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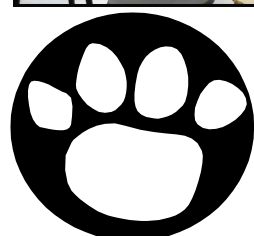
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Students Participate in Veterans Day Program

Somerset Community College Clinton Center hosted a Veteran's Day Program on Monday, November 10, 2014. The Clinton County High School JROTC Bulldog Battalion Color Guard helped open the ceremony with the presentation of colors. The fourth grade students at Albany Elementary School were invited to present a musical selection at the Veterans Day Program. The students sang "You're a Grand Old Flag," under the direction of AES Music Teacher Teresa Williams.



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ECC Earns High Attendance Award

Each year the Kentucky Directors of Pupil Personnel sponsor a High Attendance Day in September to help students focus on the importance of regular attendance as an critical part of their learning process. As part of the High Attendance Day program, the state of Kentucky has a contest for the highest attendance in each region. The Clinton County School District is proud to announce that, for the third year in a row, the Clinton County Early Childhood Center is the winner of the Region 14 Small Elementary School

Division. The ECC Kindergarten students were treated to Bulldog Blue Sonic slushes and a visit from "The Bulldog" on Friday, October 10th as the 2014-2015 award banner was hung in the cafeteria alongside the banners from 2012-2013 and 2013-2014. "We are very proud that our Kindergarten students work so hard each year to earn this award," stated Dr. Julie York, DPP. "If we can instill a love for school and learning in our smallest students, we can create a positive school culture that will last for many years."



CFMC Wellness on Wheels Unit

"It didn't hurt a bit when they cleaned my teeth!" That's what one AES student said after receiving a free dental cleaning by Dr. Dawn Allen, courtesy of the Cumberland Family Medical "WOW" (Wellness on Wheels) mobile medical unit. Cumberland Family Medical Center's WOW unit visited Albany

Elementary School from December 2-4, 2014 to provide free dental cleanings and screenings for students. Dr. Dawn Allen is pictured below left conducting a dental cleaning with a student in the mobile unit. Below right, students wait in the sitting area and show off their goodie bags, which contain a toothbrush, toothpaste, flossers,

a brushing timer, chapstick, pencil, and sticker. The mobile unit was at CCHS on September 22-25, at CCMS on October 27-30, and at ECC on November 17-20. The mobile unit will return to AES for more dental cleanings on January 19 & 20, 2015.



Red Cross Honors Mr. Armstrong

AES Principal Tim Armstrong was recently selected as the “Outstanding Chapter Board Member Award” for the Lake Cumberland Chapter. Mr. Armstrong was honored on October 18, 2014 at the annual Volunteer Recognition Event, which recognizes volunteer excellence throughout the Bluegrass Region.

When the Red Cross changed the Client Assistance System, the Lake Cumberland Chapter had very few experienced caseworkers to assist with the change. Without hesitation, Mr. Armstrong accepted the challenge. Despite already devoting countless hours

working as a disaster responder in Clinton County and as a member of the Board of Directors, he completed Client Assistance System training and began helping other caseworkers with the new procedures. Mr. Armstrong is the face of Red Cross here in Clinton County. His dedication to the mission and willingness to respond on a moment's notice has been invaluable. His interaction with the public and ability to comfort disaster clients are outstanding and maintain the highest traditions of the Red Cross. Congratulations to Mr. Armstrong and thank you for the time and service you have dedicated to our community!



Fire Safety Day at AES

Students at Albany Elementary School participated in Fire Safety Day on October 20th. Robert Roeper, Fire Chief, along with fire fighters Tyler Dicken and Kevin Marcum instructed students on fire safety. Please review your fire evacuation plan at home with your children. A big **THANK YOU** to Equity Group (represented by Cheryl Akin and Tammy Pitcock) for sponsoring this event!! Students loved Fire Pup and their treats to take home.



AES Related Arts November Showcase

The students at Albany Elementary School who had Drama, Music, Art, and Physical Education for related arts classes during the second six weeks of school demonstrated their skills in the arts by performing plays, singing, dancing, and exhibiting art projects for parents, peers, and staff on November 6th. Students performed before large audiences in the gymnasium.

Classes from each grade level rehearse and present a drama performance during each grading period. The drama performance is complimented with musical selections by

another class, as well as dance routines and artwork showcase.

The 4th grade classes of Ms. Angie Flowers, bottom left, and Ms. Megan Rains, bottom center, presented a drama and music performance entitled "Making the Band." The 4th grade class of Ms. Shannon Shearer, bottom right, danced the Virginia Reel. The 3rd grade classes of Ms. Kim Dicken, middle left, and Ms. Reda Thurman, middle center, presented a drama and music performance entitled "Feelin' Good." The 2nd grade class of Ms. Sandy Shelton, middle right, and Ms. Patty Crouch,

below left, presented a drama and music performance entitled "Swamped." The 1st grade classes of Ms. Sherry Johnson and Ms. Wendy McWhorter, pictured performing below middle and right, presented a drama and music performance entitled "Cover Your Sneeze, Please!" The student performances were directed by AES Library Media Specialist Connie Armstrong and Music teacher Teresa Williams. The Virginia Reel dance was coordinated by Physical Education Teacher Jennifer Preston. Student art work was displayed by AES Art teacher Scott Gregory.



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The 4th grade classes of Ms. Crystal Hoban and Ms. Shannon Shearer, bottom left, presented a drama and music performance entitled "All Time Christmas Favorites." The 3rd grade class of Ms. Samantha Tompkins and the transition class of Ms. Tammie Conner, bottom right, presented a drama and music performance entitled "Elfis and the Sleigh Riders." The 4th grade class of Ms. Carol Latham danced the Virginia Reel. The 2nd grade classes of Ms. Laura England and Ms.

Christina Stearns, below left, presented a drama and music performance entitled "The Elves' Impersonator." The 1st grade classes of Ms. Londa Kerr and Ms. Jamie Reagan, below right, presented a drama and music performance entitled "A Season of Fun!" The student performances were directed by AES Library Media Specialist Connie Armstrong and Music teacher Teresa Williams. The Virginia Reel dance was coordinated by Physical Education Teacher Jennifer Preston. Student art work was displayed by AES Art teacher Scott Gregory.



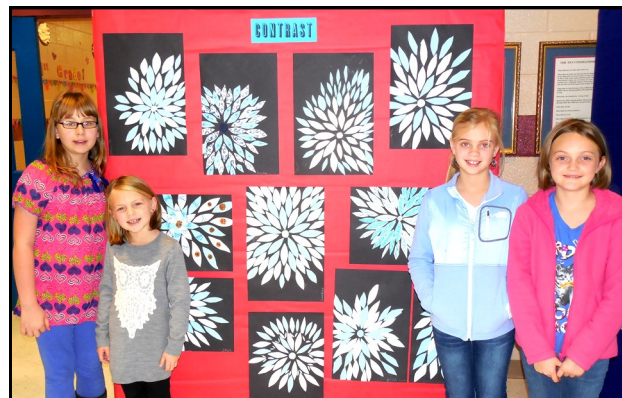
Student Artwork Displayed at Showcases



During the Related Arts Showcase at Albany Elementary School on November 6th, student artwork was displayed in the lobby for viewing. The artwork was created by the students who had Art for related arts class during the second six weeks of school. At right is the 1st grade class of Ms. Kathleen Gregory. Below left is the 2nd grade class of Ms. Carolyn Brown. Below center is the 3rd grade class of Ms. Jona Guffey. Below right is the 4th grade class of Ms. Carol Latham.



During the Related Arts Showcase at Albany Elementary School on December 18th, student artwork was also displayed in the lobby for viewing by those students who had Art during the third six weeks of school. At left is the 1st grade class of Ms. Sherry Johnson. Below left is the 2nd grade class of Ms. Patty Crouch. At right is the 3rd grade class of Ms. Kim Dicken. Below right is the 4th grade class of Ms. Angie Flowers. The students are pictured with AES Art teacher Mr. Scott Gregory.

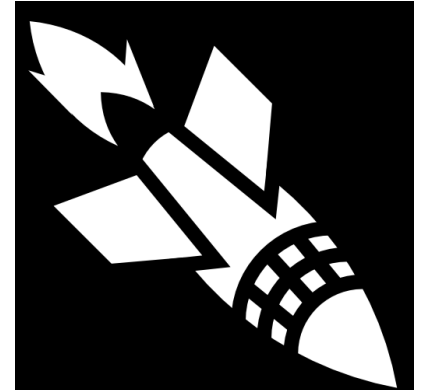


AES Students Blast Off at STEMShot!

Six teams of 4th graders from Albany Elementary School competed in STEMshot!, a compressed air rocketry competition for students in grades 4-12 at Western Kentucky University's Center for Research and Development on Saturday, October 25, 2014. Team Intimidators, below left, placed second in the Elementary Division and fourth overall. Team Intimidators is comprised

of: Christian Marcum (captain), Trinady Warinner, Walker Casada, Craig Dyer, Gavin Bilbrey, and John Richardson. Team Black Shadow, below right, placed third in the Elementary Division and fifth overall. Team Black Shadow is comprised of: Emma Tompkins, Ben Leveridge (captain), Wyatt Whitley, Ian Holdiness, Justin

Shadoan, and Bailey Weston. Participation in this event was coordinated locally by AES Science Lab teacher Mr. Terry Shelley. Congratulations rocketeers!



Team Thunder Dawgs, above left: Adam Whittenburg, Chas McIver, Evan Little (captain), Allie-Jo Finley, and Bailey Polston. Team Shooting Stars, above right: Rachel Antle, Blaze Anderson, Landon Brown (captain), and Clay Cecil. Team Master Blasters, below left: Taylor Bagwell, Jayleigh Longwell, Dawson Marcum (captain), Jillian Perdue, Darinel Escobar, and Taylor Milam. Team Fire Rockets, below right: Anna Amonett, Taylor Madison, Andrew Goodman (captain), Jeremy Albertson, David Watson, and Destiny Fenner.



Busy Fall at CCMS



Above left, 8th grade football night on October 7th. Above center, CCMS cheerleaders



show off their routine they prepared for the KAPOs competition on November 1st. Above



right, 8th grade JROTC members at CCMS Homecoming on October 30th.



November 20th was Pink Out night at CCMS, above. The Clinton County High School cheerleaders held a silent auction and



presented cancer survivors in attendance with a flower. All of the proceeds earned were given to the Clinton County Relay for Life.



The 8th grade girls basketball team members were also recognized with family members on November 20th at the last home game, below.



We've Got Spirit, Yes We Do!



Clinton County Middle School hosted a Spirit Rally on October 10th. In the weeks leading up to the event, students brought in loose change to vote for the teacher or administrator that they wanted to see KISS A PIG at the School Spirit Rally. All of the

money raised was donated to the No Kid Hungry Project. Students got to see both Mrs. Teresa Scott and Mr. Josh Moons kiss a pig at the Spirit Rally. The women faculty played the CCMS girls and the men faculty played the CCMS boys in two basketball games, with the

entire student body cheering. Also spotted cheering on the sidelines were several women faculty cheerleaders.



Students Create Character Pumpkins

During the fall semester, students in Ms. Ashley Duvall and Ms. Ashley Hardin's sixth grade reading classes decorated pumpkins to

represent a character from an Accelerated Reader book. The pumpkins were on display in

the lobby. During class the students presented a plot summary of the character from the book.



CCMS Foothills Poster Contest Winners

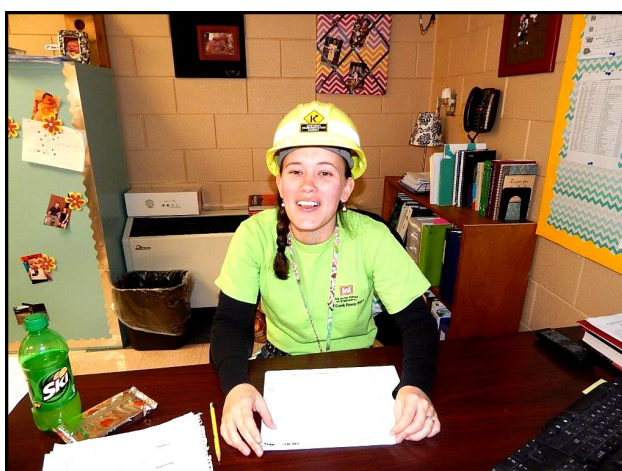
Pictured at right are the Clinton County Middle School winners of the annual Foothills Festival poster contest. Front Row: Jamison Wallace (6th grade—3rd place), Abigail Stinson (5th grade—3rd place), Moriah Moons (5th grade—1st place), Makenzie Cope (5th grade—2nd place), and Chelsea Hall (6th grade—2nd place). Back Row: Haley Allen (7th grade—3rd place), Payton Stearns (7th grade—1st grade), Gracie Shelton (7th grade—2nd place), Celeste Ferguson (8th grade—1st place), Cydney Sampson (8th grade—2nd place), Tessa Roberts (8th grade—3rd place), and Yamileth Perz (6th grade—1st place).



Character Day at CCMS



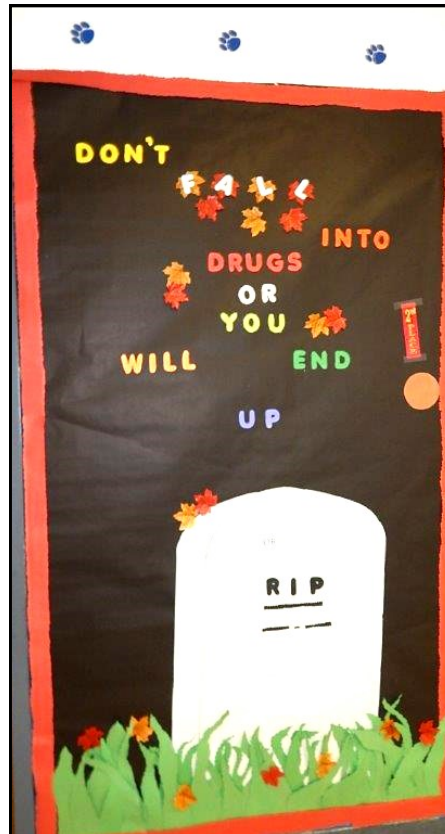
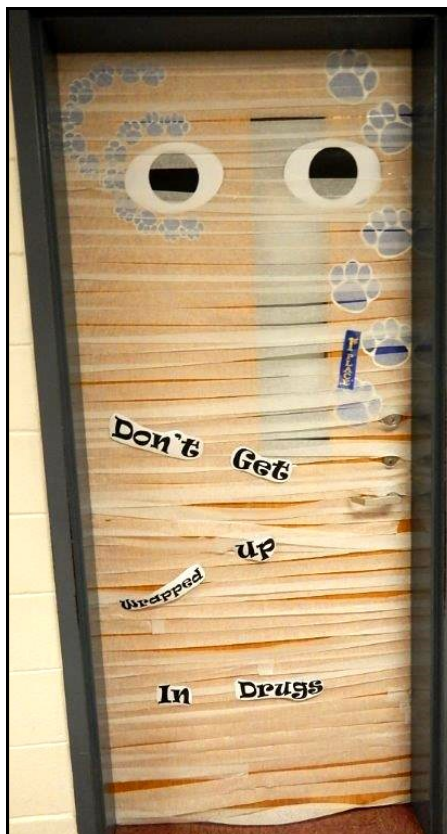
Clinton County Middle School had a character and career dress up day on October 31st. Students dressed in costumes and described their characters from a book or the career during reading class as a part of the day. Teachers also participated in the fun!



Red Ribbon Week Winners at CCMS



Students and faculty celebrated Red Ribbon Week at CCMS during the last week in October. The purpose of Red Ribbon Week is to educate youth and encourage participation in drug prevention activities. At CCMS, students participated in a poster contest and were encouraged to have perfect attendance all week. Pictured at top left are the 5th grade winners. Poster winners: Chrystal Glidewell—1st place, Katelyn Gray—2nd place, & Cody Daley—3rd place. Attendance winners: Dane Harlan, Sydney Chamberlain, & Dalton Posey. Pictured at middle left are the 6th grade winners. Poster winners: Destany Sparks—1st place, Haleigh Irwin—2nd place, & Hunter Elmore—3rd place (tie). {Not pictured: Skye Rogers—3rd place (tie)}. Attendance winners: Sidney Alexander, Shawna Conatser, & Ryan Irwin.



Pictured at top right are the 7th grade winners. Poster winners: Paige Hicks—1st place, Rachel Sawyers—2nd place, Jasmine Brumley—3rd place (tie), & Makaya Gregory—3rd place (tie). Attendance winners—Barry Thrasher, Madison Craig, & Chase Claborn. Pictured above right are the 8th grade winners. Poster winners: Garrett Page—1st place, John Butler—2nd place, & Zoe Holdiens—3rd place. Attendance winners: Jackson Harlan, Rylee Stockton, & Tess Nelson. All of the student winners were rewarded with lunch at Pizza Hut on November 25th, courtesy of the CCMS Youth Services Center. At left are the winners of the Door Decorating contest. At far left is the 1st place winner by Mrs. Lora Grant. Middle left is the 2nd place winner by Mrs. Joyce Groce. At immediate left is the 3rd place winner, by Mrs. Pam Miniard.

College and Career Fair

A College and Career Fair was held at Clinton County High School on November 20th for students in grades 8—12 at CCMS and CCHS. District Gifted and Talented Instructor

Gina Poore also escorted the G/T 4th grade students from AES to the event. Numerous representatives from post-secondary institutions and trade schools, as well as community and

career professionals were on hand to discuss future planning with the students. Thanks to all of the community partners who helped with the College and Career Fair!



Gifted and Talented Activities



On October 10th, Gifted and Talented students in grades 5—12 were transported to Georgetown, Kentucky where they participated in a guided tour of Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Kentucky, Inc. (TMMK), Toyota's first wholly owned manufacturing facility in the United States. Pictured above, students were able to climb inside one of TMMK's vehicles on display to experience one

of Toyota's finest crafted automobiles. During the tour, students learned about the foundation of Toyota, as well as line side processes.

On October 23rd, Gifted and Talented students in grades K—4 traveled to Lost River Cave in Bowling Green, Kentucky. Students enjoyed a workshop entitled "Wonders of Wetland," where they learned about non-point source pollutions and how Lost River Cave

Wetland works to clean pollution from storm water runoff, pictured below. Students also experienced a cave boat tour, which began with a leisurely stroll in the valley as the guide shared the tale of the blue hole and the disappearing Civil War soldiers. The Cave Boat Tour was an educational experience that provided first-hand knowledge of karst ecology, geology, and local history.



Gifted and Talented Activities



On December 2nd, Gifted and Talented students in grades 5—12 participated in the *It's Money, Baby* financial literacy workshop. The workshop was designed to teach students about financial matters, helping them to make wise decisions about matters that affect their credit. The topics covered included: cash basics, money plans, banking, balancing, cell phones, credit cards, credit scores, identity theft, social networking, insurance, and college money. Students are pictured during the workshops at

CCMS, above left, and at CCHS, above right.

On December 5th, Gifted and Talented students in grades K– 12 participated in a college tour and Madrigal Dinner experience at the University of the Cumberlands in Williamsburg, Kentucky. The first stop of the tour was at the grand staircase in the Joan Day Foyer of the Grace Crum Rollins Fine Arts Center, below left. Students were greeted by the admissions counselor in the music building, where many received free t-shirts and

sunglasses during a trivia game about the university. Current UC students guided the Clinton County students on a tour of the campus, visiting lecture halls, classrooms, gymnasium, chapel, residence halls, and more. The visit concluded with the unique experience of an Elizabethan-style Christmas Ball at the Madrigal Dinner in the dining hall. The period-costumed Chamber Choir entertained with Christmas songs as the meal was served in five separate courses.



5th Grade Conservation Workshop

The 2014 Conservation Outdoor Workshop for fifth graders was held on September 30th. The workshop was held at Mountain View Recreational Park. The workshop consisted of five sessions for the students to attend. The Natural Resource Conservation Service conducted a class

concerning soil erosion. The Soil Conservation District workshop had students feel an object then write down what they thought it was. The Army Corps of Engineers had a class on water safety. The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife discussed the different types of wildlife in our area. They had skins, models, and other

materials on display. The U.K. Cooperative Extension Service did an activity on local ecology. Students then participated in a scavenger hunt for things they could find in our wooded areas. The students enjoyed the classes and the great weather that day.



CCMS Reduce, Reuse, Recycle Projects

Students in Mrs. Lora Grant's 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade practical living / career studies classes have been studying the three R's—Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle. To apply these concepts personally, students were asked to generate examples of how they could reuse varied items that would normally be thrown

away. Students brought several examples to class and explained to the class how to reuse the items instead of throwing them out, which would help take care of the earth. Below left is 5th grade and below right is 6th grade. At bottom left is 7th grade and at bottom right is 8th grade.

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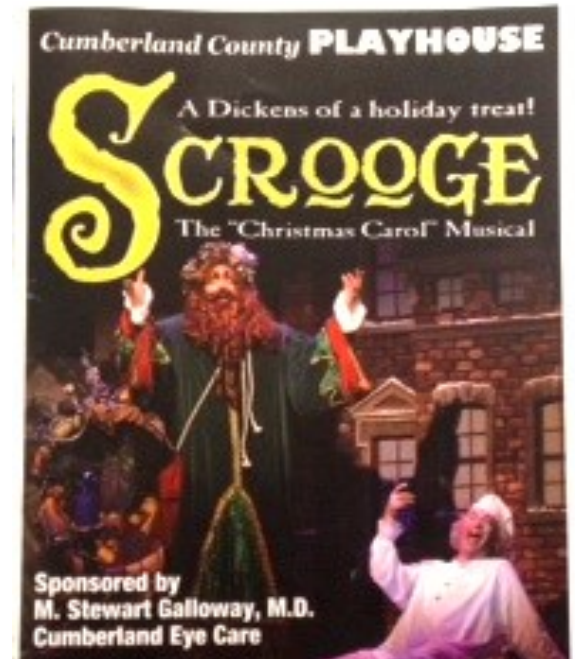


7th Grade Class Trip

On Monday, November 24th, the 7th grade class traveled to Crossville, Tennessee to visit the Cumberland County Playhouse. They watched the play *Scrooge*, which is a musical based on the ever popular Charles Dickens novel, *A Christmas Carol*. In *Scrooge*, the miserly Ebenezer Scrooge undergoes a profound experience of redemption over the course of a Christmas Eve night after being visited by the ghost of his former partner, Jacob Marley, and the ghosts of Christmas Past, Present, and Future.

The students had been reading the play in Mrs. Ashley Shelton's 7th grade Reading class. Seventh grade student, Jaden Mullins, had this to say about the experience, "It was a really good play. Most of the time, it stuck with the original version. I enjoyed seeing the play that we read in class come to life on the stage. I would definitely encourage people to not only read the play, but go watch it too." Upon returning to school, the students were asked to reflect on their experiences watching the play.

They also completed an extended response that required them to compare and contrast the play they read in class, to the live version they went to see.



Supper Program

The Supper Program at Clinton County High School started on October 1, 2014. Through this program, any CCHS student who stays after school for any activity may receive a

free "supper" meal immediately after school. The meal always includes a meat or sandwich, a grain, fruit, vegetables, and milk. The program does not serve adults. Items may not be

purchased, and extras may not be purchased. The meal must be eaten in the school. The Supper Program began at AES and CCMS on December 1, 2014.



CCMS Y Club & KYA

The Clinton County Middle School Y-Club elected officers for the 2014-2015 school year. The president is Rachel Sawyers. The Vice-President is Dalton Gregory. The Secretary is Annie Cross. The Treasurer is Conlan Beck. The Service Chair is Keonna Thompson. The Public Relations Chair is Raegan Thrasher. The Y-Club has also started

service projects. The Y-Club is doing a recycle project called "Keep Calm and Recycle On". The Y-Club collects paper and plastic bottles. The Y-Club is also doing a cleaning project where we clean the desks in each classroom each week. The Y-Club attended the annual KYA Conference on December 11th and 12th and presented three bills. One legislative bill

proposed allows teachers to have guns in the school, after having a background check and having a license to carry it. The second legislative bill proposed is that evolution should not be taught in schools. The premiere bill that was proposed is that there should be metal detectors in schools to keep kids safe.

Submitted by Raegan Thrasher

Pictured at right, CCMS KYA students attended the annual KYA Conference on December 11th and 12th. CCMS KYA is sponsored by Ms. Rachel Bernard and Ms. Ashley Hardin. Congratulations to Keonna Thompson for acting as Committee Chair on both days!



Y-Club Service Projects

- **Keep Calm and Recycle** - Each day, teachers collect paper products to recycle. Students then collect the paper and recycle them in the recycling bin outside our school. This project will hopefully help Clinton County Middle School make it's impact on the planet. It will also allow students the opportunity to see how much waste we normally just throw away into our landfills.
- **Germ Busters** - Each week a group of students cleans desks throughout the school. This is our way of preventing the spread of germs throughout the school. Hopefully this effort will keep us from missing days of school because of sickness.
- **Christmas Greetings** - The Y-Club students created personalized Christmas cards to take to the nursing home. Each card was filled with a message of hope for the holiday season. With these cards the students hoped to spread their holiday cheer.
- **Can Food Drive** - The school participated in a can food drive to help support City Hall. Y-Club students collected cans for one week. At the end of the week, they made a donation to City Hall.



Art Collaboration Projects



Albany Sonic sponsored an art contest for students in Ms. Pam Miniard's art classes at Clinton County Middle School. The students drew pictures of cars for the last drive-in car show at Sonic for the summer.

The winners from the contest are pictured at right: Cydney Sampson—1st place and Tessa Roberts—3rd place. (Not pictured: Celena Martinez—2nd place).

Mrs. Pam Miniard's and Mrs. Lora Grant's classes at Clinton County Middle School participated in a poster contest in the spring. Students also wrote lyrics and performed a song informing others about Radon Gas. The posters were submitted for judging and submitted to the state for competition. Congratulations to 8th

grade student, Matthew Smith! Matthew placed in the top ten for the state of Kentucky Radon Poster Contest and received his prize, t-shirt and certificate. His poster will be published in the 2015 calendar. Matthew is pictured at left during the award presentation with art teacher Mrs. Pam Miniard.



Students in Mrs. Pam Miniard's art classes at Clinton County High School are adding a touch of school spirit and pride to the girls' and boys' bathroom entranceways. Students created their own designs and then painted them on the walls, pictured below left and center. The students in Mr. Jonathan



Oakes' Agriculture class also worked together with students in Mrs. Miniard's Studio Art class on the mural pictured below right. The Art students painted the wooden blocks of the mural and the Agriculture students created the wooden picture frame. The mural will be hung on the wall by the Art room door.



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Hands-On Learning in Community

During the October 2014 School Board Meeting, the students enrolled in the Medicaid Nurse Aide Program at the Clinton County Area Technology Center checked the board members' vital signs and distributed healthy living pamphlets. This opportunity allowed the

students to gain experience working with the public in an environment outside of the classroom. The students along with their Instructor Billie Frye, RN would like to thank the board members for allowing the students to measure their vital signs. They would also like

to thank the Clinton County Health Department for donating the pamphlets to the school for distribution. The students who assisted with the event are pictured below left: (from left to right) Danielle Dalton, Macy Looper, Shana Shipman, Asha Martin, and Taylor Guinn.



CCATC Students Skype Visit UK

Health careers students at Clinton County ATC had a rare opportunity on December 10th to participate in a virtual visit with four members of the University of Kentucky College of Medicine Ambassadors program. Together with their instructor, Mrs. Billie Frye, the students had prepared questions for the first and second year medical school

students prior to the Skype call. Led by Brett Austin, president of the Ambassadors program, the four medical school students answered the local high school students' questions about choosing a college, preparing for the MCAT, selecting a specialty area, salary ranges, dealing with stress, motivation, and many other topics. Our students posed some very

interesting and thought-provoking questions for the college students. In turn, the Ambassadors gave wonderful insight for our students who are seriously considering a future in healthcare careers. This opportunity was facilitated by Assistant Superintendent Dr. Paula Little. Thanks to Sid Scott and Frank Butler for coordinating the technical aspects of the visit.



Students Visit ECC at Halloween

Clinton County Area Technology Center students in FBLA (Future Business Leaders of

America) and HOSA (Health Occupations Students of America) visited the students at the

Early Childhood Center on Halloween to play games and deliver treat bags.



2nd Sunday / Health Fair Event

The students enrolled in the Medicaid Nurse Aide Program at the KY Tech Clinton County Area Technology Center, along with their Instructor Billie Frye, RN assisted with the annual Healthy Second Sunday event held at the Learning Center on October 12th. The event allowed the students to gain experience in measuring blood pressures, pulses, respirations, heights, and weights. This event allowed the students to gain real-world experience related to health care.

The students and Instructor Billie Frye, RN would like to thank the community for coming to the event and the coordinators for allowing the students to participate in the annual health fair. The students who participated are pictured at right: (front row) Makayla Lee, Shana Shipman, Ashley Harper, Macy Looper, and Ansley Stalcup; (back row) Instructor Billie Frye, RN, Marika Lowhorn, Taylor Buster, Asha Martin, Taylor Guinn, Katie Huff, Carley Miller, and Danielle Dalton.



K4C Construction Fair

Clinton County ATC students in the Automotive, Carpentry, Welding, and Industrial Maintenance Career Pathways attended the Annual Construction Fair in Shelby County on September 24, 2014. For the seventh year, members of the Kentucky Construction Career Choice Council (K4C) hosted the annual Construction Career Days event at the Shelby County Fairgrounds in Shelbyville, Kentucky. Hands-on activities for nearly 2,500 students

and teachers were provided by vendors representing construction trade associations. Many postsecondary institution representatives were also there to promote the value of a postsecondary education. It was an outstanding example of education and industry professionals working together to positively promote careers in the construction industry.

Pictured in group photo below right (from left to right) Jesse Burchett, Welding

Instructor; Matt McWhorter, Auto Machanics Instructor; Katie Melton, Kyle Thomas, Austin Waid, Michael Branham, Nathan Norris, Mary Gilbert, Levi Barber, Mitchell Shelton, Jadeon Page, Nevin Norris, Shelby Tallent, Zach Jones, Blake Guffey, Cole Nelson, Alex Beaty, Brandon Burchett, Jeff Brown, Matthew Sharp, Tyler Beaty, Kirsten Groce, Travis Riddle, Michael Thrasher, Brooke Gibson, and Emily Craig, Job Coach.



Above left, Tyler Beaty (Cumberland Student) driving a Bobcat. Above center, Michael Branham with Mary Gilbert (Cumberland Students) speaking with colleges that attended the event. Below left, Kirsten Groce re-routing electrical current from a power line. Below center, Alex Beaty saws while Brandon Burchett, and Jaeden Page observe. Below right, Shelby Tallent being lowered into a sink hole.



FBLA Students Job Shadow

The Future Business Leaders of America Club from Clinton County High School participated in a club wide job shadowing event on October 9, 2014. The club members were able to pick a career that they are interested in and observe a worker in that profession for one day in order to learn more about that career.

The FBLA students and sponsor Mrs. Holly Claborn would like to personally thank Clinton County School Board, Clinton County Middle School, Albany Elementary School, Early Childhood Center, Clinton County News, A New You, and the staff that worked directly with those students to have a successful learning

experience. Pictured below left, FBLA member Kelsie Payne at the Clinton County News; below right, FBLA member Rachel Claborn at Clinton County Middle School; bottom left, FBLA member Ashton Thrasher at the Early Childhood Center; bottom right, FBLA member Angela Owens with Jared at A New You Salon.



CCATC September Students of the Month

The faculty and staff in the six career and technical education programs at Clinton County Area Technology Center are proud to announce Student of the Month recipients for

the character trait of **RESPECT** for the month of SEPTEMBER. Instructors used a set of guidelines defining **RESPECT** and selected a student according to those guidelines. The

faculty and staff are proud to honor deserving students with a certificate of appreciation and with a school lobby photo display during the month following their selection.

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Pictured above left is Cindy Albertson, Health Sciences Instructor, with Taylor Albertson. Above center is Billie Frye, Health Sciences instructor, with Ashley Harper. Above right is Holly Claborn, Office Technology instructor, with Brooke Little. Pictured below left is Jason Harlan, Carpentry instructor, with Jonathan Stearns. Below center left is Matt McWhorter, Auto Mechanic Instructor, with James Morrison. Below center right is Jesse Burchett, Welding instructor, with Bryson Starns. Below right is Jerry Bell, Industrial Maintenance instructor, with Jessica Clark (Cumberland County student).



CCATC October Students of the Month

The faculty and staff in the six career and technical education programs at Clinton County Area Technology Center are proud to announce Student of the Month recipients for the character

trait of **DILIGENCE** for the month of OCTOBER. Instructors used a set of guidelines defining **DILIGENCE** and selected a student according to those guidelines. The faculty and

staff are proud to honor deserving students with a certificate of appreciation and with a school lobby photo display during the month following their selection.

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Pictured above left is Cindy Albertson, Health Sciences instructor, with Marlie Reneau. Above center is Billie Frye, Health Sciences instructor, with Brooke Wright. Above right is Holly Claborn, Office Technology instructor with Kimberly Stockton. Pictured at left is Jason Harlan, Carpentry instructor, with Mary Gilbert (Cumberland County Student). Below left is Matt McWhorter, Auto Mechanics instructor, with Matthew Sharp (Cumberland County Student). At right is Jesse Burchett, Welding instructor, with Kade Fulkerson (Cumberland County Student). Below right is Jerry Bell, Industrial Maintenance instructor, with Brooke Owens.



Mrs. Scott Reads from the Rooftop!

In the spring of 2014, Clinton County Middle School Principal Teresa Scott made a promise to the student body. On Wednesday, December 17th, she made good on that promise. Decked out in 80's attire and sporting

a Cindy-Lou-Who hairdo, Mrs. Scott perched herself on the roof of CCMS to read *Green Eggs and Ham* by Dr. Seuss to the students in the grade level that had the most gains on last year's KPREP tests. The grade level of students that

got to enjoy this spectacle was last year's 7th graders (this year's 8th graders). Congratulations to the students for their hard work and to Mrs. Scott for her dedication.

