

APRIL IS NATIONAL WELDING MONTH WCCCD Students at the Eastern Campus



Chancellor's Workforce Leadership Roundtable



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As an outgrowth of the Chancellor's Leadership Roundtable, WCCCD launched the CDL Class A – Truck Driving Training Program at the Eastern Campus. The fast track workforce program is a 4-6 week program that leads to high-wage, high-demand jobs. With two sessions, one in the daytime and one in the evening, the program is the 'first of its kind' to offer an evening/weekend cohort. This high-demand program has more than 100 people on the wait list.



Truck Driving Training Program at the Eastern Campus

WCCCD's Commercial Truck Driving Training Program received two virtual simulators. The simulators will show students the correct way to operate a semi-truck prior to operating in a real life situation.



Division of Educational Affairs

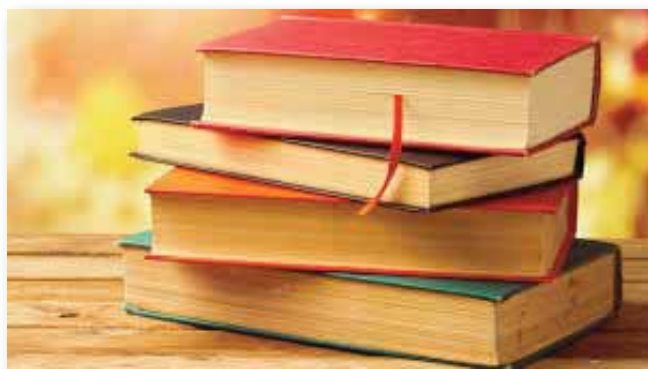


Positive Attendance

Faculty provide the principal basis of assuring compliance of attendance reporting as an important function of their responsibilities. Thanks, to all campuses and faculty for the 100% reporting of all courses for the Spring 2017 semester!

Educational Affairs

We are on target with the Faculty Evaluation Process deadline of April 15, 2017. Campus presidents and administrative teams are communicating with the Division of Educational Affairs to ensure completion.



The Learning Resource Centers

The LRC's are conducting workshops that focus in on "Writing Research Papers Using Modern Language Association and American Psychological Association Styles." Students will be shown how to use library resources to provide help with completing research related assignments.

Distance Learning

Michigan Colleges Online allows students bound by geography, physical handicap, time constraints or technology deprivation to register for classes at other colleges across the state. Every semester WCCCD uploads the next semester's schedule, course enrollments of the current semester, and resolves any student workflows such as financial aid requests, course check availability, registration, and academic standing, which are confirming student or course information.



Design Center

Annie Duerr, Design Center Fellow, presented at the Chancellor's District Engagement Workshop about strengthening community connections to community resources.



At the end of 2016, we discussed the opportunity to create a more comprehensive list of community support resources applicable to students with diverse needs, who live throughout Wayne County and attend one of WCCCD's campuses, this is one of Ms. Duerr's projects she will accomplish during her fellowship year. Below are some of the steps she will take for a new resource guide.

- Identify current WCCCD efforts to connect students to community resources
- Break the guide into 5 sections, one for each campus, so students can quickly find resources in their area
- Remove organizations that have closed, and correct any inaccurate information
- Increase the number of organizations listed in the guide, especially close to campuses
- Create a template and schedule to review the guide each year and update as needed
- Add more specific information about accessing the services, for example some food pantries require proof of zip code, identification, or even income verification



Division of Educational Affairs

The Role of Accreditation in Navigating the Future

Staff from the District attended the Higher Learning Commission Conference. Members were informed on the dynamics of state funding, emphasis on metrics and accountability for student success, shifting national administrative priorities and increased focus on a variety of social issues. It also provided an opportunity to meet with colleagues from other institutions and share best practices.



Staff pictured with Dr. Maria Vaz (Vice President and Provost at Lawrence Technological University), and Dr. Cecil Lucy (President, Chicago State University).



WCCCD staff pictured with Dr. Annette Parker (President, Mountain Valley Community College), and Dr. Cecil Lucy.



Celebrating National Poetry Month with S.W.A.G.!

WCCCD students from all majors, under the tutelage of English Instructor, Jo Ann Watson, presented the first ever WCCCD Spoken Word Artist Group (S.W.A.G.) event. In celebration of National Poetry Month, our students joined other invited artists for improvisational expressions and performances by program youth.



International Programs and Global Partnerships



The International Programs and Global Partnerships office hosted a mock interview session with students focusing on assisting them prepare for “behavioral interviewing.” Each student returned from the mock interviews with increased confidence in discussing their workplace skills and goals.





Division of Student Services

Student Services Goes Live!

New installation of cameras have been implemented across the District. Now, the Division of Student Services can see firsthand activities on the five campuses and can assist and support with resources for a quality student experience



TRIO students were engaged in a Brown Bag Workshop on preparing for final exams.



Participants attended a meeting of the Detroit Economic Club. Students were engaged on the topic of “The State of Relations Between Cuba and the U.S. and Future Opportunities” presented by José Ramón Cabañas Rodríguez, Ambassador of the Republic of Cuba to the U.S.

District Police Authority



Professional Development Planning



District Police Authority command staff and Aracely Hernandez met to plan professional development opportunities for the department.

Traffic Enforcement Training



Members of the Michigan Commission of Law Enforcement Standards District Police Authority recently participated in traffic enforcement training.





Division of Administration and Finance

2017 Fiscal Year-End Closing Meeting



The 2017 year-end close is approaching rapidly. In closing the fiscal year and report accurate valuation of District's assets, invoices must be charged in the fiscal year in which goods are received, services are performed, when traveling. Therefore, invoices that will not take place until after June 30 will be charged to next year's budget. Invoices on or before June 30 should be submitted for payment upon receipt and no later than July 1, 2017.

Division of Administration and Finance Capital Asset Management

* **Deferred Maintenance**



Downtown Campus
Handicap Door Repairs



Downtown Campus
Courtyard Improvements



The Division of Information Technology held the first in a series of Banner sessions focusing on Banner 9 (XE). This session focused on the student services module and included topics such as:

- A review of the current process flow utilizing Banner 8 self service module so students can be admitted at WCCCD via Webgate
- Pit stops along the current admissions processes with an emphasis on re-engineering those which might be confusing or non-streamlined
- Roundtable discussion regarding possible improvements during Banner 9 implementation

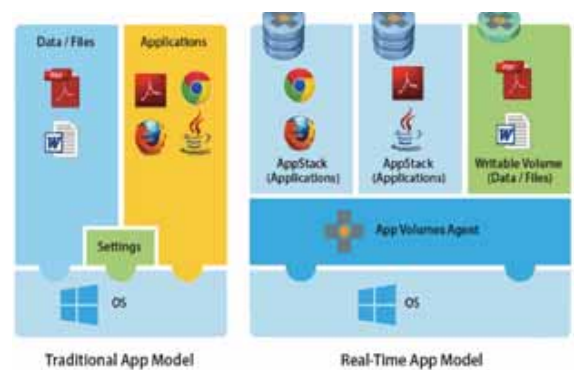




Virtual Desktop Infrastructure (VDI) Enhanced Features

The VDI infrastructure will soon be expanding to support additional student and staff machines with enhanced features. These enhancements will provide an improved user experience, while expanding the tools available to the Division of Information Technology to manage the environment. Some of the features being added include, but are not limited to:

- Upgrading CAB ESXi hosts, vCenter and View
- Linking of vCenters across the District
- Pod architecture for connection servers
- Application Volume



Banner XE “Extensible Ecosystem” Upgrade Project Update



In a continued effort to prepare for Banner 9 implementation, the Banner XE team met this week to discuss several topics including:

- Business process mapping
- Communication schedule
- Banner 9 test environment

VoIP Refresher Telephone Training Continues!

The VoIP Phone Support team visited the Eastern and Western campuses to provide refresher training.





Tech Tips!

Here are some tips that you can take to keep your smartphone and data safe:

1. Activate a screen lock.
2. Use caution when web browsing.
3. Beware of phishing.
4. Activate automatic backup.
5. Install a trustworthy antivirus.
6. Use a secure connection.
7. Have a Factory Data Reset.

Source:

<https://heimdalsecurity.com/blog/cyber-security-tips/>



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Desktop – 63.34%
 Mobile – 33.60%
 Tablets – 3.06%

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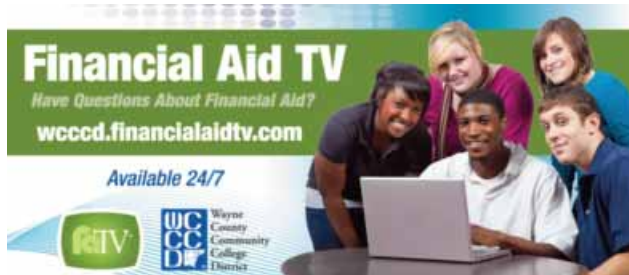
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 Faculty and Staff Resources
 School of Continuing Education
 Learning Resource Centers
 Northwest Campus
 Student Services
 Financial Aid

Top Five Countries

United States
 Canada
 Nigeria
 India
 Philippines

Visits from 114 countries!

Did you know?



The District's Financial Aid TV is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week? Parents, students and alumni can find answers to questions about financial aid by accessing short videos. To learn more, you may conveniently access information on the college's website.

Click on the Financial Aid TV ad on the website or use this URL:
<https://wcccd.financialaidtv.com/>.

Division of Human Resources



Compensation Process Review Meeting

The Divisions of Human Resources and Administration and Finance met to review the Compensation Process controls and audit procedures. The discussion focused on:



- *Exception reports*
- *Process flows*
- *Monthly and year-end deadlines*
- *Segregation of Duties*
- *HR/Payroll Interface Reconciliation*
- *HR/Finance compliance Matrix*

Employee Performance Appraisal (EPA) Process:

EPA Provides the Following:

- Translate District's mission into specific achievable goals
- Gain new information and ideas from staff
- Reinforces performance
- Helps improve job performance
- Manager's expectations
- Creates goals and pathways to achieve set goals
- Improves communication

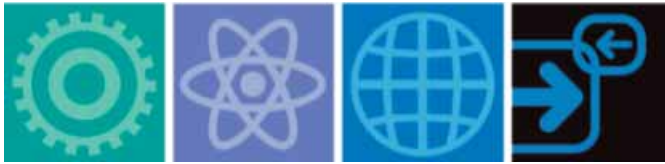
Employee Appraisals Deadline Dates

Exempt - May 1, 2017

P&AA - May 31, 2017

UAW - June 30, 2017

Faculty - As scheduled



The School of Continuing Education and Workforce Development

Cybersecurity Leading the Way for Students



Members of the School of Continuing Education and Workforce Development, and the Divisions of Educational Affairs, and Students Services met with representatives from the Mason School District and Bay City School District to discuss a cybersecurity education collaboration.



The School of Continuing Education and Workforce Development began its audit for the 2016-2017 Taxonomy/Activities Classification Structure.





Health Science Center



Dental Assisting students' Field Trip to the Expertec Dental Lab.

Dental Hygiene Simulation

Dental Hygiene students practiced doing blood pressure readings to prepare for the Objective Structured Clinical Examination exam.



Dental Hygiene Student Externship

Dental Hygiene student Benjamin Anderson will be joining the staff of Brightside Dental for his externship.



Mentoring Workshop

The Northwest Campus sponsored a Nursing Program Mentoring Workshop which focused on the role of the mentor in college and at a professional level.



Pediatric Nursing

The Pediatric Nursing students participated in a Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Infection scenario.



Pediatric Care Unit Workshop

The Northwest Campus hosted a Pediatric Care Unit Workshop. Participants were given an overview of the concepts and detailed instruction on how to use the new simulation manikins and related equipment.

Computer Information System Students on the Move...

The CIS 240 - Networking Essentials class toured the Ford Rouge Factory. Students observed the different cabling and wiring concepts used in live production of the F150 that used robotics. They also learned about the history of Ford Motor Company.



Alumna and WCCCD Police Sergeant Lisa Collins, was the first to respond via Alumni Shorttake, to locate alumni. Sergeant Collins graduated with an Associate of Arts Degree and works at the Downriver Campus. She plans to continue her academic career pursuing a criminal justice degree from university partner Ferris State University.



Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education

The Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education hosted several organizations this week:

- * MIPSE hosted the Wayne County Sheriff's four-week entry training class. The students will be taught such topics as self-defense, CPR, and fire safety.

- * WCCCD's District Police Authority attended a CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) and AED (automated external defibrillator) certification course.

- * WCCCD instructors were given a presentation on the burn simulators and smoke generation machine during annual burn instructor training.

- * Representatives from the U. S. Ecology attended a hands-on confined space training workshop.



U.S. Border Patrol Canine Training



Emergency Vehicle Operations Training



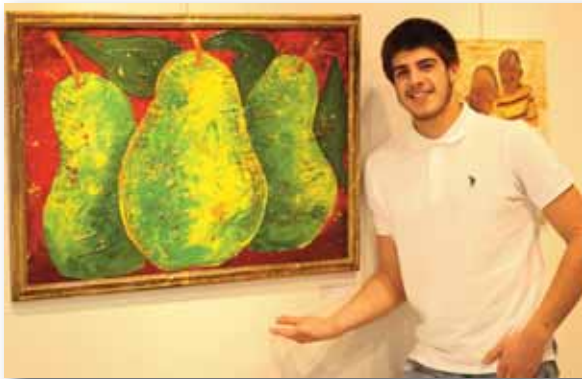
MIPSE presented Federal Emergency Management Agency's Incident Command Systems Leadership Training.



Wayne County Sheriff's Special Response Team Hazardous Environment Primer Training

Brown and Juanita C. Ford Art Gallery

The School of Continuing Education and Workforce Development hosted the “Feast on Art” opening reception at the Downriver Campus. This collective work of art is from students at Allen Park High School, Community School, Bennie, Lindemann and Arno elementary schools.





Multi-Campus District

Downriver Campus

Bridge to Asia

The Downriver Campus hosted Bridge to Asia through a series of lectures, dance and musical performance.





Multi-Campus District

Northwest Campus

Public Forum

The Northwest Campus hosted a town hall meeting for State Representative Sherry Gay-Dagnogo. The meeting provided an update to community members on school closures and partnerships.



Thank You!!!

Administrative staff at the Northwest Campus showed their appreciation to the facilities staff for their hard work and contributions to the up keep of the campus





Multi-Campus District

Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center



Partnership Opportunities

Staff met with Kristin Ervin, co-founder of the Michigan Collaborative for Mindfulness in Education (MC4ME), to discuss opportunities to partner and host mindfulness training for educators.

All About the Arts

All about the Arts presented MOTIF, four young vocalists who performed an acoustic set of popular hits from the 70's, 80's, 90's. Students from Grosse Pointe South High School were in attendance.



University Partnership Outreach

Drs. Sandra Robinson, Pat McNally, Harvey Dorrah and Randall Miller met to review and discuss the draft articulation agreement for Walsh College in CIS with a cybersecurity concentration.

Center for Learning Technology

The Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center – Center for Learning Technology held a Blackboard Training on advanced tools for instructors. The training offered participants advanced methods to use Blackboard features to enhance their courses and to motivate students. Sandra Uduma was the facilitator.





Multi-Campus District

Western Campus

Boys and Girls Club of Southeastern Michigan

The Western Campus hosted the annual leadership and recognition workshop of the Donahey Club of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Southeastern Michigan. Mike Dotson received the 2017 Outstanding Community Service Award.



Community Outreach

Mr. Dotson attended the SOUP project program at Belleville High School. This program showcases business and community development project ideas developed to help improve the Belleville area.



Belleville Area Chamber of Commerce

The Western Campus partnered with the Belleville Area Chamber of Commerce to host the Tri-Community Update. Supervisors of Van Buren and Sumpter Townships along with the mayor of the City of Belleville provided updates on their communities and city governments to residents.



This week's Intercultural Conversations at the District Office focused on circumstances surrounding the influx of Irish immigration to the United States.



The Downriver Campus hosted an Intercultural Conversations this week as well. The session focused on the celebration of American Arab Heritage Month.

on the move



Susan Wiley and Kimberly Fisher-Alexander attended the Michigan State Association of Parliamentarians' 2017 Annual Meeting.



Kai Mason and Danielle Tarnacki met with William Whitman of Samaritas to discuss how the Smart Program can benefit their service population.



Kimett Hackworth attended a reception hosted by the Detroit Alumni and Friends of the Women's Campaign School at Yale University and the Black Caucus Foundation of Michigan.



Pai Her attended the APhA Conference in San Francisco, California.

Dr. John Ray represented the District at the kick-off meeting for implementation of the America's Promise Job Driven Grant, recently awarded by the U.S. Department of Labor.

Denise Shannon and Dr. Sandra Robinson attended the President's Program at the 2017 HLC Conference in Chicago, Illinois.

Breast Cancer Awareness Continues...

This week the Breast Cancer Awareness Team met to debrief on the 2016 activities and start the planning for 2017.



Upcoming Events!

- Informational Tables at all campus locations - Week of August 21, 2017
- Volleyball Tournament- Eastern Campus - Date: TBD
- Creative Costume Design Workshop for Breast Cancer Walk - October 4, 2017
- Pink Thursday's at campus locations - October 5, 12, 19, and 26
- Lecture with Dr. Wesen - Downtown Campus - October 5, 2017
- Fitness Challenge and Health Screening - Northwest Campus - October 19, 2017
- American Cancer Society's Making Strides Detroit Walk- Hart Plaza - October 21, 2017




The 15th Annual Passport to Africa was a success!
We have received so many thank you letters!

Thank you WCCCD!
Clippert Academy had a wonderful time at
this year's Passport to Africa program.
Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

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Thanks
(Dr. Barromdine)
Merci Beaucoup
Thank you for
making it possible
to go to
Wayne County
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The Suburbs
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Passport to Africa
Thank You So much
Ebrahim Alsaidi.
- Thank you
Haroon Mozeb
- Thank you
Kaseem Almuhammad Kindly.
- Thank you
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Seed ahead
Thank you very much
Lots of
Thanks
(Dr. Barromdine)
Merci Beaucoup
AFROCA

Thank You

WCCCD!

Dear Mr. Butty, I am writing to say thank
you for making it possible to go to
the Passport to Africa day at
Wayne County Community College
District. We rode a free bus and
learned a lot. I liked the very
sweet stuff. The Suburbs was
good too.
Sincerely, Talijah Dell

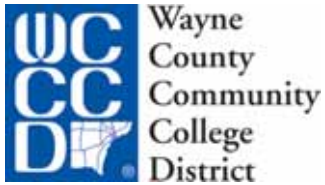


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Ms. Raiford
White Preschool 238
L. Small

Dr. Butty,
Thank you for the
Passport to Africa!
This year was the best
one yet. Mr Anderson
really had it organized
well. We had a great
time. See you next year.
In Gratitude,
Jauet Seavers

Chancellor's Weekend Memo



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Mission

WCCCD's mission is to empower individuals, businesses and communities to achieve their goals through excellent and accessible services, culturally diverse experiences and globally competitive higher education and career advancement programs.

Vision Statement

Wayne County Community College District will be recognized as an institution that has achieved national and international recognition for enduring excellence as a comprehensive multi-campus community college district. WCCCD will focus on continuous self-evaluation and improvement; preparation of a highly skilled workforce in support of the Wayne County economy; student academic and career success, and leadership in strengthening the open door philosophy of educational opportunity.

SEVEN LOCATIONS • ONE COLLEGE DISTRICT



DOWNRIVER CAMPUS



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