ALUMNI PROFILE - Kellie Einck (Auto Service ‘14, Diesel Technology ‘14, Clerical Accounting ‘15) was recently named the National Champion in the Agricultural Mechanics Repair and Maintenance contest during the National FFA Convention on October 30. There were 610,000 FFA members, with 196 chosen as Proficiency Finalist. Of these 196, only four finalists were chosen in each category. With the skills Kellie learned at NCC, she was able to edge out the competition to be ranked #1 in the nation! NCC is proud of you, Kellie!

CONSTRUCTION – BIG & SMALL! NCC’s façade is eternally changing! Some are large scale projects (the Applied Technologies Building- opening in Spring 2016) and some are minor cosmetic updates (remodeled bathroom in Building B) but all show how NCC continues to evolve!

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY NCC! NCC’s 50th Anniversary celebrations officially start on January 1, 2016! Be watching for year-long recognition and activities!

ELECTRICAL CEU’s - NCC will offer an electrical course that will review various areas in the 2014 National Electrical Code. This 3 hour course will be given on Thursday November 12, 2015 from 6-9pm in Building C. The fee is $65. This course is approved for 3 Iowa electrical code-related CEHs. For more information about the class or to register, call 800-352-4907.

DAYS OF THUNDER - Our annual Days of Thunder festivities were held from October 19-24, 2015 and included numerous student driven activities like the Money Tree and a 3-on-3 Basketball tournament, Manufacturing Day, the Thunder Road Race, and even another attempt to break a Guinness World Record. This year’s challenge was to break the longest string of “selfie” photographs. During our attempt, NCC students, faculty and staff took 445 selfies, falling short of the current record of 531. Regardless of the outcome, fun times and lasting memories were had by all the participants!

#GIVINGTUESDAY - #GivingTuesday is a global day of giving fueled by the power of social media. Observed on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving, Black Friday and Cyber Monday, #GivingTuesday kicks off the charitable season, when many focus on their holiday and end-of-year giving. NCC will be participating in this event this year! Please consider a gift to NCC as you contemplate your philanthropic involvement. All gifts given during #GivingTuesday will go towards helping current NCC students with emergency funds. Your gift can be given through NCC’s social media sites or with traditional giving methods. All donations, regardless of size, are appreciated!

Text “NCC” to 41444 to give by credit card today!