

High School Activity Report

March 2018

Guidance Counselor Meeting: The Erie County Technical School hosted the home school guidance counselors on Tuesday, March 13th. Lisa Sorensen did a tremendous job organizing the session for the counselors. The topics of discussion were: Enrollment of New Students, Welcome Presentation to New Students, New Student Dinner, and grade concerns.

Rotary Leadership Symposium: The Erie area Rotarians presented a leadership symposium for 11th graders enrolled in the Erie County schools. Students from 17 school districts attended the event. Mrs. Moyak, Mrs. Carr, and Mr. Woodburn chaperoned 12 of the Erie County Technical School's finest juniors to Mercyhurst University. The following students participated: Janessa Anderson – ADS – FTL, Brady Kirkpatrick – AUR – FTL, Ethan Fails – AUT – GM, Tara Gross – CMN – NE, Ezra English – CMP – NW, Kendra Turick – CUA – NE, Nicole Kuna – ECE – MCD, Rachael Hahn – ECE – GM, Tecumsch Thundercloud – ELC - MCD, Paige Larson – HEA – WBG, Josh Larson – MTF – GM, Dylan Fedei – PMT – FRV.

OAC Dinner Meeting: The Occupational Advisory Committee dinner was held on Tuesday, March 6th. Again the evening was a great success due to the exceptional planning of Mrs. Elaine Shaffer. Mrs. Shaffer shared that ECTS had 143 people at the event, 115 of which were OAC members representing 86 organizations.

Main topics of discussion included: performance objectives; industry standards; and resource and industrial materials. In addition, instructors had a chance to solicit for NOCTI proctors and Dinner with the Teacher assistance.

The Nutrition Group Inc. catered the dinner and it was an outstanding meal that was well accepted. Kudos to Mrs. Shaffer for her organization of the dinner and meeting, Mr. Tracy Massello and the Facility Maintenance students for setting up the cafeteria to accommodate the dinner and Mr. Jeff Zellefrow and the Hospitality and Tourism students for decorating the tables.

Collins Writing: Mr. Holland organized another visit from Dr. Heather Mashetta on March 9th. Dr. Mashetta continued work with instructors who are using Collins Writing. Collins Writing is designed to improve student thinking and writing skills simultaneously.

ROVA Leadership Conference: Mr. Michael Miller and Mr. Travis Woodburn will chaperone students to the annual ROVA leadership conference to be held April 22nd and 23rd at the Nazareth Retreat and Conference Center in Mercer, Pa.

February ECTS Pride Students: Please find attached the monthly recognition of the PRIDE student of the month from each lab.