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Ouachita Technical College partners with Southwest Arkansas Technology Learning Center

Associate Degree Program scheduled to begin Fall 2002

An Associate Degree in Manufacturing Technology with an emphasis in Industrial Equipment Maintenance Technology is coming to Clark County. Ouachita Technical College (OTC) and Southwest Arkansas Technology Learning Center have partnered to offer Clark County residents the Associate Degree program.

Industry has indicated a need for trained industrial maintenance technicians to meet the demands of increasing technology. The degree program is designed to meet that need by preparing individuals for professional maintenance careers in industry. All classes for the degree program will be offered at the Southwest Arkansas Technology Learning Center (SWATLC). Located at 107 North 6th Street in Arkadelphia, SWATLC is a workforce training consortium of local industry, education and training providers.

The following is a list of courses that will be offered with this degree program: Motors and Motor Control, Mechanical Devices and Pneumatics, Industrials Power Transmission, Industrial Instrumentation, Technical Math, Wiring Methods, Fundamentals of Electricity, Introduction to Computers, Technical Writing, Industrial Safety, Basic Blueprint Reading, Introduction to CAD, Industrial Psychology, Introduction to Physics, Basic Compression Refrigeration, PLC, Welding, and Introduction to Machining I.

Tuition and fees for a three-hour course is \$168 plus books. Financial aid is available. To learn more about this degree program, call the SWATLC at (870)230-5550.

Industrial Maintenance Associate Degree Program- Ouachita Technical College

An Associate Degree in Manufacturing Technology with Emphasis in Industrial Equipment Maintenance Technology is coming to Clark County! Industry needs trained industrial maintenance technicians to meet demands of increasing technology. This degree program is designed to prepare individuals for professional maintenance careers in industry. Join in now to take the next step in furthering your career! **Classes Will Be In Arkadelphia.**

Following is a list of courses that will be offered with this degree program.

Motors and Motor Controls, Mechanical Devices and Pneumatics, Industrial Power Transmission, Industrial Instrumentation, Technical Math, Wiring Methods, Fundamentals of Electricity, Industrial Safety, Technical Writing, Industrial Safety, Basic Welding, Industrial Psychology, Introduction to Refrigeration, PLC, Welding.

With possible electives:
Computer Repair, PLC Applications, Basic Lathe Technology

All services, including enrollment assistance, financial aid (if applicable), Technology Learning Center assistance; however, those services are not available from the Clark County

Are you interested in enrolling?
Yes No

When would you prefer to start?
August, 2002 January, 2003
from now Explain: _____

3 hr. course \$168.00 Financial Aid available Tuition and fees plus Books and ~~not included in this amount~~

For more information or to be invited to an orientation session, please print:

Name _____ email _____

Address _____

Work phone () _____ Home phone () _____

Your Company Name _____ Department _____

Shift _____



Technology Learning Center
"Preparing a Quality Workforce"

Southwest Arkansas Technology Learning Center is a workforce training consortium of local industry, education and training providers focused on the continuous development of a well trained, competent existing and emerging workforce for Clark County and the surrounding area. *ARKANSAS BUSINESS* recently mentioned the Center as "quickly becoming a model effort." Job Profiling and Assessment through the WorkKeys system is available, and a pre-certification employment database has been maintained for the hiring convenience of local employers. Both credit and non-credit courses and training programs requested by industry are offered through the Learning Center which will be located by year's end in a new state-of-the-art facility. The Learning Center Board assures cooperation with the Clark County Industrial Council (CCIC), both local universities and the Arkadelphia Public School District as well as nearby two-year colleges and other training providers. The Director is a workforce training professional with career experience in providing training for manufacturing industry as well as through public organizations.

Board members include:

Rick Izor, Chairman and Plant Manager, Scroll Technologies

Percy Malone, State Senator

Brown Hardman, President Clark County Industrial Council

Dr. Charles Dunn, President Henderson State University

Dr. Andy Westmoreland, President Ouachita Baptist University

Tony Prothro, Superintendent Arkadelphia Public Schools

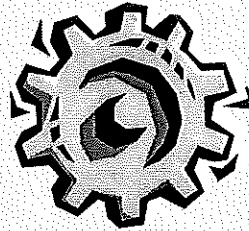


Technology Learning Center

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Progress being made on the new Learning Center Facility

Keep an eye on 640 S. 6th street for progress on the new training facility. Steel framing should appear as soon as the rain stops!

TRAINING CURRENTLY AVAILABLE

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Cost</u>
June 18-20 8a-5p	Introductory Programmable Logic Controllers (PLC)	Community Enrichment Cntr 1700 Logan St. (Feaster Park)	\$395/person
July 9-11 8a-5p	Advanced PLC	Enrichment Center	\$595/person
July 23-25 8a-5p	Adjustable Speed Drives	Enrichment Center	\$595/person
August 2-30 Fridays 2-4:30p	Geometric Dimension and Tolerancing (GD&T)	US Bank-Downtown	\$200/person
August 21-22 8a-5p	Mgmt/Supervisory Skills	US Bank-Downtown	\$250/person
September 5-6 8a-5p	Situational Leadership (First of four Supervisory Leadership/Management Development Programs.)	Elk Horn Branch Bank West Pine Street	\$250/person
September 6-20 Fridays 2-4:30p	GD&T conclusion	US Bank-Downtown	

To get more information or to enroll in any of these, please call Sheryl Strother at 230-5550 or e-mail ssstrother@ezclick.net.

Adult Education Partners

Basic Computer Literacy-Adult Basic Education-GED Preparation-WAGE Certification
 Offered at the Adult Education Center.

Summer hours: 8a-12p, 1-4p and 4-7p every Monday and Tuesday

For more information on these classes call 246-1104 Ext. 213.

WorkKeys Job Profiling

The WorkKeys license currently held by the Learning Center will be renewed next month. Some industries are beginning job profiling which is being performed by our local licensed profilers. The WorkKeys program is an excellent tool for identifying the skills people need to be successful on the job and to determine specifically the training needed to further develop existing or potential employees.

Assoc. Degree in Industrial Maintenance offered by Ouachita Technical College... classes in Clark County begin this Fall!



Coming This Fall

- Supervisory Leadership/Management Development series continues in October, November and December.
- Basic Electricity I and II
- Hydraulics/Pneumatics

OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE
ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE
MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGY
Emphasis in Industrial Equipment Maintenance Technology

The Manufacturing Technology curriculum is designed to provide the essential skills needed by students to prepare them for professional technical careers in industry and business. Industry needs trained industrial maintenance technicians to meet the demands of production and quality. This degree plan prepares students in the required critical thinking skills, technical skills, and communication skills needed by American industry today. Students successfully completing the degree will be able to meet industries's needs today, and learn new technologies as they emerge.

General Education Outcomes

1. Students will use communication skills necessary to read and listen for understanding, to speak and write clearly, and to follow written and verbal instructions.
2. Students will solve problems using basic principles of mathematics.
3. Students will use critical thinking skills to identify problems, analyze alternative solutions, and make appropriate decisions for themselves, business, and society.
4. Students will demonstrate teamwork and leadership skills and the ability to adapt to the ever-changing workplace environment.
5. Students will use available resources, time, materials, and equipment efficiently and effectively.
6. Students will develop a commitment to continued learning to remain employable in the job market.

Broad Technology Outcomes

1. Students will develop the ability to visualize and interpret mechanical drawings and architectural, electrical, and electronic blueprints.
2. Students will learn the basic principles of DC and AC electricity, including; Ohm's Law, series and parallel circuits, network theorems, magnetism, RC, LC, RLC, and transformer circuits. Students will also prove competency through laboratory experiments.
3. Students will apply computer technology to complete tasks effectively and efficiently. Through learning current software applications (word processing, spreadsheets, and database), students will apply technological concepts that are of lasting value rather than mastery of specific hardware/software skills and knowledge.
4. Students will learn electrician skills through practical hands-on training. Skills included are; bending and running conduit, wiring actual electrical circuits, using proper electrical tools and benders, installing and repairing breaker/fuse boxes, and meeting electrical code requirements.
5. Students will learn skills, required by virtually all industry today, in industrial safety, safety equipment, OSHA regulations, safety management, and environmental concerns. Modern industry requires technical personnel to work safely and obey safety rules. Students will learn through lecture, demonstration, and written assignments.
6. Students will learn the technical mathematic skills required to be proficient in the calculations that are so much a part of technical skills today. With this knowledge, students will be able to advance in their mathematical skills in the future, and meet employer requirements for technical work.

7. Students will learn the fundamentals of using an industrial metal-cutting lathe and horizontal mill. Students will meet industry standards of layout, measurement, and cutting.

Industrial Equipment Maintenance Core Outcomes

1. Students will develop competency in industrial fluid power (hydraulics and pneumatics). Mastery of basic hydraulic and pneumatic components like pumps, cylinders, and valves will be required, along with the critical thinking skills required to install and troubleshoot systems.
2. Students will develop an understanding of basic mechanical concepts, such as gears systems, pulley and chain drive systems, and gear boxes through the use of lecture and practical hands-on laboratory exercises.
3. Students will develop skills in basic industrial power transmission equipment, such as gear boxes, conveyors, transmissions, couplings, and drive components through lecture and laboratory exercises.
4. Students will develop skills in basic compression refrigeration equipments, its components, wiring, troubleshooting, and servicing through lecture and hands-on training.
5. Students will develop competency in basic welding, cutting, and braising techniques as required by industry through lecture and hands-on training

Department Minimum Scores For Program Entry

The following minimum scores have been set for entry into the Industrial Electronics Technology Associate of Applied Science program of study:

Battery	Score	Course Placement
ASSET Minimum Scores:		
Numerical Skills	45	Basic Algebra
Writing	37	Basic Composition I
Reading	41	TEST OUT OF ACADEMIC READING

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Semester I	Hours	
Technical Math	3	Prerequisite: Basic Algebra or test score
Wiring Methods	2	
Freshman Composition I	3	Prerequisite: Basic Composition or test score
Fundamentals of Electricity	4	Prerequisite: Basic Algebra or test score
Introduction to Computers	3	
Total	15	
Semester II	Hours	
Technical Writing	3	Prerequisite: Freshman Composition I
Industrial Safety	3	
Basic Blueprint Reading	3	Prerequisite: Basic mathematics skills or test score
Introduction to CAD	3	Corequisite: Basic Blueprint Reading
Industrial Psychology	3	
Total	15	
Semester III	Hours	
Motor and Motor Controls	4	Prerequisite: Fundamentals of Electricity or Instructor permission
Mechanical Devices & Systems	3	
Fluid Power – Hydraulics and Pneumatics	3	
Introduction to Physics	4	Prerequisite: Technical Math
Basic Compression Refrigeration	3	
Total	17	
Semester IV	Hours	
PLC	4	Prerequisite: Motor and Motor Controls
Welding	2	Welding Lab
Introduction to Machining I	3	Machine Shop
Industrial Power Trans.	2	Prerequisite: Mechanical Devices
Industrial Instrumentation	3	Prerequisite: Motor and Motor Controls
Total	14	
Possible Course Substitutions	Hours	
Computer Repair	3	
PLC Applications	3	
Basic Milling Technology	3	Machine Shop
Basic Lathe Technology	3	Machine Shop
Total	12	

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IEMT 1102 Wiring Methods: Wiring methods is a course designed to give the student practical hands-on experience in electrical wiring techniques. Students will learn all conduit and wire terminology, wire and conduit sizes and their proper use, how to properly bend and install electrical conduit and pull wire, how to properly install breaker boxes and power panels, and how to solder and de-solder. (2,1,3) F, S

IEMT 1104 Fundamentals of Electricity: This course introduces the non-electronics student to the basic concepts of D.C. and A.C. electricity. All topics of D.C. circuits are covered, including current flow, voltage, power and resistance, Ohm's Law, complex circuits, and magnetism. In A.C., coils, capacitors, transformers, and their associated formulae are introduced. Three-phase voltage is also discussed. This course will enable the student to gain an understanding of the essentials of electricity and electrical power. Prerequisite: Basic Algebra Test Score. (4,3,3) F, S

IEMT 1203 Fluid Power (Hydraulics and Pneumatics): This course covers the principles of hydraulic and pneumatic equipment and their uses and application in industry. Some of the topics covered in this class include: hydraulic pumps, control valves, cylinders, seals, air compressors, filters, pressure regulators, pressure control valves, and flow controls. (3,2,3) S

IEMT 1213 Mechanical Devices and Systems: This class is an overview of the principles, concepts, and applications of mechanisms found in an industrial plant. Topics covered include belt drive systems, chains, chain drives, conveyor belts, conveyor systems, bearings, sheaves, lubrication, sprockets, and mechanical fasteners. Lab will be used to emphasize practical maintenance, installation, and procedures for repair and replacement. (3,2,3) F

IEMT 2202 Industrial Power Transmission Equipment: In this course the student will be introduced to heavy duty power transmission equipment such as clutches, transmissions, gear boxes, gear drives, torque converters, couplings and drive lines. Instruction covers theory of operation and industrial applications for these devices. Lab will focus on maintenance and installation of this type of equipment. (2,1,3) Offered every other Spring

IEMT 2413 Industrial Safety: Industrial Safety is a course designed to provide all students with the basic safety knowledge required in today's industrial workplace. It is also designed to give the supervisor, or future supervisor, the necessary tools to manage a safe work environment. With a knowledge of industrial hazards, and the skills required to correct them, the worker or supervisor will be better equipped to deal with today's modern industrial environment. Topics covered include: Accident reduction, safety training, safety involvement, safety inspections, accident investigations, industrial hygiene, ergonomics, machine safeguarding, tool safety, materials handling safety, electrical and fire safety, hazard communication, and an introduction to hazardous chemical safety. (3,3,0) F, S

ACHR 1123 Basic Compression Refrigeration: A series of lectures and demonstrations on compression refrigeration components, system accessories, refrigerants, temperature pressure charts, purging and evacuation, pressurizing and leak testing, charging, basic refrigeration cycle, and refrigerant recovery/recycling. (3,2,3) Offered every other Spring

WELD 1112 Introduction to Welding: In this class a student will be introduced to basic safety and welding procedures, including striking an arc, running a bead, gas safety, and simple gas welding and cutting procedures, identifying and using correct welding rods, and simple brazing. This course is a co-requisite for welding students in their first semester of school. (2,1,3) F, S

MACH 1103 Basic Blueprint Reading: This is a basic course designed for the person pursuing a career in any of the manufacturing and industrial fields. It is a study to help the student develop the basic skills required for visualizing and interpreting mechanical drawings and blueprints. Persons seeking careers in engineering, architectural, mechanical, electrical, and electronics fields will benefit from visualizing shapes, line usage, dimensioning and tolerancing, notes and symbols. Prerequisites: MATH 1003 Basic Math with a grade of "C" or above or ASSET or ACT score of 14 or above in Math. (3,3,0) F, S, SU

MACH 1113 Introduction to Machining I: This course is designed to cover a broad area of technology in the machine shop for those persons interested in any of the mechanical fields of manufacturing and industry. It is a comprehensive study in the identification, care, and use of hand tools and precision measuring instruments, and a study of basic machining concepts and basic Metallurgy as it applies to metal identification and heat treating. It involves practice in the use of Machine Shop bench work procedures, basic layout, use of hand taps and dies and deals with reading basic blueprints, using layout tools, measuring instruments, and setup tools in the process of constructing parts while learning the basic care and operation of utility grinders, power saws, drill presses, engine lathes, and milling machines. The student should develop an understanding of the most basic ideas and concepts needed in the machine shop and develop skills that are absolutely essential for further progress in the machine trades. All other courses of study in the machine shop program will build upon the

materials learned in this course. Persons interested in careers in the related maintenance fields will also use the materials covered in this course. Practical application is provided with "hands-on" experience in the machine shop. Safety is stressed as an integral part of this program. Prerequisite: Basic Math (MATH 1003) with a grade of "C" or above or ASSET or ACT score of 14 or above in Math. (3,2,3) F

MACH 1123 Basic Lathe Technology: This is one of a series of courses designed to help the person desiring a career as a machinist. It is a study of the setup, care and operation of the engine lathe and its accessories. It is a program of study to help the student understand the construction, setup, and use of the metal turning lathe. The student will learn the theory of "turning" on the engine lathe including operations such as turning, boring, tapering, threading, drilling and tapping. The student will learn the techniques involved in selecting, grinding, and setting up of the cutting tools used in these operations, including both high speed steel and carbide tools. The student must combine the cognitive skills learned in this course with the cognitive skills learned in the Basic Machine Shop Operations course and both are to be applied to the projects produced in the shop. Prerequisites or Co-requisite: MACH 1113 Basic Machine Shop Operations. (3,2,3) F

MACH 1223 Basic Milling Technology: This course is one of a series of major courses designed to help the person desiring a career as a machinist. It is a study of the basic setup, care and operation of vertical and horizontal milling machines and their accessories. The student will learn the use of standard and special cutters, methods of holding them in the machine, correct cutter speeds and table feeds and the particular techniques involved in cutting different shapes and types of metals, and the methods of holding the work. Special cutting techniques will include boring holes using an adjustable boring head and cutting keyseats and drilling hole patterns using both jig boring procedures and use of the rotary table. Safety is stressed. Upon completion of this course the student should be able to set up the milling machine, selecting the proper cutters and proper speeds, feeds, and depth of cut to produce a part from a blueprint. This includes use of the vise, rotary table, boring head and jig boring procedures. Prerequisite or Co-requisite: MACH 1103 Basic Blueprint Reading, and MACH 1113 Basic Machine Shop Operations. (3,2,3) Offering is based on student interest.

MACH 2103 Introduction to CAD: Computer Aided Drafting is an introductory course for the technician or the person seeking to draft for a living. Engineers, architects, mechanical, electrical, and electronics persons all need the ability to complete finished drawings of parts and structures. Manufacturers rely on computer drawings of parts and other manufactured goods. This course expands on MACH 1103 Basic Blueprint Reading. It will explore the use of CAD graphics software through the use of microcomputers, plotters and printers. Included will be operations through logging-on and off, geometric entity creations, zooming, dimensioning, moving, plotting, layering, mirroring, saving, and recalling drawings. Upon completion of this course the student should be able to produce a useful mechanical drawing using the microcomputer and

plotter or printer. This course requires considerable work outside of class time.
Prerequisite or Corequisite: MACH 1103 Basic Blueprint Reading. (3,3,0) F

DATA 1113 Introduction to Computers: This course stresses a working knowledge of computer concepts, hardware, software, networks, e-mail, and the Internet. It also provides hands-on applications in word processing, spreadsheet, and database management. Keyboarding skills are strongly recommended. F, S, SU

ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I: A course designed primarily to develop in the student the ability to think coherently and to write clearly and effectively, to gain knowledge of the structure of the language, and to read with understanding and appreciation. The course includes the study of grammar and its application in the short essay (350-500 words). Prerequisite: Basic Composition (ENGL 1013) with a grade of "C" or better; or required placement test score. F, S, SU

ENGL 1203 Technical Writing: This course is designed to give students application in organizing and writing support documents for business reports found in business and industry. Emphasis will be placed on style, audience analysis, editing, and graphs.

MATH 1133 Technical Math: This course, which develops competencies in geometry, trigonometry, vectors, and logarithms, is designed to expose students to technical mathematics and how it is used in technology.

PHYC 1124 Introduction to Physics: A general education course for NON-MAJORS introducing the scientific method in the study of the dynamic laws governing the physical universe. A study will be conducted of the forces that arise from mechanics, heat, light, gravity, electricity, and magnetism. The class will meet five hours per week (three hours of lecture and two hours of lab). Prerequisite: Intermediate Algebra (MATH 1023) with a grade of "C" or better; or required placement test score. F, S, SU

PSYC 2133 Industrial Psychology: A consideration of the application of psychology to such areas as personnel work, human engineering, motivation, job satisfaction, leadership, and organizational structure.

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Ouachita Technical College enrollment tops 1000

Ouachita Technical College has set a record enrollment for the spring 2002 semester. A total of 1,008 students are registered for credit classes.

Dr. Barry Ballard, OTC President, said this number represents a 4 percent increase over the previous record of 968 set in fall 2001 and a 21 percent increase over the spring 2001 enrollment of 831.

"The College projects enrollment will continue to increase during the 2002-2003 academic year," Ballard said. "Programs in information technology, early childhood education, practical nursing, medical transcription, and general studies for university transfer continue to grow. We also have plans to add other high demand career programs and courses."

Ouachita Technical College was recently named as one of the nation's 50 fastest-growing two-year colleges. According to a report in *Community College Week*, OTC ranked 27th among the Top 50 Fastest Growing Public Two-Year Colleges with fewer than 2,500 students.

In addition to college-credit classes, OTC also provides non-credit instruction to over 2,000 students per year through its adult education programs, high school career center, business and industry training programs, and avocational courses.

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**PRESS RELEASE FOR THE
JACK KENT COOKE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
COMMUNITY COLLEGE TRANSFERS**

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OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE students
NAME OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE

planning to transfer to an accredited 4-year college or university are invited to apply to the Jack Kent Cooke Scholarship Program.

The Foundation will award scholarships to students in the summer of 2002 for use during the 2002-2003 academic year. In order to be considered for an award, students must be nominated by their institution. The DEADLINE for receipt of all 2002 nominations is April 1, 2002.

Awards will fund tuition and fees for the remainder of the scholar's undergraduate degree at their chosen 4-year institution. Scholarship monies not used during one academic year are not transferable to the succeeding academic year. Scholarships are renewable each year for the duration of the undergraduate degree program, as long as the scholar continues to meet the eligibility requirements.

To be eligible for a scholarship, a student must:

- 1) Be attending a community college that is fully licensed and/or accredited
- 2) Have completed freshman year credits – at the time of nomination
- 3) Demonstrate strong academic achievement (target cumulative GPA: 3.3 and above on a 4.0 scale)
- 4) Be transferring to an accredited 4-year institution

Interested candidates should contact:

DR. MARVIN SCHULTZ

NAME OF JACK KENT COOKE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM INSTITUTION REPRESENTATIVE

Room B406 E
OFFICE ROOM NUMBER AND BUILDING

(800) 837-0266, x1147 by

Monday, February 28, 2002
DAY AND DATE

FROM THE DESK OF:

5/29/01

Amber Lindsey

Dr. Ballard,

Attached is a draft of what I'd like to send to Community Colleges Times and the Chronicle of Higher Education along with a photo of you. Please advise me of any changes you might want to make.

Thanks!

Amber

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The Ouachita Technical College Library/LRC now has on display a collection of artwork from the sixth and seventh grade classes of the Magnet Cove Middle School. Deborah Shelman, a student at OTC, is the teacher. The classes are displaying two different groups of art. One group consists of grid drawings which are done by making a grid on a smaller picture, and then transferring it to a larger piece of paper, doing one section at a time.

The other group is impressionist self-portraits, done either in Tempera paint or pastels. These portraits were drawn without picking the pencil up from the paper from start to finish.

The exhibit illustrates great talent and imagination, and makes a very colorful and extraordinary display.

The OTC Library/LRC hours are Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. and Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

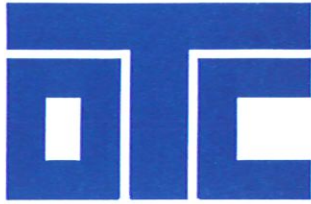
The Ouachita Technical College Library/LRC now has on display a collection of artwork from the sixth and seventh grade classes of the Magnet Cove Middle School. Their teacher is Deborah Shelman, who is a student here at OTC.

There are two different groups of art from these classes. One group consists of grid drawings, ~~Some of these drawings are oil pastels, and some are chalk pastels. Each student could choose which one to use.~~ The grid drawings were done by making a grid on a smaller picture, and then transferring it to a larger piece of paper, doing one section at a time. ~~It was the student's decision whether to use a picture that they chose from a magazine as a pattern, or one provided by their teacher.~~

The other art on display from this group of students are Impressionistic Self-Portraits, done either in Tempera paint or pastels. These portraits were drawn without picking the pencil up from the paper from start to finish. ~~They were then painted, using realistic colors on one side and abstract colors on the other.~~

All of this artwork shows a lot of talent and imagination, and makes a very colorful and unusual display.

Hours
Monday - Thursday
7:30 - 7:30
Friday 7:30 - 4:30



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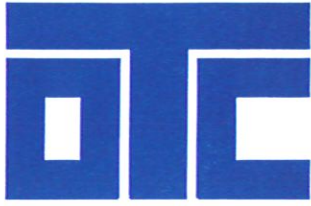
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Apprenticeship Training at OTC

Ouachita Technical College will begin an electrical apprenticeship training program in January of 2002. We will have four years of training available so any level apprentice may enter. Any area contractor or business may enter trainees. Those interested in entering trainees or interested in working as an electrician should attend a meeting on October 4, 2001 at 6:30 P.M. at Ouachita Technical College in Malvern. The training will be low cost, follow a standardized curriculum, and be taught by qualified professionals in the field.

For more information please contact Bob Washington at Ouachita Technical College at 501-332-3658, ext. 1136



Ouachita Technical College

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October 3, 2001

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MALVERN, Arkansas – October 3, 2001 – A record 968 students have enrolled at Ouachita Technical College for the Fall 2001 semester; a 17 percent increase over the Fall 2000 semester. Of the state's 23 two-year colleges, OTC had the third largest percentage increase. Statewide, enrollment in two-year colleges rose 6.2 percent and 2.6 percent in four-year institutions.

"The future of the economy of the state of Arkansas is an increase in two-year and four-year degrees, particularly in technical areas," stated Lu Hardin, director of the Department of Higher Education.

Ouachita Technical College's previous high enrollment was in the Spring 2000 semester with 932 students. This fall's growth is due to a significant increase in concurrently enrolled high school students. These students receive both high school and college credit for a particular class such as Freshman Composition, College Algebra, Computer Repair, etc.

"This enrollment increase is very important to the OTC community. The College is committed to providing quality education and services and to ensuring students can reach their educational and career goals," stated OTC President Barry Ballard.

In addition to college-credit classes, Ouachita Technical College also provides non-credit instruction to over 2,000 students per year through its adult education program, high school career center, business and industry training programs, and vocational courses.

September 18, 2001

Ouachita Technical College
One College Circle
Malvern, AR 72104

RE: Press Release for Community Calendar

On September 28, 2001, the Student Government Association and Ouachita Technical College in Malvern will host "Morgan Nick Alert" days. The children will have their photo taken and receive a brochure detailing how to make a DNA kit. The public is invited and schools are welcome to bus students (k-6) to the college as well. For more information contact the Student Government Association at 501-332-3658 ext 1164.

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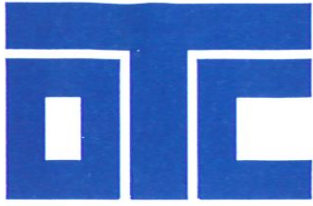
Please include the following announcement in your community calendar or calendar of events.

OTC's Benton Practical Nursing program application deadline set

The Practical Nursing Program at Ouachita Technical College is designed to prepare individuals for the practice of Licensed Practical Nursing. To become an L.P.N. you must complete the 11-month program and successfully pass the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nurses (NCLEX-PN). The application deadline for OTC's Benton Nursing Program is October 15, 2001. For more information on OTC's Malvern or Benton nursing program, call (501)332-3658 or (800)337-0266.

Thanks!

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Paul Green Earned CIW Status
Paul Green Gained Globally Recognized Internet Certification.

MALVERN, Arkansas – August 24, 2001 – Paul E. Green of Hot Springs, AR earned his CIW (Certified Internet Webmaster) certification, a training and certification course produced by Prosoft Training.com (NASDAQ: POSO), making him a recognized expert in Internet, Web and e-business technologies.

After a few months of hitting the books, grueling coursework and participating in lectures and online learning at Ouachita Technical College, Malvern, AR, Green joined the ranks of 12,000 other CIW graduates who have obtained measurable expertise and demonstrated professional dedication.

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Ouachita Technical College Develops Recognized Internet Experts

CIW courses enables students to achieve success with comprehensive Internet skills at Ouachita Technical College.

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“Technical certifications validate professional expertise and demonstrate professional dedication, which are both essential characteristics for companies to identify when reviewing job candidates,” said Keith Williams, Master CIW CI Designer at Ouachita Technical College. “The CIW certification validates that the professional is an expert in the integration of multiple technologies - ensuring the professional will succeed in any IT environment.”

Organizations today have IT systems that are comprised of multiple hardware and software platforms with which professionals must be familiar in order to successfully manage all systems. The CIW course incorporates both core skills and specific job training related to many platforms, like Cisco, Microsoft and Novell, to ensure CIW professionals are capable of implementing the most complex Internet, Web and e-business initiatives.

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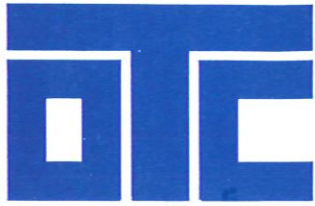
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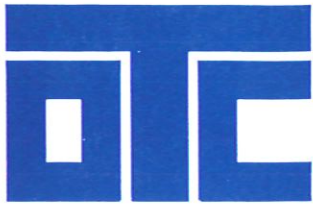
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OTC announces Adult Education graduation

The Adult Education Department of Ouachita Technical College is pleased to announce its annual graduation ceremony for students receiving the Arkansas High School Diploma (GED). The ceremony will be held at Ouachita Technical College on Thursday, July 12, 2001, at 7:00 p.m. in Room A300. The public is invited to attend.

Graduates who wish to participate may still pick up caps and gowns before or on July 12 at 1519 East Page Avenue in Malvern. The cost of the cap and gown is \$25. Graduates who need financial assistance for this purchase should contact the Adult Education Department at 332-5002.

Rehearsal for the ceremony will be at 9:00 a.m. in Room A300 on July 12. All graduates are asked to attend rehearsal; however, it is not necessary in order to walk in graduation.



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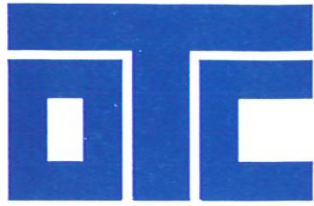
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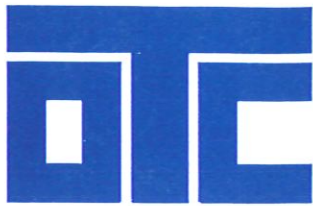
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STUDENT ID NAME	STREET ADDRESS	CITY	ST ZIP CODE
Adams Katrina R	702 Turtle Creek Rd	S Benton	AR 72015
Amerson Celeste Michelle	27575 Hwy 67	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Bell Cheryl Midge	509 Hall St	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Burke Robert Alan	P.O. Box 343	S Benton	AR 72018
Chancellor Candi D	7613 O'neal Rd	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Coats Rosemary M	442 Turtle Creek	S Benton	AR 72015
Cordrey Christopher S.	13335 W. Sardis Rd.	S Bauxite	AR 72011
Davis Willie A III	3025 Hwy 5 N Lot 48	S Benton	AR 72015
Efurd Stephan M	335 Harmony Acres Rd.	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Elrod Melanie Rebekah	1362 Quapaw Rd.	C Bismarck	AR 71929
Glover Karen Debra	2304 Silica Heights	S Benton	AR 72015
Harbour Stacy Lane	624 Pine Bluff St	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Ingram Crystal M	114 Somerset Lane	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Jones Carmen Marie	1412 Mimosa	HS Malvern	AR 72104
McClintock Alex	401 Riley	Garland Hot Springs	AR 71901
Neel Angelia Denise	18983 Hwy 67	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Nevens Michael William	461 Grant 441	G Prattsville	AR 72129
Otwell Jerry	600 Maple St	C Gurdon	AR 71743
Perry Dawn Renee	6555 Congo Rd.	S Benton	AR 72015
Plyler Shannon Lee	P.O. Box 1231	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Rodden Douglas Wayne	2403 Edison Avenue	S Benton	AR 72015
Rowland Mary Anne	115 Mesa Bend	S Benton	AR 72015
Shirron Stephen Lewis	2279 Hwy 270 East	G Sheridan	AR 72150
Smith Chris M	P.O. Box 274	G Sheridan	AR 72150
Walters Jillian C	506 Pine Bluff St.	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Westbrook Joshua S	302 Smith Haskell Rd	S Benton	AR 72015
Whisenhunt Jacob Kyle	31 Woodland Cove	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Williams Deborah K	39 Village Lane	G Sheridan	AR 72150
Williams James Ivan	1517 Edgewood Cir	HS Malvern	AR 72104

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Donnor Jennifer L	425 Creek Rd-Haskell	S Benton	AR 72015
Duvall Betty L	10715 Hwy 190	S Benton	AR 72015
Gambill Kimberly G	3425 Scott Smith Rd	S Alexander	AR 72002
Garrett Phillip A	2419 Smoke Ridge Rd	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Gilbert Mary Elizabeth	219 Apollo St	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Gillespie Eldred G	514 South St	S Bryant	AR 72022
Gilson Amanda L	P.O. Box 192	S Bryant	AR 72089
Higgins Vonda L	1330 Maple	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Howard Jeremy C W	9529 Hwy 67	S Benton	AR 72015
Kimbrell Tonya Renee	400 Vocs Trail	HS Malvern	AR 72104
McDonald Tonya N.	947 Grant 37	CR Prattsville	AR 72129
McKinney Cristianna	P.O. Box 675	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Murdock Evita	1205 Hope Street	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Newton Johnathon B	8251 Highway 229 S	CR Leola	AR 72084
Romero Shellie Kay	6309 Hwy 9	HS Malvern	AR 72104
See David William	217 Greenfield Dr	S Benton	AR 72015
Shelton Tracy Earl	102 Brandiles Ln	Garl Hot Springs	AR 71913
Simpson Rachel Ann	322 W Woodlawn	S Benton	AR 72015
Stanley Katrina D	2000 Bishop Drive Apt 23	S Bryant	AR 72022
Strother Sheryl A.	2510 Malvern Rd	C Arkadelphia	AR 71923
Thomason Barbara Ann	1412 Sherwood Dr	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Waldron Deborah N	1514 Jefferson Street	HS Malvern	AR 72104
Woods Robert Lance	7208 Bobby Woods Rd.	S Bauxite	AR 72011
Woodville Julie S	9581 Hwy 67	S Benton	AR 72015
Yates Angela D	6727 Grayson Dr	S Benton	AR 72015

Spring 2001

President's List

- ✓ Alisha Clardy, Malvern ✓
- ✓ Timothy Mosier, Benton ✓

Dean's List

- ✓ Jody Bivens, Malvern ✓
- ✓ Cody Branum, Malvern ✓
- ✓ Brandi Crain, Sheridan ✓
- ✓ Jesse Crumby, Benton ✓
- ✓ Samuel Hutson, Malvern ✓
- ✓ ✓ Nikolas Logan, Hot Springs ✓ *move to PL*
- ✓ Stacey Milden, Malvern ✓
- ✓ Jimmy Murberger, Malvern ✓ *move to PL*
- ✓ Janet Rhea, Malvern ✓ *move to PL*
- ✓ Jeremy Smith, Sheridan ✓
- ✓ Terri Williams, Sparkman ✓

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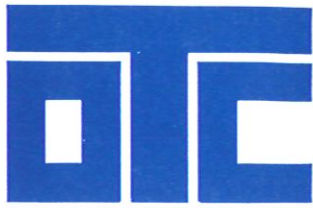
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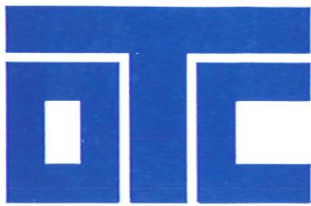
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PRESS RELEASE

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Tuesday, April 10, 2001

The Board of Trustees of Ouachita Technical College, Malvern met at 5:00 P.M. today to consider the selection of a President. The Board convened briefly and then went into executive session after which it reconvened publicly and voted unanimously to employ Dr. Barry Ballard as President of the College.

Mr. Lacy Landers, Chairman of the Board, introduced Dr. Ballard and indicated that the Board was pleased to announce the selection of a distinguished educator as president to lead the college into the 21st century. He said that Dr. Ballard brings extensive experience in the management of technical colleges, academic planning, policy formulation, program supervision as well as teaching at technical, adult and graduate levels.

Dr. Ballard is returning to technical and higher education administration from a detour of several years as a manager for the American General Financial Group subsidiary VALIC. VALIC is a \$50 billion retirement services company that provides retirement plan products and services to higher education institutions, public school districts, hospitals, governmental groups, non-profit groups and individuals. Dr. Ballard has been with the company for seven years, most recently as district manager for Oklahoma and the northern half of Arkansas.

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MAGNET COVE ART WORK--

On Monday, April 2 through Wednesday, May 9, 2001, the library will have a display of artwork done by Sixth and Seventh graders from Magnet Cove Schools. All of the art work is done in volunteer classes taught by one of our own Ouachita Technical College students, Deborah Shelman. She has three volunteer student workers that help with the projects at the school. They are: Marian Watson, Cindy Woolery, and Daniel Shelman.

The work consists of torn paper mosaics, using the same model and guidelines for each picture. Tiny pieces of paper are arranged on a colored background, and the individuality of each student shows up as the different colors are chosen by the students for their picture. Each piece of artwork has the name of the artist below the picture--so come to the OTC Library and check out the work done by Mrs. Shelman's students.

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The Library/LRC provides access to information for students, faculty, staff and also community members in our beautiful new facility. Information can be found in books, magazines, newspapers, and electronic media, including access to the Internet. Full-text databases and online encyclopedias provide instant access to complete magazine, newspaper, and reference articles. Hard copy materials can be located using our online catalog. Library personnel are always available to help patrons with their information needs.

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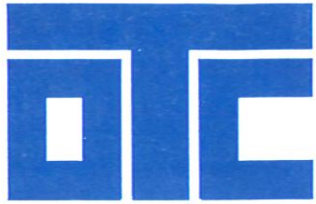
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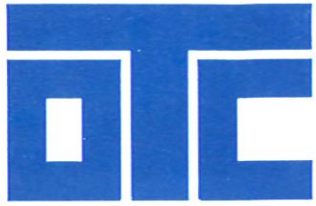


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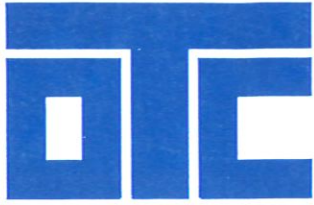
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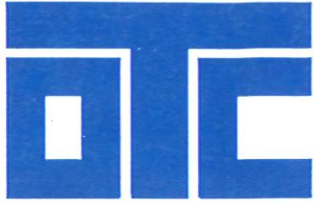
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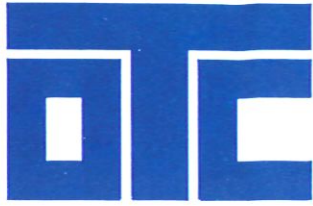
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Ouachita Technical College Teams with Prosoft Training to Offer the Certified Internet Webmaster Program

A Partnership to Help Satisfy Strong Market Demand for Internet-Savvy Professionals

MALVERN, Arkansas – Recognizing the overwhelming need for skilled Internet professionals, Ouachita Technical College (OTC) has partnered with Prosoft to offer its clients the Certified Internet Webmaster (CIW) program.

Working closely with both individuals and corporations to provide training in high-demand technologies, OTC will add the CIW curriculum to its innovative stable of information technology and project management training programs.

“Adding the CIW curriculum and certification program to our other outstanding programs gives OTC the broadest and deepest array of technology training available anywhere,” said Bob Washington, Dean of Extended Studies for OTC. “The market demand for qualified Internet professionals will continue to grow, and we are proud to add Prosoft to our list of partners.”

ProsoftTraining.com supplies training and courseware for its CIW program to training-industry leaders, who offer the CIW curriculum through classroom training, “With CIW certification, today’s Internet professionals develop experience in cutting-edge technologies demanded in the exploding online marketplace,” said Julie Rowe, Vice President of Programs and Products for Prosoft. “We are thrilled that OTC will now extend this training to its students, giving them the skills to develop and deploy e-business solutions critical to the new economy.”

The program targets both existing Internet professionals and those wanting to enter the technical industry. It addresses a spectrum of skills including Basic Internet, Internetworking, Web site design, Internet scripting, Java, and e-Commerce.

The webmaster program at OTC goes through 3 levels, beginning with foundation skills and progressively advancing to the highest level of e-Commerce course work.

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October 12, 2000

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“This recommendation is an affirmation of the quality education and services received by students who attend OTC,” said June Prince, OTC’s Accreditation Coordinator. “This is the same accreditation granted to four-year colleges and universities.”

After becoming an accredited institution in 1995, Ouachita Technical College began planning for 2000 when it would be up for reaccreditation. This meant that the next five years would entail numerous meetings, strenuous planning, and a great deal of hard work.

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In preparation for this visit, OTC board members, faculty, staff, and administration compiled information and conducted research in order to complete a self-examination that is required before any NCA evaluation visit. While at OTC, the team members met with various representing groups and poured over the self-study report and shelves of documents including OTC’s Assessment Report, Accountability Report, scrapbooks containing newspaper articles and advertisements, minutes from various committee meetings, and many other OTC documents.

As the team concluded their three day visit, an exit interview was held with OTC’s President’s Cabinet consisting of Dr. Ken Martin, President; Dr. Susan Azbell, Vice-President and Provost; Dr. Roger Coomer, Vice-President of Finance and Administration; Ms. June Prince, Vice-President of Planning and Assessment and NCA Coordinator; Ms. Linda Johnson, Dean of Enrollment Management and Registrar; and Mr. Bob Washington, Director of Center for Workforce Excellence. The team left with a recommendation of the maximum ten-year accreditation for Ouachita Technical College.

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Ouachita Technical College Adult Education

OTC Adult Education is gearing up for a new school year in several Hot Spring County locations. Classes in GED Preparation, Basic Skills Review, Basic Computer Literacy, Life Skills and WAGE Certification are available at most locations. Class locations, dates and times are as follows:

- Career Development Center
1519 East Page Avenue
Malvern
501-332-5002
Start Date: Aug. 21, 2000
Time: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Mon. – Fri.
- Career Development Center
1519 East Page Avenue
Malvern
501-332-5002
Start Date: Sept. 7, 2000
Time: 4:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Thurs.
- Family Development Center
Malvern Head Start
836 Acme Street
Malvern
501-3378401 or 501-332-5584
Start Date: Sept. 5, 2000
Time: 8:00 a.m. to noon
Mon. – Fri.
- Bismarck High School
Bismarck
Contact Barbara Richardson at
501-865-865-45541 or 501-865-3285
Start Date: Sept. 12, 2000
Time: 6:00 p.m.
Tues. & Thurs.
- English as a Second Language (ESL)
Aprender Ingles
1519 East Page Avenue
Malvern
501-332-5002
Start Date: Sept. 11, 2000
Lunes: 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Time: 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Mon. only
- Jones Mill Community Center
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501-332-5002 for information
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- Dixsonville
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Individuals interested in any of these classes are asked to attend the organizational meetings on the dates & times specified above. Those individuals referred by agencies such as DHS, ESD, TEA, WIA (JTPA), etc. are also encouraged to attend one of these meetings. These organizational meetings will help to determine the needs of the community. Additional classes may be added if the need arises.





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COLLEGE STUDENTS RECEIVE COCA-COLA SCHOLARSHIP

MALVERN -- Malvern residents, Vonda Higgins and Deborah Waldren, have each been chosen to receive a \$1,000 scholarship. Both are college students attending Ouachita Technical College in Malvern.

Through the Coca-Cola Two-Year Colleges Scholarship Program, the Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation is awarding annually 400 scholarships, of \$1,000 each, to students attending higher-education institutions granting two-year degrees. Nomination materials were sent to the president or chief executive officer of two-year colleges across the country asking them to nominate two students from their school. Students nominated must have demonstrated academic success and 100 hours of community service in the past year. This year marks the first time scholarships will be distributed.

The Two-Year Scholars Program complements the Foundation's Coca-Cola Scholars Program, which annually awards \$1.8 million in college scholarships to 250 outstanding high school seniors. The Coca-Cola Scholars Program is one of the most recognized and respected corporate-sponsored scholarships in America.

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VONDA Higgins, Deborah Walden

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Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation
800-306-2653 or 404-733-5421

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Register now for Fall 2000

Registration for the Fall 2000 Semester at Ouachita Technical College continues through August 17. Classes begin August 21. For more information regarding financial aid opportunities, to get a schedule of classes, or to speak with an advisor or counselor, please call (501)332-3658.

Please include in your
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Thanks!

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NEW COMPUTER LAB, NEW DEGREE OPTION AT OTC

Before the Fall 2000 semester begins, OTC will implement a new, hi-tech, state-of-the-art Environmental and Spatial Technologies (EAST) Lab similar to the Malvern High School EAST lab and other high school EAST labs across the state.

“OTC’s EAST lab will offer high school graduates a place to continue learning at the post-secondary level in an environment that encourages teamwork and collaboration and fosters the development of communication, problem-solving and decision-making skills through a project-based curriculum,” says Business Department Chair Jessica Beard.

OTC’s lab will provide a vehicle for the implementation of a new two-year specialty core major in Visual Arts and Special Technologies (VAST). The proposed degree, the first of its kind in Arkansas, will be offered through the auspices of the Business, Office, and Information Systems Technologies Department at the College and will encompass courses from the areas of general education, general business and new specialty courses in graphics design, multimedia applications, animation, web page design, and other special technologies that are needed for today’s high-tech careers.

Two new specialty courses, Multimedia Applications in Business and Graphics Design, are on the Fall 2000 schedule and will meet on Mondays and Wednesdays from 8:00-9:50 a.m. and 10:00-11:50 a.m. respectively.

If you would like more information about this exciting new degree contact Jessica Beard, Business, Office, and Information Systems Technologies Department Chair, or Robin Colley, Lead Facilitator for the VAST Lab at 1-800-337-0266 or 332-3658 or by email at jbeard@otcweb.org or rmcolley@otcweb.org or visit the OTC homepage at www.otcweb.org.

NEW COMPUTER LAB, NEW DEGREE OPTION AT OTC

Before the Fall 2000 semester begins, OTC will implement a new, hi-tech, state-of-the-art Environmental and Spatial Technologies (EAST) Lab similar to Malvern High School EAST lab and other high school EAST labs across the state.

OTC's EAST lab will offer high school graduates a place to continue learning at the post-secondary level in an environment that encourages teamwork and collaboration and fosters the development of communication, problem-solving and decision-making skills through a project-based curriculum.

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Two new specialty courses, VAST 1204.01 Multimedia Applications in Business and VAST 1104.01 Graphic Design are on the Fall 2000 schedule and will meet on Mondays and Wednesdays from 8:00-9:50 and 10:00-11:50 respectively.

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Coming Fall 2000...

OTC is offering a new degree program utilizing similar strategies originating from the popular EAST labs in area high schools. The Visual Arts & Special Technologies (VAST) program will begin by offering 2 courses in the Fall semester. Graphic Design (VAST 1104.01) and Multimedia Applications in Business (VAST 1204.01) will be offered on Monday and Wednesday from 8 – 9:50 and 10-11:50. **The VAST courses are recommended for high school students who have completed at least one semester of an EAST lab in high school.**

The new VAST degree will be the only degree option of this type in the state. It will allow students the opportunity to learn state-of-the-art technology and will emphasize teamwork, improved communication, problem-solving and decision-making skills by incorporating community-based projects into the curriculum.

The VAST degree will train students for careers of tomorrow. Due to the project-based, problem-solving nature of the degree, career opportunities are limitless. The VAST degree will enhance students' abilities in career fields such as, but not limited to, marketing, management, multimedia production, graphic design, and computerized art.

For more information about the VAST courses, contact business instructors, Jessica Beard at jbeard@otcweb.org or Robin Colley at rmcolley@otcweb.org or by phone 800-337-0266.

NEW DEGREE PROPOSED FOR OTC

Ouachita Technical College is proposing a new Associate of Applied Science degree for implementation Fall 2000. ~~In the March 28 meeting,~~ OTC Board of Trustees approved spending for a new lab for use in the proposed degree. The new degree, Visual Arts and Special Technology (VAST), takes a different approach to higher education. Students will work in a performance based, project oriented learning environment. This initiative stems from the successful EAST programs found in high schools across the state.

Business faculty from OTC have attended the pre-initiation conference with Tim Stephenson, founder of EAST, and expect implementation of the new VAST lab this summer. OTC hopes to provide students who have completed the EAST program in high school with an opportunity to further their education at the post-secondary level. The new VAST degree will use similar strategies utilized in the EAST labs.

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Register now for Summer II at OTC

Registration for the Summer II 2000 5 week Semester at Ouachita Technical College is going on now. General registration is June 28. Classes begin July 3. For more information regarding financial aid opportunities, to get a schedule of classes, or to speak with an advisor or counselor, please call (501)332-3658.

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Contact: Amber Lindsey
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OTC Announces Honor List

Ouachita Technical College in Malvern recently announced the President's and Dean's List for the Spring 2000 semester. Students on the President's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and achieved a 4.0 grade point average for the semester. Those named to the President's List include Hot Spring County residents: **Benjamin Joseph Bailey, Rebecca A. Bailey, Elizabeth M. Corley, Vonda L. Higgins, Paul R. Kidder, Shirley Ann Matlock, Jennifer R. Mays, Sarah Diane McGraw, Janet D. Rhea, and Alana L. Swayze.**

Students named to the Dean's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and achieved a 3.50 grade point average for the semester. Those named to the Dean's List include Hot Spring County residents: **Pamela Jeanette Baker, Carolyn F. Bittinger, Melissa L. Brown, Daniel C. Caldwell, Corey D. Caradine, Stephan M. Efur, Jennifer C. Elmore, Mary Elizabeth Gilbert, Nona Jean Glenn, Nakia A. Green, George R. Hathcock, William D. Heath, Erin M. Hedges, Renata Rudi Hedges, Charlotte A. Hollomon, Crystal M. Ingram, Bryce A. Massey, Janet L. McCauley, Cristianna McKinney, Tina M. Morrow, Dorain C. Moran, Thomas Nolan, John William Pierce, Nicole Proctor, Todd Lee Selph, Deborah N. Waldron, Shelly L. Watson, and Teresa L. Williams.**

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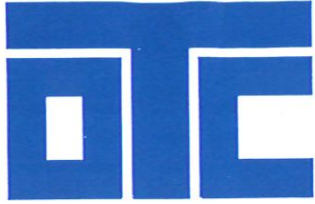
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RE: ACT ASSESSMENT GIVEN AT OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE

OTC has become an ACT test site. The college has received February dates to administer the ACT assessment.

The February 6, 1999 and June 12, 1999 administration of the ACT Assessment will be conducted at the Test Center on the Ouachita Technical College (OTC) campus. The ACT is a national assessment administered five (5) times annually by American College Testing (ACT) in Iowa City, Iowa. Upon learning that the February and June assessment was not administered in the Malvern area, OTC petitioned ACT to become a test center for those months. After submitting the required documents for becoming a test center, OTC has been recognized as an official ACT Test Center. *The college's first assessment will be Sat, Feb. 6.*

The faculty and staff at OTC are excited and happy to be a partner with ACT in providing this educational opportunity for area citizens. However, person interested in taking the ACT must mail a completed application to ACT in Iowa City. Application packets may be obtained through Student Services at OTC and area high schools.



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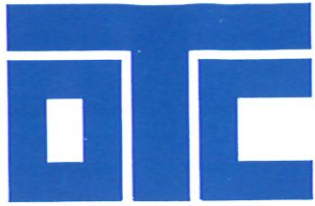
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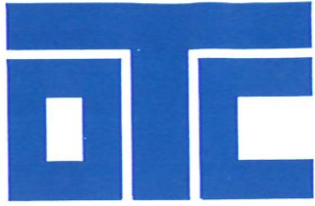
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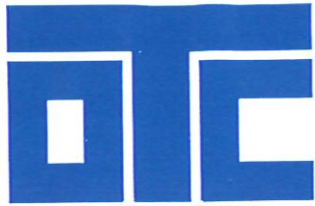
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Students named to the Dean's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and achieved a 3.50 - 3.99 grade point average for the semester. Those named to the Dean's List include Hot Spring County residents: **William S. Ankrum, Tommy D. Arnold, Brian N. Bailey, Rebecca A. Bailey, Jaime R. Bland, Darrell R. Boles, Leslie A. Campbell, Vanessa R. Clardy, Terry L. Clark, Stephanie L. Collie, Mary E. Courtney, Susan F. Covey, Rhonda M. Edwards, Stacie Efurd, Stephan M. Efurd, James D. Ford, Sandi N. Hale, Brian D. Kehner, Alaini M. Kemp, Paul R. Kidder, Melissa G. Lambertus, David A. Lott, Bobbie S. Morrison, Melissa G. Nix, Leonard B. Smith, Alana L. Swayze, and Sherrie L. Vanacker.**



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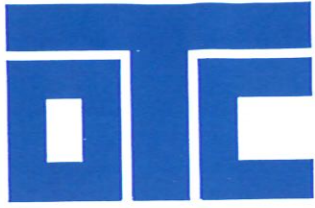
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Students named to the Dean's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and achieved a 3.50 - 3.99 grade point average for the semester. Those named to the Dean's List include Clark County residents: **Stephanie N. Frazier, Jason A. Kwas, and Franklin A. Ross.**



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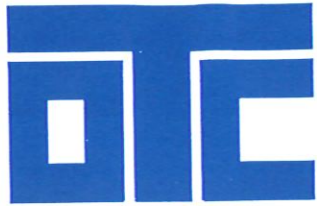
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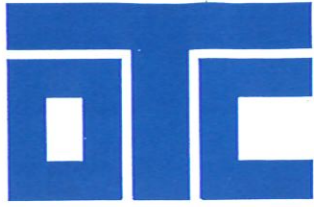
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Students named to the Dean's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and achieved a 3.50 - 3.99 grade point average for the semester. Those named to the Dean's List include Saline County residents: **Gary R. Cook, Terri D. Fields, Bruce W. Jones, Tina M. King, Tammy A. Norton, Eva Rousey, and Wanda M. Taylor.**



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✓ BAILEY	REBECCA, A 322 SATURN ST.	MALVERN	HS	AR 72104
✓ BARGER	JOSHUA, P P.O. BOX 4549	LITTLE ROCK	Pulaski	AR 72214
✓ BARNES	BRIAN, W RT 1 BOX 196-H	FORDYCE	Dallas	AR 71742
BIRTEINCHER	GAROLYN E P.O. BOX 234	DONALDSON		AR 71941
✓ BLAND	JAIME, R RT 3 BOX 631-3	MALVERN	HS	AR 72104
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✓ CLARK	TERRY, L RT 2 BOX 1484	DONALDSON	HS	AR 71941
✓ COLLIE	STEPHANIE, L 718 SULPHUR SPRINGS RD APT C-8	MALVERN	HS	AR 72104
✓ COOK	GARY, R 13400 DAWSON RD	BENTON	Saline	AR 72015
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✓ DUNCAN	THERESA, J 337 CREEK ROAD	BENTON	AR 72015 <i>Saline</i>
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Shira,

Please include the following in the community events section of the Malvern Daily Record.

Whether career/technical classes or university transfer classes are in your future, Ouachita Technical College is the best place to start. The last day to register or add a class for the Spring 1999 semester at OTC is Friday, January 15, 1999. Classes begin Monday, January 11. OTC's Continuing Education non-credit course can help you learn new skills, enjoy new hobbies, and enrich your life. Anyone wanting more information for credit or non-credit classes should call the Office of Student Services at (800)337-0266 or (501)332-3658.

Thank you,

Amber Lindsey

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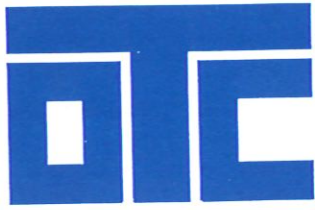
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OTC BSA Officers Elected

The Ouachita Technical College Black Student Association has elected officers for the 1998-99 school year. Officers and advisors pictured are: Seated (l to r): Michelle McGill, Treasurer, Lillie Buckner, President, Lisa Daniels, Vice-President. Back row (l to r): Carol L. Buckner, Advisor, Christianna McKinney, Secretary, Ricky Bivens, Parliamentarian, James L. Mitchell, Reporter, Lynette Smith, Advisor. Not pictured are Latrice Booker, SGA Representative, and Latsha Morgan, Assistant Secretary.

1997-1998 Ouachita Technical College's Black Student Association Officers

The 1997-98 Ouachita Technical College's Black Student Association officers are seated: front row seated from left to right are Michelle McGill (Treasurer), Lillie Buckner (President), Lisa Daniels (Vice-President); Back row: Carol L. Buckner (Advisor), Christianna McKinney (Secretary), Ricky Bivens (Parliamentarian), James L. Mitchell (Reporter), Lynette Smith (Advisor). Not pictured are Latrice Booker (SGA Representative) and Latsha Morgan (Assistant Secretary).



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OTC Staff, Faculty and Students win awards

Malvern, AR - Ouachita Technical College in Malvern recently showed off their finest at awards ceremonies held during the Arkansas Association of Two-Year Colleges Annual Conference in Hot Springs.

Among those receiving awards were Clark "Corky" Allen, Physical Plant Maintenance Supervisor. Corky, an employee at OTC since 1990 and recipient of the Outstanding Employee Award, says, "You have the choice of how you want to be when you wake up every morning. You can choose to be happy or unhappy. I choose to be happy every day."

A Business Instructor at OTC since 1988, Bob Smith received the Outstanding Faculty Award. "Mr. Smith's teaching philosophy consists of the fervent belief that students come first and that high expectations elicit high performance," says OTC Vice President Dr. Susan Azbell. "He is dedicated to creating a teaching environment where students feel secure, confident, and motivated."

The Distinguished Alumni Award Recipient, Richard Beason, attended OTC from 1996 - 1998 and received an Associate of Applied Science degree in Manufacturing Technology. Richard is currently employed at Garland County Community College as a Metal Manufacturing Instructor.

Current OTC student Laurie Hankins is just one of 23 outstanding students selected to the first Arkansas Two-Year Colleges' Academic All-Star Team. Laurie will receive a \$500 scholarship for her extraordinary achievements in academics and leadership. Laurie's award winning essay describing her most memorable educational experience resulted in her being named the 1998 Academic All-Star for Ouachita Technical College.

Ouachita Technical College is proud of its staff, faculty and students and congratulates these outstanding individuals on their extraordinary achievements.



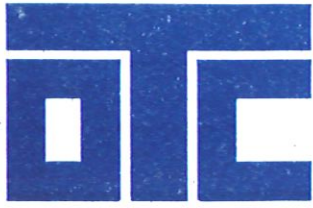
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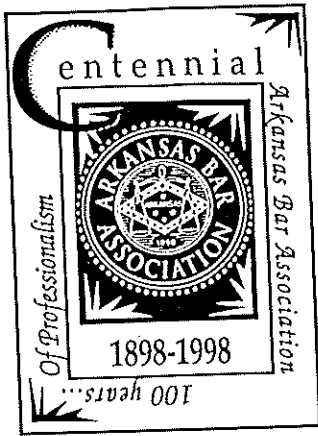
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Mr. Rigsby is employed at Ouachita Technical College in Malvern as the Business and Industry Coordinator for the Center for Workforce Excellence.



News Release

Contact: Don Hollingsworth, Executive Director
Arkansas Bar Association
400 West Markham
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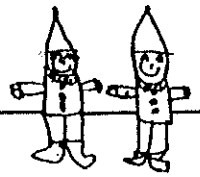
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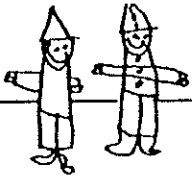
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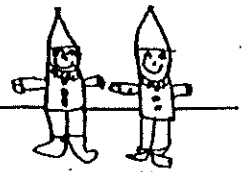
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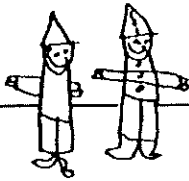
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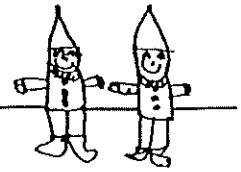
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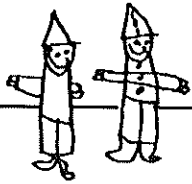
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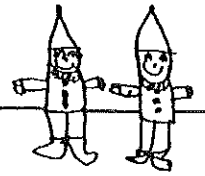
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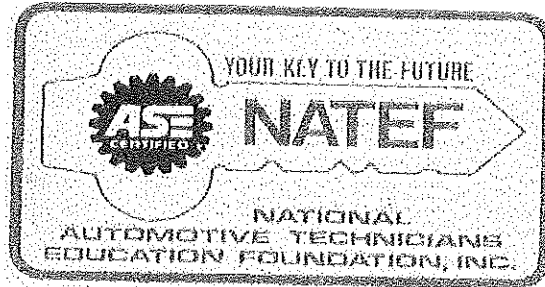
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OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE'S AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAM ACHIEVES NATEF MASTER CERTIFICATION



Ouachita Technical College's automotive program achieved Master Certification from NATEF (National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation). In order to achieve this certification, NATEF sent a team of four people to inspect and evaluate the program for two days. Master Certification is the highest honor an automotive program can achieve. It means that the program is certified in all eight ASE (Automotive Service Excellence) areas." It is a great achievement that we are very proud of " said Dr. Susan Azbell " the instructors, Ruben Keisler and Adrian Ashley, worked very hard to achieve certification."

Not only did OTC achieve NATEF Master Certification, they are also receiving special recognition from NATEF in Applied Academic and Workplace Skills. This is a special award given to schools that have outstanding programs in Language Arts, Mathematics, and Science. Instructors who will receive special recognition for their part are: Language Arts - Ronnie Thompson, Mathematics - Terri Colananni, and Science - Milton Purdy.

Because the automobile has become so technical, NATEF recognized the need for future automotive technicians to be literate beyond the high school level. "The academic requirements and Broad Core Technology Courses for the Associate of Applied Science Degree in Automotive Service Technology at OTC gives real strength to the program and a real advantage to our graduates," said Adrian Ashley.

The NATEF evaluation, in their summary, commended the administration at OTC for its support of the program and the purchase of new equipment. New computer analyzers, an alignment rack, an air conditioning recovery, recycle, and charging station for 134a refrigerant were all purchased to upgrade the program. The team said they could find no weaknesses in the program.

Ouachita Technical College's service area includes Hot Spring, Grant, Saline, Clark and Dallas counties.

Contact Person: Amber Lindsey
(501) 332-3658

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
July 27, 1998

HIGH SCHOOLERS GET A JUMP START ON COLLEGE By Sharon Growney-Seals

It is unusual to be both a high school and college student at the same time. Yet, many high school students in the Malvern area graduate with several hours of college credit under their belts, thanks to Ouachita Technical College and Arkansas' Concurrent Education Enrollment Act. High school students who enroll in college classes get both high school and college credit for their work. And that's just one advantage to the program.

Malvern High School senior Emily Holt took Freshman Composition I and II and College Algebra, courses which were taught on the high school campus by Ouachita Technical College instructors during the regular school day. Holt says, "I learned more than just English and Algebra in the classes I took this year. The different methods of grading and teaching made me realize what a big step it is from high school to college." Students who are planning to go to college can complete core curriculum classes, which frees the students who go on to four-year colleges to concentrate more quickly on courses in their field. But at the same time, the classes offered under the Concurrent Education Enrollment Act let students experience college while they are still in the familiar surroundings of their high schools.

Glen Rose High School senior Monica Martin got a jump-start to her college career by completing English Composition. Martin said, "I believe taking this course has better prepared me for the level of writing that will be required in college. I am glad I had the

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opportunity to take this course and would encourage others to do so.” Martin plans to attend Lyon College this fall.

Besides preparing students to tackle upper level college courses, concurrent enrollment has other advantages. It allows parents to spread out the expense of college; it allows students who are uncertain if they want to attend college full time to get a “sample” of what courses are like; and the convenient locations eliminate long commutes. The program also has little interference with students’ work schedules, as the classes usually take place during the standard school day. Yet another advantage is the small class size. Rarely will concurrent education classes have over twenty students in them, which for many students eliminates the overwhelming feeling that comes from walking into an enormous math class at a big university.

“Taking a college course while still in high school helped me in many ways,” says Katy Hohrine, who just graduated from Malvern High School. “I learned responsibility because of a strict attendance policy and . . . the method of grading. I got a head start to college life. This will help me to not be quite as intimidated . . .”

Ouachita Technical College offers concurrent enrollment programs for students at various high schools, including Magnet Cove High School, Malvern High School, Ouachita High School in Donaldson, Poyen High School, Bryant High School, and Glen Rose High School. During the 1997-1998 academic year, approximately 120 students took advantage of the Concurrent Education Enrollment Act to participate in diverse core curriculum classes, such as Oral Communications, Composition I and II, Intermediate Algebra, College Algebra, and Psychology. Students interested in enrolling in Concurrent Education courses should visit with their school counselors, who will discuss the program

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with the students and guide them through the enrollment process.

Ouachita Technical College cordially invites everyone to attend a reception in honor of resigning board members, Dr. Tom Justus and Mrs. Mary Cole. The reception will be held Thursday, July 9, 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., in OTC Room 4.

To: Amanda
From: Amber
7-6-98

For Community Events

OTC hosts reception for Hugh Looney and Tressie McJunkin

A reception honoring Ouachita Technical College retirees Hugh Looney and Tressie McJunkin will be held Sunday, May 17, 1998 from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. at OTC in Room 4. All friends and families of the retirees are invited to attend.

To: Amanda

From: Amber

Date: 5/12/98

Thanks!

Summer Registration at OTC

Register for summer classes at Ouachita Technical College through June 5, with a \$5 late registration fee after May 26. Classes begin June 1, 1998. Call OTC at 332-3658 or (800)337-0266 for more information.

To: Amanda
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Submitted to Benton Courier

For Immediate Release
May 20, 1998

Contact: Amber Lindsey
(501) 332-3658

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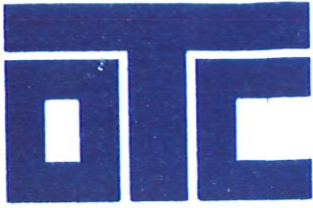
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Virginia Donaldson —
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Terri Fields —
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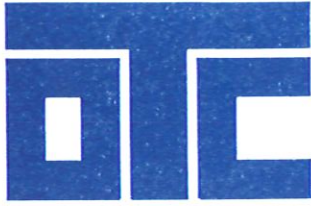
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To: Don
From: Amber

For Immediate Release
April 6, 1998

Contact: Amber Lindsey
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College President selected for Who's Who

Dr. Ken Martin, President of Ouachita Technical College, has been selected as an honored member in the 1998-1999 edition of Kaleo Publications' *Who's Who Among Top Executives*.

Kaleo Publications recognizes Dr. Martin as one of the year's top executives throughout the world. To be chosen for inclusion, candidates must have held a position of responsibility or have attained a significant achievement in their field.

Kaleo Publications' *Who's Who Among Top Executives* 1998-1999, is a guide to thousands of today's most influential people and executives throughout the world.

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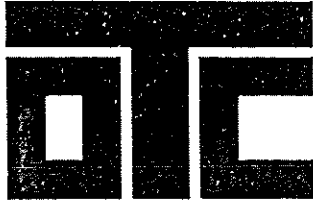
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For Immediate Release
March 5, 1998

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Local Resident Receives National Award

Gurdon Resident and full time English instructor at Ouachita Technical College in Malvern, Ronnie Thompson has been selected for the fifth edition of Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1998. Only high school and college students who have been cited for academic excellence themselves in Who's Who Among High School Students or The National Dean's List respectively are invited to nominate one teacher from their entire academic experience. The successful former student who recommended Mr. Thompson says, "He made a difference in my life."

"Mr. Thompson has worked extensively with the students to ensure that their experience here at OTC is memorable, exciting, and challenging," says Dr. Ken Martin, President of OTC. "His concern and warmth when dealing with the students have always been exemplary."

Who's Who honors a select five-percent of the nation's teachers and recognizes the best educators just as the best doctors, lawyers, athletes, business people and other professionals have been honored.

For Immediate Release
March 4, 1998

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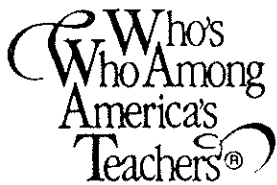
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Who's Who honors a select five-percent of the nation's teachers and recognizes the best educators just as the best doctors, lawyers, athletes, business people and other professionals have been honored.

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Dear Mr. Thompson:

I am proud to congratulate you on being selected for inclusion in the fifth edition of WHO'S WHO AMONG AMERICA'S TEACHERS, 1998. I believe you will find this honor exceptionally gratifying since it comes from a successful former student who recommended you because, "you made a difference in his or her life."

There is no greater reward for teachers than to be valued by former students. Only high school and college students who have been cited for academic excellence themselves in WHO'S WHO AMONG AMERICAN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS or THE NATIONAL DEAN'S LIST respectively are invited to nominate one teacher from their entire academic experience.

As indisputable testimony to the value of outstanding teachers, WHO'S WHO will honor a select 5% of our nation's teachers. America's best teachers will be recognized just as the best doctors, lawyers, athletes, business people and other professionals have traditionally been honored.

WHO'S WHO AMONG AMERICA'S TEACHERS will include your biographical profile in a comprehensive entry. As the only publication dedicated exclusively to the recognition of our country's premier teachers, WHO'S WHO is a valuable resource for everyone concerned with quality education.

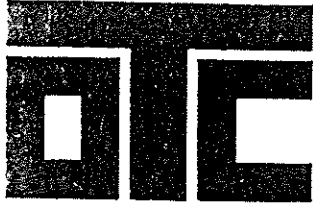
The book is distributed to school boards, regents, educational organizations and leaders. All principals and college presidents will be notified of the teachers in their institutions selected for this award and requested to announce these selections to their faculties, students and parents via appropriate school media. We will notify all newspapers nationwide of the teachers from their communities being honored.

There is no cost to you or the student who nominated you associated with this honor. To assure the accuracy of your listing and to authorize publication of your data, please complete and return the enclosed Teacher Data Form by March 9, 1998.

Sincerely yours,

Paul C. Krouse, Publisher

P.S. As a WHO'S WHO teacher, you may have the opportunity to participate in special surveys on educational issues. Our most recent study, "Top Teachers Rate Parents, Teens, and Students" can be viewed on our Web site.



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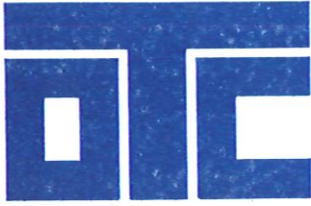
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Students named to the Dean's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and achieved a 3.50 - 3.99 grade point average for the semester. Those named to the Dean's List include Hot Spring County residents: **William S. Ankrum, Brian N. Bailey, Cathie L. Draper, Laurie R. Hankins, Michelle R. Holden, Misty L. Honeycutt, Johnnie F. Loyd, Brian L. McCloud, Timothy A. Miller, Norma J. Moynihan, Melissa G. Nix, Rebekah G. Parker, Dianna S. Rimmer, and Amy D. Simmons.**



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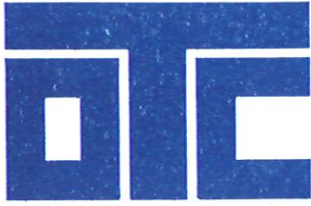
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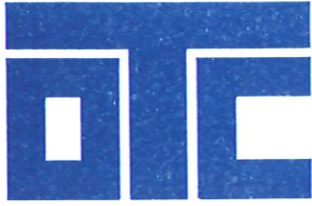
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Pres. List

I.D.	Name	St	Stat	Cl	Major	Div	F-T	Dorm	Meal	F-A	Sex	Eth	Credits	C-GPA	S-GPA
432881532	BEARD	AR	A	FR	AOT3 MALVERN	D	Y	COMM	N	N	F	WH	36.00	4.00	4.00 ✓
429117301	CARPENTER	AR	A	SO	AA3 MALVERN	D	Y	COMM	N	N	F	WH	55.00	3.56	4.00 ✓
490925085	CHANDLER	AR	A	FR	AA3 MALVERN	D	Y	OFF	N	N	F	WH	12.00	4.00	4.00 ✓
431373713	CHASE	AR	A	FR	AST3	D	Y	OFF	N	N	M	WH	9.00	4.00	4.00
432651396	CLARK	AR	A	FR	AST2	D	Y	OFF	N	N	M	WH	6.00	4.00	4.00
432690701	COLLIE	AR	A	FR	AA3 MALVERN	D	Y	OFF	N	N	F	WH	13.00	4.00	4.00 ✓
449783184	COOMER	AR	A	SO	AA3 MALVERN	D	Y	COMM	N	N	F	WH	43.00	4.00	4.00 ✓
431454513	CRUMBY	AR	A	SO	AA3 MALVERN	D	Y	COMM	N	N	F	WH	50.00	3.94	4.00 ✓
432439718	DAVIS	AR	A	FR	AST3 DAWLSON	D	Y	OFF	N	N	M	WH	33.00	4.00	4.00 ✓
546985364	DUNCAN	AR	A	FR	ACT3 BEYTON	D	Y	OFF	N	N	F	WH	27.00	4.00	4.00 ✓
430437484	GRIGGBY	AR	A	SO	AA3	D	Y	OFF	N	N	M	WH	43.00	3.72	4.00
429557515	HARRIS	AR	A	FR	PR2 BRATTSVILLE	D	Y	OFF	N	N	F	WH	41.00	4.00	4.00
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431672275	KINDER	AR	A	FR	PR2 BEYTON	D	Y	OFF	N	N	F	WH	23.00	4.00	4.00 ✓
431118432	LAMBERTUS	AR	A	FR	AA3	D	Y	OFF	N	N	F	WH	9.00	4.00	4.00
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432139517	ROYS	AR	A	SO	MGM3 MALVERN	D	Y	COMM	N	N	F	WH	51.00	3.88	4.00 ✓
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432087411	WILLIAMS	AR	A	FR	ACT3	D	Y	OFF	N	N	F	WH	9.00	4.00	4.00
430694159	WILLIAMS	AR	A	SO	AA3 MALVERN	D	Y	OFF	N	N	F	WH	46.00	3.54	4.00 ✓

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Dean's List

I.D.	Name	Address	City	St Zip	Telephone	Maj	Stat	Div
463257931	ANKRUM	WILLIAM, S	RT 3 BOX 402A	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-332-8479	CIS3 A	D ✓
429417207	ARNOLD	TOMMY, D	RT. 3, BOX 140	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-332-2912	AA3 A	D
429730269	BALBY	BRIAN, N	823 SCHOOL ST.	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-4467	AA3 A	D ✓
432496951	BARGER	JOSHUA, P	P.O. BOX 4549	LITTLE ROCK	AR 72203	501-847-4436	ELE3 A	D ✓
430537625	BAYLESS	KIMBERLY, A	719 VIRGINIA AVE	BAUKITE	AR 72011	501-602-2057	ACT3 A	D
431332060	CARTER	LORETTA, F	P.O. BOX 141	PRATTSVILLE	AR 72129	501-699-4762	PN2 A	D ✓
429379930	CHARLTON	HOWARD, A	12000 DAWSON EAST	BENTON	AR 72015	501-315-8485	CIS3 A	D ✓
429598935	CLARDY	VANESSA, R	RT 3 BOX 356	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-0226	AA3 A	D
560291782	CLARK	TERRY, L	RT 3 BOX 1484	DONALDSON	AR 71941	501-304-5259	AOT3 A	D
439476465	COOK	KIMBERLY, G	2801 TWIN RIVER DRIVE #8	ARKADELPHIA	AR 71923	501-230-1407	AOT3 A	D ✓
430135116	DRAPER	CATHIE, L	609 FAIRVIEW	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-332-5234	ACT3 A	D ✓
431350854	FIELDS	KIMBERLY, D	P. O. BOX 952	BENTON	AR 72015	501-315-1441	AA3 G	D ✓
429473656	FORD	JAMES, D	RT 1 BOX 242-1	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-332-6890	AA3 A	D
430299606	GLOVER	REBECCA, L	P.O. BOX 26134	LITTLE ROCK	AR 72221	501-350-0927	CIS3 A	D ✓
431897798	GUPTA	BINIT, K	1412 PINE STREET, APT.2	ARKADELPHIA	AR 71923	501-246-7933	AA3 A	D ✓
432679806	HALL	AMANDA, L	2801 TWIN RIVERS APT.56	ARKADELPHIA	AR 71923	501-246-8936	PN2 A	D ✓
431654388	HAMILTON	DANA, M	2201 PLEASURE DRIVE	BENTON	AR 72015	501-847-2203	AOT3 A	D ✓
226829495	HANKINS	LAURIE, R	718 SULPHUR SPRINGS RD#A1	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-332-2804	AOT3 A	D ✓
432612845	HARRIS	RUSSELL, W	1838 CENTER ST.	ARKADELPHIA	AR 71923	870-245-3919	ELE3 A	D ✓
445708464	HOLDEN	MICHELLE, R	RT 8 BOX 409	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-9069	PN2 A	D ✓
431618294	HONEYCUTT	MISTY, L	RT 4 BOX 920 A1	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-332-7197	UND A	D ✓
429517692	KIRTLEY	MAGGIE, L	10021 REED RD.	ALEXANDER	AR 72002	501-794-3605	AA3 A	D ✓
432570587	LOYD	JOHNNIE, F	615 GARLAND ST #17	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-1937	AOT3 A	D ✓
429473566	MCCLOUD	BRIAN, L	RT. 3, BOX 495-A	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-9363	ELE3 A	D ✓
430413926	MILLER	TIMOTHY, A	1214 MCHENRY	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-332-3605	CR2 A GR	D ✓
431110653	MOORE	SANDRA, B	8133 ZUBER RD.	BENTON	AR 72015	501-794-3389	AOT3 A	D ✓
439509506	MOYNIHAN	NORMA, J	308 LAKE DR.	JONES MILL	AR 72105	501-844-4030	AOT3 G	D ✓
429699213	NIX	MELISSA, G	RT 2 BOX 599	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-0425	ACT3 A	D ✓
431253490	NVARO	TAMMY	P.O. BOX 315	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-4714	AA3 A	D
431291016	PARKER	REBEKAH, G	825 SULPHUR SPRINGS RD#39	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-1580	PN2 A	D ✓
431654138	PATE	STEPHANIE, B	P.O. BOX 132	LEOLA	AR 72084	501-765-2467	CIS3 A	D
431272434	RAMSEY	CHARLES, M	RT 3, BOX 306	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-3304	CIS3 A	D
432272190	RICHERSON	ANGELA, K	2801 TWIN RIVERS DR. #33	ARKADELPHIA	AR 71923	501-245-3683	AA3 A	D ✓
431336670	RIMMER	DIANNA, S	RT 2 BOX 591-1	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-332-4485	AA3 A	D ✓
429678071	SCHRADER	LEE, C	102 INDIAN HILLS DRIVE	HOT SPRINGS	AR 71913	501-624-4339	IMT3 A	D ✓
431215217	SHEPHERD	CARLA, D	5318 HWY 5, NORTH	BRYANT	AR 72022	501-847-0020	AOT2 A	D
429574353	SIMMONS	AMY, D	107 BABCOCK TERRACE	MALVERN	AR 72104	501-337-7550	AA3 A	D ✓
431867625	SMITH	JERRY	158 MOSLEY RD	ARKADELPHIA	AR 71923	870-246-3967	ELE3 A	D ✓
429136639	TAYLOR	WANDA, M	315 PARK LANE	BENTON	AR 72015	501-315-1160	CAT2 A	D ✓
429929753	THAXTON	CHRIS, L	8006 ILLINOIS ST.	LITTLE ROCK	AR 72227	501-225-0493	CIS3 A	D ✓

Total Listed: 41



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OTC Foundation funds grant to encourage the teaching of Arkansas history

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Specifically, the grant is designed to help instructors in the OTC service area who are affected by the recently mandated teaching of Arkansas history in the public schools under General Assembly Act 787 of 1997. With the new law, some public school teachers might be asked to teach a unit or a semester of material with which they are unfamiliar. OTC encourages instructors in Clark, Dallas, Grant, Hot Spring, and Saline counties to enroll in HISTORY 2143 to improve their Arkansas History teaching skills. The course, taught by full-time OTC instructor, Dr. Marvin Schultz, emphasizes the diverse cultures of Arkansas, which will help instructors meet a specific requirement of ACT 787.

The OTC Foundation grant provides tuition, fees, and books for one teacher from each of the fifteen school districts in the OTC service area. Public school teachers who are interested in applying for the grant for the Summer 1998 semester are encouraged to contact Ouachita Technical College.

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The OTC Foundation grant ~~will~~ provide the tuition, fees, and books for one teacher from each of the fifteen school districts in the OTC service area. ~~OTC is currently accepting nominations and applications for the grant.~~ Public school teachers who ~~might~~ are interested in applying for the grant for the Summer 1998 term are encouraged to contact OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE. @ _____

GRANT ANNOUNCEMENT

A grant to help improve the teaching of Arkansas history in the public schools of Clark, Dallas, Grant, Hot Spring, and Saline counties.

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Specifically, the grant is designed to help instructors in the OTC service area who are affected by the recently mandated teaching of Arkansas history in the public schools under General Assembly ACT 787 of 1997. With the new law, some public school teachers might be asked to teach a unit or a semester of material with which they are unfamiliar. Ouachita Technical College is hopeful that those teachers will consider enrolling in HISTORY 2143. For their convenience, the class is being offered once a week, on Monday evenings from 6:00 to 8:50, and the course syllabus takes into account the work load that teachers carry during the academic year. In addition, the course will emphasize the diverse cultures of Arkansas, which will help teachers meet a specific requirement of ACT 787. Finally, the OTC Foundation Grant will provide the tuition, fees, and books for one teacher from each of the fifteen school districts in the OTC service area. Deadline for grant applications is December 19, 1997, with the awards to be announced by January 5, 1998. The class begins on January 12, 1998.

Dr. Marvin Schultz, a full-time faculty member of Ouachita Technical College, will be teaching the course. He holds a Doctor of Philosophy degree in American History from Texas Christian University and has taught state history in Tennessee and Texas. Dr. Schultz has published instructors' manuals and a test bank for major college history textbooks in addition to writing journal articles and encyclopedia entries on a number of topics. Since moving to Malvern, Dr. Schultz has presented several conference papers on Arkansas history, most recently at the Arkansas Historical Association Meeting earlier this year.

If you are interested in applying for the grant, or if you wish to nominate an individual for the grant, please contact:

Dr. Marvin Schultz
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Ouachita Technical College
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Malvern, Arkansas 72104
(501) 332-3658, Extension 51
mschultz@otc1.otc.tec.ar.us

Selection of new officers to officially take office in January 1998 will need to be made at the next meeting. Ms. Etienne urged Mr. Poston to consider accepting the Chair position again. Mr. Tackett stated he would prefer to serve as a member only. Ms. McCrackin is willing to serve as Treasurer, Vice Chair, or wherever needed.

Dr. Marvin Schultz prepared and submitted a grant proposal to the Foundation Executive Council which he had hoped to present at the Foundation Retreat. The proposal is entitled, *A Grant Proposal for the Purpose of Improving the Teaching of Arkansas History in the Public Schools of Clark, Dallas, Grant, Hot Spring, and Benton Counties*. Dr. Schultz said due to recent legislation a group of teachers are being asked to teach an Arkansas History class which they were not required to take to get a history degree. He said the Foundation could provide a real service by offering scholarships for teachers to take the course at OTC beginning in the 1998 Spring Semester.

Ms. Etienne expressed full support of the proposal presented by Dr. Schultz. Mr. Tackett asked if this will be an annual proposal, and Dr. Schultz stated it will probably be done for at least the next two or three years and then the focus will shift to e-mail and Internet courses. Mr. Tackett made a motion, seconded by Ms. McCrackin, and passed unanimously, to approve a grant to provide Foundation scholarships to assist teachers in getting the skills to teach Arkansas History in the public schools. Mr. Tackett suggested getting the newspaper to interview Dr. Schultz for a possible article advertising the availability of this history course.

The meeting adjourned at 1:10 p.m. The next Foundation Executive Council meeting will be held on Thursday, January 15, 1998, at 12:00 noon, to be followed in the evening with a full Foundation Board meeting beginning at 5:30 p.m.

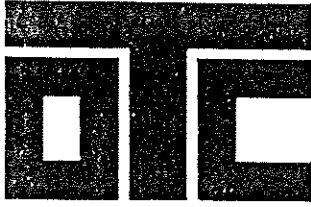
Respectfully submitted by:

Lamonica McCrackin, Foundation Board Secretary

Date Approved

Prepared by: Betty Lawless, OTC
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Date



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Tenneco Foam contributes \$1000 to OTC CWE

Tenneco Foam Plant Manager, Ron Hobbs, recently presented a \$1000 check to the Ouachita Technical College Center for Workforce Excellence Director, Frank Opitz. The money will be used by the CWE Department to support programs, purchase new equipment and provide training to enhance multiple industries throughout the state. Dr. Ken Martin, President of OTC, and Christi Etienne, Director of Development at OTC also attended the presentation.

For release to the Malvern Daily Record, Sentinel Record, and the Arkansas Democrat-Gazette

Who - Tennaco Foam and Ouachita Technical College Center for Workforce Excellence Department

What - Contribution of \$1,000

When - Friday, January 23, 1998 at 1:00 p.m.

Where - Tennaco Foam Front Entrance

Why - The OTC Center for Workforce Excellence Department under the direction of Frank Opitz asked for a contribution from Tennaco to support programs and training given by the CWE department. (Please call Frank Opitz for more information for article.)

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Plant
Manager
Ron Hobbs

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October 4, 1997

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HOPE SCHOLARSHIP, TAX BREAKS CUT COST OF COLLEGE

The new HOPE Scholarship and other features included in the federal Tax Relief Act of 1997 promise to make an education at Ouachita Technical College an even better bargain this spring than it has been in the past.

Technically not a "scholarship" but a tax-credit, the HOPE legislation allows eligible students pursuing the first two years of postsecondary education to receive a tax credit for 100 percent of the first \$1000 of tuition and fees and 50 percent of the second \$1000 on their federal income tax. A tax **credit** means a deduction from your tax liability which is much better than a tax **deduction**.

"If you owe \$500 in taxes and you have a \$200 tax credit, you will owe only \$300 in taxes," says Dr. Roger Coomer, Dean of Finance and Administration at Ouachita Technical College.

Students must be enrolled at least half-time (6 credit hours) in a degree, certificate, or other program leading to a recognized education credential to receive the credit. The measure takes effect January 1, 1998, and applies to education provided in academic periods beginning after that date. Students wishing to receive the tax credit for the spring semester should wait until after January 1 to pay their tuition and fees.

HOPE does come with a few strings attached. Individual filers who earn more than \$50,000, and joint filers with adjusted gross income exceeding \$100,000 do not qualify. In addition, students who have been convicted of a felony for the possession or distribution of a controlled substance are ineligible. And students who receive other forms of financial aid such as a Pell Grant will have the amount of their eligibility for HOPE reduced by the amount of aid they receive.

For additional information about the HOPE tax-credit and other new education related tax benefits, contact OTC's Financial Aid Officer at (501)332-3658.

(MODEL NEWS RELEASE TO PROMOTE HOPE SCHOLARSHIP)

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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The new HOPE Scholarship and other features included in the federal Tax Relief Act of 1997 promise to make an education at (Blank ^{etc} College) an even better bargain this spring than it has been in the past.

College officials say the new incentives could also help boost enrollments among both younger and returning students. (Quote from president or other official on expected impact.)

Technically not a "scholarship" but a tax-credit, the HOPE legislation allows eligible students pursuing the first two years of postsecondary education to receive a tax credit for 100 percent of the first \$1,000 of tuition and fees and 50 percent of the second \$1,000 on their federal income tax. Students must be enrolled at least half-time (6 credit hours) in a degree, certificate or other program leading to a recognized education credential. The measure takes effect January 1, 1998, and applies to education provided in academic periods beginning after that date.

(Add information on any special events or activities planned by the college to increase awareness of the new tax benefits.)

The Clinton Administration has made the HOPE Scholarship the centerpiece of its 1997 education/tax-cut package, vowing to make the first two years of college the new standard for U.S. students. The tax credit is one of a series of measures aimed at making a college education affordable to the majority of low- and middle-income citizens.

HOPE does come with a few strings attached. Individual filers who earn more than \$50,000, and joint filers with adjusted gross income exceeding \$100,000 do not qualify. In addition, students who have been convicted of a felony for the possession or distribution of a controlled substance are ineligible. And students who receive other forms of financial aid such as a Pell Grant will have the amount of their eligibility for HOPE reduced by the amount of aid they receive.

OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE

DEAN'S LIST

STUDENT NAME	COUNTY
Stacey M. Frazier	Clark
Brian M. Jones	Clark
Pamela A. Lemons	Clark
Melanie D. Lewis	Clark
Jennifer L. Pickle	Clark
Neil S. Washington	Garland
Tara L. Anderson ✓	Hot Spring
Brian N. Bailey ✓	Hot Spring
Oliver D. Caldwell ✓	Hot Spring
Lee J. Campbell ✓	Hot Spring
Susan F. Covey ✓	Hot Spring
Rhonda L. Crumby ✓	Hot Spring
Cathie L. Draper ✓	Hot Spring
James L. Draper ✓	Hot Spring
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Richard L. Hill ✓	Hot Spring
Tracy M. Holder ✓	Hot Spring
Angela M. Holyfield ✓	Hot Spring
Dana M. Huckaby ✓	Hot Spring
Wendell K. Kratz ✓	Hot Spring
Karen M. Lee ✓	Hot Spring
Jessica E. Lentini ✓	Hot Spring
Brian W. Martin ✓	Hot Spring
Brian L. McCloud ✓	Hot Spring
Timothy A. Miller ✓	Hot Spring
Melissa G. Nix ✓	Hot Spring
Patricia A. Ross ✓	Hot Spring
Andy R. Selph ✓	Hot Spring
Amy D. Simmons ✓	Hot Spring
Martin E. Sparling Jr. ✓	Hot Spring
Jimmy R. Spurlin ✓	Hot Spring
Martha L. Walton ✓	Hot Spring
Curtis J. Wiggins ✓	Hot Spring
Sarah E. Williams ✓	Hot Spring
Julie M. Wilson ✓	Hot Spring

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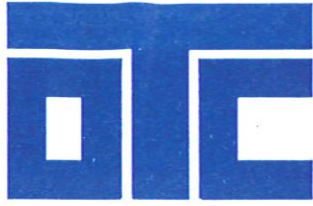
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PRESIDENT'S LIST

*4.0 fees
Semester GPA*

NAME	COUNTY
Mark Godwin	Garland
Kelly D. Beverage	Grant
Katherine M. Edwards	Grant
Sandra C. Wallace	Grant
Freddy L. Winston	Grant
Elizabeth Beard	Hot Spring
Darrell R. Boles	Hot Spring
Mandi L. Burnett	Hot Spring
Terry L. Clark	Hot Spring
Deborah A. Coomer	Hot spring
Hollye P. Driskill	Hot Spring
Stacie Efurd	Hot Spring
Julia Galloway	Hot Spring
Debbie Gullett	Hot Spring
Melissa L. Lishbrook	Hot Spring
Wesley C. McDaniel	Hot Spring
Norma J. Moynihan	Hot spring
Ryan M. Orlando	Hot Spring
Stephen L. Paul	Hot Spring
Bronte Richardson	Hot Spring
Berry K. Simpkins	Hot Spring
Shana M. Tuberville	Saline
Linda G. Westbrook	Saline



Ouachita Technical College

To: Shira
From: Amber

For Immediate Release
July 9, 1997

Contact: Amber Lindsey
(501) 332-3658

OTC Adult Ed to hold commencement exercises

The Adult Education Department of Ouachita Technical College will hold their annual spring graduation commencement exercises Friday, July 11, 1997, at 7:00 p.m. in the John W. Cole Student Center at Ouachita Technical College. There are 73 graduates in the 1997 graduating class. The graduates include: **Billy Adams, Joshua Bennett, Amber Bishop, Patty Brown, T.J. Brown, Kristina Chira, Laura Christiansen, Stephanie Christie, Angela Collie, Carmen Crawford, Crystal Denham, Andrea Doss, Brian Doss, Judy Foster, Jennifer Guthrie, Tara Heinley, Angela Hightower, Ron D. Hill, Tommy Hobbs, Barbara Hughes, Cynthia Hughes, Layten Hughes, Shawna Hughes, Tammy Hughes, Leslie Jennings, Travis Johnson, Michelle Kidder, Adam S. Landreth, Samantha Lawson, Margo Lesure, Brandy Lum, Andre Luton, Pamela Massey, Melissa McDaniel, Shane McKinnon, April Miller, Rebecca Ormes, Charlotte Page, William Parker, Matthew Peter, James Pettus, Troy Putman, Richard Ragland, Daniel Ramey, Gary Ramsey, Michael Ramsey, Sarah Ray, Kathy Reddin, Sarah Reed, Pam Rogers, Serena Ross, Theresa Russenberger, Lisa Simmons, Barry Simpkins, Josh Spence, Shannon Steier, Altrice Stennis, Jennifer Sutterfield, Tina Trent, Kendall Tucker, Anita Walker, Amanda Walton, Ralph Alan Warford, Malcolm Washington, Stephen White, Pamela Williams, Rhonda Williams, and Tonya Woosley.**

The guest speaker for the evening will be Dr. Dale Jordan. Dr. Jordan is the founder of the Jordan Diagnostic Center in Oklahoma City, OK, served as director of the Jones Learning Center at the University of the Ozarks, and taught as graduate faculty in adult education at the University of Arkansas in Little Rock. He was co-developer of the *D'Nealian* writing program for Scott Foresman and Company. He

has been featured in numerous film and video cassette training programs from Indiana University, Ohio State University, Marshall University, Kentucky Education Television, and Arkansas Educational Telecommunications Network, Through Modern Education Corporation and PRO-ED, Jordan has written a series of special education materials including *Overcoming Dyslexia in Children, Adolescents, and Adults and Attention Deficit Disorder: ADHD and ADD Syndromes*.

OTC Adult Education Graduation —

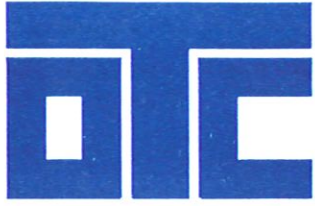
Guest Speaker →
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Dale Jordan was born in 1931 in the middle of the dust bowl of the American southwest. His childhood education was in a one-room rural school where he experienced small group learning, peer tutoring, and an informal type of individualized instruction. His undergraduate degree was in English and philosophy at Oklahoma Baptist University. Following a European tour of duty in the U.S. Army, Jordan earned a master's degree in elementary education at Oklahoma State University. In 1957 he began several years of classroom teaching when there were no special programs for struggling learners. This hands-on experience with learning differences eventually led him to the University of Oklahoma where he earned a Ph.D. in educational psychology and reading education. During his doctoral studies, Jordan began researching LD patterns in prison populations, the military, and the workplace. He joined the editorial staff of the Economy Company to produce an acclaimed basal reading program. He spent several years as director of a university reading clinic where he developed field-based experiences for reading teachers with dyslexic learners. In 1973 Jordan established a private practice in diagnosing and treating learning disabilities. For 17 years the Jordan Diagnostic Center in Oklahoma City worked with struggling learners from around the world. In 1990 Jordan moved to Arkansas to be director of the Jones Learning Center at the University of the Ozarks. In 1993 he joined the graduate faculty in adult education at the University of Arkansas in Little Rock.

Throughout his career, Jordan has been a prolific author and workshop presenter. In 1972 he published the landmark study *Dyslexia in the Classroom* with Charles E. Merrill. He

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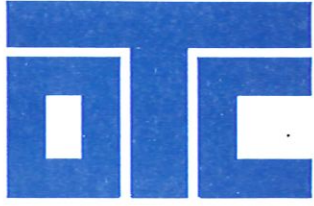
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The Ouachita Technical College Board of Trustees Building Committee will meet Friday, July 11, 1997, at 10:30 a.m. in Room 4. The public is invited to attend.



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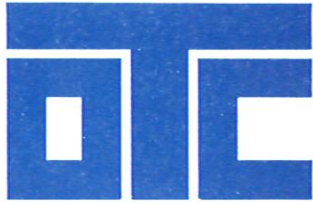
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OTC sets 1997 Fall Registration

Walk-in registration for the 1997 Fall Semester at Ouachita Technical College will be **July 7 - 24, 1997**. General registration will be held **Tuesday, August 12, 1997**, from 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. in the John W. Cole Student Center.

New student orientation will be held Monday, **August 11, 1997**. Classes begin Monday, **August 18**. The last day to register or add a class at OTC is Friday, **August 22**.

Tuition is \$38.00 per semester credit hour plus applicable fees. For more information, call (501)332-3658 or (800)337-0266.



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Students named to the Dean's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and achieved a 3.50 grade point average for the semester. Those named to the Dean's List include Saline County residents: **Joshua P. Barger**, **Paula L. Bottoms**, **Kimberly D. Fields**, **Jeffrey R. Glover**, **Laurie R. Hankins**, **Maggie L. Kirtley**, **Anna J. Masoner**, and **Sandra B. Moore**.



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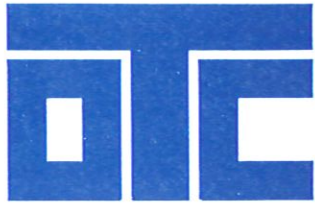
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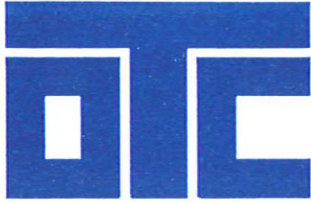
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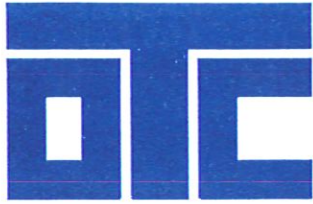
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Students on the Dean's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and have a GPA of 3.50 or higher with no grades below a "C". The following students achieving the OTC Dean's List from Hot Spring County are: Paul Burnett, Oliver Caldwell, Michael Chastain, Susan Covey, Melissa Crabtree, Cathie Draper, Stacie Efurd, John Grigsby, Tracy Holder, Wendell Kratz, Brian Martin, Lloyd Melton, Timothy Miller, Bobbie Morrison, Norma Moynihan, Ashley Newell, Patricia Ross, Andy Selph, Martin Sparling, Jr., Jenny Stafford, Lori Stafford, Jason Stephens, Curtis Wiggins, Mary Beth Willix, and Julie Wilson.



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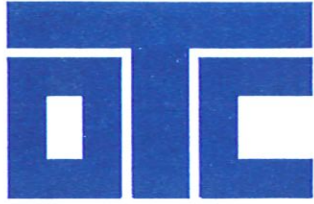
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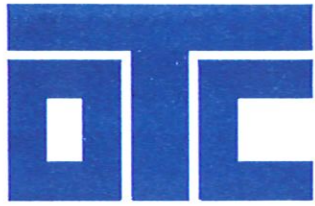
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Students on the Dean's List have earned 12 or more credit hours in college level courses and have a GPA of 3.50 or higher with no grades below a "C". The following students achieving the OTC Dean's List from Grant County are: Jennifer Benning and Tracy Morrison.



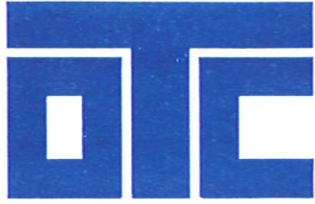
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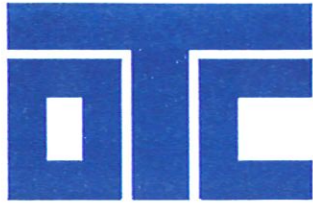
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
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interoffice

MEMORANDUM

to: Faculty and Student Services Staff
from: L. Johnson 
subject: President's and Dean's Lists
date: December 20, 1996

The following OTC students are announced as having achieved the **President's List**. These students who were enrolled in twelve or more college level hours for the semester completed the Fall 1996 semester with a GPA of 4.0.

~~Hot Spring County~~

~~Darrell Boles
Brandi Butler
Rhonda Crumby
Karen Draper
Julia Galloway
Brenda Hardwick
Olga Jester
Melissa Lishbrook
Brontie Richardson
Barry Simpkins
Martha Walton~~

~~Grant County~~

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John Griggs
Tammy Tucker
Sandra Wallace
Freddy Winston~~

~~Clark County~~

~~Dan Leamons~~

~~Pulaski County~~

~~Joshua Barger~~

~~Saline County~~

~~Micheal Smith~~

The following OTC students are announced as having achieved the **Dean's List**. These students who were enrolled in twelve or more college level hours for the semester completed the Fall 1996 semester with a GPA of 3.50 to 3.99.

~~Hot Spring County~~

~~Paul Burnett
Oliver Caldwell
Micheal Chastain
Susan Covey
Melissa Crabtree
Cathie Draper
Stacie Efurd
John Grigsby
Tracy Holder
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~~Hot Spring County cont'd~~

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Lori Stafford
Jason Stephens
Curtis Wiggins
Mary Beth Willix
Julie Wilson~~

~~Garland County~~

~~Mark Godwin~~

~~Grant County~~

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~~Saline County~~

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Matt Hogue~~

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Four Area Residents Graduate from OTC

Commencement exercises for the 1997 graduating class of Ouachita Technical College in Malvern were held Friday, May 9. Four Clark County residents were among the graduates.

Chelitha Hearn received an Associate of Arts degree, Ty Alan Woodson received a Technical Certificate in Computer Repair, Stacey M. Frazier received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Automated Office Technology, and Roshanda Yvonne Helms received a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications Technology.

Area Residents Receive Awards at OTC

Several Clark County residents recently received awards at Ouachita Technical College's Annual Awards Ceremony. Melanie Robinson-Lewis was named the 1997 Outstanding Student of the Year for the Nursing Department. Chelitha Hearn was recognized as the Outstanding Club Representative for the Black Students' Association. Stephanie Jean Hathcock and Gloria Dean Langley were the recipients of two \$250 scholarships awarded by the OTC Foundation to OTC students for the fall semester. Langley also received a Presidential Scholarship for academic achievement. The Presidential Scholarship is funded by the OTC Foundation for one year's tuition.

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Two Area Residents Graduate from OTC

Commencement exercises for the 1997 graduating class of Ouachita Technical College in Malvern were held Friday, May 9. Two Dallas County residents were among the graduates.

James Thomas Amason received an Associate of Applied Science in Diesel Service Technology degree, Pamela Ann Lemons received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting and a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications Technology.

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Three Area Residents Graduate from OTC

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Micheal Smith received an Associate of Arts degree, Jeffrey Ray Glover received an Associate of Applied Science in Diesel Service Technology degree, and Douglas B. Hollowell received an Associate of Applied Science in Manufacturing Technology with an emphasis in Industrial Electronics.

Area Residents Receive Awards at OTC

Saline County residents Sandra Moore and Nick Ramsey recently received scholarships at Ouachita Technical College's Annual Awards Ceremony. The \$250 scholarships were awarded by the OTC Foundation and presented to eight OTC students for the fall semester. Also from Saline County, Clark (Corky) Allen was the recipient of the 1997 Outstanding Support Staff Member of the Year.

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Pulaski County Resident Graduates from OTC

Commencement exercises for the 1997 graduating class of Ouachita Technical College in Malvern were held Friday, May 9. One Pulaski County resident was among the graduates.

Jimmie Lee Jones received an Associate of Applied Science in Manufacturing Technology degree with an emphasis in Industrial Electronics and an Associate of Applied Science in Manufacturing Technology with an emphasis in Industrial Equipment Maintenance.

Technology, Martha L. Walton received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting, Lynda M. Willingham received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting and a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications Technology, Mary Beth Willix received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting and a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications Technology, Brandi DeShay Butler received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Automated Office Technology, Karla Gay Hill received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Automated Office Technology, Olga W. Jester received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Automated Office Technology, Jennifer R. Stafford received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Automated Office Technology, Sharon Ann Markham received a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications Technology, Jennifer Lee Miller received a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications Technology, Albert J. Williams received a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications Technology, Donna Renae Caradine received a Technical Certificate in Automated Office Technology, and Carol Ann Hunter received a Technical Certificate in Automated Office Technology.

OTC Presents Awards

Numerous Hot Spring County residents were recently recognized at Ouachita Technical College's Annual Awards Ceremony. Melissa Lishbrook was named the 1997 Outstanding Student of the Year for the BOIST Department, and Jimmy Whitley was named the 1997 Outstanding Student of the Year for the Applied Science Department. Four students were recognized as Outstanding Club Representatives. They include Mary Beth Willix and Olga Jester of Phi Beta Lambda, Von Michael of Student Government Association, and Karen Draper of Student Nurses' Association. Bobbie Sue Morrison, Vanessa Clardy, and Elizabeth Pearl Beard were the recipients of three \$250 scholarships awarded by the OTC Foundation to OTC students for the fall semester. Beard also received a Presidential Scholarship for academic achievement. The Presidential Scholarship is funded by the OTC Foundation for one year's tuition. OTC graduate, Tommy Finley, was awarded the 1997 Henderson State University President's Scholarship. Also from Malvern, Lynette Smith was named OTC's 1997 Faculty Member of the Year, and Amber Lindsey was named OTC's 1997 Administrator/Professional Staff Member of the Year.

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Thirty HSC Residents Graduate from OTC

Commencement exercises for the 1997 graduating class of Ouachita Technical College in Malvern were held Friday, May 9. Thirty Hot Spring County residents were among the graduates.

Tommy Gene Finley received an Associate of Arts degree, Russell R. Huckaby received an Associate of Arts degree, Curtis J. Wiggins received an Associate of Arts degree, Wesley C. McDaniel received an Associate of Applied Science in Automotive Service Technology degree, Jack Garrett received an Associate of Applied Science in Manufacturing Technology with an emphasis in Industrial Equipment Maintenance, Jimmy D. Whitley received an Associate of Applied Science in Manufacturing Technology with an emphasis in Industrial Equipment Maintenance, Deborah Lynn Gammill Gullett received an Associate of Applied Science in Computer Information Systems Technology and a Technical Certificate in Computer Repair, Wendell K. Kratz received an Associate of Applied Science in Computer Information Systems Technology, Andy Robert Selph received an Associate of Applied Science in Computer Information Systems Technology, Timothy Austin Miller received a Technical Certificate in Computer Repair, David Michael Bohnet received a Technical Certificate in Professional Cooking, Billy Wayne Hardwick received a Technical Certificate in Machine Tool, James P. Bearden received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting, Felicia M. Elam-Carter received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting, Diana Michelle Fitzhugh received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting, Brenda A. Hardwick received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting, Tracy L. Keller received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting, Melissa Lee Lishbrook received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Accounting and a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications

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Kelly Dee Beverage received an Associate of Arts degree, Sandra Carroll Wallace received an Associate of Arts degree, and Katherine Mechelle Edwards received a Technical Certificate in Computer Applications Technology.

Area Residents Receive Awards at OTC

Grant County resident Kelly Beverage and Deborah St. Clair recently received awards at Ouachita Technical College's Annual Awards Ceremony. St. Clair was the recipient of one of eight \$250 scholarships awarded by the OTC Foundation to OTC students for the fall semester. Beverage was named the 1997 Outstanding Student of the Year for the General Education Department as well as the 1997 Outstanding Student of the Year for the entire college. She was also recognized as the Outstanding Club Representative for the Alpha Omega Sigma chapter of Phi Theta Kappa.

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Three Area Residents Graduate from OTC

Commencement exercises for the 1997 graduating class of Ouachita Technical College in Malvern were held Friday, May 9. Three Garland County residents were among the graduates.

Jon Scott Matlock received an Associate of Applied Science in Manufacturing Technology with an emphasis in Machine Tool Technology and a Technical Certificate in Machine Tool, Debra L. Ford received a Technical Certificate in Industrial Electronics, and Wendy E. Steiskal received an Associate of Applied Science in Business Information Technology with an emphasis in Automated Office Technology.

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Faulkner County Resident Graduates from OTC

Commencement exercises for the 1997 graduating class of Ouachita Technical College in Malvern were held Friday, May 9. One Faulkner County resident was among the graduates.

Danna K. Weaver received an Associate of Applied Science in Manufacturing Technology degree with an emphasis in Industrial Equipment Maintenance.