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If you have information or ideas for new content, fun facts, or PCC trivia, send them to Marketing for inclusion in the next newsletter

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FREE KANSAS COLLEGE APPLICATION DAYS

November 7-9th, any Kansas resident, regardless of age or income can apply for free at any of our seven public universities, 19 community colleges, six technical colleges, and the 21 private member institutions of the Kansas Independent College Association.

Eligible programs include general applications, certificate programs, associate degree programs and bachelor degree programs. (Graduate programs or other mid-degree applications will not qualify.)



PCC Spring Classes Begin January 10th

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Thank you to all of our contributors.

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Quote of the Month

*We must find time to
STOP & THANK
the people who make a
DIFFERENCE
in our lives.*

- JOHN F. KENNEDY

November 2023

Important dates

Last Day to Initiate Withdrawal From Full-Semester Classes

November 7th by 5pm

HLC Accreditation Visit

November 13-14th

PCC Tech Day

November 16th @ 9am-1pm

Performing Arts Choir & Jazz Band Concert

October 19th @ 2:30pm

Thanksgiving Break - Campus Closed

November 22nd, 23rd & 24th

DECEMBER A LOOK AHEAD

Performing Arts - A Christmas to Remember

December 1st & 2nd @ 7:30pm

Final Exams

December 5th, 6th, and 7th.

Residence Hall Check out

December 9th by 5:00pm

Faculty Work Day

December 8th

Final Grade Entry

December 12th by 5:00pm

Winter Break - Campus Closed

December 22nd - January 2nd



ADMISSIONS

Admissions & Faculty share our Technical programs with ESSDACK

ESSDACK welcomed more than 5,000 students from over 100 Kansas school districts at the 6th annual Career Expo hosted at the Kansas State Fairgrounds October 23-24. High school students engaged with 230 exhibitors including colleges, businesses and public services. Pratt Community College was part of this event with our Admissions team and tech program faculty sharing with prospective students some of the technical programs we offer. A few that were showcased included Ag Power Technology, Welding Technology, Automotive, Information Technology, and Electrical Power Technology programs. On site, Pratt Community College included hands-on opportunities for the visiting students. Ralph Williams, Ag Power Technology Instructor brought a diesel engine that students can see how it works and Welding instructors had our Lincoln Electric virtual welder available for students to try out. "Man, I love talking to kids about Welding!, It's the best job in the world!" Bobby Waldschmidt, PCC Welding Instructor - Attica.

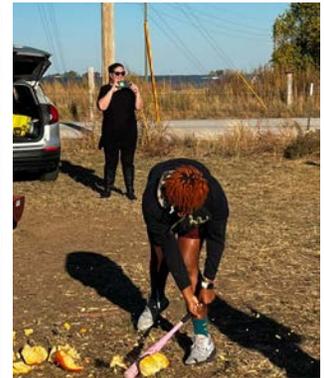
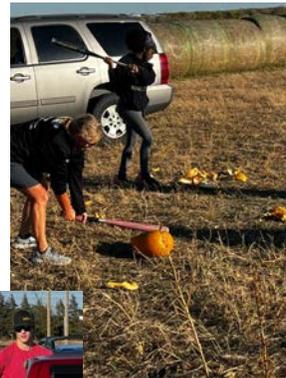


STUDENT SUCCESS

An Event More than Smashing Pumpkins

The Student Success office along with the help of our Agriculture Instructor Barrett Smith scheduled an event for our students to relieve some stress and maybe have a little fun.

Students were able to select a pumpkin and with provided implements smash them in a pasture on campus. As the fall semester goes on students may become stressed or over loaded. As a way to get some of those feelings out in a healthy manner and go along with the season, Diego Esparza, Director of Students Success coordinated this event. The students, faculty and staff all seemed to enjoy the evening event.



VETERANS DAY

NOVEMBER 11TH

Pratt Community College honors our
employees who served



*Happy
Veterans
Day*

Ashley Bertram
Phillip D. Campbell
Jason Ghumm
Jerry Sanko
Frank Stahl
Mario Tursini
Felicia Teeter

PCC Honors the wishes of veteran employees
who choose not to participate in this recognition.

Thank You



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



Myles Phillips

Field of Study: Electric Power Technology (EPT)

Hometown: Wichita, Kansas

Hobbies: Hanging out with friends, games, and listening to music or watching a show

What brought you to PCC?

"I knew I wanted to be a lineman and every one of my family members gave me the recommendation to go to Pratt."

Why did you pursue this field of study?

"I liked working with my dad, who is an electrician and family members had mentioned taking that next step and going to school to be a lineman. and family members had mentioned taking that next step and going to school to be a lineman. When I was younger I wanted to be an astronaut, but knew I wasn't the type of person that was going to get a PhD in Physics or Chemistry and knew I liked working with electricity."

What do you like best about the program?

"Lab and climbing. The fact that we get to apply what we learn and usually even later that same day is a great feature."

Is there any particular class, lesson, or hands-on activity you have really enjoyed in the program?

"The hands-on part for sure."



What do you plan to do in your career after earning your degree or certificate?

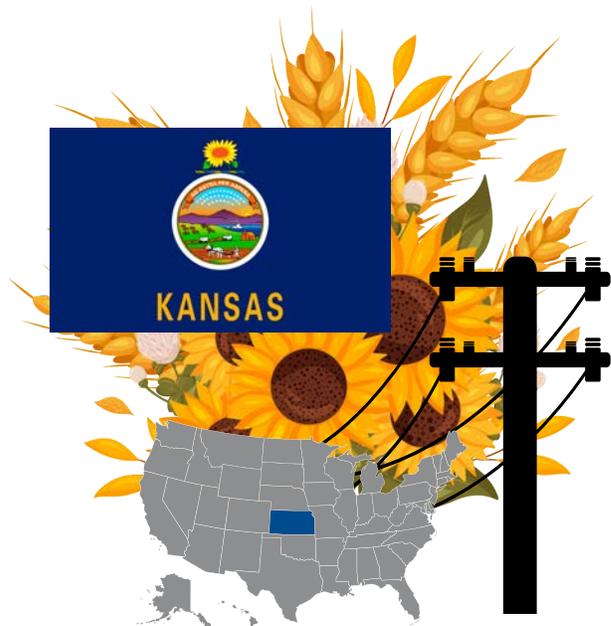
"I plan to apply to Evergy in Wichita. I have heard that coops or union positions have steadier hours and good pay."

How have you adapted to dorm life and Pratt, KS?

"Living in the dorms is different and a big change, but a good thing is that you have the opportunity to be by yourself if you want or if you want to be by others then you can always find someone around. I used to work in small towns and getting to know the people in a small town is different."

What advice would you give to future students?

"Show up to class. I have already had days that I just didn't want to go, but really should have, especially with the EPT program. The EPT process is also complicated and I thank my aunt for helping me with the process. Make sure to get your dorm paperwork in as early as possible."





STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Cathy Blasi

Everything happens for a reason. Cathy Blasi began working for Pratt Community College in 1982 as the switchboard operator. The switchboard used to be housed in the location of the current HR office and included an eight-line system and intercom.

After 3 years, the board approved a new Nursing Program and Cathy transitioned to the Nursing Secretary position, and was in that position for 17 years. In 1999, she came up to the Administrative Assistant to the Vice President of Instruction position and has been there ever since.

Today Cathy's daily tasks include tackling emails, checking Mrs. DePew's calendar, curriculum updates, academic scheduling, and program updates for KBOR. "It is a new day everyday, you never know what the day will bring", Cathy shares.

Through many building, staffing, and faculty changes, the starkest change Cathy shares is the "technology and computers."

Cathy recalls her fondest memory to date was the graduates of a nursing class presented her with a homemade quilt at the pinning ceremony, it left a lasting impression.

Going on 42 years with PCC, Cathy says the Students are what has kept her here for so long. "Everything I do contributes to the student's academic experience."

Cathy shares that her words of advice to others is to "have patience with yourself and others."

Throughout life, Cathy has had many memorable events. Her most memorable experience outside of PCC would have to be when she and her husband were working to rebuild a nature trail in the Colorado Rocky Mountains. When transporting dynamite and blasting caps up a lift, the chain broke and she was stuck on the side of a mountain when an electrical storm rolled in. With a few minutes to spare the lift was fixed and she was back to safety.

In her spare time, she spends time in the country with her farm cats and wandering wildlife. Cathy has also aspired to be a famous author of murder mystery novels.

We thank Cathy Blasi for her continued service to Pratt Community College.



FACULTY SPOTLIGHT



Carmen Forest

Carmen Forest has had one exciting ride. In August of 1984, two weeks after closing ceremonies of the 1984 Los Angeles Olympics. She was visiting a friend and family and received a call about a job at Pratt Community College. The Head Volleyball and Basketball position had opened up. She interviewed over the phone and was offered the position by 3pm the same day.

Carmen held the Volleyball coach position for 3 years and the basketball coach for 4 years. She also held the Interim AD position in the Spring of 1986.

Once the health and wellness program curriculum was developed Carmen moved to her current faculty position.

Carmen Forest was an inaugural member of the US Women's Handball Team, who started training in 1976 and was dubbed one of the "Warlords" that stayed with the team through the 1984 Olympics. As there were no other handball teams in the US to practice with, she and the team were able to travel the world to train and practice. Their handball team placed 5th at the Olympics.

Since her Olympic debut, Carmen has also run 26 marathons in the US and Canada, including 2 Boston Marathons. She was named a Pikes Peak 'Skyrunner' for her 16 consecutive years of attending the Pikes Peak marathon. Carmen was also part of the 1996 Olympic torch run and attended the event.

Carmen shares that now she gets to share all of her wonderful experiences with the students. She has a love for the students and connects and stays connected throughout the years. "Students have definitely changed", shares Carmen with changes in entitlement and student diversity.

Carmen shares that going on 40 years here at PCC, "the small town, the family atmosphere, and seeing the students come back to work here" has kept her grounded in Pratt, Ks.

Remember to "Believe in yourself, be true to yourself." Carmen shares. "It has been a blessing to move to Pratt, KS, this is my family, these are my people".

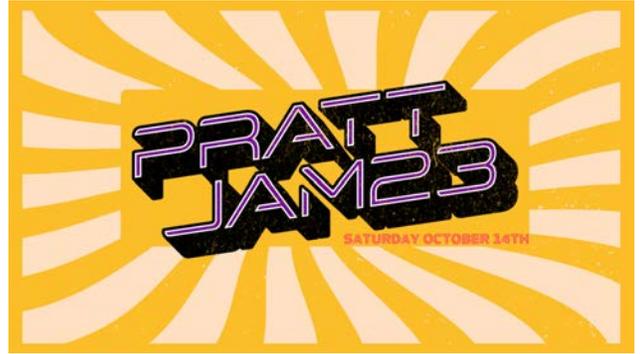
We thank Carmen Forest for her continued service to Pratt Community College.



COMMUNITY PRATT JAM

Many Pratt Community College students had a busy Saturday on October 14th!

The Cheer team started the day with face painting at the 2023 Pratt Jam, and finished the day performing for our community members. Our Encore group started the day with a t-shirt fundraiser booth in the vendor area and performed later that afternoon for all the community that attended the Pratt Jam. The Wrestling Team had a wonderful turnout of over 400 community members attending their annual Hog Roast.



Special thanks to everyone who showed their support. We love being involved in our community!!

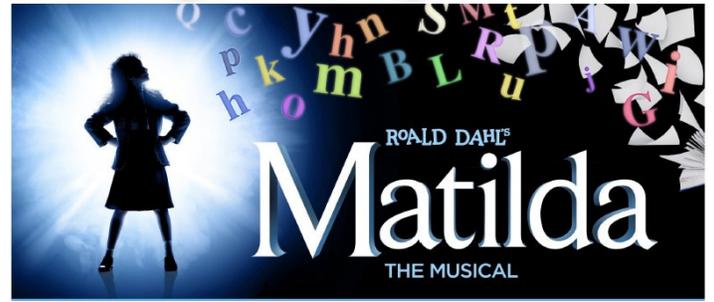
#Pratt Proud #OurMiddleNameisCommunity



PCC PERFORMING ARTS PRESENTS

PCC's Performing Arts took center stage to a community audience for the production of Matilda the Musical on campus October 27-29th.

Featuring many local actors and actresses of all ages, this musical, based off the book by Roald Dahl, introduced a young girl named Matilda (Reagan Blasi, community member) who has a horrible home life. Once she is sent to school, things don't get much better with the horrible head mistress Agatha Trunchbull (Zack Zongker, PCC student), but with the love and care of her teacher Miss Honey (Jadyn Thompson, PCC student), Matilda finds her voice and helps others along the way. Matilda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wormwood (Ben Jones and Amber Jellison-Harris, community members) are more concerned with car sales and dance competitions than they are their youngest child.



A whole cast of school-age kids from 4th grade through sophomore were involved in the production as Matilda's schoolmates and several area adults were involved in the production as well. The cast of 38 did not disappoint with incredible choreography by Melissa Jacobs. The live band led by J.J. Rupe and including Dr. Mark Green, Brandon Wade, Lisa Rawlings and Brian Beaman brought musical richness to the production. Many thanks to all who attended and shared their children with our department. Photos taken by the Performing Arts official photographer - [Midwest Plains Aerial and Land Photography](#).



The Performing Arts department will finish off the semester with a Choir & Jazz Band Concert on November 19 at 2:30pm and our traditional Christmas to Remember show on December 1st and 2nd at 7:30pm.

STUDENT LIFE

Student Life was all a buzz for Beaver Fever week. Recent events included: Scary movie night, dodgeball, snowcones, pumpkin smashing -hosted by student success and finished off the month with Late Night in the Lesh. Be sure to follow @PCCstudentlife on Instagram.



November Student Activities

- November 7:** Pizza with the President 9pm Beck & Porter Hall
10pm Woj Hall
- November 9:** Pizza with the President 9pm Scholarship & North Hall
10pm Novotny Hall
- November 15:** Paint and Drawing Night 9pm Cafeteria
- November 28:** Hay Ride & Christmas Lights 5:30pm Meeting at the Cafe





PRATTCC TECH DAY

November 16, 2023 | 9:00am - 1:00pm

EXPERIENCE THESE PROGRAMS:

- Agriculture
- Agriculture Power Technology (Diesel Mechanics)
- Allied Health
- Automotive Technology
- Business & Accounting
- Electrical Power Technology (Linemen)
- Electrical Power Technology (Support Specialist)
- Information Network Technology
- Welding Technology
- Wildlife Outfitting & Operations

REGISTER TODAY!



ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Meet fellow incoming students
- Speak directly with PCC faculty and staff
- Hear from current students

Chance to win Beaver gear!

Lunch provided!

For more information, email pccadmissions@prattcc.edu or call 620-450-2217

Register at prattcc.edu/techday

PRATT 
Community College



FINANCIAL AID

FAFSA



2024-2025 FAFSA Changes

The FAFSA Simplification Act was initiated as part of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2021. This large-scale update to the federal aid system aims to ultimately make the process more straight forward and accessible for students and families. In the short term, it means significant changes to the application and awarding process, starting with the 2024-25 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

The Office of Student Financial Aid is leading efforts on campus to help students and parents through these changes, which include a redesigned FAFSA form with fewer questions, direct retrieval of IRS information, and expanded access to Federal Pell grants.

Visit <https://prattcc.edu/financial-information/financial-aid> later this fall for best practices and important dates for filing the 2024-25 FAFSA, which can be completed at studentaid.gov. Students may also estimate their federal financial aid at studentaid.gov/aid-estimator. For questions, please call 1-800-4-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243).

Important Dates for 2024-25

Late-Dec. 2023: 2024-25 FAFSA form available to students (two months later than usual timing)

Changes with Filing the 2024-25 FAFSA

Authentication Requirements

All contributors to the FAFSA must be authenticated using a Federal Student Aid ID (FSA ID).

- Users who have not previously completed a FAFSA and still need to create an FSA ID should do so as soon as possible at studentaid.gov. To obtain an FSA ID, users will need a social security number (SSN) or undergo a knowledge-based match to validate their identity.

Parent Invitations to Complete FAFSA

Students will complete their section of the FAFSA first, then indicate which parent(s) should be invited via email to complete their parts of the FAFSA:

- One parent (if single parent) or if parents are married and filed joint 2022 tax returns.
- Two parents (if parents married, filed separately in 2022).
- For other parent situations not listed above, refer to the FAFSA for instructions.

Contributors Must Provide Consent and Sign FAFSA

All students and parent(s) contributing to the FAFSA must provide consent on the 2024-25 FAFSA to have their 2022 tax information released from the IRS to the Department of Education.

- Contributors must use their FSA ID to access the FAFSA form, answer questions, provide consent, and sign the form electronically.
- The FAFSA will not be submitted for processing until ALL contributors provide consent and sign.
- Consent to releasing tax information cannot be revoked and is mandatory for the Student Aid Index (SAI) calculation to be completed and for the student to be eligible for federal aid.
 - Students or parents who are non-tax filers must still provide consent and enter income data manually.



The 2024-2025 FAFSA is changing...

And it will impact YOU!

Coming

Dec. 2023

FINANCIAL AID

FAFSA



What else is new?

Diving deeper into the new FAFSA process.

Understanding the Student Aid Index

Expected Family Contribution (EFC) is being replaced with the Student Aid Index (SAI), which is the result of a processed FAFSA and is used for packaging financial aid. Things to note on the SAI for 2024-25:

- Two New Calculations: Separate calculations are now utilized for determining SAI and Pell Grant eligibility, with new data elements being used in each formula.
- Multiple Family Members in College: Having multiple family members in college is no longer factored into the calculation of the SAI.
- Farm and Small Business Reporting Requirements: Details such as net worth of farms (excluding primary residences) and small businesses are now required to be reported.
- Asset Information: There are new rules to determine who is exempt from providing asset information. These rules are based on AGI, tax filing status, and if they are a recipient of a means-tested federal benefit program in the prior two calendar years (2022 or 2023).
- No Alternative SAI: The SAI for a student will be the same if enrolled for fall only or for the entire year. There is no change to the SAI if enrolled for less than nine months.

Federal Pell Grants

Students will now be considered for one of three types of Pell Grants: maximum, minimum, or a calculated Pell amount. Eligibility is now based on dependency status, family size, parent's marital status, income (AGI), a multiplier of the federal poverty level, and enrollment status. All students enrolled for at least one credit hour will now receive consideration for a Pell Grant.

Special Considerations

- New Provisional Independent Status: If a dependent student indicates they have unusual circumstances that prevent them from providing parent data, they will have their FAFSA processed with a provisional independent status. The student must provide documentation to financial aid administrators to determine if the student should be considered independent.
- Professional Judgements: A new requirement states financial aid offices must publicly share that students have the option to pursue a professional judgment adjustment on a case-by-case basis. There are several occasions when an adjustment may be needed, such as when there are changes to a parent's income or cost of attendance increases from a study-abroad experience.

What to Expect

As we transition to the revamped FAFSA, we anticipate potential processing delays and increased questions about the FAFSA. While many Pell Grant recipients may receive a similar amount as they did in 2023-24, others could be eligible for the first time. Students with multiple family members in college or who own a farm or small business may be the most impacted by this year's changes. We will work with these families to navigate the transition and review any financial aid offers significantly different from last year. As always, it is critical for students and families applying for financial aid to pay attention to important dates and deadlines. Refer to studentaid.gov for questions about FAFSA Simplification and to [estimate a student's federal financial aid](#).

Have a question about Financial Aid at PCC?

Phone: 620-450-2247

Email: finaid@prattcc.edu

Fax: 620-450-2228

Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

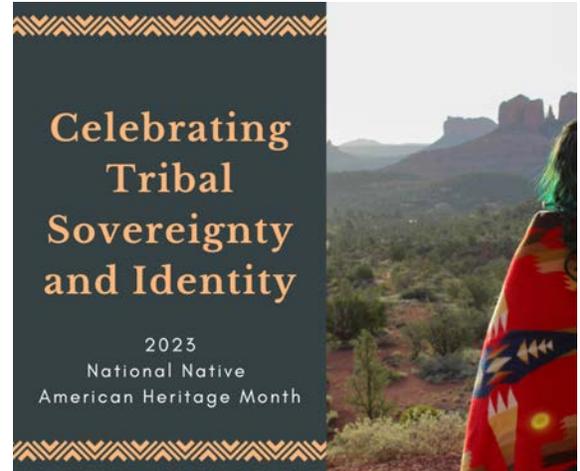
Friday: 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Location: PCC Beaver Dome Office #53

LET'S CELEBRATE

Native American Heritage Month

National Native American Heritage Month is celebrated each year in November. It's a time to celebrate the traditions, languages and stories of Native American, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, and affiliated Island communities and ensure their histories and contributions continue with each generation. We celebrate the culture and heritage of these Americans who develop the quality and character of our Nation. We celebrate Indian Country with its remarkable diversity of American Indian and Alaska Native cultures and peoples while remembering and honoring our veterans who have sacrificed so much to defend our Nation.



This year's theme at Interior is Celebrating Tribal Sovereignty and Identity. Tribal sovereignty ensures that any decisions about Tribes with regard to their property and citizens are made with their participation and consent.

Source: <https://www.bia.gov/NNAHM>

Diabetes Awareness Month

National Diabetes Month is a month-long campaign focused on increasing awareness about diabetes and its impact on individuals and communities. It provides a crucial opportunity to educate people about the risk factors for diabetes, the importance of a healthy lifestyle, and the management of the disease.

Key Facts

- Over 37 million children and adults in the United States have diabetes
- 96 million American adults have prediabetes
- 1.4 million Americans are diagnosed with diabetes every year
- Nearly half of American adults have diabetes or prediabetes

Diabetes in the United States

- 37.3 million Americans or 11.3% of the population have diabetes; that's 1 in 10 Americans
- 28.7 million Americans have diagnosed diabetes
- 8.5 million Americans have undiagnosed diabetes
- 1.4 million Americans aged 18 years or older are newly diagnosed with diabetes each year, one every 23 seconds
- Age 18 years or older: 14.7% of all people in this age group have diabetes
- 15.9 million, or about 1 in 3 adults age 65 or older, have diabetes

For more information and references, go to professional.diabetes.org/FastFacts

STUDENT LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

Representing 12 different countries around the world, a group of our International students met with Presidents cabinet as the monthly student leaders. The students and cabinet members discussed topics relating to dorms, wifi, cafeteria, classes and community. The Student Leadership council is a great way that our students can have a voice and help improve the college as a whole.



COLLEGE HEALTH HINTS

How do you define "Healthy."
Here are a few interesting synonyms.....

In Good physical condition

IN GOOD SHAPE

PHYSICALLY FIT

IN FINE FETTLE

Aerobicized

FIT AS A FIDDLE

STRONG

Fine

IN GOOD TRIM

IN TOP FORM

WELL

THE PICTURE OF HEALTH

In good health

FIT AS A FLEA

HALE AND HEARTY

Robust

FIGHTING FIT

So many more!

Enjoying health and vigor of body, mind, and spirit 😊

Stay well! and prevent an illness.....

Good handwashing!
Plenty of water!

Covering coughs/sneezes!
Good rest and nutrition!

Update your immunizations! Stay away from others when ill.

<https://www.cdc.gov/flu/prevent/index.html>

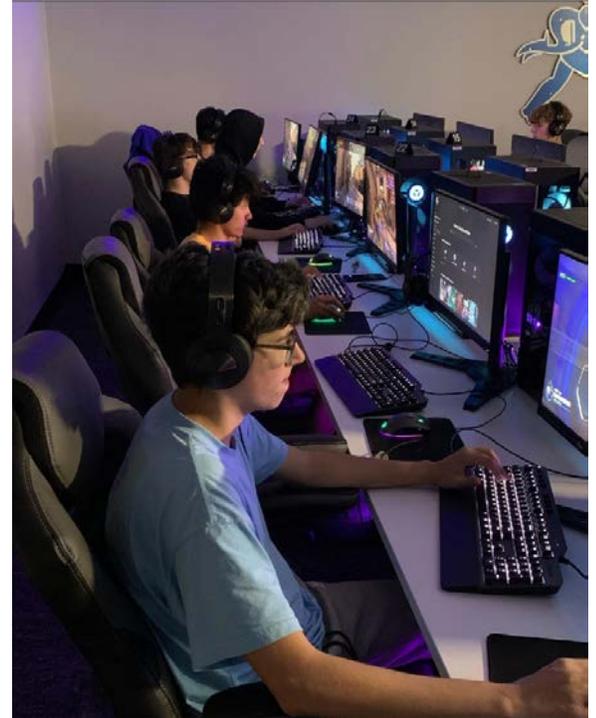
PCC College Health

620-450-2150 - Riney Student Center

Monday - Thursday: 8:30am - 3:00pm & Friday: 8:30am - 12:30pm



BEAVER E-SPORTS



PCC Fortnite Team Off to a Good Start

The Beaver Esports Fortnite team has been busy playing two matches a week in both the NJCAA Fortnite Build and No Build open series. The team consisting of Christopher 'whitababy03' Whitaker and Samuel 'windxcrow' Kelly have a current record of 2-2 in both series. The team plays every Monday (no-build) and Tuesday (build) at 5:30 pm in the Esports Areana on campus.

The season started on September 12 with their first match in the build series against Johnston Community College and lost 2-0. They also lost in the build series 2-0 against Louisberg College on September 19. One of their wins comes from a bye week while the second win comes against Spoon River College a come from behind 2-1 victory.

In the no build series, the team defeated Spoon River College 2-0 and SUNY Jefferson Team C 2-1 and lost to both Team A and B from SUNY Jefferson 2-0. The team is sitting in 17th place in the no-build standings out of 40 teams. For the build series the team is sitting in the middle 12th.

"I am proud of the Fortnite team as they have started the season well and have played extremely competitively. They have put themselves in a good position to make a run over the next month to qualify for the playoffs," said Charles Keefer Head Esports Coach. "Both Chris and Sam put in a lot of work on the game outside of practice and matches. Chris is close to the highest rank a Fortnite player can achieve."

The team will compete in matches through the end of November and hope to qualify for post season play. They will also start competing in the Wildcat League and local league made up of other Kansas and Nebraska community colleges and universities. The matches begin October 23, and the teams advancing to the league semifinals will play December 2nd at Kansas State University for the fall championship.

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BEAVER SOCCER



Women's Soccer Ends Season at Central

The Beaver women's soccer team wrapped up their 2023 season on October 18 on the road at Central Community College in Columbus, NE. The team finished the season 3-9-4 overall and 2-8-2 in conference play. Two conference wins came against Southeast Community College.

Game Recap

In a thrilling women's soccer match, Central emerged victorious with a 3-1 win over Pratt. The game displayed impressive performances from both teams, but Central strong second-half display secured them the victory. The first half saw the Beavers take an early lead with a goal from Rosina Mastro, assisted by Madeline Martinez. Despite several attempts from both teams, Pratt held onto their 1-0 advantage heading into halftime.

The Raiders came out determined in the second half and quickly equalized the score in the 55th minute. Abby Berger found the back of the net, assisted by Lilli Reiser, leveling the playing field at 1-1. Central took the lead in the 65th minute with a goal from Ellie Bates, courtesy of Jada Cohn's assist. The team's scored again in the 75th minute when Francesca Wright scored, assisted by Talia Gisonni, extending the lead to 3-1.

For Pratt, goalkeeper Marcie Greenawalt put in a commendable performance, making two saves despite conceding three goals. Rosina Mastro's early goal highlighted her attacking prowess. Central's Jada Cohn played a crucial role in the team's victory, providing an assist for Ellie Bates' goal. Lilli Reiser and Talia Gisonni also contributed assists, while Abby Berger and Francesca Wright both scored.

Season Recap

Freshman Rosina Mastro lead the team with eight goals on 26 shots and 17 total points in 12 games. Both Yvie Miller and Laila Ortiz-Nolan lead the team with four assists. Yvie had 2 goals with eight points on the season and Laila had four goals with 12 points. In the goalie box, freshman Kaylee Farmer lead the team with 28 saves on 8 goals allowed. Farmer ended the season 1-3-2 in the box. While Macie Greenawalt had four saves with seven goals allowed and ended the year 1-1-1. Overall, the team scored 22 goals in 15 games with 19 assists.



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BEAVER SOCCER



Men's Soccer Wraps up Season at Central

The Beaver men's soccer team wrapped up their 2023 season on October 18 on the road at Central Community College in Columbus, NE. The team finished their season 4-10-1 overall and 3-9 in conference play with conference wins over Allen County and Hesston College.

Game Recap

In the first half, Central Community Co took an early lead with a goal from Donovan Williams at the 17-minute mark. Both teams displayed solid defensive performances, with Central's goalkeeper making two saves. Pratt's goalkeepers, Joao Ferreira, and Brandon Bumgarner made nine saves throughout the game.

Season Recap

Sophomore Gustavo Dias Juliani lead the team with nine goals off 18 shots this season with 19 points. Lucas Barcelos lead the team with six assists and had three shots on goal for 12 points. In the goalies' box, Brandon Bumgarner lead the squad with 65 saves and 23 goals allowed and ended the season with a 4-7-1 record. Freshman goalkeeper Joao Ferreira had 20 saves with two goals allowed for a 0-2-0 record. Overall, the team scored 22 goals in 15 games with 16 assists.



BEAVER CROSS COUNTRY



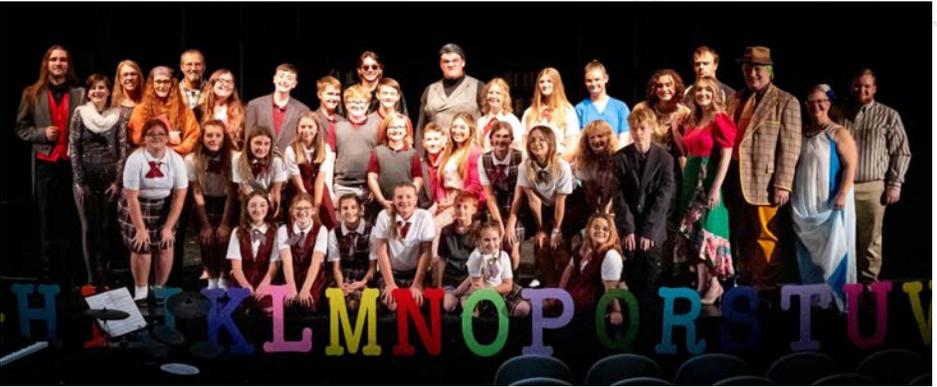
Cross Country Team Wraps up Season at NJCAA Region VI/KJCCC Championships

The Beaver cross country team competed at the NJCAA Region VI/KJCCC Championships on Friday, October 27th in Iola, KS. The men's team had three runners compete with freshman Achilles Matchers leading the pack with a time of 30:54.5 and Antonio Griffin trailing not too far behind with a time of 30:58.9. Sophomore Jace Baker finished his last cross-country race in a Beaver uniform with a time of 33:50.5. On the women's side, two runners competed, with Madison Butler leading the pack with a time of 22:57.5 with Jaeli Deel coming across the finish line with 25:29.3.



The team competed at five meets including the October 27th meet. They started their season at the Terry Masterson Twilight Classic in Hutchinson, KS. The team then traveled to the Missouri Southern Stampede in Joplin, MO followed by the Chile Pepper Cross Country Festival in Fayetteville, AR. The team finished the season with two trips to Iola, KS first to compete at the Firestarter Classic on October 14.

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Pie Your Professor



PHI THETA KAPPA
HONOR SOCIETY

ALL MONEY RAISED WILL GO TO SUPPORT PCC PHI THETA KAPPA.

VOTE FOR THE ONE YOU'D MOST LIKE TO SEE GET PIED IN THE FACE
BY PLACING MONEY INTO THEIR JAR IN THE LIBRARY!



TYLER DALLIS

ANGIE TATRO

SARAH JACKSON

JERRY THOMPSON

JUSTIN MAUGHAN

COINS WILL COUNT TOWARD THEIR TOTAL, AND
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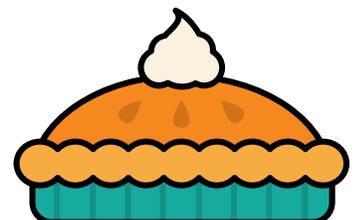


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