

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE

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AGENDA ITEM NO. 11-b

MOTION NO. 2023-57

REGULAR MEETING
Board of Trustees
September 27, 2023

SUBJECT: Consider Approval - State of Michigan Appropriations for Local Strategic Value

BRIEF: This resolution states that Schoolcraft College has met 5 out of 5 best practices listed in the categories described by the Performance Indicators Task Force under Section 230, Part 2 of the Appropriation Line Item and Boilerplate History from the State of Michigan Senate Fiscal Agency.

Presented to the Board with the recommendation of the President.

RECOMMENDATION:

Moved by Gierak, seconded by Gilligan that the Board of Trustees adopts the following resolution:

WHEREAS Schoolcraft College has met 5 of the 5 best practices outlined in Category A, Economic Development and Business or Industry Partnerships,

WHEREAS Schoolcraft College has met 5 of the 5 best practices outlined in Category B, Educational Partnerships,

WHEREAS Schoolcraft College has met 5 of the 5 best practices outlined in Category C, Community Services,

THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees verifies that Schoolcraft College has met the above best practices described by the Performance Indicators Task Force under Section 230, Part 2 of the Appropriation Line Item and Boilerplate History from the State of Michigan Senate Fiscal Agency.

VOTE: AYE: Breen, Broderick, Gierak, Gilligan, Jaafar, Strom

NAY: None

ABSTAIN: _____

ABSENT: Little

MOTION CARRIED X MOTION DEFEATED _____



Michigan Appropriations for Local Strategic Value

Required

- A Resolution to the Board that certifies to the state budget director on or before October 15, 2023 that the College has met 4 out of 5 best practices listed in each of the three categories.
- The Resolution needs to provide specifics as to how the community college meets each best practice measure within each category.

Category A: Economic Development & Business or Industry Partnerships

- i. The community college has active partnerships with local employers, including hospitals and health care providers.
 - a. Provides a full-service conference and events center facility (VisTaTech Center) for companies and organizations to hold meetings and training events.
 - b. Partners with Garden City Hospital and Trinity Health by providing simulation-training activities for nurses, physicians, and residents in the Health Professions Simulation Laboratory (HPSL) at Schoolcraft College.
 - c. Collaborates with Trinity Health and Corewell Health to initiate employer-sponsored programs for health science students.
 - d. Partners with Trinity Health on the operation of the Elite Sports Center on the Schoolcraft College campus.
 - e. Partners with all major hospital systems in the region to develop internships and employee pipelines in the areas of Nursing, Medical Assisting, Health Information Technology, EMT, Paramedic, Radiologic Technology, Pharmacy Technician, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Surgical Technology, and Biomedical Engineering Technology (BMET).
 - f. Creates agreements with Changan US Research and Development Center, AlphaUSA, NYX, Inc., Hella Electronics Corporation, GenTherm Incorporated, Loc Performance Products, Inc., Rivian Automotive Inc., Magna Lighting, Oerlikon Metco LLC, Actia Electronics, LLC, Infineon Technologies Americas Corp., The Armored Group, LLC, and OHM Advisors, and others to provide training in connection with the Michigan New Jobs Training program for new jobs/positions created over the next several years.
 - g. Collaborates with local manufacturing, fabrication, and tool and die shops (NYX, Roush Engineering, Alpha Engineering, Delta Gear, LOC Performance, and others) to create linkages with the Schoolcraft College Manufacturing, Welding, and Robotics programs. Course content has been tailored at the request of employers to provide a concentrated learning experience through delivery of a "combination" of "boot camp" college credit courses for their incumbent workers, providing advanced manufacturing competencies and opportunities for worker advancement.
 - h. Partners with numerous local companies and government agencies to host and participate in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) initiatives such as

Manufacturing Day, Girls Who Code, Girls in STEM, Engineering Technology Open Houses/Tours, Livonia Public Schools Young Inventors, and Careers in Nursing with Detroit Public Schools.-

- i. Provides career exploration activities for Clarenceville Public School 8th graders as part of our Middle School Career Awareness Program (M-CAP).
 - j. Works directly with K-12 schools to prepare certified K-12 teachers through our state approved Alternate Route to Interim Teacher Certification (ARC) program.
 - k. Collaborates with local businesses, including Aerotek, Autodesk, Fiat Chrysler, Ford Motor, and Nissan worked with Personal and Professional Learning to provide a Digital Sculpture Certificate program and these companies attend the Student Showcase where students display their work for potential employers.
 - l. Provides skills competency sessions for licensed practical or registered nurses who need to demonstrate clinical skills competencies for eligibility to reinstate their nursing licenses via our Nursing Department.
- ii. The community college provides customized on-site training for area companies, employees, or both.
 - a. The Business Development Center Workforce Training Solutions provides custom corporate training to area businesses. Training includes a Leadership Development Academy, English as a Second Language program, and technical training for welders, machinists, and workers in the plastic technology industry, and others.
 - iii. The community college supports entrepreneurship through a small business assistance center or other training or consulting activities targeted toward small businesses.
 - a. The Business Development Center (BDC) serves area businesses through the APEX Accelerator, the Michigan Small Business Development Center (SBDC), and Workforce Training Solutions (WTS).
 - b. The BDC delivers small business and government contracting workshops throughout the year.
 - c. The BDC has been a leader in developing several training courses, which have been adopted by the Michigan Small Business Development Center (SBDC) network. These courses include: Launching Your New Business, Business Legal Issues, Putting Social Media to Work for Your Business, and Small Business Leadership.
 - d. The SBDC is a statewide business assistance program that provides one-on-one counseling, training, and research for entrepreneurs who wish to launch or grow their Michigan small business.
 - e. APEX Accelerator (previously known as the Procurement Technical Assistance Center) is also one of Schoolcraft College's most requested services. For companies interested in securing government contracts, APEX offers one-on-one-counseling and provides an opportunity to address specific client issues; for example: bid review/preparation assistance, subcontracting opportunities, marketing strategies, troubleshooting, and guidance tailored to client-specific needs. This service is free of charge.
 - iv. The community college supports technological advancement through industry partnerships, incubation activities, or operation of a Michigan technical education center or other advanced technology center.
 - a. The College opened a new Manufacturing and Engineering Center in 2020 devoted to training students and industry employees in areas including machining, welding,

metallurgy, computer-aided design, electronics, engineering, robotics, and mechatronics.

- b. The College has partnered with several colleges and the robot manufacturer, FANUC, to secure a U.S. Department of Labor grant to provide training in automation and robotics.
 - c. The College is a Certified Training Center for FANUC robots.
 - d. Schoolcraft College is an American Welding Society Accredited Test Facility, providing third-party welding accreditation for students and local companies.
 - e. Schoolcraft College is a Smart Automation Certification Alliance (SACA) Certified Training Center, providing third-party certification for Industry 4.0 credentials.
 - f. The Society of Plastics Engineers and local companies have donated money, supplies, and equipment to the College to support the Plastic Technology programs.
 - g. The College partners with the American Culinary Federation (ACF) to provide testing for ACF certification of chefs. The College has been the host site for the exclusive ACF Certified Master Chef exam for the past several years.
- v. The community college has active partnerships with local or regional workforce and economic development agencies.
- a. Schoolcraft College has active partnerships with the following:
 - a. Workforce Intelligence Network (WIN) for Southeast Michigan - WIN is a comprehensive and cohesive workforce development system comprised of local community colleges and Michigan Works! agencies to provide employers with the best workforce and to develop the talent of the region. One of our administrators is a member of WIN's Board. We are collaborating with WIN on a number of workforce development grants aimed at enhancing training opportunities for southeast Michigan residents.
 - b. Partners with universities, community colleges, workforce development agencies, and advocacy groups to develop training programs for the mobility industry (e.g., chosen as one of two community colleges for a grant from the MEDC to develop curriculum for computer science applications to the mobility industry).
 - c. MEDC – Schoolcraft was awarded over \$500,000 to provide training and certification in the areas of advanced manufacturing and robotics.
 - d. Awarded \$1M in federal funding for development of curriculum focused on Industry 4.0 credentials.
 - e. The Livonia Workforce Development Council consists of approximately 20 leaders from local businesses, city, education, and the Livonia Chamber of Commerce. The team meets several times a year to develop plans to address workforce needs in the community.
 - f. The College is represented as a committee member on the Southeast Michigan Community Alliance Career Educational Advisory Council.
 - g. The College partners with local MiWorks! agencies to identify, train, and employ under- or unemployed residents.
 - h. The College is a member of the Southeast Michigan Healthcare Alliance, working with health care providers and training centers to provide relevant and timely training opportunities to fill the employment needs of the healthcare community.

Category B: Educational Partnerships

- i. The community college has active partnerships with regional high schools, intermediate school districts, and career-tech centers to provide instruction through dual enrollment, early college, or academy programs.
 - a. Starkweather High School and the Cyber Academy implemented Schoolcraft College's College And Beyond (CAB) 102 into their curriculum.
 - b. Western International High School in Detroit Public Schools implemented Schoolcraft College's CAB 102 into their course sequence for their teacher Career Pathways/CTE.
 - c. Partnered with Clarenceville Public School to provide career exploration activities for 8th graders as part of our Middle School Career Awareness Program (M-CAP).
 - d. SC Edge Early College is available at Airport High School (Monroe County), Northville Public Schools, and the Downriver Career Technical Consortium. Districts that have been approved by the State of Michigan and plan to use the SC Edge Early College program in 2024 include Plymouth Canton Community Schools and Wayne Westland Schools. Academic options include General Business, Criminal Justice, and Computer Information Systems- Programming.
 - e. Business Academy partnership with Plymouth Canton Community Schools (PCCS), Schoolcraft College, and Wayne State University, in which four business classes from the Business Academy are articulated with Schoolcraft College and transferable to Wayne State University.
 - f. The Criminal Justice program at Schoolcraft College offers dual enrollment classes for the Crestwood School District. Seniors at Crestwood High School attend two Criminal Justice courses during their senior year and they receive six college credits upon successful completion of the college courses. The Fire Technology program offers dual enrollment for high school seniors from the school districts of South Redford, Van Buren Township, and Gibraltar-Carlson to attend the Fire Fighter 1 and Fire Fighter 2 courses.
 - g. The College has representation on the Wayne County College Access Network Leadership Team, which is a consortium of colleges, K-12 districts, and community advocates with the primary purpose of paving the way for students to continue to college and careers.
 - h. The College maintains formal articulation agreements in several program areas with Livonia Public Schools, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Novi Community Schools, William D. Ford Academy, and the Livingston Intermediate Career and Technical Education Consortium, among others.
 - i. The College has numerous K-12 and university academic articulation agreements and transfer guides.
 - j. The Teacher Education and Alternative Route to Interim Teacher Certification (ARC) programs have agreements with many K-12 school districts throughout the state.
- ii. The community college hosts, sponsors, or participates in enrichment programs for area K-12 students, such as college days, summer or after-school programming, or science Olympiad.
 - a. The College's Personal and Professional Learning (PPL) work with the superintendents and assistant superintendents of the five K-12 districts in the College

district and other area districts to create and offer professional development sessions for their teachers and administrators. The College provides a speaker and workspace for all districts each August in the annual "Opening Day for K-12 Administrators."

- b. The teacher recertification classes offered through Personal and Professional Learning (PPL) allow teachers to obtain the classes needed for the State Continuing Education Clock Hours (SCECH) to maintain their certifications.
 - c. PPL runs a vibrant Kids on Campus (KOC) program for students ranging from preschool through grade 12; programs expose students to the arts, science, manufacturing, culinary arts, and other campus programs. More than 3000 K-12 students routinely participate in this program. In addition, more than 150 middle and high school students have participated in summer academic skills classes designed to support, enhance, and stimulate their reading, writing, math, science, and study skills.
 - d. The College hosts an annual Middle School Night to introduce the idea of college and various career options to middle school students and their parents.
 - e. The College hosts science events such as Science Olympiad, Girls Who Code, Manufacturing Day, and Girls in STEM to excite upper elementary and middle school students about STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics).
 - f. Schoolcraft College partners with numerous local companies and government agencies to host and participate in National Manufacturing Day, Young Inventors, Girls in STEM, and Engineering Technology Open Houses.
 - g. The college hosted students from Saline High School and Ann Arbor Skyline High School, as well as Eastern Michigan University undergraduates that worked on a project poster presentation funded by the Michigan Space Grant Consortium. The students grew biofilms in the Huron River for 13 days and then used Schoolcraft College's Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM) in variable pressure modes to perform the imaging.
 - h. The department of Music at Schoolcraft College hosts the Piano Academy and associated competitions to train and showcase youth musicians in piano. Children as young as 7 through 18-years-old participate in private lessons on Schoolcraft College's main campus.
- iii. The community college provides, supports, or participates in programming to promote successful transitions to college for traditional age students, including grant programs such as talent search, upward bound, or other activities to promote college readiness in area high schools and community centers.
- . Learning Support Services collaborates with the Admissions department for their annual High School Counselor workshops. The goal is to work together to provide students what they need to make a successful transition to high school.
 - a. Several workshops are offered for mathematics support throughout the year via online webinars, which are accessible to the greater community by visiting the Schoolcraft College website.
 - b. Math JumpStart is offered before each semester and available to any prospective math students to strengthen math skills.
 - c. Writing JumpStart is offered at the Public Safety Training Center before each semester to hone students' technical writing skills.
 - d. The Scholars Honors Program provides outreach and promotional materials to local high school students and their parents so they can learn about the program and get an early start on the application process.

- e. The college reaches out to local high schools to present an opportunity to be part of the IDEA (Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Access) Fellowship Program, a leadership development program at Schoolcraft College that offers unique experiences to develop students as changemakers and leaders. IDEA Fellows receive scholarships, leadership training, networking opportunities, and create educational programs. This program also prepares students to become professionals entering a global and diverse workplace. The goal is to support student success and reduce time to goal completion.
 - f. Step Ahead with Schoolcraft College offered remote student success seminars specific to 9-12 grade students. Seminars focused on being successful in college classes, time management, study strategies, writing support, and math specific study strategies. High school students from Plymouth Canton Educational Park attended.
 - g. Scholars Honors Students reached out to local K-12 partners to offer remote tutoring in multiple disciplines.
 - h. With support from a grant facilitated by the Michigan Community College Association, the college facilitated a 2-week college prep summer bridge program for new and returning students, which became an extension of the 9-12 grade Step Ahead with Schoolcraft College program. Students who participated in the summer bridge received academic support and scholarship for a College and Beyond course, a Chromebook, supplies, and a transportation stipend.
 - i. The Financial Aid office provides off campus FASFA Completion workshops for Pontiac, Clarenceville Garden City, and South Redford School Districts.
 - j. The Admissions office regularly offers remote information sessions about becoming a Dual Enrolled student for parents/guardians and students.
- iv. The community college provides, supports, or participates in programming to promote successful transitions to college for new or reentering adult students, such as adult basic education, GED preparation and testing, or recruiting, advising, or orientation activities specific to adults.
- a. Personal and Professional Learning provides non-credit courses for remediation in math and English, test preparation, ESL (English as a Second Language), and GED attainment. Schoolcraft College is also a member of the Region 16 Consortium that aligns Adult Basic Education programs in local school districts with college-readiness requirements to ensure smooth and successful transition to college for reentering adults.
 - b. Personal and Professional Learning provides reasonably priced training in several workplace skills: basic to advanced computer/technology training, teacher recertification, and career training (Project Management, Event Planner, Photography Certificate, Digital Sculpting, and online courses for Administrative Assistant, accounting, and other career areas).
 - c. Personal and Professional Learning provides free information sessions for many of the career programs they offer, including Digital Sculpting with Autodesk Alias, Project Management, and Enrolled Agents to help the community learn about these career pathways.
 - d. The Admissions office regularly offers remote information sessions about the MI Reconnect grant and applying to Schoolcraft College.
 - e. The Admissions and Marketing Office coordinated a week of activities during MI Reconnect Week to address topics such as financial aid, student success, admissions and adult student experience.

- v. The community college has active partnerships with regional four-year colleges and universities to promote successful transfer, such as articulation, 2+2, or reverse transfer agreements or operation of a university center.
 - a. Schoolcraft College has dozens of signed articulations agreements with over 15 public and private colleges. These articulations serve as a bridge between the associate and bachelor's degree and allow Schoolcraft College students to take additional credit hours beyond the associate degree before transferring out to a college or university. Participating universities include: Wayne State University, Eastern Michigan University, Davenport University, Ferris State University, Central Michigan University, Madonna University, Oakland University, University of Michigan-Dearborn, University of Michigan-Flint, Northwood University, and University of Detroit Mercy.
 - b. Schoolcraft is a participating member in the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) with other community colleges and university partners. Students are provided a selection of transferable courses under the English, Humanities, Mathematics, Natural Sciences, and Social Sciences disciplines.
 - c. The College is an active participant in the MiTransfer Pathways initiative where the representatives from 28 community colleges and public and private four-year institutions are collaborating to make transfer paths clearer for Michigan transfer students with statewide articulations in the following disciplines: Psychology, Business, Criminal Justice, Biology, Communication, Social Work, Mechanical Engineering, Computer Science and Information Systems, Art, English, and Public Health and Exercise Science. To date, Schoolcraft College has signed ten out of twelve joint articulation agreements as a result of this partnership. In addition, the Michigan Transfer Network (MTN), a public database that warehouses how courses transfer between colleges, has been drastically upgraded.
 - d. As an addendum to MiTransfer Pathways, Schoolcraft College is participating in a Community College Research Center (CCRC)-sponsored research project about similar pathways for Humanities disciplines like English, Communications, Theater, and Art with the intent to develop articulation agreements with 4-year institutions across Michigan.
 - e. The new Center for Experiential Learning (CEL) is an access hub for existing signature programs like Honors Schools, Service Learning, STEAMz, and other academic endorsements. Future initiatives include the Social Impact scholarships and a Humanities in Action Network. The CEL was funded through a \$370,000 grant from the Mellon Foundation the University of Michigan Transfer Bridges to Humanities program. The aim is to offer students easier access to high-impact learning opportunities that will make them competitive transfer students.
 - f. The Honors Program has articulation agreements in place with University of Michigan – Dearborn, Eastern Michigan University, and Wayne State University, to provide seamless honors program progression for transferring Schoolcraft students.

Category C: Community Services

- i. The community college provides continuing education programming for leisure, wellness, personal enrichment, or professional development.
 - a. Personal and Professional Learning (PPL) offers a wide range of classes and programs designed to meet the ever-changing needs of the community with both

- personal and professional learning opportunities.
- b. The Career Services department maintains the Career Coach website, which offers free career exploration tools for prospective and current students and members of the community. The tools take participants from an initial interest assessment through discovering potential careers, which ultimately leads to connecting with Schoolcraft programs that align with the chosen career path.
 - c. The Fitness Center supports programming for the community directly related to wellness.
- ii. The community college operates or sponsors opportunities for community members to engage in activities that promote leisure, wellness, cultural, or personal enrichment such as community sports teams, theater or musical ensembles, or artist guilds.
- a. The American Harvest Restaurant, JC Café, Main Street Café, Fitness Center, and Bradner Library are open to the public. The Music Noon and Evening Recital Series, Schoolcraft College Dinner Theater, Piano Academy, and Synthesizer Ensemble, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Band, and Choral Union are instructional experiences open to the community; these groups also give public performances. The College also has ongoing collaborations with Michigan Philharmonic and the Michigan Jazz Festival. Other events include: School Daze and Public Safety Career Expo, Allied Health & Nursing Job Fair, Senior Expo, College Night, and Middle School Night, Focus Series, Pageturners, *MacGuffin Journal*, *Community College Enterprise Journal*, Earth Day, MLK Day, Annual Student Art Fair, Constitution Day Celebration, International Institute, and the Geographic Information Systems Fair.
 - b. The Hinkle Center hosts regular Ask an Attorney and Money Matters in Divorce informational sessions which are open to the public.
 - c. The Schoolcraft College Theatre department presented three productions in 2022-2023 – two of which are by prolific Michigan playwrights and Schoolcraft faculty, Joe Zettlemeir and Michael Alan Herman.
 - d. Schoolcraft College has an English as a Second Language (ESL) program for the College's international community and business members. Credit or non-credit courses are offered, based on need.
 - e. International Learning Support provides ongoing assistance outside of the ESL classrooms.
 - f. Spooktacular is a Halloween event in which members of the community are welcomed to our campus for a trick or treat event with hands-on activities stations.
- iii. The community college operates public facilities to promote cultural, educational, or personal enrichment for community members, such as libraries, computer labs, performing arts centers, museums, art galleries, or television or radio stations.
- a. The American Harvest Restaurant, JC Café, Main Street Café, Elite Market are restaurant and food outlets available to the public. The College will be opening a new Craft Grille (brewpub) that will feature beer produced by students in the Brewing and Distillation Technology program.
 - b. The Bradner Library is open to the public and provides print and digital resources and access to computers.
 - c. The Kerhl Auditorium hosts The Noon Music and Evening Recital Series.
 - d. The James R. Hartman Theatre is the location for our Schoolcraft College theatre productions, which are open to the public.

- e. Additional music spaces are provided for the Piano Academy, and Synthesizer Ensemble, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Band, and Choral Union which are all instructional experiences open to the community; these groups also give public performances. The College also has ongoing collaborations with the Michigan Philharmonic Orchestra and the Michigan Jazz Festival, using various spaces on campus.
- iv. The community college operates public facilities to promote leisure or wellness activities for community members, including gymnasiums, athletic fields, fitness center, hiking or biking trails, or natural areas.
 - a. Community members may use the College's fitness facilities through programs such as Family Sunday Open Swim, in addition to the wide range of non-credit physical education classes. The Fitness Center welcomes community participation. The handball, paddleball, racquetball, pickleball, and wallyball courts are also available to the community for use through the Fitness Center. Additionally, there is an indoor walking track for public use.
 - b. Schoolcraft College partnered with St. Joseph's Hospital (Trinity Health Care), Mercy Elite (athletic performance), the Hawks and Wolves soccer clubs, and Legacy Sports to build the St. Joe's Sports Dome and the Trinity Elite Sports Center that are used for sports activities for Schoolcraft students and the community.
 - c. The Metal Sculpture Art Walk is a designated outdoor trail consisting of 14 student created metal sculptures.
 - v. The community college promotes, sponsors, or hosts community service activities for students, staff, or community members.
 - a. Schoolcraft Honors Scholars, Service Learning Endorsement program, and Schoolcraft Global Endorsement established a food pantry for those students and their families who may be impacted by financial hardship.
 - b. The College offers our community members a free math JumpStart program to help participants learn and/or brush up on basic math skills.
 - c. The College's Bradner Library was selected to serve as a Federal Depository Library. This ensures that the College's community has access to government information. Government Publishing Office (GPO) administers the Federal Depository Library Program (FDLP) on behalf of Bradner and the public. Information products from the Federal Government are disseminated to our College that, in turn, ensures the community has free access to the materials, both in print and online. The Library has been selected to serve in a national pilot study with the U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO). This provides Bradner access to a Cataloging Record Distribution Program (CRDP), along with 99 other libraries.
 - d. Schoolcraft Service Learning has continued to grow extending new partnerships with Hegira Health, Cass Community Services, Soar Detroit, Corner Shower & Laundry, and the Living & Learning Enrichment Center.
 - a. Schoolcraft College publishes several renowned publications that are distributed and enjoyed locally and internationally. *The MacGuffin* is a literary journal that began in 1984 with the mission to encourage, support, and enhance the literary arts in the Schoolcraft College community, the region, the state, and the nation. *The Community College Enterprise*, established in 2004, is a peer-reviewed research journal publishing original research that expands the knowledge about the structure and nature of teaching and learning within the community college arena. *The International Agenda*, established in 1996, is the official magazine of the Schoolcraft College International Institute. It features news and in-depth articles focused on issues and approaches relevant to international and intercultural education.

- b. The Career Services Office hosts job fairs that are open to the public. Job fairs typically attract 50-70 employers and 300-400 job-seekers. Career Services employment assistance services are available to the public for free.
- c. Career Services partners with the Accounting Aid Society to host an open-to-the-public information session on accounting careers and paid accounting internship opportunities.
- d. College Central is a job postings website provided by Career Services as a service to students, alumni, employers, and community residents. More than 600 employers have registered on the site and more than 2,000 jobs have been posted.
- e. Personal and Professional Learning has partnered with the Alzheimer's Association - Greater Michigan Chapter to create and offer a Dementia Care Certificate for professionals working with people living with dementia.
- f. The Student Activities Office has produced 200 events planned and executed in 2022-2023. With the participation of students, staff and faculty, Student Activities achieved attendance of over 10,000 students and guests. 728 students became club and organization members and participated in both on-campus and in the surrounding community through campus-related programs and community service projects.
- g. One of the first projects that our students worked on in the summer of 2022 is the annual Student Leadership Workshop. The purpose of this session is to have the student leaders create sustainable partnerships and carry ideas through the fall and winter semesters. Topics discussed at this session included food insecurity, public transportation, mental health, guided pathways, wellness and fitness, DEI and learning support. There were 23 student leaders at this half day retreat.
- h. Our largest group, Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society, initiated 25 service and informational projects and partnered with 30 others. The Omicron Iota Chapter was recognized as one of the Most Distinguished Chapters in Phi Theta Kappa, earning the following awards at the Michigan Regional convention on April 22, 2023
 - Achieved Five Star Chapter
 - Awarded top 50 Most Distinguished Chapter in the entire society. (Nearly 1300 chapters in PTK)
 - Honors in Action Hallmark – Omicron Iota Chapter- placed top 40 in the entire society.
- i. Major initiatives undertaken by Student Activities this year related to Community Service include:
 - Michigan Community College Press Association - The Schoolcraft Connection –13 awards at “Press Day”. Honorable Mention: General Excellence
 - Michigan Press Association – The Schoolcraft Connection – 13 awards including 3rd place in the State in Division 3 for college newspapers. 3rd Place Schoolcraft College/ The Connection
 - Michigan Blood – Three Blood Drives on Campus with PTK and Nursing Association collected 83 pints of blood over the course of the three drives.
 - Thayer’s Park – Northville Park clean up twice a year – PTK, The Environmental Club and SAB participated - Tasks include: cleaning the barn, painting, raking and cleaning up the grounds. 7 students attended each time. Additionally, our student leaders created a vegetable garden at Thayers Corner for the third year in a row. All the yield from the garden comes back to the campus and the Schoolcraft College Food Pantry.
 - Toys for Tots – Collected toys for registered kids in a program coordinated on campus with the Project Playhem Gaming Club, Toys for Tots of Oakland

- County and the US Marines. Collected over 1000 toys that were donated.
- On campus 1066 lbs. of food collected for the Schoolcraft College food pantry that has been redistributed to students in need on campus. Additional funds raised through various events have also gone to purchase food to restock the pantry. Tasks include: publicity, meeting with classes that are using the project for service learning programs, stocking the pantry, coordinating empty bowl fundraiser, shopping for product that we are low on, pick up product from the donation food bins on campus.
 - 24 Thanksgiving Basket giveaways for Schoolcraft College students and their families. Phi Theta Kappa assisted with fundraising to pay for this donation.
 - Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Campus Police, and Save Our Youth Coalition and 14 other community organizations participated in The Mocktail program was coordinated by The Student Activities Board and co-sponsored by the Student Relations Department and the Save Our Youth Coalition.
 - Detroit Economic Club Luncheon – 4 in the 2022-23 school year – PTK, SAB, The Connection Newspaper, Business Club, and Career Services Office participated. The Business Club publicized the opportunity to students on campus. Our students attended 4 events with 8-10 students each time.
 - The Otaku Anime organization produced the first comic con ever on our campus. This event drew 630 people in the first year and raised \$365 for our charity partner, SPN Survivors.
 - The Asian Student Organization continues to produce the Navratri and Diwali Celebrations of which all proceeds go to the Schoolcraft Food Pantry.
 - Our PTK officers worked closely with the president's office to lobby some state representatives in Lansing regarding the funding formula and to advocate for a more equitable solution for colleges who are getting less funding.
 - The SAO hosted Joe and Barb Rogers from the Wildlife Recovery Association.
 - Our students have been enterprising to raise funds to participate in activities that matter to them. In fact, overall, our groups have collectively risen over \$51,000 this school year to create more opportunities for their membership, create scholarships and help community groups.