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Greetings Miami Job Corps Center !



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Celebrating Success: 30-60-90 Day Celebration

The Counseling and Social Development Departments joined forces to celebrate a major milestone for our students at Miami Job Corps Center with a special 30-60-90 Day Celebration!

This celebration was designed to recognize students who have reached 30, 60, and 90 days on their Job Corps journey. Each milestone represents another step toward personal growth, educational success, career preparation, and reaching their individual goals. Students were recognized for their commitment, progress, and dedication during their time on center. The event provided an opportunity for students to take a moment to celebrate how far they have come while also looking ahead to the goals they are working toward. The collaboration between Counseling and Social Development reinforced the importance of teamwork and consistent support in helping students succeed. Staff encouraged students to remain focused, take advantage of the opportunities available to them, and continue building the skills they need for life beyond Job Corps. From the first 30 days to the 60-day mark and all the way to 90 days, every milestone matters! The Counseling and Social Development Departments are proud to recognize our students' accomplishments and celebrate the progress they are making along the way. Here's to continued growth, new achievements, and many more milestones to come!



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My Job Corps Journey - Jonathan Joseph

My journey with Job Corps began when a friend of my mother told me about the program. She explained that Job Corps was funded by the government and provided students with important resources such as food, uniforms, education, and career training. My mother's friend also helped walk me through the enrollment process. I attended orientation and went on a tour, and soon I was ready to begin my journey.

On my first day at Job Corps, I was nervous because everything was new to me. Over time, I made some great friends, many of whom have since graduated. One memory that stands out is when Job Corps was shut down for two weeks. Even though it was unexpected, it became one of the experiences I remember from my time here.

After June 30, I began my training in carpentry. Originally, I was interested in painting, but I discovered that I really enjoyed carpentry. I have always wanted to work with my hands, and when I was younger, I helped with renovation projects. Carpentry gave me the opportunity to build on that experience and learn valuable skills that I can use in my career.

During my training, I had the opportunity to meet two great instructors, Mr. Sanchez and Mr. Gonzales. Mr. Gonzales is tough and gets straight to the point. Mr. Sanchez pushes us to achieve our goals, including joining the union and pursuing advanced training. Both instructors have had a major impact on me, and I consider them like family.

Job Corps also gave me my first experience of what it was like to have a job. That experience changed me mentally. It taught me to work harder, stay focused, and not give up when things get difficult. My time here also helped me make positive changes in my life, including losing weight and becoming more disciplined.

Other teachers who influenced me during my time at Job Corps were Mrs. Garcia and Mr. Newball. I appreciate everyone who supported me and helped me along the way.

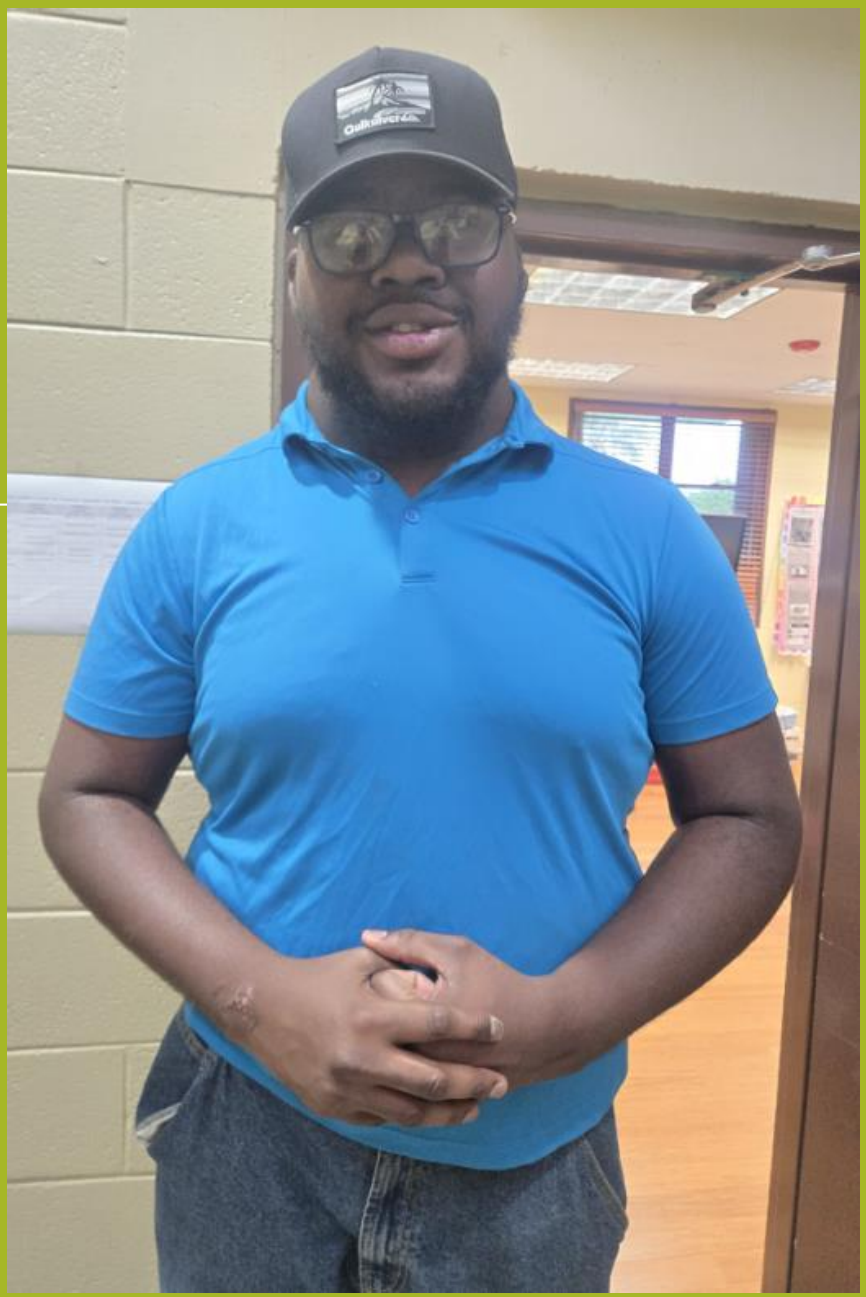
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Now that I have completed my training, I am preparing to join the union and begin working with a construction company. I do not know exactly what the future holds, but I have faith that God will guide me into my future.

I am grateful for everything Job Corps has taught me, the people I have met, and the opportunities I have been given. I am ready for the next chapter of my life.



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HEALs DAY

Suicide affects individuals, families, and communities worldwide. This National Suicide Prevention Month, we're reminded of the importance of starting the conversation, breaking down stigma, and creating spaces where people feel supported and heard. Miami Job Corps is proud to bring this message to life through our HEALS DAY event, **Suicide Prevention: A Stronger Tomorrow Together**.



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Talent Show

MJCC Talent Show was a fun-filled celebration of creativity and community, giving both staff and students the opportunity to step into the spotlight and showcase their unique talents. From impressive performances to plenty of smiles and laughter, it was a wonderful time for everyone to come together, have fun, and celebrate the talents on center!









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Academic Highlights for the week

HSD/HSE = 2

1. Kaniya A. Pryor
2. Kimberly P. Sampson

TABE Reading Level Gains = 2

1. Moziah Bullard
2. Savannah Wiggins.

TABE Reading Level Out = 5

1. Donavan Allen
2. Cierra Aycock
3. Ladarius Habersham-Pitts
4. Jordan Hunt
5. Irvin Wallace Jr.

TABE Math Level Gains = 1

1. Savannah Wiggins

TABE Math Level Out = 2

1. Elijah D. Williams
2. Arthur Tavares

FL State ID= 1

1. Vilmari Padilla

Learners Permit= 1

1. Treymon Moore



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MJCC. LION CAFE MENU WEEK 4

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Breakfast		Egg Boiled Bacon Breakfast Sausage White Toast Wheat Toast Breakfast Potatos French Toast Pastry Bagels Bisquit	Scramble Egg Bacon Breakfast Sausage White Toast Wheat Toast Breakfast Potatos French Toast Pastry Bagels Bisquit	Cheese Scramble Bacon Breakfast Sausage White Toast Wheat Toast Breakfast Potatos French Toast Pastry Bagels Bisquit	Egg Astrada Bacon Breakfast Sausage White Toast Wheat Toast Breakfast Potatos French Toast Pastry Bagels Bisquit	Egg Boiled Bacon Breakfast Sausage White Toast Wheat Toast Breakfast Potatos French Toast Pastry Bagels Bisquit	 Brunch
Lunch	Baked Ziti Chef Special Egg Cheese Scramble Bacon Breakfast Sausage Corn Beef Hash French Toast Hash Brown Chef Veggies Brown Rice Cereal- Apple Whirls	Herbed Roasted Chicken Pork Quesadilla Vegetarian Dirty Rice Yuka Fries California Vegetables Pasta Fresh Tomato Sauce Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Picadillo Deli Sandwich Vegetarian Pigeon Peas and Rice Mashed Potatoes Season Carrot Spaghetti Aglio E Olio Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Pork Piperade Buffalo Chicken Sandwich Vegetarian Spanish Rice Steamed Yuka Steamed Broccoli Pasta w/ Mushroom Cream Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Chipotle Steak Fish Sandwich Veggie Burger Steamed Rice Scallop Potato Green Beans Makawoni Au Graten Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Korean Chicken Wings Fried Shrimp Vegetarian Georgia Rice Garlic Mash Stirfry Vegetables Seafood Pasta Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	0 Glazed Ham Sramble Egg Bacon Breakfast Sausage Corn Beef Hash French Toast Hash Brown Chef Veggies Brown Rice Cereal- Apple Whirls
Dinner	Cajun Grilled Chicken Smothered Pork Chops Vegetarian Coconut Rice Baked Beans Chef Veggies Brown Rice Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Teriyaki Mah Mahi Bistro Steak Vegetarian Brown Rice Oven Glo Potatoes Glazed Carrot Pot Mac and Cheese Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Mambo Pork Roast BBQ Turkey Meatloaf Vegetarian Rice Pilaf Potato Wedge California Vegetables Pasta Alfredo Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Chicken Adobo Fish W/ Garlic Butter Vegetarian Creole Rice ame Roasted Sweet Potat Zucchini Pantry Pasta Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Veal Marsala Chicken With Pepper Vegetarian Coconut Steamed Rice Egg Roll SEASONED GREEN BEANS Pasta Ala Vodka Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Baked beefaroni Fried Fish Vegetarian Brown Rice Greek Roasted Potatoes Steamed Cauliflower Spaghetti w/ Sauce Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert	Citrus Rotisserie Chicken Fajita Meat W/ Soft Tacos Vegetarian Mash Potato Chef Vegetables Warm Rolls 0 Brown Rice Soup Of The Day Salad Bar Dessert

Menu subject to change Without Notice

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Quote of the week



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Adams Family Fables

Service Focused, Outcome Driven.

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#Showcasing Success



Revving up with Roto-Rooter

Grafton HBI Plumbing graduate Samuel Hargrove is rolling along with **Roto-Rooter**, having recently purchased his own Roto-Rooter van. While in Job Corps, Samuel was already identifying plumbing issues such as the clogged drain in the HBI Plumbing building, which he correct re-piped. He interned at Roto-Rooter as a drain technician, quickly leading to full-time employment. Since then, Samuel has worked toward his future goals of leading his own team and his own company. Great work, Grafton!

Union Pride

Sacramento HBI students were on their home turf, as the BCT and HVAC students visited the **Local 447** training facility. They enjoyed some hands-on training from union professionals and absorbed information about union benefits and how to apply. These visits are an important step to future apprenticeships and other union positions. Sensational trip, Sacramento!





Cleaning Up at the College

Glenmont Facilities Maintenance students are sweeping in to help the maintenance department at **Albany Sage College**. **Students Aonyaih Lewis-Fish and Amarion Stevens** visited the campus to observe live maintenance work and tour the maintenance shop. Albany Sage College has several active openings due to its upcoming merger with the **Albany College of Pharmacy**, and Glenmont students are eager to fill those workforce gaps. Great opportunity, Glenmont!





From the President, Susan Sez

Adams' New England Dream Team was up for its second adventure of the month, this time attending the Boston Region Maritime Industry Conference. **Grafton CD Nicole, Trombly, Shriver CD Stephanie Ashworth, New Hampshire CD Jessica King** and **Exeter CD Shakisha Holley**, accompanied by **Adams Associate VP Ross Peterson**, met with top workforce and community college officials from New England, along with maritime industry employers. Ms. Holley and **Exeter graduate Andreaz Morales** even participated in a presentation from **General Dynamics Electric Boat** on tying the workforce to maritime employer needs. **Job Corps leaders Erin McGee, Aneta Hrebenko and Thony Martino** also emphasized Job Corps efforts to work with maritime employers. Among the other highlights of the event was the tour the CDs took on a maritime training ship.