



## The Exalted Order of The Snowy White Fillet



We would like to congratulate Roberto Manzanares as a new inductee in the Snowy White Fillet. He will join the Class of 1996.

We would like to congratulate Silvano Saucedo on his recognition for 20-years of service at Richland.



## Training

James Seyer completed the Irrigation Design for Certification class through Continuing Education during the week of April 5. He plans to take his certification exam in June.

# April Birthdays!

Michael Brantley  
Anson Ngo  
Charmayne Hightower



Phil Davies  
Sonny McDonald  
Silvestre Armador  
Anthony Leand



## Words from the Director of Facilities

Final results from the nationwide RecycleMania competition are in and Richland was recognized in several categories. In the Grand Champion Division, Richland was tops in Texas and seventh nationally. The addition of numerous four year universities and other community colleges provided even greater challenges this year.

We have just determined that Facilities Services will have started or finished over 33 major maintenance or capital projects in the 2009-10 fiscal year. This does not include Adaptive Remodel or furniture acquisition/installation.

Even with the completion of Sabine construction and start of Adaptive Remodel, the successful teaching/learning process continued this spring leading to graduation in May.

If your birthday is in April and your name wasn't listed. Please let us know in P131.



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Eddie,

On behalf of the Office of Emergency Management, I would like to recognize and extend my appreciation to Roberto Manzanares and Mac Thomas of the Operations Department, Facilities Services.

Mr. Manzanares first assisted this office in the installation of our local weather station through the fabrication of the mounting platform and initial installation. Following installation, Roberto discovered that we had defective equipment and made the initial contact with Oregon Scientific, resulting in our receipt of a complete new station.

After receiving the new equipment, we contacted Roberto, who was assisted by Mr. Thomas in the reinstallation process. We are now fully operational have the ability to monitor; temperature, humidity, barometric pressure, wind speed, wind direction, rainfall amounts and rainfall intensity. Additionally, the installation of this unit is part of our application process to be awarded the "StormReady® University" designation by the National Weather Service (NWS) and National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

In true Richland College manner these individuals exhibited a willingness to assist and follow through on any request, no matter how far from their normal scope of work it was.

Please extend my thanks to Mr. Manzanares and Mr. Thomas.

Very truly yours,

Dr. Robert D. Baker, J.D.  
Chief of College Police / Director of Emergency Management

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