APPLICATION DEADLINE
TUES-FRI	12/2-5	KAIROS 99
TUES	12/2	PARENT COUNCIL MEETING AT 6 PM

