

President's Report: Meetings, Functions and Talks, June 2010

Meetings with Government Representatives, Community Leaders, Donors

- City of Abbotsford, Jay Teichrob and Eric Hoogenraad: UFV space needs
- City of Abbotsford Council meeting: presentation, UFV update and strategic goals
- District of Mission Council meeting: presentation, UFV update and strategic goals
- John Jansen, CEPCO: international training opportunities in alternative medicine
- Minister Steve Thomson, Agriculture and Lands: opportunities for UFV in agricultural programming and research
- Chilliwack Agriculture Council: opportunities for UFV in agricultural programming and research; partnership and funding requests
- Gordon Holloway and Mark Johnson, KPMG: investment issues for non-profit organizations
- Glen Robertson, CAO, District of Mission, and Frank Dunham, Superintendent, Mission School District: educational partnerships

Partner Educational Institutions

- University of Applied Sciences, Lucerne School of Business delegation: hosted dinner
- Khalsa College, India: joint signing of agreement
- Dr. A.C. Vaid, Sanatan Dharma College, Chandigarh, India: partners in the Chandigarh business program
- Post-Secondary Employers' Association Board meeting
- Pam Jones, Regional Student Transition Coordinator: joint UFV/secondary school programming and university transitions
- Tour of Riverside College, Mission

Community Functions

- Reach Gallery exhibition opening – Challenging Traditions: Contemporary First Nations Art of the Northwest Coast
- Abbotsford News and the Abbotsford Entertainment and Sports Centre, “The Intern” student contest: judge
- Abbotsford Hospice: hosted winner of “Dinner for Four” at Friesen House

UFV Reviews and Site Visits

- Site Visit, Canadian Council on Animal Care: meeting with reviewers
- External Review, School of Criminology and Criminal Justice: meeting with reviewers
- IT Services External Review Report: presentation of report to staff

UFV Meetings, Functions, and Tours

- Board of Governors' retreat
- Orientation session, new Board Members
- President's Executive, weekly meetings
- Senior Administration Group, monthly meeting
- Provost Search Committee meetings and candidate interviews
- Deans' Council: invited discussion on administrative structure

- Campus and Facilities Planning working group
- Four Convocation ceremonies
- Hosted two Convocation lunches
- Hosted dinner at Friesen House for Honorary Doctorates and winners of Governor General and Lieutenant Governor medals
- Filming of Tantoo Cardinal receiving Honorary Doctorate at Chilliwack Theatre
- Richard Malloway Memorial Longhouse: Dr. Frank Malloway recognition celebration
- Undergraduate Research Excellence Awards Night: speaker
- Sto:lo Nation BladeRunners graduation ceremony: speaker
- Hosted lunch at Friesen House for staff working on award-winning Aluminations magazine and Giving Campaign
- Lunch with Olav Lian and award-winning student Justine Cullen, tour of laboratories of Dr. Olav and colleagues
- Bruce Kirkley, incoming Head, Theatre Department
- Zareen Naqvi, Institutional Planning and Research: update

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