Program Advocacy

**Lights On After School:**
- WSU C² Pipeline centers will participate in “Lights On After School” on October 26, 2017! This is a nationwide event in which after school programs invite their respective communities and state representatives in order to host engaging activities that bring awareness to the benefit of after school programming!

**Afterschool Alliance**
- On September 14, 2017, the House of Representatives voted to approve after school funding. Jodi Grant, executive director of After School Alliance, stated that “It was a resounding, meaningful victory for America’s children and families.” [AfterSchool Alliance: Article](#)

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**C² Pipeline Highlights**

**Parent of the Month**

- **Tansi Leake**
  - Wayne State C² Pipeline
  - Tansi has exemplified what it means to lead by example. She has been involved with numerous community service events and has a love for helping people as well as animals. As the Assistant Project Director for C² Pipeline, Tansi has worked continuously to ensure that countless youth across Michigan are exposed to new opportunities.

**Student of the Month**

- **Tyryce Schnitker**
  - Michigan Collegiate High School
  - Tyryce is a junior in high school that strives for excellence in all that he does. He has an interest in photography and plans to pursue a college major that will allow him to explore his talents. Tyryce acts as a leader within the C² Pipeline program at Michigan Collegiate and often suggests new and creative ways to explore activities with other students.

**Staff of the Month**

- **Mr. Jackson**
  - South Lake High School
  - Mr. Jackson is a dedicated parent that has contributed to his community by going to South Lake to mentor the robotics team and marching band for the last four years! This year, he has taken on the role as the head robotics coach. The South Lake Cavs Bots works in partnership with C² Pipeline.

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**WSU C² Pipeline S.T.E.M. Lab**

- Website: [C²Pipeline.wayne.edu/STEM-Lab](http://C²Pipeline.wayne.edu/STEM-Lab)
- STEM Lab Interest Form: STEM Innovation
- Location: 5000 Gullen Mall, #133, Detroit, MI 48202

All C² Pipeline centers have the benefit of reserving a date for the STEM lab in order to expose students to emerging career fields, various activities, and scientific experimentation!

**Digital Badges Coming to C² Pipeline!**

Digital badges are an assessment and credentialing mechanism that is stored and managed online. Badges are designed to make visible and certify learning in both formal and informal settings, and hold the potential to help transform where and how learning is valued. They can be used in many ways including: college applications, job applications, LinkedIn accounts, club/organization applications, etc. C² Pipeline issues digital badges to those students who complete the requirements listed for the career pathway(s) in which they participate!
C² PIPELINE NEWSLETTER

C² CAREER PATHWAY HIGHLIGHTS

C² Pipeline students Alante Carter (left), Cha’Kiera Johnson (middle), and Tiequan Davis (right) from Warren Mott HS enjoy a forensic science activity with Lisa Christenson at the WSU C² Pipeline STEM Lab!

C² Pipeline students at Southfield Regional Academic Center celebrate Gianna Buck’s (left) birthday with Demerre Day (middle) and Fedrick Johnson (right).

C² Pipeline students Ka’Veaon Gaskin (left) and Juan Miner (right) from Michigan Collegiate HS enjoy a chemical engineering activity during career pathways!

UPCOMING C² PIPELINE EVENTS

FAFSA NIGHT

The C² Pipeline Center at Warren Mott High School is hosting a “FAFSA Night”! Come out and get informed about how to complete the FAFSA process!

October 6th, 2017
At Warren Mott High School

LIGHTS ON AFTERSCHOOL

The C² Pipeline Centers will be participating in “Lights On Afterschool” this year! Lights on Afterschool is an annual nationwide event promoted by Afterschool Alliance that allows afterschool programs to showcase their activities to their communities and state representatives. Contact your nearest C² Pipeline Center and get involved with their Light on Afterschool event!

October 26th, 2017
At C² Pipeline Centers

NATIONAL STEM DAY

C² Pipeline Centers will be celebrating “National STEM Day”! This day is meant to showcase STEM based activities and how they benefit students’ academic and creative abilities.

November 6th, 2017
At C² Pipeline Centers

WSU COMMUNITY APPLE DAYS

All C² Pipeline Centers will be attending “WSU Community Apple Days”! This is a career exploration event in which students are exposed to careers within the Pharmacy & Health Science discipline.

November 15th, 2017
At Eugene Applebaum College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences
259 Mack Ave, Detroit, MI 48201

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