

PEN / IDOC Rockville Call Center raises \$11K for Riley Children's Hospital



PEN Industries



Congrats Hobart!

The Correctional Industrial Facility's Grace College Instructor Rachel Hobart recently received the Commissioner's Award for Educator of the Year for 2018.



IYC Chaplain Recognized

Chaplain Bobby Paige was awarded the Commissioner's Award for Volunteer Services Employee of the Year.



Vanatti's Wins Commissioner Award

Congratulations to Eric Vanatti for winning the Commissioner's Award for Parole Employee of the Year!

This Week's Events



Indiana Women's Prison Donates to Riley Children's Hospital

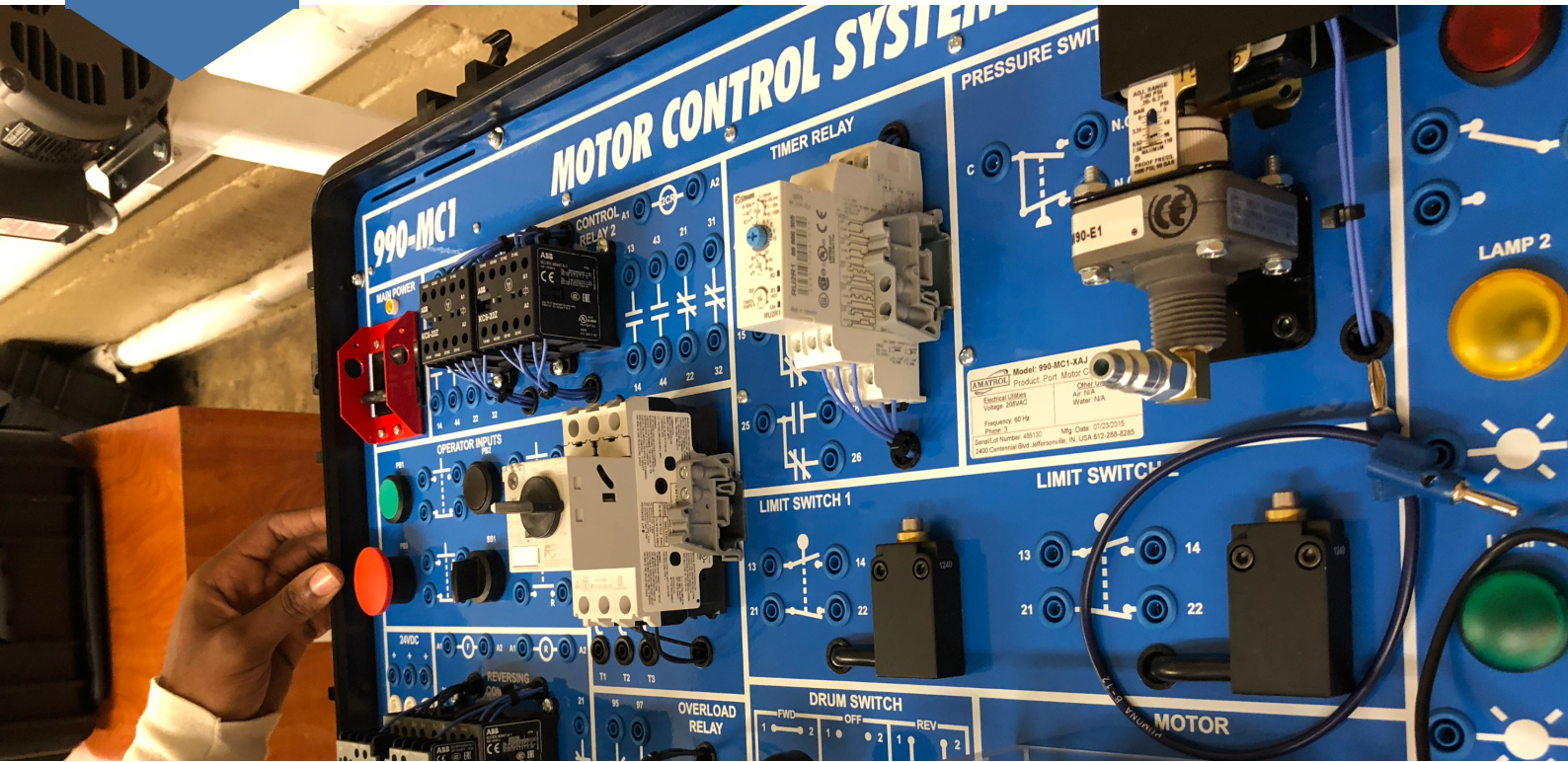
On October 12, 2018 the PLUS program at Indiana Women's Prison donated the following items: 10 scarves and hats, 2 lap blankets, 15 bracelets, 20 finger puppets, a couple large bags of pop tabs from various housing units and \$1500 to Riley Children's Hospital foundation. This foundation's mission is to improve pediatric research, educational opportunities for physicians and medical students, summer adventures and family friendly facilities. The foundation has helped families all over the United States. "We feel so privileged to be part of this experience," stated PLUS Program participants.



Mock Scenario at Wabash Valley

On October 16th the Wabash Valley Correctional Facility (WVCF) conducted its annual mock scenario. Participants included Incident Command Post Staff, the Public Information Officer, On-Duty Custody Staff, Master Locations Staff, Wexford Staff, E-Squad and K9. The goal was to test how staff respond in an emergency situation. The scenario was followed by a debriefing that allowed the facility's executive staff to evaluate the emergency plan currently in place, as well as any possible training needs. Warden Brown commented, "I couldn't be more proud of the staff and the way they handled the scenario. The teams performed at a high level and proved they have been training hard for any emergency that may occur."

This Week's Events



IDOC Partners w/ Ivy Tech to provide HVAC Education to Offenders

Preparing for the future is what five (5) offenders at the Pendleton Correctional Facility's Outside Dormitory (OSD) were considering when they enrolled in a motors and motor controls course. On October 12, 2018 those five (5) men successfully graduated from the program with the intent on gaining future employment in the HVAC and Maintenance industry. The course taught by Ivy Tech Instructor, Terry Adamson was originally scheduled as a 16 week course, but was condensed to 10 weeks educating the men on the theory of Ohm's Law, identifying motors in commercial and residential applications, methods for controlling motor speeds, selecting and installing motors, soldering, electrical print reading and troubleshooting. The condensed program required the men to put forth an extra effort in learning the trade at an accelerated pace.

"Mr. Adamson's enthusiasm in working with these men to learn a trade they can build upon and acquire a well-paying job after incarceration has inspired them as individuals to envision a positive future. It has been a privilege to work alongside Mr. Adamson and we hope to successfully continue training offenders to enter into a well-paying workforce and leave criminal activity behind," stated James Rector, OSD Program Coordinator.

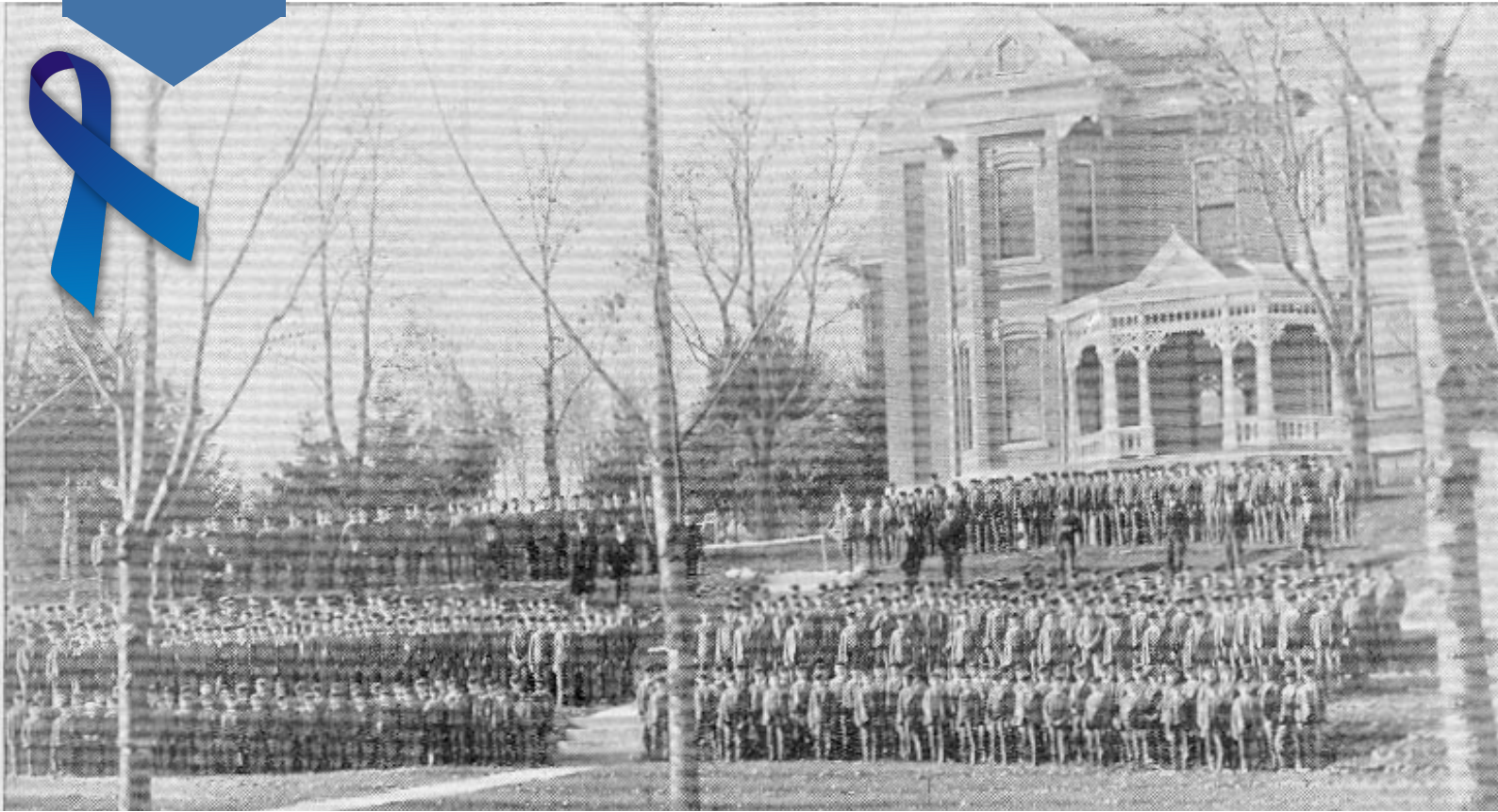


Chain O's CNC Graduation

The Indiana Department of Correction joined its partner, Ivy Tech Community College Fort Wayne campus, to celebrate the second graduating cohort of male offenders who have earned their National Institute of Metalworking Skills (NIMS) certifications during a Workplace Computerized Numerical Control (CNC) training class.

Warden Charles E. Bowen commented to the graduates, "Congratulations on your achievement, this is giving you an opportunity for a career not just a job, fantastic accomplishment for you and your families."

Remembering Fallen Staff



Remembering David Livette and Paul Stokesberry

David Livette and Paul Stokesberry, who worked at the Indiana Boys School (now Heritage Trail Correctional) both passed on October 17, 1918.

In 1918 the Spanish Flu pandemic hit the world infecting an estimated 500 million people worldwide. Livette and Stokesberry volunteered to help care for the sick boys at the facility and unfortunately contracted the flu themselves. Both men died from complications as a result from the influenza virus.



Remembering William Spears and Ora Ambrose

William Spears and Ora Ambrose of the Indiana Boys School both passed on October 18, 1913.

In 1913 three boys escaped the Indiana Boys School in Plainfield, IN. Spears and Ambrose had been searching for the boys but at dusk the search was called off. On the drive back to the institution their vehicle was struck by an eastbound train killing them both instantly.

Please take a moment of silence to remember all four staff members for their sacrifice.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Putnamville's Prison Greyhounds Dog Wash

CTI's Blood Drive

Benefit Dog Wash!



Let us wash and dry your dirty dog (we'll even give him a nail trim!)

Saturday, Oct. 27, 9-4 and Sunday, Oct. 28, 10-12:30

PetPeople
Good. Healthy. Fun.

in Indianapolis at 1300 East 86th St. (in Nora Plaza near Whole Foods) and in Carmel at 2480 East 146th St. (next to Fresh Market)

Wash & dry: \$12
Nail trim: \$10 (clippers) OR \$15 (Dremel)

Free treat bag with every wash!

Don't miss the raffle for great prizes!

Visit us at www.PrisonGreyhounds.org

No reservations necessary! Just bring those dirty dogs!



Give blood.

Every 2 seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood.

American Red Cross



Blood Drive Correctional Training Institute

Classroom A
2050 N. County Road 50 East
New Castle

**Thursday, October 25
9:00 AM to 3:00 PM**

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS or go to redcrossblood.org, sponsor code "idocnewcastle" to schedule your blood donation appointment.

1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | redcrossblood.org | Download the Blood Donor App

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Classifieds

Donations Needed

Putnamville is starting a new art class! We would greatly appreciate donations of any of the following items:

- Sketchbooks (9x12)
- Pink erasers
- Colored Pencils (Bulk)
- #2 Pencils
- Stumps & Tortillion Art Blenders
- Painters Tape or Masking Tape
- Clear Acrylic Sealer
- Acrylic Paints (Assorted Colors)
- Water Color Paints
- Paint Brushes (Flat and round)
- 4" Wide Paint Brushes
- Mini Paint Brushes
- Primed Canvas Panel Boards 8x10
- Cotton Canvas 12" Wide Roll (if we want a large mural done)

Donations can be dropped off at any IDOC facility or Parole District. Simply email us to make arrangements at DOCoutreach@idoc.IN.gov.

IDOC Opportunities!

Indiana Women's Prison
Job Title: Correctional Lieutenant
Job ID: 617745

Pendleton Correctional
Job Title: Correctional Sergeant
Job ID: 619137

Miami Correctional
Job Title: Correctional Captain
Job ID: 619097

Central Office
Job Title: Field Auditor 2
Job ID: 619088

Miami Correctional
Job Title: Correctional Lieutenant
Job ID: 619098

Branchville Correctional
Job Title: Intelligence Analyst
Job ID: 618996

Central Office
Job Title: Applications System Analyst
Job ID: 618999

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Co-Worker Joe



Details

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Hey, I have a great cost savings idea for work!

3:52 PM



Awesome! 😊 You should send it to NextLevelIdeas@idoc.in.gov

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