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GFC MSU Lifelong Learning announced its <u>camps and courses line-up for the summer</u>. New summer camps this year include Battle Royale®: Make Your First Fortnite® Style Video and Self Defense for Kids as well as old favorites such as Basics of Childcare plus CPR and Bakery Boss Jr.

Great Falls College MSU hosted its first <u>Eagle Feather Ceremony</u> on May 4 in honor and celebration of Native American students graduating this year. These students received a blessed Eagle Feather in recognition of their achievements and were encouraged to carry them at commencement later that day.

14 GFC MSU students were inducted into the <u>Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society</u> on April 18. Over 40 students have been inducted in the last year at Great Falls College MSU.

<u>GFC MSU graduated 329 students in spring 2019</u>. Over 380 degrees were awarded. Of the graduates 54 earned multiple degrees, 58 graduated with honors, 55 graduated with high honors and six dual enrollment students walked prior to earning their high school diploma.

Great Falls College MSU alum, Jason Garneau recently completed and installed a metal American Flag named the Freedom Flag in honor of and to thank all veterans for their service.

Two CyberPatriot camps are being offered through the Center for Lifelong Learning. The goal of these camps is to pique participant's interest and help them gain the necessary skills for the Cybersecurity field.

GFC MSU recognized 191 students as members on the Dean's List for the spring 2019 semester.

Heather Palermo, Director of Lifelong Learning, was named a <u>Judy Martz Woman in Leadership</u> by the Great Falls Area Chamber of Commerce and will receive a total of \$5,000. She plans to use the funds to help pay for a week-long intensive program at Oxford University in the fall.

Student Government announced its 2019-2020 executive team. Julius Scott will serve as President, Adam Dowdy will serve as Vice President and Charlie Engum will serve as Treasurer. Student Government works diligently to support the GFC MSU students and the Great Falls community through events, volunteering and more.

Great Falls College MSU is celebrating 50 years of serving Great Falls, the region and Montana which began with the kick off reception at the most recent Board of Regents meeting in May. There will be various events throughout the year commemorating this special occasion.

GFC MSU recently received the 2018-2019 Business Appreciation Award from the Great Falls Area Chamber of Commerce.

Two GFC MSU employees, Carmen Roberts and Leanne Frost, recently graduated from Leadership Great Falls. Leadership Great Falls is a community-wide program designed to identify, educate and motivate potential leaders for the betterment of the Great Falls community.