Automotive Technology Races Ahead with Donation by Dobbs Tire and Auto

Dobbs Tire and Auto Centers recently donated a fully functional racecar to the Jefferson College Foundation for instructional use in the College's Automotive Technology program.



Pictured with the vehicle, from left, is Jefferson College Dean of Instruction Dr. Chris DeGeare, Automotive Technology Instructor Bradley Berrey, Automotive Technology Professor Gerard Uhls, Dobbs Tire and Auto President/Chief Executive Officer David Dobbs, and Jefferson College President Dr. Raymond Cummiskey.

The car will be used to supplement training regarding engine and mechanical systems as part of Jefferson College's comprehensive automotive technology curriculum. Possessing a variety of vehicles for students to examine and apply knowledge learned in the classroom provides a heightened learning experience.

"Jefferson College is extremely grateful for the longstanding partnership with Dobbs Tire and Auto Centers," said College President Dr. Raymond Cummiskey. "In addition to the generous sponsorship of Foundation events, their ongoing support of the Automotive Technology program and subsequent employment of Jefferson College graduates supports the workforce of our local communities and drives economic development in our region."



In addition to instructional and training applications, the College will also rebrand the racecar and use it for promotional activities in area parades, festivals and special events.

Automotive Technology is among several popular career education programs in the School of Math, Physics and Technology, allowing students to pursue an Associate of Applied Science degree or a Career and Technical certificate. Jefferson College graduates are employed at many of the automotive dealerships and repair facilities throughout the region.

The Automotive Technology program holds full reaccreditation from the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation (NATEF) through 2022, having undergone a rigorous evaluation using nationally accepted standards of excellence in instruction, facilities, and equipment.

Additional vehicle donations (2005 or newer in running condition without major body damage) are welcome in an effort to provide a variety of makes and models for students to gain hands on experience. For more information about donating a vehicle to the College, contact Automotive Technology Professor Gerard Uhls at (636) 481- 3431 (TDD 789-5772).





"We Are the Vikings" Christmas Parade Float In Our Community

We love our community...that was the message conveyed to hundreds of area residents as Jefferson College participated in local Christmas parades again this year with the unique "We Are the Vikings" ship.

A group of enthusiastic students, employees, and family members—along with the College's beloved mascot Victor E. Viking--braved the elements to greet people along the parade routes in Kimmswick and Hillsboro. Many supportive comments were received by parade goers of all ages.

Thanks to all who played a part in this fun, festive outreach project to show Jefferson College spirit and camaraderie in our community...Go Vikings! More photos are available on the Jefferson College Go Jeffco page on Facebook.







Making Spirits Bright: Adopt-a-Family Project Personifies Caring College Community

A tip of *The Windjammer* sails goes to Jefferson College's Student Senate, clubs, and Administrative Team for joining together to make a memorable holiday season for some deserving students and their families through the Holiday-Adopt-A-Family program. Volunteers gathered to wrap gift items while enjoying some holiday spirit and camaraderie.

Thanks to all who supported this unique project in order to make the holidays more enjoyable for those in need. Thank you!

More photos are available on the <u>Jefferson College Go Jeffco page on Facebook.</u>















PACE Series – Annual Community Jazz Project Concert Dec. 12 Includes Area High Schools



The Jefferson College PACE (Performing Arts and Cultural Enrichment) event series will continue with the annual Community Jazz Project concert this Thursday, December 12, at 7 p.m. in the Fine Arts Theatre on the Hillsboro campus. There is no cost to attend. Reservations are not required.

Throughout the day, Jefferson College Music Professor Dr. Joel Vanderheyden will work with area high school bands including De Soto, Fox, Hillsboro, North County, Northwest, and Potosi.

Clinics with area schools will begin at 9 a.m. followed by an open jam session led by Jefferson College Music Faculty Member Travis Lewis at noon. College faculty will present a jazz performance at 4 p.m. followed by masterclasses at 4:30.

The evening concert will include each of the high school groups, highlighted by performances from the Jefferson College Jazz Band and Jazz Ensembles under the direction of Vanderheyden.



With degrees in Saxophone Performance and Pedagogy (DMA, University of Iowa), Jazz Studies (MM, University of Maryland), and Music Performance and Education (BA, University of Minnesota, Morris), Vanderheyden is a seasoned performer and educator in both jazz and classical styles. At Jefferson College, he teaches Music Theory, Jazz Improvisation, Jazz Appreciation, Applied Woodwinds, and directs the Jefferson College Jazz Ensembles.

He has previously served as Director of Jazz at both the University of Minnesota-Morris and Oakton Community College in the Chicago area. He is a member of the Missouri Saxophone Quartet, and performs regularly with the St. Louis Jazz Orchestra. He has performed at the World Saxophone Congress (St. Andrews, Scotland, 2012), at jazz festivals in Switzerland, France, and Holland, and at notable stateside venues including Carnegie Hall, Blues Alley, The Dakota, The Artists` Quarter, The Smithsonian National Air and Space Museum, and The Stephen Sondheim Center for the Performing Arts.

The free concert is suitable for all ages and is one of many activities Jefferson College hosts each year in connection with its mission of community outreach and diverse educational experiences for residents. For detailed information about other upcoming PACE performances/times, visit the Jefferson College website at www.jeffco.edu/PACE.

Basketball Team

Go Vikings! Under Head Coach Ashley McGee and Assistant Coach Mariah West, the 2019-20 basketball season has started and the Vikings are hungry for postseason play. Team members include Kendall Boyer, Tyra Brown, Aida Castell, Giana Copeland, Gemma Ruiz Garcia, Ton'Quasha Hayes, Kelly Hunter, Char'da Hutchinson, McKenzie Miller, Katerina Patkova, Augustina Talasimov, and Chiara De Virgillio.

General admission to all homes games is \$3/adults and \$1/ students or a season pass is available for only \$30. Jefferson College students and faculty/staff are admitted free.

You can also view player profiles, stats and more by visiting <u>jeffco.edu/basketball</u>.



Upcoming home games:

Dec. 15 vs Iowa Western – 2 p.m.

Dec. 16 vs John A Logan – 5 p.m.

Dec. 18 vs Lewis & Clark - 5 p.m.

Dec. 20 vs Southeastern Illinois - 5:30 p.m.

Jan. 15 vs Mineral Area - 5 p.m.

Jan. 22 vs Moberly - 5:30 p.m.

Feb. 8 vs Three Rivers - 2 p.m.

Feb. 15 vs Crowder - 2 p.m.

Feb. 19 vs State Fair - 6 p.m.





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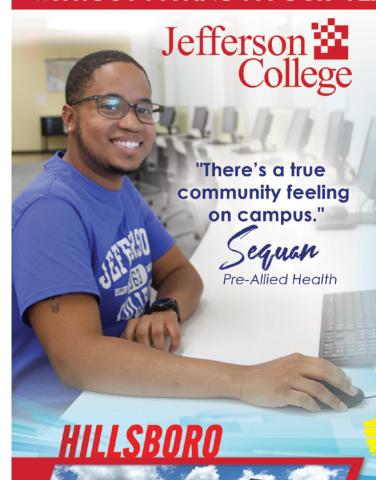
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All monthly agenda items and supporting materials are posted online via the Board Docs site accessible through the Jefferson College website homepage at jeffco.edu clicking on "About" > "Leadership" > "Board of Trustees" links.

Agenda items approved and/or discussed for November/December:

- Presentation: Generation Z (Holly Lincoln and Roger Barrentine)
- Approval of Consent Agenda Items (Minutes, Financial Statement, Investments Report, Faculty Load Adjustment Fall 2019, Certified Professional Staff Contract Revision, Curriculum Matters, and Continuing Education Course Offerings Spring 2020)
- Purchase Eagle Universal Bending Machine
- Purchase Clausing Colchester Lathe
- Purchase SimServeRX Bedside Smartcart
- Purchase PeopleAdmin Position Management and Employee Records Modules
- Occupational Therapy Assistant Course Fees Change
- Appointment of Associate Dean of Math, Physics, and Technology (Maryanne Angliongto)
- Appointment of Director of Student Compliance/Title IX Coordinator (Kimberly Sahr)
- Resignation of Director of Student Support Services/Project SUCCESS (Diane Arnzen)
- Resignation of Assistant Baseball Coach (Josh Bunselmeyer)
- Resignation of Full-Time Access Services Librarian (Elizabeth Steffen)

2020 Board Meeting Schedule

January 9 – 5 p.m. February 13 – 5 p.m. March 12 – 5 p.m. April 9 – 6 p.m. May 14 – 5 p.m. June 11 – 5 p.m. July 23 – 5 p.m. September 10 – 5:30 p.m.

October 8 – 6 p.m. December 3 – 5 p.m.

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Jefferson Foundation Awards Funds for Healthcare Programs Scholarships and Vikings' Vault



The Jefferson Foundation recently announced \$54,000 in funding to the Jefferson College Foundation to provide 18 scholarships to first-year or pre-program students entering Health Occupation Programs: Bi-Level Nursing, Physical Therapist Assistant, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Radiologic Technology, and Health Information Technology.

Additionally, the Foundation awarded \$10,000 for the Vikings' Vault student food pantry. The funds will be used to purchase food and supplies needed for the student-centered initiative that is a resource to any currently enrolled Jefferson College student.

Monticello Society Induction Ceremony Honors Donors

To honor those who have made significant contributions to the Jefferson College Foundation in support of Jefferson College and its students, the Foundation recently hosted the annual Monticello Society recognition ceremony.

Foundation Board President Jennifer Hansen and College President Dr. Raymond Cummiskey acknowledged the 2019 honorees:

Patron Circle (\$50,000 or Greater)

Dr. Martha Ann Reed

Benefactor Circle (\$20,000 or Greater)

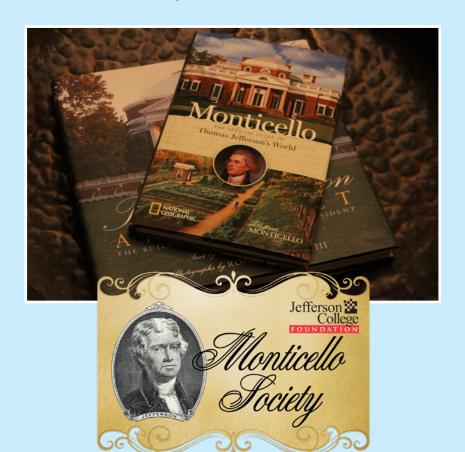
The Gene Haas Foundation, Daniel Govero, and Roger Zacher, Sr.

Also acknowledged were several individuals and organizations whose fiscal-year gifts advanced them to a higher level of recognition:

Thomas and Vicki Burke - Legacy
Thomas and Linda Murry - Legacy
Sapaugh Motor Company - Legacy
Ameren Missouri - Patron
Mysun Charitable Foundation - Patron
Specialized Catering/Food Service Consultants, Mike Kumpf - Patron

The Monticello Society is comprised of distinguished top donors whose generosity, commitment, and qualities of leadership through giving allow the Foundation to fulfill its mission to provide Jefferson College with the financial support it needs to offer quality programs, services, and facilities, and help students achieve their educational goals.

The Monticello Society meets annually to recognize new members whose generosity and loyalty has a great impact on Jefferson College. The Society's members' contributions to the Foundation since its inception in 1991—whether a bequest, in kind, planned giving, establishing a scholarship, or restricted/unrestricted cash—has a combined total of nearly \$4 million.





John Murry (representative of Thomas and Linda Murry)

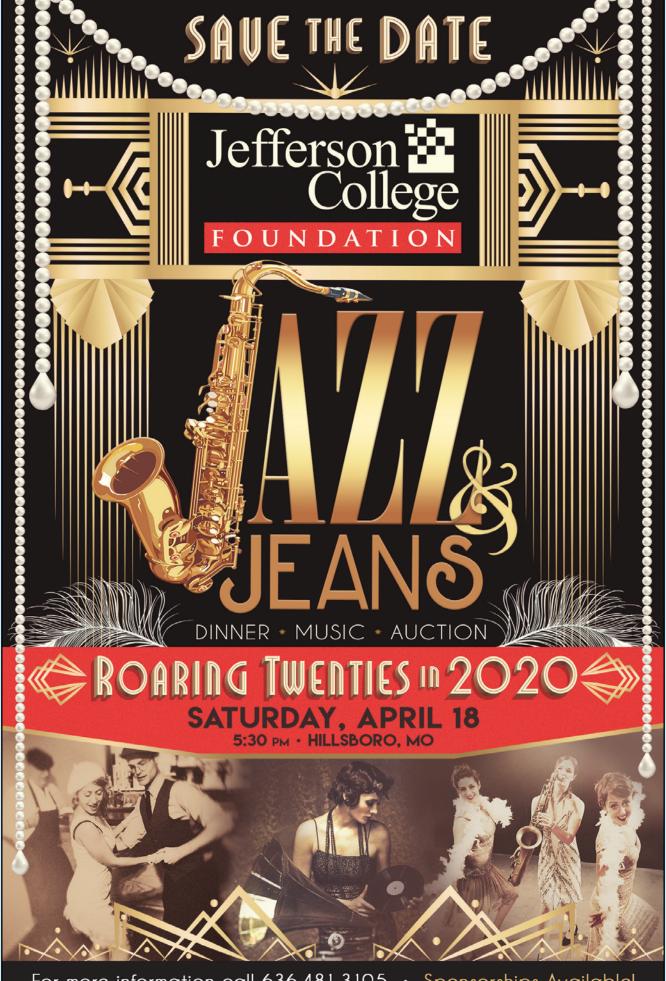


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