

# the **SPLINTER**

Information for ACC Students 3-29-2017

The Splinter is published weekly – a link is posted on our website [www.alpenacc.edu](http://www.alpenacc.edu) in the Latest News section and sent to all student ACC email addresses. Please take a few minutes to review it.

**Early Registration** for Summer 2017 and Fall 2017 is open!

**Withdrawal Deadline** for individual classes is Friday, March 31 at 4:30pm. You must come to the Registrar's Office VLH 108 to complete the paperwork.

**Fundraiser and Prizes!!** The Student Leadership Commission is hosting a fundraiser for the Huron Humane Society on Wednesday, April 12 from 10:30am to 1pm in the BTC Commons. HHS could really use the following: cat & dog toys, litter boxes, paper towels, collars, leashes, canned cat & dog food, dish soap, and cash (cash is always good ☺). See the posters around campus for a complete list of ideas. Your donation enters you into a drawing for \$50 Meijer gift card, \$30 Courtyard gift card, or \$25 Applebee's gift card plus you have a chance to win one of many other prizes (school supplies, iTunes gift cards, snacks, movie tickets, etc.) just for bringing in a donation. SLC, HHS, and the cats and dogs thank you.

**Shop the ACC Bookstore** The Bookstore has everything the graduate needs: caps, gowns, and announcements. Also, check out the clearance section for great deals. Stop in!

**University Transfer Representatives on Campus** (outside the Bookstore)

- Saginaw Valley State University – Wednesday, April 5, 10am-1pm
- Northwood University – Tuesday, April 11, 10am-2pm
- Army Recruiter – Tuesday, April 11, 11am-3pm

**Empower Your Future!** Technical Career Services is conducting a Financial Literacy Workshop Series. Learn about saving, consumer awareness, financial health, loans, mortgages, and credit/debit cards. Contact Jewel for information: (989) 358-7277, [lancastj@alpenacc.edu](mailto:lancastj@alpenacc.edu) or in VLH 101A.

**Thelma Orr Memorial Scholarship**, granted by the MidMichigan Medical Center - Alpena Auxiliary, offers two \$1,500 scholarships for students pursuing a course of study related to human medicine. Go to [www.midmichigan.org](http://www.midmichigan.org) and search "Thelma Orr" for scholarship information and application. Deadline is April 15.

**ACC's Community Education Classes** ... Registration required, call (989) 358-7271

- *Installing a Tile Backsplash to Beautify your Home* – Tuesday, April 4, 1-2pm, \$10
- *"The Velveteen Rabbit": A Needle-Felted Easter Bunny* – Tuesday, April 4, 6-8pm, \$30 (includes materials)
- *Reality Therapy for True Happiness and Wellness* – Wednesday, April 5, 5:30-7:30pm, \$15
- *Personalized Weight-Loss by Body Type & Blood Type* – Thursday, April 6, 5-7pm, \$20
- *Creating Ceramic Easter Eggs* – Thursday, April 6, 5:30-7:30pm, \$15

**Graduation!** If you are finishing your degree this semester, be sure to apply for graduation ASAP. There is no charge and the form is quick and easy – in the Registrar's Office or on your WebAdvisor.

**Learn to Speed Read FREE** Interested in learning to read *faster* and will more *comprehension* in a small group or by individual appointment? Now is your chance to learn speed reading techniques along with notetaking and skimming techniques to build smarter reading skills to help you get through challenging course material. Technical Career Services is offering this to all qualified students FREE of charge. Stop by VLH 101 for more information or to share your schedule availability. Questions: contact Paige in VLH 101, (989) 358-7329 or [triskop@alpenacc.edu](mailto:triskop@alpenacc.edu).

**Meeting with your Advisor** Learn what's on your transcript, options for a bad grade, how to schedule the right courses, how to figure out which classes transfer to your university and what MTA can do for you. Wednesday, March 29 @ 12pm in VLH 101D; Thursday, March 30 @ 3:30pm in HUSH 203. A presentation by the Student Services Center (approx. 45 minutes). Stop in VLH 101 for more information.



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