Classified Senate Report – 3/6/25 College Council Meeting

On February 27 we hosted Episode 4 of our *Classified Know More* Podcast with guest Eresa Puch, Vice President of Finance and Operations. We received great feedback about this podcast and the *Classified Know More* podcast series as a whole. Classified employees appreciate getting to know each of our guests on a more personal level, as we are trying to focus on the person before the position (to quote Dana Emerson). We are discussing how we might expand the podcast to informational interviews with individuals or a panel of individuals with the goal of increasing cross-departmental knowledge and awareness, which is one of our Caring Campus goals.

As for events, we will host afternoon Tea Time events for Classified Professionals next week on Tuesday, March 11 at IVC from 1 - 2 pm and on Thursday, March 13 at KTD from 1:30 - 3 pm. We are looking forward to gathering as a community to support one another as many of us are still grieving the loss of Shook Chung.

We are excited about the coming Professional Learning Center. In our meeting we brainstormed ideas about how it would serve classified professionals. Good ideas were brought forward in our discussion about some possibilities.

Lastly, our <u>Spring See's Candies Fundraiser</u> is ongoing, now through April 4th. Candies are available to ship March 11th.