



Tiger Pride

There is always great news to share about our St. Philip's College family. The following achievements align with our College Strategic Objectives: Student Success, Performance Excellence, and Principle-Centered Leadership. Stay up to date with our faculty, staff, and student accomplishments by reading the President's Newsletter online at alamo.edu/spc/newsletter and follow us on social media @GOSPC.



Student Success



SPC Latino Students Org Reaches Out to SPC ECHS Students

St. Philip's College (SPC) Department of Student Life collaborated with St. Philip's College Early College High School Principal, Ashlynn Barrientes, for the first Future United Latino Leaders for Change (FULLC) meeting of the fall semester, held at 3:45 pm on a Wednesday to accommodate ECHS students. College students also attended. 75 students, six faculty advisors and ECHS staff attended.

SPC ECHS Students Win Day of the Dead Literary Competition

St. Philip's College (SPC) Early College High School students earned top honors in a UNAM (Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México en San Antonio) writing competition. Jose Villalba won first place and Maria Guadalupe Pedraza Calderón won second place in the Calaveras Literarias (Death of the Day Poems) category. The competition was open to all public and private schools in San Antonio.

Performance Excellence



SPC Disburses \$7.1 million in Aid to Students

St. Philip's College (SPC) awarded \$7,145,109.51 to assist 7,951 students through Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF). Through Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRRSA), earmarked for student aid, institutional needs, and American Rescue Plan (ARP) funds, students have received either direct aid or aid for tuition balances in 2021.

Principle-Centered Leadership



SPC Cabinet Distributes Turkeys

St. Philip's College (SPC) leadership team gave out Thanksgiving turkeys on Nov. 10 and 11 to all SPC employees, SPC ECHS and District employees who work on SPC campuses. Over 600 turkeys were distributed in appreciation for supporting students on their academic and career journey by Dr. Adena Williams Loston and her Cabinet during a two-day drive-through pickup.

SPC Student Life Centers Open

St. Philip's College (SPC) MLK and SWC Student Centers recently had successful grand openings, inviting students into the physical spaces for the first time since the pandemic started. More than 600 people visited the two centers last week. Student Life supports experiential learning and provides engaging activities, opportunities to join student organizations and ways to make friends on each campus.

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