

Weekly Update: June 3 – 8, 2019:

- The **34th Annual Foundation Golf Classic** was held on Monday, June 3, at Grand Falls Casino and Golf Resort.
 - The tournament was full with a waitlist of nine individuals.
 - Roughly \$30,000 was raised from the proceeds of this year's event all going towards student scholarships.
 - With the proceeds of this year's tournament, the Golf Classic has raised approximately \$430,000 since its inception in 1986.
 - Five NCC students participated in the tournament (*see photo in attachment*).
 - Several generous volunteers sat near holes during the special games, helped with registration, and assisted with a variety of other tasks.

The NCC Foundation Office wishes to **THANK everyone** who participated or volunteered at this year's event!

- Megan Dieken attended AgriVision Equipment Group's Annual Ride & Drive event on Saturday on June 1, to promote NCC's **1st Annual AgriVision Precision Ag Expo**. The expo will take place on NCC's campus on Monday, July 15, from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. and will be hosted by AgriVision Equipment Group.
- The LLRC held a **Happy Hour Yoga** event at the Crossroads Pavilion on Monday, June 3. 17 participants enjoyed signature Crossroads Pavilion cocktails as well as a 60-minute yoga class from Aon Andersen, LLRC yoga instructor.
- The Admissions office hosted **Orientation 2019** this week! It takes many of us to welcome and assist our new students, so thank you to each one of you that had a part in the process of orientation!
 - Tuesday, June 4 – Health Programs
 - Wednesday, June 5 – AA, Business, Wellness Management, Computer Science, Accounting, and Administrative Office Assistant
 - Thursday, June 6 - Powerline
- On Tuesday, June 4, Allie Mouw, Dan Cline, Megan Dieken, and Ken Kramer hosted a **Mechanics Camp**. Ken Kramer led sessions for eleven 8th-12th grade students. These **hands-on** sessions included: jump starting a car using jumper cables and a battery pack, changing a tire, using a pressure gauge, changing wiper blades, checking fluids, filling wiper fluid, and removing and inserting headlights. He walked the students through the AT building to observe the Automotive and Diesel students working on their projects. While examining a car that was up on a hoist, he discussed the different parts of the car and how they work together, and then told the students the step-by-step process for an oil change. Zachary Dieken, Iowa Highway Patrolman, came during lunch and held a Q&A with the students discussing what to do in an accident, cell phone laws, and how laws work when crossing into other states. We concluded the day with testing what they had learned by jump starting a car. Allie, Dan and Megan want to give a **HUGE thank-you** to Ken because without his help, this camp never would have been what it was. (*See photos in attachment.*)
- On Thursday, June 6, the NCC **Assurance Argument for the Higher Learning Commission** was locked for review by the peer review team. **Many thanks to ALL those who assisted** the past two years as the team collected evidence and wrote 34,790 words (the limit was 35,000) to address the criteria and core components, provided evidence, and finally edited. Special thanks to Sue Grapevine for spearheading the efforts the past year, and Sheila Van Engen for loading and linking the evidence files. The peer review team drafts its report in the next four to six weeks following June 10. Then NCC will review the report and the team's recommendations for **errors of fact** before the peer review team submits its final report to HLC. After

that the report and institutional response are sent to the HLC Institutional Actions Council (IAC) for review and action. The entire review could take around three months.

- Employees from **Farmers' Coop Society** visited the LLRC on Friday, June 7, to work on their workplace wellness with Chair Yoga class led by LLRC yoga instructor Aon Andersen.
- On Friday, June 7, Beth Sibenaller-Woodall and Greta Giese attended the **Iowa Community College Student Services Association's (ICSSA) 2019 Annual Drive-In Conference** at DMACC. This year's theme was "Knowing Our Students" and featured keynote speaker Dr. Linda Allen (retiring Hawkeye Community College President), presentations from student success specialists and navigators from across the state, and a presentation from Dr. Stacy Mentzer, Vice President of Instruction at Iowa Central Community College.
- Head Sports Shooting Coach Brian Lauck and Director of Admissions Lisa Story attended the **Iowa High School State Sports Shooting Championship** on Saturday, June 8, to meet with high school sports shooting student-athletes and talk to them about our new NCC Thunder Sports Shooting Team.
- Check out this week's **Thunder Thank You** attachment. Gratitude is golden.
- Next week, the LLRC will host the **O'Brien County Relay for Life** on Tuesday, June 11.

Upcoming Events:

- Tuesday, June 11 Building D Orientation
- Wednesday, June 12 Building C Orientation

Happy Birthday!

- Thursday, June 13 Leah Murphy

In your service,

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NCC Foundation Golf Classic

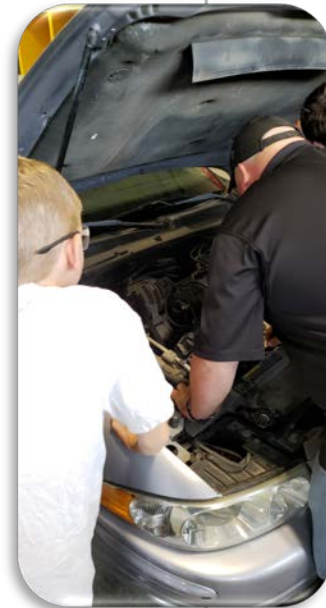
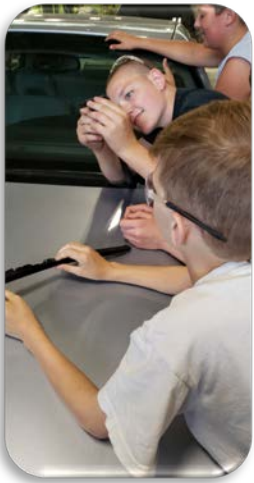
Student Team

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Mechanics Camp

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Karinne O'Ram

- Thanks Karinne for helping create a resource for nursing students studying for the math portion of the HESI exam!

-Leah Murphy