



FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CAMPUS VP



Greetings York Campus Community;

During meetings with donors and prospective donors, I am asked, why do I like fundraising. The question does not surprise me because I am frequently asked in different ways and in many settings. My response: *“I love to share the great things occurring on the HACC campus”*. Over the summer months, a great deal of time has been devoted to meeting with individuals over coffee, a meal, or attending a community sponsored event. Fundraising provides unique opportunities to build and sustain relationships, to share student, faculty, and staff success stories, and to convey our vision. Great institutions convey a strong vision of where they will be in the future. To sell prospective donors on our vision and the case for support requires energy and a positive attitude that is contagious. Donors want to give to causes.

HACC’s vision statement: **HACC will be the first choice for a quality and accessible higher education opportunity.** In a short time with HACC, I have witnessed that this vision resonates with donors. The donors that I encounter want to support our students, they want to give out of gratitude, and they realize that HACC is vital to the future economic development of Central Pennsylvania.

Fundraising can be challenging at times, let us not forget the huge impact our collective efforts can make for years to come. I value and appreciate all of your efforts to share and promote the awesome things happening on the York Campus.

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If you wish to contribute to the monthly newsletter please send your articles and photos to jkmitzel@hacc.edu.



Above: Staff members gathered to brainstorm the future needs of the York Campus during a Master Planning session in August.

BUCKNELL SCHOLARS NAMED

Twenty-five students applied for HACC's **2017 Bucknell Community College Summer Scholars** program. The following six students will be attending the program at Bucknell University this summer:

- **Benjamin Byler**, International Relations, Harrisburg Campus
- **Myles Breisch**, Environmental Science, Lancaster Campus
- **Kate Greenwood**, Environmental Science, Lancaster Campus
- **Lindsey Smith**, Psychology, Lebanon Campus
- **Alexander Jonovich**, Art, Lebanon Campus
- **Sara Mohamed**, Civil Engineering, York Campus



Above, left to right: Bucknell scholars Kate Greenwood, Sara Mohammad, Lindsey Smith, Alex Jonovich, Ben Byler, and Myles Breisch

The program consists of a six-week summer session where a select group of community college students (known as Bucknell Community College Scholars) will take two Bucknell courses while living on campus at Bucknell University. The entire summer program, including credits earned while attending, is at no cost to HACC or the students. The summer program is followed by mentoring and support for each Scholar who decides to apply for admission as a transfer student to Bucknell. **Those who are granted admission and enroll in the University will receive a full-tuition scholarship**, along with individual plans tailored to meet their needs, assistance with transfer of credits, and mentorship. Students will return to HACC at the end of this summer to complete their associate degrees.

Over the past ten years, HACC has seen 67 students attend the summer program and over thirty students go on to attend Bucknell full-time. We estimate that Bucknell University has invested over 4 million dollars in HACC students over the past decade.

To find out more about the Bucknell Community College Scholars program please see the Bucknell University webpage: <http://www.bucknell.edu/CommunityCollegeScholars.xml>

YORK LIBRARY DISPLAYS

Fiction to Film

Make sure to take a peek at the “Fiction to Film” display in the case by the Welcome Center! The library put together a collection of books being made into movies this year. Whether you want ideas for summer reads or you want to read the book before seeing the film, the “Fiction to Film” display houses quite a few fascinating reads from fiction to non-fiction.



Happy Birthday, Harry!

June marked the 20th anniversary of J.K. Rowling’s beloved series *Harry Potter*. Originally published on June 26th 1997 as *Harry Potter and the Philosopher’s Stone* in England, the first book in the series has sold over 100 million copies world wide. Stop by the library for Harry Potter facts, see a magical book display, and let us know which house you belong in!



HOW TO HANDLE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION INQUIRIES

When you receive **telephone** inquiries related to Right to Know or Freedom of Information Act requests, please do the following:

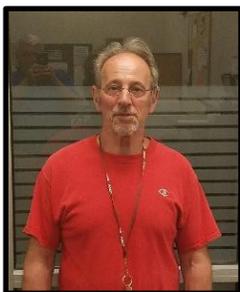
1. Direct the caller to our website: www.hacc.edu
2. Ask the caller to type in “Right to Know” in the search function to find the Web page about the Right to Know process (Note: This is the direct link to the Web page: <http://www.hacc.edu/AboutHACC/Administration/RighttoKnow/index.cfm>)
3. Ask the caller to follow the detailed instructions on the website
4. Tell the caller that his or her request will be handled when he or she follows the detailed instructions
5. Do not engage in any conversation beyond this, because it might be used against the College later – especially if you share erroneous information with the caller

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2. Do not respond to the writer

Upon receipt of these telephone and email inquiries, the Office of College Advancement team will handle them and confer with the necessary individuals.

NEW FACE AROUND CAMPUS



The Facilities Department would like to welcome **Chris Weinstein** to the HACC team. Chris is a part time custodian and comes to us from Central York School District. If you see Chris please say hello.

WELCOME CHRIS!

ART IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD

On July 12, **Will Guntrum** and his Drawing I students traveled down town and spent the afternoon drawing sites around York City. What a lovely way to spend a beautiful summer day!



What do these things have in common?



Denny Herbst, Todd Greer and Steve Miller

The **Classified Employee Organization** of the York campus would like to thank these three for sweltering in the insufferable heat planting the roses in front of our Cytec building. Your commitment to the campus and ensuring we all have a beautiful place to learn and work is greatly appreciated!!!!



How did you spend Father's Day?



Tom Long, Gettysburg Security

Officer, spent it at the York campus so a contractor could work in the Governor George M. Leader building. Way to take one for the TEAM!

The **Classified Employee Organization** would like to thank you for all of your hard work and dedication!!



BOOKSTORE NEWS



Did you know it is easier than ever to find store hours and bookstore events?

The new changes to the hacc.edu homepage make it easier than ever to look up important information you may want to know about the HACC bookstore. The new website can help both staff and students find anything from store hours, ordering books, and even learning about special events happening at the HACC York Bookstore. Another helpful feature of the new website is that the “Bookstore” link is at the top of each page no matter how far you navigate your way through the website. As always, we at the HACC York Bookstore are always available to help staff and students navigate the bookstore website if necessary.

As a reminder, financial aid will be available to students to begin purchasing for fall books and supplies beginning Monday, August 14, 2017. The bookstore will have extended hours beginning August 14 through the first few weeks of classes. The bookstore has tons of new HACC merchandise items from clothing to coffee mugs and other gift items! As a HACC employee, you are entitled to a special employee discount of **15% OFF all HACC imprinted items, even clearance!** Come visit us soon at the HACC York Bookstore and stock up on your HACC gear! We look forward to your visit!

Have a great fall semester, and thank you for supporting your “college owned and operated” bookstore!

UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Just in time for the new semester! New pavement, brighter lights, and more spaces are YOURS in the Cytec lot!!



CITY OF YORK LEGACY BUILDERS SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM



Left to right back row: HACC Staff members Shaquetta Gatling, Ebony Ratleff, Donna Knepper, Laura Wukovitz, Theresa Witkowski; front row: students Miracle Johnson, Khalid Dorsey, and Reinaldo Vargas Bracero.

This summer the York Campus was happy to participate in the Legacy Builders Summer Youth Employment Program. The program, which allowed three high school rising senior students to gain employment skills training while working on campus, was arranged through a partnership between the City of York and the Crispus Attucks Employment and Training Center. We were happy to host **Miracle Johnson, Reinaldo Vargas Bracero, and Khalid Dorsey** for this month long experience. Special thanks to **Donna Knepper** for making all of the arrangements and assigning the students to positions in the Library, Student Affairs, and Academic Affairs.

LIU SUMMER ACADEMY

The York Campus hosted the 2017 Lincoln Intermediate Unit No. 12 (LIU 12) Summer Academy program from July 24-28, 2017. More than 100 third through eighth grade students came to campus for one week of enrichment classes including Art, Robotics, CSI and more. The opportunity not only gave the York Campus a chance to provide a service to our community but it also allowed local students and their parents to find out where we are located and visit our campus.

Right: Summer Academy students created a solar system and placed it along Pennsylvania Avenue in the appropriate order and spacing.

