Minority student scholarship gets boost toward full endowment

Two senior administrators at Pennsylvania College of Technology have made a commitment to a scholarship that benefits minority students enrolled at the college and supports diversity initiatives within the institution’s strategic plan. Carolyn R. Strickland, vice president for enrollment management and associate provost, and Elliott Strickland Jr., vice president for student affairs, will match up to $5,000 in new contributions made to The Start to Finish Minority Student Scholarship.

Alumni Highlights

PA Build My Future

Levon Whitmyer
1998, building construction technology

Anthony Peachey
2016, civil engineering technology

Alumni Events

Will you be attending FABTECH this year? If so, we encourage you to stop by the Penn College Booth (A-3340) to say hello! In addition, make plans to join Alumni Relations for Happy Hour in Atlanta at Stats Brewpub on Monday, November 5, 2018 at 6 p.m. Enjoy an appetizer buffet and your first drink on us! We will also be providing an update about all the great things happening in Williamsport including new academic programs, changes in athletics and student life, and much, much more! Register today!

Join Penn College and Lycoming College alumni for an afternoon of tea and The Nutcracker at the Community Arts Center on Sunday, December 2. A reception will begin at 3 p.m. in the Capital Lounge followed by the show at 4 p.m. The normally $35 ticket will be offered to our alumni for $20 ($15 for Wildcat X members). Registration is open for this family friendly event.
You and your family are invited to join Penn College Alumni Relations for the **Santa Express Train Excursion** on Friday, December 7 at 8 p.m., in Williamsport. Two train cars are reserved for our alumni and their families. Wear your pajamas, enjoy sugar cookies from Penn College Dining Services and listen to the story of The Polar Express. Santa will be on board to greet all families. Cost is $10 for adults and free for children under the age of 2. There is a limit of 5 tickets per alumni not including lap tickets. Call the Alumni Relations Office at (877) PCT-ALUM to purchase your tickets.

Make plans to join us for the **Alumni Wrestling Reunion Weekend** being held Friday, January 18 and Saturday, January 19, 2019. Cost is $20 for alumni ($15 for Wildcat X members) and includes an alumni evening reception, lunch, VIP snacks and beverages at the matches, Athletics shirt and Alumni gift. [Register](#) to find out additional event details. Please email athletics@pct.edu with any questions.

Our 3rd annual **Alumni Basketball Reunion Weekend** will be held Friday, February 1 and Saturday, February 2, 2019. Cost is $20 for alumni ($15 for Wildcat X members) and includes an alumni evening reception, lunch, VIP snacks and beverages at the games, Athletics shirt and Alumni gift. [Register](#) to find out additional event details. Please email athletics@pct.edu with any questions.

Come out and join us over the extended holiday weekend at **Ski Sawmill for snow tubing**. We’ve reserved the tube slide for our group from 9-11 a.m. on Saturday, February 16. Group tubing begins promptly at 9 a.m. Please plan to arrive by 8:45 a.m. to allow ample check-in time. All group guests are required to read and sign Ski Sawmill's snow tubing agreement. Children ages 10 and under are required to wear a helmet. Helmets can be rented at the resort or you can bring your own bike helmet from home. Cost is $15 ($12 for Wildcat X members) per person. [Register now](#)!

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### Alumni News

*Future-seekers meet their match at Fall Open House*  
*Young nursing professionals network at 'Sip and Snap' event*
Penn College Events

**The Limits of Modern Warfare:**
*Stalemate, Technology, and the Isonzo Front in the First World War*
Friday, November 8

**PCT HOPE**
Saturday, November 10

**Holiday Card Lighting**
Wednesday, November 28
Advanced Technology & Health Sciences Building
5-6 p.m.

Penn College News

**Penn College welding expansion project underway**

**The height of humanitarianism**

**Community Challenge fundraiser returns November 10**

**Penn College Career Fair attracts record number of employers**
Volunteer Opportunities

"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."
- Author Unknown

Thank you to the following alumni who have volunteered in the past month:

- **Carl Baker**, '15 residential construction technology and management, '14 building construction technology
- **Carlene Cabot**, '11, occupational therapy assistant
- **Dan Chapman**, '02 architectural technology
- **Jeff Comitz**, '16, heating, ventilation and air conditioning design technology, '15, heating, ventilation and air conditioning technology
- **Seth Culbert**, '09 residential construction technology and management, '07 building construction technology
- **T. J. Cunningham**, '90 civil engineering technology
- **Jonathan DeRoner**, '15, computer aided product design
- **Mike Diehl**, '00 business management, '96 welding
- **Dave Eister**, '76 business management
- **Larry Frace**, '77, electrical construction
- **Carl Gravely**, '08 building automation technology, '08 electrical technology, '06 electromechanical maintenance technology
- **Cliff Grimes**, WTI alumnus
- **Jared Hoover**, '06 construction management
- **John Lipko**, '08, technology management, '07, electronics technology
- **Christopher Master**, '16 building science and sustainable design
- **Dustin Noye**, '14 building science and sustainable design, '14 architectural technology
- **Dustin Ott**, '10 residential construction technology and management, '08 building construction technology
- **Anthony Peachey**, '09 business administration
- **Cameron Porter**, '17, heavy construction equipment technology
- **Caleb Schirmer**, '16, applied management, '14, landscape/horticulture technology: landscape emphasis
- **Eric Smithgall**, '14 civil engineering technology
- **Justin Weaver**, '12 technology management, '10 computer aided drafting technology
- **Angela Williams**, '08 architectural technology
- **Adam Yoder**, '11 building automation technology, '08 electrical technology, '08 electromechanical maintenance technology
- **June Zimmerman**, '71, general studies
Volunteers needed for upcoming event:

**Commencement, December 22**-Interact with family and friends of graduates riding one of the buses to and from the Community Arts Center.

Let the Alumni Office know if you will be available to help by emailing **alumni@pct.edu**.