

# GTC Student Life News & Events

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## Free Lunch & Learn



**MONDAY, APR 4**

Enjoy a free lunch and find out how to get connected in the hospitality industry!

ANF Campus / Room 223  
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Registration details below.

## Professional Headshots



**OFFERED 2 DAYS**

Get a professional headshot for online profiles, job application or other use!

April 6 / 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
April 7 / 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

More details below.

### **M / APR 4 - Lunch & Learn at ANF Campus**

Gwinnett Tech's HRT Travel Club invites you to attend an exclusive Lunch & Learn featuring Kaitlyn Downs, Director of Engagement at Heritage Sandy Springs. She will be speaking to our group about ways to connect with the hospitality industry. Lunch will be sponsored by Explore Gwinnett. We will meet at the Alpharetta-North Fulton Campus in room 223 from 11:30 a.m.- 12:30 p.m. Space is limited. Please register by emailing [Mark Newton](#) or by calling 470-282-5287.

### **W / APR 6 & TH/ APR 7 - Professional Headshots**

The GTC photography students are only charging \$20 (cash, check or credit/debit) for professional headshots including 3+ downloadable digital files. This is a great deal! Most professional studios charge \$75-\$1200 for the same service. All fees go to support the GTC photography Seniors' Portfolio show. We will be taking photos on the Lawrenceville campus April 6 from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. and again on April 7 from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. in building 100, room 202. No appointment necessary.

### **TH / APR 7 - American Made Movie**

Gwinnett Tech is featuring a wonderfully made film about the positive impact of domestic manufacturing jobs on our national and local economies. *American Made Movie* is rated G and is acceptable for all audiences. The showing will be held in the Busbee Center's Cisco Auditorium located on the main floor of Building 700 on Gwinnett Tech's Lawrenceville Campus. Pizza and popcorn will be offered starting at 11:30 a.m. At noon local businessman and American Made champion Clyde Strickland will offer an inspiring kick-off message, followed by the movie showing at 12:10 p.m. The movie duration is 1 hour and 20 minutes. No RSVP is required.

### TH / APR 7 - Salsa Lessons at ANF Campus

The GTC Multicultural Club welcomes you to join us for salsa dancing with Kathy Casper from All About Ballroom. We'll meet at the Alpharetta North Fulton Campus from 1 – 2:30 p.m. in the front lobby. Pizza and drinks will be provided. This is an event that you don't want to miss! For more information, please contact [Yvette Williams](#) or [Lakshmi Ramachandran](#).

### TH / APR 7 - GTC Student's Toastmasters International Meeting

We invite all GTC students to join us as we work together to improve communication and leadership skills. We will meet at 6 p.m. in building 200, room 104. If you have questions, please contact club advisor, [Dr. Penny Waddell](#).

### TH / APR 14 - Trivia Challenge at ANF Campus

Join us for Trivia Thursday at the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus, brought to you by the GTC Science Club. Bring a team of your classmates or come on your own! We will have game-show style trivia over all academic subjects, popular culture, and current events. Prizes will be given to the winning trivia team! Pizza will be provided while you learn more about the ongoing Trivia Challenges, the QuizBowl Team, and Science Club. If you have any questions, please email [Margaret Long](#).

### TH / APR 14 - ScienceWorks!

Come experience a mock surgery, race in a driving simulator, conduct a forensic investigation, make ice cream with liquid nitrogen, paint with light, screen DNA for cancer genes, harness solar power, test your aim in a firearms simulator, experience virtual realities and more! Science WORKS! is an interactive free event for families with children in 6th to 12th grades looking to explore STEM careers. This is an amazing opportunity to see science in action like never before. Guests can learn how science and math can be launching pads for more than 30 in-demand careers. Event runs from 6-9 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. For more information [click here](#).

### SA / APR 16 - GearHeadz Car Show

The 2nd Annual GTC GearHeadz Car Show is open to all automotive enthusiasts: students, faculty, staff, and the general public. Shine up your car and bring it to show off for only \$5 or come and spectate for FREE! We will have door prizes, food and a DJ. Proceeds will go to our project vehicle. For questions, please email [Andy Lindman](#) Andy Lindman.

### Future Dates

April 21 - GTC Student's Toastmasters International Meeting

April 21 - ISSA Meeting

April 21 - Science Club Meeting



### Spring Clean Your Health

Many of us will spend time spring cleaning and making our homes feel refreshed - why not do the same for our health? Preveintion.com suggests 12 essentials to help kick your healthy habits up a notch this spring:

1. Choose in-season, local produce
2. Schedule screenings and doctors appointments
3. Venture outside
4. De-clutter your medicine cabinet

5. Go wheat free for a month
6. Meditate to de-stress
7. Allergy-proof your house
8. Purge your old makeup
9. Replace old workout shoes
10. Watch shows that stimulate thought and creativity
11. Organize your email in-box
12. Help others to improve your own happiness

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If there is a topic you would like to know about or a tip that you'd like to share with us, please email [jrandolph@gwinnettech.edu](mailto:jrandolph@gwinnettech.edu) with your suggestions!

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS!

### Run, Hide, Fight

As a part of Gwinnett Tech's preparedness objective, we want to provide everyone with a safe and healthy learning environment. With the increase of incidents on college campuses, schools and public places, it is increasingly important to have a plan for how to respond in an active shooter situation. Students and employees can help prevent and prepare for potential active shooter situations by viewing the "Run, Hide, Fight - Surviving an Active Shooter Event" video. The video will assist you in planning for your personal safety. [watch video](#).



### AARP Offers Tax Assistance

The volunteers with AARP Foundation Tax-Aide will offer free tax assistance and preparation for community members now until Monday, April 18, 2016 on the second floor of the Busbee Center, building 700 on the Lawrenceville Campus. No appointment is necessary, as clients will be seen on a first come, first served basis between 1 - 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. on Friday. There is no charge for this assistance and you do not have to be an AARP member. For more information on documents needed and about the program, [Click Here](#).

### Collecting Corks

The Rad Tech program has collected over 12,000 corks, caps and foil from wine bottles for Clothes for Souls. Each is worth 2 cents so we can financially support this global non-profit institution dedicated to fighting poverty. Besides helping the charity, it also helps the earth. The corks are recycled and not put in landfills. Did you know that it takes over 1,500 gallons of water to grow the cotton required for just one pair of jeans and each American discards over 65 pounds of clothing per year? Help us by continuing to donate your corks! Drop off is in bldg. 200, room 245.



### Collecting Aluminum Can Tabs

The Future Cardiovascular Technologist Club and the Association for Radiologic Technologist are collecting can tabs. One gallon of tabs equals a one night stay in the Ronald McDonald House for a family. Together, we've already collected eight gallons, but we can do more! Help us by bringing your aluminum can tab donations to room 121, 245 or 133 in bldg. 200. Thank you!

[You Shop. Amazon Gives Back to GTC!](#)

[Smile.Amazon.com](http://Smile.Amazon.com) is giving back and all you have to do is go

to the website and choose "Gwinnett Tech Foundation". The GTC Foundation will receive .05% of every dollar you spend that qualifies and in turn, we will apply these dollars back into Gwinnett Tech students! Win-;Win!! If you have further questions, please contact [Darcie Johnson](#).



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### Feel Stressed? You are not Alone!

Going to school can be tough. Life can be tough. Student Life has paid for all of our students to get four free counseling sessions through the Cameron & Associates Life Balance Program. Yes - it's FREE! Just call 404-845-3727 or visit them on the [web](#) and they will give you three counselors close to you to pick from. You are worth the investment!



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