# **Atlantic Technical College and Technical High School Announcements**

## Tuesday, October 8th, 2019

### **Today is American Touch Tag Day.**

Tag! You're it! American Touch Tag Day celebrates the traditional childhood game and encourages kids of all ages to get out play!

### Announcements to be read:

- In celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, here are more facts:
   Harvard University considers this next Hispanic in STEM as the next Albert Einstein. Sabrina Gonzalez Pasterski is
   a 24 year old physicist who has a very impressive resume that rivals any experienced physicist of our time.
   Currently Ms. Pasterski studies black holes and spacetime to explain gravity within the context of quantum
   mechanics. She has also been cited by Stephen Hawking and Andrew Strominger.
- Attention Yearbook Staff!! The general yearbook meeting will be today from 2pm-3pm in Room 2403.
- Soccer try outs will start on Thursday 10/10/19 at 2 p.m. sharp. See Mr. Ramirez on today for sign up and paperwork at the stage 2 p.m.
- There will also be a Makerspace Meeting this Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup> from 2pm-3pm in Room 285/Bldg. 18.

### Past Announcements:

- Linda Garcia Cubero is an engineer and the first Hispanic female to graduate from the Air Force Academy. In 1980 she graduated with a bachelor's in Political Science. From there she was commissioned to the Air Force as a second lieutenant and then began pursuing a master's in systems engineering from Virginia Tech. In 1998, Cubero was awarded the Women of Color Technology Award, while being inducted into the National Hispanic Engineering Hall of Fame
- Who doesn't remember watching the animation film "Ice Age, Collision Course" as a little kid? It took four years (14,600 hours) for Lluis Llobera, Elena Ortego (Computer Animators), Antelmo Villarreal (Technical Director), and Roberto Calvo, the film's CGI supervisor, to create this beloved Blue Sky Studios, 20th Century Fox animation.
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  Antonio A. Mignucci is an expert scientist specializing in the endangered tropical marine mammals and who founded the non-profit conservation organization Caribbean Stranding Network. He has dedicated his career in caring for injured or stranded sea creatures especially the West Indian Manatee. He is currently the director of the Puerto Rico Manatee Conservation Center.
- Attention Sophomores:

Are you interested in becoming a nurse?

ATC will be participating in a special event on October 20, "A Day in the Life of a Nurse."

Students will be shadowing a nurse at Northwest Medical Center and experiencing what it is like to be a nurse. If you are interested in attending, please stop by the Guidance Office - 2418- for more information and a permission slip. Space is limited!