Online elsewhere

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Community college news publication posts

Week 8 - Oct. 10-17
43 schools posted a total of 516 stories

1	CERRITOS TALON MARKS	36	23	Contra Costa Advocate	1:
2	Santa Rosa Oak Leaf	31	24	Los Medanos Experience	1:
3	Desert Chaparral	29	25	Solano Tempest	13
4	American River Current	28	26	Cosumnes Connection	10
5	Pasadena Courier	25	27	Ohlone Monitor	10
6	Santa Barbara Channels	23	28	Orange Coast Report	7
7	El Camino College Union	19	29	Riverside Viewpoints	7
8	Palomar Telescope	19	30	Southwestern Sun	6
9	Fullerton Hornet	18	31	Cuesta Cuestonian	4
10	Rio Hondo El Paisano	17	32	LA Harbor Tides	4
11	Skyline View	17	33	Las Positas Express	3
12	ELAC Campus News	16	34	Long Beach Viking	3
13	Laney Tower	15	35	San Diego Mesa Press	3
14	Moorpark Student Voice	15	36	Santa Ana el Don	3
15	San Diego City Times	15	37	De Anza La Voz	2
16	Diablo Valley Inquirer	14	38	Fresno Rampage	2
17	Sac City Express	13	39	Golden West Western Sun	2
18	Saddleback Lariat	13	40	Mt. SAC Substance	2
19	Santa Monica Corsair	13	41	Bakersfield Renegade Rip	1
20	Mt. SAC Media	12	42	Citrus College Clarion	1
21	Pierce Roundup	12	43	LA Valley Star	1
22	San Jose City Times	12			

14 schools had no posts

Fall 2015 total student publication posts

		3,404	135	348	319	478	541	499	568	516		 	 WK 13	 Wk 15
4	American River Current	172	6	29	20	22	22	25	20	28				
	Antelope Valley Examiner			-	-					-				
	Bakersfield Renegade Rip	108	1	4	31	1	34	1	35	1		 	 	
	Cabrillo Voice	34					1	17	16	-		 	 	
	CERRITOS TALON MARKS	265	33	35	20	31	43	37	30	36		 	 	
	Chabot Spectator	-			-					-		 	 	
	Chaffey Breeze	25				16	-	9		-		 	 	
	Citrus College Clarion	63	7	-	18	7	12	1	17	1		 	 	
	Contra Costa Advocate	95	-	11	2	17	15	22	17	11		 	 	
	Cosumnes Connection	31	1	3	2	1	6	-	8	10		 	 	
	Cuesta Cuestonian	30	6	3	1	3	2	3	8	4		 	 	
	Cypress Chronicle	10	4	-	-	1	2		3	-				
	De Anza La Voz	28		-	-	-	8	2	16	2				
	Desert Chaparral	42		3	1	2	-		7	29		 	 	
	Diablo Valley Inquirer	92	4	11	2	20	11	18	12	14		 	 	
	El Camino College Union	161	9	15	22	28	17	24	27	19		 	 	
	ELAC Campus News	62			-	-	15	21	10	16		 	 	
	Fresno Rampage	67	*		*	10	24	2	29	2		 	 	
	Fullerton Hornet	108		7	16	8	19	20	20	18		 	 	
	Glendale El Vaquero	43			2	1	19	-	21	-		 	 	
	Golden West Western Sun	59		15	1	19	4	3	15	2		 	 	
	LA City Collegian	-					-		-	<u>-</u>		 	 	
	LA Harbor Tides	17			1	2	7	1	2	4		 	 	
	LA Valley Star	21					10	10		1		 	 	
	Laney Tower	69		18		17		19		15		 	 	
	Las Positas Express	38		2	13	15		3	2	3		 	 	
	Long Beach Viking	55	-	1	13	-	2	17	19	3		 	 	
	Los Medanos Experience	124	23	18	21	8	12	12	19	11		 	 	
1	Marin Echo Times											 	 	
	Mira Costa Chariot	9		3	1	5						 	 	
	Moorpark Student Voice	97	2	16	15	15	12	7	15	15		 	 	
	Mt. SAC Media	17	*	*	*	*	*	*	5	12		 	 	
	Mt. SAC Substance	17	2	2	2	1	2	3	3	2		 	 	
,	Ohlone Monitor	56			-	12	15	19		10		 	 	
	Orange Coast Report	44	2	6	4	7	7	7	4	7		 	 	
	Palomar Telescope	60		22		16	3	*	•	19		 	 	
	Pasadena Courier	106			17	17	13	8	26	25		 	 	
	Pierce Roundup	74	1	1	3	4	24	14	15	12		 	 	
	Reedley Chant				-							 	 	
	Rio Hondo El Paisano	116	1	6	13	14	28	17	20	17		 	 	
	Riverside Viewpoints	98	11	7	7	11	21	8	26	7		 	 	
	Sac City Express	118	6	21	15	18	19	17	9	13		 	 	
	Saddleback Lariat	74		8	1	12	14	15	11	13		 	 	
	San Bernardino Arrowhead	-						-		-		 	 	
	San Diego City Times	36		1	4	2		14		15		 	 	
	San Diego Mesa Press	28			1	7	12	1	4	3		 	 	
	San Jose City Times	35				1	18	4		12		 	 	
	Santa Ana el Don	43	2	7	4	5	6	4	12	3		 	 	
	Santa Barbara Channels	113	1	5	17	19	22	8	18	23		 	 	
	Santa Monica Corsair	66		2	4	12	9	18	8	13		 	 	
	Santa Rosa Oak Leaf	114		7	3	36	1	29	7	31		 	 	
	Sequoias Campus	81	4	14	14	11	15	18	5	-		 	 	
	SF Guardsman			-				-				 	 	
	SJ Delta Collegian	33	1	18		1	1		12	<u>-</u>		 	 	
	Skyline View	116	7	22	7	21	8	20	14	17		 	 	
	Solano Tempest	22		4	1	2	4			11		 	 	
	Southwestern Sun	12	1	1			2	1	1	6	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	 	 	

= Known RSS feed problems †Some schools not yet in session/producing Weeks 1 and 2

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This week's Online elsewhere is purposely short because I want to pay attention some trends more than specific stories.

SHOOTINGS AND CAMPUS SAFETY

A theme in college publication news and editorials this week was campus safety. A lot of schools are writing editorials related to the increase in campus shootings, but some schools are going the extra mile and doing feature stories on campus disaster preparation. The timing of the Great American Earthquake Shakeout drills across the state provided an opportunity for a timely tie-in.

The American River College Current, in particular, has done an excellent job this past two weeks as it had a special angle. A former student was arrested for making a "credible threat" to the college. Before he could be arraigned, however, the student was released for a lack of evidence. But the Current did an outstanding day by day coverage as though it was a daily newspaper. You should visit the Current website and see some of the stories that were written. While there take notice of the excellent job the Current does in adding notices when stories have been updated. The reporters also regularly refer to previous stories and link to them from within the stories.

The Diablo Valley College Enquirer had a particularly unique solution: Military veterans should be hired for campus security.

TRANSPORTATION

If you have been paying attention to past Online Elsewheres, you will have noticed that there has been a theme of covering mass transportation issues. Many schools are working out bus and train pass plans for students. A potential state-wide feature linking together these plans would be a killer. I challenge someone to take on the task.

CRIME REPORTS

Federal law requires colleges to release crime statistics annually. This week a number of schools have written stories based on those reports. How much crime do you have on your campus. The El Camino College Union has been particularly excellent in reviewing those reports and have challenged the accuracy of those reports.

STATEWIDE GOVERNMENT

Not enough colleges pay attention to bills from the state legislature in Sacramento. Cosumnes River this week provided an example of what more student newspapers should be covering: Governor's budget act will increase community college funds.