

Letter from the director...

Northwest State Community College
Alumni & Friends
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Welcome to the first edition of our Alumni and Friends newsletter! Our goal with these newsletters will be to keep you up-to-date on everything going on at Northwest State Community College, looking at the past, present and future of your alma mater.

We have so many great stories to share: student and alumni successes, donor generosity and impact, upcoming programs and events at the College, and much more. Many of our students balance school, work and family obligations while attending Northwest State. Nearly every NSCC graduate who faces these

challenges is ultimately appreciative of the journey that led them to their degree or certificate, and the help NSCC faculty and staff at the College provided along the way.

Enjoy the newsletter, and please let us know what you would like to see in future publications. Drop us a line at alumni@NorthwestState.edu, and be sure to "Like" our Alumni and Friends Facebook page (Facebook.com/NSCCAlumniAndFriends). Together, we are all #NSCCProud.



Robbin Wilcox
Director of Foundation and Alumni Relations

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November 28

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at NorthwestState.edu/give-to-nsc/

Admissions

Express Advising & Registration

- Friday, December 1 - 10:00-4:00
- Friday, December 8 - 10:00-4:00
- Wednesday, January 3 - 1:00-6:00
- Friday, January 5 - 10:00-4:00

For more details, please visit: NorthwestState.edu/express

Admissions Phone Number 419.267.1320

Reasons to apply.....Education opens doors that you never thought possible.

Save money, class flexibility and most importantly School-Life-Balance.

Events

- Exam Week December 11-15
- Fall Graduation December 18
- Spring Semester begins January 16

Alumni Facts

- 10,414 NSCC Alumni
- 81% continue to live and work in the six county area
- 2016-2017 Total enrollment: 6,649
- Please update your information at: NorthwestState.edu/alumni-information/

Foundation Scholarships

Free Money for College
Applications available now through February 16
Apply at: NorthwestState.edu/scholarships

Quotes from Scholarship Recipients:

"It warms my heart to know there are people willing to help a stranger to better themselves. I feel optimistic about my future and I hope to "pay it forward" as soon as I can."

"The scholarship award has given me a great deal of financial breathing room and helped me to manage going to school while working full-time."

"People like yourself are a great blessing to those in need, your gift will be a reminder to not only myself but future generations."



Donor Profile: Parkview Physicians Group

As one of the nation's leading healthcare providers, Parkview Physicians Group (PPG) understands the importance of quality patient care, and the need to recruit the best physicians, specialists and nurses to its facilities. Sally Taylor, Vice President of PPG, shares their history, their commitment to quality, and their collaboration with Northwest State and the NSCC Foundation.



Taylor with PPG employees, all of which are NSCC alumni

What motivates PPG to support the NSCC Foundation? To me, it's a collaborative approach. There is a shortage of providers (physicians) to provide care to the nation, but there's also a shortage of nurses. It is very refreshing that we have a school close by that can provide that training for future employees. That's why we provide support to the Foundation Scholarship Program.

What is the mission and vision of PPG? To improve health and inspire the well-being of those we serve in the community.

We have about 180,000 visits each year. We really focus on what we provide the community, in terms of the

services to the patients, but it's great to be an employer in the area. We're here to help build and sustain a community with employment. Parkview Health has over 11,000 employees, it's a top 15 Health System in the nation. We're truly proud to be part of Parkview, we want to help bring Parkview more and more into the community. There's a lot of opportunity.

What is the recent history of PPG in northwest Ohio? In January 2011, the Midwest Community Health Associates joined Parkview Physicians Group in Indiana, and we are now Parkview Physicians Group in Ohio. We have locations in Bryan,

Edgerton, Archbold, Montpelier, Wauseon, Sherwood and Van Wert.

The Parkview Physicians Group Scholarship is awarded each year to students living in the Parkview service area, pursuing a nursing certificate or degree, or medical assisting certificate, with a minimum 3.0 GPA. More information on this scholarship, and other NSCC Foundation Scholarships is available online at NorthwestState.edu/Scholarships.

2017 SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED BY THE NSCC FOUNDATION

\$ 409,000

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