

NEWSLETTER

Upcoming Events

Friday, May 9

7:30 p.m.

The Center for
Rural Development

Monday, May 13

8:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Open

Registration for
Re-Admits, Transfers,
Visiting Students

Tuesday, May 14

Summer Term Begins

Wednesday, May 21

7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Open

House for adults
interested in attending
college, Laurel Campus
North, Bldg. #2, Room
206

Saturday, May 31

11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Governor's Minority
Student College
Preparatory Program
Kick-Off

SCC student
Isaac Mills of Corbin
wins national
Physical Therapist
Assistant Award



See SCC Webpage

http://www.somerset.kctcs.edu/news/NEWS_CorbinStudentPTAaward.html



SCC dedicates
37-flag display
representing the
cultural heritage of
employees and
students

See SCC Webpage

http://www.somerset.kctcs.edu/news/NEWS_37flagdisplay.html

*SCC hosts 6th Annual
Arnow Conference on
Appalachian Literature
and Culture*



See SCC Webpage

http://www.somerset.kctcs.edu/news/NEWS_6thArnowConference.html



SCC's David Evans named New Century Scholar and top community college student in Kentucky

See SCC Webpage

www.somerset.kctcs.edu/news/NEWS_TopCC_Student_America.html

SCC Physical Therapist Assistant Program earns #1 Ranking Nationally

The Somerset Community College chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, Omicron Zeta, was honored as the Distinguished Chapter of the Year at the 2008 Kentucky Regional Phi Theta Kappa Convention on March 8-9



SCC named one of Top 25 Best Large Places to Work in Kentucky for third time in four years

See SCC Webpage

www.somerset.kctcs.edu/news/NEWS_16thBestPlaceToWork.html

SCC Vocal Ensemble wins Bronze Medal at Days of International Choir Music Festival in Verona, Italy



See SCC Webpage

http://somerset.kctcs.edu/news/NEWS_VocalEnsembleItaly.html

SCC hosts Earth Day Events on Sunday, April 20



A Rotary International Group Student Exchange (GSE) Team from Maharashtra, India, visited Somerset Community College on Tuesday, April 15. The group, which included several doctors, visited the Nursing, Surgical Tech, Radiography, and Physical Therapist Assistant programs at SCC. They also toured the Somerset Campus South where they observed the Cosmetology, Visual Communications, Aviation, and Auto Body programs. The group was served lunch on campus, after which they presented a slide presentation about their country and their culture to SCC faculty, staff, and students.



Rogers calls new SCC causeway connector a “bridge to everywhere”

Fifth District Congressman Harold Rogers was the guest of honor on Friday, March 7, at a



ribbon-cutting ceremony opening the new causeway connecting the Somerset Community College north and south facilities in Somerset. Rogers called the new causeway a “bridge to everywhere.” The dignitaries who gathered for the official ribbon-cutting are shown here from left to right: Larry Abbott, SCC Chief Operations Officer; Cindy Clouse, a member of the SCC Foundation Board of

Directors; Jim Guinn, Quest Engineering; Ben Edelen, Quest Engineering; Charlene S. Harris, Chair of the SCC Board of Directors and President and CEO of First National Bank in Russell Springs; Dr. Jo Marshall, President and CEO of SCC; David Beattie, Kentucky Department of Highways; Clay Parker Davis, Chair of the SCC Foundation Board of Directors and board member of Citizens National Bank in Somerset; Fifth District Congressman Harold Rogers; Steve Branscum, President and CEO of Branscum Construction Company.

SCC celebrates successful \$4.3 million major gifts campaign

Somerset Community College celebrated the successful conclusion of a \$4.3 million major gifts campaign on Friday, March 7. Shown here from left to right are: Fifth District Congressman Hal Rogers; Charlene S. Harris, President and CEO of First National Bank of Russell Springs, Campaign Co-Chair, and Chair of the SCC Board of Directors; Dr. Jo Marshall, President and CEO of SCC; and Clay Parker Davis, Chair of the SCC Foundation, SCC board member and Chair of the Board Campaign.





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Visit our website at www.somerset.kctcs.edu.

So many good things have been happening at Somerset Community College, I almost don't know where to begin. Let me just list a few of the amazing achievements our faculty, staff and students have received in the past few months.



First, your College was selected as one of the Top 25 Best Large Places to Work in Kentucky for the third time in four years.

The editor of *The Bridge*, David Evans, was selected as the New Century Scholar for 2008. In effect, that makes an SCC student the best community college student in Kentucky.

The College completed its *Fulfilling the Promise Campaign*. Thanks to friends like you, SCC was able to raise more than \$4.3 million which will help to make your College even better.

You will see more on this later, but we just received word that Omicron Zeta, the SCC Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa won two Hallmark Awards at the PTK International Convention. They are one of the top 25 chapters in the world.

Our SCC Vocal Ensemble traveled to Verona, Italy, for an international choral festival and brought home a Bronze Medal. This is the second time that the SCC Music Department has brought Somerset an international honor.

Our cup truly runneth over and we are very thankful.