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TRIO Messenger
March 2010

Congratulations to Victoria Stowe for being added to the 2010 TRiO Hall of Fame!!

I am currently a student at Ozarka College and finishing my Associate of Arts in Teaching degree. I am very pleased with the TRiO SSS program, because it has helped me and other students that are struggling. One of the TRiO tutors encouraged me to have confidence in my abilities. I would recommend any student go to Trio for any kind of help, whether it would be for tutoring and a quiet place to study or to borrow equipment, etc. As part of my journey on the way to achieve my Bachelor’s degree in History, I am proud to have received assistance from the Trio program, as well as, other similar programs. Without these programs, I do not feel that my journey through college would have been as successful.

Although my family has made sacrifices due to the lack of attention, my pursuing an education has influenced them greatly. My husband is now attending Ozarka and is a Trio participant as well. I am working hard to maintain my GPA while supporting my children in their schoolwork and athletics. My family and I have sat and discussed the outcome of my education. We realize that the outcome will be very beneficial to us when I graduate and have the ability to work for more than minimum wage.

Victoria Stowe

The TRiO staff was proud to nominate Victoria Stowe as a member of the TRiO Hall of Fame 2010.
To find out if you are eligible to sign up, contact Shelia at 368-2036 (stitus@ozarka.edu) or Karin at 368-2035 (kbrown@ozarka.edu).

We will need to know ASAP if you have signed up and cannot go. There will be others to take your place.

Sign up NOW as tickets are limited.

Are you TRiO? Come join the Fun! Contact one of the TRiO Staff to see if you are eligible!
THE FACES

EVERY TRiO student MUST meet with their TRiO advisor. Please make an appointment today.

Available Incentives

Mid-term Grades due March 10th

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HELP

Don’t Forget

Spring Break is March 22—March 26th.

Have a relaxing Spring Break!!
The Student Conference held on Friday, February 19th was a BIG success!

Students attended sessions on:
- New Technologies
- Financial Planning
- Google Tools
- Internet Research

Student comments on the seminar evaluation included the following:

Everything was great!
Good job to all!
Wonderful!
Thank you.
I enjoyed this event.
Food was great!
Thanks for the info, t-shirt, snacks. I really appreciate your efforts and learned a lot!
This conference will help me succeed in college.
Great time and day!

Thanks to the presenters:
Deltha Silhill
Blayne Stewart
Ronda McLelland

Also, thanks to the support staff of Career Pathways, Student Success Center, TRiO, and Student Services for all their hard work to make this conference a success.

COLLEGE TRANSFER DAY ON FEBRUARY 24TH WAS A BIG SUCCESS! MANY RECRUITERS FROM COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES AROUND THE STATE WERE ON THE MELBOURNE CAMPUS TO TALK TO STUDENTS ABOUT THEIR TRANSFER NEEDS.