



# Lebanon Campus Update



## From the Campus Executive Director

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Greetings, Lebanon Campus!

On Nov. 21, the College hosted diversity speaker **Javier Ávila** (San Juan, Puerto Rico) at the Lebanon Campus. For the last three years, Ávila has toured the country with his highly acclaimed one-man show, *The Trouble with My Name*, a performance that blends poetry and satire to explore the American Latino experience. This was the 150<sup>th</sup> performance of the show and the last of the 2019 season.



Javier's presentation drew more than 75 local youth and community members to HACC, along with 10 members via Zoom for the evening. During his performance, Javier shared his life experiences, poetry, and laughter to create a memorable evening. After the show, he autographed books, took photos and spoke to audience members. Javier was gracious enough to allow us to record the show. If you missed this amazing show, you may watch it at this link:

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1cZXi3h-JJx8cRyep\\_WAweMLQE-qu7ePV/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1cZXi3h-JJx8cRyep_WAweMLQE-qu7ePV/view?usp=sharing)

*Laurie Bowersox*





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## News from Student Government Association (SGA) and Student Programming Board (SPB)

### Let's TACO' Bout It



This semester our SPB hosted three Let's TACO' bout it sessions. The topics discussed included refugees, medical marijuana, and the US prison system. Each session was well attended and featured speakers who were well versed in their topic. Thank you to Church World Services, Instructor **Kevin Evans**, and Professor **John Flavin** for volunteering their time.

Your SPB is excited to continue these educational and engaging sessions in the spring with new topics and speakers.

### Multicultural Day

On Dec. 4, our SPB and SGA collaborated on organizing and hosting Multicultural Day. This event is a yearly event held by our students to expose our campus population to diverse cultures, food, and languages around the world. This year, the students chose 7 countries. The countries researched and displayed included Egypt, Ghana, Netherlands, New Zealand, El Salvador, Colombia, and Japan. The SGA and SPB worked together to research information on each country, fun facts, and primary languages spoken, and offered samplings of food from each country. The event was well received by the students who attended. Special thanks to **James Conard**, **Ashley Hardy**, **Dave Edwards**, and **Dale Hardy** for all their help in setting up and clean up with this event.





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## News from Student Government Association (SGA) and Student Programming Board (SPB) (continued)

### That's a Wrap

The semester is over but it didn't end without some SGA support for our students. The week of finals, SGA provided snacks for all students in Hawks' Peak and the lobby areas. Wednesday during finals, we even had some special visitors from KPets to help everyone during a stressful time.

SGA is always happy to support our students and we look forward to seeing everyone back in January.



## HACC Signs Agreement with Trusted Provider of Mental Health Counseling Services

HACC announced earlier this month that we have entered into a one-year agreement with Mazzitti & Sullivan EAP Services to provide comprehensive clinical mental health counseling services to HACC students. Please [read this statement](#) in our online newsroom for more information.

## Save the Date - Spring Campus Day!

Mark your calendars now for Spring Campus Day. This event will be held on Wednesday, January 15, 2020, in the evening hours. More information regarding the content of this event will be provided as we get closer to the date.

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## A Note from our Facilities Director

Hello everyone!

As we transition from fall weather to wintertime, I would like to provide you some helpful information.

We have several “Ice Alert” signs on campus:

- as you exit the building through the staff entrance
- at the intersection of the sidewalks near the garden wall on the east side of campus
- near Hershey Circle near the front of the building (this sign can be read from inside the atrium without going outside).

If you see the color blue, as indicated in the picture, that means conditions are right for freezing weather and ice forming. It doesn't necessarily mean ice is present on the ground. This is a

service provided for your safety. Please pay attention to the signs and be safe! As far as I know, the Lebanon campus is the only campus with this particular type of sign.

Dress appropriately for the weather. That includes wearing proper shoes for good traction, jackets, hoodies, hats, and gloves. You stay warmer if you layer your clothing and it is loose fitting. Be careful where you walk and watch for snow or ice! If you drive, warm your car up and make sure all windows are clear so you can properly see. Clear the snow and ice from your hood so it doesn't fly off and hit another car.

I hope you all have a very wonderful, peaceful Holiday and Happy New Year! Be safe because we want to see you next semester!

*Dave Edwards*  
*Director of Facilities*  
*Lancaster and Lebanon Campuses*





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## Update on “Learner” and HACC Email Signatures

After additional consideration, discussions and focus groups with students and employees, we will **not** move forward with adopting “learner” in place of “student.” Thank you to everyone who provided thoughtful feedback, as well as everyone’s patience as we considered this change in terminology and mindset.

This decision does not alter the [College’s purpose statement](#): **Learning for all; learning for life.**

Information regarding HACC email signatures was included in the [previous issue of the Ski Gram](#). Please follow the email signature formatting guidelines below, which have been modified from the previous article based on accessibility considerations:

### **Email signature formatting:**

Font: Arial  
Font Size: 11  
Color: Black

### **Email signature template:**

Employee Name  
Employee Position Title  
Division  
HACC, Central Pennsylvania’s Community College

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_@hacc.edu

**Telephone:** 717-\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

**Internal Extension:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fax:** 717-\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

**Website:** [www.hacc.edu](http://www.hacc.edu)

**Our Purpose: Learning for all; learning for life.**

If you have not already done so, please update your HACC email signature following the guidelines above. In addition to email signatures, please ensure that electronic materials with the outdated mission and vision statements – including webpages – are revised to reflect the new purpose statement. Printed publications and other materials should not be discarded. Instead, they should be updated when you are ready to re-print.