

PSA Quarterly Fall 2021

#### From the President...

Welcome back to the 2021-22 academic year. I know how tirelessly PSA members have been working to get the traditional fall semester to begin smoothly. In addition, our folks are assisting students for the late fall start beginning on September 27. Your dedication and commitment to the CCRI community has not gone unnoticed. Thank you for going above and beyond to meet the enrollment goals and academic/social/emotional needs of our students!

\*Respectfully, Jude\*

# **CBA/Bargaining...**

As mentioned in an e-mail this summer, the Bargaining Committee has begun discussions with the administration on a new contract. Once a tentative agreement is available a meeting will be called for the membership to review and vote. Please be mindful that only dues paying members can vote on the contract. If you need to complete your membership paperwork please contact one of the area representatives for assistance, <a href="https://www.ccri.edu/ccripsa/area-reps.html">https://www.ccri.edu/ccripsa/area-reps.html</a>.

#### Vaccinations...

PSA understands that individuals have varying thoughts on vaccinations and safety protocols. However, please be mindful of the COVID guidelines for employees listed on the CCRI website, <a href="https://www.ccri.edu/marketing/pdfs/2021">https://www.ccri.edu/marketing/pdfs/2021</a> CCRI Fall Employee Manual.pdf. We expect that there will be updates based on various factors, therefore, it is important to stay up to date on the expectations listed by the administration in the CCRI COVID employee manual. In addition, be sure to review notices sent from HR/administration and read CC Daily.





RI Dept. of Health...

Visit <a href="https://covid.ri.gov/">https://covid.ri.gov/</a> for updates and information regarding COVID-19 in RI.





### PSA to BOE...

While we hate to see any PSA member leave our bargaining group, we are extremely proud of former Associate Director of Admissions, Rob Giovino. He has been selected as the new Director of Admissions here at CCRI! Rob has been a dedicated PSA member who prides himself on advocating for students and championing CCRI as a great place for students to attend. It was truly refreshing to see a talented internal PSA member recognized for his years of dedication to the institution. The Executive Board wishes him all best in his new BOE role.

# Things to do in RI...

https://www.visitrhodeisland.com/events/





#### Fall Fitness...

https://www.corporatewellnessmagazine.com/article/seven-tips-fun-easy-fall-fitness

https://www.health.harvard.edu/heart-health/easing-into-exercise

https://www.cdc.gov/physicalactivity/worksite-pa/index.htm



# Here to Help...

Over the last few months, the E-Board has assisted members with a wide range of concerns. If you have questions, need support or just want to vent... **please contact us!** 

PSA Area Reps: <a href="https://www.ccri.edu/ccripsa/area-reps.html">https://www.ccri.edu/ccripsa/area-reps.html</a>

**PSA Officers:** <a href="https://www.ccri.edu/ccripsa/officers.html">https://www.ccri.edu/ccripsa/officers.html</a>

