LAWRENCEVILLE | ALPHARETTA-NORTH FULTON Student Life News & Events February 4, 2022 **f** 0 0 The Civil & Human Rights Museum **SGA Meeting** FEBRUARY11 **FEBRUARY 16** Guest speaker from Partners Against Domestic Join Student Life as we experience the Center Violence will discuss healthy relationships. of Civil and Human Rights Museum. Details Below. Details Below. T-TH / FEB 1 - 18 - CAVT Donation of Love Clothing & **Housewares Drive** The Cardiovascular Technology Program is currently collecting clothes and housewares for the Goodwill Donation Center. Items can be brought to building 200, room 151 entrance. For more information contact Kathy Johnson F / FEB 4 - Phi Theta Kappa Announcement ATTENTION ALL PTK MEMBERS: An organization called "The Honor Society," which uses a very similar logo and colors to Phi Theta Kappa has recently begun sending emails to our members. Make sure to double-check the sender of an email to verify its origin before signing up or signing in. For more information contact Kristin Gocinski T / FEB 8 - Student Success Workshop: Adulting Are you right out of high school living at home? Did you just move out of your parent's house? Do you feel overwhelmed with the many decisions, choices and responsibilities you have as an adult? If so, come and join us for a lively, honest and humorous discussion about how to navigate the adult world. This event will take place in building 100, room 106 from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Click Here To RSVP For more information contact Jean Schwartz Th / FEB 10 - Monthly SVO Meeting The Student Veteran Organization has a monthly meeting to discuss past and upcoming events. At these meetings information is shared about what's new on campus and with the VA. This month's meeting will be held in building 100, Veteran Lab (room 321) from 12:00 -1:00 p.m. Food will be provided for in person attendees. WebEx accessible. Click Here To Access Meeting Via WebEx For more information contact Terrell Johnnies F / FEB 11 - Visit the Civil & Human Rights Museum Join Student Life as we experience the Center of Civil and Human Rights Museum. We will explore the fundamental rights of all human beings as we travel through the center. Spots are limited! You must RSVP to attend. Sign up in the Student Life Center (Room 716, Building 100) today! For more information contact Chantelle Bailey M/ FEB 14 - GTC Horticulture Valentine's Day Floral Sale Come shop our beautiful floral designs, perfect for your loved ones! We will be located in building 100, on the 600 hall from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Single wrapped roses - \$5.00 Vases starting at \$20 Preorder by emailing Cherie Mason M/ FEB 14 - SVO Valentine's Day at GTC This event will consist of a Valentine's Day joy that will take place in the VA Lab room 321, building 100. We look forward to spreading the Valentine spirit with making the day great for someone else. For more information contact Terrell Johnnies W/FEB 16 - SGA Meeting Join us for our next SGA meeting at 12:00 p.m. in building 200, room 104! We will have a guest speaker from Partners Against Domestic Violence discuss healthy relationships and safety tips for dating in a digital age. SGA meetings are a great way to find out about upcoming events, how to get involved on campus, and meet new people! For more information contact Chantelle Bailey TH / FEB 17 - ISA Monthly Meeting Join us for our monthly Internet Security Association meeting. Open to all students. The meeting will take place virtually from 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. Information Security Association Click Here To Access Meeting Via WebEx For more information contact David Pragel M/FEB 21 - Green Sustainable Club The Green Sustainable Club has three meetings scheduled for the remainder of the year. The goals are to schedule and complete a service project on campus and to elect leadership roles for this year that will carry over to next year. Here are the meeting dates: Monday, February 21st Tuesday, March 22nd Monday, April 18th The meetings will be on campus in building 200, room 104 from 3:00 -4:00 PM. Hope to see you there! For more information contact Cathy Ensing M / FEB 21 - SVO Black History Month Celebration This event will feature a black history program to include a speaker, stories, and food. It will take place in building 100, Veteran Lab (room 321) from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Click Here To Access Meeting Via WebEx For more information contact Terrell Johnnies **Future Dates** April 4-10 - Spring Break **ANNOUNCEMENTS!** GA Foundation for Agriculture Offers \$65,000 in scholarships The Georgia Foundation for Agriculture is committed to investing in students pursuing careers in agriculture or a related field. For 2022, the foundation is offering scholarships for graduating high school seniors, rising college juniors and seniors, technical college students and UGA College of Veterinary Medicine students specializing in large/food animals. Applications must be submitted online only by March 1. Transcripts and letters of recommendation must be uploaded into the application. Click here for a list of eligible majors/schools, application instructions and to apply. **Student Assistance Program** It is no secret, life can get complicated. But don't worry -Gwinnett Technical College's Student Assistance Program (SAP) has you covered! Gwinnett Technical College has partnered with Espyr to provide students and eligible family members with a comprehensive SAP to help with a variety of personal matters. SAP provides free and confidential services available 24/7. Students get four free confidential sessions. Click Here For Link & Passcode For more information contact Rachel Mariano **New Internships Available** Interested in an Internship? Let Launch Pointe help **Gwinnett Tech's** guide the way! Launch Pointe, the Clyde L. Strickland Center for Career Experience, is laser focused on providing work-based learning and career development. Working with both large and small local, regional and global business employers, Launch Pointe provides students opportunities to participate in internships, apprenticeships and entrepreneurship experiences designed to augment classroom activity and foster educational, occupational and personal growth. Center for Career Experience Create your account on CareerLink: For more information 1. Go to GwinnettTech.edu/CareerLink 2. Your username is your Gwinnett Tech email contact Launch Pointe address (@Student.GwinnettTech.edu) 3. Create your password. 4. Click SUBMIT. Once your account is approved, you will receive an email. Click EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING on left of *Students that have already created an account can now access CareerLink on your Dashboard. Launch Pointe can assist you with your resumé and prepare you for your interviews. 6. Complete application and submit resume. Click here to view CareerLink THE ATLANTA **Atlanta Women's Foundation Emergency Assistance Grant** FOUNDATION If you are a female who needs assistance with tuition, Breaking Barriers, Building Women. books, rent, utilities, or gas assistance, you may be eligible to receive grant assistance. Eligible students must be in good academic standing. Grant funds are based on funding availability. Click Here to Fill Out The **Student Assistance Application** For more information contact Lisa Richardson IT Help Desk Are you a GTC Student who needs assistance with your computer or software? Visit the Student IT Help Desk! We are available from 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Monday - Thursday. And 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. on Fridays. Click Here For More Information **Emergency Broadband Benefit** Eligible households will soon be able to apply for the Emergency Broadband Benefit. Beginning on May 12, there are three ways to apply for discounted internet 1) Contact your preferred participating broadband provider directly to learn about their application 2) Go to <u>GetEmergencyBroadband.org</u> to apply online and to find participating providers near you. 3) Call 833-511-0311 for a mail-in application, and return it along with proof of eligibility to: Emergency Broadband Support Center P.O. Box 7081 London, KY 40742 Click Here For More Information **Farmers Market** Farmers Market will be start up again every Thursday, from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. between buildings 600 and 100. Click Here For More Information **Computer Sciences Division Offers Tutoring!** The Computer Sciences Division offers tutoring services for all our courses! We offer in person sessions, conducted in the classrooms in Building 700, as well as online sessions, conducted through Blackboard Collaborate. Please visit the following to fill out a form to set up a time and date with a tutor for a respective course! Click Here For More Information **Learning Success Center** Did you know GTC has tutors on campus? Come visit the Learning Success Center to find out more information! If you are in need of a math and/or English tutor, you can request an appointment by clicking here. Receiving Scam Emails or Phone Calls? Incidents of students receiving spam phone calls or emails should be reported. Click here to report if you receive a suspicious phone call or email. **Gwinnett Cares Resources List** www.GwinnettCares.org is a great resource for students who live in Gwinnett County. The website links to resources for food, housing, childcare, employment etc. They also have a Facebook page with lots of good information for drive-thru food banks, free COVID testing, job fairs, organizations looking for volunteers For more information click here. meeting was very produc-tive and has brought major changes on Earth. We will **Federal Work Study Positions Available** several places of strate-nterest and will discuss ussion for global wa and terrorism issong other things discuss new meast global security. I this meeting was v tuctive and has brou or changes on Earth. visit several places egic interest and v Are you looking to earn some extra cash? Are you looking for a convenient job on campus? **NEW OPPORTUNITIES** Are you enrolled in at least six credit hours of **NOW AVAILABLE** classes? Have you completed your 2019-2020 financial aid file? Check out the federal workstudy job postings! ong other things will has brought n Click here to view postings. **SHARE Military Initiative: Virtual Program** SHARE Military Initiative at Shepherd Center in Atlanta is launching a virtual program for post-9/11 veterans and service members with mild to moderate brain injuries and co-occurring behavioral and/or psychological symptoms. Requirements for admission: •Must be a Georgia resident •Must have access to a personal computer/tablet and internet •Must have symptoms of traumatic brain injury or concussion •May have co-occurring diagnosis of behavioral health issues, such as anxiety, depression and/or posttraumatic stress Shepherd Center is a recognized TRICARE/Mission Act provider. The virtual program includes: •Comprehensive program featuring daily, individual sessions tailored to the client's needs •Group sessions with other veterans and service members •Virtual visits with a neurologist, physical therapist, occupational therapist, speech therapist, recreational therapist, nurse, case manager, clinical social worker, psychologist, vocational specialist, peer support specialist and transition support specialist For more information, please contact SHARE Admissions: 404-603-4314 For more information click here. **Share Your Gwinnett Tech Stories** Every Gwinnett Tech student has a unique story about their college experience. We would love to hear yours and why you chose Gwinnett Tech. Please take a moment to reflect and share your Gwinnett Tech Story of how our college is preparing you for a great career, the most impactful courses and instructors, and your plans upon graduation. Your story may be shared on our website and social media platforms to recognize your commitment, hard work, and promising future as a Gwinnett Tech graduate! We look forward to sharing your For more information story! Follow us @GwinnettTech #GTCProud contact Chuck McKinnon Click here to share your GTC story. You Need A Budget YNAB. You Need A Budget is an award-winning software and Gain Total Control Of Your Money a proven method—that works. What really makes You Need A Budget different is that the app can teach you how to manage your money and get ahead—for good. FREE 34-DAY TRIAL! What if your bills rolled in and instead of piling up, you just paid them? No sweat. What if you didn't even realize it was payday because you had money in the bank and weren't desperate for that check to arrive? Forget everything you think you know about budgeting and prepare to experience total control. Try You Need a Budget for FREE for 34 days! Click here to visit our website. **Navigate Recovery** Ш Your recovery doesn't have to take a back seat to the Coronavirus. Our certified recovery coaches are ready to take your call to help through these tough times. Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. Call 678-743-1808 enter extension 101 when you hear For more information the voice prompt. visit our website. All Recovery meetings are Monday thru Saturday at the following times: Noon Meeting Link 7:30 p.m. Meeting Link **Advisement Available** Need assistance with Admissions, Financial Aid, or Academic Advisement? Enrollment Advisors are here to help! Download the Qless app to schedule a phone, virtual, or on-campus appointment with an advisor. You can also visit the One Stop webpage for valuable, updated resources including Enrollment FAQs, Registration How-To Videos, and Live Chat. Click here to visit One Stop. **Virtual Information Sessions** The Recruitment Department is offering nine virtual information sessions each week. These information sessions are a great way to learn more about college programs, admission requirements, student services, and financial aid. Information sessions are offered for both campus. Attendees of these sessions will be provided with an application fee waiver code. Joins us virtually and learn about the great opportunities offered at Gwinnett Tech. For more information click here. **Recruitment Virtual Office Hours** Student recruiters are standing by to answer your questions. Virtual office hours are held weekly through WebEx, so students and prospective students have the opportunity to speak with a recruiter in real-time. Stop in and ask questions anytime throughout the virtual office hours. Monday-Friday 10am-4pm Click here for more information. **Gwinnett Tech STEM Center** The STEM center has changed its name to the Science Tutoring Center! The same peer tutors are ready to help you master Life Science course content and study skills. Drop-in tutoring is available at both campuses and SCIENCE online, no appointment necessary! Click here to view the schedule & **TUTORING** locations. CENTER For more information contact Marisa Wong-Sam **Financial Literacy** Gwinnett Technical College has teamed up with Edamerica, formerly Higher Education Solutions (HES), to help explain the student loan repayment process so you understand all of your options. If you have trouble making your payments, they will offer helpful alternatives so you won't fall behind. You can also learn Money Basics with articles about understanding your paycheck, checking and savings accounts, understanding your credit score. For more information click here. Mosaic Georgia Our mission is to enhance safety, health and justice for people of all ages impacted by sexual violence and abuse. Eliminate social conditions that allow for sexual violence. Build capacity of local community responses to persons impacted by sexual abuse and violence. Mosaic Georgia provides crisis intervention and advocacy services for victims and secondary victims by providing support during and after case management, during acute and delayed medical exams and by connecting victims with needed assistance, resources and next steps. Phone lines are open 24 hours/7 days a week. 770-476-7407. For more information click here. **Voter Information YOUR** VOICE We've simplified the confusion and put together what you need to know about voting in Gwinnett County, Fulton County and other state and national locales. We at Gwinnett Tech are happy to provide you with information about voting. Check out more information and details, including deadlines for registering and instructions on how to download the appropriate forms. For more information click here. Did you know? GTC has a NO Interest Tuition Payment Plan! Gwinnett Tech partners with Nelnet Business Solutions to let you pay tuition and fees over time, making college more affordable. Payment Plan Benefits include easy online enrollment, flexible payment options and no interest. Learn more about the tuition payment plan and enroll today! For more information click here. Ready to Apply for Graduation? If you are completing your program either this semester or next, please submit a graduation application now! Even if you are completing a certificate embedded in your larger program, you may graduate from that certificate, so that you can list that accomplishment on your resume! Directions on how to apply for graduation are online. For more information click here. **National Suicide Prevention Lifeline** NATIONAL We can all help prevent suicide. The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals. We are committed to improving crisis services and advancing 1-800-273-TALK (8255) suicide prevention by empowering individuals, advancing professional best practices, and suicidepreventionlifeline.org building awareness. For more information click here. **Crisis Text Line CRISIS TEXT LINE** Text HOME to 741741 from anywhere in the USA, anytime, about any type of crisis. A live, trained Crisis Counselor receives the text and responds quickly. The volunteer Crisis Counselor will help you move from a hot moment to a cool moment. Children and Teens are especially welcome. The service is free, confidential, and available 24/7. Please note that we are not a replacement for counseling or long-term medical treatment. Our goal is to help you move from an emotional overwhelming place to a sense of calm, at which point you feel ready to continue on your own. For more information click here. Georgia Crisis & Access Line Georgia Crisis and Access Line GCAL is the 24/7 hotline for accessing mental 1-800-715-4225 health services in Georgia. The Georgia mygcal.com Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities (DBHDD) provides treatment and support services to people with mental illness and addictive diseases. If you or a loved one needs help dealing with a behavioral health crisis, the GCAL offers free and confidential crisis intervention 24/7. For more information click here. **Georgia Cares** Georgia Cares is the single, statewide coordinating non-profit agency connecting services and treatment care for child victims of sexual exploitation and trafficking. Georgia Cares serves any and all youth who have been victimized in the state of Georgia. Our mission is to ensure that child sex trafficking victims receive quality care and services in the state of Georgia. For more information click here. 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. For more information click here. amazonsmile You Shop. Amazon Gives Back to GTC! Shop Amazon Smile 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 shop. Amazon gives. you spend that qualifies and in turn, we will apply these dollars back into Gwinnett Tech students! This is a win-win!!! For more contact Melissa Smith Creating Safer, Healthier Campus Communities Haven UNDERSTANDING SEXUAL ASSAULT Learn more **Contact Student Life** Rachel Mariano, Student Life Director rmariano@GwinnettTech.edu 770-962-7580, ext.6341 Morgan Taylor-Burns, Student Life Specialist mtaylor-burns@GwinnettTech.edu 770-962-7580, ext.6415 Chantelle Bailey, Student Life Assistant cbailey@GwinnettTech.edu 770-962-7580, ext.6419

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