

# Campus Connection

Piedmont Technical College

July 22-August 2, 2013

## News You Can Use

August 2 & 9 HOBET PREP COURSE (see flyer on page 4).

August 5: Summer Classes End & LAST day to pick up graduation tickets

August 7: Student Records office will be closed & final grades are due.

### August 8: GRADUATION!!!!

August 29: Summer graduates can pick up their degrees from the Student Records office.



Transfer Students: Keep up with transfer opportunities, announcements, and deadlines by joining the PTC Facebook Group for Transfer Students at:

<http://www.facebook.com/groups/276686502434162/>

## Important Student Records Graduation Information

### GRADUATION INVITATIONS

Candidates for summer graduation will be allowed to pick up **6 tickets** for guests by AUGUST 5. Each guest must have a ticket, including **infants and small children**. Students who have not picked up their initial six tickets by **August 5** may be at risk of having their tickets issued as "extras" on **August 6**. Due to the expected large number of graduates and guests, extra tickets (if available) will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis on **August 6 ONLY**. As long as they last, each graduate will be allowed a maximum of three additional tickets. The Student Records Office will be closed on Wednesday, August 7 and Thursday, August 8 and no tickets will not be available for pickup after August 6.

### AUGUST 8 GRADUATION CEREMONIES

3:00 Business, Public Service, Computer Technology, Industrial & Engineering Technology

7:00 AA/AS, Nursing, & Health Science

### GRADUATION APPLICATION FEE

Fall 2013 & Future: No graduation application fee!

For questions, contact Student Records in 139 A or call 864-941-8361.

## Club Activities and General Announcements



Emergency Shelter and Supportive Services  
for Victims of Domestic Violence

### Back to School Drive

July 8th – July 28<sup>th</sup>



The Computer Club is partnering with Meg's House to supply needy school age children with the basic materials to succeed in school.

### Suggested School Supplies Needed

Book Bags

Crayons

Markers

Pencils

Scissors

Glue Sticks

Papers

Pens

Erasers

Rulers

Folders

Pencil Boxes

Tissues

Hand Sanitizer

Binders

Approved by  
PTC's  
Student Activities  
Office  
Through

07 / 28 / 13

Box locations: 205F, 206F, and 208F





# PIEDMONT TECH BLOOD DRIVE

Approved by  
PTC's  
Student Activities  
Office  
Through  
7/25/13

Outside  
the  
K Building



**Tuesday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> &  
Wednesday, July 24<sup>th</sup>  
10:45am – 3:45pm**

**Each donor will receive a  
Movie Ticket & Free T-shirt!**

K Building

The Blood Connection<sup>SM</sup>  
Your Community Blood Donation Center

K Building

**Health Science or Nursing Students: Please bookmark the Health Science & Nursing Resources page on our website refer to it often.**

**<http://www.ptc.edu/college-resources/health-science-nursing>**

# **HOBET V Test Prep Course**

**for Nursing & Health Science students**

**NEW DATE!**

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**Two Day Course**  
**\$99.00**

**Friday, August 2, 2013 & Friday, August 9, 2013**

**9:00am - 4:00pm**

**Room 214-F, Greenwood Campus**

**For more information or to register:**

**Contact Continuing Education**

**864-941-8400**

**[www.ptc.edu/coned](http://www.ptc.edu/coned)**

**\*\* HOBET V Study Guides are Available for Use in the Library  
& at the County Campuses \*\***

***Note: Students are limited to two attempts on the HOBET V within a 12 month period.***





**PTC in Europe Presents:**

# **ITALY 2014!**



During the 2014 spring break (April 17-24), a group from PTC will be traveling to Rome and Florence with EA Tours! All faculty, staff, and students are invited to attend an information session on **Wednesday, July 24** at **1:00 pm** in 135G. This session will be broadcast to the county centers in Abbeville, Edgefield, and McCormick.

If you cannot attend the information session but would like to know more about the trip, contact History instructor Cami Westall in 149K.

Phone – 941-8458

Email – [westall.c@ptc.edu](mailto:westall.c@ptc.edu)

# NEW: SSS CASH COURSE—OPEN TO ALL!

PTC's Student Support Services (SSS) program has launched a new financial literacy program that is free to all students brought to us by the National Endowment for Financial Education (NEFE). Cash Course provides financial education resources for college students all online. It can help you build money management skills, survive in this tough economy and prepare for success after college. Many helpful resource include articles, online quizzes, budgeting tools, short videos, and financial planning documents. All of these materials help to make financial planning easier to manage and understand.

Some of the financial basics that this program offers is: budgeting and financial planning, overspending, banking your money, dealing with credit cards, protecting your credit, saving your money, paying for college after graduation, and setting financial goals just to name a few. Check it out on PTC's **Facebook** page or visit: [www.CashCourse.org/ptc](http://www.CashCourse.org/ptc) for more information.



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## CALLING FOR ENTRIES Video... T-Shirt Design... Poster Design...

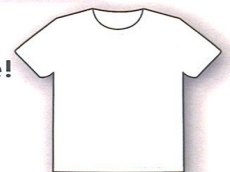
SUBMIT BY  
OCTOBER 18, 2013

Lottery Tuition Assistance provides much needed financial aid to eligible students each semester. Help support the Lottery Tuition Assistance program by sending in your best designs for next year's Lottery Tuition Assistance Rally.

See YOUR video displayed at the LTA Pep Rally and featured on our YouTube site!



See YOUR t-shirt design worn by hundreds of students as they gather at the State House!



See YOUR poster design in the halls of our colleges across the State!



<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013	<b>LTA 2014 Design Requirements</b> Video: 640x480 or higher T-Shirt: eps or full size 600dpi image file Poster: 11x17 600dpi image file email to: <a href="mailto:kellyc@scitechsystem.edu">kellyc@scitechsystem.edu</a> by October 18, 2013
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**Volunteers needed for the Safe Haven program.**  
**This is a great opportunity for a club's service project!**

# Safe Haven Program

**The Grier Street Community Center**  
**647-649 Grier Street**  
**Safe Haven Youth and Adult**  
**Programs**

## Free After School Programs and Activities

### Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesdays

Homework Center and Tutoring Lab 3:30-5:30pm

### Thursdays

Safe Haven Soccer program and Safe Haven Wellness program  
3:30pm-5:30pm.

### Fridays

\*Cyber Cafe for Adults only!!! Come in and enjoy our total Wi-Fi environment if you need to apply for a job, work on a resume, shop online or apply for your unemployment benefits 1-4p.

\*GLAM (Girls Learning and Mentoring Club) for girls 9-17 of age  
on 1st and 3rd Fridays 3:30-4:30pm.

**\*\*The Benefit Bank of South Carolina (ongoing)**  
**For families needing assistance with SNAP, TANF, Medicare/Medicaid**  
**or the new CHIP (Children's Medicaid program)**

**\*\*Don't forget our quarterly Teen Summits that allow teens to**  
**broaden opportunities for understanding of issues in the**  
**community and society.**

For more information about Community Initiatives or the Safe Haven program,  
please contact Marcus Scurry, Safe Haven Coordinator  
864.223.7472.



A program by Community Initiatives, Inc.





SUMMER 2013

# **THE BUZZ**

**TUES & THURSDAY**

**8:30-10:30**

**&**

**1-3 PM**

**ROOM 217F**

**PHONE: 864-941-8514**

**The BUZZ  
Summer 2013  
Tutoring Hours  
Room 217F**

**CPT-101, 141, 172, 274, IST-281,  
& AOT 165**

**Monday 11:00a.m. – 12:00p.m.**

**Tuesday 1:00p.m. – 2:00p.m.**

**Wednesday 1:00p.m. – 3:00p.m.**

**Thursday 1:00p.m. – 2:00p.m.**