‘Growth mode’

CABRILLO COLLEGE ADDS NINE FACULTY POSITIONS, DOZENS OF CLASSES

By Bonnie Horgan

APTOS — Cabrillo College is adding nine full-time faculty positions, said John Hendrickson, Cabrillo’s interim president.

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Cabrillo students expressed excitement about the college’s growth and how it could affect their studies.

“I think it’ll improve Cabrillo,” said Shane Mil- lihan, a 58-year-old working toward an associate’s degree in accounting. Millihan, originally from Ohio, said he plans to take advantage of Cabrillo’s additional curriculum.

“I’m going to be taking a math class this summer, so I’m pretty stoked,” Millihan said.

With more classes available this summer and fall, waiting lists will hopefully be a thing of the past, Hendrickson said.

“This pattern of overcrowding can affect students’ ability to graduate in two years, said Alex Banadas, who has been a registered student at Cabrillo for four years.

“People register to get into classes they can’t get into while they wait for the classes they want to open up,” said Banadas, a 55-year-old working toward an associate’s degree in medical assisting.

“You’re here longer, you get first pick.”

By offering more classes, students will hopefully be able to complete their Cabrillo education in two years, Hendrickson said. In his proposed budget, Brown wants to put a hold cap on the number of courses the state will subsidize, leading to students potentially paying the full cost of any extra credits.

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Cabrillo students spend time in the college’s library Thursday.