



Moraine Valley Matters

Alumni and Friends Newsletter

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Foundation Annual Golf Outing promises fun on and off the course

Whether you are an avid golfer or just enjoy spending time with friends, the [Moraine Valley Golf Outing](#) is fun for all who participate. On Wednesday, Sept. 21, the Moraine Valley Community College Foundation will hit the greens at [Cog Hill Golf and Country Club](#) in Lemont for the 41st annual Golf Outing. Last year, the event had a record-breaking number of golfers, and the Foundation raised more than \$40,000. Proceeds from the event support scholarships for Moraine Valley students.

The Golf Outing is a wonderful time to network with corporate executives, stakeholders, customers, community members and college employees. There are still foursomes and sponsorship opportunities available.

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The 2022 Moraine Valley Foundation Annual Golf Outing is presented by Live Right Senior Care.

Congratulations to this month's FPAC ticket winner! You may still enter to win!

Moraine Valley alumni and friends were eligible to win two free tickets to any one of the Fine and Performing Arts Center (FPAC) performances in the upcoming season. Congratulations to **Dawn Fredrikson**, who won the drawing for May.



[ENTER HERE](#) if you would like to have a chance in the June drawing to win FPAC tickets. The drawing will be held on July 15. Winners will be notified by email.

The FPAC [schedule](#) for the new season will be announced in July.

ENTER TO WIN TICKETS



Moraine Valley hosts summer Movie in the Moonlight series

Moraine Valley Community College is hosting its popular Movie in the Moonlight series this summer. The college scheduled three movies to show on a 16-foot inflatable screen at the Gateway, between Buildings F and M, on campus, 9000 W. College Parkway, Palos Hills. Admission is free.

The first movie, "Sing 2," was shown on June 11. "The Bad Guys" will be shown on Saturday, July 9, at 8:15 p.m., and "Sonic the Hedgehog 2" will play on Saturday, Aug. 13, at 7:30 p.m.

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Speech and Debate Team sees five first place finishes this spring

The Moraine Valley Community College Speech and Debate Team followed a winning fall semester with even more first place finishes this spring at a mix of in-person and virtual competitions.

The team took first place at the Phi Rho Pi Region IV RAFL Tournament, Jan 7-8. At the College of DuPage Tournament, Jan. 21-22, the group took second overall but was first in the community college division. They added another first place trophy to their collection at the Casper College Tournament in Wyoming, Feb. 2-5, and continued the winning streak at the Harper College Speech and Debate Tournament, Feb. 18-19, surpassing several four-year colleges and universities from around the country while winning five of the 12 speaking events.



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ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT: Soccer player reflects fondly on days competing for Moraine Valley

When Rafael Meza started college in 1994, he was looking to attend South Suburban or Moraine Valley. He saw more opportunities in the classroom and on the soccer field at the latter.

Although the soccer program at Moraine Valley started in 1982 and ran for a few years, it was dropped to make room for the football team, but reinstated in 1994. Nick Markulin became head coach, which Meza believed was a solid aspect of

the team.

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Moraine Valley Softball Team wins conference to cap season

A repeat conference championship with an undefeated record and more than half the team receiving awards underscored an exciting season for Moraine Valley Community College softball.



Head Coach Ari Bulthuis doesn't have enough words to describe her crew. They accomplished so much and played to a high level that raised the bar for the program.

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Academic Theatre presents "Twelfth Night" outside at Gateway July 21-24

The 18th season of Shakespeare under the Stars kicks off with one of the Bard's most uproarious comedies, filled with thorny love triangles, mistaken identities and unrequited love. Unrestrained madness and hilarity prevail in one of Shakespeare's most unforgettable comedies. This year, the Moraine Valley student orchestra will perform in the college's Shakespeare Garden starting at 6 p.m., before the play begins.



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Shakespeare Garden installs new bricks

If you happen to be on campus, be sure to take a stroll through the college's Shakespeare Garden located behind the Fine and Performing Arts Center and near the Gateway. Thirty new bricks were installed this month hosting a variety of sayings, memorials, and honoring student and employee accomplishments. The

engraved bricks line a beautiful walkway that weaves through the garden filled with plants and flowers that were part of Shakespeare's work.

Thank you to the donors who have supported the garden. All proceeds go to the Moraine Valley Foundation for scholarships and emergency assistance, as well as other college programs and initiatives.

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For current campus events and information, read [the Glacier](#), the student newspaper published by Moraine Valley students.



Remember when?

Students from Moraine Valley's Three-Dimensional Design class in 1999 showcase their work at the Frank Lloyd Wright Unity Temple.



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