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What’s New in Facility Services

Years of Service

John Redden– 43 yrs  
Scott Walk–23 yrs  
James Teaney–23 yrs  
Jared Groomer–16 yrs  
John Viau–12 yrs  
David McClintock–11 yrs  
Sheldon Scadden–9 yrs  
Robert Lager–9 yrs  
Tanner Walker–8 yrs

Sherry Gutzmer–6 yrs  
Rick Simbro–6 yrs  
Rex Welch–6 yrs  
Andrew Hefner–6 yrs  
Jack Bucy–5 yrs  
Beth Parker–4 yrs  
Laszlo Fodor–3 yrs  
Joseph Geller–3 yrs  
Cheryl Auten–2 yrs

Thanks for the hard work!

New Employees

Amber Newham-Service Response Coordinator
Barb Bliley-Custodial Worker
Dan Boyt-Energy Manager

New on Campus

New Arrival

Jack and Nikki Bucy had a daughter, Kayla Dawn Bucy, on October 30th. Congratulations!!

Election Day

Voting will take place on November 6, 2012. Don’t forget to vote.

Recycling/Sustainability

Northwest kicked off Campus Sustainability Day with the announcement its membership in AASHE (the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education) at its first annual Sustainability Showcase. Dan Boyt announced plans to utilize a group of students to begin analyzing energy consumption on campus. The Agriculture Sciences department also discussed some of their latest work in developing renewable plant sources for our alternative fuels program.

Below: John Viau at his presentation on Sustainability.

Above a new lobby was designed on the 2nd floor of Lamkin.
1.) What is the name of Northwest’s Fight song?
   Answer: Wings of Victory
2.) What year did the Mary Linn Performing Arts Center open?
   Answer: 1984
3.) What year did Franken Hall turn into a co-ed building?
   Answer: 1981

August THRIVE Coy Moser was the $25 winner. During the month of September THRIVE checks were turned in by departments.

Quote of the Month
“The only person you should ever compete with is yourself. You can’t hope for a fairer match.”
—Todd Ruthman

Safety Tip.
Don’t forget to change the batteries in your smoke detectors. The batteries should be changed at least two times each year.

Reminder:
Don’t forget to fall back an hour this weekend. Change your clocks back an hour on Saturday, November 3, 2012 at midnight.

Employee Spotlight
Dan Boyt is excited about his new role as Energy Manager at Northwest. He comes to us from the Joplin area where he has designed and implemented energy conservation measures for the last six years. He now lives in Maryville with his wife and two children. Dan sees energy conservation as a team-effort—so if you see him out and about shutting off lights, stop and introduce yourself!

Homecoming week activities:
October 29th: Canned Art Assembly will be on display at the Student Union.
November 1st: Homecoming Variety Show 7pm at the Performing Arts Center.
November 2nd: Walk Out Day! (No classes) Homecoming Chalk Walk 5k at 8:30 am
November 3rd: Homecoming Parade at 9 am Football game vs. Emporia State at 2:30 pm
November 4th: Homecoming Awards Ceremony at 11 am
Facility Services Employees of the Month

Josh Allen was recognized as the Employee of the Month for the Transportation Department. Josh took down a block wall and raised a steam line. Josh Allen did an excellent job!

Robert Archer and Kurt Davis were recognized for Employees of the Month for the Facilities Services and Landscape Department. They mowed the grass at the Sigma Phi Epsilon house to help the fraternity students out during their time of sorrow. Robert and Kurt not only mowed the grass, but trimmed, edged, blew off, and even sprayed a hornets nest around the property. They both did a great job!

Aaron Antisdel was recognized as the Employee of the Month for the Custodial Department. He has adjusted very well to the change and has gotten to know the staff very well. He has adjusted to his new hours and has continued to do a great job.

September Thrive of the Month

Sue Dredge was recognized for giving up her day off during Family Day to cover the ceremony at Brown Hall.