

# **THE BROWNSON BULLETIN**

**AUGUST 2024**

## **INTRODUCTION**

Welcome to this month's edition of the Brownson Bulletin! This month, we dive into *Today in the HVAC World* and more. Enjoy!

## **TODAY IN THE HVAC WORLD**

### **Daikin Increases Heat Pump Supply**

#### **SOURCE: INDOOR COMFORT NEWS**

Daikin recently announced their 5 commitments to increase heat pump supply in California. This will ultimately help California reach their goal of deploying 6,000,000 heat pumps by the end of the decade. Back in October, California Energy Commission announced that large manufacturers, distributors, and suppliers of heating and cooling equipment have agreed to help California in reaching their 2030 goal. Daikin becomes the first to announce the steps to meet the pledge. The 5 commitments are: 1) Maximizing local production capacity, 2) Expanding their California workforce and partnerships, 3) Opening a sustainability and innovation center, 4) Partnering with CA utility companies, and 5) Continue to play an important role in the CA Heat Pump Partnership. Satoru Akama, CEO of Daikin Comfort Technologies North America said, "Daikin is proud to help California spur faster market adoption of heat pumps..."

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# BULLETIN TRIVIA

## **BROWNSON BULLETIN TRIVIA August 2024**

On what day in August is "International Cat Day" celebrated?

- a. August 31
- b. August 16
- c. August 8
- d. August 10

On what day in August is "National Spoil Your Dog Day" celebrated?

- a. August 31
- b. August 16
- c. August 8
- d. August 10

## ANSWERS

- 1) C
- 2) D

*Description:*

August has some fun holidays for our animal lovers! "International Cat Day" is celebrated on August 8, while "National Spoil Your Dog Day" is celebrated on August 10. Make sure you love your cat and/or spoil your dog in the month of August!

# STUDENT SECTION

Brownson Technical School takes pride in showing appreciation to all students, current or former!



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## **IMPORTANT DATES TO KNOW**

### **Graduation(s)**

- **Wednesday August 7** (Traditional Day)

### **Holidays (August and September)**

- **Labor Day** (Monday, September 2, 2024)

### **Yaskawa VFD Training\***

- **Friday, August 2, 2024**
- Friday, September 6, 2024
- Friday, October 11, 2024
- Friday, November 15, 2024

\*If you have any questions about Yaskawa Training, please contact Joe Keleman at [joe@brownson.edu](mailto:joe@brownson.edu).

## **THIS IS BROWNSON TECHNICAL SCHOOL!**

### **Program Description\***

#### ***HEATING, VENTILATION, AIR CONDITIONING, AND REFRIGERATION TECHNOLOGY TRAINING IN 1040 HOURS!***

Students who complete our program will be able to diagnose, service, install, and repair HVAC-R equipment and understand the reason for building to gain or lose heat, as well as helping mitigate the impact on energy usage. Our training also includes training on systems using direct digital controls (or “DDC”). The overall scope of this training is to prepare graduates to learn how to get the most of the equipment’s performance, which is different than how this type of training is typically done. Our training sees the building as a system and the equipment as a sub-system. Additionally, as California moves towards “net-zero”

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energy usage for new residential and commercial buildings, we must also bring existing buildings up to the new energy standards.

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*\*Our program meets the educational requirements to proceed with the Local 250 Union Apprentice Program.*

## **Why Brownson Technical School?**

When considering an HVAC-R training facility, one must do the proper research. Several schools offer HVAC-R training, including community colleges or schools that teach multiple trades.

Brownson is different! Here's why:

- Lower-cost tuition than many schools in the area.
- We only teach HVAC-R!
- All graduates can become NATE CORE Certified, HVAC Excellence Certified and receive additional certifications.
- Our training can take as little as ten months\*!
- Part of our training can be done online\*\*!
- We have 12,000+ square feet of lab area filled with some of the most up-to-date equipment we can get our hands on!

*\*Applies to our 10-Month Day Class Program*

*\*\*Applies to our 10-Month Blended Program*

## **REGULAR INFORMATION**

### **Questions or Requests?**

We would love to hear feedback from you all about this Brownson Bulletin edition! If you have ideas for the next edition, we would love to hear them! You can let us know by emailing our main writer, Nick Brown, at [\*\*\*nick@brownson.edu\*\*\*](mailto:nick@brownson.edu), or send us a DM on Instagram or Facebook. Your feedback is always appreciated to improve future editions of Brownson Bulletin!

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## **Message from us to you**

Thank you so much for reading this edition of The Brownson Bulletin. We hope that this month is enjoyable for you and very helpful in your HVAC/R journey! Have an outstanding month of **AUGUST** and the rest of 2024!

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