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PCCD Board of Trustee Meeting
Associated Students College of Alameda Report

Good evening, my name is Jean Washburn. I am the President of the Associated Students College of Alameda, and I am here to submit our bi-monthly report to the board of trustees.

Today, College of Alameda began its celebration of Black History Month with an introductory even for students to meet and get to know the black teachers, administrators and staff that have supported, inspired and contributed to our college campus life. Students got a change to ask questions, play networking games and have fun. This was the first of our Black History Month events, with events happening on Tuesdays, during the college hour, in the F Building Student Lounge.

Next week's event will focus on violence prevention and mental health in the black community, with local organizations distributing information, poetry readings, and a question and answer session with a panel of students affected by these issues, amongst others.

Tomorrow, our Asian Pacific American Student Success learning community and ASCOA will be holding a Lunar New Year Celebration from 1:00pm-3:00pm in our F-Building Student Center.

On Saturday the 5th, we will be having a Leadership Summit organized by our Student Life Council which has brought together representatives from our ASCOA, student clubs and organizations, and learning communities. The retreat will focus on creating a thriving and diverse campus experience through events and community building, as well as holding workshops on leadership and organization.

On the 10th and 11th, COA's Red Cross Club will be holding a blood drive in the F Building Student Lounge from 9am to 2pm. If you are interested in donating, they ask that you schedule an appointment by calling 1-800- RED CROSS or going online to <redcross.org>, and entering the sponsor code "COA." Remember, by donating blood you could be saving a life.

Thank you.