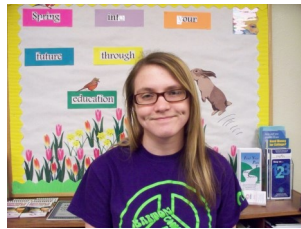


# Pathways to Success



## Participant of the Quarter:

### Daphne Orebaugh



Our participant of the quarter is Daphne Orebaugh. Daphne is attending Barton County Community College and is majoring in Developmental Psychology. While attending BCCC, she is on the Forensics/Debate team. With her dedication to her studies she earned a 4.0

GPA and has been on the President's List. This semester she was inducted into the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society. She heard about CKEOC from the Kansas Workforce Center. CKEOC

assisted her with application for financial aid.

One of the comments she said, "I would not have a chance at a bright future without CKEOC and KWF's help."

Her future plans are to continue her education at Cameron University in Lawton, Oklahoma.

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# Computer Aided Drafting & Design

Are you interested in architectural or engineering drafting? Barton County Community College has a new 21 hour computer aided drafting & design certificate program. In this program students will learn to solve problems in one or three dimensions, and visualize in 3D and gain skills they will need as they prepare for their career. Courses will be offered starting this summer. Some of the courses will be strictly face-to-face,

and the other courses students will be able to choose between face-to-face or online. Upon completion of the program some of the career choices are detail drafter, layout drafter, design drafter, drafting trainee, or checker and technical illustrator. The instructor for the program will be an area architect, Jill Fitzsimmons.



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## That Time of the Year!!

Yes, it is that time of the year to file your taxes. It is important that you file as soon as you receive your W2s. Once your taxes are completed, call to make an appointment to file your FAFSA for 2012-2013.

This is the information we will need: you will need to bring your 2011 income tax return and W2s. If you are under the age of 24, not married or have no children, you will need to bring your parents 2011 income tax

return and W2s. If you are not sure about your filing status, please feel free to ask when making your appointment and we will assist you in determining your status.

## Selective Service Registration

All U. S. male citizens between the ages of 18 and 25 years of age must register for the selective service. You should register 30 days before or 30 days after your 18th birthday. If you fail to register during this time, you

may submit a late registration until your 26th birthday. If you are a male noncitizen living in the U.S., you are required to register before your 26th birthday. Failing to register makes you not eligible for Federal student loans and grants, which include

Pell Grants, work study, and student loans.



# Welcome

Whether you come into the Great Bend or Junction City CKEOC office, you will see new faces. Ray Kruse is the new Junction City Coordinator/Academic Advisor. Mr. Kruse graduated from Junction City High School. He attended Kansas State University and graduated with Bachelors Degrees in Human Resource Management, Marketing and International Business and French. He fur-

thered his education by earning a Masters in Business Administration.

In his spare time he cheers for his favorite college team the Kansas State Wildcats, listening to music of all genres and collects stamps.

Liz Klima is an Academic Advisor/Data Specialist. She graduated from Barton County Community College and received her

Bachelors Degree in Education from Fort Hays State University.

She is married and has a son, Daniel. When she is not working, she enjoys spending time with her family and being outdoors.

Welcome to the Central Kansas Educational Opportunity Center. We are happy to have you as a member of our team!

## Corrections Certificate Program

Barton Community College will be offering a new online Corrections Certificate Program. The program consists of 17 credit hours. This program prepares students to serve as a corrections officer in an industry that rehabilitates and assists with public safety. This program

may help those who are already in the corrections industry with promotions. Instructors are or were employees in the correctional field. This program can lead to an Associate in Applied Science with emphasis in Corrections. The target start date is Summer 2012.

For more information students may contact Janet Kirmer at 620-792-9294 or email her at [kirmerj@bartonccc.edu](mailto:kirmerj@bartonccc.edu).

## Reminders

### 2012 ACT Test Dates

April 14, 2012 and June 9, 2012

Please remember regular registration dates require the regular fee and late registration will require a late fee. You can register

online at [www.actstudnet.org](http://www.actstudnet.org).

Test sites are:

Great Bend at BCCC, Hays at FHSU or Hays High School, Manhattan at KSU, and Salina at Kansas Wesleyan University or Salina High School South.

### GED Classes:

We can assist anyone needing to obtain a GED. If you know anyone needing a GED please contact our office and we can assist them.





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Trio programs include eight outreach and support programs targeted to help disadvantaged students progress from middle school to post-baccalaureate programs.



### **33 Counties Served by CKEOC**

Barton, Clay, Cloud, Dickinson, Ellis, Ellsworth, Geary, Graham, Jewell, Lincoln, Marshall, Mitchell, Morris, Ness, Norton, Osborne, Ottawa, Pawnee, Phillips, Pottawatomie, Pratt, Republic, Rice, Riley, Rooks, Rush, Russell, Saline, Smith, Stafford, Trego, Wabaunsee, and Washington.