

The FM Daily

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The Covid-19 pandemic has had a tremendous impact on our campus and community. The people of UK Facilities Management remain the "boots on the ground" for UK, providing the essential services needed to keep our campus safe, secure, and positioned to respond to the evolving crisis. The strength each of you demonstrate daily is inspiring and represents such courage and compassion. We are in this together and we will get through it together. **Thank you for everything you do.** – Mary Vosevich, Vice President for Facilities Management

OUR PEOPLE.

OUR STORIES.



The Facilities Management Area Teams go above and beyond every day to ensure high quality and efficient maintenance and operations of our campus buildings. The academic campus is divided into four maintenance areas and these Area teams are supported by the specialized trades from Central Shops. At left, Kenny Moore — Area 1 Supervisor, performs maintenance on a roof vent at Maxwell Place. The new, glass façade of the Chemistry Physics Building and some incredible fall foliage are visible in the background.



Facilities Management maintenance teams also spent time last week providing cleaning assistance to the Medical Center, sprucing up the exterior of several buildings. Clint McMaine and Derrick Butler led the work highlighted here to clean the walls of the Peter P. Bosomworth Health Sciences Research Building. GREAT WORK GUYS!





Self-care, maintaining and improving our mental and physical health, should always be a priority but it is especially important in these trying times. UK Human Resources, through their **Work-Life Connections Program**, provides a wide array of resources available to all UK Employees. We encourage you to take time this week to do two things. First, learn about the warning signs that commonly indicate that stress and circumstances are negatively impacting your mental health. Second, familiarize yourself with the resources that UK provides to help you regain balance and focus. More info:

https://www.uky.edu/hr/work-life/counseling/worklife-connections-counseling



PHOTO FRIDAY – HAPPY HALLOWEEN

Halloween was Saturday, and it is one of my favorite holidays. Let's fill our Photo Friday collage this week with your favorite pictures of costumes from this year or years past. Photos of costumed pets and children welcome! At left, my daughter and I from two years ago dressed as P.T. Barnum and Anne Wheeler from *The Greatest Showman*. Submit photos to shane.tedder@uky.edu by midnight on Thursday.