Shatter the Silence and Stop the Violence: Jefferson College and COMTREA Take Back the Night April 25

Jefferson College and COMTREA Health Center will again co-host "Take Back the Night" on Thursday, April 25, beginning at 4:30 p.m. at the Field House on the Hillsboro campus in conjunction with April's designation as Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM). This is the eighth year for the community awareness event.

Take Back the Night is an annual event that strives to create safe communities and respectful relationships through awareness. It seeks to end all forms of sexual and domestic abuse. The event recognizes survivors of violence and abuse, along with their advocates, and anyone who wishes to shatter the silence and stop the violence.

According to the national Take Back the Night website, 1 in 3 women and 1 in 6 men worldwide experience some form of sexual violence. Less than 50 percent of victims report these crimes.

Open to everyone in the region, the educational and inspirational evening will include several activities and guest speakers, highlighted by a walk and rally to recognize and support survivors of sexual violence and abuse. Free food and refreshments will be provided as well as free USB bracelets loaded with community resources.



Attendees can also participate in the Clothesline Project, an avenue for victims and survivors affected by violence to express their emotions by decorating a shirt and hanging it on a clothesline to be viewed by others as testimony to the problem of violence.

Although all Take Back the Night activities are free, proceeds from fundraising that evening will go to the Mary Daniels Scholarship fund, in support of the former Jefferson County resident who was the fatal victim of a violent physical attack.

Take Back the Night will begin at 4:30 p.m. with a resource fair, personal safety demonstrations, and live music. For a complete list of participating resources and organizations, visit www.jeffco.edu/TBTN.

Schedule of Events

4:30 p.m. - Resource Fair and Personal Safety Demonstrations

5:30 p.m. – Forum Panel Q&A

6:15 p.m. - Walk and rally and Speak Out



As in previous years, KJFF/KTJJ radio will also broadcast live.

Take Back the Night empowers survivors in the healing process and inspires responsibility in all with a goal to create safe communities and respectful relationships through awareness events and initiatives. Events highlight the problem of violence as well as the broader issues of sexual violence: sexual assault, dating violence, sexual abuse, domestic violence, stalking, sexual harassment, child abuse, and other unhealthy relationships.

For more information about Take Back the Night activities or volunteer and vendor opportunities, visit www.jeffco.edu/TBTN or contact Kristine Bogue by calling (636) 481-3262 or emailing kbogue1@jeffco.edu.

Dean's List Announced for Fall 2018

Jefferson College Vice President of Student Services, Dr. Kimberly Harvey, recently announced the Dean's List for the Fall 2018 semester, containing the names of 688 students who earned the academic recognition.

To qualify for the Dean's List honor, full-time students must achieve a grade point average of 3.25 or higher (on a 4.0 scale) in at least 12 graded credit hours taken that semester. Parttime students who accumulate 12 or more graded credit hours with a 3.25 grade point average also qualify and must contact the Vice President of Student Services Office within ten days of grade reporting to be included.

The Dean's List can be viewed online at www.jeffco.edu under the "News and Events" tab.



PTK Honor Society Chapter Welcomes New Members

The Jefferson College Xi Zeta chapter of Phi Theta Kappa international honor society recently hosted its spring induction ceremony, honoring 84 outstanding students who met the qualifications for membership. To be considered for membership, students must have a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale.

The mission of Phi Theta Kappa is to recognize academic achievement of college students and to provide opportunities for them to grow as scholars and leaders. The society is based on the hallmarks of scholarship, leadership, service, and fellowship.

The Xi Zeta chapter was established at Jefferson College in 1965 and has received numerous regional and international awards. Chapter advisors are Director of Institutional Effectiveness and Strategic Planning Trish Aumann and Instructional Support Specialist Karen Hester. The Xi Zeta chapter was named a 2019 5-Star Chapter and also was a recipient of the Great Idea Award for their work on the Buckle Up Phone Down campaign. Aumann additionally received a Horizon Award for her contributions to the region as an advisor.

Check out more photos from the ceremony on the <u>Jefferson College Go Jeffco page</u> on Facebook.





Jefferson College Teacher Education Student and Alum Receive Statewide Recognition

Jefferson College student Katie Glassey of Ste. Genevieve, who will graduate from the Teacher Education program with her Associate of Arts in Teaching degree this May, is the statewide recipient of the 2018 Ruth Brinkmann Award.

Recipients are selected from Missouri's 13 community colleges and must be preparing to transfer to a university to complete a degree in teacher education. The award criteria includes grade point average, an essay, and a letter of recommendation.

Jefferson College Teacher Education Professor Dr. Kenneth Boning nominated Glassey for her collaborative efforts and participation with numerous campus organizations and activities. She served as the co-president and treasurer of the Jefferson College Student-MNEA chapter, volunteered at the state and local levels with the Polar Plunge to support special education, and participated in a variety of voluntary community service roles.

Because of Brinkmann's contributions to community college teacher education in the state, the Missouri Association of Colleges for Teacher Education-Community College Division (MACTE-CCD) created the award in 2011. It is presented in her honor every other year, along with a \$500 stipend, during the MACTE conference held in Columbia.

Additionally, Kira Baker, a Jefferson College Teacher Education alumna who now teaches Art at Crystal City Elementary, is one of the recipients of the Outstanding Beginning Teacher Awards (nominated by her fouryear program at UMSL). During her first year at Crystal City, Baker implemented a K-8 collaborative art piece inspired by Kelsey Montague's #whatliftsyou campaign. The collaboration required each student to create a feather describing what lifted them, combining both art and character education collaborative pedagogy. Additionally, she has coached cross-country for the Crystal City School District, where two of the runners she has coached have qualified for state honors. During her time at UMSL, Kira actively participated in the UMSL pre-service chapter of the National Art Education Association, led the student art organization Artists Anonymous, and produced exemplary work in both studio art and education classes.



Jefferson College Teacher Education student
Katie Glassey and alumna Kira Baker are
the winners of two prestigious state awards
presented by the Missouri Association of
Colleges for Teacher Education. Pictured,
from left, is Jefferson College Interim
Associate Dean of Social and Natural
Sciences, Dr. Terry Kite; Glassey; Baker;
and Jefferson College Teacher Education
Professor, Dr. Kenneth Boning.



Substitute Teacher Seminar April 24 -Learn How to Obtain Substitute Certificate

Those interested in becoming a substitute teacher are invited to attend a free seminar hosted by Jefferson College Employment Services and the Teacher Education program on Wednesday, April 24, from 2-3 p.m. in the Student Center Viking Room on the Hillsboro campus.

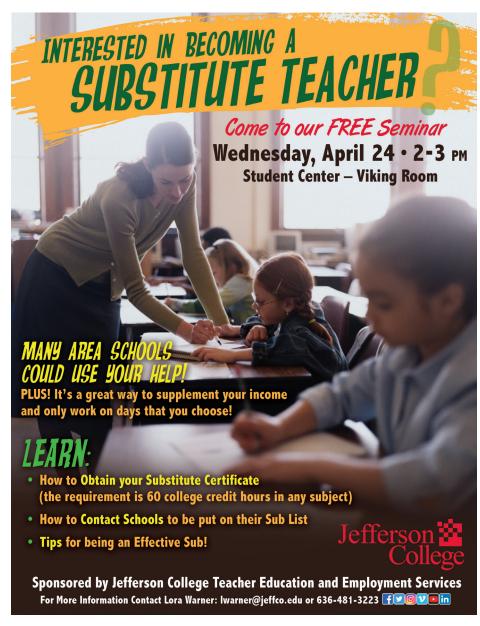
Seminar attendees will learn how to obtain a substitute certificate and how to contact schools to be placed on their substitute list, along with tips for being an effective substitute.

Many area schools are in need of substitutes teachers each day. Being a substitute teacher is a good way to supplement income and maintain a selective and flexible work schedule.

People become substitute teachers for a variety of reasons. If you are thinking about starting a teaching career, substituting can be a great way to find out if the profession is for you. If you enjoy working with children and are looking to supplement your income, substitute teaching can provide

a flexible way to do so. Most importantly, substitute teachers have the chance to make an impact on young peoples' lives.

For more information about the Substitute Teacher seminar, contact Employment Services Specialist Lora Warner at (636) 481-3223 or email lwarner@jeffco.edu.





College's Music Faculty Present Recital

As part of the Jefferson College Performing Arts and Cultural Enrichment (PACE) event series, faculty members of the Music Department recently presented a recital. The recital provided an opportunity for prospective students and community members to acquaint themselves with the diverse talents of faculty through vocal and instrumental performances.



Performing faculty included:



Kyu Butler - piano accompaniment



Travis Lewis guitar



Elke Overton – alto/soprano saxophone



Joe Pastor - percussion



Tyler Vahldick - trombone



Joel Vanderheyden – alto saxophone/electronics

The Music Department has an excellent record of accomplishment in preparing musicians for study at four-year colleges and universities and respected music conservatories across the country. Jefferson College also offers a variety of performance group and solo opportunities for the music major and non-major student as well as community members such as concert band, choirs and jazz ensembles.

To view more photos from the event, visit the <u>Jefferson College Go Jeffco page</u> on Facebook.

Math Contest Winners Announced for 2019

Jefferson College recently hosted its annual Math Contest to provide students in grades 7-12 the opportunity to demonstrate their mathematics skills and compete for medals and trophies. It is one of many ways Jefferson College reaches out to area school districts and junior high/high school students to provide learning activities and exposure to the College's academic programs and campus facilities.

Individuals were awarded medals for their achievement and winning teams received trophies.

Photos of the winners are posted on the <u>Jefferson College Go Jeffco Facebook page</u>.





7th GradeFirst: Tony Najjar, Windsor
Second: Lane Hamtil, Senn Thomas
Third: Hank Shrader, DeSoto



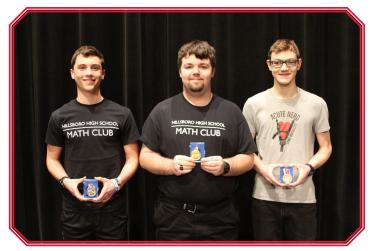
8th GradeFirst: Lucas Wilson, Windsor
Second: Dimitri Shlosberg, Hillsboro
Third (tie): Haley Smith, Senn Thomas, and
Joshua Spindler, Festus



9th Grade
First: Yaphet Chavez, Herculaneum
Second: Hannah Wigger, Jefferson
Third: Billy Kaeser, DeSoto



10th GradeFirst: David Teague, Herculaneum
Second: Tristan Jones, Hillsboro
Third: Catryn Cattoor, Jefferson



11th Grade

First: Jacob Mason, Hillsboro Second: Michael Wright, Hillsboro Third (tie): Thomas Kostecki, Herculaneum, and Jonathan Gowan, Desoto



12th Grade

First: Brendan Young, Hillsboro Second: Aaron Harrison, Windsor Third: Karis Kulp, DeSoto



Junior High Teams

First: Windsor Second: Hillsboro Third: Senn Thomas



High School Teams

First: Hillsboro Second: Herculaneum Third (tie): Windsor and Desoto



Group Challenge Junior High: Festus



Group ChallengeSenior High: Hillsboro

Math Contest has been held at Jefferson College for 28 years, involving the best math students from area schools. Faculty members from the Math Department created the tests, one for grades 7-8 and another for grades 9-12.

To learn more about the Jefferson College Math academic program, related career pathways, and available degree programs, visit www.jeffco.edu/academics/math.



PACE Series Welcomes Modern American Dance Company (MADCO) April 23

The Jefferson College Performing Arts and Cultural Enrichment (PACE) Series will continue on Tuesday, April 23, with a performance by the Modern American Dance Company (MADCO). The show will be held in the Fine Arts Theatre on the Hillsboro campus beginning at 7:30 p.m. and is appropriate for all ages.

As the longest running professional dance company in St. Louis, MADCO has been moving audiences—and serving our greater community—for more over 40 years. MADCO is an integrated and well- known part of the cultural fabric of St. Louis.

The troupe is a premier dance company that provides audiences with entertaining and innovative dance experiences and inspires students of all ages with integrated education programs. The company is known for its versatile and athletic style, presenting dance that is entertaining for audiences to watch and demanding for dancers to perform.

MADCO has wowed audiences throughout the United States and Canada. MADCO is committed to education and uses dance to promote literacy through its popular residency program "Books in Motion."

Advance tickets are \$5 general admission, \$2 students and senior citizens. All individual advance ticket purchases must be completed in person at the cashier's window on the Hillsboro campus. If available, tickets will also be sold at the door, cash only.

For detailed information about other PACE performances/times, visit the Jefferson College website at www.jeffco.edu/PACE.





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April 23 MADCO (Modern American Dance Company) @ 7:30 PM

April 26 48 Hour Film Festival Screening FREEL

April 29-May 10 Jefferson College Student Art Exhibit FREEL

May 7 Band Concert "Ritual, Reflection and Rejoicing" @ 7:30 PM

May 8-9 Spring Pottery Sale Wed. 10 AM - 6 PM, Thurs. 10 AM - 4 PM FREE!

May 9 Choir Concert "Music in Song - A Celebration of Human Emotion" @ 7:30 PM



BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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.

Items approved and/or discussed:

March:

- HLC Wrap-Up (Caron Daugherty and Kim Harvey)
- Presentation: Instructional Division Restructure Process Update (Caron Daugherty, Task Force Members, Chris Otto)
- Presentation: Workforce Development (Dena McCaffrey and Bryan Herrick)
- Presentation: Classification & Compensation Study (Tasha Welsh and Carrie Greer)
- Consent Agenda (Minutes, Financial Statement, Investments Report, Faculty Load {Spring 2019}, and Curriculum Matters)
- Purchase Amatrol Skill Boss
- Re-employment of Faculty, 2019-2020
- Re-employment of Certified Professional Staff, 2019-2020
- Granting of Tenure, 2019
- Voluntary Separation Incentive Program for Staff
- Tuition Increase FY 2020
- President-Elect's Contract

April:

- Certification of Election Results/Administering the Oath of Office (Krystal Hargis, Ron Scaggs. and Retta "Susan" Tuggle)
- Organization of the Board (President Steve Meinberg, Vice President Krystal Hargis)
- Establishment of Time and Place of Regular Board Meetings
- Consent Agenda (Minutes, Financial Statement, Investments Report, Curriculum Matters, Student Credit Hours Generated Extra Pay {2018-2019}, and Continuing Education Course Offerings {Summer 2019})
- Minutes of the Board of Trustees Work Session March 7, 2019
- Minutes of the Board of Trustees Work Session March 28, 2019
- Approval of Contract Extension Food Service Consultants, Inc.
- Approval of Contract Viking Woods Door Replacement
- Approval of Contract Utility Management System VAV Box Purchase and Installation
- Approval Promotions in Accordance with Faculty Promotions in Academic Ranking System

BOARD OF TRUSTEES



Board Secretary Lisa Vinyard (right) administers the oath of office to newly elected trustees (from left) Retta "Susan" Tuggle, Krystal Hargis, and Ron Scaggs.

Regular meetings are held the second Thursday of most months and are open to the public. Each meeting can also be followed live via the BoardDocs site mentioned above.

Board dates for 2019 are:

May 9 June 13 July 25 September 12 October 10 December 5

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
PTK Induction Ceremony 2 PM FA - Theatre	SWK Careers & Education Event 12 PM SC - Viking Room	Washington Univ. Transfer Rep 9:30 AM ASI East Hallway MSHSAA State/ District Music Festival 12 PM FA - Theatre	MSHSAA State/ District Festival 7:45 AM, FA - Theatre Jefferson County Drug Prevention Coalition 9 AM, JCA Rm 323 Central Methodist Rep 11 AM, JCA Lobby	MSHSAA State/District Music Festival 7:45 AM, FA - Theatre Purdue Global Univ. Rep 10 AM ASI East Hallway	MSHSAA State/District Festival 7:45 AM, FA - Theatre Friday Speaker Series 11:45 AM SC - Viking Room	Baseball vs State Fair Comm. College 1 PM, Baseball Field Men's Soccer vs Gateway Legacy Christian Acad. 3:30 PM, Soccer Field
7	8	9 MO Baptist Univ Transfer Rep 9 AM, ASI East Hallway American Red Cross Blood Drive 9:30 AM, SC-Viking Rm Careers in Education Information Night 6:30 PM, JCA Rm 323	10	Board of Trustees Meeting 5 PM Admin. Board Rm	12	Baseball vs Mineral Area College 1 PM, Baseball Field Jazz & Jeans 5:30 PM, Field House Jefferson County Shakespeare Project 6 PM, FA - Theatre
14	Jefferson County Shakespeare Project 10 AM FA - Theatre	Etiquette Lunch 11:30 AM SC - Viking Room Club Awards Ceremony 6 PM SC - Viking Room	Maryville University Transfer Rep 10 AM ASI East Hallway	St. Louis University Transfer Rep 10 AM ASI East Hallway Baseball vs Webster University 2 PM Baseball Field	Spring Holiday Campus Closed	20
21	22	Harris Stowe College 2 PM, Baseball Field MADCO Dance Company	24 Substitute Teaching Seminar 2 PM, SC-Viking Rm Student Senate Critical Forum 3 PM, ASI Rm 119 Service Awards 6 PM, JCF Ault House	2019 Take Back the Night 12 PM Field House - Gym	26 Extra Life Charity - Legion of Gamers 5 PM, Field House - Rm 200, 204, 206 48 Hour Film Festival Screening 7 PM, FA - Theatre	27 Sho-Me Basketball Showcase 8 AM, Field House-Gym Jeffco Pride 12 PM, SC Patio Baseball vs Three Rivers Comm. College 1 PM, Baseball Field
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