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LBCC Announces Pastega Award Winners

Linn-Benton Community College announced the winners of the annual Pastega Awards at its fall inservice held Sept. 21.

The awards are given to honor one faculty and one classified staff for their outstanding contributions to the LBCC community.

The Pastega Faculty Excellence Award went to LBCC Diagnostic Imaging faculty Stacy Mallory. Mallory, a Lebanon resident, has been employed at LBCC since 2003. The LBCC Diagnostic Imaging Healthcare Training lab, which Mallory heads, is housed at Samaritan Health Services in Lebanon.

The Pastega Classified Excellence Award went to Tammi Drury, transcript and degree evaluator for LBCC Admissions and Records. Drury, a Lebanon resident, has been employed at LBCC since 1994.

Each winner received a \$1,000 honorarium and each name will be engraved on the Mario and Alma Pastega Faculty and Staff Excellence plaques in the LBCC College Center Distinguished Staff Gallery.

Mario Pastega, owner of the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company in Corvallis, started the annual awards through the LBCC Foundation in 2000 as a way to recognize faculty and classified staff for excellence in their work.