Welcome to the HACC Foundation's official newsletter. This quarterly electronic newsletter is intended to keep you, a valued member of the HACC family, informed about Foundation and general HACC news. Your feedback is important to us! Please send any comments or suggestions to Linda Whipple at the HACC Foundation, lbwhippl@hacc.edu. If you wish to unsubscribe to this newsletter, simply click on the link at the bottom.

Candidates for HACC president to visit campuses

The search committee has recommended three candidates as finalists for the position of HACC's next president. Each of these candidates will visit all of the campuses and then interview with the Board of Trustees.

Open forums will be held during each of these visits to allow members of the college community to meet the candidates and ask questions. Because this is a busy time of year, we will be using our compressed video system at every forum so that everyone will have five chances to see each candidate. In addition, all of the forums will be recorded and posted on the website.

As a valued member of the HACC family, you are cordially invited to join us for any of these important sessions. The schedule is as follows.:

Candidate 1

December 6

Gettysburg: 9-10:30 a.m. York: 12:30-2:00 p.m. Harrisburg: 3-4:30 p.m.

December 7

Lebanon: 10-11:30 a.m. Lancaster: 2-3:30 p.m.

Evening meeting with Board of Trustees

Candidate 2

December 13

Gettysburg: 9-10:30 a.m. York: 12:30-2:00 p.m. Harrisburg: 3-4:30 p.m.

December 14

Lebanon: 10-11:30 a.m. Lancaster: 2-3:30 p.m.

Evening meeting with Board of Trustees

Candidate 3

December 15

Gettysburg: 9-10:30 a.m. York: 12:30-2:00 p.m. Harrisburg: 3-4:30 p.m.

December 16

Lebanon: 10-11:30 a.m. Lancaster: 2-3:30 p.m.

Evening meeting with Board of Trustees

Piccola honored for commitment to first responders

In addition to celebrating the graduation last month of 40 cadets from HACC's 98th Municipal Police Academy, HACC honored State Senator Jeffrey E. Piccola for his efforts and ongoing commitment and support of the region's first responders. Nancy Rockey, HACC vice president of college and community development and interim vice president of the Harrisburg Campus, presented Piccola with a framed architect's rendering of a new law enforcement complex at the Senator John J. Shumaker Public Safety Center (PSC) during Friday's ceremony at the Dauphin County Technical Center. Rockey then announced the complex will be named in Piccola's honor. more

Green Center receives 'Green Power' award

The Green Center of Central Pennsylvania, located at Campus Square in Midtown Harrisburg, recently received a "Green Power: Turn it on!" award from Citizens for Pennsylvania's Future (PennFuture) for its efforts to promote the clean energy economy. Julia Knight, executive director, accepted the award last month during the 11th annual Green Power Awards luncheon ceremony in Philadelphia. HACC is a leader in providing training programs in emerging green technology fields, particularly in solar photovoltaic (PV) energy and building analyst/energy auditor programs. more

HACC names newest campus development officer

HACC alumnus Sheila J. Fleischer is the new campus development officer for HACC's Harrisburg Campus. In her position, Fleischer has spent much of her career in the Harrisburg area. Most recently she was the vice president of chamber operations for the Harrisburg Regional Chamber & CREDC, overseeing membership and the planning and execution of more than 80 events each year. She holds a bachelor's degree in organizational management from Eastern College in St. Davids. Campus Development Officers play a vital role in creating partnerships and securing financial support for the college. Fleisher's counterparts are: Judy Alder, Gettysburg; David Carl, Lancaster; Ken Phelps, Lebanon; and Lise Levin, York.