

ARTiculate-Global celebration of the Arts at Evergreen Valley College ^{12 76}

ARTiculate is the first arts festival ever to be held at Evergreen Valley College with live presentations and performances by visual, sound and theater artists, dancers, journalists, writers and photographers from all over the Bay Area and beyond. Over the course of six days, the festival features an interactive art installation with students singing shower tunes; a cutting-edge sound workshop with internationally-acclaimed performer Pamela Z; a community fruit jam-making event; an evening of contemporary dance featuring Bay Area professionals; and a dynamic bilingual play about growing up in an immigrant family. All ARTiculate events are open to the community and most are free.

Produced by Evergreen Valley College, the ARTiculate festival heralds the opening of the new Center for the Arts. "We wanted to share with the community what their bond dollars have provided: a theater, studios and classrooms for our 2D and 3D programs, music and dance practice spaces and an art

gallery," said EVC President David Wain Coon. "To be able to offer a more robust arts program for our students is key to developing and retaining talent in the South Bay."

From Monday, Sept. 21 through Saturday, Sept. 26, ARTiculate presentations and workshops address contemporary topics such why ethnic media is poised to be a hot career, what we can do about the global water shortage, how physics impacts rock and roll music and what we can accomplish by using nature's bounties.

"Evergreen Valley College is home to a richly diverse population of Latino, Vietnamese, Filipino, Indo-American, African American and Pacific Islander students, and we've worked hard to include activities that will engage and represent them as well as the community of the South Bay," added Dr. Coon.

The complete schedule of events and details about each performance is at www.evc.edu/articulate. Parking is free for the week. ARTiculate is sponsored in part by Solas O'Brien, Steinberg Architects, Swinerton, SJECCD, Wells Fargo, Le Boulanger and Comcast. For additional information, please visit evc.edu/articulate or contact Alka Joshi, alka.joshi@evc.edu or (650) 224-7580.