LTC NETWORK

SEPTEMBER 2011

- 2 Last day to register for fall semester classes Softball hosts Olney, 2&4 p.m., Robinson City Park
- 4 Baseball hosts Indiana Storm, 1 p.m., Parker Field
- 5 College closed for Labor Day
- 9 Student loan session, 10-11 a.m., SU207
- 13 Softball hosts
 Wabash Valley,
 2&4 p.m., Robinson
 City Park
 Baseball hosts
 Vincennes, 2 p.m.,
 Parker Field
- **14 Testing & advising,** 1-3 p.m., WH
- **19** Baseball hosts
 Danville, 3 p.m.,
 Parker Field
- **20 Student loan session,** 11 a.m.- 12 p.m., SU207
- **Testing & advising,** 9-11 a.m., WH
- 24 Health occupations pinning ceremony, 6 p.m., theater
- 27 Baseball hosts Olney, 3 p.m., Parker Field

Network is a joint project of Lincoln Trail College & Lincoln Trail College Foundation

LTC kicks off '11-'12 school year

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Incoming LTC students will have an opportunity to acclimate themselves to college life during new student orientation Aug.

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Registration will be from 8 to 9 a.m. in the cafeteria. A 9 a.m. welcome will kick off the day's activities which include campus tours, a library/social networking tutorial, free lunch,

Entrata tutorial, Student Services presentation, and a group session led by

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LTC's Performing Arts Department.

Rounding out the day's events will be

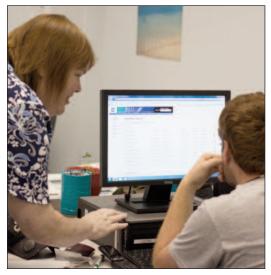
an "Ultimate Road Trip" seminar by a Monster.com representative and the awarding of door prizes. The day of fun and information will conclude at 2:45 p.m.

For more information, or to register for orientation, call Admissions at 618-544-8657, ext. 1097. Lincoln Trail College was recently recognized as one of the top

120 community colleges in the nation by the Aspen Institute for its completion rates and academic and workforce outcomes.

New computer lab opens in LRC

Right, instructor Dee Wesley assists a student in LTC's new computer lab located in the Learning Resource Center on main campus. The lab was established as part of the Eliminate the Digital Divide Program Grant awarded by the **Illinois Department of Commerce** and Economic Opportunity. As part of the grant, the library will offer Introduction to GED-i, Introduction to Computers, Introduction to Illinois Legal Aid Online, and Introduction to Illinois WorkNet. The self-paced courses, offered one-on-one and in small group settings, are offered free of charge by appointment. Lab hours are from 2 to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday. For more information, call 618-544-8657, ext. 1427.





Fall registration continues at Lincoln Trail

LTC continues to register students for fall semester classes beginning Aug. 22.

Classes are available in the following areas: business and accounting, adult basic education, college preparatory, communications and speech, composition and literature, computer, education, foreign language, English as a second language, GED, physical education, humanities, fine arts, life and physical sciences, mathematics, and social and behavioral sciences.

Courses are offered online as well as face-to-face. For more information, call 618-544-8657.



Leadership '11

More than 120 area sixth- through eighth-graders participated in the annual Leadership Day at LTC Aug. 2. Following a welcome in the theater, students from Robinson, Oblong, Lawrenceville and Red Hill schools attended mini sessions on drug, alcohol and bullying prevention; personal finance; college prep and readiness; and sportsmanship. The students were then treated to a presentation by motivational speaker Victor Pacini. In the evening, the students enjoyed pizza, a dance, swimming and cookout. Above, Oblong Police Chief Chad Pusey discusses bullying with area youth during a mini session. At right, an excited student shows her joy at winning one of the door prizes during the opening session.



Fall martial arts courses

Kick it into high gear at LTC's Karate for Kids and Tae Kwon Do classes offered this fall.

Andy Bradbury will lead the martial arts classes for returning students Aug. 22 to Dec. 14 in the karate room.

Two sessions of Karate for Kids will be offered: 6-7 p.m. Mondays and 7-9 p.m. Mondays. Fees are \$45 for the 6 p.m. class and \$65 for the 7 p.m. class. New Karate for Kids students are invited to join the class beginning Sept. 12.

Tae kwon do will meet from 7-9 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays. College credit is offered for those 14 and older. In-district students may be eligible for an IECC night-time tuition discount if they are registered in 4 evening credit hours or less. Students not eligible to receive college credit may take the class on a non-credit basis. Cost is \$80.

To register, call (618) 544-8657, ext. 1122.