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A Monthly Insight into Career and Technical Education – December 2015

FCCTC Chatterbox

Message to the Students Of The Month– November

Congratulations to all of the November Students of the Month. Keep working hard!

Tyrone Hayden
Ricky Purvis
Austin Caudie
Emily Jordan
Ashley Pereira
Jacob Holder
Miranda Games
Brandon Lewis
Tristan Darnell
Daniel Weaver
Cory Bennett
Veronica Jaminet
Caelin Taylor
Kamryn Presley
Jasmine Monroe
Thomas Curlin
Cameron Ritter
Dylan Reynolds
Elisabeth Wilson
Quienten Ewig
Taylor Boggs

Tyuri Perez
Alicia Hendershot
Chelsie Toy
Nadya Clark
Caitlyn Lawhorn
Zach Nalley
Charlie Hancock
Carlin Cassady
Anthony Simpson
Caitlyn Barnes
Alicia Chavarria
Eric Smith
Aiden Gaskins
Lindsay Fitzpatrick
Zachary Manns
Chesna Stinnett
Smith Peyton
Kurgan Quisenberry
Turner Peach
Nick Thomas
Hanna Waller

Spotlight: Carpentry

Carpentry is a hands on work based learning program in which students gain knowledge and skills necessary to succeed after high school as a carpenter. Students who have completed 4 years in the program have the opportunity to take a knowledge test to attain a basic carpentry certification, which is the equivalent to a carpentry apprentice working for one full year. Currently FCCTC carpentry students both beginner and advanced are working to expand the CTC storage building 80ft longer and 30ft wider. Construction began on the new building on November the 30th. Students are also helping to create wood workplaces for a small startup company called "Space Tango" which create modular units for the international space station.



Turner Peach, Carpentry student is using a laser level to level stakes for a mock survey site.

Jooba Joke

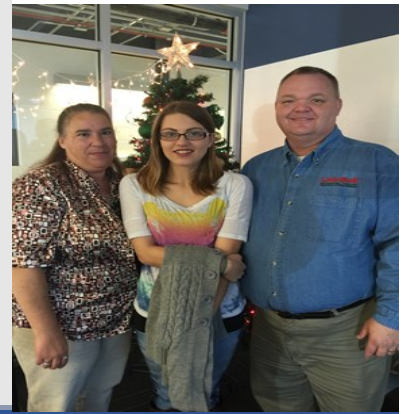


"Missed....didn't I?"

Principal's Corner

"Extending helping hands is not required, but it is a gift of humanity that is intrinsically sought."

-Principal Hardin



Community Connect

Mrs. Harrods 7th period class– Leadership Dynamics will be collaborating with Elkhorn Middle School to serve as student mentors. Students are planning to spend at least one day a week helping EMS students with homework, tutoring and other mentoring opportunities. This project is to promote student confidence and school activities. This project is being coordinated by Ms. Amy Nance as part of her “Drop out Prevention Program.”

Faculty Fame: Mr. Shewmaker



Mr. Shewmaker not only teaches welding, but, he is also actively involved in the community and tries to get his students to be involved in the community as well. He is admired by his students and by people in the community. Shewmaker and his students do a lot of volunteer work. Some examples of their activities include fixing soccer goals, desks, and installing railings. His students are always working on projects and are ranked #1 in the state in welding. Shewmaker has been at the CTC for 12 years and in the field of welding for 25 years. When we asked Shewmaker why he enjoys his job, his response was because he “helps kids out”.

GLAD

- G – Give your best to get the best
- L – Love what you are doing
- A – Advance your learning
- D – Demonstrate 21st Century Skills

Dates to Remember

December 8th: District Staff Day No School

December 21-31: Winter Break

December 25th: Christmas Day

December 31: New Years

January 1st: No School



*Merry Christmas FCCTC Students
– and a Happy New Year!*