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Facilities and Campus Services

Wellbeing Incentive Classes

July 12th 12pm - 1pm

Earn a \$150 wellbeing incentive toward your BlueCross BlueShield medical plan when you complete two wellbeing classes or a full coaching session in Reynolds Gym. [See the PDC website for more details.](#)



Sustainable Landscapes and Propagation

July 16th 10am - 12pm

Come out to Reynolda Gardens to learn about the benefits of a diverse selection of plants in your garden as well as propagation practices to take home with you. Find other Reynolda Gardens Events [on their website.](#)



Workday training classes are open to staff in need of additional guidance. Register for classes [on the PDC website.](#)

TIAA Retirement Planning

A Financial Consultant will be available for half hour consultations to discuss retirement planning.

[Check the PDC website for more details.](#)

F&CS Elect

If you have a story about a Facilities employee going above and beyond, nominate them for F&CS Elect [on the Facilities website.](#)

2019 Summer Newsletter

FACILITIES & CAMPUS SERVICES

Congratulations Class of 2019



The Facilities team came through for Commencement again this year, setting up a record 13,000 chairs and assisting nearly 2,000 graduates and 11,000 attendees on the lawn of Hearn Plaza. From the beginning of the celebration to the end, Facilities was there to assist. Congratulations to the 2019 Class of Demon Deacons!



The Wake Well



After a social media naming contest, a week's worth of building onto the trailer, and incredibly quick coordination from our two leaders (Sloan Cole and Seth Looney), the Wake Well debuted at this year's Commencement celebration.

The Wake Well was a raving success at graduation and sparked conversation about future use across campus. As summer camps flood our fields and residence halls during the summer months, the Wake Well will be stationed in high traffic areas to keep our community and its visitors hydrated.



Summer Projects

This summer has kept us busy with our regular schedule of projects as well as some special initiatives led by our teams.

Events

Our department has helped put on many notable events at this academic year's end and the start of the summer. Through coordination from Lorraine Bradford, the following list of campus events was made possible:

April

- 3 Board of Trustees Accommodations
- 7 Easter Egg Hunt
- 26-27 Distinguished Alumni and Benefactor Brunch
- 28 Kidsfest

May

- 21 Commencement

June

- 1 Summer Camps in Wait Chapel

Latest News

Commencement 2019

Our team seems to always be busy, but this time of year is by far the most intense. Commencement is the culmination of our efforts into one great display of beauty and functionality, from the gorgeous garden beds around campus to the maintenance teams whizzing around to make sure everything works perfectly for our thousands of guests.



After the Commencement festivities, our Department comes into work early to pick up all the chairs and trash left behind in record time. We even made a time lapse video spanning only an hour and a half to show you the scope of that busy morning.



Computer Allocations

If you are scheduled for a new computer this year, please schedule a time for your computer exchange class on the PDC website and notify Whitney Barker or Brett Hewitt of your exchange date.



Look Out For Move In Day

We are excited to welcome the new undergraduate class of Demon Deacons to campus on August 21, 2019! Anyone active on social media during move-in should use the hash tag #wfu23 so that we can share your awesome contribution to this busy day.

From The Ground Up

Our department is excited to co-create a performance with Forklift Danceworks titled "From the Ground Up." The show is scheduled to premiere on the new lawn of Hearn Plaza on Oct. 4th and 5th.

"From the Ground Up" will highlight the skill and grace in the work that we do. Use hashtag #ForkliftWFU on social media to share your part in this project.



Sod the Quad

On June 5th, the Hearn Plaza Project started with the removal of the existing grass, re-crowning, and re-sodding of the entire front lawn. The project improved drainage and irrigation, and eliminated rainwater buildup that had become problematic in recent rainy seasons.

On June 27th, new sod was put in to recover the lawn with a thicker, more winter-hardy grass to stay greener throughout the year. We have published an awe-inspiring time lapse of the process online that you can watch on our [YouTube channel](#).



Welcome Corissa

Corissa Epperly has joined our team as the new Administrative Coordinator in the Warehouse.



Staff Changes

Dennis Bauguess UOC

Service Milestones

5 years

Candelaria Hernandez Zarate

Cynthia Wilson

Patrick Thomas

Sharon Taylor

Janet Martin

15 years

Darlene Penn

Mike Rash

25 years

Bentley McClure

Joel Rogers

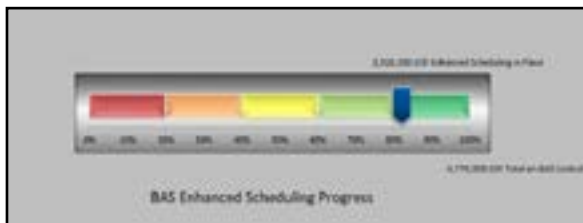
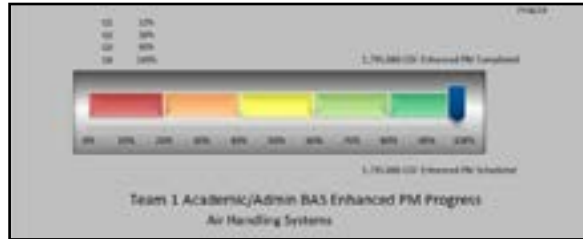
Welcome Morgan

Morgan Frye has joined our team as the new Customer Service Specialist alongside Toni Finch.



BPI²

The Building Performance Improvement Initiative has had another successful year with 100% of Enhanced Preventative Maintenance on administrative and academic buildings completed, expansive LED and HVAC upgrades to more than 17 different buildings, and 82% of campus under active scheduling management by the Building Systems Team. Visit our website for more information on this program and its initiatives.



Congratulations Armando Garduno Gomez

Armando has left his Custodial Lead position and earned the new title of Maintenance Team Technician on Team 2.

Congratulations Tim Mitchell

With the continuing success of the BPI² program and Tim Mitchell's involvement in moving the program to new heights, he has been promoted from a temporary to a permanent position on our staff.

Training Opportunities

WORKORDERS

Please contact Brett Hewitt
at hewittbt@wfu.edu or
336-758-6195.

[Please visit the PDC website](#)
for other WFU opportunities.

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Birthdays

July

07/06 Mark Agee
07/06 Jay Huffman
07/07 Jeremy Payne
07/09 Bernard Clowers
07/16 Doris Lopez Palma
07/17 Mary Jefferson
07/18 Brent Byrd
07/18 Jeff Gaither
07/18 Oralia Hernandez
07/19 Sloan Cole
07/19 Toni Finch
07/22 Tyrone McGill
07/25 Thela Muhammed
07/28 Damion Campbell
07/29 Jimmy Nifong
07/29 Michael Tilley
07/30 Chris Boston

August

08/03 Stacey Lawson
08/06 Travis Asbury
08/08 Kobak Taylor
08/10 Mike Rash
08/12 Kevin Salley
08/18 Jovan Scott
08/18 Brian Mabe
08/19 Rachel Burrow
08/19 Melvin Lee
08/21 Tim Mitchell
08/22 Whitney Barker
08/23 James Everhart
08/25 TJ Ezell
08/26 David Norris
08/27 Sean Seney
08/30 Golden Watson
08/30 Samantha Gabriel
08/31 Tanya Johnson
08/31 Debra Lane

September

09/05 Casey Stille
09/08 Jeffrey Marion
09/09 Ronda Durant
09/12 Brian Gary
09/12 Tim Ward
09/17 Natasha Giles
09/17 Jim Montgomery
09/22 Logan Chris
09/23 Timothy Hill
09/26 Chris Priddy
09/26 Mark Cook
09/28 Rob Hager
09/30 Donna Thornton
09/30 Daejaan Danielson

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