GVT PLAY GIVES A NOD TO NEW RIVER’S FINE ARTS DEGREE

[LEWISBURG, WV] Greenbrier Valley Theatre’s comedy hit “All the Great Books (Abridged)” opened with one character introducing another, noting he had an “AA degree” from New River Community and Technical College.

“The actors who are from out of the area probably did not realize they were giving a great endorsement to New River’s Associate of Fine Arts degree,” noted Roger Griffith, dean of the New River Greenbrier Valley Campus. The college partners with GVT to make classes theater classes available to New River students.

The Associate Degree in Fine Arts offered at New River is the only degree of its kind offered at a community and technical college in West Virginia and “perhaps the Mid-Atlantic region” Griffith concluded.

Classes offered this fall on the New River Greenbrier Valley Campus related to the fine arts include Introduction to Visual Arts; Creative Expressions; Introduction to Digital Media; Art History I & II; Drawing II; Design II; Ceramics, Intermediate Ceramics; Advanced Ceramics; Photography; Introduction to Music; Choir; Fundamentals of Speech; Theatre Workshop; and Acting I.

Online classes related to the Fine Arts include Event Management I; Destination Marketing; Introduction to Fine Arts; and Advertising and Promotion.
Fall classes begin August 17, and late registrations will be accepted through August 21. For information on the courses of study available and the classes offered at New River Community and Technical College Greenbrier Valley Campus, visit www.newriver.edu or telephone 304-647-6560 or visit the New River GVC offices on the second floor of Greenbrier Hall at 101 Church Street, Lewisburg, WV.

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