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EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

Al Hoover Custodian



Al has been with Northwest for 28 years! Prior to working for Facility Services he worked for food services at Northwest from 1980-1991. Al's favorite part about working as a Custodian is doing floor care work.

Al is from Green City, MO. Him and his wife Janet, have been married for 20 years. They have a daughter, a son and two grandchildren.

In Al's spare time he loves to go hunting (especially deer hunting) and camping, His favorite place to travel to was his trip to Gettysburg, PA.

Thank you Al for your 28 years of dedicated work with Northwest!

Kurt Porterfield Custodian



Kurt has been working for Northwest's Facility Services department for 18 years! Before working at Northwest he worked at Walmart. The best part about working for Northwest for Kurt are the benefits and his co-workers.

Kurt is from Hopkins, MO. He is married with 2 daughters. Kurt mostly enjoys spending time with his family.

Thank you Kurt for your 18 years of dedication to the Facility Services department and Northwest!

MESSAGE FROM THE AVP

Team,



I hope you had a good Thanksgiving holiday break! I'm thankful we made it through the Fall 2020 semester having on-ground classes. I believe this is in large part due to the efforts of the faculty, staff, and students adhering to the various safety measures. With the resurgence of Covid-19 nationwide, we cannot ease up anytime soon.

I encourage you to stay focused, stay positive, stay motivated, and above all.....stay safe.

Sincerely,

Dan

EMPLOYEE RECOGNITIONS



Mike Adwell, Maintenance Tech/Hardscape	13 Years
Shane Baumgart, Landscape/SWD Manager	3 Years
Raymond Bracken, Custodian	8 Years
Evan Brooks, Driver	2 Years
Thomas Dean, Maintenance Tech/HVAC	3 Years
Danton Green, Sign Shop Coordinator	17 Years
Steve Mozier, Custodian	11 Years
Kirby Poppa, Custodian	8 Years

Welcome to Our New Employee!

Adam Randles, Capital Programs Engineer

YOU'RE INVITED

Below is a list of some upcoming events for December that you may be interested in. For a full list and event details visit <http://calendar.nwmissouri.edu>.

- **Bearcat Coaches Show** - Tuesdays from noon to 1:00pm on KXCV
- **Bearcat Classics** – Saturday's @ 1:00pm on KXCV; relive Bearcat Footballs most memorable wins
- **Community Walking in Hughes Fieldhouse** - 11/30-12/4 from 8:00-12:00pm. Must wear a mask and enter through the South Entrance.
- **Employee Recognition Dinner** - 12/15 more details and RSVP information to come via email.
- **Winter Break-Northwest Offices Closed** - 12/23 - 1/3

life hacks

You can “rewire” your brain to be happy by simply recalling three things you’re grateful for every day for twenty-one days. Try it!

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Getting the right amount of sleep is crucial for your immune system. Sleeping for more than nine hours at a time can actually damage it!

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FACILITIES HISTORY

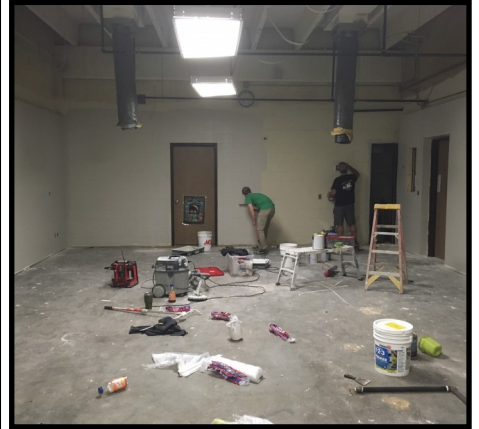
- Nov 1, 1950 The first shovel of dirt is turned for the Student Union building.
- Nov 4, 1938 The Gaunt House garage is ordered enlarged to hold two automobiles and to have “living quarters above, if sufficient funds are available.”
- Nov 9, 1952 Roberta Steel, a victim of the explosion that wrecked Residence Hall April 28, 1951, dies.
- Nov 10, 1942 Lamkin Lake, once a joke, is declared a thing of beauty and a delightful reflecting pool.
- Nov, 11, 1919 Memorial Avenue, located west of the Admin Building, is dedicated, and two of the 46 trees are planted.
- Nov 11, 1949 The order is given to move forward with the building program, which includes a men’s dormitory in the Quadrangle to house 50 men, an addition to Women’s Residence Hall for at least 50 women and the Student Union building.
- Nov 13, 1953 A groundbreaking ceremony for the National Guard Armory takes place on the Northwest campus.

PROJECT UPDATES

Campus Wide Digital Camera Installation



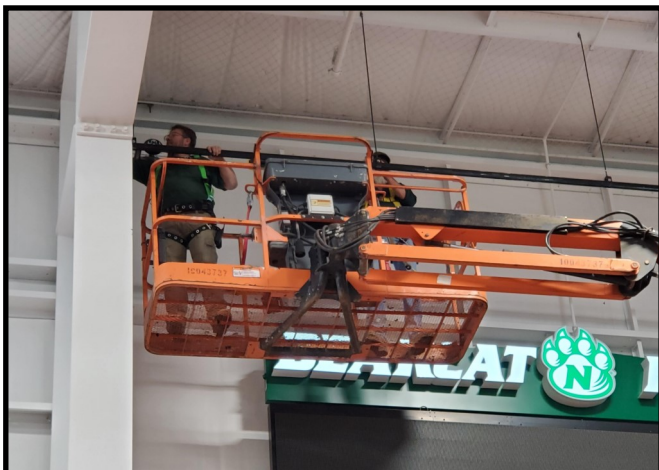
Valk #124 Classroom Refresh



FACILITIES ON THE GO



Hughes Fieldhouse Net Repairs



Chiller Plant Tunnel Water Line Repairs



FACILITIES ON THE GO

Colden Hall 3rd Floor Painting



Stadium Light Repairs



Student Union Drain Repairs



Work Orders Completed

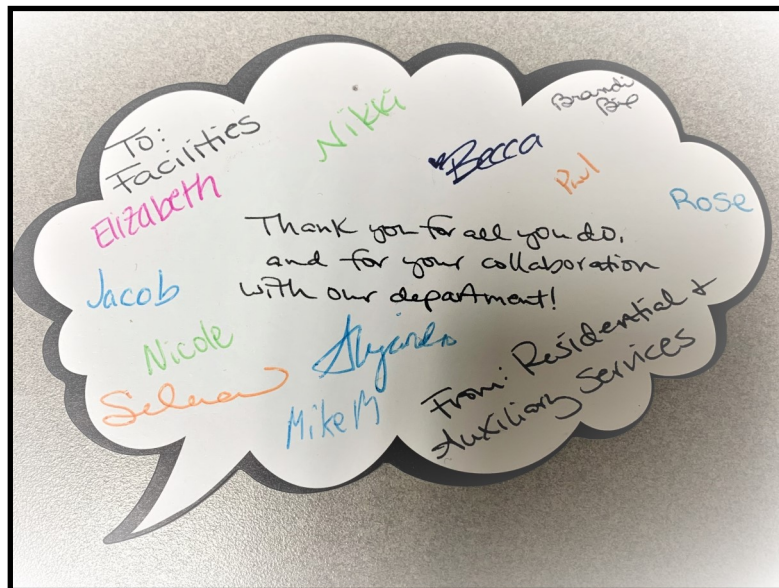
- Central Plant 6
- Custodial 82
- Landscape 28
- Maintenance 541
- Recycle Center 0
- Transportation 70
- Health & Safety 5
- Sign Shop 20

TOTAL - 849

KUDOS FROM CAMPUS

The teachers and children at Leet Center always enjoy our daily visits from Steve (Mozier). He always has a smile on his face and is there to help us no matter what (or how messy) the task! He takes the time to ask how we are and always is interested in what we have to say. Even when we run into him away from the center, for instance at the Union, he takes the time to say hello! We appreciate all he does to make our jobs easier, as well as what he does for the children of the center!

Erica Buck, Pre-School Teacher



Suggestions?

We want to hear your ideas on how to better serve our customers and improve your departments work environment. If you have a suggestion please feel free to drop it in the "Comments" box located in the Facility Services Administration office area.

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