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PSU students give back to the community and receive new equipment

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Students in the Mechanical and Manufacturing Department donated a pedicab to Live Well Crawford County. Students spent the better part of the past school year constructing the pedicab. The project may have been part of their senior curriculum, but the real reward was choosing to give it to others who need help getting around the community.

Meanwhile, representatives from Case-New Holland, who are also Pitt State alumni, also donated brand new equipment for automotive students to work on. The former students say it feels rewarding to give back to where their careers all started.

“I hope that they’re very grateful because for me when I was a student here this is really what sparked my interest to go into work with one of the larger OEM’s in the industry,” says Ted Polzer with Case-New Holland.

To date, Case-New Holland was donated nearly \$750,000 worth of equipment to the university. Students were able to construct the pedicab so those that are wheelchair bound can hitch a ride on it, too.