



Dear Friend,

June is the time to cheer the grads and honor the dads! There's also so much to celebrate in the month of June, from the first day of summer to notable days in history, and even fun food days. There's a lot to smile about this month!

June 12: El Camino College Graduation

June 14: Flag Day

June 15: National Lobster Day

June 18: National Splurge Day

June 21: Father's Day/Summer Begins

June 30: Great American Picnic Day

However, the tragic events surrounding George Floyd have brought into focus the need for action and change. At El Camino, we feel it is imperative to prevent the social injustices surrounding our students and community, and we are committed to continuing that important work. The El Camino College Foundation established a new annual **George Floyd Scholarship** to recognize students of color and their achievements. Additionally, ECC Superintendent/President Dena Maloney prepared a **Message from the President** that addressed what has been done, and what still needs to be done, to keep moving forward as a campus community that embodies inclusion, equality, justice and safety.

I'm ready to put the stressful first half of the year behind us, continue to serve our students, work tirelessly on uniting all of our communities, and welcome June wholeheartedly!

Andrea Sala
Executive Director

Con-GRAD-ulations Graduates: Commencement 2020



El Camino College will recognize the Class of 2020 with a **virtual commencement ceremony** on Friday, June 12. The move to an online format is designed to celebrate student success, while also following protocols for social distancing.

Please join us at the **73rd Annual El Camino College Commencement Ceremony** scheduled for 4 p.m. Friday, June 12, the time and date previously established for the traditional in-person event.

Congratulations El Camino College Class of 2020 graduates! We are so proud of you!

Program Spotlight: EICo PRIDE Week 2020



The Student Equity and Achievement Program, Gender Sexuality Alliance Student Club, and the El Camino College Safe Zone Project Committee proudly, and virtually, presented the 2nd annual **EICo Pride Week** June 1-5.

A full schedule of online events took place throughout the week to celebrate diversity, promote inclusion, and support El Camino College's LGBTQIA+ community. The **Queer is Love Scholarship** was established in order to support our El Camino LGBTQIA+ community!

This year marks 50 years of Pride celebrations in the United States, and we're so proud El Camino College was able to show its true colors and joined in on the festivities!

Foundation Spotlight: Congratulations Scholarship Recipients

The **El Camino College Foundation** is very proud of its **scholarship program** which provides vital scholarships to ECC students to help them remain in college and complete their goals. Over 500 students will be awarded more than \$600,000 in scholarships for the 2020-2021 school year.

This year's Scholarship Awards Ceremony & Dinner was canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic, but we are still celebrating our deserving **scholarship recipients**. A complete list of all students who were awarded a scholarship can be viewed [here](#). Congratulations to all of you!



Community Giving: Hope for ECC Students



Like the rainbow, which is a symbol of hope and promise, the **El Camino College Foundation** brings hope and promise to its students.

Make a student's day brighter by bringing optimism their way.

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