CONHS COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHTS

CONHS Supports Our ECDC Partner

The CONHS faculty and staff joined our partner, the Early Child Development Center (ECDC), to celebrate the ribbon cutting of their newly designated CCISD Pre-K4 school. Later that day, the CONHS passed out candy and Islander leis at the ECDC Trunk-or-Treat.

Star Journey Wellness Event

On Oct 29th, ABSN students participated in the STaR Journey Wellness event. They participated in a FunFit session designed by Kinesiology students, attended teaching/learning sessions offered by College of Education Students, and presented on their own wellness content to other students and the community.
CONHS FACULTY HIGHLIGHTS

SEPTEMBER 5, 2022

Congratulations to Dr. Brenda Buckner for being named the AACN Essentials Champion for CONHS!

NOVEMBER 7, 2022

Congratulations to Dr. Marge Benham-Hutchins for being recognized to have completed her Classroom Peer Observation training conducted by Dr. Diana Ivy, Professor of Communication.
Students in Assistant Clinical Professor, Cathy Harrel’s OB nursing class worked in groups creating Next Gen style “bow tie” questions with the normal newborn content presented by guest lecturer, Assistant Clinical Professor, Leigh Shaver. The students then traded and practiced these questions in class. It was a Boo-tiful start to our Halloween!

Students from Assistant Clinical Professor Shelley Dinkens’ Nursing Success class came to tour the SCLC. They were able to perform various skills, including CPR, NG tube insertions, IV insertions, suctioning an intubated patient, and observed the birthing simulator in action. The SCLC enjoyed having these potential nursing students tour and participate in these hands on learning activities.
The Student Success Office offered a HESI A2 with Critical Thinking Workshop for pre nursing Islanders to provide support and resources to help them prepare for the exam and “be at their best to test”.

BSN Program Coordinator/Assistant Clinical Professor, Rosario Garcia, Faculty in Residence/MSN Program Coordinator, Dr. Heather DeGrande, and Student Success Coordinator, Johanna DuBose, visited the pre-nursing learning community seminar classes. We appreciated the opportunity to connect with pre-nursing Islanders who are on track to start in the nursing program in Fall 2024.
ABSN students participated in a post-operative simulation. They were able to see the importance of continuity of care through this unfolding patient simulation.
CONHS Student Success Office is offering a HESI A2 with critical thinking exam prep workshops to provide test taking strategies and mindfulness techniques.

If you wish to attend these workshops, please pre-register by filling out the form by clicking on this link below. Last date to pre-register is Nov. 8th.

https://tamucc.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2sBEC1SiOmeSR8O

Note: These workshops are for Pre-Nursing Islanders planning to take their HESI A2 with critical thinking exam before Feb 15 Fall 2023 (Deadline for Fall 2023 BSN applications)
SAVE THE DATE

Walk to End Alzheimer's

To contribute to the Walk to End Alzheimer's, SNA has offered the opportunity to start a free team with the Alzheimer’s Association called “Texas A&M Corpus Christi Nursing Students.” I will include the flyer that has all the information of the event and how to sign up as well. As far as the event, the organization asks that everyone wear purple to the event and individuals are encouraged to raise awareness for the event and donations if possible. All students, staff, family, and more are invited to join us in our Walk to End Alzheimer’s!!

To Join/Donate to our Walk: Arrive at 8am.
https://act.alz.org/site/TR?team_id=781348&pg=team&fr_id=15913

To Volunteer for the Walk: Arrive no later than 7:00am.
https://act.alz.org/site/TR?sid=23941&type=fr_informational&pg=informational&fr_id=15913

November 7, 2022

Keep Diabetes at Bay

First Annual 5K Walk/Run

The Coastal Bend Health Education Center is hosting the Diabetes walk. Dr. Tammy McGarity and Dr. Dixie Andelman are both on the CBHEC board. Participation in the walk will benefit the Diabetes Education Program in South Texas.
SAVE THE DATE

Faculty of the Whole Meeting
Tuesday, Nov. 29th
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Large Conference Room

CONHS HSA and SNA Project Collaboration

Food Drive
October 12 through November 16

CONHS HSA and SNA are joining forces to collect non-perishable food items to benefit the Coastal Bend Food Bank.

Drop off locations:
TAMUCC Island Hall Building 2nd & 3rd Floor

Islander Lights

Friday, November 18th
5:00pm – 8:00pm
We welcome your friends, family, and staff to the Islander Lights event. The celebration includes fun, family activities for all ages.

To donate toys, please click on the links below for more information:

The National Society of Leadership and Success (NSLS) Toys for Tots toy drive:
https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1YIDHAHFMKYG?ref_=wl_share

Donation Drive:
NSLS TAMU-CC Toys for Tots 2022 | FSL & NSLS at Texas A&M - Corpus Christi (crowdchange.co)
https://tamucc.crowdchange.co/29042

To order Islander Lights T-shirts, please click on the link below:

Islander Lights t-shirts for sale at:
https://tpg.tamucc.edu/C20207_ustores/web/store_main.jsp?STOREID=59

Please donate!
Newsletter requests can be emailed to Dean’s Office @ CONHS.DeansOffice@tamucc.edu.

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Student Events Activities and Meetings, Skills Lab Activities, Faculty and Staff Accomplishments, and Upcoming Events, "Save the Date" items, etc.