



Job Corps Weekly Newsflash

May 15, 2026

Nurse APPRECIATION WEEK at Shriver!

Celebrating Compassion and Care

Nurses Week is celebrated each year from May 6 to May 12 to honor the dedication, compassion, and hard work of nurses everywhere. The week ends on the birthday of Florence Nightingale, whose legacy continues to inspire the nursing profession today.

Nurses are the heart of healthcare. They care for patients with kindness, strength, and patience during some of life's most difficult moments. Their commitment and compassion make a lasting difference every single day.

A special thank you to the Shriver Job Corps nursing team — Health and Wellness Manager Venessa Francois, Susanna Casey NP, Alexis Duddy RN, Woodjny Elysee LPN. Your dedication, support, and care do not go unnoticed. Thank you for the countless ways you help, heal, and inspire others. Your hard work and compassion make a positive impact on every student and staff member you serve.



Creative Materials Visits Shriver



John Valera, Quality Manager for Creative Materials gave an interesting presentation about his company.

Mr. Valera explained that Creative Materials is a manufacturer and developer of specialty chemical products, headquartered at 12 Willow Road in Ayer, MA that was Founded in 1987, the company specializes in electrically conductive inks, coatings, and adhesives for various industries, including medical, electronics, aerospace, and automotive.

Interested students were able to participate in mini-interview sessions that will them insight into the Creative Materials Organization. Mr. Valera also left the students with a CoOp Intern Job Description and the Tasks need to perform these jobs. He also shared Possible opportunities for programs that his company offers like: EHS and Hybrid.

***Thank you,
Mr. Valera
for your time!***



SGA Fundraiser



STUDENTS DONATE \$5.00 TO THE SGA FUND AT THE STUDENT STORE WITH MS. JEWELL OR SGA TO PARTICIPATE!

EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE ON MAY 20TH FOLLOWING THE AWARD CEREMONY!

Welcome to CPP Kaia!
Taking Charge of her Future!



"We are so happy to welcome Kaia McBride to Shriver Job Corps. She is so excited to shadow her trades next week including carpentry! Make sure to give her a warm welcome when you see her!"



Sr. Day at Shriver

Shriver welcomed students and staff from high schools in the region for our annual Senior Day. The event is done each year to let soon-to-be graduates know about the training we offer at Shriver. On arrival, each guest was given a tour by representatives of our Student Government paired with members of our Admission team before being brought to our Trade Expo in the gym. Here, each of our trades had set up a display to show off what they are learning. The event ended with a cookout lunch for both guests and our current students.





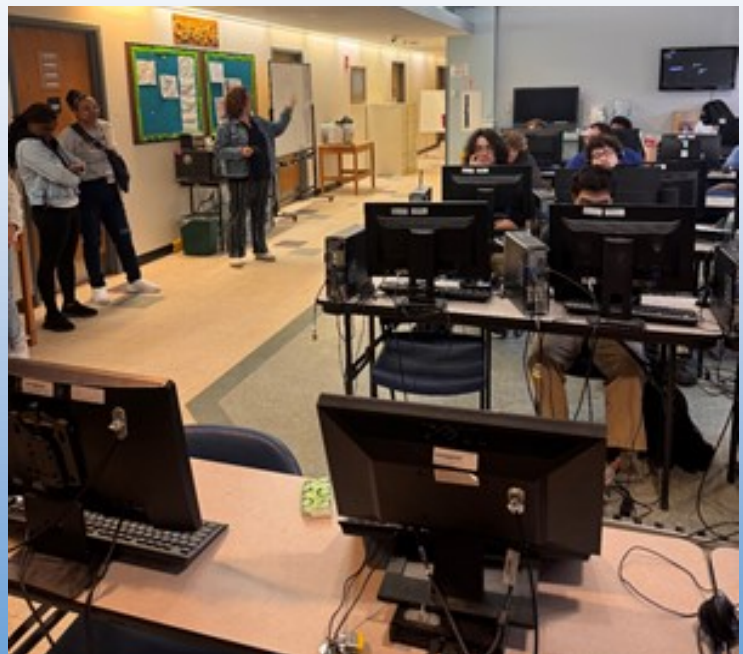
Goodrich Academy

GOODRICH ACADEMY TOURS SHRIVER JOB CORPS



Shriver hosted the staff from Goodrich Academy in Fitchburg for a tour of the center. Shriver and Goodrich recently signed an MOU to provide Career Technical Training to students at Goodrich Academy.

The staff from Goodrich Academy were so impressed with the program, many wanted to apply to Shriver themselves.



UPCOMING Shriver OPPORTUNITIES

TABE For Cash

**Make a level gain and
earn \$25.00!!**

**Earn \$10.00 for all TABE
increases**

**See Mr. Fitzgerald to schedule your test.
Fitzgerald.Lee@jobcorps.org**

Student Achievement Spotlight

CTT Completer

C.N.A.: *Katiana Charles*

Office Administration: *Said Feliciano*

Industry Credentials



CompTIA Network Plus: Cedric Black

OSHA 10 hour: Sadie Beauregard, Christopher Wiley, Kevon Cheeke

MOS: Malachi Maia, Simcha Spritzer, Ziyar Whitelocke, Said Feliciano

High School

Diploma:



**PENN
FOSTER**

Lars Burke

DRIVER'S EDUCATION:

MA PERMIT: Thomas Wright

TABE GAINS.....

NUMERACY:

Edison Pedroza, Tee Mercedes, Rebekah Balbuena,
Jace Rivera, Zoey DeFelice

LITERACY:

Janiah Ancrum, Tee Mercedes, Ayleen Grullon

**YOU ARE
NOT ALONE**

**IT'S OKAY
TO ASK FOR
HELP**

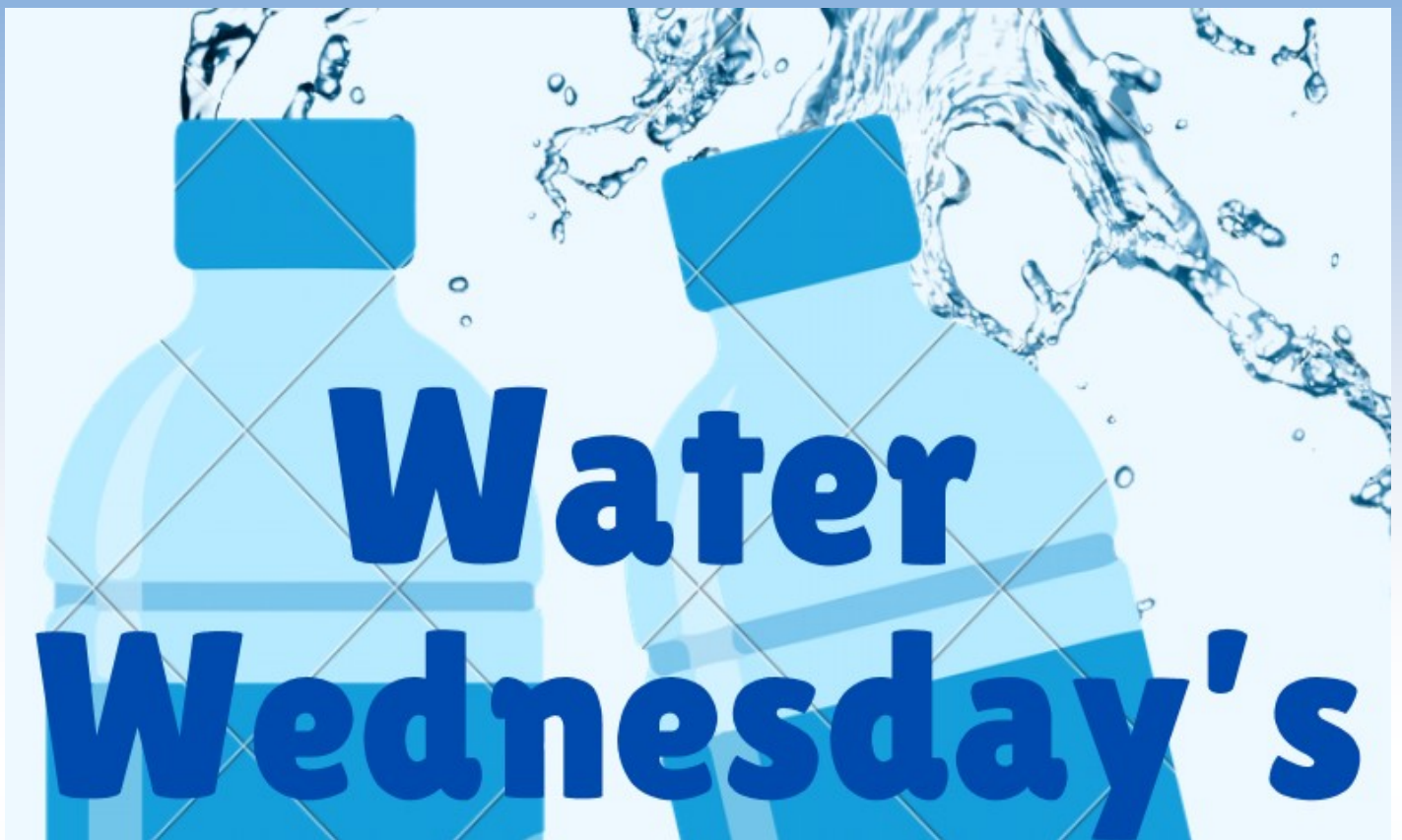


**MENTAL
HEALTH
MATTERS**

**YOUR
FEELINGS
ARE VALID**

**THERE IS
HOPE**

WATER WEDNESDAY'S



We are going to be reintroducing a water only day. We will now be only serving water for Lunch and Dinner on Wednesday's. This is to help promote a healthy lifestyle and to reduce sugar consumption.

At Breakfast will still be serving coffee, tea, juice and milk however, Lunch and Dinner will be water only.

Thank you!

James Long

Food Service Manager



Updates from Human Resources

We're Hiring!

We're looking for dependable, hard-working, and motivated individuals for the following roles:

- Admissions Counselor (Boston-based)
- Licensed Drug & Alcohol (TEAP) Counselor
- Outreach & Admissions Supervisor
- CTS Specialist
- CompTIA+ Instructor
- Purchasing Agent (Temp)
- Dorm Supervisor
- Driver
- Food Services Assistant
- Recreation Advisor (PT)
- Residential Advisor
- Safety & Security Advisors (FT & PT)



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"SHRIVER" TO LEARN MORE
READY TO APPLY? SUBMIT YOUR RESUME &
TRANSFER FORM TO HR TODAY!**

JOIN OUR TEAM

SHRIVER JOB CORPS CENTER COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCIL



Please Join Us on
Thursday, June 4th

9:15am-10:30am

Enjoy a Continental Breakfast
in the Administrative Conference Room
RSVP to therrien.rob@jobcorps.org

**Thank you for your ongoing support for the
students of the Shriver Job Corps campus!**



**Hear Directly
From Students
About Their
Success!**

**Discuss
How We Can
Best Support
Each Other!**

**Keep Us
Updated
On Your News!**

**270 Jackson Road
Devens, MA 01434
shriver.jobcorps.gov**

**Campus Tours Offered
Every Friday at 10am**

**Current Openings for
Residential and
Commuter students**



Adams Family Fables

Service Focused, Outcome Driven.

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#Showcasing Success



Prime Painting

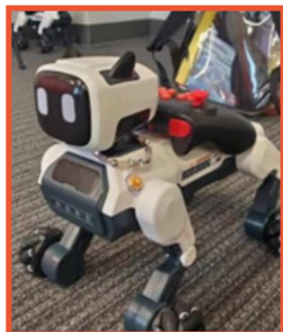
Brunswick IUPAT Painting graduate **Jordan Moore** has brightened his prospects through an apprenticeship with IUPAT Local Union 193. Jordan will start at \$20.99, with opportunities for increases as he expands his skill set. He arrived at Job Corps after graduating from high school and not knowing what to do next. "I made the decision that I wanted to make a difference in my life," Jordan said. He chose painting for the atmosphere and quickly got to work. "My instructors gave me real job experiences, and it helped prepare me for my career as an Apprentice Painter," he said.

Destination WBL

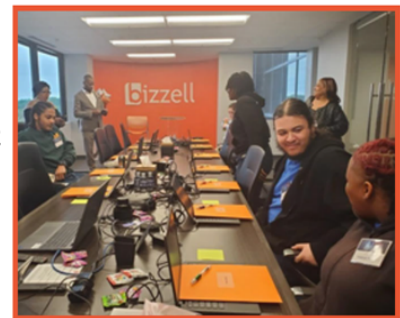
Exeter is cooking up summer success with its valued seasonal WBL partners, **George's of Galilee** and **Bonnet Shores Beach Club**. Both are well-known tourist destinations and will allow Advanced and Basic Culinary students to hone their skills in a fast-paced customer-focused environment. Participating students include **Se'jada Greene**, **Jonathan Santiago**, **Juwan Lyons**, **Xiveal Codero**, **Mea Moore**, **Myasia Anderson**, **Emma Pierre**, **Najaiah Calloway**, **Xavier Febus** and **Euniecia Lanfond**. Keep excelling, X-Men!



From AI to Bizzell



AI is A-okay with **Woodland**, which participated in an AI Learning Lab hosted by **Bizzell**. The session emphasized the importance of AI in modern careers and introduced AI prompting techniques and best practices. Students explored real-world applications through a robot demonstration and drone presentation. At the conclusion, students earned a Trust Certification, recognizing their foundational understanding of responsible AI use in professional settings. Wonderful work, Warriors!



From the President, Susan Sez

I'm proud of all the recent efforts our Centers have made to connect to defense industry priorities, including the **Submarine Industrial Base Program**. From inviting maritime industry partners such as **Ingalls Shipbuilding**, **Electric Boat** and **Portsmouth Shipyard** to career fairs to hosting to hosting Space Force representatives, Centers have demonstrated Job Corps' dedication to this vital industry. Most recently, **New Hampshire Aerospace Defense Consortium Director Randy Makee** made a repeat visit to the **New Hampshire Center** to discuss exciting opportunities within the aerospace industry. **Adams** remains committed to ensuring students are prepared to support the national security mission and that our Centers are working with key defense industry partners.