

Imprint

Imprint at JCCC is published four times a year by Johnson County Community College, 12345 College Blvd., Overland Park, KS 66210-1299; 913-469-8500, fax 913-469-2559. Imprint at JCCC is produced by College Information and Publications and the Office of Document Services. Imprint is located at <http://www.jccc.edu/Imprint>.

Editor: Peggy Graham • **Photographer:** Bret Gustafson • **Designer:** Randy Breeden

When planning your estate, remember Johnson County Community College. For more information, call the JCCC Foundation at 913-469-3835.

Cover

JCCC's horticulture program offers a horticulture associate's degree, horticulture certificate, landscape technician certificate and horticultural, floral design and landscape technician entrepreneurship certificates.

New Center

6 Building toward health field careers

Groundbreaking on the two-story 50,000-square-foot Olathe Health Education Center took place Dec. 3, and construction is scheduled to begin March 2010.

Book

8 Izard advises entrepreneurs 50 and older

In March, Mary Beth Izard, professor emeritus, entrepreneurship, will present a seminar, *BoomerPreneurs*, based on her book of the same name.



4 Horticulture program grows with vigor thanks to Dr. Lekha Sreedhar.

Sreedhar exhibits samples of students' micropropagation in tissue culture—a new trend for nurseries to mass propagate/clone superior plants.

JCCC College Scholar

9 Kincaid researches intracellular trafficking in human disease

Dr. Margaret Kincaid will detail her research pertaining to human neurodegenerative diseases.

Program

11 Drafting goes 3-D

JCCC's drafting program acquired a rapid prototype machine to produce 3-D models.

Faculty

13

Dobson publishes book about the Great Plains

Patrick Dobson's *Seldom Seen: A Journey into the Great Plains* captures Dobson's journey from Kansas City to Helena, Mont.

New Construction

14

Bookstore warehouse adds addition

The bookstore warehouse will add 5,000 square feet to the current site as the bookstore increases its services.

Faculty

15

Andrea Kempf is one for the books

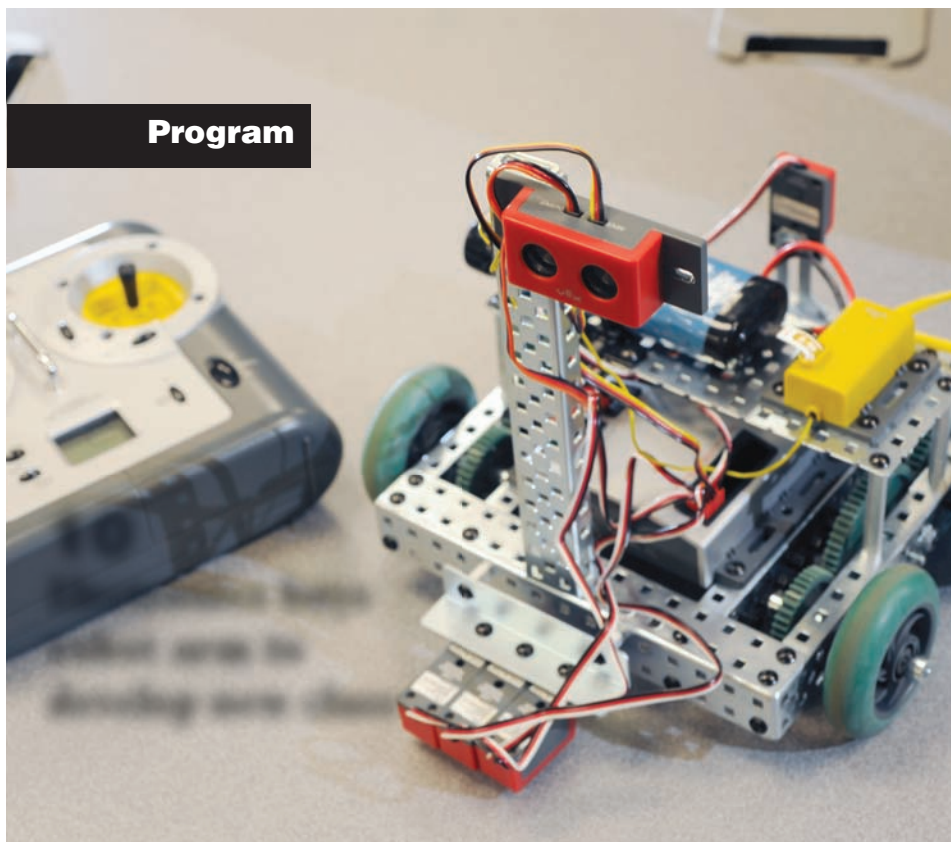
Kempf has created 42 online bibliographies in the JCCC library database.

Back Cover

JCCC debate team ranks high

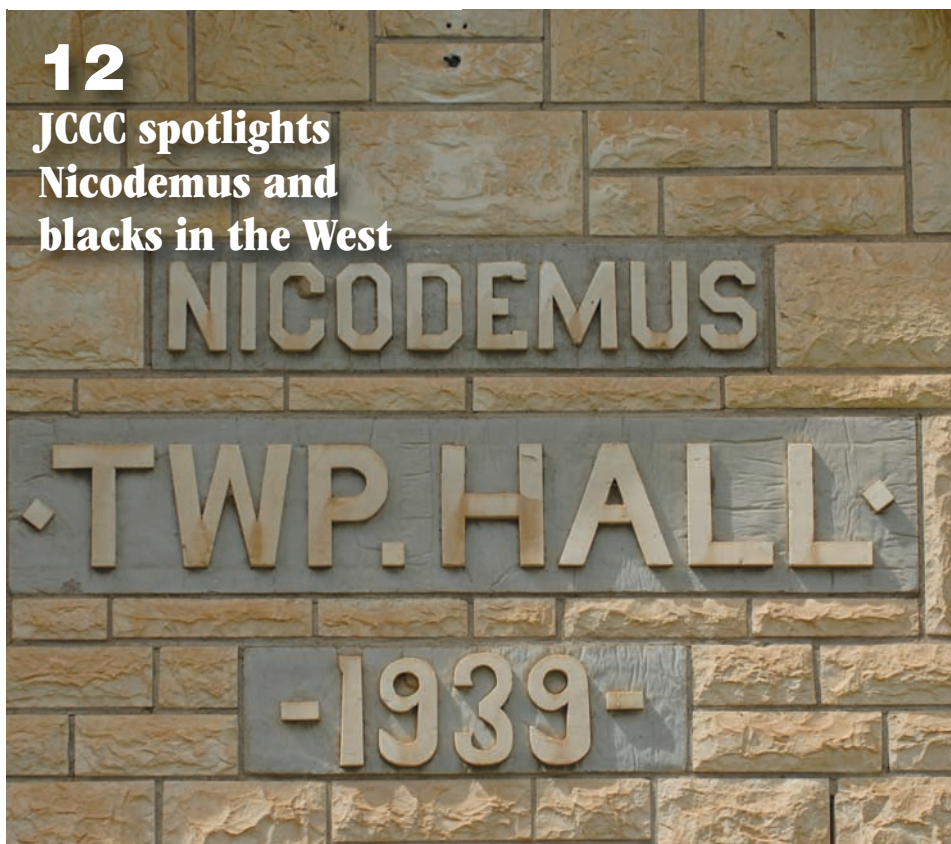
Terri Easley coached the debate team to a record high.

Program



12

JCCC spotlights Nicodemus and blacks in the West



Notice of Nondiscrimination – Johnson County Community College does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, national origin, disability, age, religion, marital status, veteran's status, sexual orientation or other factors that cannot be lawfully considered in its programs and activities as required by all applicable laws and regulations. Inquiries concerning the college's compliance with its nondiscrimination policies may be referred to the Dean of Student Services or Director of Human Resources, Johnson County Community College, 12345 College Blvd., Overland Park, KS 66210, 913-469-8500; or to Office for Civil Rights, 8930 Ward Parkway, Suite 2037, Kansas City, MO 64114, 816-268-0550.