



# WACTC UPDATE

Western Area Career & Technology Center

November 22, 2024

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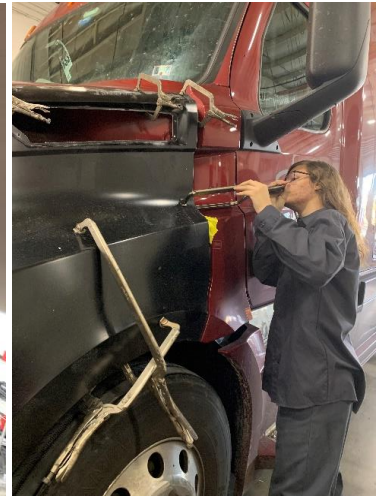
Matthew M. Hoffman, Esq.



Networking and Automation & Robotics Engineering students attended the Discovery Day event which showcased cutting-edge robotics, automation, and artificial intelligence (AI) solutions that are driving innovation across multiple industries. The event featured over 130 exhibitors and live demonstrations of groundbreaking technologies that are transforming the way humans live, move and work. Pictured above with instructors Bharat Narra and Morgan Mitchell are Ethan Garrett (A); Thomas McConnell (B); Christopher Furbee, Damien Buyny, Caleb Hess (CH); Cameron Siess, Addison Nye, Kellan Ardeno, Brandon Cridge, Adrian Michael, Taevin Herring (CM); Elijah Maloy, Hayden Florian, Sabrina Beatty, Rhiyle Lizon (M); Ethan Baker, Dante Herisko, Brandon Jones, Rayyan Khan, Matthew Opfer (PT); Megan Bowen, Tyler Vitteck (T); Casimere DeBee, William Grazulis, Thomas Woltkowiak, Haviar Rodriguez, Angelina Palessandro (W); Tyler Hand, Wayne Sparks-Gatling, Madison Rice, Talon Hoyt (Wesley, Adult, Cyber, Carlynton students).



HVAC students Dylan Campoll (FC), Jack Gillo (CH) and Alex Fosmire (FC) work on an in-school project.



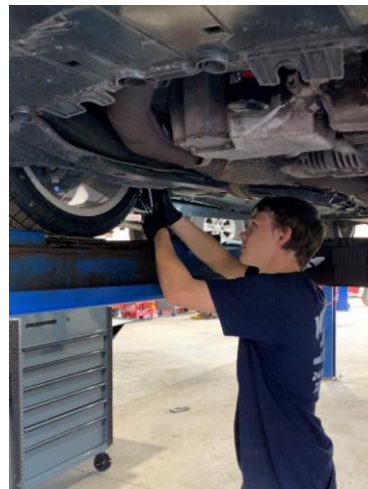
## NOVEMBER

### STUDENT OF THE MONTH



Jack Gillo | HVAC  
Chartiers-Houston School District

Canon Mac students Cameron Cox and Samuel Weir are both in the Collision Repair program. Cameron is working at Opeka Auto Repair and Sam is at Fyda Freightliner. Auto Mechanics student Darius Simmons (B) is doing an alignment at Wally's Auto Repair. Joseph Daniels (M) is in the Auto Repair program and working at CB MINING as a Gearbox Mechanic.



## What's Happening

November 27

Teacher In-Service  
No Students

November 28 –  
December 2

Thanksgiving Break  
No School



# 2000 Turkeys



Wednesday, November 20, 2024

Downtown Canonsburg & Washington  
8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

**R** RANGE RESOURCES®

On Wednesday, our **SkillsUSA** members volunteered at Range Resources' 2000 Turkeys Drive in Canonsburg. Funds collected will be used to provide food to ensure families in Washington County enjoy a traditional Thanksgiving meal this Holiday Season!



Participants: **Burgettstown:** Gabriel Banks, Teddy Gray, Brenna Henry, Olivia McKinney, Bonnie Meyers, Faith Wilson | **Canon-McMillan:** Teagyn Madden, Zikhera Townes | **McGuffey:** Kaitlyn McCracken, Kendall Pauls, Claudya Shanks | **Peters Township:** Annalise Algeo, Anna Brunette, Eva Cibrone, Ella Eiben, Addison Gaydos, Chloe Tomko, Leah Zwibel | **Trinity:** Daelyn Norris, Haylie Riggie | **Washington:** Melia Bennett | Paraprofessional Jodi McAdoo | **SkillsUSA** Advisor Allison Scaife



## RANGE RESOURCES® 2000 TURKEYS FOOD DRIVE

Range Resources matched all donations made online, cash or checks collected in person on November 20 up to \$25,000!