COLLEGE NIGHT TAKEOVER AT SANTANDER STADIUM

On Labor Day, Monday, September 7, HACC, Penn State and York College all came together for College Night Takeover at Santander Stadium. Two professors from each College were recognized and presented with a Proclamation signed by Representative Kevin Schreiber, Representative Seth Grove and Mayor Kim Bracey. HACC York’s very own Dennis King, Assistant Professor – HVAC, and Tracy Smith, Instructor – Electrical Technology, were recognized and received a proclamation for their work in the community. Our president, Dr. Ski was among those throwing out the first pitch (he did a great job)! A special thank you to everyone who helped with this event – SGA, Community Service Club, PTK, Stephanie Reams, and especially our mascot, Hemingway (Ashley Zerne) who endured the extremely hot temperatures!

Above: Rep. Kevin Schreiber and Dr. Ski recognized instructors Tracy Smith and Dennis King for their work in the community; Left: Dr. Ski throws out the first pitch along with York College president Dr. Pamela Gunter-Smith and Penn State York Chancellor, Dr. David Chown at the York Revolution vs. the Bridgeport Blufish game at Santander Stadium.
HACC AND HACC FOUNDATION ANNOUNCE TRANSFORMATIONAL FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

HACC and HACC Foundation announced plans for a four-year, $12 million fundraising campaign during the College’s Convocation events in August.

The comprehensive fundraising campaign will focus on four priorities:

- Cooper Student Center Renovations - $8 million
- Emergency Assistance Funds - $500,000
- President’s Fund for Excellence - $1.5 million
- Scholarships - $2 million

HACC students recently shared how the funds raised will positively impact the College and students’ lives:

- Gettysburg Campus: Brandon Parr
- Harrisburg Campus: Prity Das
- Lancaster Campus: Tucker Allyn Leighty-Phillips
- Lebanon Campus: Shawn Tighe
- York Campus: Brandy Stabley
- Virtual Learning: Brianna Neil

All five HACC campuses will be involved with the fundraising campaign and will collaborate to raise $12 million.

The campus goals follow:

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In addition, all five campuses will have community and business leaders spearheading the fundraising campaign. These leaders are called campus campaign chairs.
The Gettysburg Campus campaign chairs are:

- **Gary Laabs**, a 2008 graduate of HACC’s nursing program and recipient of HACC’s distinguished alumnus award, strongly believes in giving back. Gary served as a member of the Gettysburg Campus Major Gifts Committee Leadership team in 2008-09, the Gettysburg Campus Advisory Committee since 2005 and more recently the HACC Foundation Board. He has given of his time to advance and promote HACC in our community and to raise funds for HACC. In addition to HACC, he participates annually in medical mission trips in support of Medical Ministry International (MMI). He chairs the Hanover Area Council of Churches’ Healthcare Committee, whose projects include free medical clinics for the needy, flu shots, weekly blood pressure checks and diabetes education and screenings. In 2014, he was recognized for his volunteer work by receiving the first Central Penn Parents’ Healthcare Heroes Volunteer Award.

- **Jeff Shaffer**, a 1984 graduate of HACC and recipient of HACC’s distinguished alumnus award, is a real estate broker with RE/MAX of Gettysburg, where he had formerly been vice president and co-owner prior to selling the company in 2015. Jeff served as a member of the Gettysburg Campus Major Gifts Committee Leadership team in 2008-09, the Gettysburg Campus Advisory Committee since its inception and is a member of the HACC Board of Trustees. In addition to serving HACC, Jeff has volunteered his time to support Habitat for Humanity, the American Heart Association, Upper Adams Lions Club and the Adams County Economic Development Corporation.

The campaign chairs for the Harrisburg Campus are:

- **Professor Emeritus of English Trum Simmons** began teaching at HACC in 1971, and during his 40-plus years he taught courses in English composition, literature, communications and the humanities. He also created the courses Women Writers, Banned Books and Introduction to LGBT Studies. He advised the student newspaper, The Fourth Estate, for 40 years and the student-led LGBT Allies organization for 15. He was director of the honors program 1993-96 and president of the Faculty Organization 1982-83 and 1997-99. He was a regular columnist for Harrisburg Magazine 1995-2005 and now writes for Central Voice. In 2004, he received the NISOD teaching excellence award and, in 2005, he was inducted into the College Media Association (CMA) Hall of Fame for his longtime service to the organization. Trum retired as senior professor of English in 2012 and continues to teach the LGBT studies course on multiple campuses. He also serves on the board of directors of the LGBT Community Center of Central PA.

- **Destini Hodges** has distinguished herself through her dedication and community involvement to the City of Harrisburg and Central Pennsylvania region. After graduating in 2008 from the SciTech campus of Harrisburg High School, Hodges studied for two years at Clarion University before transferring to HACC because of financial hardship. From HACC, Hodges transferred to Penn State, where she earned a bachelor’s degree in political science. She is currently working towards a master’s degree in community and regional planning at Temple University while working full time at HACC. Hodges, an avid community activist, serves as vice president of Harrisburg Hope, a grassroots community group dedicated to civil discourse and dialogue. She also serves as diversity coordinator for the Presbyterian Women of Carlisle, coordinator for Capital Youth Connections and a Christian education team member for Capital Presbyterian Church. In addition to her volunteer work with several community organizations, Hodges, at the age of 21 was elected as the youngest member of the Harrisburg School District Board in December 2011.

The campaign chairs for the remaining campuses have not yet been confirmed.

For more information, please visit [www.haccfoundation.org](http://www.haccfoundation.org), watch the [campaign video](#) or write to us at [foundation@hacc.edu](mailto:foundation@hacc.edu).
HACC ACADEMY ORIENTATION

HACC Academy is running three programs this academic year as follows: **Automotive Technology** with Chad Fadely; **Nurse Aide** with David Ranck; and **Patient Care Concepts** with Cindy Donell, Rob Bernini and the Nursing team. On September 3rd, we welcomed 39 students and their parents at the HACC Academy orientation. This year there are 22 students attending the Automotive Technology program. With the growing popularity of the Automotive Technology program, an additional bay was built to accommodate students. We are running two sessions of the Nurse Aide program with a total of 17 students and 13 students are registered to attend the Patient Care Concepts program. There are 11 students that are taking both the Nurse Aide and Patient Care Concepts. We are looking forward to another great year!

Clockwise from left: Dr. Mattis addresses the students and parents at the HACC Academy orientation; Cindy Donell provides expectations and outcomes with incoming Nurse Aide students; participants from several York County schools learn about the opportunities available through HACC Academy; Security Officer Levi French shares important information with the group; signage ensures that everyone is on track.
NEW INSTRUCTIONAL VIDEOS FOR STUDENTS ON OUR HACC YouTube CHANNEL

The Tutoring and Testing department has just completed three new additions to their “Tutoring How to… Videos” playlist on HACC’s YouTube Channel. The videos help our students develop key academic success skills, like time management and study tips. The series now has SEVEN total videos:

- How to Prepare for a Class Presentation
- How to Write a Thesis Statement
- How to Read Your Textbook Better
- How to Calculate Your GPA
- How to Study for Your Learning Style
- How to Succeed in College
- How to Manage Your Time Well

Two more videos are in post-production and should be updated in November: How to Analyze Literature and How to Avoid Plagiarism Part 1. This has been a college-wide project filmed here at the York Campus. All actors are HACC students (or former HACC students) and Tutoring and Testing Staff. Be sure to promote these exciting new videos to your students and colleagues!

LIBRARY iBOOK

We are proud to announce the recent publication of the Libraries & Research: Getting Started iBook. This iBook is the culmination of effort by HACC librarians Jennifer Hummel, Barbara Stockland, Corrine Syster and Elise Jackson to develop a resource which assists first-year college students in becoming comfortable with research. Funding for the project came from HACC’s Virtual Learning, and the iBook was published in August 2015. This iBook is downloadable – for free and worldwide – for all to use.

iBook authors from left to right: Corrine Syster, Barbara Stockland, Elise Jackson, Jennifer Hummel, and President Ski.
LUNCH AND LEARN EVENTS

Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society is partnering with various student clubs to provide Lunch & Learn events for the 2015-16 academic year. Lunch is included for those in attendance, while supplies last. The first event was a workshop conducted by SCORE Chapter President Julie Poland titled “Could You be the Next Biz Success Story?” More than 50 people attended the lunchtime event, which provided listeners with a plethora of advice for starting a business.

Five more Lunch & Learn events will take place in the Glatfelter Community Room (Cytec 101) from 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. on the following dates:

**October 20, 2015**
Title: “Strategies for Freelancing”  
*Lecturer:* Jospeh Trojcak (HACC grad & business owner)

**November 24, 2015**
Title: “Mass Incarceration in the 21st Century”  
*Lecturer:* Spero Lappas, J.D., Ph. D. (Professor, Penn State)

**February 16, 2016**
Title: #BlackLivesMatter  
*Lecturer:* TBA

**March 15, 2016**
Title: “Quilts in the Lives and Culture of American Women”  
*Lecturer:* Yvonne Milspaw, Ph.D. (HACC Professor Emeritus)

**April 12, 2016**
Title: Art as Protest  
*Lecturer:* TBA

COUNSELING AND ADVISING

October is national Domestic Violence Awareness Month. This month, to honor victims, Student Development & Multicultural Programs will sponsor The Clothesline Project. Counseling Services and the Library have partnered to create a Library@HACC Guide to pull together information for community resources, videos and books on the topic. Students can access Counseling Services by visiting Leader 102 or calling 717-801-3213.
HEROIN – AN EPIDEMIC IN YORK COUNTY

Presented by: York County Coroner, Pamela Gay and members of the Heroin Task Force

Join us for an eye-opening and informative presentation about the heroin epidemic in York. Learn about the changing face of heroin addiction, why the problem exists, how to recognize it and how to obtain the help that is available. The presentation will also address the collaboration between the York County Coroner’s Office, the York County District Attorney’s Office and local Law Enforcement as they combat the problem. In addition, Charlene Sciaretta, who lost her son to heroin addiction in 2004, will be sharing “Danny’s Story”.

When: Monday, October 26, 2015 from 7:00 – 9:00 pm
Where: Glatfelter Community Room, Cytec 101 - HACC York Campus

SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

Pamela Gay
York County Coroner, York County Coroner’s Office

Dave Sunday
Senior Deputy Prosecutor, York County District Attorney’s Office

Claude Stabley
Chief Deputy Officer, York County Coroner’s Office

Charlene Sciaretta
Member, Heroin Task Force

HACC SPIRIT DAY IS BACK!

Show your HACC spirit by wearing HACC attire on Thursday, October 15, 2015 & dress casual as well.

(Jeans have been OK’d by Administration...yeah!!!)

Check out the new HACC business wear & other new clothing attire at the Bookstore on Tuesday and Wednesday & receive 20% off all HACC imprinted clothing.
FACILITIES TIDBITS

New Leader Student Commons & PSECU

Construction is underway in the Governor George Leader Building on the Student Commons and Food Service area. Massaro Building Company, LLC (formerly Hogg Construction) has been working since the end of August and things are beginning to take shape quickly. We anticipate substantial completion in early January. PSECU and Subway will join us in partnership in this space. A grand opening celebration will take place in late January, stay tuned for details.

Goodling Welding Lab

Premier Construction Group, Inc. began work in the William F. Goodling Center Building on the Weld Lab. We are enthusiastic that it will serve many students in our community. Substantial completion is slated for December first so that we can open for spring 2016 semester. Please pardon the construction noise and mess. We will try to keep it to a minimum.

Cytec Writing Center & Communications Hub

The York Writing Center and Collegewide Communication Center project was possible mainly due to a grant from the HACC Foundation and is approaching completion. East Coast Contracting is waiting on electric, data, and vestibule items for completion. We anticipate this work to occur in the next several weeks.

Leader VP Suite - 136

Construction has been completed and the suite is ready for the new York Campus Vice President.

Avenue C

Where: Leader – Old Student Commons 125
When: Currently available
What: Avenue C is a self-serve vending area that provides a wide variety of food items and is open whenever the Campus is open, as there is no need for staffing. Avenue C is able to provide special dietary needs like gluten free, non-GMO, and organic as well as conventional products and brands we have all grown to love. Using secure cashier-less kiosks and a Visa-certified system featuring 911 Software’s CreditLine software, you can be assured of secure credit and debit card processing and it is PA-DSS compliant per PCI SSC standards. Avenue C is committed to supporting the wellness goals of HACC to reflect what is important to the organization and our associates. It also supports MyFitnessPal to help guests track their daily nutrition. Stop by the Student Commons YL125 space in Leader and check out our newest partner in bringing healthy food choices to HACC.

Tobacco Free on Campus Signs were posted across campus in early August. Please help our students and staff with this transition to a healthy tobacco-free campus by setting a good example and encouraging participation in the Smoking Cessation classes that are being offered Collegewide.
PAINT NIGHT

Plan to join us for the first ever York campus Paint Night! This event will serve as a fundraiser for the York Annual Fund which provides scholarships to York campus students. Our very own Will Guntrum will serve as the teacher and guide! The event will take place on **Tuesday, October 27 at 6:30 pm at Gavin Advertising, 328 West Market St, York.** Cost is $35.00 and includes everything you need to paint a masterpiece that you can take home with you (paint, canvas, all needed art supplies). You just need to register and come with an open mind, and an art smock, apron, or clothes that can get messy. The session is limited to 20 participants. To register please email Jill Mitzel at jkmitzel@hacc.edu and see Robin Sanders to pay your registration fee (Welcome Center). We will be painting the image below – it will be fun to see all of the versions we come up with!
DISASTER DRILL

On September 25, 2015 HACC York nursing students were invited to participate in a disaster drill at York Hospital. York Hospital and National Disaster Life Support Foundation collaborate to ensure the emergency responders (prehospital) and emergency department staff (physicians and nurses) can triage and effectively manage mass casualties. Two levels of HACC nursing students were represented in the drill.

The students receive a patient profile and as the drill progresses the students act out the part of the patient profile. The drill was a bombing at a concert. Prior to the drill the “patients” placed moulage on to replicate the injuries often seen in an explosion.

The upper level students just learned about triage in the hospital and emergency settings the week prior to the drill. Several students stated after the drill that this experience helped to solidify the content learned in class.

This is the second year HACC students were invited to participate in the disaster drill. Not only is this a great learning opportunity for the students but also allows them to network with professionals in health care. This event is on a volunteer basis only, therefore not all students can participate due to work and classes.

HACC FEST 2015

On September 1, 2015, HACC York celebrated HACC Fest 2015. Many students, staff and faculty members came out to learn about clubs, organizations, and many other opportunities. They also enjoyed free food, lots of giveaways, and the opportunity to play “Name That Tune”.

Free snowcones on a hot day
Thumbs up for a fun event
Lots of SGA giveaways
Community Service Club