



CTAE: Working to Produce High-Achieving Students

Perry High School

PHS Wins National FFA Nursery/Landscape Awards

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Perry High School's FFA team won first place at the National FFA Nursery/Landscape Career Development Event in Indianapolis in October. Perry High's Nursery and Landscape team members are: Stephen Dickerson, Dawson Dooley, Joshua Lee, and Dustin Pitzer. Dr. Argene Claxton serves as their agriculture education teacher and FFA adviser.

Three of the team members also won individual awards as follows:

- Lee – 1st place individual;
- Dooley – 3rd high individual; and
- Pitzer – 4th place individual.

The top 10 individuals and the national winning team members received cash awards to recognize their success in the event. The cash awards and the event are sponsored by Kubota Tractor Corporation and STIHL Inc. Pictured (from left) are: Dr. Claxton, Dickerson, Dooley, Lee and Pitzer with Roger Phelps of STIHL.

During the Nursery/Landscape competition, FFA members test their knowledge and skills in nursery practices and landscaping. Participants must complete an exam which tests horticultural principles to include plant anatomy, production, marketing, turf, landscape design and maintenance. Each participant must also complete practicums involving a landscape drawing, landscape estimating, plant propagation or potting, identification of plants, disorders and equipment.

The contest helps connect classroom lessons to practices utilized in the nursery and landscape industry. It also promotes academic achievement and skill competence for students who seek a future horticulture program of study and career.

Perry High is located at 1307 North Avenue in Perry. Wesley "Del" Martin serves as principal. For more information, please contact Dr. Claxton at argene.claxton@hcbe.net or 478-988-6298, ext. 21312.



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PHS FFA Meats Evaluation Team Named a Gold Emblem Team



High School's FFA Meats Evaluation team won 11th place at the National FFA Convention & Expo held in Indianapolis this month. Perry's team was named a *Gold Emblem Team* for its standing out of 42 teams.

Members of the team are pictured (from left): Skylar Mizell, Landon Tadich, Haley Pulsifer and Lizzi Neal with their FFA Adviser, Ashley Denton. Neal, Mizell and Tadich also won Gold Emblem Individual awards, while Pulsifer was named a Silver Emblem Individual. This team won first place at state to advance to the national competition.

The national competition was held at the Indiana State Fairgrounds where students applied classroom knowledge to real-life situations. They competed in a team activity to test their ability to recognize a variety of muscles and bones, along with two keep/cull classes. The remainder of the competition was held at Purdue University, where students were asked to name 30 Retail ID cuts, Quality and Yield Grade five Beef carcasses, along with five additional placing classes and two questions classes.

The cash awards and the event are sponsored by Cargill Meat Solutions, Hormel Foods Corporation and Tyson Foods, Inc. The National FFA Organization is a youth organization of 649,355 student members. The FFA mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education.

For more information, please contact Denton at 478-988-6298.



PHS FCCLA Students Learn About “Man vs. Impossible”



Perry High school students are learning that they can do the impossible from a man who makes the impossible happen all the time.

If you've ever had to push a car, you know how hard it can be. Mark Kirsch pulls a huge C-130 aircraft down the runway all by himself.

He made the impossible happen while at the Robins Air Show. During the time Mark Kirsch was in town for this event, he made a point to share his message of making dreams happen with students across the area.

"Just to get the kids to believe they can do anything they think that's impossible," Kirsch said. "If they want something that's a dream that people tell them they can't become a doctor or a cardiac surgeon and they say that's not possible, I want them to believe if they work hard they too can do the impossible."

Kirsch said he has dropped 200 pounds of body fat and is still able to pull some of the largest aircrafts on the planet. By sharing his message of perseverance, dedication and sports nutrition with students he was able to give them motivation and inspiration throughout his presentations in class. He also gave students from each class the opportunity to interview him on his own show titled “Man vs. Impossible”. Perry High students were glad that he took the time out of his busy schedule to speak with them.



PHS FCCLA Students Attend Fall Leadership Conference



Youth from the Perry High FCCLA chapter of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) recently participated in a weekend leadership conference at Camp John Hope FFA-FCCLA Center in Fort Valley, Georgia. Over 1,200 students and advisers from 200 schools across Georgia participated in leadership workshops, planned the chapter's program of work and participated in competitions at this location and another in Covington, GA. Students were motivated by the conference theme, "2016 Boot Camp". Along with other advisers and members from across the state, Perry High School's FCCLA chapter advisers, Kama Beaumarchais and Crystal Quick accompanied their six officers to the meeting.

Chapters also had the chance to compete in several events including: T-shirt Design, State Lapel Pin Design, Membership Recruitment and Statesman Award. At the conclusion of the day the awards ceremony was held to recognize all of the accomplishments of the competition winners.

Perry High FCCLA was super excited to walk away with 1st place in the Membership Recruitment competition with their Bee themed display. Students could not wait to stop by and see what all the "Buzz" was about. Officers participated in several workshops and brainstorming activities to benefit their local chapter.

For more information on Georgia FCCLA, visit www.gafccla.com.

Pictured above from left to right are: Kyli Smith, Katelyn LaPine, Grace Peavy, Maddie McKleroy, Desmond Spicer, Monica Williams



PHS FCCLA Students Attend Fall Leadership Rally



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The Georgia National Fair competitions began on Tuesday, October 11th with students competing in the Annual Chili Cook-Off for high school and middle school students. The next day, students attended the 2016 FCCLA Fall Leadership Rally in Reaves Arena. The motivational rally was followed by the Peanut Recipe Contest sponsored by Georgia Peanut Commission, the Family and Consumer Sciences Knowledge Bowl, Culinary Knowledge Bowl, Middle School Knowledge Bowl and the Culinary Competition.

For more information on Georgia FCCLA, visit www.gafcla.com.

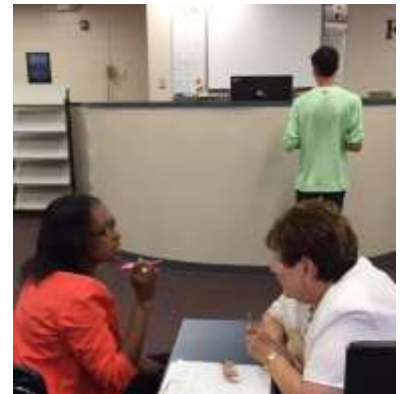


Houston County CTAE Hosts Adult Computer Classes

On October 17th and 18th, over 90 adults in Houston County participated in Adult Computer Literacy classes. The class was a joint venture involving Career Technology programs from the five high schools including the Houston County Career Academy. Class participants were divided into two groups. The beginning group learned basic typing techniques and computer skills. The final project was developing an advertisement flyer. The intermediate to advanced class studied the intricacies of social media, how to set up a Facebook page and exploring the world wide web.

Teachers and students from the area high schools volunteered to facilitate these classes. Veterans High, Houston County High, and Northside High led the classes on Monday night. Warner Robins High, Perry High, and the Houston County Career Academy led the classes on Tuesday night. The participants received certificates of completion for their attendance and participation.

Mr. David McDermott serves as Houston County's Career Technical and Agriculture Director. The following Assistant Principals serve as CTAE Supervisors at their high school: Mrs. Sherry Johnson (VHS), Mrs. Karma Hayes (HCHS), Mr. Chad Simmons (NHS), Mr. Heath Burch (WRHS), and Mr. Christopher McPhail (PHS). Mrs. Sabrina Phelps serves as Principal and CTAE Supervisor at the Career Academy. For additional information about the next adult computer classes you may contact Mr. David McDermott at the Houston County Board of Education, david.mcdermott@hcbe.net.



Houston County Career Academy

HCCA Attends Lt. Governor's Business and Education Summit



On October 24th and 25th Central Technical College and Houston County Career Academy participated in the Lt. Governor's 9th Annual Business and Education Summit.

Attendees included (pictured above, from front, left to right) Michael Chalmers, (HCCA Board of Director Chair); Antonio Shelly, (CGTC Industrial Maintenance Program Chair); Garrett Sisk, (CGTC Engineering Program Chair/Instructor); Antonio Watkins, (CGTC High School Coordinator); Jeff Hoffman, (CGTC Electronics Instructor); Kimberly Gunn, (CGTC Director of High School Initiatives); Lindsey Powell, (CGTC High School Coordinator); Mike Engel, (CGTC Dean of Trade & Industry); Sabrina C. Phelps, (Principal and CEO of Houston County Career Academy); Jackie Turner, (CGTC Associate Dean); Amy Holloway, (CGTC Vice President of Academic Affairs). Not pictured, David McDermott, (Houston County CTAE Director).

Pictured at right (left to right): Sabrina C. Phelps, (HCCA Principal); Michael Chalmers, (HCCA Board of Director Chair); and Kimberly Gunn, (HCCA Board of Director Co-Chair).



Engineer from Robins Air Force Base Speaks to HCCA Engineering Students



Laurie Beebe, an engineer on Robins Air Force Base, spoke to Mr. William Smith, Jr.'s engineering and electronics classes at the Houston County Career Academy on Friday, September 30th.

Mrs. Beebe has several years of experience as an engineer on RAFB. She also has a pilot license.

As Mrs. Beebe spoke to the engineering and electronics classes, she thoroughly explained the advantages of having an engineering degree. She explained how engineering is one of the highest paying bachelor's degrees coming out of college and how RAFB is in need of engineers constantly.

Mrs. Beebe gave her testimony on how she became an engineer and how she worked her way up in advancing in her engineering career. The students enjoyed Mrs. Beebe's engineering presentation and several students were inspired to attend engineering institutions at the post-secondary level. Pictured is Mrs. Beebe and Mr. Smith's engineering class.

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, David McDermott, at 478-988-6222, ext. 10226 or david.mcdermott@hcbe.net.

Retired Educators Visit HCCA



On Friday, November 4th, Ms. Mary Alice Holland and Ms. Sharon Joyner, retired educators, visited the Houston County Career Academy in honor of Retired Teacher's Day.

Pictured are: Mrs. Sabrina C. Phelps (Principal), Ms. Sharon Joyner, and Ms. Mary Alice Holland.

HCCA's TSA Chapter Participates in Technology Day at the Georgia National Fair



The Houston County Career Academy's Technology Student Association Chapter participated in TSA's Technology Day at the Georgia National Fair on October 10th. TSA is a Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO), which lives by the motto: Learning to Live in a Technical World.

Led by engineering teacher, Mr. William Smith, Jr., seven students representing all five high schools in Houston County, competed in several technology-based events. These events included Catapult Design, Dragster Design, Structural Design, Architectural Design, and Rube-Goldberg Design. Congratulations goes to Logan Jordan for placing 6th in Promotional Design at Technology Day.

Through TSA, students learn the importance of technology literacy, teamwork, communication skills, soft skills, critical thinking, and creativity. TSA is a major component of the Engineering, Electronics, and Manufacturing Pathways offered at the Houston County Career Academy. These three pathways are heavily immersed in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics.

The mission of TSA is to prepare its membership to be successful leaders and responsible citizens in a technological society through co-curricular activities within the technology education program; which include communication, leadership, and competitive skill development in the classroom/laboratory environment.

Pictured above (left to right) is Lee Dunn (NHS), Demetrice Parks (HCHS), Kaden Forster (PHS), Logan Jordan (VHS), Suleman Ahmed (HCHS), Adayshea Sapp (PHS), Donte' White (HCHS).



Northside High School

NHS, WRHS and VHS Food Science Classes Attends the 39th Annual Sunbelt Agriculture Expo



Youth from Northside High, Warner Robins High and Veterans High Food Science classes (pictured above) attended the Sunbelt Agriculture Expo

in Moultrie, Georgia on October 18th. This three-day show is one of the top agribusiness exhibitions in North America. Visitors from all over the country get to see firsthand the cutting edge agricultural technologies that are showcased through the 1200 plus vendors and exhibits. Students enjoyed the cooking demonstrations that featured Georgia grown products, college exhibits, hunting and fishing exhibits, farm tours to see the harvesting of peanuts, soybeans and cotton, and they experienced the latest in farming equipment.

Food Science is a course that features food processing and the improvement of food for the consumers. A taste of modern agriculture and many educational opportunities were experienced by the Food Science students that attended this event. These students got a personal experience of the farm to table concept at the Sunbelt Ag Expo.

Instructors for the course are Jill Masee (Northside High), Sheila Johnson (Warner Robins High), and Donna Brown (Veterans High).

Northside High School is located at 926 Green Street in Warner Robins. Dr. Greg Peavy serves as Principal.



Pictured at left are Northside High Food Science students. Front row, Alexis Monroy, Ally Gay. 2nd row, Allie Watson, Tessa Molter, Savanna Eis, Jay Ray, Tyah Tyson, Leroy Scaife, Brittany Bowman and Karen Kinsaul.

Pictured at right are the Deans of Agriculture from the University of Georgia, University of Florida, and Auburn University in the cow milking contest. The Dean of Agriculture from Auburn University was the winner of the contest.



Pictured above is one of the exhibits at the Expo.



NHS FCCLA Places 2nd in State Knowledge Bowl



Youth from the Northside High chapter of Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) recently participated in a motivational rally held on Wednesday, October 12th at the Georgia National Fairgrounds in Perry, GA. Over 4,700 students and advisers from schools across Georgia participated in the leadership rally session and competed in events.

Northside High FCCLA Knowledge Bowl team qualified as one of the 16 top teams in the state by taking an online test earlier in the month.

The team was selected to compete in the buzzer rounds that took place at the Georgia National Fairgrounds. Topics the students were quizzed on included FCCLA, Nutrition, Early Childhood Education, Consumer Economics, Clothing and Textiles. Northside High FCCLA Knowledge bowl team placed 2nd in the State and received red ribbons. Pictured, from left to right, are James Stephens, Alexis Monroy, Jewel Blount and Masona Fofana.

Students attending from Northside High School pictured left to right are: Yolanda Morin, James Stephens, Masona Fofana, Jewel Blount, Fatimah Fofana, Alexis Monroy, and Kayla White. Northside High participated in the brochure and knowledge bowl events at the fair. Advisers attending with the students were Carla Jessup and Jill Masee.



Warner Robins High School

WRHS DECA Has a Very Busy Fall!

On September 19th WRHS DECA held their first official officer meeting of the year at the local Cheddar's restaurant. Training was conducted at this meeting for the new officers, as well as introducing everyone to each other. This time was also used to set up their program of work for the year. The officers voted to participate in the DECA Fall Community Service Project and help with Breast Cancer Awareness shirts for the school.



DECA's first project of the year was the breast cancer shirt in honor of breast cancer awareness month. Students worked with the school officers and spirit club to raise money. DECA raised almost \$1300, and donated all of it to a teacher at WRHS who is currently battling breast cancer. Pictured at left are, front row: Rayanna Johnson, Deshionna Mack, Cayley Blanton, Camille Whitson, Elly Rissmann back row: Morgan Caskin, Catelyn Herring, Jaycee Hale, Eduardo Osuna, Peyton Etheridge

The club worked on their DECA fall community service project, Keep America Beautiful. The campus was beautified with a festive fall display and recorded and uploaded a rap video of it for Twitter! That video led the club to be recognized at Fall Leadership for participation. Pictured at right are 1st period students.



On October 20th and 21st, 14 officers attended the GA DECA Fall Leadership Conference in Atlanta. Seminars were attended that were informative and helped students evolve as a chapter and improve leadership and competition skills. WRHS DECA also created a game for the Thursday night dance/carnival. While at Fall Leadership, all students tested for the Statesman Award. Seven students received a certificate and pin for earning 90% on the test. These students are Jaycee Hale, Peyton Etheridge, Elly Rissmann, Brooke Reigel, Megan Stafford, Deshionna Mack, and Eduardo Osuna.



Cayley Blanton and Camille Whitson

Front row: Camille Whitson, Peyton Etheridge, Megan Stafford, Jaycee Hale, Brooke Reigel, Rayanna Johnson, Anna Slaughter back row: Cayley Blanton, Elly Rissmann, Morgan Caskin, Catelyn Herring, Deshionna Mack, Eli Mashburn, Eduardo Osuna



WRHS FCCLA Attends Fall Leadership Rally



Warner Robins High School FCCLA attended Fall Leadership Rally at Camp John Hope on September 16th. The theme for the rally was Boot Camp 2016. Warner Robins High School FCCLA participated in the membership, t-shirt design and lapel pin design. Warner Robins placed 2nd in the t-shirt design winning \$50.00. The following members attended Fall Leadership: Jamie Berberick, Adaysia Bivins, Serenity Forrester, Emily Gibbs and Whitney Higginbotham. Congratulations to Jamie Berberick, Adaysia Bivins, Serenity Forrester and Emily Gibbs for taking the Statesman Test for the first time and being recognized with a pin for passing with an 85 or better score.



WRHS SkillsUSA Attends Leadership Conference

Warner Robins High School SkillsUSA Members from Warner Robins High School attended the brand new Leadership Event for SkillsUSA, entitled "2RE", on Monday, October 24th and Tuesday, October 25th. 2RE stands for reach, recruit, engage. This opportunity promoted chapter interaction with a very fun platform. With team building and planning exercises, students walked away with a chapter plan and the true potential and impact of a CTSO. Warner Robins High School SkillsUSA Advisers are Mr. Steve Waters and Mrs. Amanda Watson.

Warner Robins High School is located at 401 South Davis Drive in Warner Robins. Mr. Chris McCook serves as the Principal.

Pictured from left to right are Mark Fortney, Bryan Arnold, Blake Schmick.

Students seen in the photo can be seen in the 2RE recap video: <http://www.esenetworks.com/player.aspx?id=22691&content-id=108315>



WRHS FFA Participates in Competition



Porche Mann

Warner Robins High FFA members, Porche Mann and Arielle Smith did a great job at the Job Interview and Floral Design competition held at Camp John Hope in Fort Valley. The students many valuable skills will assist them with future endeavors. The purpose of the floral design competition is to stimulate the study of and interest in the design and marketing of floral arrangements through the agricultural education curriculum. The Job Interview Career Development Event is designed for FFA members to develop, practice and demonstrate skills needed in seeking employment in the agricultural industry.



Arielle Smith

WRHS Graphics Department Receives ESE Networks Video Grant

Warner Robins High School Graphics students and SkillsUSA members attended an ESE Networks Audio/Visual training session on Wednesday, September 28th as part of the A/V Grant awarded to Warner Robins High School. This grant will afford the opportunity for Warner Robins High School students to be a part of Gov. Deal's "film-ready workforce." Warner Robins High School Graphics Instructor and SkillsUSA Adviser is Mrs. Amanda Watson. She can be reached for more information at (478) 929-7877.



WRHS FCCLA Attends Fall Rally



Haley Holtclaw, Caleigh Hortman, Emily Gibbs and Adaysia Bivins

During Fall break, Warner Robins High School FCCLA members Jamie Berberick and Adaysia Bivins attended the Fall Rally at the Georgia National Fairgrounds in Perry. WRHS FCCLA placed 1st in Chapter Booth competition using the theme, Unlimited Possibilities and 4th place in General Audience Brochure competition winning \$525.00. The WRHS FCCLA will use the money for competitive events.

WRHS based their chapter booth on "Alice through the Looking Glass" by presenting unlimited possibilities in Star Events. Other members who contributed to the set-up of the chapter booth are Haley Holtclaw, Caleigh Hortman, Emily Gibbs and Adaysia Bivins.



Jamie Berberick and Adaysia Bivins



WRHS FFA Competes at the Georgia National Fair



Warner Robins High School FFA competed in several competitions at the Georgia National Fair which is held in Perry, GA. Since FFA is an integral part of the curriculum in agricultural education departments in the public schools, all students in these programs are to receive instruction in personal leadership, growth and development which can best be achieved through FFA. The Georgia National fair gave WRHS FFA members the opportunity to showcase these skills in the area of livestock, forestry, horticulture displays and floral design.



Through active participation in FFA, members learn by taking part in and conducting meetings, speaking in public, participating in contests based on occupational skills, earning awards and recognition and becoming involved in cooperative efforts and community improvement.

Pictured are WRHS FFA members and some of their winning projects. Dr. Veronica Sanders is the agriculture teacher.



WRHS FFA Members Travel to Indiana for National FFA Convention



FFA member, Ivy Steinbach, gained valuable experiences at the National FFA Convention held in Indianapolis, Indiana October 18th - 22nd. Ivy was able to attend student workshops and gain knowledge about new technology in agriculture. She was also able to visit the NCAA Hall of fame, Indiana State Museum, Eiteljorg Museum and the Indianapolis Motor Speedway just to name a few of the tours.

The Georgia FFA Association was recognized as a membership growth state. This marks the 18th consecutive year that the Georgia FFA has increased in FFA membership. Georgia was represented in Indianapolis by 25 official voting delegates, and more than 1,500 local FFA members, advisers and Alumni from across the state. More than 65,000 FFA members, advisers and guests attended the 89th National FFA Convention. The theme for the convention was *Transform*. A complete set of results and a variety of highlights from the 89th National FFA Convention can be found by logging on to www.georgiaffa.org.”

Pictured are Heisman Trophy Winner, Mr. Johnny Rodgers, Ivy Steinbach and Dr. Veronica Sanders, agriculture teacher.



Ivy Steinbach



Houston County High School

HCHS FBLA Attends Region Officer Academy



July 15th-16th, Houston County High School's FBLA chapter's 2016-2017 12th grade Vice President, Sasha Lee, and Social Media Chair, Kyrsten Shipp, attended the Summer Region Officer Academy at Camp John Hope in Fort Valley. During the year, officers all over Georgia applied to become region officers. The accepted applicants eventually traveled to Camp John Hope in Fort Valley, GA. There, all the regions of Georgia FBLA assembled to gain leadership training that would be integral to their time as a region officer.

At ROA, the regions of Georgia FBLA were separated into "houses" to promote teamwork and cooperation. While seated with their individual groups, all region officers attended many breakout sessions and training sessions led by FBLA alumni and state officers. These training sessions included communication tips, networking opportunities, public speaking tools and a mock Region Leadership Conference. Students were given the opportunity to practice these newfound skills by impromptu speaking practices, group projects and inflection practices. All the officers also had the chance to greet and network all the region officers from all over the state and with the state officers and FBLA alumni.

After training, the students had a break session where the officers got to participate in sporting events such as kickball and volleyball. This increased their region morale, communication skills and got the group working as a team.

At the closing of ROA, each individual officer was delegated their positions and learned their specific responsibilities for the year. At the end, they all left their work sessions with a new familiarity of their positions and the importance of a region officer at the Region Leadership Conference. Houston County High School is located at 920 Highway 96 in Warner Robins, GA. The Principal is Dr. Doug Rizer and the CTAE supervisor is Mrs. Karma Hayes. The FBLA advisers are Mrs. Jenny Jackson and Mrs. Shirl Williams.

HCHS TSA Students Win Awards at the Georgia National Fair



The Houston County Technology Student Association had a great day at the 2016 Tech Day at the Georgia National Fair on Monday, October 10th. The chapter finished with six top-ten finishes out of ten overall events. The chapter has also been nominated as a White-Star Chapter for chapter growth and involvement.



Perry Middle School

PMS FBLA Attends Fall Rally at the Georgia National Fair



Perry Middle School FBLA members attended the annual Fall Motivational Rally at the GA National Fairgrounds. The chapter competed in the banner design contest, poster contest, and open events testing.



Mossy Creek Middle

Northside Middle

Perry Middle

Thomson Middle

Warner Robins Middle

Bonaire Middle

Feagin Mill Middle

Huntington Middle

PMS FBLA Works on Softskills



The Name Game!



The Name Game!



FBLA members worked together during one of their chapter meetings on pertinent Softskills for the 21st Century workplace. Participants learned leadership skills (i.e. communication, teamwork, and sportsmanship) through fun-filled activities.

PMS BCS Class Hosts Speaker from the Better Business Bureau



On October 25th, Jason Blankenship from the Better Business Bureau visited Ms. Phillips' Business and Computer Science class at Perry Middle School. He spoke to the students

about ethics, business, making smart buying decisions, how to avoid making bad decisions, and much more. His presentation involved discussion and different learning games. Dr. Hall, Perry Middle's Assistant Principal, participated in one of the learning activities with the class.

Bonaire Middle School

BMS FBLA Sponsors Hats for HOPE



September was Childhood Cancer Awareness Month and Bonaire Middle School's FBLA sponsored "hat days" to raise money for Jay's HOPE. Jay's HOPE is a local, non-profit organization with the mission to improve the quality-of-life of children with cancer and their families.

On Fridays, for a \$1 donation, students were allowed to wear their hats all day, and the halls of BMS were filled with students wearing everything from regular ball caps to silly themed hats.

The fundraiser was a great success, and Bonaire's FBLA was proud to present Jay's HOPE representative, Jane Wilson, with a \$414.00 check.

BMS FCCLA and FBLA Participates in Jay's HOPE Trek-or-Treat



Trek or Treat?

On Saturday, October 29, Jay's HOPE sponsored a "Trek-or-Treat" Road Race at Bass Pro Shop in Macon. One of the activities at this event was a Candy Mile "trick-or-treat" walk for children. Bonaire Middle School's FBLA and FCCLA joined forces to collect bags of candy to donate for this event. The week of "Trek-or-Treat," BMS was able to present nearly 70 bags of candy to Jay's Hope.



Adult Computer Classes Offered

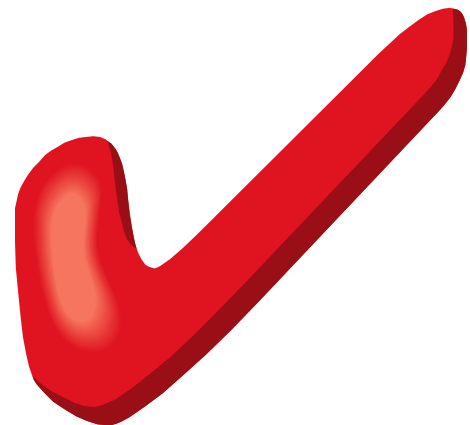
Houston County School System employees offered basic computer classes free of charge to our adult community in October. **All classes were taught from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** There was no cost for these classes. To sign up for classes, please call Lorrie Nix at 478-988-6222 ext.10090. For questions related to these classes other than registration, contact David McDermott at 478-988-6222 ext. 10226.

[Houston County Career Academy](#)



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1. Follow Wall of Fame instructions located on the CTAE page on SharePoint.
2. Submit pictures as attachments, not within the document.
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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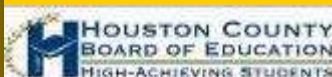
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