STCC Workforce Development Center announces classes

Springfield Technical Community College's Workforce Development Center is accepting applications for a variety of training programs that will start soon. Call 413-755-4225 or visit stcc.edu/wdc to apply for any of the programs. Check the website for other classes as well. Among the offerings are:

Professional Brewing Certificate: Saturdays, June 2-Aug. 19. The class, which focuses on the science and technology of becoming a professional brewer, is a blend of online work, hands-on lab work at STCC and conducted brewery tours. Total certificate time is 108 hours plus 15 hours of conducted brewery tours.

Phlebotomy Technician Certificate: Aug. 27-Dec. 10. This 166-hour program prepares students for the National Healthcareer Association's Certified Phlebotomy Technician exam. A phlebotomist is a professionally trained and certified person who works in a healthcare facility and obtains blood specimens.

ServSafe Preparation: Saturdays, June 2, July 7, July 21, Aug. 4 and Aug. 18, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. This course, which includes six hours of classroom instruction and a two-hour exam, is designed to help restaurant professionals obtain their ServSafe Certificate to ensure their workplace meets industry standards for cleanliness along with proper safety requirements for food handling and preparation.

Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) Plus Program CNA/CPR/ HHA & Alzheimer's: Monday-Thursday, June 4-July 26. This 184-hour course offers training to become a certified nurse aide as well as home health aide training. Students who successfully complete this program will receive certification in CPR and learn about Alzheimer's or related neurological disorders.

To enroll in any of the programs or find out more information, visit www.stcc.edu/wdc or call 413-755-4225. To register for a program in person, go to STCC Building 16, Room 146.