

## Miami Valley Career Technology Center Press Release

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## MVCTC Diesel Technology Students Excel at Contests

Clayton, Ohio – Miami Valley Career Technology Center (MVCTC) Diesel Technology students recently competed in the FFA District 5 Agricultural Industrial Diagnostics Contest. The team of Matt Everett (Miami East) and Brandon Rethman (Versailles) won second place at the district contest.

The Agricultural Industrial Diagnostics Contest requires students to use the knowledge learned from their career technical program to trouble shoot various pieces of equipment including tractors, lift trucks, and mini excavators. The students had 20-minutes to use a systematic procedure to find and repair two malfunctions based on information provided by the customer. MVCTC Center Of Science in Agriculture Supervisor, Larry Seibel, said of the contest, "Five area equipment dealers brought in equipment and provided an employee to judge the all day event. Our students represented MVCTC well and the community support was fantastic!"

MVCTC is very proud of our students and congratulates them on their great accomplishments. For more information about MVCTC and the 50 exciting career programs offered to high school juniors and seniors, or the career training opportunities offered to adult students, please visit www.mvctc.com or www.ctctube.com.

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Photo 1: Brandon Rethman, Diesel Tech from Versailles and Matt Everett, Diesel Tech from Miami East diagnosing a Kubota tractor during the district 5 Agricultural Industrial Diagnostic career development event hosted at Miami Valley CTC