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Thank you to everyone who made Raptor Week a success! It was a great launch across the College as students and employees came together for music, games, and community. That same energy continues with club rushes over the coming weeks—Germantown Campus on Wednesday with others to follow in the coming weeks.

BOOST YOUR FINANCIAL AID GAME PLAN WITH NEW VIDEO SERIES

A new MC video series aims to make financial aid more understandable. The series answers common questions and breaks the process into clear, simple steps. These short, student-friendly videos are helping students feel more confident about securing and keeping their aid. The latest [video reel](#) posted this month is available on Instagram, TikTok, Facebook, YouTube Shorts, and campus digital signage. Look for more in upcoming Student eBlasts. Thank you to our Marketing and Communications and Financial Aid teams, who create these.



CELEBRATING HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Hispanic Heritage Month kicks off today and is a meaningful opportunity to further highlight the cultural richness and contributions of Hispanic and Latino communities. At Montgomery College, we celebrate our diversity, equity, inclusion, and belonging every day. Thirty percent of students identify as Hispanic and we are proud to be a Hispanic Serving Institution, committed to inclusive excellence. Through academic support, bilingual resources, and culturally responsive engagement, the College fosters a sense of belonging and student success. These efforts align with our strategic priorities and are made possible by the dedication of our faculty and staff, whose work ensures that every student feels valued, supported, and empowered to thrive.

STUDENT PARENT MONTH

September is National Student Parent Month, and Montgomery College supports this vital student population—15-20% of our students— through [dedicated programs](#), resources, family-friendly spaces, and advocacy. Students attending college while raising a child or children present another opportunity for MC to investigate policies, procedures, and practices to ensure our collective work helps our student parents unlock their potential to transform their lives as well as the lives of their children. I thank our faculty and staff whose efforts reflect our commitment to equity, inclusion, and the success of all students.

With Raptor Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jermaine". The signature is stylized with a large, looping 'J' and a cursive 'e'.

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