

### **Our view: Local colleges thrive in tough times**

Monday, August 26, 2019

Edinboro, which has tightened its admission standards and focused its course offerings to improve student outcomes, this year saw an increase of freshmen admissions, 740 students, up 161 from 2018.  
*Erie Times-News*

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### **Mansfield University enrollment up as classes begin**

Monday, August 26, 2019

The academic year at Mansfield is starting out with an increase in enrollment and a new tuition plan. The university welcomed nearly 460 first-time students, an increase of 35 percent over last year. Overall, enrollment is up three percent.  
*George Stockburger | WETM-TV*

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### **After busy move-in weekend, classes start at IUP**

Monday, August 26, 2019

Freshman Haily Logan, from Yardley, Bucks County, moved into a dormitory Saturday morning on the Indiana University of Pennsylvania campus with the help of her father and sisters.  
*Indiana Gazette*

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### **Erie-area colleges welcome more than 3,300 freshmen**

Sunday, August 25, 2019

The end goal, though, was to attract students better qualified to succeed and to remain on campus to earn four-year degrees. And that's working, said Bill Edmonds, Edinboro's vice president for enrollment management.  
*Valerie Myers | Erie Times-News*

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### **Millersville University's Ware and Winter Center will be busy places this season**

Sunday, August 25, 2019

Welcome to the 2019-20 season of The Arts at Millersville, which features something for everyone or, more accurately, lots of somethings for everyone.  
*Jane Holahan | Lancaster Newspapers*

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### **Driscoll delivers state of university address**

Saturday, August 24, 2019

For an eighth time, Indiana University of Pennsylvania President Dr. Michael A. Driscoll has stood before the university's community to open the academic year.  
*Patrick Cloonan | Indiana Gazette*

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### **Millersville University welcomes nearly 2,000 new students [video]**

Saturday, August 24, 2019

Video coverage of students moving into Millersville University  
*Ty Lohr | Lancaster Newspapers*

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### **A new school year begins: WCU students move in**

Friday, August 23, 2019

Friday was move-in day. Residence halls filled quickly at West Chester University for the new Class of 2023 and their upper classmates.

*Bill Rettew | Daily Local News*

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### **Move in day taking place at Edinboro University**

Friday, August 23, 2019

Among the new arrivals were 129 extra students over the expected enrollment.

*YourErie.com*

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### **Move-In Day at East Stroudsburg University**

Friday, August 23, 2019

About 1,200 freshmen are getting ready to start college.

*WNEP-TV*

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### **Clarion's Somerset nursing facility opens**

Friday, August 23, 2019

At 9 a.m. Monday, 14 students will step into the new Wheeler Family Nursing Simulation Lab in Founders Hall at the Glades Pike school to begin taking classes as part of Clarion University of Pennsylvania's two-year associate of science in nursing program, which is new to Somerset.

*Mark Pesto | Tribune-Democrat*

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### **Ribbon-cutting celebrates opening of Clarion University nursing program in Somerset**

Friday, August 23, 2019

A ribbon-cutting for a new nursing program in Somerset County Friday signified the beginning of something needed at the Somerset County Education Center, according to event attendees.

*Judy D.J. Ellich | Daily American*

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### **College students offer support with migrant program**

Friday, August 23, 2019

Children of migratory agriculture workers have a better chance at future academic success thanks in part to the Migrant Education Program, and students in the Bloomsburg University College of Education are playing an important role.

*Standard Speaker*

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### [New MU prez wants students to have opportunity to live 'American Dream'](#)

Thursday, August 22, 2019

Dr. Charles E. Patterson, Mansfield University's 28th president, took office not quite two months ago, but he is excited for the future of the rural university he now heads. Patterson, who came to Mansfield from the Federal Department of Education's Office of Federal Student Aid, said that Mansfield has "so much potential."

*Cheryl A. Clarke | Wellsboro Gazette*

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### [Move-in Day at Lock Haven University](#)

Wednesday, August 21, 2019

Carts full of blankets, microwaves, and TVs were unloaded from cars and taken into dorms at Lock Haven University on Wednesday.

*Allen Vickers | WNEP-TV*

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### [Cheyney University awarded \\$200,000 grant for computer science research](#)

Wednesday, August 21, 2019

Cheyney University has been awarded a \$200,000 grant from the National Science Foundation (NSF) Historically Black Colleges and Universities Undergraduate Program (HBCU-UP).

*Daily Local News*

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