

THE Leavenworth CONNECTION



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WELCOME INTERNS



My name is Anas Ebrahim, but my first name is actually pronounced Nas, the A is silent. I was born and raised in the city of Houston, Texas and practically lived there for 20 years. I am currently studying Mechanical Engineering at the University of Houston where I am set to graduate hopefully, in December 2015. I am also going to be working for GE Transportation after I finish my internship with Hallmark.



My name is Meghan Hestand and I'm a Senior at the University of Central Missouri. My major is Graphic Arts Technology Management with a minor in Business Administration. During my time at Hallmark I will be working with Cassandra Lincoln.

Welcome!



Tricia Crowe, RN, BSH has accepted the occupational health nursing role at the Leavenworth Production Center. Tricia began working at the Leavenworth Production Center on May 28th working Mondays and Wednesdays.

Tricia will continue to work a small shift at Craig HomeCare providing pediatric home and school health care. Tricia previously worked at the University of Kansas Hospital as a wellness and prevention specialist and St. Luke's Hospital – Mid America Heart Institute as a cardiovascular clinical tech. Tricia determined from those experiences that she wanted to combine clinical care and wellness so pursued her nursing degree with plans to enter occupational health nursing. Tricia lives in Eudora, KS. She and her husband have three daughters, twins that are eleven and a six year old. Tricia enjoys spending time with her children's sports, gardening, seasonal hunting, barbeque, the great outdoors and tending their 30 chickens.

By: Jennifer Hooker

DIVERSITY & INCLUSION COUNCIL

Hello! I have accepted the position as the Chair of the Leavenworth Diversity & Inclusion Council. We have an opportunity to define what the Diversity Council looks like for Leavenworth. I would love to know who's interested in being a member of helping promote and educate about various areas of Diversity for our plant. Did you know that February is African American History Month, or that May is Asian-American History month? Did you know that Hallmark has a new Military Interest Group? Perhaps you would want to help plan a special St. Patrick's Day celebration in the Crown Room, or organize a Leavenworth team for the Breast Cancer Walk in August, by becoming a member we could do these things.

The new Diversity team would meet once a month to help plan activities, speakers, etc. that we would like to do or have in Leavenworth. I look forward to hearing from you. Please feel free to call, stop by or email me jhooke3@hallmark.com by June 15.

