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Transform the student experience.

Second year Electromechanical Technology (ELMT) students Alex Riva, Jose Mosqueda, and Walter Portio tested their knowledge and demonstrated skills to first year students during class. Students were challenged to analyze and repair a broken generator for the MCC Welding program.



MCC Physical Therapy Assistant (PTA) second year students completed their capstone projects and during an open forum presentation of various orthopedic conditions. PTA student projects provided a visual of health conditions as well as physical demonstrations of rehabilitation options.





MCC's Student Nurse Association (SNA) Club hosted a Pumpkin Sale fundraiser open to students, employees, and community members. The SNA Club raised over \$500 to help provided funds to attend the National SNA convention in Knoxville, TN in spring of 2023.

Transform our own workforce experience.

MCC employees gathered October 18 for a Professional Development Day that focused on understanding the role of FTE in our enrollment and budget models, and the role each employee plays in positively impacting FTE. MCC President Curt Freed provided an overview of FTE, including how it is calculated and the monetary value tied to the college's budget. During the last few hours of the day, staff participated in Work-Life Balance activities such as basketball, volleyball, rock climbing, board/card games and more, fostering a fun and team-oriented atmosphere.

MCC staff and faculty participated in a pumpkin carving contest October 28 to strengthen camaraderie between departments and to enjoy a fun, stress free afternoon. Voting was done on official MCC social media platforms to involve local communities. Karissa Schulte, College Store Manager and Sally Shawcroft, Financial Aid Director were the winners of the contest and received trophies.

MCC employees gathered November 21 for a holiday potluck luncheon.

Create education without barriers through transformational partnerships.



MCC hosted the second annual "GrowHer" event for sophomore girls from high schools throughout the MCC service area. The objective of the event was to inspire young women and demonstrate how an entrepreneurial spirit can develop into a career. Over twenty girls and their chaperones participated in presentations and activities exposing them to possible careers in the agriculture industry. Miss Rodeo Colorado, Ashely Baller, was the keynote speaker.

Redefine our value proposition through accessibility, affordability, quality, accountability, resource development, and operational excellence.

MCC Center for Arts and Community Enrichment (CACE) hosted a Veteran and Patriotic Themed Art Exhibit from local and regional artists. The exhibit included wooden flags, fabric art, and canvas prints of a World War II Veteran's logbook. This was a free community event.

MCC's Tutoring center was approved for Level 1 certification from the College Reading & Learning Associations (CRLA) International Tutor and Training Program (ITTPC). CRLA's rigorous training has prepared MCC's tutoring team to continue to provide high quality tutoring to MCC students.