JMU Facilities News October 2015

Letter of Thanks for Housekeeping

I personally wanted to thank the Housekeeping Staff for the work they have performed over the summer. This department must prepare for, on an average, twenty five thousand campers for Events & Conferences, ten thousand visitors for orientations and summer school, and various Admissions and campus projects. Expectations are very high: ten dorms must be ready for summer use in just a three day period, these dorms must be cleaned up after each camp, total cleans must be completed for all the dorms throughout the summer in preparations for the upcoming school year, there are major cleans after construction projects, as well as regular maintenance of all of classrooms and E&G areas. Each summer it seems like there is more and more to do and less time to do it, but as a TEAM you always 'Get it done".

I attend numerous meeting across campus with various departments and I constantly receive praise and appreciation for the excellent job and support that the Housekeeping Department provides. You are amazing!

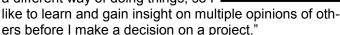
Thank You! Robert Weese FM Central Operations Manager



Up Close: Brad Andrick

Job Title: Geographic Information System Coordinator

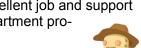
Personal Motto: Multidisciplinary collaboration - "Everyone has a different way of doing things, so I



Item on his bucket list: "I want to do the Giant Road Trip Challenge around the United States. There is a road trip challenge where you can travel to every state in the USA and hit every famous place!"

Co-workers might be surprised to know: "I am a musician. I taught a high school drumline for five years. I know how to play several instruments, but just to name a few: banjo, piano, guitar, bass guitar, baritone, drums."

Best part of working at JMU: "I like that it is an academic institution with education being important, but also it is an intellectual community. At some other companies they do not have the ability to talk to people who have expertise in a certain area. I can ask questions and collaborate with them."



Service Awards

Congratulations!

5 Years Jessica Herring Jared Combs Audrey Grim Melissa Borror April Andes Tammy Propst Helen Elliott Kimberly Breeden Jane Reynolds Charlotte Shifflett Sarah Lunn Donna Whetzel Jack Losh Ricky Shifflett Kevin Landes

Kevin Lessington John Nelson Timmy Price Jeff Holbert Phillip Lowery 10 Years Melissa Conley Julie Bubb Charles Grimm Stacy Heishman Sandra Nesselrodt Crystal Ball Richard Birtchet Leslie Patrick Carol Rhodes Karen George

Bob Shanholtz Chuck Horn Paul Layman Ronnie Davis Tom Templeton Brad Null **Bob Weaver** Mike Morris Bill Bauer Jonathan Gordon Gregg Chevalier Asllan Shabani Roger Stover Peter Duhaime

Gladys Melendez

Miranda Eppard Duane Swanson Donna Fink Eric Jenkins Veronica Losh Joyce Wilkins Sharon Laughlin Stacie Counts Carla King Charlie Lucas Brandon Howdyshell Daryl Ours 20 Years Joe Archer

Cindy Rexrode

Mary Monger Debrah Lam Brian McAvoy 25 Years Bonnie Comer Johnwayne Comer Paul Cardin Tom Barr Lorie Hartman 30 Years Debbie Towe Fred Tate 35 Years Debbie Morris

New Hires



(L-R): Robert Hamill (Landscape), Barry Campbell (Power Plant), Alain Woolley (Hskp), Kelly Redifer (Hskp)



(L-R): Andrew Schaefer (power Plant), Aron Terrell (Landscape), Dale Dinges (Recycling), Joshua Gray (Housekeeping), Cherie McDonald (Garage), Bethany Miller (Housekeeping)

Announcements:

- Annual **Service Awards** will be held on Wednesday, October 14.
- Job Shadow Day at JMU is Thursday, October 29. This is a yearly event where middle school students visit various departments on campus to gain career information. Facilities Management will be hosting students in Landscape, the Power Plant, HVAC, and the Warehouse.
- ⇒ Remember to **keep up with your vacation leave!** There is a limit to the number of vacation hours that you can carry over each leave year depending on your years of service. Vacation hours exceeding this carry-over limit must be used by January 9, 2016. Also, you must use your personal day by January 9, 2016, or you will lose it. You can view carry-over limits on Human Resources' Benefits page.
- "Like" the new JMU Facilities Facebook page

Pending Retirements:

- Kelly Sites 11/1/15 (6 years)
- Win Hunt 2/1/16 (17 years)
- Jerry Dovel 1/1/16 (9 years)





Little **trick-or-treaters** from the children's program at Anthony Seeger will be visiting both floors of the University Services Building on Friday, October 30. One set of children will come between 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. and another group of kids will come between 12:30 p.m. and 1 p.m. Have your candy ready if you plan to participate!

JMV facilities Birthdays for October_

Gwen Charles 10/1 Cinda Ringle 10/4 Brigido Abonza 10/8 Stacey Harris 10/8 Bonnie Rivas 10/12 Timmy Price 10/17 Jeff Kratzer 10/21 Lisa Hoover 10/26 Michelle Caplette 10/29 Steven Raines 10/29

Lewis Ferguson-Davie 10/29

Donna Fink 10/2 Danny Lucas 10/5 Bryan Falls 10/8 Tim Plecker 10/9 Joseph Testerman 10/14 John Sherman 10/18 Diana Pence 10/22 Rob Miller 10/26

Brooke Covington 10/3 Jodi Rehkemper 10/6 Gary Falls 10/8 Jared Combs 10/10 Dale Dinges 10/15 Eddie Willis 10/18 Brandon Lucas 10/23 Ruth Jarrett 10/27 Chris Williams 10/29

Donald Green 10/4 Lisa Bauer 10/7 Jessica Herring 10/8 Shane Long 10/11 Jonathan Paynter 10/16 Brenda Pettit 10/20 Phyllis Spitzer 10/24 Phil Mason 10/28 Judy Blosser 10/31

Caitlin Losh 10/4 Josiah Hansen 10/7 Michael Morris 10/8 Tim Shantz 10/11 Denee Sorrell 10/16 Lawrence Troyer 10/20 John Fadely 10/25 Kelly Redifer 10/28 Greg Merica 10/31