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Wolf Lake

Residents using the recreation facilities at Wolf Lake Memorial Park may have noticed that a protective water boom has been placed near the stormwater outfall at the Hammond Sanitary District Stormwater Pump Station located near the 2400 Block of Calumet Avenue. An oily substance was observed at that pump station that appears to have come from an illicit discharge into a storm sewer. The pump station was cleaned out using vacuum trucks and oil absorbent booms were placed in the lake as a protective measure. The source of the oily substance is being investigated by the Hammond Sanitary District personnel. The Hammond Sanitary District is seeking the public's help on locating the source of this illegal dumping. A \$10,000.00 Reward is being offered for information leading to arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the illicit discharge. Please contact the Sanitary District of Hammond --Jeff Massey, Superintendent of Wastewater Treatment 219-853-6413 ext. 524

George Lake North Basin Discharge Discovered

The city of Hammond and the Hammond Port Authority were notified on Monday April 5, 2021 that a resident of Hammond had observed a greyish milky discharge in the North Basin of George Lake on Saturday April 3, 2021. The Hammond Port Authority and the Hammond Sanitary District responded to

the discharge location which was in the far southeast corner of the North Basin of George Lake. The discharge appeared to be associated with a buried metal pipe. The origin of the pipe is being investigated. Upon investigation it was determined the greyish material, and other similar materials had impacted a significant area on the East shore of the North basin of George Lake. The North basin of George Lake is part of the development of the Lost Marsh Environmental and Recreation Area and is protected by a Conservation Easement that is governed by the city of Hammond, the Indiana Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) and the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The Hammond Port Authority is responsible for overseeing the Lost Marsh Environmental and Recreation Area and has placed collection booms at the discharge pipes in order to collect and prevent any additional grey materials from entering the waters, wetlands, and uplands of the North Basin.

The city of Hammond and Hammond Port Authority have reached out to both the IDNR and IDEM to request: their investigative support in identifying the source responsible for the discharge, their assistance in determining the extent of the greyish material(s) impact on the North Basin's waters, wetlands and uplands, and assistance in crafting a Remedial Plan to correct the adverse environmental impacts created by the discharge.

The efforts listed above are designed to protect Hammond's natural resources and see that the quality of life in our community is not only protected but enhanced.

Source: City of Hammond



Mayor's Night Out 2021

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June 23	3rd District	Sportsplex Soccer Field 6630 Indianapolis Boulevard
August 11	4th District	Edison Elementary School-Cafeteria 7025 Madison Avenue
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www.greaterwksmin.com

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Sunday School 9:50 a.m.

Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

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www.hammondcrc.org

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1047 Kenwood St., Hammond, IN

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Hammond's Annual Flower Giveaway

Hammond Parks & Recreation



HAMMOND, IN – Mayor Thomas M. McDermott, Jr., Hammond Parks & Recreation and the Hammond Park Foundation invite HAMMOND RESIDENTS to attend Hammond's Annual Flower Giveaway to be held on FRIDAY, May 7 from 10am until 3pm at the Hammond Civic Center, 5825 Sohl Avenue. Please be prepared to show your valid Indiana Driver's License or State of Indiana ID containing your Hammond address. Event is while supplies last. For more information, call 219.853.6378.

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Strack & Van Til customers raise over \$45,000 to support Meals on Wheels

Highland, Indiana (April 19, 2021) – Strack & Van Til raised \$45,772.05 through their recent Checkout Challenge, providing essential funding for Meals on Wheels to serve seniors in need in northwest Indiana.

From March 29 to April 11, 2021, Strack & Van Til customers Rounded Up their purchase in support of Meals on Wheels of Northwest Indiana and the Visiting Nurse Association of Northwest Indiana's Meals on Wheels program. "Strack & Van Til customers continue to amaze us with their compassion and generosity," said Jeff Strack, CEO of Strack & Van Til. "The health and well-being of people in the communities we serve is so important to everyone at Strack & Van Til, and we are thrilled that our customers gave so much to help our senior neighbors."

"We are grateful to Strack & Van Til for their partnership and the patrons who rounded up their shopping," said Sandra Noe, Executive Director of Meals on Wheels of Northwest Indiana. The Checkout Challenge helps Meals on Wheels meet the surge

in demand during the pandemic and keep our commitment to deliver nutrition to seniors and others in need."

During the coronavirus pandemic, Meals on Wheels of Northwest Indiana has expanded its services to meet the community need – free meals delivered to COVID patients discharged from area hospitals, healthy lunches for homeless people, take-home frozen meals for food-insecure families and individuals impacted by the pandemic, and home-delivering a week of meals to seniors no longer able to visit closed congregate meal sites.

Meals on Wheels of Northwest Indiana, with a headquarters and regional commercial kitchen in Merrillville, prepares and delivers 1,600 nutritional meals daily to people in need serving Lake, Porter, Newton, and Jasper counties, and has delivered more than 8 million meals since 1977. The VNA of NWI is headquartered in Valparaiso, delivering 250 meals daily in Porter County. "Strack & Van Til and their customers time



Photo of check presentation from Derek Kinney, Chief HR/People Officer, Strack & Van Til to Sandra Noe, Executive Director, Meals on Wheels of Northwest Indiana

and time again help provide for those in need in our community through the Checkout Challenge. We appreciate their support for VNA Meals on Wheels of Porter County," said Bob Franko, President and CEO of the VNA of NWI. "The funds donated will help VNA of NWI continue to provide hot, nutritious meals and the warm smile of a volunteer driver to isolated seniors and others not able to shop for and prepare meals themselves."

Source: Meals on Wheels of Northwest Indiana



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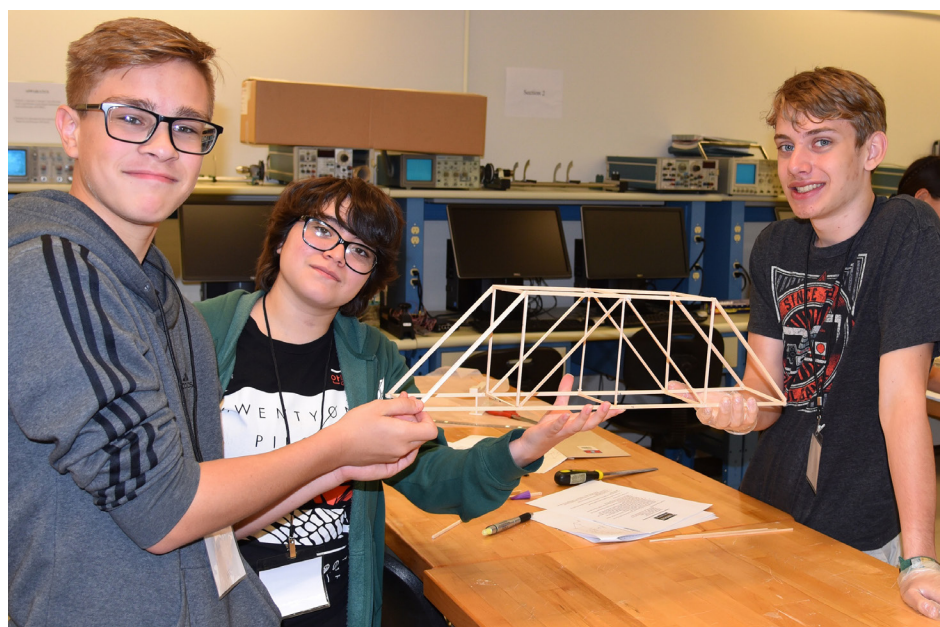
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Purdue Northwest offers summer engineering camps



(l-r): Ayden Wollweber, Vivianna Ruiz and Timothy Pierce display their wooden bridge project created at the high school camp in 2019

HAMMOND and WESTVILLE, Ind. — Purdue University Northwest's (PNW) Department of Mechanical and Civil Engineering will offer summer enrichment camps for middle and high school students

interested in learning more about mechanical and civil engineering disciplines.

The Purdue Northwest Summer Engineering Camps will take place in June and July. Camp attendees can choose to

attend virtually (via Zoom), or in-person at PNW's Hammond Campus, where university social distancing guidelines will be followed. Students will be introduced to fundamental concepts of civil and mechanical engineering through interactive, laboratory and classroom experiences, including the opportunity to visit the new PNW Design Studio.

Participants will engage in hands-on activities to explore various areas of engineering, and learn skills in team building, computer-aided engineering, laboratory experimentation and decision-making. All materials will be provided and participants will interact with current PNW students and faculty. Certificates will be presented at the end of each camp during a closing ceremony Friday afternoon.

Camp dates and details

The camp for middle school students is from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 21 through June 25. The camp for high school students is from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 28 through July 2. Sessions will be held in the Edward D. Anderson building, 6901 Woodmar Ave., Hammond.

Students must be entering sixth grade or higher in fall 2021 to be eligible to attend. The application deadline is May 25 and the cost per student is \$300.

For more information, visit the Summer Engineering Camp web page or contact Connor Feeney at 219-785-5271 or feeneyc@pnw.edu

Source: Purdue University Northwest

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What you need to know about COVID-19 vaccines and blood donation eligibility



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Individuals who have received a COVID-19 vaccine will need to provide the manufacturer name when they donate. Upon vaccination, individuals will receive a card or printout indicating what COVID-19 vaccine was received, and we encourage vaccinated people to bring that card with them to their next donation. In most cases, there is no deferral time for individuals who received a COVID-19 vaccine as long as they are symptom free and feeling well at the time of donation.

The following eligibility guidelines apply to each COVID-19 vaccine received, including second doses:

- There is no deferral time for eligible blood donors who have received a COVID-19 vaccine

currently authorized in the U.S. including J&J, Moderna and Pfizer.

- Eligible blood donors who do not know what type of COVID-19 vaccine they received must wait two weeks before giving blood.

- If you have further eligibility questions, please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

The American Red Cross follows FDA blood donation eligibility guidance for those who receive a COVID-19 vaccination, and deferral times may vary depending on the type of vaccine an individual receives.

ONGOING NEED FOR DONORS DURING THE PANDEMIC

The Red Cross has a constant and ongoing need for blood and platelet donations. With the ongoing pandemic, the Red Cross needs the help of blood and platelet donors and blood drive hosts to meet the needs of patient care.

The Red Cross is testing all blood, platelet and plasma donations for COVID-19 antibodies. As part of that effort, plasma from whole blood donations that test positive for COVID-19 antibodies may now help current coronavirus patients in need of convalescent plasma transfusions. We are committed to helping others in meaningful ways during this pandemic.

Donating blood products is essential to community health and the need for blood products is constant. As part of our nation's critical infrastructure, healthy individuals can still donate in areas that have issued shelter in place declarations or are operating under a phased reopening plan. The Red Cross follows the highest standards of safety and infection control, and volunteer donors are the only source of blood for those in need. As hospitals resume surgical procedures and patient treatments that were temporarily paused due to the COVID-19 pandemic, donors are urged to give now to ensure blood products are readily available for patients.

You can learn more about COVID-19 and blood donation.

About the American Red Cross:

The American Red Cross shelters, feeds and provides emotional support to victims of disasters; supplies about 40 percent of the nation's blood; teaches skills that save

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Spectacle Entertainment's Majestic Star Casino Donates \$6,900 to Gary Boys & Girls Club

Through the Spectacle Entertainment ALL-IN program, Majestic Star Casino presented Gary Boys & Girls Club with a check for \$6,900 at a small event. The funding will go toward the Club's general operations, interim Club Director Sheria Givens said.

Majestic's Director of Table Games Operations Thomas Gutierrez, along with Majestic's Director of Slot Operations Christina Deleon, said the donation is the result of a

holiday fundraiser the casino held in December to benefit the Gary Club. Majestic team members who donated \$15 or more were able to participate in ten Dress Down Days during the month. The company also extended an ongoing 10 for 10 promotion for patrons where a guest who donated \$10 for the Club received \$10 in slot play during a qualified period in the month. Gutierrez said Gary Boys & Girls Club was chosen because of its commitment to

helping youth in Gary reach their full potential.

"Majestic Star team members are the most generous people I have ever had the privilege of working with," Gutierrez said. "Giving back to our community is a big part of what we do, and we are so pleased to make this contribution to such a worthy and positive organization."

Boys & Girls Clubs president and CEO Ryan Smiley thanked Gutierrez and Majestic for their support and said the donation

highlights the import role community partners play in the success of Club members. "Donations like this are critical to helping us fulfill our mission," Smiley said. "We are fortunate to have partners like Majestic Star, who know the need for the kind of work we do in the Gary community and step up in a big way for our kids."

*Source: Boys & Girls Clubs
of Greater Northwest
Indiana*

Gary Boys & Girls Club's Marcus Steele, Jr. Named Indiana Youth of the Year

Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Northwest Indiana's Marcus Steele, Jr. was named Indiana's State Youth of the Year on Tuesday during a virtual ceremony with participants from Clubs across the state. Surrounded by his father and Boys & Girls Club staff, Steele sat centered in the organization's Administration and Resource Center conference room as he waited for the announcement.

When it came, staff erupted into applause and cheered as Steele stood and began clapping. He then spoke to the camera and addressed virtual participants, thanking Boys & Girls Clubs for "everything you've done for me and the other contestants around the state." Minutes later, with the ceremony over and the camera off, Steele hugged his dad.

"His mother and I are so excited and proud of him," Marcus Steele, Sr. said later.

Steele, a senior at Calumet New Tech High School, was

selected from fifteen candidates from Indiana as part of Boys & Girls Clubs of America's Youth of the Year program. To get to State, Steele first had to be chosen as Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Northwest Indiana's organizational Youth of the Year, a feat he accomplished in February.

Steele is Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Northwest Indiana's third straight State Youth of the Year winner, following Merrillville's Azariah Avery last year and Portage's Sanja Kirova in 2019. This was also Steele's third year as the Gary Club's Youth of the Year candidate.

"This has been a long journey for Marcus," Steele, Sr. said. "But he's very calm, and he takes everything in stride. It's very rewarding right now."

As staff congratulated Steele after the ceremony, Boys & Girls Clubs president and CEO Ryan Smiley applauded him for his hard work and

for serving as a role model to younger Club members.

"We're so proud of watching you grow up into the outstanding young man you've become," Smiley said. "We know your future is very bright, and we're excited for what's coming next."

Steele's journey continues to the regional contest, which will take place in early summer and consist of Club members from around the Midwest. For being named the State Youth of the Year, Steele, who has been accepted to Ball State and plans to study construction management, will receive a \$2,500 scholarship from Boys & Girls Clubs of America and \$1,000 from the Indiana Area Council. Steele also received a \$5,000 scholarship for being named Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Northwest Indiana's Youth of the Year. For Steele, the accomplishment isn't really about him. "It feels great, but I'm just another kid from Gary," he said. "Hopefully kids in Gary

will see this as something to be proud of and proof that they can do something great."

*About Boys & Girls Clubs of
Greater Northwest Indiana:*

Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Northwest Indiana has been opening doors to GREAT FUTURES for Porter and Lake County youth for over 60 years. Clubs are open after school and provide great places for youth in grades K-12 to meet friends and have fun while in a safe, supervised environment. Clubs are open during holidays and in the summer. Annual membership is only \$40.00. For information on membership, volunteer opportunities, or to make a tax-deductible donation, please contact your local Club by calling (219) 764-2582 or visiting bgcgreaternw.org. Great Futures Start HERE.

*Source: Boys & Girls Clubs
of Greater Northwest
Indiana*

Purdue University Northwest named Tree Campus Higher Education by Arbor Day Foundation



An Arbor Day Foundation Program

Purdue University Northwest has been recognized as a Tree Campus Higher Education by the Arbor Day Foundation. The recognition encompasses the PNW campuses in Hammond and Westville and the Gabis Arboretum at Purdue Northwest.

HAMMOND and WESTVILLE, Ind. — Purdue University Northwest (PNW) has been recognized as a Tree Campus Higher Education by the Arbor Day Foundation. The university earned the honor for its commitment to effective urban forest management and achievements in best tree management practices.

“Purdue Northwest takes great pride in this recognition,” said John Bachmann, grounds and landscape manager at Purdue University Northwest. “We value our trees and what they provide not only to the campus community but our community at large. Our campuses provide a sense

of comfort and a welcoming environment for our students, faculty, staff and visitors.”

The recognition encompasses the Purdue Northwest Hammond and Westville campuses, as well as the Gabis Arboretum at Purdue Northwest, and makes PNW one of only 403 universities across the nation to earn this distinction.

“We’re proud the arboretum can lead the charge for the Purdue Northwest campuses in meeting the five required standards for this designation,” stated Stephanie Blackstock, executive director of the Gabis Arboretum at Purdue Northwest. “We are eager to continue collaborating

with the campus community on projects related to this designation and plan to maintain it into perpetuity.”

The Tree Campus Higher Education program honors colleges and universities for effective campus forest management and for engaging staff and students in conservation goals. PNW achieved the title by meeting the organization’s five standards, which include maintaining a tree advisory committee, a campus tree-care plan, dedicated annual expenditures for its campus tree program, an Arbor Day observance and a student service-learning project.

“Tree Campuses and their students set examples for not only their student bodies but the surrounding communities showcasing how trees create a healthier environment,” said Dan Lambe, president of the Arbor Day Foundation. “Because of Purdue Northwest’s participation, air will be purer, water cleaner and students and faculty will be surrounded by the shade and beauty trees provide.”

Gabis Arboretum at Purdue Northwest will be celebrating Arbor Day with

several events and service-learning projects throughout the month of April. All three PNW locations will host tree planting ceremonies on Arbor Day, Friday, April 30, with the arboretum sponsoring a sunset hike that evening.

“A commitment to trees is a commitment to the future,” Bachmann said. “To plant a tree is to see and believe in the future.”

For more information on the Arbor Day events planned at Gabis Arboretum at Purdue Northwest this month, visit www.pnw.edu/gabis-arboretum.

Purdue University Northwest

Purdue University Northwest (PNW) is a premier metropolitan university dedicated to empowering transformational change in our students and in our community. Located in Northwest Indiana, near Chicago, PNW values academic excellence, supports growth, and celebrates diversity. For more information about PNW, visit www.pnw.edu.

Source: Purdue University Northwest

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The City of Hammond will provide an incentive

Hammond Mayor Thomas M. McDermott, Jr. is pleased to announce that the City of Hammond will provide an incentive to its full-time employees who get fully vaccinated against COVID-19.

With the vaccine being the emphasis for battling Covid 19 and in an effort to encourage City employees to voluntarily vaccinate themselves from Covid 19, all city full-time employees who fully vaccinate themselves will get three "Covid" personal days off. Employees must present their card showing they are fully vaccinated to our Personnel Director in order to get the days off. Firefighters, who work 24-hour days will each get one shift

off, all other employees get three eight-hour days off. "Covid" personal days can only be used when overtime is not required to fill their spot. Employees will be responsible for making their own arrangements for getting the vaccine the same as other residents in Hammond. The deadline for being fully vaccinated is August 1 to be qualified to receive the three days off. "I was never interested in mandating employees get vaccinated," stated Mayor McDermott. "However, giving them three days off is a good incentive to get them vaccinated for the health of our employees and residents."

Source: City of Hammond

Mayor's Gold Cup Roadie Run 5K along Wolf Lake

HAMMOND, IN – Mayor Thomas M. McDermott, Jr. and Hammond Parks & Recreation invite walkers and runners of all ages to compete in the Kathleen Pucalik Memorial 5K Roadie Run leading up to the 17th Annual Festival of the Lakes. New this year, the Gold Cup walk/run starts and ends at The Wolf Lake Pavilion on Saturday, July 10, 2021. Registration begins at 7 a.m. and the race begins at 8 a.m. Early registration is \$20 on or before July 2nd, and \$25 after until race day. A free children's race begins at 8:15 a.m. and children will receive a complimentary t-shirt. Awards will be presented to the Overall top 3 Male and Female; Overall top 3 Male and Female Master

winners; Top 3 awards in Athena (170 lbs.+) and Clydesdale (210 lbs.+) and Top 3 Male and Female finisher in each age division. Age divisions are: 8 and under; 9-10; 11-12; 13-14; 15-18; 19-24; 25-29; 30-34; 35-39; 40-44; 45-49; 50-54; 55-59; 60-64; 65-69; 70-74; 75-79; 80 and over. Visit www.festivalofthelakes.com/events/5k/ for an online entry form or stop by the Hammond Sportsplex at 6630 Indianapolis Blvd. Entries are also being accepted on temporuntiming.com via runsignup.com. Parking for the race will be in the Wolf Lake Pavilion lot off of Calumet Avenue. For more information, call 219.853.7667.

Source: City of Hammond

The Pangere Corporation Expands Regional Presence with New Team Member

The Pangere Corporation, a commercial and industrial contractor, is pleased to announce the hiring of Rosa Rozek as an administrative assistant for its commercial construction division.

In this new role, Rozek will manage administrative and marketing affairs regarding commercial construction. Rozek has over 23 years of professional management and

strategic marketing experience. She brings to the Pangere team extensive knowledge in many areas of Northwest Indiana construction. "All of us at The Pangere Corporation are delighted to welcome Rosa to our growing team," said Steve Pangere, president.

"Rosa's significant marketing and administrative background is a perfect match for our needs. We're excited to have

her be an integral part of our continued growth."

Previous experience throughout Rozek's career includes about five years as a Director of Marketing with Schererville-based CORE Construction and nearly 14 years in marketing roles with Chicago-based Berglund Construction. Rozek is a member and past co-chair of the US Green Building Council Indiana and current member of the Society

of Marketing Professionals. In 2016, she was named a finalist in the construction category of the Influential Women of Northwest Indiana awards banquet. Additionally, Rozek is an active community volunteer. This has given her valuable experience and enabled her to build lasting relationships throughout the Northwest Indiana region.

Source: Pangere Corporation

Benefit for Anthony "Tony" Bowman - Age 32

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The Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Washington Field Office is seeking the public's assistance in identifying individuals who made unlawful entry into the United States Capitol Building and assaulted federal law enforcement personnel on January 6, 2021, in Washington, D.C.

Anyone with information regarding these individuals, or anyone who witnessed any unlawful violent actions at the Capitol or near the area, is asked to contact the FBI's Toll-Free Tipline at 1-800-CALL-FBI (1-800-225-5324) to verbally report tips. You may also submit any information, photos, or videos that could be relevant online at fbi.gov/USCapitol. You may also contact your local FBI office or the nearest American Embassy or Consulate.

When calling to provide a tip on one of these individuals, please reference the above photo number, including the AFO.

Field Office: Washington D.C.

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Purdue University Northwest students benefiting from \$3.8 million in new COVID-19 relief funds

Purdue University Northwest (PNW) is moving quickly to disburse \$3.8 million in newly released federal funds related to pandemic relief directly to its students with financial need.

PNW will have distributed nearly \$8.9 million in emergency funding directly to students over the past year. Although federal guidelines require universities to provide 50 percent of the emergency funding to students, Purdue Northwest decided to award 87 percent of all funds available to the university directly to students with financial need.

The current funds are available through the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II (HEERF II), authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief

Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA). PNW domestic students enrolled for the spring 2021 semester who are eligible for the federal Pell Grant, and those who have a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on file, will receive awards. Furthermore, all PNW domestic students enrolled for the spring semester may apply for emergency funding of up to \$3,000 through a form on the PNW website, www.pnw.edu/heerf.

"PNW is continually focused on helping our students earn their degrees, and we are driving these newly available resources directly to students who need it most," said Purdue Northwest Chancellor Thomas L. Keon. "This extraordinary past year

has brought out the greatest strengths of PNW's students – determination, grit and innovation to face any challenge. We will do all we can to support them."

In addition, PNW last year funded and distributed more than \$50,000 in scholarships for tuition relief. The university also raised more than \$42,000 through its We Care campaigns to assist students through the unique circumstances of the pandemic, designating those gifts to the PNW Dean of Students Emergency Fund. PNW anticipates additional funds authorized by the federal stimulus bill may be released soon, and will work to promptly disburse its share to students with financial need. "The reality is that most of our students attending

PNW require some form of financial assistance. Beyond tuition, students have costs for books, technology and their day-to-day expenses like housing, groceries and health care," stated Yohlunda Mosley, vice chancellor of Enrollment Management and Student Affairs. "We know that the pandemic has challenged students financially over the last year and while the federal programs will not address all of their needs, they will provide some much appreciated relief."

Purdue Northwest students should go to www.pnw.edu/heerf to learn more about their eligibility to receive assistance from the HEERF II funding.

Source: Purdue University Northwest



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