

High School Activity Report

September 2016

Enrollment:

There are 787 students enrolled at the Erie County Technical School. This is an increase of 9 students from the 2015-16 school year at this time. Ten programs are operating at a 90% or better capacity; Art & Design for Business, Automotive Body Repair, Automotive Technology, Computer Programming, Construction Trades, Cosmetology, Electrical Engineering Technology, Facility Maintenance Technologies, Health Assistant, and Metal Fabrication.

Transition Center Enrollment:

The Erie County Transition Center has an enrollment of 32 students as of September 14, 2016. This enrollment is an increase from the initial enrollment from the 2015-16 school year by one student. North East has the largest population with 7 students enrolled.

First 8 Days of Activities:

The Erie County Technical School students were again involved in a variety of lab and school building activities during the initial 8 days of school. The activities were built around the Minute-To-Win-It theme; such as “M&M suction carry”, “marshmallow chop sticks carry”. Again, these activities were designed to encourage team work and school unity. A special morning activity was held to have students make the ECTS logo come to life for the fifth year. And finally, each lab created and prepared a rocket to be launched in the rear of the building.

To conclude the first 8 days festivities, the annual “school” picnic was conducted on Friday, September 9th to provide the students the opportunity to mingle among friends and labs, and to enjoy a hot dog and pop. The students were also able to enjoy picnic games such as horseshoes, bocce, volleyball, and corn-hole toss. A special thank you to the cafeteria staff for preparing the hot dogs and set-up of our food line. Kudos to Lisa Sorensen, Remle Moyak, Kelly Sanders, Sandy Carr, Natalie Fatica and Dr. Jackson for serving the picnic food.

Student Orientation:

Mr. Tarasovitch presented a Power Point to the students on September 12th to reinforce the expectations for the Erie County Technical School.

Safety:

The first fire drill of the school year was conducted on Friday, September 16th. Drills were conducted at both the High School and the Skills Center buildings.