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Lazer Tag on Campus

By Lamees Alkhamis

The Society of Women Engineers at UCR is hosting their very first Lazer Tag competition Friday, May 17th at 7pm. It is going to be held at Winston Chung Hall 205/206 and the second floor patio. Everyone is invited to come. This is an exciting opportunity to have fun with your fellow classmates after a long week of schoolwork. Note that food and beverages will be provided along with all Lazer Tag gear. Presale tickets are sold for \$5 until May 15th, and after tickets will be sold for \$7. So hurry up and register yourself or team by [filling this form](#) to get priority in participating.

To purchase your ticket contact any SWE officer or e-mail swe.ucr@gmail.com

For more information about the event check out our Facebook event by clicking the link <https://www.facebook.com/events/515224665181859/>



By Rosalva Chavez

SHPE's annual bowling tournament is always loads of fun. It brings all the engineering organizations together to do something simple as a college community. Even though it is a competition everyone is super friendly and great sports. The food is good enough for poor college students and Brunswick has always allowed us to take over their alley just so we can have this event. One thing that was particularly unique about this year's tournament is the fact that SHPE made it a geek/nerd themed event. The catch was that if you didn't dress up according to the theme your team lost ten points. Just know that if you ever tell an engineer to dress nerdy, chances are the glasses are a real need and their suspenders and bow ties are always handy. Maybe BMES winning streak was finally broken and a new team gets to put name on that awesome trophy. Winners are said to be announced during the end-of-the-year Banquet. Perhaps one of these years SWE will get its name on that trophy; in the meantime we'll just keep having fun.



Scholarship Winner: Paige Romero

By Rachael Lomax

The Society of Women Engineers is a very large organization that ranges from international to collegiate sections. UC Riverside is under the Orange County Section which includes CSU Fullerton, UC Irvine, and CSU Long Beach.



Every year The Society of Women Engineers of Orange County provides the collegiate sections with scholarships. The scholarships are reserved for two undergraduate students and two graduate students.

This year, our current vice president, Paige Romero won the scholarship for this year. Paige is a very hard working student is also the current president of the Materials Research Society (MRS) and the vice president of the Leadership Council, she will also hold the position of vice president in SWE next year as well. Paige is a junior in MSE and is currently is a research assis-

tant for Dr.Ozkan, studying chemical vapor deposition. She also works with UCR Media technologies as a support operator.

Paige is an excellent role model for all students of BCOE and encourages us all to be active in the BCOE community and academia.

WNBA Game on Campus

By Danh Alkurdi

UCR is proud to host the WNBA pre-season game between Los Angeles Sparks and Tulsa Shocks, both of which have won the championship two and three times, respectively. This includes a Shock win over the Sparks in what is known as the best WNBA finals ever played.

It is a great opportunity to watch these teams excel in our very own Student Recreation Center Arena. Tickets are being sold by SWE for as cheap as \$10 and it's easy to get just by finding a SWE officer and asking them for one!

Candace Parker, 2008 MVP and two-time US Olympic Medalist, leads the Sparks. She has an average of 17.4 points, 9.7 rebounds and 2.3 blocked shots a year ago. The team also has the talented Kristi Toliver, with 17.5 points and 4.9 assists per game in last year.

The shock's talent includes Glory Johnson, who averages 11.5 points, 6.8 rebounds and 2.2 steals per game last year, 2011 Champion Candace Wiggins and 2005 WNBA champion Nicole Powell, both of whom were traded into the team.

The game promises to be exciting and full of close calls, so join us in rooting for your favorite team!

Upcoming Events

General Meeting

WCH 205/6

May 16th, 7:00pm

Laser Tag

WCH 205/6 & Patio

May 17th, 7:00pm

[FACEBOOK PAGE](#)

WNBA Game

UCR Rec Center

May 19th, 12:00pm

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Water Day Fun

Al Knoll

June 1st

