

# CAMPUS VOICE

NORTHWESTERN CONNECTICUT COMMUNITY COLLEGE

MAY 1-15, 2017

## IMPORTANT STUDENT MEETING

### Significant Changes to Community Colleges

**Tuesday, May 2**  
**GW 128**

**9:00 to 11:00 am**  
***(stop by as you can)***

*This meeting is for NCCC  
students, faculty, staff and  
members from the  
community.*

Significant changes in the operational consolidation of the 12 CT Community Colleges have been approved by the Board of Regents and will be implemented over the next two years in an effort to reduce the State deficit by \$28 million. Also included are increases in tuition and fees this year and next.

The President of our CSCU system, Mark Ojakian will host a "town hall" style event to describe the changes and field questions from the audience. This initiative has a "**Students First**" focus to minimize the impact to students. Here is a link to the proposal: [http://www.ct.edu/newsroom/a\\_message\\_from\\_president\\_ojakian\\_regarding\\_cscu\\_administrative\\_consolidatio](http://www.ct.edu/newsroom/a_message_from_president_ojakian_regarding_cscu_administrative_consolidation)

**Please join us.**  
**This matters!**

## 2017 All-Connecticut Academic Team



On Friday, April 28, the All-Connecticut Academic Team was celebrated at the Capitol in Hartford. Two-year colleges are invited to nominate two Phi Theta Kappa honor students for their outstanding achievements and leadership accomplishments. This year 18 students were recognized, each with a citation from the Connecticut General Assembly. NCCC's Jessica Tessman and Jeremy Marchand each received the All-Academic Team honor. Jess also received the prestigious Coca Cola Gold Scholarship and Jeremy won the Bronze Scholarship. The Coca Cola Foundation annually awards 50 recipients nation-wide in each of the Gold, Silver and Bronze categories. Congratulations to Jessica and Jeremy!



## STUDENT SENATE ELECTIONS

**Monday – Friday, May 1—5**

**Vote:**

**Monday -Thursday 10:30am-6:30pm**  
**Friday 10:30am-1:30pm**

**Ballot locations are in Founders Hall  
either at the table in the ramp entrance or at the Information Center**

## FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE—Spring 2017

Scheduled class day and time beginning at:	Examination day and time TUESDAY, MAY 9	Scheduled class day and time beginning at:	Examination day and time THURSDAY, MAY 11
Tuesday 8:10am Tuesday 8:30am Tuesday/Thursday 8:30am Tuesday/Thursday 8:45am Tuesday/Thursday 9:25am Tuesday/Thursday 9:40am	8:30am—10:30am	Thursday 8:10am	8:30am—10:30am
<b>Daytime English 101 Classes</b> (Consult instructor for day/location)	11:00am—1:00pm	Tuesday/Thursday 10:05am Tuesday/Thursday 10:20am	11:00am—1:00pm
		Tuesday/Thursday 2:11pm Tuesday/Thursday 2:50pm Tuesday/Thursday 3:20pm	2:00pm—4:00pm
		Thursday 5:30pm	5:00pm—7:00pm
Tuesday 1:15pm Tuesday/Thursday 1:15pm	2:00pm—4:00pm	<b>BIO* 212 Lecture (CRN 1048)</b>	
Tuesday 3:00pm Tuesday 3:30pm Tuesday/Thursday 4:25pm Tuesday/Wednesday 5:00pm Tuesday/Thursday 5:00pm Tuesday/Thursday 5:15pm Tuesday 5:30pm	5:00pm—7:00pm	Thursday 6:35pm	7:30pm—9:30pm
Tuesday 6:35pm Tuesday/Thursday 6:35pm Tuesday 7:00pm	7:30pm—9:30pm	Scheduled class day and time beginning at:	Examination day and time FRIDAY, MAY 12
		Friday 9:00am <b>NUR* 101</b>	9:00am—11:00am
		Friday 1:00pm	1:00pm—3:00pm
Scheduled class day and time beginning at:	Examination day and time WEDNESDAY, MAY 10	Scheduled class day and time beginning at:	Examination day and time SATURDAY, MAY 13
Wednesday 7:30am Wednesday 8:30am Monday/Wednesday 8:30am Monday/Wednesday 9:25am Wednesday 10:00am	8:30am—10:30am	Saturday 9:00am	9:00am—11:00am
<b>Daytime English 101 Classes</b> (Consult instructor for day/location) <b>BIO* 127 Lecture (CRN 1159)</b>	11:00am—1:00pm	Scheduled class day and time beginning at:	Examination day and time MONDAY, MAY 15
Wednesday 12:30pm Wednesday 1:15pm Monday/Wednesday 1:15pm	2:00pm—4:00pm	Monday 10:05am Monday/Wednesday 10:05am	8:30am-10:30am
Wednesday 5:00pm Monday/Wednesday 5:00pm	5:00pm—7:00pm	Monday/Wednesday 11:30am Monday 11:40am Monday/Wednesday 11:40am	11:00am—1:00pm
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## STUDENT and CAMPUS INFORMATION

### Scholarship Information ...

The **Connecticut Association of Latin Americans in Higher Education** (CALAHE) will award several \$1,000 scholarships for the 2017-18 academic year. Scholarship applications are available in the NCCC Financial Aid Office or may be downloaded from the CALAHE homepage [www.calahe.org](http://www.calahe.org). Application must be postmarked by **May 5, 2017** and mailed to Dr. Wilson Luna, Gateway Community College, 20 Church Street, New Haven, CT 06510.

**B.Davis Scholarship: Application deadline May 22, 2017**  
**Amount of Scholarship: \$1,000**

Please visit our website at <http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm> to read about us and apply for our scholarship. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at [awards@studentawardsearch.com](mailto:awards@studentawardsearch.com)

The **2017-2018 CAPFAA Scholarship** will be awarded to a full-time undergraduate student with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and has completed unpaid community service. Applications are available in the Financial Aid Office.  
**Application deadline May 15, 2015.**

### Ballroom Dance Class

If you haven't tried Ballroom Dance but would like to, come join us for an evening of fun!!  
 Singles and couples are welcome.



Our final class of the semester will be held on **Friday, May 12th** from **7-9pm** in **Greenwoods Hall Room 128.**

**Free** for registered credit students and Senior Citizens

**Non-students:** \$10 per person payable at the door on the night of class.

~ Sponsored by your Student Senate ~

**Lost and Found** services are maintained in the Information Center (FH 104) and the Student Activities Office (GW 110). If you have lost an item while on campus, please check with Darlene at the Information Center (FH 104) or by phone at 860-738-6300 or the Office of Student Activities at 860-738-6343 (Susan) or 860-738-6344 (Kathy) as soon as possible. **Positive ID is required when collecting your lost item.**

**Any items not claimed before the end of the semester will be donated to Goodwill.**

### NCCC Nursing Students—Past and Present

NCCC's Men in Nursing Club will host a Celebration of NCCC Nursing Students on Friday, May 5th, from 6:00-9:00pm, in GW 128.

### NCCC Clubs Meeting this week

**Criminal Justice Association— Wednesday, 4:15-5:15pm, FH 201**

**Dungeons and Dragons Club—Tuesday, 1:00-4:30pm, GW 303**

**Early Childhood Education Association—Tuesday, 4:12-4:45pm, FH 207**

**Improvisation Club (NEW!)—Tuesday, 2:40-4:10pm, GW 101**

**LGBTQIA+ Club — Thursday, 12-1pm, ASB 205**

**METS (Math, Engineering, Tech, and Science) Club — Tuesday, 5-6pm, GW 301 & Thursday, 12-1pm, GW 303/304**

**Men in Nursing Club—Monday, May 1 at 7pm, FH 107**

**Northwest Deaf Club— Monday, 3:30-4:45pm, GW 309**

**Phi Theta Kappa – by invitation only; Thursday, May 11, 12noon, FH 306**

The NCCC **Student Senate** meets on **Tuesdays, 11:45am-1:00pm** in GW 110, and meetings are open to all registered students. Contact club advisor Kathy Chapman, [kchapman@nwcc.edu](mailto:kchapman@nwcc.edu)

## Northwestern Connecticut Community College

**Summer 2017**

June 19—August 10  
Mon. through Thurs.  
8:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.  
Plus two Saturdays  
8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

THE PROGRAM COST IS \$850.00. SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE:

- ASK ABOUT A PARTIAL SCHOLARSHIP THROUGH THE GREENWOODS SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION
- OR A FULL SNAP SCHOLARSHIP FOR THOSE WHO ARE RECEIVING FOOD STAMPS

WHAT MAKES NCCC'S EMT PROGRAM UNIQUE?

- ♦ Earn 6 College credits
- ♦ Paramedic instructors
- ♦ Convenient ride time with busy professional service
- ♦ Mock victim experience prior to state testing
- ♦ Excellent completion and pass rates

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE EMT PROGRAM CONTACT HEATHER CAPPABIANCA:  
(860) 738-6484  
HCAPPABIANCA@NWCC.EDU

**CAMPUS CALENDAR**

- May 2 Town Hall Meeting with CSU President Mark Ojakian, 9-11am, GW 128 (open to all NCCC students, faculty and staff)
- May 8 Last Day of Classes
- May 9-15 Final Exams
- May 12 NCCC Ballroom Dance, 7-9pm, GW 128
- May 24 Annual Awards and Scholarships Convocation, 6-8pm, GW 128
- May 25 Commencement, 6:30pm, Warner Theatre

**Check out the ONLINE [Campus Calendar](#) today!!**

This is **THE PLACE** on the NCCC webpage to find out when and where student clubs are meeting, information about student events such as the annual Student vs. Faculty/Staff Softball Tournament and other student-related campus events, transfer representative campus visits and important deadlines.

Click on the link above or, **on the NCCC webpage**, go to **Current Students > Campus Calendar**.



Call 860-738-6444 or 860-738-6484 to register or stop by the CWD offices at the Goulet Building, 56 Park Place.

**The SNAP Scholarship**

If you or your parents receive SNAP benefits (AKA Food Stamps), you may be eligible to take one of seven certificate programs at NCCC for FREE! Become an Electronics Repair person, a Solderer, a Pharmacy Technician, an EMT, a CNA, an Administrative Assistant, a bookkeeper, a Direct Support Professional, an Elder Care Assistant or an expert on Microsoft Office and Quickbooks. As an added bonus, certifications will make your resume look so good!

Contact Erin Kennedy, SNAP Coordinator, at (860) 738-6419 or [ekennedy@nwcc.edu](mailto:ekennedy@nwcc.edu) for more info.

**Basic Life Support (BLS)**

Saturday, July 8, 8:00am-1:00pm, \$76

**Nurse aide** training is a great way to start your health care career. We will provide you with the entry level skills needed to take the state examination for certification. Our 120-hour program provides classroom lecture and hands-on laboratory instruction with clinical experience at skilled nursing facility. Please Note: Those convicted of a felony may not be eligible for clinical experiences and may find it difficult to secure employment in health care. Cost: \$1215. All course materials, uniform and state testing fees are included.

**June 26-August 8, Mon-Thur, days, to be held in Sharon, CT**  
**August 14-September 26, Mon-Thurs, evenings**

For more information and/or an application please contact Heather Cappabianca, allied health program coordinator, at [hcappabianca@nwcc.edu](mailto:hcappabianca@nwcc.edu) or call 860-738-6484. The application process includes an interview and health screening.