Dr. Cheryl Thompson-Stacy announced some amazing achievements at Lord Fairfax Community College (LFCC). The list includes the following:

In May of 2014, 1,172 students graduated with an associate degree or certification from LFCC. Last year, over 9,600 students took classes at the College.

Named “Great College to Work For” three years in a row by The Chronicle of Higher Education. This is our second time in the coveted category of Honor Roll, which denotes the “best of the best.”

LFCC has doubled the number of online classes available to students in the last year. Students are now able to earn an associate degree in Business Administration, Education, General Studies, and Liberal Arts completely online. One of our Mathematics professors won a Blackboard Catalyst Award for her online innovative course design of Statistics.

For students who enjoy the more traditional campus setting, the fall semester incorporated use of the new Student Union building, which includes a bookstore, fitness center, student lounge, aerobics and yoga studios, and food service court/café.

LFCC has a new Nursing Simulation Lab, whereas students in the medical field gain valuable experience. The high fidelity mannequins can be programmed to demonstrate many life-like functions, as well as a variety of diseases.

Renovations of Fairfax Hall are underway. Fairfax Hall was the first structure built on the campus in 1970. This is a twelve million dollar expenditure, which will take approximately two years to complete.

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LFCC launched a mobile application. The free app gives students quick access to all the necessary resources at LFCC when they are on the go.

LFCC received a $3 million grant from the Department of Labor for an innovative competency-based learning project. The College will create an educational search engine and provide advising and support for individuals who have demonstrated competencies and help them earn credentials in high-demand occupations such as health, information technology, and advanced manufacturing.

Our Workforce Solutions Department served over 1,230 employers and 10,770 students with business and professional development in the LFCC service area.

LFCC is now offering classes at its new Vint Hill site in Fauquier County. Classes in general education and healthcare will be offered.

LFCC’s surgical technology program, which gained national accreditation last year, had a 100% pass rate. This means that all students passed the national certification examination.

In May 2014, 24 dual-enrolled students earned their associate degree or certificate from LFCC, concurrent with high school graduation.

Ranked first for Technological Innovations from e. Republic’s Center for Digital Education. The college has won this award for two consecutive years.

Northern Shenandoah Valley Adult Education (NSVAE) acknowledged adults who earned their GED credential, gained citizenship, or made notable accomplishments. LFCC manages the region’s adult basic education program and around 240 adult students attained their GED in May 2014.

Darby Carlson was selected as the first Ross Fellowship recipient. The fellowship is valued at $7,000. Carlson is a Warrenton resident and hopes to graduate in the spring of 2015 with an Associate Degree in Liberal Arts.

Designated as a Military Friendly Campus for the past four years by G.I. Jobs magazine.

The National Small College Rugby Organization (NSCRO) ranked Lord Fairfax Community College Men’s Rugby #23 nationally. The team (LFCC Lions) has held a national ranking four out of the past five semesters.

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