LAWRENCEVILLE | ALPHARETTA-NORTH FULTON Student Life News & Events October 27, 2023 **Town Hall Meeting Financial Literacy** November 1 November 1 All students, faculty, and staff are invited to attend a Financial literacy is the key to financial peace. Town Hall Meeting hosted by the Gwinnett County Come and join us to learn budgeting tips and how to best manage your financial aid award. Police Department. Details below. Details below. T / OCT 31 - Thrill - Fest Thrill-Fest is Library's annual event in October celebrating Fall season and **ESCAPE** Literature. This year we are featuring Escape Room, Haunted Lab, Gothic & Horror Literature based Trivia, documentary films and more! Drop in anytime ROOM for spooky fun! Make sure to register at the QR code/image to play in the Escape Room! Limited slots available from 8:30am to 7pm. If your division would like to sign up for a slot, please register. REGISTER BELOW IF YOU DARE. For more information Lakshmi Ramachandran **NOV 1** - Toys for Tots Donation Collection Our Annual Toys for Tots Drive is in full swing! The Student Veterans Organization and the Student Government Association invite you to make a difference in our community and make a child's holiday special this season. Donate new, unwrapped toys by Friday, November 3. There are bins across both campuses where you can drop them off. Let's show our community the support and generosity behind #GTCProud! You may also browse the Toys for Tots Amazon wish list online by clicking the link below. Click here for the Link For more information Shagufta Khan and Amanda Campbell NOV 1 - Shoe Drive Fundraiser Please help the Radiologic Technology Program raise funds by donating your gently worn, used, or new shoes to the local community club. Collection boxes will be placed in each building! Shoes will be picked up weekly. Collection dates are from October 1st to November 30th. For more information Breanna Brooks and Amanda Spossey NOV 1 - Coat, Clothing, and Blanket Drive Our Fall Coat, Clothing, and Blanket Drive benefiting male and female homeless Veterans is in full swing! New items as well as clean and used items are accepted. Donations at the LAW office can be dropped in the Office of Military & Veteran Student Support in Building 100/A, Room 323. The drop off location at our Alpharetta North-Fulton campus is in the Veterans Lab, Building 100/A, Room 321. For more information Amanda Campbell **NOV** - Farmer's Market We offer a selection of produce that is grown on our farm here on campus. Our farm is a student-led activity and also serves as the learn-in lab for our Urban Agriculture program. All proceeds from the Farmer's Market go back to our program. Every Thursday from 10:00 a.m to 2:00 p.m. in front of Building 100. For more information Rosa Serrano **NOV** - Fresh Floral Arrangements The horticulture department sells fresh arrangements each week made by our students. Arrangements are available in Building 600. Room 204. Prices vary.

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For more information Rosa Serrano

NOV - Barber Shop

FREE haircuts and facials are coming soon to the Barber Shop in building 100.

\*MONDAYS September 11 - November 13

\*4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

\*Email Ms. Williams (fwilliams@gwinnetttech.edu) and Ms. Hunter

and engaging with students in hopes of making them aware of the

For more information Kelly Martin

police department and how they can better serve them.

(phunter@gwinnetttech.edu) for an appointment.

For more information Florence Williams W / NOV 1- Financial Literacy Financial literacy is the key to financial peace. Come and join us from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. and learn budgeting tips and how to best manage your financial aid award. Making good financial decisions now will have a lasting impact on your future well-being. We will seek to cover a wide variety of financial topics, from saving to investing and paying off debt. Let us become lifelong learners so that we can be good stewards of our money! Free food and prize giveaways are included. • In-person on the Lawrenceville Campus, Building 100/A Room • In-person on the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus, Viewing room • Online via WebEx Click here for the Link For more information Student Success W / NOV 1 - Town Hall Meeting All students, faculty, and staff are invited to attend a Town Hall Meeting hosted by the Gwinnett County Police Department in Building 100, Room 707, from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm. The Police Citizens Advisory Board, along with other members of GCPD, will be taking questions

W/NOV 8 - First-Generation College Celebration

Please join us on Wednesday, November 8, for the First-Generation College Celebration. Take a picture at the site of our picture wall and get a sticker or sign to celebrate first-generation college students. All students, faculty, and staff are welcome to attend at the Lawrenceville campus Building 100/A front lobby from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Future Dates
November 5 - Day Light Saving Ends
November 11 - Veterans Day
November 23 - Thanksgiving Day

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Would you like your voice to be heard? Then swing by the Library in Lawrenceville campus Building 100/A or at the Alpharetta North-Fulton campus Library to register to vote.

For more information contact Deborah George **Cosmetology Salon** Need a haircut? Manicure? The Cosmetology Salon and Barber Shop are open. Call 678-226-6626 for an appointment. See below for hours of operation: Cosmetology Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am - 1:30 pm Hair and Chemical services. Chemical services arrive by 8:45 am Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am - 1:30 pm Skin and nail services only We are located on the Lawrenceville Campus Building 100/A, Room 613 No Walk-ins, Appointments only For Appointments Call 678-226-6626

New a quiet place to pray or meditate? Please swing by the Student Center, room 217 in building 100 and we can give you access to a space.

For more information contact Rachel Mariano

Chick-fil-A

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Chick-fil-A will be selling breakfast from 8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. and lunch from 10:30 a.m. - 10:9 m. Monday - Thursday, We are located in building 100, room 220 (Student Lounge). Available to all students and staff. We accept cash, card, apple pay, and google pay.

Jobs Within Our Federal Work-Study Program

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Would you like a job while on campus that will work with
your schedule? Then you should apply for a Federal Work
Study job. You gain work experience, earn a monthly
paycheck, gain professional connections, and learn time
management.

Click here to apply

Lactating Moms

Are you a lactating mom and need a private place to
pump? Please swing by the Student Center, room 217 in
building 100 and we can give you access to a space. There
is also a lactation room in our new Emerging
Technologies Building on the 2nd floor.

For more information contact Rachel
Mariano

Office of **Counseling Services** Counseling **GWINNETT** TECHNICAL COLLEGE **Services** Counseling services are available to all actively enrolled CounselingServices@GwinnettTech.edu Gwinnett Tech students 18 years of age and older in a 678-226-6628 certificate, diploma, or degree program. The GTC Office of Counseling Services is available for appointments Monday - Friday, from 9:00 am until 4 pm. For more information click here **WIOA** Need help with tuition, fees, and books? Not enough funds to pay all cost? Not enough PELL? No PELL? WIOA may be able to help! FREE Grant Funding! Visit the WIOA office, building 100, room 903

Call 678-226-7375

Recognize and Report Phishing

**Learning Success Center** 

For More Information Contact Albena Asenova-Belal

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

For more information

contact Chuck McKinnon

Click here to view CareerLink

**Navigate Recovery** 

help through tough times.

voice prompt.

following times:

Our certified recovery coaches are ready to take your call to

Call 678-743-1808 enter extension 101 when you hear the

All Recovery meetings are Monday thru Saturday at the

Noon Meeting Link

7:30 p.m. Meeting Link

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**Computer Sciences Division Offers Tutoring!** 

**Voter Information** 

Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m.

**New Internships Available** 

Update Your Software

For more information click here

For more information email WIOA

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 **Tips For Cybersecurity Boost Your Cybersecurity** 4 Things You Can Do to Boost Your Cybersecurity: Enable Multi-Factor Authentication Use Strong Passwords

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

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

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 story! Follow us @GwinnettTech

Click here to share your GTC story

Interested in an Internship? Let Launch Pointe help guide the way! Launch Pointe, the Clyde L. Strickland Center for **Gwinnett Tech's** Career Experience, is laser focused on providing workbased learning and career development. Working with both large and small local, regional and global business employers, Launch Pointe provides students opportunities to participate in internship, apprenticeship and entrepreneurship experiences designed to augment classroom activity and foster educational, occupational and personal growth. Create your account on CareerLink: Center for Career Experience 1. Go to Gwinnetttech.edu/careerlink. 2. Your Username is Gwinnett Tech email address For more information (@student.gwinnetttech.edu) contact Launch Pointe 3. Create your password. 4. Click SUBMIT. Once your account is approved, will received an email. 5. Click EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING on left of home page. \*Student that already created an account can now access CareerLink on your Dashboard. Launch Pointe can assist you with your resume' and prepare you for your interviews. 6. Complete application and submit resume'.

**Gwinnett Cares Resources List** 

Gwinnett Cares 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, job fairs, organizations looking for volunteers

For more information click here

For more information visit our website

Gwinnett Technical College has teamed up with

Edamerica, formerly Higher Education Solutions (HES), to help explain the <u>student loan repayment process</u> 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 <u>Money Basics</u> with articles about <u>understanding your paycheck</u>, <u>checking and</u>

**Financial Literacy** 

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Are you ready to expand on your achievements? Reach out today to see if you qualify to join our honor society PTK.

Click here for more questions

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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

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 online, no appointment necessary!

Click here to view the schedule & locations

For more information contact Dr. Chitra Subramaniam

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**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

For more information click here

are open 24 hours/7 days a week. 770-476-7407.

988 Suicide & Crisis Prevention Lifeline

We can all help prevent suicide. The Lifeline provides 24/7,

prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals. We are committed to

For more information click here

free and confidential support for people in distress,

improving crisis services and advancing suicide prevention by empowering individuals, advancing

<u>www.GeorgiaCares.org</u> is the single, statewide

care and services in the state of Georgia.

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

For more information click here

professional best practices, and building awareness.

**YOUR VOICE** We've simplified the confusion and put together what you need to know about voting in Gwinnett County, Fulton YOUR VOT 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.want to register to vote you can register online in our library. Feel free to ask for assistant! For more information click here Did you know? GTC has a NO Interest Tuition Payment Plan! Gwinnett Tech partners with Nelnet Business Solution 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

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

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

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