

# The Splinter



Information for ACC Students –4/27/2023

## Welcome to Spring 2023 Semester, Lumberjacks

### Course Withdrawal Deadlines

Complete Withdrawal – ALL Courses (W Grades): Friday, May 5, 2023

For short courses (less than 16 weeks) – contact the Registrar's Office for drop/withdrawal dates

Early Registration opened for Summer/Fall 2023 on March 27.

Spring Graduation Applications were due in the Registrar's Office on Friday, February 3.

Final Instruction Week for Spring 2023 begins Monday, May 8. Schedules are available in the Registrar's Office and the Student Success Center in Van Lare Hall. The schedule is also available on ACC's website by clicking on the tab for Calendar & Events.

Commencement 2023 – Thursday, May 11 beginning at 7pm at ACC Park Arena. The ceremony will include Summer and Fall 2022 graduates as well as those who will complete their graduation requirements in May 2023 (must have a graduation application on file). Please contact the Registrar's Office at 989-358-7353 or email [accreg@alpenacc.edu](mailto:accreg@alpenacc.edu) if you have questions.

Alpena Community College Bookstore - Caps and gowns are available at the bookstore. Cap, gown, tassel and signet are \$42 for the set. We also have extra tassels and signets for sale.

### 2023 Summer Semester Student Account Balance Check Schedule

What you need to know:

- The date of your first class start determines your initial financial aid refund date.
- All financial aid refund checks will be available at the Alpena Campus Cashier Office between 9am and 2pm of the disbursement date listed. After 2pm, the checks will be sent by US mail.
- Disbursement of all grants, scholarships, and many 1<sup>st</sup> half of loans will be on the initial date, based on your earliest class start date.
- First time student loan borrowers have a late disbursement date of the 1<sup>st</sup> half of their loan.
- All federal student loans have two disbursements.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> loan disbursements will only occur after the 100% tuition refund date of your 6<sup>th</sup> credit hour on the dates given below. Note to 1<sup>st</sup> time borrowers, the 2<sup>nd</sup> disbursement will be on the later of: 2<sup>nd</sup> disbursement date or the next business day after your 1<sup>st</sup> disbursement.

1 <sup>st</sup> class starts the week of	Initial disbursement	1 <sup>st</sup> disbursement for 1 <sup>st</sup> time loan borrowers	2 <sup>nd</sup> loan disbursement
May 22, 2023	Thursday, June 1, 2023	Wednesday, June 21, 2023	Thursday, July 6, 2023
July 3, 2023	Wednesday, July 12, 2023	Wednesday, August 2, 2023	Wednesday, July 26, 2023

Michigan Transfer Network – [www.mitransfer.org](http://www.mitransfer.org) - For ACC listing of equivalencies, other college's equivalencies, and college information check out the Michigan Transfer Network website.

Counseling - All current ACC students (including part-time, dual-enrolled, and Early College students) have access to free mental health counseling. No health insurance information is needed. We will work with you to find an appointment time during the week that fits with your schedule. Appointments can be held in-person on Alpena's campus or virtually via phone or videoconference. For more information, please call 989-358-7245 or email [counselinginfo@alpenacc.edu](mailto:counselinginfo@alpenacc.edu).

The Student Food Pantry - The ACC Student Food Pantry was created because we know that when students are worried about where their next meal is coming from, they can't focus on their studies. There are no rules or limitations: take what you need, but make sure there is enough for fellow students. The Food Pantry is located in BTC 120 and a Food Pantry Annex is located just down the hall from the Student Success Center in Van Lare Hall. For more information or to make a donation, contact Christy Gibson ([gibsonc@alpenacc.edu](mailto:gibsonc@alpenacc.edu)) or call 989-358-7408.

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## **ACC Testing Center, Student Success Center in VLH 101**

Instructors and students must make appointments in advance of testing to ensure a seat is reserved. Monday 9am-noon and 1-4pm, Tuesday 1-6pm, Wednesday 10am-4pm, Thursday 10am-2pm and 3-7pm, and Friday 9am-1pm. Instructors and students must make appointments in advance of testing to ensure a seat is reserved. Hours are subject to change. Photo ID is required for testing. Please anticipate your testing needs and allow enough time for testing. Contact Beth Matzke at 989-358-7209 or [matzkeb@alpenacc.edu](mailto:matzkeb@alpenacc.edu).

**ACC Student Success Center VLH 101** Your place for free tutoring, proofreading, workshops, and general question-answering. Also, get help with Self-Service, Blackboard, and Microsoft Office 365. We are always looking for good tutors and we pay! Stop by the Student Success Center or call Colleen Jacobs at 989-358-7270 or Christy Gibson at 989-358-7408.

## **ACC Oscoda Campus Student Success Center, Testing Center, Computer Lab Room 206**

Monday 10am-4pm, Tuesday 1-7pm, Wednesday 9am-3pm, Thursday 10am-2:30pm, and Friday 10:30am-2:30pm. Hours are subject to change. Instructors and students must make appointments in advance of testing to ensure a seat is reserved. Same day appointments are not guaranteed. Email for a scheduling is preferred. Photo ID is required prior to testing. Please anticipate your testing needs and allow enough time for testing. Contact Patrice Billiel at 989-358-7445 or [billielp@alpenacc.edu](mailto:billielp@alpenacc.edu).


**Fredrick T. Johnston Wellness Center** is open Monday-Thursday 6:30am-6:30pm; Friday 6:30am-2pm; Saturday 8am-noon.


## **Stephen H. Fletcher Library, Newport Center Building Room 111**

Monday-Wednesday 7:30am-8pm; Thursday 7:30am-5pm; Friday 7:30am-4pm; Saturday & Sunday 12-4pm. Contact the library at 989-358-7252 for information on requesting special hours or sessions.

**@myacc.alpenacc.edu** All ACC students receive a college email address and Office 365®. Official communication will be sent to this email account. Be sure to get yours set up and check it regularly.

**ACC Photo ID Card** Stop in the Student Success Center VLH 101 with photo identification and get your ACC ID card. Then flash it around town to receive your special discounts!

**My ACC Portal**  One username. One password. All your ACC accounts. The login process for Blackboard and Self-Service has changed. Instead of logging into three different accounts (Office 365, Blackboard, & Self-Service), you will log into one site: myACC on the college home page. Using your ACC email address and password, you can log in to myACC to access Self-Service, Blackboard, and Office 365/ACC email all from one location. Contact the IT Help Desk if you need assistance at (989) 358-7374, [helpdesk@alpenacc.edu](mailto:helpdesk@alpenacc.edu), or stop in CTR 108.

**Self-Service** is an online tool to perform the majority of your essential college tasks: registering for classes, viewing grades or the course catalog, applying for graduation, retrieving financial information, and more. Follow the  link on the college home page or go directly to <https://selfservice.alpenacc.edu/>. Contact the Help Desk for assistance at [helpdesk@alpenacc.edu](mailto:helpdesk@alpenacc.edu), (989) 358-7374, or stop in CTR 108.

**Parking Permits** are free – but required. Be sure to get yours from the Facilities Office BTC 101. Parking permits are now mandatory at the Oscoda Campus. Students can get their student IDs and parking permits in Room 206 at the Oscoda Campus, and they are valid at both campuses.

**Class Cancellation & Campus Closure Information** - Get the scoop on communication methods, notice locations, and more at <http://discover.alpenacc.edu/calendar/cancellations.php>.



The Splinter is posted to the college website [www.alpenacc.edu](http://www.alpenacc.edu) weekly during the semester.

May 2023

Spring Semester

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This What Next news piece is our final edition for the 2022-2023 ACC Oscoda Campus education season! Please take a quick look at the fun, unique achievements and activities that helped make it a great season!

### Businesses of the Month

**AuSable Hard-  
ware  
Oscoda, MI**



**Tawas City,  
Tawas City, MI**



**Tawas Plating  
Tawas City, M**



**Carroll Broadcasting  
Tawas City, MI**



### Healthcare Highlights

- \* The addition of a state of the art Anatomage Table (a virtual human body dissection technological system).
- \* The initiation and completion of three (3) Nurse Training Assistant Program classes. Also, the approval of the ACC Oscoda Campus as a Michigan Nurse Training Assistant Testing site.
- \* Introduction of an up-to-date/streamlined Nursing Program curriculum.

### ACC TALKS

Check out the excellent presenters at this season's ACC TALKS events:

Sheriff Chris Swanson  
Law Enforcement: Innovation  
Matters  
September 27, 2022

Randy Jorgenson  
Woods-N-Water News  
December 1, 2022

Tom Moran  
Moran Iron Works  
Brandon Charbonneau  
Sand Lake Brewery  
Entrepreneurship  
March 30, 2023



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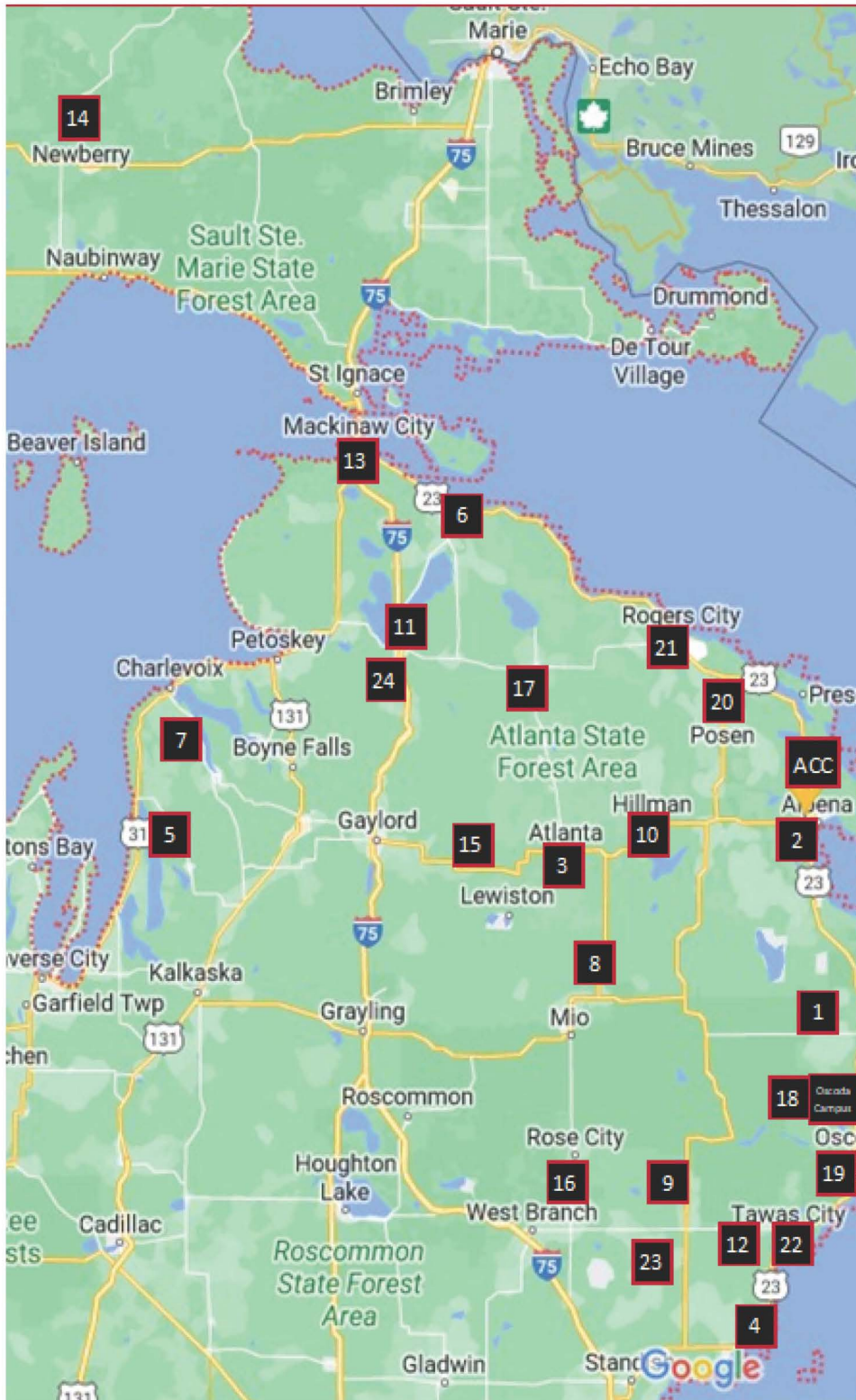
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## COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### Dual Enrollment/ Early Middle College

### High School Partnership Map



1. Alcona High School
2. Alpena High School
3. Atlanta High School
4. Au Gres -Sims High School
5. Central Lake High School
6. Cheboygan Area High
7. Ellsworth high School
8. Fairview Area High School
9. Hale High School
10. Hillman High School
11. Inland Lakes High School
12. Iosco RESA
13. Mackinaw City High School
14. Newberry High School
15. Johannesburg-Lewiston HS
16. Ogemaw Heights High School
17. Onaway High School
18. Oscoda Alt Ed Academy
19. Oscoda High School
20. Posen High School
21. Rogers City High School
22. Tawas Area High School
23. Whittemore-Prescott HS
24. Wolverine High School

