

Alumni Spotlight

enjoying his retirement after a long career of public service. Although retired, he still serves his community as the Chairman of the Wood/Wirt Local Emergency Planning Committee, Vice President of the Wood County Airport Authority, and a member of the Wood County Fire Board.

Prior to his retirement, Terry served as a Lieutenant Colonel in the United States Marine Corps, was the West Virginia Aerospace Education Coordinator, and the Mid-Ohio Valley Regional Airport Manager.



GSU President Dr. Mark Manchin at 2021 GSU Night at Power Park

GSU Night at Power Park

Make plans to join your fellow Pioneers at Appalachian Power Park in Charleston, West Virginia for an evening of baseball and fun. Saturday, June 11 will be Glenville State Night at Power Park wear your royal blue and cheer on the Charleston Dirty Birds while reconnecting with old friends! Glenville State University is also the game day sponsor and will be providing a fireworks show at the conclusion of the game.

Party Patio tickets (which include admission, food, and drinks) are available for \$25 through the Glenville State University Office of Alumni Affairs by clicking here. General admission tickets for the game can be purchased through the Charleston Dirty Birds Box Office, online, by phone at (304) 344-2287, or the day of the game.

Gates open at 5:30PM and game time is set for 6:35PM.

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this successful without GSU."

We are pleased to feature

Spotlight and proud to call him an Almnus of Glenville State University.

and has previously served as the Director of the Hidden Promise Scholars Program and as Interim Director of Almissions.

"I am so thankful and honored to have received this award. Think you to my colleagues for your teamwork, support, and appreciation. It is great to part of the Pioneer family!" she added.

several employees for their many years of service at Glenville State University in addition to other awards given to individual members of the campus community.

GSU recognizes employees beginning with 15 years of service; subsequent employment milestones are recognized in five-year increments.

Those recognized for their years of service in 2022 included:

35 Years of Service

Linda Graff, Physical Plant Administrative Secretary

20 Years of Service

Dr. Kevin Ev

15 Years of Service

David McEntire, Lecturer of Exercise Science

Additionally, Associate Professor of Mathematics Dr. Wenwen Du was recognized for receiving the Faculty Award of Excellence.



GSU volunteers (I-r) Tom Snyder '82, Chloe Richardson, Mark Radcliff, and Lexi Pletcher '22 at Canaan Valley Resort State Park.

Land Resources Students Volunteer at Canaan Valley State Park

In late April, several Glenville State University Department of Land Resources students visited Canaan Valley Resort State Park for a volunteer opportunity. The opportunity was arranged by Tom Snyder and the Superintendent of Canaan Valley State Park, Don McFarlan.

In addition to Snyder, the students who volunteered included Chloe Richardson, Mark ardson is in the Natural Resource Management Wildlife

Management program while Radcliff and Pletcher are both in the Natural Resource Management Forest Technology program.

"At Canaan, we used the cut-stump method when removing invasive species. For example, an autumn olive would be cut at the base with a chainsaw and glyphosate would be applied to the sapwood on the face of the stump. This kills the root of the plant and prevents it from resprouting," Pletcher explained.

Removing invasive species from the park helps native species establish in the area by removing competition for resources. Native species are beneficial to wildlife and the overall ecosystem, nonnative invasive species are not.

Pletcher added that the students hope to visit Canaan Valley again in the future for another volunteer opportunity.

Keep in touch with us so we can keep in touch with you!

Have you moved recently? Married? Gotten a new email address? Received a promotion or taken a new career path? Added a new bundle of joy to your family? Celebrated a milestone anniversary? Been honored with an award or accolade?

We want to know what is happening with our GSU alumni and their families.

<u>Click here</u> to submit your update.

Kevin Sheehan - \$5,000 for PAC Women's Golf

North Central Building Solutions, LLC - \$2,044.84 for the Alumni House

WVU Medicine United Health System - \$1,000 for PAC Women's Basketball

Minigh Family Dentistry of Shinnston - \$750 for the Minigh Family Scholarship

Applied Construction Solutions Inc. - \$500 for PAC Women's Basketball

Steven "Mike" Shaver - \$500 for PAC Women's Basketball

Scott Harper '72 - \$300 for the Pioneer Fund, Pioneer Pantry, and the Pioneer Athletic Club

Shawn Ranieri - \$259.20 for PAC Football

Susan (Reale) Chapman '83 - \$26.38 for PAC Football

David "Dave" and Tegan McEntire - \$26.38 for PAC Football

Patrick McMunn - \$26.38 for PAC Football

Dylan and Bobbi Cheyenne (Carr) '20 Singleton - \$26.38 for PAC Football

Lewis Wolfe - \$26.38 for PAC Football

David '96 and Christy (Hays) Rich - \$25.00 for Friends of Fine Arts and PAC Women's Basketball

Jess and Nancy (Bernola) '81 McVaney - \$21.17 for PAC Football