# GLENVILLE STATE COLLEGE Pioneer Update

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# Alumni Spotlight

Tamara "Tammy"
(Stalnaker) Hough '85
started her small business,
Morning Glory Flowers, a
little over three years ago
and it has grown to be very
successful.

In her business, Tammy is a small farmer/florist and creates botanical prints and cards from her farm near Cedar Creek, West Virginia. She is also in the process of illustrating and publishing a children's book called "The Grandparents' Visit."

Prior to starting her small business, Tammy was an art teacher in Gilmer County, West Virginia, Lewis County West Virginia, and Frederick



#### **Welcome from President Manchin**

Greetings Pioneer Alumni and Friends!

My wife Virginia and I are happy to be settling in here in Glenville and I am very proud to be serving as the 25<sup>th</sup> President of this fine institution.

I am excited for the opportunity to be here and I am looking forward to working with you as we propel Glenville State into the next stage of what I know it can be.

Glenville State College is a great place and that is reflected in all of you. Who we are today has been shaped by our graduates, countless donors and friends, and our past and present faculty and staff. Our success is built upon the solid foundations laid by those who have come before us. Let us build on the progress we've made and continue to do great things at the Lighthouse on the Hill.

As Virginia and I begin this journey here at GSC, we want to express our gratitude for all that you have done in the past

County, Maryland. She also worked as a counselor for Roads to Success under the McKelvy Foundation in New York, New York.

Tammy's artwork was recently chosen for the branding of American Flowers Week 2020 that would have been held in San Francisco, California this past June. She was also featured in an article written by Debra Prinzing in the June 2020 issue of Floral Review Magazine.

In 1985, she received her Bachelor of Arts Degree in art education (K-12) from GSC and went on to earn her Master of Arts Degree in art education from West Virginia University in 1995. While a student at GSC, she was a member of the student government, theater program, forensics team, yearbook staff, and a sister of the Delta Zeta Sorority.

When asked what GSC means to her, Tammy explained, "Coming from a rural and somewhat sheltered background, Glenville State College was transformative to me in so many ways. My art professors were outstanding! I learned the fundamentals of art and discipline which has served me well in many area. Professor [Emeritus] Charles Scott helped me research and buy my first SLR camera. He also inspired me and my family to do a Fulbright in the

and I ask you to join us in imagining the future. We look forward to meeting you.

Be well and Go Pioneers!

Dr. Mark A. Manchin



The Pioneer Football team will host the Annual Whitey Adolfson Memorial Golf Tournament on Friday, August 7 at the Glenville Golf Club. The event, which usually takes place in May, was canceled due to COVID-19 before being recently rescheduled.

Head Coach Mike Kellar announced that this year's tournament will honor GSC Curtis Elam Athletic Hall of Famer and former football star, Chris George '97.

George graduated from Glenville State in 1997 and was inducted into GSC's Curtis Elam Athletic Hall of Fame in 2003. He was once College Football's All-Time Leader in receptions with 430 and holds a 1993 national record of 144 receptions for 2,219 yards.

The Golf Tournament will be a shotgun start at 8:00 a.m. with the second flight teeing off at 1:00 p.m. The cost is \$75 per golfer or \$300 per team. Cost includes tournament fees, continental breakfast, lunch, and attendance at a social reception. The social reception will begin at 7:00 p.m., the location of which will be announced. For anyone wanting to attend the social reception only, the cost is \$25.

Netherlands after graduating from GSC."

In her spare time, she enjoys playing piano, teaching Pilates, traveling, and spending time with her children and grandchildren.

We are proud to feature Tammy in this week's Alumni Spotlight and proud to call her an alumna of Glenville State College. For more information about the tournament, registration, or sponsorships, contact Coach Dave McEntire by <u>clicking here</u> or calling (304) 462-6225.

#### **Return to Campus**

Glenville State College has recently announced the fall 2020 campus reopening plan. <u>Click here</u> to view the plans for students, faculty, and staff.

# In Memoriam - Remembering Those Pioneers We've Lost

<u>Click here</u> to view the Glenville State Alumni that we've lost over the last six months.



Fourth Annual GSC Night at Lambert's Winery

Glenville State College alumni, friends, and supporters in the north central West Virginia area are invited to attend the fourth annual GSC Night at Lambert's Vintage Wines in Weston, WV on Wednesday, August 12 from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

The annual event will allow GSC friends to reconnect while enjoying Lambert's famous brick oven pizzas, assorted beverages, and lots of Pioneer Pride.

GSC's President Dr. Mark A. Manchin will be on hand and looks forward to meeting with Pioneers from across the area.

The event will be hosted outdoors with all social distancing and state mandated guidelines in effect.

For more information, contact GSC Director of Alumni Relations Conner Ferguson by <u>clicking</u> <u>here</u> or by calling (304) 462-6116.



#### **Women's Leadership Circle Virtual Luncheon**

The Glenville State College Women's Leadership Circle (WLC) will be hosting their first Virtual Luncheon on Wednesday, July 29 at 11:30 a.m.

When you register for this <u>free event</u>, you will receive a link to access the video-luncheon as well as an exclusive recipe. You can RSVP for the luncheon by <u>clicking here</u>.

Joining the virtual lunch will be WLC Committee Chair Karen (Bush) Lay '79 and GSC Alumni Council President Maureen (Kraus) Gildein '82. There will also be a special floral arrangement demonstration from Tamara (Stalnaker) Hough '85 of Morning Glory Flowers.

For more information, contact GSC Director of Fundraising Ashley Knight by <u>clicking here</u> or calling (304) 462-6382.



### **Pioneer Progress is Returning**

GSC's magazine for alumni and friends - the Pioneer Progress - is returning this fall after a three year hiatus! Have you married recently? Been honored with an award or accolade? Received a promotion or taken on a new career path? Added a new bundle of joy to your family? Celebrated a milestone anniversary?

We want to know what is happening with our GSC alumni and their families. <u>Click here</u> to send us your updates for our upcoming edition of the Pioneer Progress.



The Estate of Howard Burk – \$48,642 for the Howard Burk Scholarship

John '76 and Susan Lilly - \$2,500 for PAC Men's Golf

Tilden "Skip" '70 and Shirley (McIntyre) '68 Hackworth – \$2,372 for the Pioneer Vantage Club 1872

Tom and Janet (James) '79 Bailey – \$250 for the Women's Leadership Circle

Antonio "Tony" Franklin '76 – \$250 for the Bob Minnieweather Scholarship

Andrew "Jack" '60 and Wanda (Bailey) '60 Reed - \$250 for Women's Leadership Circle

Jesse Skiles '88 – \$127 for the Jesse Skiles Scholarship

John '84 and Diana (Hilton) '85 Adkins – \$100 for the Pioneer Fund

Eloise Boggs '47 – \$100 for the Women's Leadership Circle

Marjorie "Marge" (Hardman) Burke '53 – \$100 for the Women's Leadership Circle

Randy Campbell - \$100 for the Pioneer Athletic Club in Memory of Jack Campbell '59

Melissa Gish - \$100 for the Women's Leadership Circle

Kathryn Granfield – \$100 for the Pioneer Athletic Club in Memory of Jack Campbell '59

Gregory Boso '70 – \$50 for the Pioneer Fund

Judith Butta '74 – \$50 for the Pioneer Fund

Monty and Susan Eckles - \$50 for the Pioneer Athletic Club in Memory of Jack Campbell '59

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