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**TO:** Lane Community College Board of Education

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**RE:** Highlights that are featured as part of the Board Report

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### **Advanced Technology:**

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Students Riley Kelley of Lowell and Pete Butler of Eugene recently received a "mikeroweWorks" Foundation Tools Scholarship made possible through the Associated Equipment Distributors Foundation. Both students received a \$1,000 tool scholarship, a congratulations letter from the AED Foundation, a scholarship certificate, and a personalized signed photo from Mike Rowe of the television series "Dirty Jobs."

Riley Kelley recently completed a two-year associate of applied science degree and two-year certificate in diesel technology and is now employed as a GSW (general service worker) technician with the Lane Transit District. Pete Butler also finished a two-year AAS degree and two-year certificate in diesel technology. In addition, this term he will complete a second AAS degree in lift truck material handling, and a third AAS degree in computer networking.



### **Continuing Education:**

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Due to new publicity efforts, participation in Continuing Education "Ed2Go" online classes has nearly tripled from February's participation levels.

The March 7<sup>th</sup> Successful Aging Institute conference, "Is Caregiving YOUR Encore Career?" involved 280 participants and generated a profit due in large part to contributions from partners AARP Oregon, Arc Lane County, and Senior & Disabled Services. A 2<sup>nd</sup> annual caregiver conference is tentatively scheduled for March 2013.

### **Health, Physical Education & Athletics:**

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The NWAACC Multi-Events Championships were hosted by Lane Community College on April 30-May 1, 2012. In the decathlon, Lane's David Fromolo was the Champion with teammates Thomas Cranor taking second and Jake Robertson finishing 6th. In the heptathlon, Lane's Barry McLaren placed 5th and teammate Shay Applegate finished 8th.

There were 9 spring sport student athletes who were honored by the NWAACC on All Academic teams. See details at <http://www.lanetitans.net/>.

### **International Programs:**

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International Programs will host recruitment partners from China, Indonesia, Japan, South Korea, Saudi Arabia, and Vietnam May 13-19. These partners will learn about Lane's exciting offerings for international students from around the world and support the growth of our international student population.