

## *Children's Etiquette Workshop*



As part of our Charmed Etiquette Series, the School of Continuing Education presented a Children's Etiquette Workshop at the Northwest Campus Culinary Arts and Hospitality Center. The workshop was designed for children ages 5-10 years old to enhance and develop lessons in fine dining. Tameka Mongo was the facilitator.





## Community Engagement and Skilled Trades Training



Dr. CharMaine Hines met with Dr. Nerita Hughes,  
the new president of Bay College.

## Congratulations 2023 Retirees!

Deorpha Cato~Lynnda Skidmore~Mohammad Abbas~Shelia Armstrong~John Connolly  
Eric Daniel~Carla Henderson~Brice Kaby~Cavally~Eileen Martin~James Marcinkowski  
Brenda McClanahan~Sue C. Smith~Denise Mosby~Lewis~Daphne Ntiri~Catherine Griffin  
Barbara Radecki~Margaret Reese~Carl Ruetz~Michael Constanti~Myra Hawkins  
Daisy Lopez~Robin Marshall~Linda D. Raines~Janice M. Stallworth~Rita Cherise Moore





## Cool Tech Kids Camp

This week, the Cool Tech Kids summer camp kicked off. The camp enters its fifth year with an expansion focus beyond coding to include multimedia recording and editing, as well as an introduction to scratch coding.



# Campers from the Cool Tech Kids Summer Camp Tour the Health Science Center



# Division of Workforce and Economic Development



## SMART Program Site Visit Preparation

Members of WCCCD's SMART team are preparing for the site visit by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS). The program review will provide WCCCD with feedback of the overall effectiveness of our SMART program and our proficiency in maintaining compliance with MDHHS standards.

A colorful flyer for the Skilled Trades Training Program. The top section features images of students working on projects and logos for "dabo" (The District Association of Black Organizations), "WCCCD" (Wayne County Community College District), and "CHOOSE HEALTHY LIFE". The middle section has a large orange banner that reads "TUITION FREE" and "SKILLED TRADES TRAINING PROGRAMS". Below this, it says "TUITION FREE SKILLED TRAINING PROGRAMS held at WAYNE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT Come to the Sheffield Center to Register - Must be 21 Years Old AUGUST 2023 - TUESDAYS OR THURSDAYS 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM". A QR code is also present. The bottom section lists various training programs: Welding Technology, Commercial Driver's License (CDL-A) Training, Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC), Mechatronics Technology, Construction Trades Training, and Entrepreneurship Training. Each program has a brief description of what it includes. At the bottom, it provides contact information: "12048 Grand River Detroit, MI 48204" and "Call 313-491-0004 Ask For Aaron Truitt".

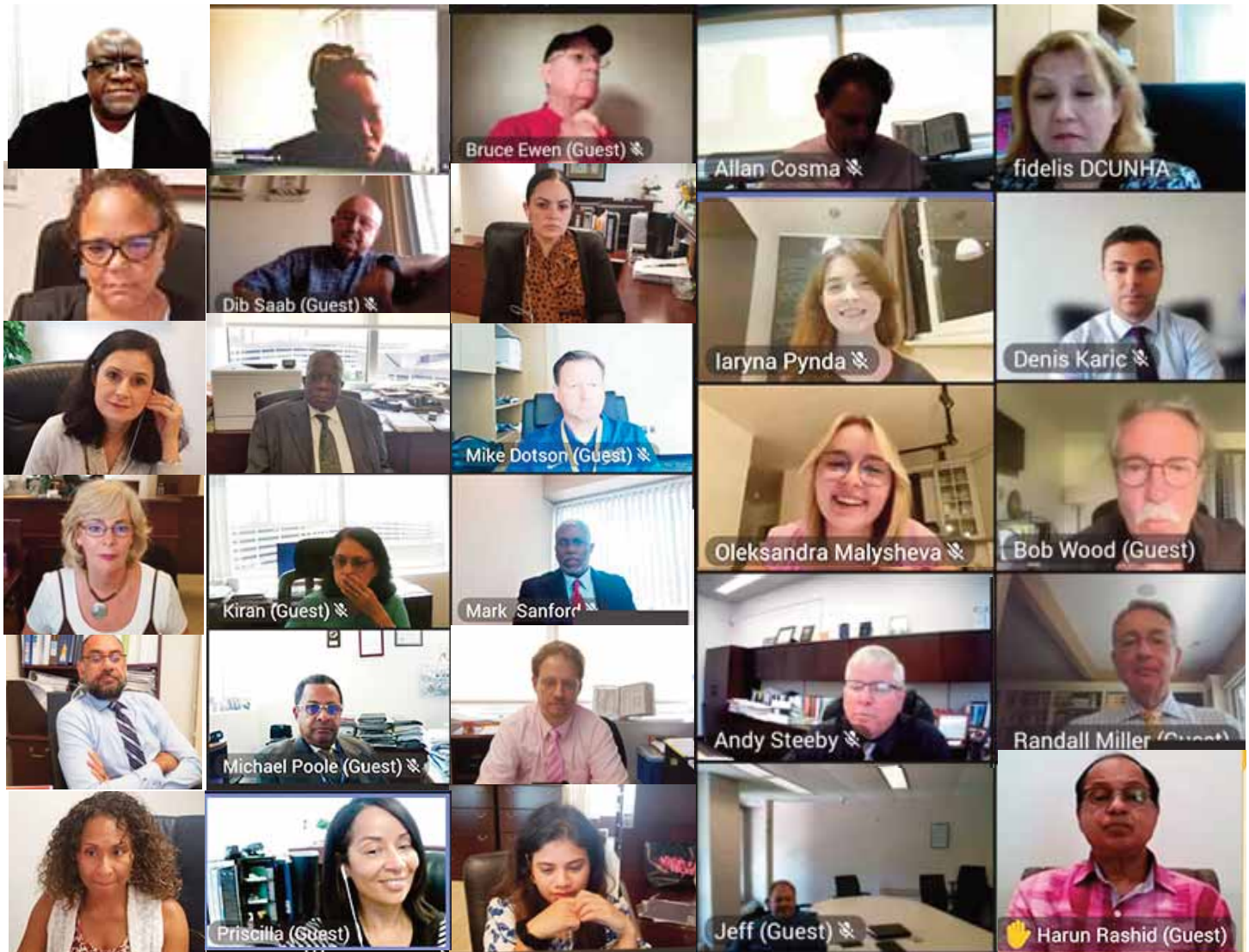
## Construction Trades Training Program

Students in the Construction Trades Training Program are learning how to lay out floor joists.



## Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Special Speaker Series

The Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Special Speaker Series featured Educator Bob Wood: A Conversation with Ukraine. Special guests, Kassandra and Yaryna, both students at Ukrainian Catholic University, responded to questions about what they are experiencing. Mr. Wood also shared his first-hand knowledge of Ukraine as an instructor at Ukrainian Catholic University.



## Intercultural Conversations

At this weeks Virtual Intercultural Conversations, we presented on National Win with Civility Month and National Youth Day.



## Division of Student Services

### International Students

Staff assisted students with registration and orientation for the Fall 2023 semester.



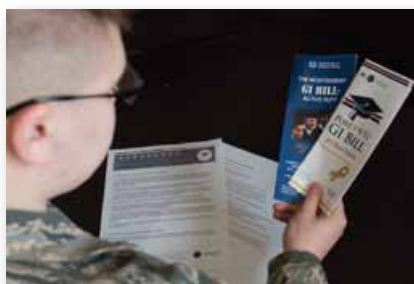
### Adult Education Workshop

Staff met with the Adult Education instructors to discuss the Fall 2023 GED teaching schedule, as well as objectives and expectations.



### Admission and Records

Staff continue to assist guest students with Fall 2023 registration.



### Veteran Affairs

As the Fall 2023 semester is quickly approaching, military veterans are inquiring about VA education eligibility. WCCCD accepts Post 911 as well as the Old Montgomery GI Bill and is excited to assist in registration and certification.

## Financial Aid Marathon!

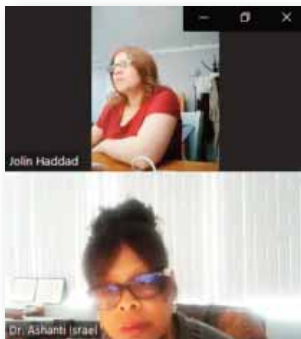
The Financial Aid Office is holding a Financial Aid Marathon on August 18, 2023 from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus. The marathon is open to any student with questions or in need of completing their financial aid paperwork.

# Division of Student Services



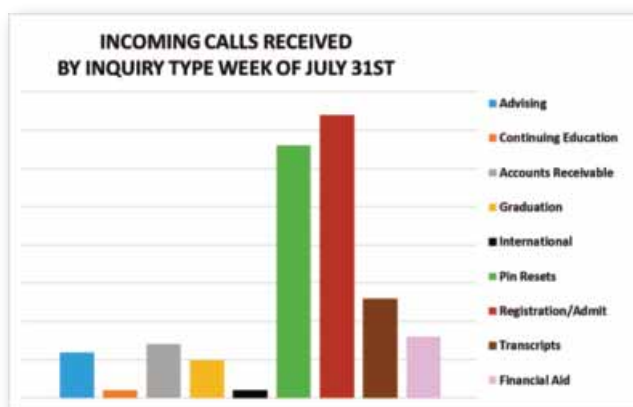
## Phi Theta Kappa

Congratulations to the Phi Theta Kappa Alpha Upsilon Zeta Chapter on earning a \$1,000 grant for their forthcoming Honors in Action project~ Theme 6 – Nostalgia as Play. Their project research will focus on supporting student engagement and belonging.



## Work-Study Orientation

The Division of Student Services hosted its Fall 2023 orientation for new work-study students. The program allows for students to work while attending school and giving them the experience and guidance needed.



## Command Center

The data reflects the number of students assisted by the Division of Student Services this week.



## Student Executive Council Food Pantry

WCCCD continues to provide assistance to students in need, by offering non-perishable food and personal hygiene items throughout the semester.

# Division of Educational Affairs



## New Nursing Student Orientation



## Nursing Program

Sheila Collins conducted mock interviews with graduating students.



## Division of Educational Affairs



### Program Inventory Review

Staff from the Division of Educational Affairs met to thoroughly review and update the 2023-24 program inventory. This effort is to ensure the accuracy of the annual submission report related to program offerings at WCCCD.



### Early Childhood Education Alum Champion for Childcare Providers

The impact of pandemic assistance dollars on local early childhood learning centers was a recent news segment feature on the impact for early childcare providers and workers and featuring long-time owner, early childcare provider and WCCCD alumnus Nina Hodge.



### Community Partnerships

Staff met with the Wayne Metro Leap to Teach team in preparation for Fall 2023 ECE cohort semester start-up.



### Quality Assurance Site Visit

The District Lab Team made its last stop this week at the Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus. The team had a chance to view the labs, talk with staff, and discuss lab needs.

## Division of Educational Affairs



### Paralegal Studies Program

Students in the Paralegal Studies Program participated in their last day of interning at the 36th District Court with Chief Judge William McConico.



### University of Michigan's Division of Public Safety Recognizes WCCCD Students

WCCCD students participating in the University of Michigan's Division of Public Safety and Security and WCCCD Future Public Safety Externship were recognized for their completion of service. The partnership, as part of the University's Future Wolverine's initiative, recognized students with a certificate ceremony.



### Save the Date!

Fall 2023 Faculty Convocation  
August 19, 2023

First Day of Fall 2023 Classes  
August 21, 2023

## Curriculum Development Workflow

Members of the Division of Educational Affairs, Website Redesign Taskforce, and the Curriculum Committee met with Modern Campus to review the production Curriculog site that will streamline the curriculum development workflow and process. The team discussed how to import and launch each type of proposal specific to courses and programs, along with more general catalog updates, as they kick off the final review stage.



# The School of Continuing Education

## Brown and Juanita C. Ford Art Gallery Tour and Workshop

### Weekly Continuing Education Enrollment

July 24 - August 5, 2023

Curtis L. Ivery  
Downtown Campus  
372

Downriver Campus  
299

Eastern Campus  
261

Northwest Campus  
402

Ted Scott Campus  
42

Mary Ellen Stempfle  
University Center  
TBD

Children from the Learning is Fun and Mental Summer Program toured the Brown and Juanita C. Ford Art Gallery and participated in a hands-on workshop with artist Bryant Tillman.



This week, staff from the School of Continuing Education (CE) met to discuss upcoming programs, the CE website, and programming status updates.

# CURTIS L. IVERY HWEC

Health & Wellness  
Education Center



Staff from across the District met with a community group to make initial plans for a back to school rally at the end of August.



Mike Dotson met with facilities staff and the selected contractor for the Steam rooms project to discuss initial project kick off and schedules.



Staff from the Health and Wellness Education Center facilitated a fitness workshop for students at the Northwest Campus.



*Campus Fitness  
Fridays!*

Yoga at the Mary Ellen  
Stempfle  
University Center

## What's Trending?

### Online Classes



The Division of Institutional Effectiveness (IE) reviews national, state, and local research trends to assist divisions with improving the programs and services offered to WCCCD students.

According to *Inside Higher Ed News*, a recent study found that more than half of community college students favored hybrid courses, and over a quarter favored all online instruction. The study further found that community college students enjoy the flexibility that comes with virtual instruction.

## Distance Learning at WCCCD

Below are data points related to WCCCD's Distance Learning student experiences from the recently conducted Campus Experience Survey

### Top 3 Reasons

Why WCCCD Distance Learning students prefer remote learning

1. Scheduling conflicts
2. Work/school balance
3. Convenience

**80%**

of students mentioned the Distance Learning Center staff were readily available to address their concerns/questions

**9 out of 10**

Distance Learning students would recommend WCCCD to others



**36%**

of WCCCD students enrolled in at least one online course



# Building Community Relationships



Trustee Sharon P. Scott attended the Westland Downtown Development Authority Meeting where she serves on the Board.



Dr. CharMaine Hines represented the District on the City of Detroit's Mayor's Workforce Development Board - Career Education and Advisory Council.



Staff from the Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus represented the District at Inkster's Night Out event.



Michael Poole represented the District at the 2023 Jazz on the Avenue of Fashion. Mr. Poole shared information about WCCCD's skilled trades offerings with participants.



Muna Khoury and Julie Figlioli represented the District at Westland's Blues, Brews, and BBQ. They disseminated information on continuing education programs and the All About the Arts Series.



## Heinz C. Prechter Educational and Performing Arts Center

### Rental

The Success Virtual Learning Centers of Michigan, Taylor Campus, and Class of 2023 celebrated its commencement on the stage of the Heinz C. Prechter Educational and Performing Arts Center.



## Wayne County Sheriff's Training Jailer Training Academy Graduation Ceremony

The Heinz C. Prechter Educational and Performing Arts Center hosted the Wayne County Sheriff's Training Unit for the Jailer Training Academy Graduation Ceremony. The students have completed their training and have graduated to become Wayne County Sheriff's Jailer Training.

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## Upcoming Events

*All About the Arts*  
Ted Scott Campus  
Ted Scott Environmental Terrace  
9555 Haggerty, Belleville, MI 48111

**WHISKEY FOR RANSOM**

This acoustic duo consists of Lead Vocalist & Guitarist, Dave Fuller (Petal Day Parade / Party Luncelony) and Lead Vocalist, Mike Adams (Rock Racquet). Join us for an evening of music featuring everything from Classic Rock to Modern Country!

**Wednesday, August 2, 2023**  
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, August 16, 2023**  
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**AISHA ELLIS TRIO AND DEBLON JACKSON**

Hailing from Detroit, bluesier and percussive ensembles Aisha Ellis will be performing with her trio for a sensational evening of jazz music. The trio will also be joined by acclaimed native Detroit R&Bist Deblon Jackson.

**Aisha Ellis Trio and Deblon Jackson**  
Wednesday, August 16, 2023  
7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

**SOUNDS OF SUMMER NEIGHBORHOOD CONCERT SERIES 2023**  
at the **Northwest Campus**

<b>NIQUE LOVE RHODES</b> (HIP HOP) Thursday, July 27, 2023 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	<b>N4STRUCTURE</b> (JAZZ) Thursday, August 24, 2023 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
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The summer concert series will provide entertainment to the community and information regarding programs offered at WCCO.

**NORTHWEST CAMPUS**  
OUTER DRIVE COURTYARD  
5800 N. OUTER DRIVE, DETROIT, MI 48213

COME EARLY! STAY LATE! ADMISSION, ADVISING, REGISTRATION AND FINANCIAL AID ON-SITE!

• ALL AGES WELCOME • FOOD IS PERMITTED  
• NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED ON THE PREMISES  
• CHAIRS AVAILABLE • BLANKETS AND LAWN CHAIRS ARE WELCOME

**N4STRUCTURE (Jazz)**  
Thursday, August 24, 2023  
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.



**Bi-Weekly Strategic  
Initiatives Update Meeting**

**VoIP Team Project  
Implementation Meeting**



## **Campus Technical Support**





# WAYNE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

## MICHIGAN INSTITUTE for PUBLIC SAFETY EDUCATION



### Detroit Fire Department – Fire Cadet Tour and Demonstration

The Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education (MIPSE) hosted cadets from the Detroit Fire Department for a tour and demonstration. They were given opportunities to experience hose work on the car simulator, searching for victims in a smoke filled environment and climb the aerial ladder to the third floor of the tower. They were also given a tour of the airplane and shipboard simulators.



### Marathon Petroleum's Emergency Response Team

Marathon Petroleum's Emergency Response Team had a training course on fire tactics. This training course consisted of instruction to educate driver/operators who are responsible for operating apparatus equipped with fire pumps and on flowing foam.



### U.S. Ecology Confined Space and CPR First Aid Training



### Great Lakes Water Authority Confined Space Training



### Lifeline Ambulance Operations Training



## Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center



### Dual Enrollment Fall 2023 Schedule Review Meeting

Staff met to review the Chandler Park Academy and Harper Woods High School dual enrollment schedules for the Fall 2023 semester.



**Student  
Success!**



Computer Information Systems Faculty and staff attended the CompTIA Annual Conference.



As part of continued efforts to enhance internal controls and processes, the FAOC team participated in the BANNER Accounts Payable module training.



Staff participated in the Annual Data Workshop 2023 sponsored by Michigan Community College Data Evaluation Committee. This workshop will support the final recommendation in compiling the 2023-24 program inventory for WCCCD.

# Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus



## Continuing Education

### City of Detroit Reparations Task Force Seminar

The City of Detroit Reparations Task Force held a seminar to educate and inform residents of the direction and type of reparations that are due, if any, to the residents of Detroit.

### Detroit Fire Commission

Local fire fighters attended a training workshop at the Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus to enhance their abilities to assist in fire suppression from a management standpoint.



## Fall 2023 Semester Preparation Meeting

## Language Institute

The Language Institute had a busy semester providing study groups, game clubs, and cultural workshops to engage students in various languages and cultures.



# Downriver Campus

## U.S. Attorney's Office - Leadership and Supervision Training

The Downriver Campus hosted the U.S. Attorney's Office for its annual National Suicide Awareness for Law Enforcement Officers Program (SAFLEO) for Leadership and Supervision Training. During this training, sworn law enforcement professionals had the opportunity to exchange ideas, strategies, and best practices and create an action plan.



## Community Partners

The Southeast Michigan Community Alliance held its staff meeting at the Downriver Campus.



## Downriver Campus Staff Appreciation Luncheon



# Eastern Campus



## Microbiology Lab Finals

Biology students identified the unknown culture slides with the microscope and visual characteristics.



## Basic Automotive Finishes Class

WCCCD student Krysta Cantrell painted her own vehicle. Ms. Cantrell said, "I am very enthusiastic about learning the different types of auto paint finishes in my ABT 201 course."



## Annual Report Review Meeting



## Preparing for Fall 2023

Campus staff met to prepare for the Fall 2023 Semester.

## Computer Numerical Control (CNC) Lab Cleaning and Maintenance



# Northwest Campus

## Pershing High School Tour

Students from Pershing High School visited the Northwest Campus to learn about programs offered and finished off the tour with a demonstration from Chef Lorenzo Spratling.



*"The GM Student Corp Summer Program Pershing High School Team would like you to express our sincere appreciation to your Northwest Campus*

*Team for a job well done. Our students were very excited about the opportunities that were presented at the Northwest Campus. Because of your teams outstanding presentations and acknowledge many of them have expressed an interest in attending WCCCD."*

*~Reggie Armstrong, Gary Claudio, and Annick Gardon*

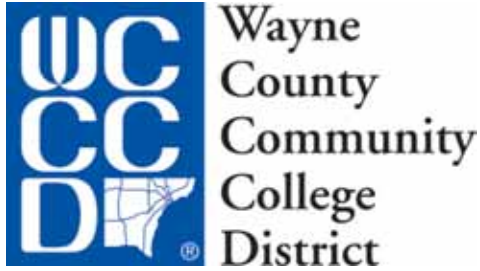


## Continuing Education

Members of the Family Assistance for Renaissance Men (F.A.R.M.) Program met with Will Sampson and Treneece Dortch to learn about programs offered at the Northwest Campus.



# Chancellor's Weekend Memo



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## Mission

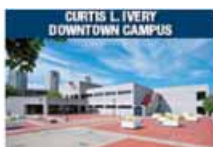
WCCCD's mission is to empower individuals, businesses, and communities to achieve their higher education and career advancement goals through excellent, accessible, culturally diverse, and globally competitive programs and services.

## Vision Statement

WCCCD will be known as a premier community college and innovator in the areas of high quality academic and career education, talent development in support of regional economic growth, diversity and inclusion, and technological advancement.

## WCCCD's Values Statements:

- Supporting excellence in teaching and learning
- Honoring diversity
- Serving the common good
- Being accountable
- Operating with integrity



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