## WALL OF FAME



# **CTAE:** Working to Produce High-Achieving Students

## **Northside High School**

#### NHS Conducts Adult Computer Classes

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CTAE Leaders / Support Pages 13-14 During the evenings of September 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>, Northside High School Business Department conducted free adult computer classes. Adult students were divided into beginner or advance levels and Northside Business teachers, Johnna Spires, Angela Davis, Sandi Couillard, and Traci Jolley and Graphics Teacher, Darcy Hancock, led the classes. FBLA, FCCLA, ROTC, and BETA Club students cheerfully assisted the adults. FCCLA members and their advisers, Jill Massee and Shonda McFadden, provided wonderful refreshments. Adults who attended both nights received certificates signed by Principal, Greg Peavy, and CTAE Supervisor, David McDermott.



Pictured above is the adult beginner class.



Northside High



Warner Robins High



Houston County High



Perry High



Houston County

Career Academy

## NHS Conducts Adult Computer Classes (continued)



Makayla Wilder with adult student

Sara Abdulla with adult student and teacher, Darcy Hancock in background





Krista Lavender with adult student

Timayah Smith with adult student



## **Warner Robins High School**

### WRHS FCCLA Attends Discover Training

WRHS FCCLA members attended Discover Training at Camp John Hope. The members connected with other FCCLA members while sharing ideas.



Pictured from left to right: Emily Stephenson, Alyssa Minx, Dalton Scarlett, Nathan Ingram, Taylor Morgan, Andrea Minix, Deondra Johnson, and Savannah Daly.



Front row: Taylor Morgan, Savannah Daly, Deondra Johnson, Emily Stephenson, Alyssa Minix and Andrea Minix. Back row: Nathan Ingram and Dalton Scarlett

#### WRHS FFA Welcomes Students

Warner Robins High School FFA members. Johuna Granville and Laurie Hall, helped out with the school's open house on August 18, 2014. They were happy to be part of welcoming students to WRHS. Miss Granville is the chapter's President and Miss Hall is the Reporter. A table was set out with information about FFA and some pictures of past activities. Brochures were passed out to families and questions were answered. Pictured are



Johuna Granville and Laurie Hall. Warner Robins High School is located on 401 South Davis Drive in Warner Robins, Georgia.

#### WRHS FFA Adds Salt and Pepper



Warner Robins High School's farm got two new additions! Pygmy goats! Their names are Salt and Pepper. This will expand students' knowledge of goat production in the small animal classes. Since there is a rise in urban farming, the goats will add to the experience of bringing farm life to the city. Students are super excited about the new addition.

Pictured are Salt and Pepper. Warner Robins High School is located on 401 South Davis Drive in Warner Robins, Georgia.

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#### WRHS Agriscience Class Prepares Salsa



In Mrs. Sanders' Agriscience class, the students made salsa. All peppers and tomatoes that were used came from the school farm. The students went out during class and picked them. Students were put into groups for this assignment. In the groups, they had to write out an ingredient list, directions for making the salsa, and design a cover for it. Once all the groups were finished making their salsa, they brought in chips to taste the different ones. A winning group was chosen.

Pictured at left is Haley Holtzclaw, picking peppers for her group's salsa. Pictured below is the winning group. Left to right: Donnesha Harris, Bryson Callis and Kelsey Selph. Warner Robins High School is located on 401 South Davis Drive in Warner Robins, Georgia.



#### WRHS FFA Selected to Compete for National Recognition

Warner Robins High School's FFA chapter was recently selected to compete for national recognition in an FFA Career Development Event at October's 87th National FFA Convention & Expo.

The WRHS FFA Chapter will send members to Louisville, Kentucky as they vie for national honors in the area of Milk Quality and Products. National support for the Milk Quality and Products CDE is provided by Culver's and Dairy Farmers of America. FFA members who will represent the chapter in the event include Bonnie Lawrence, Eric Montoya, Johuna Granville, and Katherine Hofmann. The chapter advisor is Veronica Sanders.

Milk quality and products is one of 24 national CDE areas, covering job skills in everything from communications to mechanics. Participants test milk samples for flavor and taste cheese samples as well as identify cheese characteristics. Members evaluate milk samples using the California Mastitis Test. Finally, the participant's knowledge of milk production and marketing is assessed by a written exam. CDEs help students develop the abilities to think critically, communicate clearly and perform effectively in a competitive job market.

The National FFA Organization provides leadership, personal growth and career success training through agricultural education to 579,678 student members in grades seven through twelve who belong to one of 7,570 local FFA chapters throughout the U.S., Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

Mrs. Veronica Sanders is the agriculture teacher and Mr. Steve Monday is principal of Warner Robins High School.



Pictured are: Veronica Sanders- Advisor, Laurie Hall-alternate, Katherine Hoffman, Johuna Granville, Bonnie Lawrence and Erick Montoya

## **Houston County High School**

#### HCHS FCCLA

Houston County High's Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) Leadership Team attended DISCOVER Training at Camp John Hope in Fort Valley. DISCOVER Training is designed to be a small group experience for local chapter officers, and is the acronym for Developing Individual School Chapter Officers with Vision, Energy and Responsibilities. During the training, HCHS's Leadership Team assigned the office each individual would hold for the 2014-2015 school year.



Pictured are, Kelly Gunerman, VP of Public Relations, Kasey Leahy, President, Desiree Singleton, VP of Membership, R.J. Blake, Secretary, Jessica Jones, VP of Parliamentary Law, Regan Merrill, State VP of Community Service, Dedan McFadden, VP of Programs, Dara Ogunsakin, VP of Social Media, Lohgan Vasquez, VP of Community Service, Brittany Hammond and Bobbie Melden, First VP. The officers hold monthly meetings to plan chapter meetings and other projects.

#### HCHS FCCLA National Officers Participate With Planning in Virginia

Houston County High seniors and National Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) National Officers, David Jefferson and Shivani Dhir, along with their Adviser, Jane Cooper, recently attended the FCCLA National Executive Council Meeting at the FCCLA National Headquarters in Reston, Virginia. During this Council meeting, the officers and advisers got acquainted, set goals, made suggestions for the organization's community initiatives, and participated in strategic planning for the year. The ten national officers will lead FCCLA members from all over the country in training at the Capitol Leadership Conference in Washington, D.C. in October and will attend FCCLA Cluster meetings in Salt Lake City, Utah, New Brunswick, New Jersey and Little Rock, Arkansas during the month of November.



## **Houston County Career Academy**

### HCCA Students Learn About The Medical Field



Mike Cantrell is the owner of Cantrell Center, also a master clinician and leader in the rehabilitation industry. He is pictured here speaking with students from HCCA in Mary Walker's General Medicine class. Students are just finishing course curriculum on physical therapy and orthopedic medicine.



#### HCCA Students Catapult Into Learning



Houston County Career Engineering Academy's and Technology students are learning the history of engineering by building paper catapults! Catapults were used during medieval times to attack fortresses and castles. Led by Mr. Smith, Houston County Career Academy's Engineering, Electronics, Manufacturing and Teacher, these students are learning how to build, innovate. and construct engineering projects.

Next, the students will design a prototype of a catapult and construct it out of wood. The students will use the engineering design process to create their wooden catapults. They will design, create drawings, and fabricate their catapults.

Engineering is a popular and growing field! Engineers are in high demand, even at our very own Robins AFB. A degree in engineering is one of the highest paid bachelors degree coming from a four-year institution.

Pictured is Engineering and Technology student, Abigail Spratling. The Houston County Career Academy is located at 1311 Corder Road in Warner Robins. Mrs. Sabrina Phelps serves as principal. For more information, contact the Director of Career, Technical and Agricultural Education, Barbara Wall, at 478-988-6222 ext. 10226 or barbara.wall@hcbe.net.

## **Mossy Creek Middle School**

#### MCMS Student Wins National FBLA Award



Mossy Creek Middle School student Andy Davis won first place at the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) National Leadership Conference in Computer Concepts Open Events. The conference was held in Nashville, Tenn. June 29 through July 2.

This event is one of only four middle level events which recognizes first place at the National Leadership Conference. While at the conference, Andy also participated in leadership training and enjoyed touring the area.

He is now a freshman at Perry High School. The Mossy Creek Middle School FBLA Adviser is Robin Fobbus.

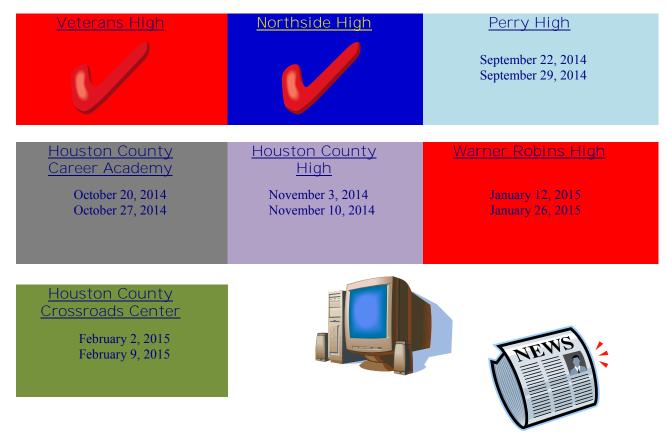
Participants from across the U.S. attended the conference to sharpen business skills, expand networks and compete in more than 60 business and business-related events. More than 10,000 youth vied for the opportunity to win awards.

Mossy Creek Middle School is located at 200 Danny Carpenter Drive in Warner Robins. Dr. Andy Gentry serves as principal. For more information, please e-mail <u>Robin.Fobbus@hcbe.net</u> or visit <u>www.fbla-pbl.org</u>.



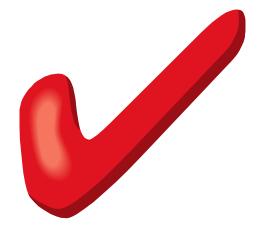
## **Adult Computer Classes Offered**

Beginning August 18, 2014 several Houston County School System employees will once again begin offering basic computer classes free of charge to our adult community. All classes will be taught from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Monday evenings. Again, there is no cost for these classes. To sign up for classes, please call Lorrie Nix at 478-988-6222 ext.10090. For questions related to these classes other than registration, contact Barbara Wall at 478-988-6222 ext. 10226.



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- 3. Submit only one *brief description* and accompanying picture(s) per email.
- 4. Submit by the 5th of each month.
- 5. Submit to lorrie.nix@hcbe.net



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