



Opening Doors for Student Success!

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WHILE YOU WERE GONE...

East Campus Development Project



Where's Sonoma State?

The Sonoma State building has been relocated to its new home just south of the previous location. The main entry is now facing east towards the anticipated new

parking lot, with a temporary entry via the back of the building along a new pathway entry from Hensley Creek Rd. The interior of SSU will also be updated with new flooring before doors open for the spring semester.



The entire east campus area is undergoing a dramatic change. Ultimately, the Eagles Nest, the Bookstore, the ASMC Student Center, and the classrooms located in the Quad will be relocated to the east campus to allow swing space accommodations during the construction of the new Library/Learning Resource Center. After renovation, a new Student Center will be housed in the Lowery Building. The estimated completion date for the east campus is July, 2010. There will be inconveniences during the next months, but the results will be well worth it.

New Flooring in the PE Hallways

Notice that "new" smell in the PE building? All of the hallway carpeting has been replaced with "Eagle blue", sturdy, durable carpeting.



What Hit the Quad?

All of the Quad buildings will be relocated to the East



Campus site in readiness for the beginning of the Library/Learning Resource Center construction. Currently, serious attempts are being made to preserve and

move several of the specimen trees in the area. The first step is to remove the cement planters surrounding each of the trees, which explains why the Quad appears "disassembled." The next step is to move the trees. If they can be saved, they will be placed in a temporary planting area until next winter; when dormant, it is safe to replant. The actual move of the buildings is scheduled to take place during the summer break. The decks are also being removed to allow space for equipment and crews to work inside the area.



Solar Technology

The solar energy generation system is up and running. A dedication ceremony was held on December 9 and was attended by district, city, and county officials as well as the colleges' Board of Trustees and Citizens' Bond Implementation Committee members.

Plans are in the works to make access to the arrays' performance monitoring system available to all via a posted web site.

