CENTRALIA COLLEGE and the FOUNDATION 2012-2013 REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY
This year marks the first time in more than five years that the college has not been asked to reduce its operating budget. This turning point is great news. We now have the opportunity to replace some of the pieces of college programs that have been trimmed and replenish departments that have been understaffed.

Over the past years many have been asked to take on additional responsibility, to do more and accomplish more with fewer resources. Centralia College faculty and staff have done a phenomenal job as we continue to successfully serve our students and community.

It was one of my goals that, during this recession, no college employee would face involuntary layoff and I'm proud to say that we met that goal. It sets the foundation for us as we grow out of this recession.

The first cohort of our Bachelor’s in Applied Science in Management program is a tremendous success. Each of the 26 students who signed on completed the first year, a tribute to Larry McGee, program executive director, and the program’s faculty.

We now have a full class that will comprise our second cohort, giving us 58 students enrolled in the first and second year of the bachelor’s degree program.

We are also laying the groundwork for a second bachelor’s program, this one in diesel. If all comes together as planned, we will enroll our first students in fall quarter 2014.

It is with a great deal of pride that I report that Centralia College, on average for the last eight years, continues to be the number one comprehensive two-year college in the state with graduation rates. Those who come to us to earn their degree are successful. That’s a tribute to our excellent faculty and support staff.

We continue to move forward on the TransAlta Commons and expect to break ground in 2015. There will be some improvements to our Kiser Natural Outdoor Learning Lab as we work out details to improve the usability of that site.

Overall, this has been a great year and a great foundation for moving forward toward our goal of being the best community college in the state and for changing the economy of Lewis County, one educated person at a time.

What a privilege it has been to represent the Centralia College Foundation this past year. I never cease to marvel at the generosity of our donors. Thank you! Thanks to you, this past year we exceeded our annual fund raising goal of $512,000 – raising in excess of $743,000 due largely to the land/timber donation from alumni Bill and Helga Watterson.

Because of your investment in our mission, we were able to award over $550,000 in much needed scholarships, grants, tuition waivers, and financial aid for the 2013-14 college year.

The $100,000 campaign for the Corbet/Kemp statue was wrapped up thanks to substantial donations by alumni Tove Buhren and Orin Smith. This statue is slated to be installed in time for the 2014 commencement. The statue will help keep alive the history of Centralia College by being reminded of the persistence of both of these ladies.

We also oversaw the installation of the new water feature in front of Washington Hall – donated by alumni Judith Greely Hendrickson.

On a sad note, this year we accepted the resignations of long-term board members Rose Bowman, Arnie Guenther, and Pete Corwin. These resignations also brought opportunities for new board members Peter Abbarno, Renee Corwin-Rey, Amy Gibson, Chuck Higgins, Keith Macy, and Amanda Price.

For those of you that are interested in such things, we have our financial books audited on an annual basis – we take our fiscal responsibility very seriously.

Please join me in welcoming the new board president, Lee Stevens (2013-2015). His top priority for this upcoming year continues to be raising scholarship dollars.
Judy (Greeley) Hendrickson, a 1960 Centralia College graduate, wanted to remind students of the importance of giving back to the college and the community.

To cement that reminder, Hendrickson funded the creation of a pondless water feature gracing the front of Washington Hall on the Centralia College campus. The water feature was installed at a cost of about $17,500.

Hendrickson came to Centralia College on a music scholarship and transferred to the University of Washington where she joined the UW choir, symphonic and marching bands. It was, however, her minor in recreation that she used to land her first job at Maple Lane (at the time a correctional facility in Grand Mound for delinquent girls) as the director of recreation. She held that position for nine years.

She also worked at the Cascadia Juvenile Reception Diagnostic Center in Tacoma and at McNeil Island Corrections Center. In 1985 she and her husband, Richard, moved to North Carolina and she embarked on a new career.

“I worked with people in sports and business and helped set up and run a program at North Carolina Central University working with graduate students to find and develop careers outside of their participation in sports,” Hendrickson said.

She then accepted a position as a corporate officer with the International Lead Zinc Research Organization, a worldwide trade association of the lead and zinc industry. Hendrickson then became the director of development and donor relations for the Opera Company of North Carolina. Over the years she has funded scholarships in music and criminal justice at Centralia College.

“I felt that it was important to give back — not just to education, but to other areas as well,” Hendrickson said. “Although students get something out of the scholarships, I didn’t personally feel any connection or permanence. Hence the concept of a waterfall that would be there for many years.”

“Judy saw an opportunity to ‘touch’ students — enhancing their educational experience. Her gift of this beautiful water feature also benefits the community,” Julie Johnson, the foundation’s director of Donor and Alumni Relations, said.

The water feature, which is now in place, was designed and installed by Dan Leal, the owner of Northwest Projects. It includes benches and landscaping.
College names Exceptional Faculty Award recipients

Two Centralia College faculty members, Sharon Mitchler and Calvin Taylor, received the prestigious Exceptional Faculty Award. The award recognizes instructors who bring an extraordinary level of commitment, excellence and innovation to the college.

Both are receiving the award for the second time. “Through this award we recognize the value of members of our faculty. We honor them for their contributions to our students, our college, and our community,” Dr. Jim Walton, college president, said. “This college’s faculty has a long tradition of excellence and students have benefited greatly from this quality. The faculty members reflect the high standard we have among the teaching ranks.”

Sharon Mitchler

Sharon Mitchler, professor of English and Humanities, said receiving the Exceptional Faculty Award is a high honor. “The fact that I was even nominated is incredibly important to me. I was delighted to receive it,” Mitchler said. “It’s affirmation of all I’ve been engaged in and everything I’ve participated in over the years.” She added that it is very meaningful when colleagues recognize that “what I am doing is valuable.”

Mitchler said that teaching is the center of her professional life and that she appreciates the challenges students bring. “Each is different and I have to be aware of what’s going on with them,” she said. “It’s an awareness that helps her to be more engaged with her students and a method to help students be more successful.”

She also embraces new teaching methods. “There’s always something new to be using and content is shifting,” she said. She cited the growth in online learning and the advent of the college’s bachelor’s degree program as examples. Those challenges help her hone her teaching skills.

One of the biggest changes in her life since first receiving the award in 2004, has been her work toward her doctorate, a challenging undertaking. She will defend her dissertation this year, the final step toward her Ph.D.

With her Ph.D., Mitchler believes she will carry more influence when she speaks to Congressional leaders about the increasing importance of two-year colleges and the increasing number of students who attend two-year colleges.

“Most of those in Congress have a four-year college or university educational background,” Mitchler said. “They need a better understanding of community colleges. I will be able to use research to bring new information about the differing needs of our students to further their understanding.”

Cal Taylor

For Taylor, professor of electronics at Centralia College, receiving the 2013 Exceptional Faculty Award is recognition of his continued commitment to quality instruction. Taylor received the award the first time in 2002.

“Teaching electronics is important but I believe that it’s equally important to more fully develop each student,” said Taylor. “Each class of students comes with different challenges and I continue to learn from them.” His motivation comes from his desire to pass on the success he experienced as a student here to each generation of students. “I don’t get tired of doing this,” he said.

“Success comes when the student learns but more importantly it comes when lives are changed,” he said.

Taylor recognizes that students enroll because they want the skills that will land them a good job. “The electronics program is very good at that,” Taylor said. He maintains his connection with industry leaders such as Intel. He invites representatives from these companies to campus to meet students. This often, he said, results in job offers being made, even before the student graduates. “That is a very good measure of success.”

Part of that is making sure he changes with the times. “The basics of electronics won’t change but new technologies come into focus and what people do with electronics can change,” Taylor said. He mentioned the growth in robotics.

“This is a growth industry now. A lot of job opportunities are available, which is why we have an emphasis on that,” he said.

Taylor began teaching at the college in 1979. “I was fortunate to have good instructors when I was a student and fortunate to get a job here and work with such great faculty and a top-notch administration,” Taylor said.
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ortions of the Centralia College Health and Wellness Center have taken on identities this past year with the naming of the Michael Smith Gymnasium and the Bill Watterson Court, both recognizing Centralia College basketball legends.

Smith was a basketball standout for the Blazers from 1962-64. He was the top junior college scorer in the state scoring an average of 22.1 points per game, and was named to the All-state Junior College Team, both during the 1962-63 season.

Smith was also a member of the Blazer track team.

Watterson played basketball for Centralia College beginning in 1959 and was the Mr. Hustle and Mr. Inspirational awards recipient. He continued his basketball career at the University of Alaska in Fairbanks. He remained in Alaska and eventually formed his construction firm. He is one of Centralia College’s first Sports Hall of Fame inductees, voted into membership in 1987.

“These were very exciting and talented players and great students here,” Bob Peters, college athletic director, said. “They both went on to exemplary careers.”

Watterson transferred to the University of Alaska-Fairbanks and earned his undergraduate degree. He later earned his master’s from Stanford. In 1981 he began Watterson Construction. The company has grown to become one of the largest Alaskan-owned and operated construction companies in the state.

Earlier this year, the Wattersons (Bill and wife Helga) donated 17.5 acres of wooded land to the foundation and have, over the years, been very supportive of the college.

Smith transferred to Central Washington State College (University) but injuries thwarted his basketball career.

He went on to a successful career in real estate in the Seattle market where he formed an independent partnership, which then became affiliated with Century 21. His office was the top in gross commissions among all Century 21 offices in the Northwest in 1984.

Smith then formed an independent company, Michael Smith and Associates. In 1989 the Bellevue Chamber of Commerce honored his firm as the top growth company on the Eastside that year. Smith then affiliated with Prudential.

The Health and Wellness Center, with the Smith Gymnasium and Watterson Court, was built in the mid-1930s and was home to the high school and the college until the high school moved to its current location. The building underwent an extensive remodel in 2006.

“...I am so grateful for being selected, and truly humbled by the investment in me. The scholarship allows me to focus on being a good student, but more importantly, it allows me more time to focus on being a good father and husband while I achieve my education.”

Guy Steele
Two Centralia College Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) scholarship students, Christina Williams and Colleen Suter, set a major milestone for themselves and the college when they presented their capstone research projects at the Northwest Scientific Association’s (NWSA), 84th annual conference held in March in Portland, Ore. This was the first time community college students were invited to present research to the NWSA since the organization’s inception in 1923, according to Pat Pringle, Centralia College professor of geology.

“This was an incredible opportunity for the students and a huge honor for the college,” Pringle said. “It gave them an opportunity to present scientific research like students at the undergraduate level do.”

The students presented scientific research on evidence of an earthquake dating back thousands of years. Their research may even suggest findings of a mega-thrust earthquake that was previously unknown. Suter’s research focused on evidence of the prehistoric earthquake, which may have created a massive rock slide at Washington’s Glacier Lake.

Williams’s research focused on a submerged forest located in the Puget Sound lowlands. Using Centralia College’s tree ring labs, one of only two such labs in the state, the students analyzed submerged fossilized tree ring samples to help date their findings.

“The opportunity for scientific research (at Centralia College) has been incredible,” Williams said. “The facilities at this college rival that of many large universities.”

Williams attended Centralia College in the Adult Basic Education (ABE) program, first earning her GED, and then earning her Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) credential. She worked several years in that field then, at age 27, returned to college and earned an associate degree in chemistry. Williams is attending WSU-Vancouver this fall to study neuroscience.

Suter attended Centralia College as a Running Start student more than a decade ago, but due to personal issues never continued on with her education. Now at 32, she has earned her associate degree in science. Spurred on by environmentally caused health issues and a passion for the environment, Suter will be attending The Evergreen State College to study environmental toxicology.

“The science department faculty at Centralia College are incredible,” Suter said. “The encouragement and support we received made all of the difference in just how far we were able to go in our education.”

Both students are 2013 honor graduates and were instrumental in establishing the Science Club. Both were instrumental in water quality testing of China Creek as it flows through the college’s KNOLL.

(Note: In higher education, capstone courses, also known as senior seminars, offer undergraduate students nearing graduation the opportunity to summarize, evaluate, and integrate some or all of their college experience. Research projects for STEM students can also be included.)
Edward Riley, who started college while in his mid-40s, is not a typical first-time college student, and what he has done while at Centralia College is not typical of most students.

“The economy had just tanked. I needed a change and I had always wanted to go to college,” Riley said. He enrolled, bringing a renewed perspective to his goal of working in marketing management.

In addition to his classroom studies, Riley was a student worker for the Office of College Relations. He also wrote for The Blaze, the student newspaper published by The Chronicle newspaper. Riley also wrote and published his first children’s book, My Monster and Me. He anticipates continuing with that endeavor.

“My time at Centralia College has been incredible. I have learned so much, mostly about myself. I didn’t realize that I was capable of the things I have been able to achieve.” Riley said.

As a member of Phi Theta Kappa, the student honor society for two-year colleges, Riley received the First Place Distinguished Chapter Member of the Year award for the Northwest Region.

He attributed his success to the support of the faculty and staff at Centralia College, and to the encouragement of his family.

“I couldn’t have accomplished half of what I have if it weren’t for my parents believing in me, and the help from everyone at the college. The encouragement and challenges I’ve received through my job with the college, Dr. Jody Peterson prodding me along in Phi Theta Kappa, even the ladies in the cafeteria teasing me; they all have made my experience at the college special. My time at Centralia College has been one of the most important in my life; I am grateful, and I will never forget it.”

Riley graduated with an Associate in Arts degree and will be pursuing a bachelor’s degree in business marketing and has been hired as a communications consultant at Centralia College.

“I knew exactly what I wanted to do when I first started taking classes at Centralia College; I can’t say that anymore, because there are so many more doors open to me now.”

If passion determines success in a person’s career, then there is little doubt that Delanie Willows will be a great journalist. She is driven by her desire to bring about change and innovation through effective communication, essential for individuals as they inform themselves and improve their lives.

Willows has been in training as a writer for much of her life. She started early in childhood by creating stories that her mother would transcribe. As she got older, she took over the writing part.

“I have notes scribbled on absolutely every free space of paper, I carry a journal as if it were ingrained into my flesh,” Willows said. She was writing so much that she eventually felt the need to pull back from everything except homework assignments.

“Once some of that weight fell off with credit fulfillment, I ached for the creative side of things again,” she said. So, she directed her writing into journalism, an interest bolstered by her scholarship from The Chronicle. She honed her skills writing for The Blaze.

Her role as a tutor in Centralia College’s Writing Center also helped. “It gave me the perfect work experience in developing an objective viewpoint and listening to others, even if I disagreed with their ideas; it was the perfect recipe for news writing.”

Willows came to Centralia College as a Running Start student, looking for challenges in math. She found “an amazing experience. Coming from a small high school, I was afraid that I’d be lost. That didn’t happen. I received a lot of help from the instructors and from peers. I was continually taking classes that were better and better,” Willows said. But that was only part of it.

“A strength of this college is its diversity,” she said. She has developed great friendships among international students and others who “have added so much to my life and my studies. There is a tremendous cultural influence at Centralia College, and I appreciate that,” she said.

Centralia College students named to All-Washington team

Edward Riley, a resident of Napavine, and Delanie Willows, who lives in Olympia, were named to the 2013 Coca-Cola All-Washington College Academic Team and were nominated to the 2013 All-USA Today Community College Academic Team.

Students were selected based on their academic achievement, community involvement, and service to the college.

“These students are examples of what individuals can do when they have purpose. They each hold great promise not only for their lives but also for society in general. We are proud of what they have done and what they will do,” Dr. Jim Walton, college president, said.
There are few people who value Centralia College the way Gordon Aadland does; fewer still are those who share that passion and have given more than five decades of their life to this robust two-year college.

Gordon began his career at Centralia College in 1961, teaching English. He rubbed shoulders with teaching legends including Rufus Kiser, Minnie Lingreen, Katharine Kemp, and others; he helped usher in the college’s first president, Dr. Nels Hanson, and, although he retired from teaching in 1985, has served as an unofficial advisor to other presidents since.

His work expanded to encompass the duties of the college’s first public information officer, telling the college’s story to the community. He had a natural ability to communicate effectively with the public.

In 1982, Aadland and faculty member David White initiated the college’s Distinguished Alumnus Award program. Gordon has served on the selection committee just about every year since. He was the motivator behind the foundation’s drive to commission the Margaret Corbet/Katharine Kemp statue, expected to be placed just off the Aadland Esplanade within the coming year. The Esplanade, the brick walkway that bisects the campus, was named in his honor in 2006.

When Gordon’s life-long friend Al Neuharth, founder of USA Today newspaper, put together the world’s only interactive museum of news demonstrating how news is gathered and disseminated, Gordon talked him into turning the exhibit into a travelling show. During a two-year nation-wide tour, “Newscapade’s” only stop at a city with a population of less than 100,000 was its visit to Centralia, a tribute to Aadland.

There are other examples of how Aadland has supported Centralia College and has been a motivating force behind many important events and activities. It can be said that he has dedicated his life to bringing a special brand of optimism to his adopted college.

Because of the depth of his passion molded around his 52 years of service, Gordon received the Distinguished Lifetime Service Award, the first such honor given by the college and the Centralia College Foundation.

Laura Dowling

As the college’s 36th Distinguished Alumnus Award recipient, and a 1979 Centralia College graduate, Laura Dowling has held more than one career that helped her earn this honor.

She attributes much of her career success to the foundations built while attending Centralia College.

“I had such a wonderful experience at Centralia College, participating in academic, theatrical and athletic pursuits. It is amazing and humbling to join such a distinguished group,” said Dowling.

Selected as the nation’s top floral designer by First Lady Michelle Obama, Dowling manages, plans, and implements décor and flowers for a broad range of White House events, including the White House Christmas, the White House state rooms, East and West Wing offices, and certain private residences.

Dowling, however, trained for a different world.

Dowling worked as the Development and Congressional Relations officer for the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars. She coordinated fundraising and lobbying efforts for this international affairs think tank located within the Smithsonian Institution.

She was then Senior Manager of Strategic Communications at The Nature Conservancy, the world’s largest environmental non-profit agency.

In 2000, Dowling visited Paris to study French floral arrangements. Upon her return to Washington, D.C., she launched a floral design company focusing on flowers for private, corporate and official government events.

When the former White House floral designer retired, Dowling applied for the position and earned the job.

“I have a passion for flowers and design,” said Dowling. “It is a pleasure to come to work in such an inspirational setting--the White House, the people’s house--creating floral décor for an amazing array of official events and activities.”

Centralia College grad decorates the White House
More than a dozen Centralia College physics and electronics students touched the heavens. The group did so through a project that sent a specialized weather balloon up to about 90,000 feet to capture photos and scientific information.

The team, guided by Centralia College faculty members, assembled the 4.7-pound payload of equipment, and travelled to eastern Washington near Vantage to successfully launch and retrieve the payload.

Altitude above 65,000 feet is considered to be “near space.”

Sensors collected data on atmospheric pressure and temperature. Two Go-Pro cameras, often used by extreme athletes, took high-resolution pictures every five seconds.

Once the balloon reached a certain atmospheric pressure, it burst, a parachute deployed, and the vehicle floated safely to the ground for retrieval.

“Everything went better than expected,” Centralia College robotics instructor and project advisor David Peterson, said. “Not only do we have some very interesting data, we have incredible pictures showing the curvature of the Earth and dramatic overhead shots of the surface.

“We are laying the groundwork to expand future flights, and for similar projects involving students in the surrounding communities,” Peterson added.

The joint project created excitement and garnered campus-wide support amongst student clubs, faculty, and the college administration. The student body and various clubs raised several thousands dollars needed to purchase equipment, some of which will be used again for next year’s flight.

“I’ve never seen such a wide range of students working together for a common goal,” Peterson said. “This project had the whole campus behind it.”

The students’ goals for next year are to work with long-range radio communications and to expand the atmospheric data collection. They plan to gather ultraviolet light and ozone distribution information.

The students also plan to launch a balloon equipped with a remote controlled glider and cameras, and use their learned piloting skills to bring it back safely from the same altitude.

Peterson said that the college encourages students to take on projects that stretch their curiosity and desire for scientific inquiry.

These students are members of the Physics and Electronics clubs. For more information contact David Peterson at dpeterson@centralia.edu.

Justin Harris
“I work a full-time and a part-time job to pay for my education because I don’t qualify for any government grants. This is the second year I’ve received this scholarship and I am truly grateful. The scholarship will take a lot of pressure off me so I don’t have to work as many hours. I can focus on my education.”
Over the past year, several students in the Bachelor of Applied Science in Management (BASM) program reported that they received job promotions since entering the year-old BASM program. There is now another student to add to that list, Ryan Smith.

After leaving his job as a 9-1-1 dispatcher several years ago, then working for multiple companies in the area, Smith is now in the technical support department at Pace Edwards, a local after-market truck accessories company.

“I’m excited to be working with Pace Edwards,” Smith said. “There is opportunity for growth, especially when I have my bachelor’s degree.”

Though Smith and his wife Kalea have had challenges while he attends college, both work full-time with a one-year-old at home, they feel that the sacrifices are worth it.

“When we first heard about the BASM program, Kalea pushed me to do it,” Smith said. “She saw the big picture and how this will bring long-term benefits and security to our family.”

The first cohort of students has surpassed expectations with every student returning for the second and final year of the program, Larry McGee, executive director of Centralia College’s BASM program, said.

“This kind of student retention demonstrates the value in the program,” McGee said. “The need for this program in the community is without question.”

McGee added that several students in the second cohort are related to students in the first cohort. “That says a lot about the students’ respect for the program,” he said.

The need for the BASM program was evident in the support from the community. Businesses stepped up with financial support and opportunities for future internships, said BASM organizational behavior instructor Dr. Atara MacNamara.

“Our job is to supply high quality graduates to fill the need for a better educated workforce so that employers won’t have to look outside the community to fill management and supervisory positions,” MacNamara said.

Because of an identified need and the success of the initial bachelor’s degree offering, the college is planning to roll out a Bachelor of Applied Science in Diesel (BASD) program in fall 2014.

Individuals who want information on the bachelor’s program in diesel technology are urged to contact McGee at 360.736.9391, ext. 432.

The Centralia College diesel technology program received a major economic boost when NC Machinery donated $10,000. The national Caterpillar Foundation donated an equal amount.

Miles Folks, manager of the Chehalis NC Machinery plant, presented the first $10,000 check.

“We recognize the diesel technology program at Centralia College as an outstanding training ground for students. We know that this money will be used well to further the education of students,” Folks said.

Money is used for scholarships for diesel students and to purchase equipment and materials for student use.

“We sincerely appreciate this generous contribution to our diesel program,” said Durelle Sullivan, dean of the college’s Workforce Education. “We continue to benefit from our relationship with NC Machinery, an outstanding organization.”

NC Machinery and the national Caterpillar Foundation have donated to the college in past years. Their contributions have allowed the diesel technology program to purchase a Freightliner truck, a surplus city transit bus, and a forklift, among other items, all which are being used as training aids for the college’s diesel students.

Folks said that there are many jobs for diesel technicians and “not enough skilled people to fill those positions. This college program is very important.”

The college is laying the foundation to launch a bachelor’s degree program in diesel technology. The first class could be offered in fall quarter 2014.
Founded in 1925, Centralia College is the oldest continuously operating community college in Washington state. That long history is mirrored in the histories of some families that have made Centralia College their first choice in higher education.

One such family is that of Jean (Hilts) Bluhm who first attended Centralia College from 1951 to 1953. Bluhm, who is 79, has an extended family that has followed her lead in recognizing the need for higher education. So far, she has one sister, four children, six grandchildren, two step-grandchildren, one son-in-law, and multiple nieces, nephews, and cousins who have taken classes at Centralia College.

Bluhm and her mother Alice (Gray) Hilts attended college together. Alice, a veteran teacher, took classes while in her 50s, while Bluhm and three of her cousins Elizabeth, Jeannette and Tom Hilts earned their degrees here, transferred and became teachers like many in her family.

Bluhm was one of the first recipients of the Margaret Corbet (the first principle of the college) scholarship for teachers, going on to earn her bachelor’s and master’s degrees from Western Washington State University. She continues her passion for teaching and even spent a summer teaching English literature and writing for the college.

“For over 60 years the college has been an integral part of my families past, present, and, we hope, future. It has been here to serve our family and the many other families. (Centralia College) has kept up and exceeded expectations in staff, leadership, and facilities. We have watched with interest as the college has grown, and look forward to future building and expansion of bachelor programs. It is a college campus to be proud of, but what goes on inside is the really important part,” Bluhm said.

Bluhm presently has one grandchild, Mitch Bluhm, who will be attending classes in the Diesel Equipment Technology program. And never one to stop learning, Jean continues to take classes at Centralia College.

Three years ago, when the Pacific Northwest Center of Excellence for Clean Energy (PNCECE) at Centralia College received a $5 million Department of Energy grant, it knew it had a major challenge.

That challenge was to develop curricula and training opportunities; put together an online information portal for utilities, students and job seekers; and create simulated training labs throughout the region.

PNCECE proved its mettle as nearly 340 workers found employment as ground crew, trainees, operators and hydro utility workers within energy-related organizations across the region.

Helping this record-breaking number find employment was made possible by the U.S. Department of Energy Smart Grid Workforce Training grant.

“We achieved nearly 145 percent of our placement goal,” Barbara Hins-Turner, PNCECE executive director, said. The placement goal was set at 234 workers.

The grant, which was leveraged to $12 million by matching funds, included the Bonneville Power Administration, Pacific Northwest National Lab, consumer- and investor-owned utilities, and colleges throughout Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and Utah.

More than 6,000 individuals received smart grid energy training through pre-apprenticeship, apprenticeship and incumbent worker courses, as well as hands-on learning sessions provided to high school students and high school STEM teachers.
ENDOWMENTS

William E. Abel (1906–1991)
Established in 1996 by Hazel Abel in memory of her husband who was a member of the original graduating class of Centralia College in 1927.

Alan Allie (1942–1996)
Established in Alan Allie’s name by former Centralia College basketball teammates.

Colleen Allison (1928–1983) Memorial
Served as a bus driver for the Centralia School District for 10 years.

Altrusa Club
Altrusa is an international service organization founded in 1917. The Centralia-Colhais Club was chartered in 1948.

Margaret Alvord (1907–1986)
Was an accompanist for the college’s music department for 20 years.

American Legion, Post #17
National organization founded in 1919; created in memory of long-time member Ted Massey.

American Legion, Post #22
National organization founded in 1919 by a group of veterans working for veterans.

Harvey (1908–1991) & Marjorie Bennett (1900–1993)
Long-time residents of Lewis County and owners of the Barnett-Swenson Fuel Company for 30 years.

Rachel Bartlett Memorial (1971–1988)
Centralia High School student who planned to pursue a career as a dental technician.


William A. (1907–1999) Batie
He was the biology instructor at Centralia College from 1940 to 1972 and Dean of Instruction from 1965 to 1967. She followed a career in banking.

William A. Batie Health and Science
Established in 2002 in honor of William A. Batie, to support and promote physical life programs.

Lloyd (1899–1968) & Bertha Baumgarten (1900–1993)
They owned and operated Baumgarten Hardware and Plumbing Company from 1944 to 1958.

Glenn (1928–1996) & Marjorie Bennett
Created in 2005 for scholarships to Lewis County students.

Big Band Scholarship
Established in 1996 to provide scholarships for students of Centralia College.

Centralia College Booster Club Athletic Scholarship
Comprised of individuals in the community who support the Centralia College athletic programs.

Centralia College Council
Established to help further student success at Centralia College.

Centralia College Distinguished Alumnus Scholarship
Established in honor of Distinguished Alumnus Award recipients.

Centralia College Exceptional Faculty Scholarship
Established in 1991, annually recognizes outstanding faculty members.

Centralia College Faculty Scholarship
Established in 1989 to provide scholarships for students of Centralia College.

Centralia College Library
Established in 2005 by CC Library personnel for the betterment of the CC Library.

Centralia Rotary Club
Established in 1988 by a Centralia Rotarian and expanded in 2010 by the Centralia Rotary Club for scholarships to Centralia High School students.

They owned and operated the N. Churchill Glove Factory.

Vincent Coates (1917–1990)
Math and engineering instructor and registrar at Centralia College from 1948 to 1979.

Margaret Corbett (1886–1971)
First dean of Centralia College, serving from the opening of the college in 1925 until her retirement in 1949.

Adelaide Dagasso (1908–2003)
Long-time resident of Rochester, established through her estate.

Victor Dagasso (1911–1999)
Long-time resident of Rochester, established through his Charitable Remainder Trust.

Ercel Davis (1911–1998)
Long-time resident of Lewis County, established through his estate.

J.O. worked as a railroad engineer. Both were very active in the Masonic Lodge.

Diesel Technology Program Scholarship
Established in 2002 by the Centralia College Diesel faculty using fund raisers for scholarships.

Established through a living trust in 1995. Ernest worked in steel manufacturing and construction and Edith was a school secretary. Both had a strong commitment to lifelong learning.

Lloyd B. Dysart (1908–1995)
Chemistry instructor and registrar at Centralia College from 1925 to 1967.

Centralia residents who raised nine children, most of whom attended Centralia College.

First Interstate Bank
The Coffman-Dobson Branch has provided service to Lewis County residents for over 100 years.

Alice Forth
A 1951 graduate of Centralia College and the first Margaret Corbett scholar. Served from 1958 to 1991 as an instructor, counselor, chair of the business education division, and dean of students at the college.

Victor Freund (1945–2005)
Foreign Languages instructor at Centralia College 1968–2005.

Rob Fuller Memorial Endowment
The first of three Fuller stores was opened in Chehalis in 1941 by Ed and Bill Fuller, Jr.

Claire E. Fuller (1912–1987)
Employee of the educational system for 12 years and a strong believer in higher education.

George Gablehouse Scholarship
Physical education instructor and athletic director at Centralia College from 1956 to 1979.

George Godding/EDC
In recognition of George Godding, the first president of the Lewis County Economic Development Council. Scholarship sponsored by the EDC.

John V. Griel (1917–1995)

Established by Walter Hanke prior to his death in 1995. The college received the residual of this estate in 1996 to formally establish the endowment. The Hanke’s were long-time Lewis County farmers.

Hanke Faculty Achievement Scholarship
Created from the Walter Hanke estate to provide professional development/research funding for special projects for Centralia College Faculty and staff.

Dr. Nels Hanson
The first president of Centralia College; served from 1966 to 1981.

Marco Heidner Charitable Trust
Created in 1999 in memory of Marco Heidner.

Dr. Garrett Heyns (1891–1969)
Chemistry instructor at Centralia College from 1925 until his retirement in 1949.

Earl Hilpert (1907–1996)
Centralia attorney and business law instructor at Centralia College from 1946 to 1965.

David Hilliberry (1922–1997)
Former faculty member of the professional technical program at Centralia College.

Long-time supporter of Centralia College and its many athletic programs.

Hamlet Hilpert (1907–2007)
An active community citizen with a keen interest in Centralia College music programs.

Olive Irelan (1901–1995)
Beautician and resident of Lewis County.

Tom Johnson (1911–2009)
History and social science instructor at Centralia College from 1939 to 1971.

Minnie Lingreen (1904–1991)
An artist, well-known for her pottery design, and daughter of artist and elementary teachers.

Erma E. (Boone) Kain (1913–1988)
Beautician and resident of Lewis County.

Jack R. Kalmbach
Centralia College Dean of Administration from 1986 until he retired in 1993.

John & Donna Karvia
He is a retired Chehalis police sergeant and she served as Lewis County Clerk. Both are Centralia College alumni.

Katharine Kemp (1899–1978)
Foreign language instructor at Centralia College from 1932 to 1968. In 1975 she wrote the history of the college.

Kenneth Kimball (1928–2003)
Music director at Centralia College from 1955 to 1990.

Dr. Henry P. Kirk Scholarship
Former president of Centralia College, having served from 1986 to 2002.

Dr. Henry & Jenny Kirk Endowment for the Fine Arts
Established in 1997 to promote arts and humanities in the community.

Established by former Centralia College President Dr. Hank Kirk and his wife Mattie prior to her death, in recognition of her love and devotion to music.

Deborah Meade (1947–2012)
Created in memory of CC Distinguished Alumnus Angela Meade’s mother recognizing outstanding Centralia College musicians.

Thorleia Peterson Kirtz
Centralia College class of 1968. Teacher at Maple Lane School.

Rufus Kiser (1907–1995)
Forestry division chair at Centralia College and zoology and physics science instructor from 1941 to 1973.

Kiwanis Club of Chehalis
International service organization established in 1915. The Chehalis club formed in 1922.

Created through the Charles Littell Trust, founder of Centralia College.

Established in 1996 by the family of Al and Marge Kuder whose five daughters attended Centralia College on scholarships and have all gone on to establish themselves in careers. Susan Kuder Dunn is a Centralia College Distinguished Alumnus Award recipient.

Lewis County Demolition Derby
Founded in 1980, provides recreation for Southwest Washington residents.

Lewis County School Retirees’ Association
Established in 1950 and affiliated with the Washington Retired Teachers Association.

Minnie Lingreen (1901–1995)
History and social science instructor at Centralia College from 1939 to 1971.
C.L. Littel (1895–1966)
Established Centralia College in 1925 while superintendent of the Centralia School District.

Todd Lovington (1951–1997)
Centralia College math instructor, chair of the college’s Strategic Planning Committee.

John H. Markham (1892–1980)
Centralia timber man who founded Mayfield Youth Camp.

John Markham Athletic (1892–1998)
Created in memory of John Markham to benefit athletes.

Chehalis couple who owned and operated Mac’s Sporting Goods and the McDonald Motel in Chehalis.

Harree L. McGee (1910–1965)
Worked as a precision machinist for the U.S. Navy and later for private companies.

Established in honor of their parents by siblings Cliff Miller, Gene Miller, and Karen (Miller) Paull.

Patricia (Patti) Haase Morton
Centralia College graduate, career U.S. Foreign Service officer and 1979 Distinguished Alumnus Award recipient.

N.C. Machinery
Located in Chehalis and is a supporting company in the Skinner Foundation.

Lena B. Neggerson (1895–1990)
Superintendent of nurses at Tacoma General Hospital until 1933.

Harold J. O’Connor (1910–2005)
Harold is a 1930 graduate of Centralia College. He was a Centralia resident.

Helen O’Connor (1905–1994)
Established in 1988 at the same time that her husband established scholarships and the Harold O’Connor Endowment fund.

Ellis Oliver (1920–1997) Memorial
Established by family members to honor Ellis and his commitment to education. Promotes and supports business programs.

Robert Harold O’Neill (1890–1981)
Co-founder of Hemphill-O’Neill Lumber Company in 1947; was in the lumber business for 67 years.

Pacific Cataract & Laser Institute
The largest eye surgery center in the Pacific Northwest. Founded January 1985, by Helgi Heidar, M.D., and Robert O. Ford, M.D.

Graduates of Centralia College, retired and lived in Centralia. Francis was employed by the railroad and Alice worked for the telephone company.

Performing Arts Society
Created to benefit programs/equipment/students in the performing arts.

Thor was a teacher and coach at Centralia High School. Helen was a retired pharmacist.

M. Helen Peterson (1917–2006)
Performing Arts Society

Francis J. (1915–2001) & Alice L

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- Higher Education Coordination Board
- Department of Ecology
- Department of Agriculture
- Centralia College

Centralia College Expenditure Statement (Unaudited)

June 30, 2013

Operations:

Salaries ................................................................. $13,242,307
Benefits ................................................................. 4,376,863
Goods and Services ............................................. 3,604,372
Travel ................................................................. 265,283
Equipment ............................................................ 709,775
Total Operations ................................................. $22,198,600

Capital Projects ....................................................... 920,248
Student Employment ........................................... 234,176
Scholarships and Financial Aid ............................... 7,348,644
Total Expenditures .............................................. $30,701,668

Employees – During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the college employed 232 full-time and 307 part-time faculty and staff. Of the total faculty and staff, approximately 65 percent resided in the college’s service district, which includes all of Lewis County and the southern portion of Thurston County.

Local Government – Included in the expenditures listed above are payments to the county and city governments of $458,690. These payments are for services, fees, permits, facility rent, and utilities.

Taxes – The college is exempt from property tax. However, the college is not exempt from sales tax. When taxable items are purchased in Washington State, the college pays sales tax. In addition, if the college purchases taxable items outside Washington State, it must pay use tax. For 2012-13 we paid $17,787 in use tax to the State of Washington. It also operates a food service and bookstore that generated $1.22 million of taxable sales revenue, which resulted in sales tax collections of $97,933.
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Since its inception, the Centralia College Foundation has been blessed with generous and loyal donors. Our accumulated giving records reflect those donors who have reached the following significant milestones:

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## Centralia College Foundation Balance Sheet

**Unaudited Statement**  
(as of 6/30/2013)

### ASSETS

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### LIABILITIES & EQUITY

|                         |                |                   |            |              |              |                   |
| **Liabilities**         |                |                   |            |              |              |                   |
| Accounts Payable        | 393,340.83     | 51,190.99         | 5,056.22   | 40.00        | 336,424.30   | 629.32            |
| Due To Other Funds      | 127,752.10     | 0.00              | 0.00       | 0.00         |              | 127,752.10        |
| **Total Liabilities**   | 521,092.93     | 51,190.99         | 5,056.22   | 40.00        | 336,424.30   | 128,381.42        |
| **Equity**              |                |                   |            |              |              |                   |
| Beginning Fund Balance  | 11,754,998.61  | 407,179.80        | 855,059.06 | 7,974,379.35 | 1,220,238.35 | 1,298,142.05      |
| Current Year Excess (Deficit) | 1,280,512.58  | 222,467.74        | 265,123.96 | 574,346.38   | 146,183.55   | 72,390.95         |
| **Total Equity**        | 13,035,511.19  | 629,647.54        | 1,120,183.02 | 8,548,725.73 | 1,366,421.90 | 1,370,533.00      |
| **Total Liabilities & Equity** | 13,556,604.12 | 680,838.53 | 1,125,239.24 | 8,548,765.73 | 1,702,846.20 | 1,498,914.42      |

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Laura Jean Speno Bollen  
Gerald Calkins  
Ron Colpron  
Jean DeSpain

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Marion Oliver McCaw Garrison  
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Pat Hunt  
Julie Ann Latimer  
Roger Maddox  
Richard Malzahn  
Jeff Martin  
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Sandra Merriman  
Ida Matilda Scheibmeir  
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Corbet / Kemp statue to honor college matriarchs

Centralia College is on track to honor two founding matriarchs. The life-size statue of Margaret Corbet, the college’s first principle and director of stage plays, and Katharine Kemp, dean of women and languages teacher, is expected to be in place during spring quarter 2014.

Corbet served from 1925 until 1949; Kemp worked from 1932 until 1968. The women are recognized for their leadership in running the fledgling junior college, their ability to bring out the best in students, and for keeping the college open during the lean years of the Great Depression and World War II. Corbet Theatre in Washington Hall and Kemp Hall carry their names.

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The foundation has raised more than $100,000 for the artwork. Local sculptor Jim Stafford has been commissioned to create the statue. Stafford was a student during Kemp’s tenure.

The bronze statue will be placed on the south side of the Adland Esplanade, west of the Kirk Library.

“This statue will serve as a reminder to all faculty, staff and students that perseverance will prevail. At times when this college was close to shutting down, these two women rose up and found a way to keep the doors open. Because they were passionate about Centralia Junior College, it survived,” Julie Johnson, director of Donor and Alumni Relations, said.

Thank you for your generous scholarship award. I was extremely happy and appreciative when I was selected as the recipient of this scholarship.

I appreciate your confidence in me and willingness to contribute to my future education. I plan to pursue a career in veterinary medicine. My first step in this long journey is to attend Centralia College for an associate in science degree. After the completion of the AS, I will transfer to WSU in Pullman where they have a great program for training veterinarians. This scholarship will assist me in achieving my educational and career goals, as well as my dream of becoming a vet.

By awarding me this scholarship, you have lightened my financial burden, which allows me to focus on what I consider the most important aspect of school: learning. Thank you again for your generosity. This has helped inspire me to work very hard in college and continue to give back to the community in any way I can.

Sincerely,

Kristen Mansker