

FEBRUARY 2018

2/5/18 Monday

Optometry Private Practice Business Club (OPPB) will be hosting guest speaker, Dr. Fartash. **5:30pm in HEC Classroom A.**

2/9/18 & 2/10/18 Friday and Saturday COA House of Delegates, San Diego, CA

2/11/18 Sunday COA OptoWEST, San Diego, CA

2/15/18 Thursday

3rd Annual WUCO Family Feud Night – Sign up your *three-five person team* with the link below by Friday, February 9th. <u>Link to participate</u>. Don't want to be on a team? We are also offering the opportunity to be a member of the audience. <u>Link to be a spectator</u>. **5:30pm in HPC AMP II**.

2/19/18 Monday

University Closed in observance of President's Day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

It is AOA-PAC Drive Week! Come by the HEC alcoves near Optometry Administration suite Tuesday, February 27, 2018 for coffee with your donation and Wednesday, February 28. 2018 for milk tea with a donation!! Your donation includes the drink of the day, a raffle ticket for goodies from AOSA, and PAC freebies! Click here for all the details.

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Julie Chao (OD 2018) and Bryan Kimura (OD 2018) represented WUCO at the Kaiser Permanente Optometry Symposium on Saturday February 10th.

Dr. Bennett McAllister travelled to St. Louis February 2-4 for the American Optometric Association's Mid-Year meeting. His committee, Evidence Based Optometry, is currently reviewing the literature to update the Clinical Practice Guidelines in both Glaucoma and Diabetes.

sVOSH will be selling Valentine's Day candy grams to help spread some love and appreciation this season! Surprise your friends, lovers, or secret crush with a bag of various chocolates and personalized note. 1 for \$3 or 2 for \$5. Proceeds will go toward travel expenses to Fiji for a mission trip with sVOSH. Please Venmo @ChristineThiem or pay cash to Christine Thiem in order to complete order request. Pre-order here until 2/11 at noon. https://goo.gl/62UVv3"

Continuing Education Online Courses – for a list of 1 and 2 hour courses please <u>click here</u>.

For a complete listing of news and events, please visit our <u>College of Optometry News & Outreach webpage.</u>