



# Foundation Update

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Southside Virginia Community College Foundation Newsletter

## SVCC Foundation Announces New Board President

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The SVCC Foundation Board of Directors is made up of volunteers from the community who are committed to education. They donate their time, resources and efforts to assure that higher education is a reality for residents of Southside Virginia.

**Mickey Sims**, General Manager of BIT

Communications, thanks Jerry Reynolds for his past service as President of the SVCC Foundation. Sims took over as President in September. Reynolds continues his involvement on the Board. Both gentlemen provide valuable leadership.

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## AGRIBUSINESS IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS!

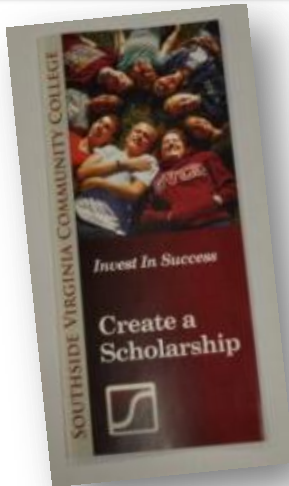
Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup> was a perfect day for "A Taste of Brunswick"! Thousands enjoyed the opportunity to taste 27 varieties of homemade Brunswick stew, browse a wide variety of vendors, pet baby chicks and Zebu cows, and enjoy terrific music.

Joining in the festivities was Dr. Dixie Dalton. Dr. Dalton was promoting SVCC's agribusiness program and hosted a tent jammed with vendors related to the agribusiness industry. From the food we eat to the clothes we wear, the agribusiness industry affects us all. Agribusiness is the number one industry in the United States and accounts for 20% of economic activity in the United States. SVCC offers a Career Studies Certificate in Agribusiness.....for more info contact [Dixie.dalton@southside.edu](mailto:Dixie.dalton@southside.edu).

Picture on right: Dr. Dixie Dalton promotes SVCC's agribusiness program at the 2011 A Taste of Brunswick.



## Investing in Student Success



**Your SVCC Foundation has recently created a brochure that makes it easy to invest in student success! Have you ever considered establishing a scholarship at SVCC? It is easy and the rewards are great! For more information contact Mary Jane Elkins at 434-949-1051 or email [mary.elkins@southside.edu](mailto:mary.elkins@southside.edu).**

## Group Study Exchange Visits SVCC

The South Hill Rotary Club recently hosted the South Korean Group Study Exchange. They represented District 3620 located just outside the city of Seoul. Spearheading the effort was South Hill Rotarian Tommy Zincone. As part of the activities, the group visited SVCC's Christanna Campus. Pictured (left to right) are Sung Hoon Oh, Jin Young Kim, Jin-In Kim, Dong Woo Chae, Dr. John Cavan, Young Ho Lee and Tommy Zincone.



## Support Panther Women's Basketball



The SVCC's Women's basketball team needs support for their upcoming season. Show your Panther spirit and help the team; adopt a shoe so Coach Z-W will know that she can count on you!

Adopt a shoe for \$25. If you have any questions, please contact Coach Susan Zachensky-Walthall at 434-949-1022 or email her at [susan.walthall@southside.edu](mailto:susan.walthall@southside.edu).

**Make checks payable to:**

**SVCC Foundation  
Attn: Panther Women's Basketball**

**COMING SOON...**

*Foundation Flower Lottery*

**More details later ☺**

