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22nd Annual Legends for Lights Pheasant Jamboree



This year marked the 22nd Annual Northern Lights Athletic Scholarship Foundation (NLASF) Pheasant Jamboree, which was held last week (Oct. 6-9). This year's jamboree had 18 teams. There were 20 Legends and approximately 190 participants. Friday was the trap shoot with 14 teams, the dinner, and live auction. Saturday and Sunday were filled with hunting and they wrapped up on Sunday with the awards dinner. The overall winning team for the weekend was ChiliMac (Chvilicek/McCormick). The winning team for the trap shoot consisted of Mike Erickson, Ben Erickson, Andy Kueffler, Russ Jensen, and Nic Tanner.

Employers Enjoy Wined-Up Reception



On Tuesday night (Oct. 11), MSU-Northern hosted a wine and cheese reception for all employers participating in the Career Fair on Wednesday. This event was sponsored by the Career Center and the Chancellor's office and provided a way for employers to meet some of the key administrators at MSU-Northern.

MSU-Northern Fall 2022 Career Fair



The Fall 2022 Career Fair was a huge success! Fifty-three (53) employers gathered for the opportunity to visit with the nearly 300 MSUN students who attended the fair. Students seeking co-ops/internships and/or full-time employment took advantage of the time to visit with people from local, state, national, and international companies. This year 60 interviews were conducted over a two-day window. MSU-Northern appreciates all the employers who attended, with a special thank you to the Fall 2022 Career Fair Gold sponsors: Tilleman Motor Company & Wabtec Corporation and our Maroon sponsors: Manhattan Plumbing, MDU Resources Group & Wärtsilä North America. During this year's Career Fair the NNN interviewed several of our alums and students. Please watch for future feature stories based on those interviews.

Diesel Advisory Board Helps Diesel Programs



MSU-Northern held a diesel advisory board meeting on Thursday (Oct. 13). The advisory board is made up of professionals in the diesel industry. They listened to presentations that included curriculum, media promotion, and recruiting strategies.

Almost every program at MSU-Northern has an advisory board to help ensure that our programs are preparing students for the needs of industry. This is the first of seven advisory boards that will be meeting this semester for programs in the College of Technical Sciences.

Gold Sponsors Enjoy a Long Tradition of Hiring Alums



This year the gold sponsors for the career fair were Tilleman Motor Company & Wabtec Corporation (Formerly G.E. Transportations). Both companies have a long tradition of hiring our alums. Currently Tilleman Motor Company has about 30 Northern alumni working for them and said they could not even begin to guess how many they have hired over the years. Wabtec/G.E. was also proud to say they have hired somewhere around 160-175 of our alums over the years. In fact, several of the people manning their booths on Wednesday were alums. MSU-Northern is always so pleased to know that our graduates are helping our industry partners succeed.

Over 400 H.S. Students Visited MSU-Northern



Over 400 high school students came to campus Thursday (Oct. 13), to take part in TekNoXpo and ShowCASE and look at the various programs at MSU-Northern. Students met in the gym at 8 am and were welcomed by MSU-Northern Chancellor Greg Kegel. Then they were divided into ten tracks so they could take part

in a series of hands on activities geared toward their interests and designed to demonstrate some of the aspects of our various programs. The following three stories will share some of the things that each of the colleges did with their groups.

TekNoXpo Pulls Out the Heavy Equipment



This year The College of Technical Sciences brought back their very popular heavy equipment rodeo. Representatives from Wärtsilä North America were on hand to demonstrate their Wärtsilä engine. Adam Oser, Plant Manager for the Cedar Rapids division of Wabtec and Glogal Freight Services, brought in a brand new Shuttlewagon to demonstrate. These units are used all over the world to safely move railcars around the yard or in tight places where a normal locomotive engine could not go. This particular unit is able to move up to 25 loaded railcars. They also had representatives and demonstrations from Allied Steel. Students also had the opportunity to weld, bend electrical conduit, and learn about how drone are being use in agriculture.

ShowCASE Proved that CASE is the “Place”



The College of Arts Science and Education presented ShowCASE. Their professors demonstrated some of the hands-on activities including: acting, graphic design projects, math, creative writing, chemistry, biology, ceramics, education, and 3D printing. Criminal justice teamed up with the Border Patrol to demonstrate their drone and some of their crime fighting equipment.

College of Health Sciences Provided Certificates



The Nursing program presented several practical training sessions. Professor Frank Zuccala helped students learn how to “Stop the Bleed.” They provided certificates of completion for all who completed the session. Professor Kasthuri Udayakumar, with nursing students, did a variety of scenarios with manikins in the Simulation Lab. Professor Jenni Pula helped students learn some hand-washing techniques and listened to different heart and lung sounds with SAM3G and the other manikins.

The Health Science program led students through an experiment using measurements of rate of force on the development in skeletal muscles. They also conducted some Bod Pod tests. As part of the community health track of the Integrated Health Sciences degree, Tony Gryffin presented an exercise in reflective listening, through a two person “listening practice.”

SPORTDiscus Database Now Available Through the Library

The Library is very excited to share with you their new subscription to SPORTDiscus, the leading bibliographic database for sports and sports medicine research. It includes records from leading sports medicine journals, books, dissertations and more.

To access:

www.msun.edu/library > click on the **Databases & Research** button > click on the first link, **Article & Research Databases** > click on **S** and then **SPORTDiscus**

Off-campus, you'll need your MSU-Northern login.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mid Term Grades Due in Registrar's Office - Oct. 19

Graduation Applications Due - Oct. 20

Fall Deferred Payment Schedule: 75% Due - Oct. 21

Last Day to Drop a Class with a "W" – Nov.1

UPCOMING EVENTS

MSUN Community Center Open House – Oct. 31

The MSUN CARE Team is inviting all Staff & Faculty to an open house at the newly established “Community Center.”

WHEN: Monday, October 31 11:00am - 2:00pm

WHERE: Community Center - Student Family Housing

Come try a sample of the crockpot recipes that will be shared with students. These recipes were developed from items often found in the food pantry. If you have a recipe you’d like to share with our students, please email me. We’d love to provide our students with options that are tasty and affordable!

In addition to the Food Pantry, the Community Center will also house the “Dress for Success” program and is accepting donations for basic household goods. We will share additional information about the programs and how to donate in the coming weeks!

NEXT WEEK’S CALENDAR

Saturday, October 15

Lights Wrestling vs Alumni – 2:00 - Gym

Wednesday, October 19

Mid Term Grades Due in Registrar's Office

Thursday, October 20

Graduation Applications Due

Lights Wrestling: Maroon vs Gold 7:00 PM

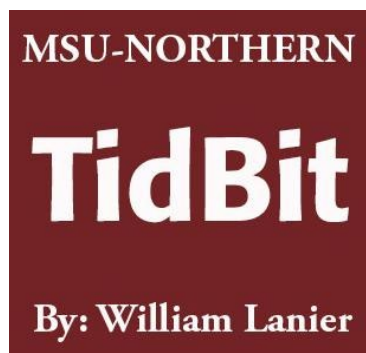
Friday, October 21

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SkyLights Volleyball vs Rocky Mountain College - 7:00 PM

Saturday, October 22

Lights Football @ Eastern Oregon University - 2:00 PM



(#374) 2021-22 NAIA Scholar-Athletes (Academic All-Americans)

Several weeks ago the NAIA released their 2021-22 Scholar-Athletes. The MSU-Northern Athletic Facebook page states: "To be eligible, student athletes must maintain a 3.5 grade point average, be at least a junior in class standing, and they must have attended two full years at an institution." There were 20 Lights

and Skylights to receive this award in 2021-22 season.

Northern Skylights

ShaAnn Danelson	Junior	Business	Women's Basketball & Golf
Sydney Hovde	Senior	Health Promotions	Women's Basketball
Ryley Kehr	Junior	Elementary Education	Women's Basketball
Morgan Mason	Senior	Physical Education	Women's Basketball
Grace Schwenk	Junior	English Education	Women's Cross Country
Allison Tigert	Junior	Pre-Nursing	Women's Cross Country
Megan Vandenacre	Senior	Nursing	Women's Golf
Shania Neubauer	Senior	Nursing	Volleyball
Emily Feller	Junior	Civil Engineering Tech.	Volleyball
Hailie George	Junior	Nursing	Volleyball
Alana Graves	Junior	Nursing	Volleyball
Marlee Bender	Junior	Nursing	Volleyball
Abigail Ellison	Junior	Health Promotions	Volleyball
Shay Waldbillig	Junior	Secondary Science Ed.	Volleyball

Northern Lights

Colter Szymoniak	Senior	Criminal Justice	Football
Spencer Kolody	Senior	Agriculture	Football
Noah Nitz	Junior	Biology/Science Ed.	Football
Micaiah Hauser	Junior	Business Administration	Men's Basketball
Devin Crawford	Junior	Trades Management	Wrestling
Ethan Roetman	Junior	Diesel Technology	Wrestling

Congratulations to these outstanding Student-Athletes!
If you have any suggestions for future NNN TidBits please let me know by e-mailing
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