GMC 2015 Commencement Ceremony

Georgia Military College, Valdosta Campus held its graduation ceremony on May 29, 2015 at the Mathis City Auditorium located in Valdosta, Georgia at 7:00 PM. The graduating class consisted of nearly 270 students! The commencement address was given by Dr. Laverne Lewis Gaskins, J.D. who serves as the University Attorney at Valdosta State University.

Congratulations are extended to the graduates from Lieutenant General William B. Caldwell, IV USA (Ret.), President of Georgia Military College, Ms. Leslie Hafer, Executive Director of Valdosta/Moody Campus, Dr. Mike Holmes, Senior Vice President & Chief Academic Officer/Dean of Students, Ms. Billie Washburn, Dean of Students of Valdosta/Moody Campus, Mr. Tarn Burton, Academic Dean of Valdosta/Moody Campus, and all faculty and staff of Georgia Military College.

We wish you the best in all of your future endeavors!

Dollars for Scholars

Dollars for Scholars 5K run was held Saturday, July 27th to benefit the GMC scholarship fund. Event was held at GMC Valdosta. See page 11 for more details.
I hope you have had a successful start to the year 2015. Many students have recently graduated from GMC and have celebrated that accomplishment. Others are just beginning that journey and are filled with the excitement and promise of what lies ahead. It is a joy and privilege to watch students fulfill their dream of completing a college degree. For so many students, this accomplishment may have seemed out of reach at one time in their academic career but is now on the horizon.

I always ask each graduating class about the advice they would bestow on first term or first year students. Here is a summary of some of the advice they said they would offer:

* Don’t wait until the last minute to register.
* Don’t wait until the night before to do the bulk of the work for any assignment.
* Ask questions, ask questions, and ask questions - but ask an expert!
* Plan your courses so you are not doing all of the really hard ones in your last term.
* Make friends, get involved with a club
* Have fun because it ends faster than you realize, and you will be sad when it does.

After hearing those comments, I realized I would offer the same advice to every student—no matter what level of education they were achieving. From a first time freshman to a doctoral student, it is just plain good advice. Good advice seems to be one of the things that transcend age and place.

Advice that has benefited me in every aspect of my life, whether in my personal, professional or academic life, it is always wise to be prepared, to develop a plan, to ask questions, to employ good time management skills, to engage with others around you, and most importantly, to enjoy the experience. Life is short, and it will take many turns along the way, so the best thing you can do for yourself is to finish your education, but never finish learning. Life-long learning is a gift you give yourself, your family and your community.

I would like to welcome all of our new students to Georgia Military College and to say to the 2015 Georgia Military College graduates – congratulations and well done!
From the Dean of Students

The Honor Code represents students’ commitment to themselves to maintain their personal honor, to insist that all in the community honor the code, and to act in response to violations of the Code. The third dimension of that commitment is:

Awareness

The notification requirement is crucial. There are instructors unaware of cheating in their classes and the resultant temptation to cheat may unfortunately be high. Better information will help dean, department chairs, faculty, and students reduce the opportunities for dishonesty and will identify patterns that urgently require corrective action. Notifying the deans and faculty is important because the community as a whole needs to be more alert to whatever problems exist. If students tell faculty and deans when cheating is occurring, then all of us can know how widespread the problems are and whether they are getting worse or better. This knowledge is essential to all who are serious about trying to achieve a more honest community.

Start Here...Go Anywhere!

Bulldog Newsletter Staff

Do you have an interest in graphic design, photography, or writing? Maybe you have always wanted to write your own column on a subject that interests you or create a comic strip. Join the staff of the Bulldog Newsletter Club to activate and enhance your skills. Contact the Bulldog Newsletter Club Advisor for more information on how you can become a contributing writer or editor. Don’t hesitate! Exciting opportunities await you!

Katresa Gardner
Editor-in-Chief
kgardner@gmc.edu

"Join the staff of the Bulldog Newsletter Club"
Congratulations!

Salute to our 2015 Graduates!
What an amazing year GMC had relaying for Lowndes County! The theme for costumes and camp sites for 2015, was Country/Western! GMC chose to “Lasso A Cure”. We had approximately 60 students, staff, and faculty that joined in the fight against cancer in many ways from fund raising, decorating, building props, setting up and taking down the GMC campsite, and coming out to support at the annual Relay for Life of Lowndes County on May 1, 2015. When we come together as a team we can accomplish great things!

Georgia Military College was awarded the #1 best decorated campsite for 2015. This is the 2nd year in a row that GMC has won 1st place! How exciting! This is only possible by having many helpers involved!

GMC began fundraising in October 2014 for the Relay for Life 2015! The goal for GMC was $3,000.00 to help with fighting this awful disease and finding a cure! I am excited to announce that GMC raised $3,000.27! Congratulations, GMC! We exceeded our goal! Thank you so much for the involvement and hard work that is put forth to help our community!

“Congratulations, GMC! We exceeded our goal.”

Article Submitted by Mrs. Reaves
2015 Relay for Life Highlights

Pictured: Director, Leslie Hafer, Dean Washburn with Miss Georgia Talent 2014
Schedule of Campus Events

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Fall Holidays:
* November 11—Veteran’s Day (Day Classes Only)
* November 25-27 — Thanksgiving Holiday

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Student Ambassador

Do you have what it takes to become a GMC Student Ambassador?

Do you have...

A desire to share your enthusiasm for and pride in the GMC?
Dedication to serving the college?
Flexibility in working with a wide range of audiences?
An engaging and positive attitude?
A working knowledge of GMC Student policies and GMC Experience?

Contact Ms. Wendy Boyer: wboyer@gmc.cc.ga.us ~ Room 2704
The Beta Epsilon Alpha chapter of Phi Theta Kappa held its formal Induction Ceremony on May 22, 2015, at First Presbyterian Church. Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society “serves to recognize and encourage the academic achievement of two-year college students and provide opportunities for individual growth and development through honors, leadership and service.” At this year’s Induction Ceremony, after opening remarks from Kerri Routson, faculty advisor, and an invocation by Sloan Pattullo, Leslie Hafer, Executive Director of the GMC Valdosta campus, extended a welcome to new Phi Theta Kappa members and their guests. The fourteen new members (listed below) were inducted by the chapter officers—Melinda Wilson, President; Lindsey Wilson, Vice President; and Chelsea Burnham, Secretary—and Derrick Harris, faculty advisor. Karen Mitchell, Student Activities Coordinator, was named an honorary member of Phi Theta Kappa.

Congratulations!!!

- Brad Bayless
- Lonnie Collier
- Caitlin Folsom
- Nicole Foster
- Tiffany Kirtley

- Amandalyz Narvaez
- Sarah North
- Sloan Pattullo
- Ashley Rice
- Jonna Spell

- Morgan Washburn
- Sharoya Williams
- Stephanie Wright
- Steven Yeomans
We collected $1038 in donations for Dollars for Scholars 5K, 45 participants and 14 student volunteers. The weather was perfect for a run. VSO president Bryan Skipper presented medals to participating veterans after the run along with refreshments which consisted of ice cold watermelon, oranges and bananas. Thanks to Winn-Dixie for donating these goods contributing to the success of the event. Bottled water for the runners was donated and volunteers came from Kirby, Rout-song, Tindall, Cronin, and Boyer’s classes. It was a great turnout and appreciative participation from GMC students! Thanks to all those who contributed to the success of the 2015 Dollars for Scholars 5K!

Article Submitted by Ms. Karen Mitchell, Student Activities

“We collected $1,038.00 in donations for Dollars for Scholars 5K”
Dollars for Scholars 5K Highlights
The Film Club is the most easygoing club at GMC-Valdosta. There are no officers, no projects, and no mandatory meetings. The only requirement for this club is to be a fan of movies! What we do is get together, go see movies, discuss (sometimes argue and debate) them, and generally just enjoy motion pictures! We also sometimes show movies here on campus both in relation with other campus activities as well as on our own. Some of the movies we have gone to see are *No Country for Old Men*, *The Great Gatsby*, *The Dark Knight*, and *The Hangover*. We have also partnered with the History Club on several movies shown here at school.

The Club is open to all students, former students, faculty, staff, and administration. If you want to join, all you need to do is send an email to Mr. Thomas at tthomas@gmc.cc.ga.us telling him you would like to join the film club. We hope you join!

See You at the Movies!

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**Make A Difference**

*SSL gives YOU the opportunity to give back to a community that gives YOU so much!*

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**Student Service League**

If you are interested in joining the SSL and become involved with community service, please contact Amy Browne (faculty advisor), Room 2702, or see one of the SSL officers!

*Mrs. Amy Browne*

*abrowne@gmc.cc.ga.us*
Georgia Military College Mission Statement

The mission of Georgia Military College (GMC) is to produce educated citizens and contributing members of society in an environment conducive to the development of the intellect and character of its students. “Start Here.....Go Anywhere!”
The Advising Center & Student Government Association Present...College Success Workshops

Study Group Party
Join a study group and meet new students.

Get Your Degree Fast
Gain study strategies, learning styles, and tips for college success.

Dress for the Job You Want
Learn how to present yourself during a job interview.

Resume Writing
Gain tips on how to put your job resume together.

Make Transferring Colleges Easier
Discover how to move on to your next school.

Final Exams Study Session
Learn test-day strategies and study skills.

Send questions and/or RSVP to val_advisors@gmc.cc.ga.us

Success Workshops will change each term. The schedule will be posted on the bulletin board in the advising center and on Facebook.
On May 1st, the Biology and Environmental Science Club and several interested students (all of which by the end expressed an interest and are now members) traveled out to the Grand Bay Wetland Education Center which is a partnership between the Georgia Department of Natural Resources and the Coastal Plains Regional Educational Service Agency. We were introduced to the Grand Bay Wildlife Management Area and its inhabitants. The Grand Bay Wetland Educational Center has many displays, educating students K-12 and college, while rehabilitating many different animals and protecting the individuals that due to their varying conditions will never be able to return to the wild. After being instructed on the diversity and fragility of life in the Grand Bay Basin, everyone got to meet and feed some of the temporary and permanent residents of the Education Center.

We left the Education Center and walked out on the board walk into Grand Bay and climbed the 54 foot tower at the end of the boardwalk. The tower allowed us to see the numerous alligator trails and pools, and feel the breeze that was passing over the sweltering area of Grand Bay but not touching it due to the low elevation of Grand Bay compared to the area surrounding Grand Bay Wildlife Management Area. Walking back down the boardwalk, we found several Grand Bay natives that were willing to pose for a picture or two.

If you are interested in going to Grand Bay Wildlife Management Area, make a stop by our local Walmart and other licensing sites first to obtain a $18 parking pass, good for a year, and all proceeds stay local to help our Grand Bay Wildlife Management Area and Grand Bay Wetland Education Center stay open and protected for us and future generations to enjoy. Coastal Plains RESA, 245 North Robinson, Lenox, Georgia 31637, 229-546-4094 ~ Charles Wright

“The tower allowed us to see numerous alligator trails and pools, and feel the breeze that was passing over the sweltering area of Grand Bay”
The Ethics Essay contest is ongoing and occurs every quarter. All students in English 101 (or who have taken English 101) are encouraged to submit. (You don’t have to rely on your professors to submit an essay). Essays should demonstrate excellent understanding of the fundamental characteristics of good writing as well as significant critical analysis related to an ethical consideration. The contest features cash prizes for first ($300), second place ($150), and third place ($50). Below are the Ethics Essay contest winners for the 2014 Fall I term!

“All students in English 101 or who have taken English 101 are encouraged to submit an essay”

Dean Washburn presents a $300 check to Brian Brown, 1st place winner!

Ms. Hafer, Director, presents a $150 check to Shawna Lucas, 2nd place winner!

Mr. Dickson presents a $50 check to Robert Chartier, 3rd place winner!
The Student Government Association holds several events for the students, faculty, and staff at Georgia Military College Valdosta. President Donna Hunter, Vice-president Stephanie Wright, Secretary Tiffany Kirtley, and Treasurer Chelsea Burnham work with SGA members to organize and hold these events.

SGA sponsors the following events:

- **September**: Constitution Day
- **October**: Fall Night Special
- **February**: Health Fair
- **April**: Silent Auction and Collegiate Events
- **June**: By Invitation Leadership Luncheon

We encourage you to check out the SGA board located in Building A in the 200 hall across from Academic Affair’s office. Students can get up-to-date information about club events and activities, learn more about our mission, and sign up to join us! If there are any questions, you can stop by Ms. Tindall’s office in room 303 or contact the SGA President Donna Hunter at dhunter0510@student.gmc.cc.ga.us.

Submitted by Donna Hunter, SGA President
Moody Corner

Georgia Military College at Moody AFB is located in the Base Education Center on the back of the base library. The staff at the GMC Moody office is here to provide military members and their dependents, retirees, Army Guard and Reserve support for nearly all the normal day-to-day GMC functions. We can assist you with applications, registration, advising, processing tuition assistance, requesting transcript and the list goes on. In the coming months, the Education Center at Moody AFB will be holding several events to show appreciation to our students and to add to the experience of education through activities outside the classroom.

All Moody GMC classes are offered in a blended format meeting one night per week. Army Reserve and Guard personnel are now registering for their classes through the Go Army Ed portal. You must be set up in Go Army Ed and working with Mr. Rains at the Moody office to receive your Tuition Assistance benefits.

To get setup on the Go Army website, please contact Mr. Rains. You may also contact the Moody office for more information about any services or operational needs.

Through student activities GMC creates opportunities for cultivating and maintaining a strong sense of community. Students who actively engage in GMC activities experience first-hand this sense of community and help to promote a richer overall GMC Student experience.

Interested in participating in a student activity? Want to suggest a student activity? Email me to find out more information on how you can partake in student activities and events!
Financial Aid Information

**Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**

In order to receive any type of financial aid (including loans), students must maintain a certain academic standard. This standard is called Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP). At the end of each quarter, all students will be checked to ensure that they have at least a 2.0 GPA and that they have successfully passed at least 67% of the attempted hours that they have taken at Georgia Military College. If a student’s overall GPA or pass rate falls below the minimum requirements, the student will be placed on a “Financial Aid Warning” status for the next quarter. While on “Warning,” a student may continue to receive aid but should avoid any failing grades or withdrawals. If a student fails or withdraws while they are on “warning” status, he or she will then be placed on “Financial Aid Suspension” and will be required to pay out of pocket until he or she meets the GPA and pass rate standards are met.

If you need to withdraw from a course or if you are at risk of failing a class, please talk to a financial aid representative to determine how this will directly impact your financial aid eligibility.

**Georgia Tuition Equalization Grant (GTEG)**

Don’t miss out on this $233 grant from the state of Georgia! If you are a Georgia resident and attending classes full time, you are likely eligible for these funds. Please come by the financial aid office and pick up an instruction sheet, if you have not already been approved for this grant.

**Additional Scholarships**

There are always additional scholarships that are offered, but the trick is how to go about finding them. A great resource to find scholarships is [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com). This free website will allow you to complete a profile about yourself and then will immediately inform you about any scholarships that are available to you. The website will also update you, via email, anytime a new scholarship becomes available. The most important thing to remember when applying for these scholarships is that you can’t win a scholarship unless you apply for it. So take the time to apply for scholarships today!

**Financial Aid Representatives**

Keia Arrington  
229-269-4838  
larrington@gmc.cc.ga.us

Anna Prous  
229-269-4190  
aprous@gmc.cc.ga.us

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FAFSA
Dear Students, Faculty, & Staff:

I would like to thank you for the opportunity to serve as your campus librarian for the past three years. I have accepted a professional MLIS position as Instructional Reference Librarian under the Sarasota County Government Library System in Sarasota, Florida. The library is located 3 miles from the beach and I’m ecstatic! I will miss you all but I’m embracing a new opportunity to advance in my career. I wish you all the best in your future endeavors and success.

Sincerely,

Katresa Gardner
As the cost of books continues to increase, the bookstore will be adjusting some of the book replacement fees accordingly. Please be aware of notices at the bookstore and notices given to you when you check out your textbooks. Always remember these are replacement fees, which are completely avoidable. When the class is over, turn in your book! If you happen to forget to turn your book in by the deadline, make sure you return it before the following term begins.

A few other reminders:

- You must have your Student ID and an official copy of your schedule to pick up your books.
- The last day to return your books is listed on the Class Schedule for this quarter, and it will be posted at the Bookstore and around campus.

Stop by the bookstore at any time, and have a great term!

Mr. Matthew Tindall
Bookstore Coordinator
mtindall@gmc.cc.ga.us
Phone: 229.269.4828
Who benefits from counseling or therapy?
Anyone can benefit from counseling or therapy! Counseling and therapy have been found to be helpful to people with many different kinds of problems.

- School/Work Balance
- Test Anxiety
- Roommate Conflict
- Depression
- Grief and Loss
- Relationship Problems
- Divorce and Separation
- Anxiety
- Parenting Problems

*For appointments call the*

*Family Works Therapy Center*

229-219-1281

Need a Student ID?

Student IDS are made Mondays and Thursdays in the Business Office located across from the bookstore.

Ethics Bowl

- Do you like to debate?
- Do you enjoy debating ethical issues concerning present day issues in this country?
- Do you like being a part of a winning team, a team that placed 7th out of 24 teams in this year’s regional competition AND was the only Community College competing!??
- If you answered yes to these questions, then you may want to become a member of GMC Ethics Bowl.

Contact Christy Musgrove at 229-269-4821 or cjames@gmc.cc.ga.us for more information.
GMC Partners with Businesses in the Community

Do you like discounts? Do you like specials? Do you like the word “free”?

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- Bank of America
- First State Bank & Trust
- Regions Bank
- Southeastern Federal Credit Union
- Suntrust Bank
- Fivepoints Apartments
- Go Waiter - Valdosta
- Morningside Baptist Church - College & Career Dept.
- Sam’s Club
- Texas Roadhouse
- The Gathering
- Weight Watchers
- Wild Adventures
- Zant’s Florist

Keep a look out for additional participants and deals!
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<td>Payment deadline – Registration</td>
<td>July 17, 2015 @ 12:00 pm</td>
<td>September 25, 2015 @ 12:00 pm</td>
<td>December 4, 2015 @ 12:00 pm</td>
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<td>Payment deadline- Late Registration</td>
<td>July 31, 2015 by 12:00pm</td>
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<td>December 6, 2015</td>
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<td>May 22, 2016</td>
<td>Online classes end: July 24, 2016 All other classes end: July 16, 2016</td>
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<td>HOLIDAYS</td>
<td>September 7, 2015 Labor Day</td>
<td>November 11, 2015 - Veteran’s Day (Day Classes Only) November 25 - 27, 2015 - Thanksgiving Holiday</td>
<td>January 18, 2016 - Martin Luther King February 15, 2016 - President’s Day (Day Classes Only)</td>
<td>Spring Break Tentatively April 4-9, 2016 *Schedule may be different for Online classes</td>
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*Priority processing deadline. All required verification documents should be submitted by this deadline. It is recommended you complete your FAFSA at least two weeks prior to the deadline to allow time for notification and submission of required verification documents. Your FAFSA can be completed and verification documents submitted after this date but you may not have funds in place by the start of the term.

**Registration charges resulting in a balance are due and payable at the time of processing each day.

*** Last date for student initiated withdraw