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Subject: My apologies

As we enter the most festive season of the year, multiple celebrations of students' achievements and a wonderful reminder of why we are at Foothill and why Foothill exists, I will miss all the celebrations this coming week, and my apologies to all those who have invited me to say a few congratulatory words, as I tested positive for Covid on Friday. Fortunately, I was not on campus any time after I was exposed (by two-year old granddaughter), but such is life. Fortunately, I am fully vaccinated and double boosted, and feeling relatively fine but must self-isolate through Friday. However, I urge each of you to join in the many ceremonies this week: **Transfer Achievement Celebration on Wed. @6:30; TTW End of Year Celebration on Thursday @ 10 am in Veteran's Plaza; EOPS End of Year Recognition on Thursday @ 4pm; Umoja and Harambee Year-End Celebration on Thurs. @ 6 pm, Smithwick Theater Courtyard; and 2022 Foothill Reconocimiento Award Ceremony on Friday @ 6 pm, Smithwick Theater Courtyard.**

And, let's not forget yourselves, the faculty, staff, administrators and our End of the Year Celebration to honor our retirees and special longevity recognitions for those with us 7, 10, 15, 20, 25 years, and special recognition of those who gave exceptional service to the college this year. This event is in the Campus Center Plaza on Wed., 12-1, and RSVP on your calendar invite if you want to have lunch. And we will begin a new tradition, I hope, of the President's Office presenting a bench to the Class of 2022, in their honor, and the bench, built by our Horticulture students, will become part of the Foothill grounds, with a plaque commemorating the class. It will be a fun time because Laurie Scolari will be taking over the planning and hosting and she knows how to have a party!

Also, on Wed., join the BSU, AAN, and Umoja Community in Cesar Chavez Plaza to acknowledge and celebrate Juneteenth! It will be very informal, with drumming and some student speakers.

I am sorry to miss you all!

Best regards,

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