DATES TO REMEMBER

— Science Symposium * — April 28, 12:15-1:15 p.m., North Mall Meeting Room

- Sentence: Flying in Place III * --April 28 & 29, 7:30 p.m., April 30, 2:30 p.m., Dickinson Building Main Stage

— **Spring Fling *** — May 1, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., East Lawn Patio

— Early College Scholars Ceremony * — May 4, 6:30 p.m., William Monroe High School, Greene County

— PVCC Pottery Club: Bowls & Bunuelos — May 5, 4:30-6:30 p.m., Dickinson Building

> — Spring 2023 Exam Week — May 2-8

— **Radiography Pinning Ceremony** * — May 9, 6 p.m., Dickinson Building Main Stage

— Sonography Pinning Ceremony * — May 10, 6 p.m., Dickinson Building Main Stage

— Nursing Pinning Ceremony * — May 12, 1 p.m., John Paul Jones Arena

 — 50th Commencement Ceremony * — May 12, 6 p.m., John Paul Jones Arena

— 10-week Summer Classes Begin — May 22

- Memorial Day: College Closed, No Classes - May 22

— Juneteenth: College Closed, No Classes — June 23

— Independence Day: College Closed, No Classes — July 4

> — Fall 2023 16-week Classes Begin — August 21

*Free Event ^Student Vouchers Available

Editor's Note

Makenzie McCoy, assistant editor

When I first began attending PVCC, I was 16, a dual-enrollment student, and didn't really know what I wanted out of a college experience. However, I was certain that I had a passion for writing and wanted to pursue it.

During my first semester, I earned my first three credits in ENG 111. The following semester in the Fall of 2022, I enrolled in ENG 112 but was eager to try a type of writing that I hadn't before. After meeting with an adviser, I decided that I wanted to give journalism a try and enrolled in ENG 121 as well.

Over the span of the 16-week course, I gained a substantial amount of knowledge and experience that has already taken me incredibly far in pursuing a career in journalism. Professor of English Dr. Tamara Whyte has taught and supported me since the day that I first stepped into her classroom for ENG 121, and I could not be more thankful. I am excited to see what is to come for me in my career and will always give attribution and gratitude to PVCC and *The Forum*.



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