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Student Life News & Events

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Both Campuses!

Free Vouchers!



FRIDAY, APR. 14

Get a head start on your Financial Aid!
Receive one-on-one help with your FAFSA!

Check in at
One Stop / Lawrenceville campus
Building A / ANF campus



LEADERCAST 2017

Get 2 free vouchers with your student ID.
First come, first serve until they are gone!

Mon - Thurs from 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Student Life Center / Lawrenceville campus
Front Desk / ANF campus

F / APR 7 - SkillsUSA Club Officers' Meeting

Attention SkillsUSA Club Officers, there will be an officers' meeting at 11:00 a.m. in the Student Life Center, building 100 on the Lawrenceville campus. We hope to see you all there. For more information on how to join SkillsUSA Club please contact [Penny Waddell](#).

M-TH / APR - Leadercast Vouchers

GTC Student Life is giving out FREE vouchers to students to attend Leadercast 2017 on May 5th from 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. This is a one-day leadership event held at the Infinite Energy Center. This is an amazing opportunity to hear from speakers like Tyler Perry, director, playwright, and actor; Jim McKelvey, co-founder of Square; Molly Fletcher, sports agent and author; and other leaders sharing their true stories, solutions, and insights. If you are interested in attending stop by the Student Center Monday - Thursday from 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus or the Front Desk at the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus to pick up your 2 free vouchers. For more information on the event

[click here](#). Questions? Contact [Chantelle Bailey](#).

T / APR 11 - Cooking for a Lifetime

Cooking for a lifetime is a free cooking and demonstration class focusing on good nutrition and cancer prevention in collaboration with the American Cancer Society. In this class you will learn how to reduce your risk of developing cancer by acquiring good eating habits and making healthier food choices; information regarding breast, cervical, and colorectal cancer prevention (including the latest screening guidelines); and resources to receive cancer screenings within your community. The class will take place in the building 100, room 106 on the Lawrenceville campus, from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. To register or if you have any questions, please contact [Lisa Richardson](#).

TH / APR 13 - Community Agency Resource Fair - LAW

Students, staff, and faculty are all invited to drop in to learn more about health and human services available in Gwinnett County. Participating vendors will provide services in counseling, education, housing, health care, finances, recreation, and emergency resource consultation. The event will take place in the Cafeteria of building 100, on the Lawrenceville campus, from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. For more information or if you have questions, please contact [Brian Powell](#) or [Lisa Richardson](#).

F / APR 14 - SkillsUSA Club Meeting

Everyone is welcome to attend the SkillsUSA Club meeting! The meeting will be held at 11:00 a.m. in building 200, room 104 on the Lawrenceville campus. All students are invited to attend! For more information email [Penny Waddell](#).

F / APR 14 - FAFSA Friday - Both Campuses

Do you have Financial Aid questions? Is the FAFSA stressful and confusing? A Financial Aid Specialist will be available; let us help you through the process! Check in at the One Stop in Building 100 on the Lawrenceville campus and Building A on the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus from 12 p.m. - 3 p.m. For more information, please email [Financial Aid Office](#) or call 678.226.6677.

T - W / APR 18-19 - Register to Vote

Do you wish to register to vote in next year's local, state and federal elections, have questions about your current registration status or just need to change your name or address on your voter registration? Then be sure to stop by the table outside the Student Life Center in building 100 on Tuesday, April 18th or Wednesday, April 19th from 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Experienced volunteers will be on hand to answer your questions and help you with your registration. Feel free to stop by the voter registration table to take advantage of the opportunity.

W / APR 19 - AITP Meeting

Everyone is welcome to join the AITP meeting in building 700, room 2201 from 5:00 p.m.- 5:45 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. We will have guest speaker Olivia Rose Jenkins discuss the topic of Trends in Security. Pizza and refreshments will be provided. The Association for Information Technology Professionals is for anyone with an interest in the computer information systems field. For more information contact [John Thacher](#).

TH / APR 20 - Community Agency Resource Fair - ANF

Students, staff, and faculty are all invited to drop in to learn more about health and human services available in Gwinnett County. Participating vendors will provide services in counseling, education, housing, health care, finances, recreation, and emergency resource consultation. The event will take place on the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. For more information or if you have questions, please contact [Juan Wilson](#).

TH / APR 20 - Information Security Association Meeting

GTC-ISA is the student community of choice for GTC cyber security students dedicated to advancing individual growth and deepening their knowledge and awareness of issues related to managing technology risk and protecting critical information and infrastructure. The next meeting will be held in building 900, room 1105 at 4:30 p.m. on the Lawrenceville campus. If you have any questions, please email [Garfield Anderson](#).

TH / APR 20 - GTC Students' Toastmasters International Club - LAW

The GTC Students' Toastmasters International Club will meet on the Lawrenceville campus at 6 p.m. in building 200, room 104. Students interested in joining as a member or have questions should

contact [Thaddeus Nifong](#).

W-S / APR 26-29 - DECA

Three Marketing Management student are going to compete in the DECA - International Career Development Conference, in Anaheim California! Please join us in wishing them luck - Go GTC! Questions? Email [Perry Hidalgo](#).

Future Dates

April 19 - Student Government Association Meeting

April 24 -29 Spring Final Exams (Terms A&C)

May 5 - Leadercast 2017



HEALTHY TIP

April is Alcohol Awareness Month

Excessive alcohol use, including underage drinking and binge drinking can increase people's risk of injuries, violence, drowning, liver disease, and some types of cancer. However, we can all do our part to prevent alcohol misuse or abuse. By not drinking in excess, you can reduce the risk of short and long term health risk. [CDC.gov](#) list various ways to prevent excessive alcohol use and provides more information on Alcohol Awareness month:

1. Choose not to drink too much yourself and help others not drink in excess as well.
2. If you choose to drink, follow the U.S. Dietary Guidelines on moderate alcohol consumption.
3. Do not serve or provide alcohol to those who should not be drinking; i.e. children, teens, or someone who has had to much to drink already.

[To read the full article click here.](#)

If there is a topic you would like to know about or a tip that you'd like to share with us, please email [Morgan Taylor-Burns](#) with your suggestions!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Free OB Ultrasounds



Free OB ultrasounds are offered to GTC students. The Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program is seeking volunteers for OB ultrasounds preferably 18-32 weeks. Volunteers need to be prepared to stay for one hour and are scanned by GTC DMS students under direct credentialed faculty supervision. Volunteers receive FREE keepsake 3D images as well as the opportunity to see their baby in 4D. For more information or to schedule an appointment, please email [OB Sonography](#) or call 470-448-1211.

Pet Food/ Pet Supplies Drive

The Future Cardiovascular Technologist club will be sponsoring a pet food / pet supplies drive throughout the remainder of the semester. The drive will collect items for FurKids animal shelter and rescue. Collection boxes will be placed in the student lounge areas around campus. Some items being collected are: Fancy Feast Classic

Chicken, Friskies Chicken Dinner Wet Food, Quality dog treats, Denta-Chews, Interactive dog toys, cat scratchers and refills, paper towels, wipes, etc. For more information, email [Kristen Buoy](mailto:Kristen.Buoy)

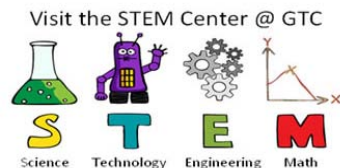


Georgia Cares

Georgia Cares is the single, statewide 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 care and services in the state of Georgia. For more information [visit our website](#).

Gwinnett Tech STEM Center

The STEM Center is a peer tutoring center in building 900, room 1.109 for students taking Life Sciences classes or anyone trying to get in a healthcare program. The STEM center is open Monday - Thursday from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. and Friday from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Be sure to join us every Thursday evening at 6 p.m. and every Friday morning at 10 a.m. for an A&P I Q&A. Need help with Chemistry? Ms. Francois is available to help Tuesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. For more information please [Casey Best](#)



Quality Childcare Available on Campus

Do you have young children? Do you know of someone who is looking for a high quality child care center for their child? The Hudgens Early Education Center is the best place for all children! Please come in for a visit today (building 800)! Or call for more information 678-226-6510. Enrolling children 6 weeks to 5 years. Open daily from 7:00 a.m. to 6:15 p.m. Enrollment is open to the community! Childcare tuition assistance is available for full time GTC students and we accepts CAPS.

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. [watch video](#).



Collecting Aluminum Can Tabs

The Future Cardiovascular Technologist Club and the Association for Radiologic Technologist are collecting can tabs. One gallon of tabs equals a one night stay in the Ronald McDonald House for a family. Together, we've already collected eight gallons, but we can do more! Help us by bringing your aluminum can tabs to building 100 near Chick-Fil-A, building 100 near the bookstore in the cafeteria area, building 900 lobby, building 200 - room 121, 245, 133 or the student lounge and the Alpharetta-North Fulton campus student lounge. Thank you for your support!

You Shop. Amazon Gives Back to GTC!

[Shop Amazon Smile](#) is giving back and all you have to do is go to the website and choose "Gwinnett Tech Foundation". The GTC Foundation will receive .05% of every dollar you spend that qualifies and in turn, we will apply these dollars back into Gwinnett Tech students! This is a win-win!!! If you have further questions, please contact [Darcie Johnson](#).



Did you know? GTC Has a No Interest Tuition Payment Plan!

Gwinnett Tech partners with [Nelnet Business Solutions](#) 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!

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Feel Stressed? You are not Alone!

Going to school can be tough. Life can be tough. Student Life has paid for all of our students to get four free counseling sessions through the Cameron & Associates Life Balance Program. Yes - it's FREE! Just call 404-845-3727 or visit them on the [web](#) and they will give you three counselors close to you to pick from. You are worth the investment!



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