Weekly Update: July 8-13, 2019

Greetings!



"Success seems to be connected with ACTION! Successful people keep moving.
They make mistakes, but they DON'T QUIT."

-Conrad Hilton

Weekly Updates:

- On Monday, July 8, the **second year Automotive and Diesel students** spent the day touring the Indian Motorcycle Plant and Okoboji Classics Car Museum followed by some go cart competition. It is a great group of students getting close to the end of their NCC chapter of life and starting their careers! (See photos in attachment.)
- On Wednesday, July 10, Student Activities enjoyed spending time at the new **Siouxnami Water Park** in Sioux Center. (See photos in attachment.)
- On Wednesday, July 10, NCC hosted an Art and Graphic Design Camp. Allie Mouw, Dan Cline, and Megan Dieken headed this event which consisted of almost 50 children from kindergarten to fourth grade. The participants arrived around 8am and were divided into 4 groups. We had a volunteer for each group lead them through 5 different sessions: Rain Sticks, Popsicle Crafts, Oobleck, Playdoh, and Moon Sand. A snack was provided in the middle, and the day concluded with marshmallow tower competition and then outside fun with chalk and bubbles. The kids loved the hands-on activities and were able to take home their crafts as well as samples of the Oobleck, Playdoh, and Moon Sand. They were also sent home with the recipes and instructions for each of the activities. This camp's purpose was not only to be fun for the children but was also designed to give parents some creative and affordable activities for their children. The materials used for the day were flour, baby oil, vegetable oil, salt, corn starch, water, popsicle sticks, markers/crayons, paper towel rolls, duct tape, paper, rice, marshmallows, and toothpicks. It was all hands on deck with this event and would not have been a success without the help of all of our volunteers: Beth Frankenstein, Amy Otto, Jena Schouten, Paula Meyer, Stephanie Peterson, Rachel Hesebeck, Norma Azpeitia, Godfrey Twinamatsiko, Ben Chestnut, Mariah Oliver, and Tracy Gorter. (See photos in attachment.)

- The Northwest Iowa Manufacturing Sector met on Wednesday, July 10, in C349. Board member/Development Director Steve Simons and John Hartog attended. Presenters included Kristi Heisinger and Intermediaries Allie Mouw and Dan Cline.
- A lot of progress is being made in the destruction and construction of **Building D**, be sure to check out the photos in the attachment. Perhaps the Automotive/Light Duty Diesel will be finished by October 1!
- In a continued effort to meet the needs of English Language Learners (ELL) in the community, the Adult Education and Literacy (AEL) Department held an informational session at the NCC Career Center in Orange City on Tuesday, July 9. Norma Azpeitia, the Bilingual Career Pathways Navigator and Academic Specialist, recruited for the event at the Orange City Latino Festival (June 26) and had several individuals come to the session. Due to the great response and interest, the AEL department will begin offering English as a Second Language (ESL) classes at the NCC Career Center beginning Thursday, July 18.

Continuing Education Information

- Consider registering for this class on July 25:
 - o Many of us have admired lovely, formal gardens but have been scared off from gardening ourselves because we feel we don't have that level of expertise. In this class you will be shown how to enjoy a beautiful garden, without a lot of structure or expense, working with nature, and making it an expression of the gardener. Participants should wear outdoor clothes and shoes suitable for the weather. This class will be on Thursday, July 25, from 6-8 p.m. at the Eeten Farm, 2773 Jefferson Avenue, Boyden. Tuition: \$19. Darla Eeten will be the instructor. Darla grew up with gardening, enjoying the fresh produce. Her grandparents on both sides of the family were wonderful gardeners. More than a hobby, her own garden fed her five children while they were growing up. During the last eight years, she and her husband have extended their love of gardening into a produce farm, "GoodEetens", selling their fresh produce at local Farmers Markets. Her husband is the "brains" in the operation, inspiring Darla to try new ideas, while she jokes that she is the "brawn." Gardening has always been her favorite pastime.

To register, call Megan at ext 133 or register online at https://nwicc.edu/events/untamed-gardening/.

Upcoming Events:

Monday, July 15
 Precision Ag Camp at NCC

No day classes, evening classes held

Executive Council meeting

Board of Trustees meeting (teleconference)

o Friday July 19 Rad Tech Pinning / Alumnus & Graduate Luncheon / Summer

Commencement

Happy Birthday!

Tuesday, July 16
 Thursday, July 18
 Kathi Knobloch
 Rhonda Pennings

Students, instructors, and staff are scurrying to finish the term as next Friday is another big, big day—NCC Summer Commencement! See you there (if not during the week)!

Stay cool, and enjoy your weekend! Your success is our story!

In your service,

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Automotive & Diesel Student Outing











Siouxnami Water Park Outing





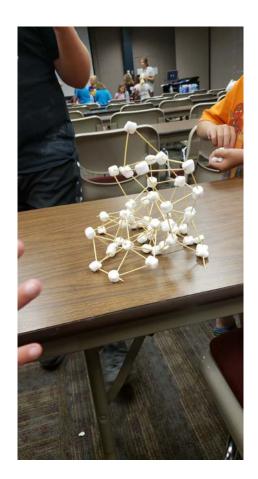




Art & Graphic Design Camp









Art and Graphic Design Camp Recipes and Instructions

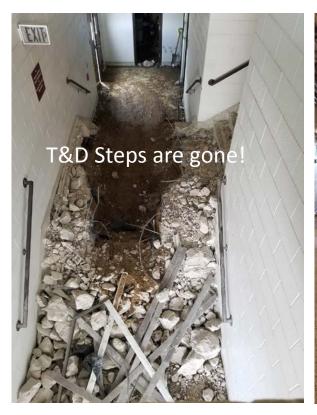


- Oobleck Mix 2 cups cornstarch into a bowl and add a cup of water. (If you want to add food coloring, add a few drops to the water prior to mixing with the cornstarch.)
- Moon Sand Mix 8 cups of all purpose flour with 1 cup of baby oil (other oils may work as well). May take a bit to mix it thoroughly.
- 3. Playdoh 4 cups all purpose flour, 1.5 cups iodized salt, 2 TBSP oil, 1 cup water, food coloring
- 4. Marshmallow Towers Mini marshmallows and toothpicks (objective: try to build the tallest, free-standing tower)
- 5. Rain Sticks Paper Towel Roll, white cardstock paper, birdseed, crumpled aluminum foil, duct tape for the ends, glue stick
- Popsicle Stick People Popsicle sticks, tissue paper, construction paper, markers, glue stick, rubber bands, pipe cleaners (superheroes, fairies, princesses)



Building D Progress



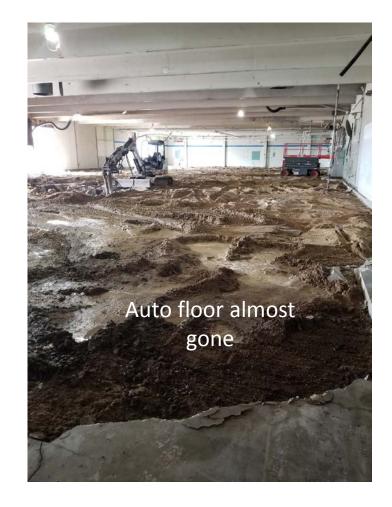








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Plumbing & Electrical being installed in Auto

