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2/27: Pilates (12:00 pm, HPER)

2/29: Weights (12:00 pm, HPER)

3/6: Online Return to Learn (12:00-1:30 pm, Register here)

3/8: Spring Tech Day

3/14-15: Board of Regents (Dillon)

3/18-22: Spring Break

3/21-23: International Mining Competition

CONTINUING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Continuing Student Scholarship Application is open and ready to complete by students wanting to apply for scholarships for the 2024-2025 academic year. Continuing students should complete the **General Application** under Continuing Students to be considered for scholarships in the 2024-2025 academic year. The deadline is **March 11, 2024.** Contact financial aid at financialaid@mtech.edu if you have any questions.

STUDENT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR AWARDS

Montana Tech is participating in the Student Employee of the Year awards. Each spring, we coordinate a selection process and choose a Student Employee of the Year (SEOTY) to recognize the outstanding contributions and

achievements of students who work while attending college. The SEOTY process begins with supervisors nominating outstanding student employees at the institutional level. In order to be eligible, the student employee must have worked a minimum of 6 months during the 2023-2024 academic year. Only undergraduate student employees are eligible for consideration.

Supervisors will nominate students by submitting a letter **(two-page maximum)** with the following requirements:
- Briefly describe why you are submitting this student for recognition.
- Briefly outline your student employee's accomplishments over this past year and/or how they have contributed to the work place.
- How does this student exhibit National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) competencies in their position? Please provide specific examples.
- Closing statement.

Supervisors will submit a cover letter with the following information: student name, student's email address, supervisor name, supervisor's email, student job title, and department where student position is held.

All submission letters are due to Ice Demus at studentemployment@mtech.edu by 12:00 pm on **March 1, 2024**. Submission letters must be sent as a PDFs. Submission letters are not to exceed two pages.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE
We are excited to be in the St. Patrick's Day parade again this year. The parade will begin at noon on **Sunday, March 17**, in Uptown Butte. We would love to have a large group of faculty, staff, and students walking in the parade with the Montana Tech and Highlands College entries. Those interested in walking need to be at the Lexington Gardens by our Montana Tech/Highlands College entries by 11:30 am on the 17th. We have Montana Tech shirts for those walking. Please email abadovinac@mtech.edu if you plan to walk and would like a t-shirt. Please wear your best St. Patrick's Day accessories to the parade.

UPCOMING CAREER SERVICES EMPLOYER EVENTS
Career Services is working with employers to help find students jobs and provide workshops that will help you on your journey to find an employer right for you. We have arranged for several to come to campus. Go to DiggerRecruiting-DR 2.0 using the SSO ID to sign in and register for any of the following upcoming events.

- **Hill AFB-Software Engineering Code-a-thon and Pizza**: **March 26**, 3:30 pm-6:30 pm, NRB 228 Recommended Majors: Computer Science, Software Engineering, Cybersecurity and Network Administration, Web Development and Administration

2024 STAFF SENATE AWARD NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN

The 2024 Staff Senate award nominations are now open. We will collect nominations through **March 18**. Nominate at the links below:

Above and Beyond Award (nominated by any Montana Tech employee) can be access [here](#).

Outstanding Staff Award (nominated by students) can be accessed [here](#).