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Have items of interest you would like featured in the NewsLink online newsletter? Please send your departmental news, upcoming events, etc., to James Hartley at jehartley@smail.anc.edu. The deadline is 5 pm on the last Thursday of the month.

ANC Mission

Arkansas Northeastern College is committed to providing accessible, quality educational programs, services, and lifelong learning opportunities.

The ANC Alumni Hour

Arkansas Northeastern College's Team Up Mentoring Program recently held its first Alumni Hour. The event's inaugural speaker was Shungetta Cunningham, an Arkansas Northeastern College graduate. After leaving ANC, Cunningham continued her education at Arkansas State University. She earned a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science and a Master's Degree in Public Administration.

Cunningham is currently the CEO and Principal Grant Strategist of KHARIS Grants and Services, LLC.



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ANC Institutional Learning Outcomes Rubric Meeting

On April 7th, twenty-five faculty members evaluated the rubric adopted to assess students' levels of critical thinking. Critical thinking is one of the five broad categories of knowledge and skills (Institutional Learning Outcomes) the college believes every student who receives a degree from the institution should possess in order to succeed in their academic and career paths. These work sessions are being conducted on each of the five rubrics developed to assess the ILOs. During these sessions, faculty apply the rubric to examples of student work from various disciplines. These exercises provide the opportunity to evaluate the specific skills listed in each of the ILOs and determine if the selected key performance indicator (KPI) of student learning measures those skills. After faculty members rate the student's level of performance on each of the five criteria, the ratings are compared and discussed. This helps to ensure that all faculty evaluate student work consistently and in alignment with the ILO scoring rubric.





The Solutions Group Provides Multiple Training Opportunities

Aviation Repair Technologies must renew their HazDot Training for Transportation and Hazardous Materials certificate every three years. During the current renewal cycle, ART selected ANC to conduct the training. Allied Technologies instructor, Rob Semmel led the 8-hour training at ART in Gosnell on March 20th. Click on the link below for a training specifics.

[ANC Solutions Group Link I](#)

Recently, Allied Technologies adjunct instructors, Carol Mills, Ron Hutto, and Stacey Walker, trained several companies in Excel 2016 Part I (basic) and Part II (intermediate). Microsoft Excel is a popular software used by nearly all industries in Mississippi County. For specifics of training and the industries involved, click the link below.

[ANC Solutions Group Link II](#)

Every year, Nucor shuts down production to perform routine maintenance on machines. This year, ANC Solutions Group was part of that maintenance. On March 16th, Nucor Yamato Steel and Nucor Castrip participated in an eight-hour Spectrum Development/Personality awareness and conflict management training, provided by Desmond Hammett. For more information on the training provided, click the link below.

[ANC Solutions Group Link III](#)

ANC STUDENT RECEIVES TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIP

Arkansas Northeastern College student Chris Caveney has received the Presidential Transfer Scholarship to Arkansas Tech University. This offer came as a result of both Mr. Caveney's outstanding academic achievements and a recommendation by ANC President Dr. James Shemwell.

The Arkansas Tech University Presidential Transfer Scholarship allows each Arkansas two-year president/chancellor the opportunity to name one student each fall and spring for a transfer scholarship that pays \$3,000 a semester and is renewable for up to five semesters or completion of an undergraduate degree, whichever comes first.

Mr. Caveney is a member and officer in ANC's Gamma Beta Phi Honor Society. Because of his academic excellence and his desire to further his education at Arkansas Tech University, Dr. Shemwell proudly submitted his name as a candidate for the transfer scholarship. Mr. Caveney will transfer following this spring semester at Arkansas Northeastern College.

"We wish all the best to Chris Caveney as he begins the next step in his life's journey as an Arkansas Tech Bulldog. He has picked the right mascot because bulldogs are very determined, just like Chris is," said Dr. Shemwell.



ANC Student Art Work: untitled

"Untitled" is an art exhibit featuring the work of student artists enrolled at Arkansas Northeastern College. The student artists include Autumn Bennett, Rachel Johnson, Stephen Wilbanks, Jordan Glass, Hannah Yost, Payton Jeffries, Kayla Napier, and Will Saylor.

The works are a combination of art created in the classes offered at ANC as well as work some students have created outside of class. Works included range from digital painting, watercolor, sculpture, and photography.



Expect More Bright Spot

We can reshape our future, and we know what works. If Arkansans have more education and the right skills, we will have more jobs paying family-supporting wages. Blytheville is on a path to breaking the intergenerational cycle of poverty in its community. Learn more about the policies and partnerships that are making this possible:



[Bright Spot Link](#)



Tech Center Students Place at SkillsUSA



The ANC Tech Center took 21 high school students and 5 ANC college students to the SkillsUSA Arkansas Competition in Hot Springs, Arkansas. Jon Griffin won 1st place in the Welding Sculpture competition and Hunter Drury won 3rd place in the Combination Welding competition. ANC was represented well and we are proud of the hard work and preparation our students put into this competition!

Pictured L to R: Jon Griffin, Donaldo Rodriguez, William Pelts (Instructor), David Davis (Instructor), Hunter Drury, Jacob Cater, and Buddy Williams.



Local Air-Evac 113 Flight Team Lands at ANC

Francis Lewis, Part-time EMS Instructor for ANC and Program Director for the local Air-Evac Lifeteam located in Blytheville, scheduled the Air-Evac crew to fly to ANC on Thursday, April 6th. The flight crew provided tours of their medical transport helicopter and Lewis and the crew hosted question and answer time for students enrolled in both the Practical Nursing and Associate degree Nursing Programs. The faculty and students from both programs are very appreciative to Air-Evac 113 for taking the time to fly to ANC and provide tours and valuable information regarding air medical transport and career opportunities.

The Air-Evac 113 Flight Team included:

Teddy Mitchell, Pilot

Dianne Miller, Flight Nurse

Todd Collums, Flight Paramedic

*Practical Nursing Class of 2017



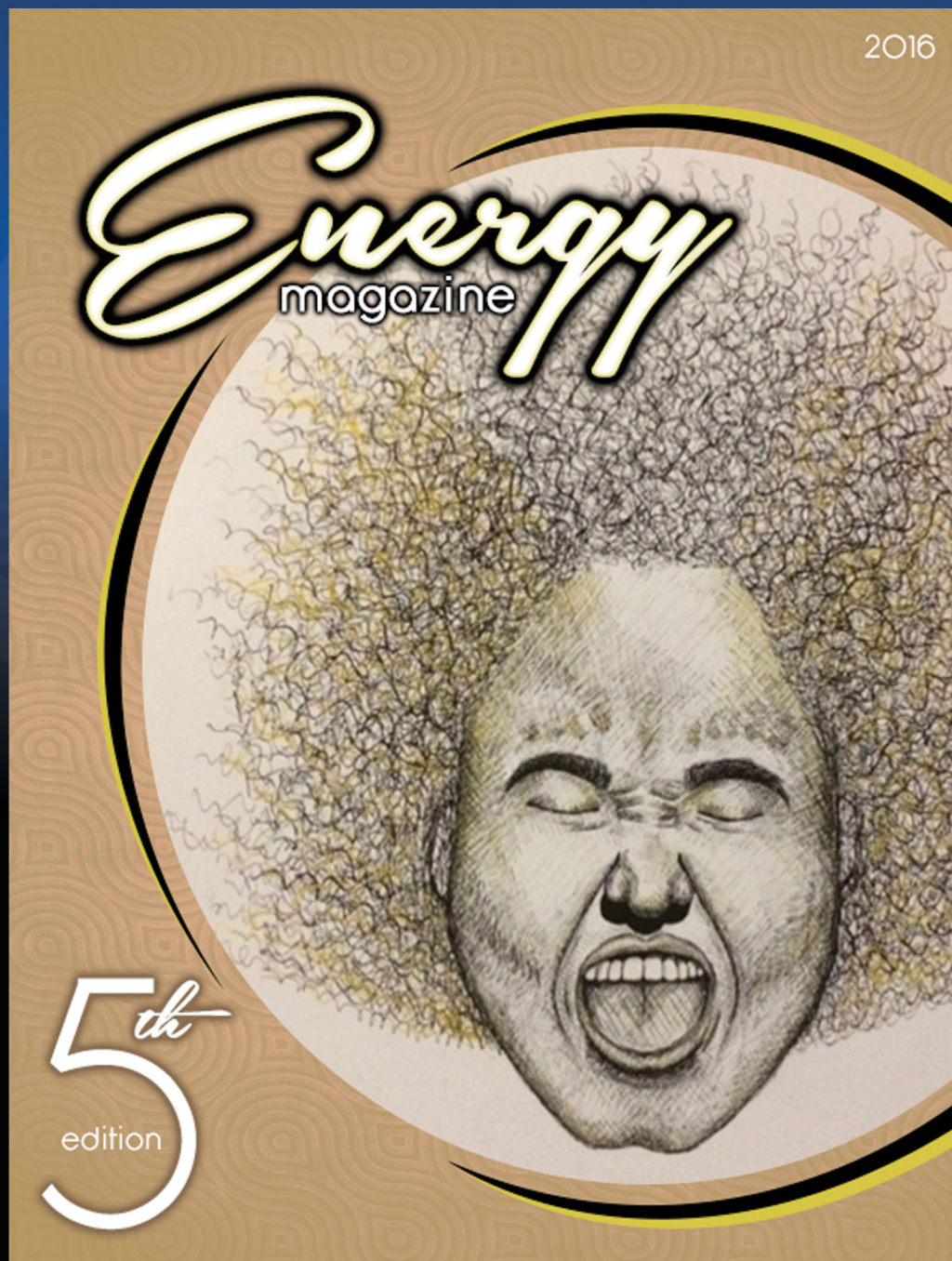
Air-Evac Continued...

*Associate Degree Nursing Class 2017



Energy Wins Awards

Energy, Arkansas Northeastern College's student literary magazine, won three awards for the 2016 digital publication from the Arkansas College Media Association. At its annual conference at Northwest Arkansas Community College, *Energy* competed in the literary magazine category against both colleges and universities in the state and won second place for magazine of the year and second place for the cover design. In the Art/Illustration category, former student, Rosa Lloyd, won third place for her work, "Pull." Arkansas College Media Association accepts submissions from various media outlets (yearbooks, newspapers, lit mags, and television/digital) to be sent to judges outside of Arkansas and throughout the country for their yearly competition. The digital edition of *Energy* 2017 will launch May 2nd.



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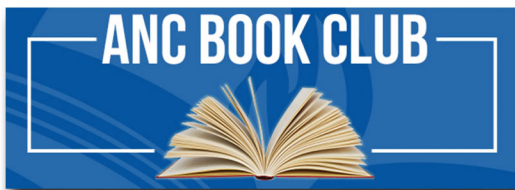
Thank you so much for your beautiful remembrance
of my mother, Rosemary Hughes.

You are so kind to think of our family at this time.
We appreciate all of your thoughts and prayers.

Mary Ann & the Hughes Family

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LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS



Join ANC Librarian Karen Ellis for intellectual stimulation and lively discussion in the ANC library. Make new friends, share your knowledge, and if you don't have a card— sign up for a library card to take advantage of the excellent reading material available at the ANC Library.

For more information, contact Karen Ellis at kellis@smail.anc.edu



The Community Education department at Arkansas Northeastern College is a non-credit, lifelong learning program that meets the changing needs of the community. Educational opportunities are continually developed and offered for citizens of all ages for a reasonable cost.

For more information, contact Mary Ann Garren at mgarren@smail.anc.edu



Join the ANC Community Choir and experience an enrichment of your life through music!

For more information, contact Dr. Keith Hearnberger at khearnberger@smail.anc.edu

May

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 6th: Spring Opportunity Fair

ANC will be hosting its 2nd Annual Spring Opportunity Fair Saturday, May 6, 2017 from 11am-1pm.

This FREE event is designed to offer interested individuals the "opportunity" to learn about all the different things ANC has to offer. From financial aid assistance, academic counseling, extracurricular activities and organizations, ANC staff will be present to share the many "opportunities" that are available.

Bring your kids! There will be activities for children, food, and a 3-on-3 basketball tournament.

It will be a great day to come learn about ANC degree plans and student support programs. Going to college is definitely within your reach!

May 12th: Graduation

The ANC graduation ceremony for 2017 will be observed. The ceremony begins at 2:00pm.

May 30th: ANC Nursing "Skills Day"

ANC will be hosting a "Skills Days" event for Mississippi County Health Systems (MCHSYS), which is Great River Medical Center here in Blytheville & South Mississippi County Health Center in Osceola on May 30th-June 2nd; June 5th-June 7th (each day from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm).

On these days, their nursing employees come to our clinical skills lab to practice and review various skills for which they perform on the job.



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