Saddleback College Celebrates Ability Awareness Day with Comedienne Kathy Buckley

Mission Viejo, CA – The Saddleback College Disabled Students Programs and Services (DSPS) department hosted an Ability Awareness Day, which featured a performance by comedienne Kathy Buckley, billed as “America's First Hearing Impaired Comedienne.” DSPS organized the event to remind people that disabilities do not have to stop a person from living a full life, but adaptation and accommodation are essential components to allow the disabled person to focus on their strengths and build on their abilities.

“Having a comedienne who is hearing impaired shed a humorous light on a very serious and important topic – educating people about the difficulties that face disabled students and community members. Saddleback College strives to provide every student with the necessary tools for success,” said Dr. Tod A. Burnett, President of Saddleback College.

Located in Mission Viejo, Saddleback College provides quality higher education and training to the greater south Orange County community. Having served more than 500,000 students since 1968, Saddleback College offers over 300 degree and certificate programs to help students reach their personal, career, and educational goals. For more information, please visit www.saddleback.edu.

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