HARD HAT CAMP

JULY 21 – 22, 2010

WHAT IS A HARD HAT CAMP?

Through a collaborative effort by the Peninsula Council for Workforce Development, Thomas Nelson Community College, New Horizons Regional Education Centers, Greater Peninsula Career Pathways Consortium and the Associated General Contractors, the Hard Hat Camp is a two-day program for high school counselors exploring education and career opportunities available for students.

Participants will share ideas through open discussions and team-building activities. Local construction industry experts and area educators will present available education programs and jobs available - from labor based to technology focused. Day two consists of an onsite tour of a construction project in progress and a look at the internal operations of a large construction firm.

COST

FREE – Pre-Registration Required
Participants receive a $125 stipend for completion plus valuable take away reference material

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

School Counselors who assist students with post-graduate career and education decisions, in addition to a rising junior or senior. **SPACE IS LIMITED**.

BENEFITS FROM ATTENDING

- Gain insight into a growing and in demand industry.
- Learn about post-graduate educational and training opportunities available for students.
- Understand the industry's available employment options.
- Obtain first-hand knowledge of day-to-day operations within the construction industry.
- Hear from educators and construction industry leaders on the future of construction training and employment.

AGENDA

Wednesday, July 21
Day 1 Hard Hat Camp
Peninsula Workforce Development Center

8:30 a.m.	Arrive at Peninsula Workforce Development Center / Sign-in & Continental Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Welcome & Introduction of Program
9:15 a.m.	Introduction of Participants & Perception Form
9:45 a.m.	Team Construction Project
10:15 a.m.	Break
10:30 a.m.	Presentations by Panel Partners
11:30 a.m.	Working Lunch
12:30 p.m.	Trade Presentation
1:30 p.m.	End Day 1

Thursday, July 22
Day 2 Hard Hat Camp
Construction Site and Corporate Office Visits

8:30 a.m.	Arrive at Peninsula Workforce Development Center / Sign-in & Continental Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Bus Departs for Site Tour
9:30 a.m.	Site Tours
11:30 a.m.	Arrive at Corporate Office
Noon	Working Lunch
12:15 p.m.	Further Career Opportunities
12:45 p.m.	New Perception Form / Q & A Session
1:15 p.m.	Raffle Drawing / Certificate Presentation
1:30 p.m.	End Day 2 Return Bus Ride
2:00 p.m.	Return to Workforce Development Center

PARTICIPATING PARTNERS

Peninsula Council for Workforce Development www.pcfwd.org
New Horizons Regional Education Centers www.nhrec.org
Thomas Nelson Community College www.tncc.edu
Associated General Contractors www.agc.org

How to Register?
Contact Rita Bond at 826-3327 or rbond@pcfwd.org by July 9, 2010