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Students can get hands-on experience at the annual Construction Career Day set for May 6 at the Salem Airport. SPECIAL TO THE STATESMAN JOURNAL



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dents interested in a career in the construction industry to check out the opportunities.

Businesses are encouraged to participate through sponsoring the event or being an exhibi-

tor. There is no cost to be an exhibitor. Exhibitors will get a chance to interact with students and demonstrate what it takes to work in the industry. Hands-on activities are encouraged to help the students gain experience, training and knowledge of potential career opportunities.

Tony Frazier, Executive Director of Job Growers, will be the featured speaker. He is the former Executive Director of Habitat for Humanity of the

Mid-Willamette Valley, and has worked with youths ages 16-24 to help them complete their high school education and learn skills in construction.

Some of the current sponsors include the Oregon Department of Transportation, NW Natural, the Oregon National Guard, Rich Duncan Construction, White Oak Construction, SAIF and Salem Heating & Sheet Metal. The Salem Chapter of the National Association of Women In Construction organizes the event, now in its 11th year.

For information and sponsorship and exhibitor registration forms, look for Salem Construction Career Day on Facebook, or call Dawn Kilough at (503) 390-4999.

Interested students should contact their school administrator.

Rushing Group adds two brokers

The Rushing Group has announced two new brokers have joined its staff.

Zach Fischer joined the team in January. He specializes in commercial sales and leasing. Fischer is an Oregon native and human physiology graduate from the University of Oregon. He has been practicing real estate in the Salem area since 2006.

Alexandra Aguilar, an Oregon licensed broker, is the newest residential broker. She joined in February and is proficient in Spanish and English and has 15 years experience in the industry, nine of them in the Willamette Valley.

For more information, call (503) 588-8500.

— Elida S. Perez