

FarmWalk 2011



Mamma Katz, heifer and Drcows



Tom Webb, Council Dennis Zine, Professor Ron Wechsler



Professor Paddy Warner, Council Zine



Drcows, Council Zine, Professor Warner



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Pierce President Burke-Kelly, Council Zine



**Dr. Williams, Dr. Burke-Kelly, Council Zine
Dr.Shapiro, Stacy Carpio**



Alice and Pierce



Simply Marie



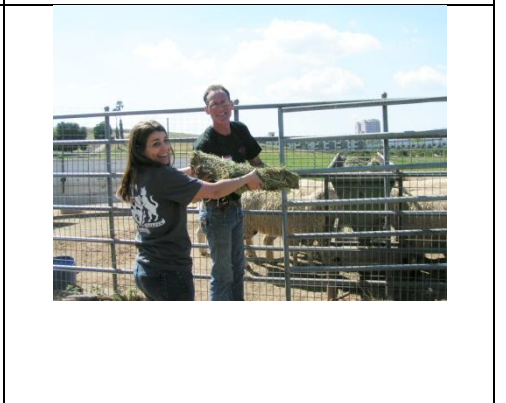
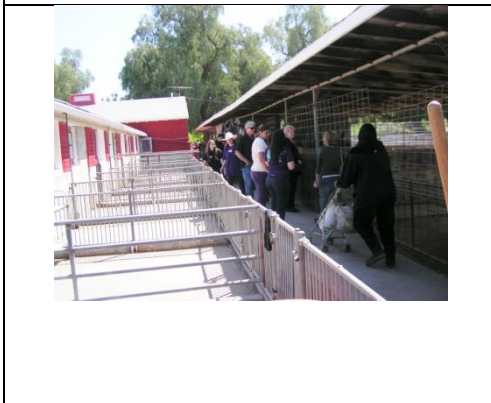
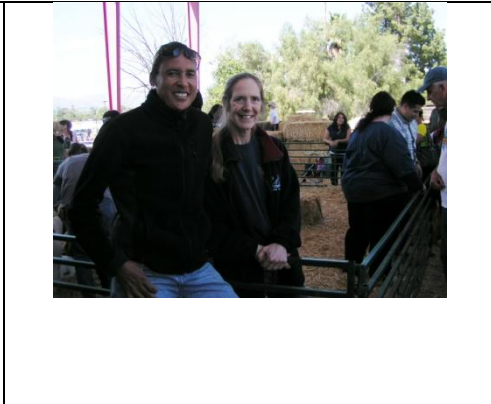
Simply Marie and Dr. Shapiro



Our poultry girls



Russ, Julie, Mary Ruth







Pierce College's FarmWalk serves as an open house of its Agriculture Department programs and its unique 200 acre teaching farm laboratory. Pierce College opened its doors in 1947 as a school of agriculture. Pierce still maintains pasture land to support small herds of cattle, sheep, and goats, poultry and horses used in training future agriculture and veterinary leaders. The Pierce College Agriculture Department would like to thank the following community and industry leaders for making our 19th annual FarmWalk such a great success:

The Dairy Council of California, Los Angeles City Fire Department, Los Angeles County Fire Department, Los Angeles County Fire Department Forestry Division, Northridge Kiwanis Club, Los Angeles City Councilmember Dennis P. Zine, Los Angeles Department of Animal Regulations, Robert McBroom and the Pierce College Farm Center, the Agriculture Education Center, Financial Aid and High School Outreach program, our Pre-vet and RVT clubs and our vet tech staff for our Petting Zoo, California Women for Agriculture, the Bullwhip Performers, the staff and helpers for running our Hay Ride, Vector Control Mosquito Abatement, Bonsai Plants display, Horse Shoeing (forging) by Russ Schrottenboer, Wool Weaving, Sheep Shearing, the Emergency med Techs (EMT's), the Horse Shows, and Dennis Washburn and Davia Solomon of the Foundation for Pierce College who sponsored our event this year. Simply Marie and her Canyon Country Cowboys Band for 9 years of donating her services to our department.

We would also like to thank the Pierce College custodial staff, electricians, Theater Arts Department, Sheriff's department and the several hundred agriculture students who prepared, organized and ran the event. The department is especially grateful to student team leaders Stacy Carpio, Julia Crisler and Helene Zinn who coordinated our working teams to prepare our laboratory for our animals and for our visitors. Professor emeritus Ron Wechsler and Pierce student Tom Web spent several days cleaning up and preparing our equine unit, Betina Loudermilk donated materials and labor to paint our announcer's booth, to Tom Banahan – our master “weed whacker” at the equine unit, our farm staff of Russ, Tom, and Josh helped move animals, fencing and supplies and to our Ag faculty - Professors Yates, White, Land, Warner, Loudermilk, Connolly and Wechsler. A special thanks to Vicki Michaelson, FarmWalk coordinator and STACY CARPIO and her team of 150 Pierce Agriculture student volunteers who prepared and ran our event.

THANK YOU!!!!