The Department of Aviation & Safety, in conjunction with the South Florida Aviation Fly-in and Education Expo (SAFEE), the Organization of Black Aerospace Professionals, and the National Black Coalition of Federal Aviation Employees, conducted an Aviation Career Education Camp during the month of June. We enrolled 18 students from the local area. These students were exposed to aviation career fields, professional and etiquette training and culminated with an orientation flight in a Cessna 172. Parents and students are already making plans for next year’s camp.

Ms. Sabine Desir, founder of The M.O.V.E. Project which stands for Men of Valor & Excellence, surprised five lucky aviation freshmen by presenting them with new microwaves for their dorm. Why, you ask? She explained that Trayvon Martin had aspirations of pursuing a career in aviation and she wanted to do something to support aviation students. What a nice gesture!!