

MVCTC DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

MVCTC District Newsletter - Fall 2021

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT THIS YEAR!

During the months of September and October, the construction team has focused on continuing to make progress in the Multi-Purpose Activity Center (MAC), which will serve as the district's cafeteria and flexible event space, and the remainder of the building's spine that will house many of our academic and career-technical programs. Throughout the spine, the contractors continue with fireproofing, masonry walls, stud walls, electrical, HVAC, and plumbing lines. In addition, the contractors have poured almost all of the first-floor and second-floor slabs available.

The contractors have completed the demolition of the existing East Building. They are also moving forward with their work on the Agricultural Complex, including a new multi-species animal barn, swine rearing facility, heavy equipment storage barn, and dry/liquid manure storage. The new pasture area was also recently planted.

In the MAC, contractors work through finishes on the ceiling, walls, and floor. In this area, the terrazzo floor is the most critical item with the longest duration, so the focus has been to install everything above the ceiling as efficiently as possible. Along with this, in the MAC's kitchen, contractors are moving forward with work to allow preparation for flooring in the next couple of months. This will permit the contractors to bring in kitchen equipment and begin connections.

The district will have the MAC open on February 6, 2022, from 2-4 p.m., when we will host an open house and a 50th-anniversary celebration. The public is welcome to attend this event!

The project has now surpassed the 50% mark regarding the amount of total construction and fiscal expenditures. The district still expects project completion in January 2024. A great deal of work remains to be accomplished, and we will continue to be vigilant in our overwatch of the entire expansion and remodeling project.

As always, thank you for your continued support of the district, our staff, and, especially, our students!

Proud to be MVCTC!



Nick Weldy, Ph.D. Superintendent, MVCTC

MVCTC HALL OF FAME 2021 INDUCTEES



The 2021 MVCTC Hall of Fame Inductees were selected by outside judges based on significant contributions they have made to their profession and to their communities. Montgomery County Joint Vocational School and Miami Valley Career Technology Center graduates are nominated by family, employers, employees, teachers, and friends every five years. On Thursday, October 7, 2021, the following MCJVS/MVCTC alumni were inducted into the Hall of Fame. For a list of all MVCTC Hall of Fame Members and their bios, visit www.MVCTC.com/alumni.

The 2021 Hall of Fame Inductees are:

- Dr. Stephanie Moore Beeching, Allied Health Tech Prep Class of 2003 from Huber Heights - Certified Nurse Practitioner, Suburban Family Practice
- Mr. Randall Besecker, Farm Management Class of 1976 from Franklin Monroe - Advanced Senior Trader, Marathon Petroleum Company LP
- Mr. Carl Bush, Law Enforcement Class of 1976 from Trotwood-Madison Safety Coordinator, MVCTC
- Mr. Trevor Holsinger, Allied Health Tech Prep Class of 2009 from Preble Shawnee - Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist, Anesthesia Services Network
- Sheriff Michael Simpson, Criminal Justice Class of 1985 from Eaton -Preble County Sheriff's Office
- Mr. Zachariah Thompson, Computer Support Technology Class of 2000 from Miamisburg - Program Manager/Coach Advanced Tactical Acquisition Corps, United States Air Force
- Mrs. Paula Schwab Wathen, Medical Laboratory Class of 1982 from Vandalia-Butler - Medical Laboratory Assisting Instructor, MVCTC
- Mr. James Watts, Auto Technology Class of 1990 from New Lebanon -Auto Services Instructor, MVCTC
- Mr. Joseph Weaver, Construction Carpentry Class of 2001 from Franklin Monroe - Superintendent, Level MB Construction
- Mrs. Lisa Perkins Werbrich, Legal Secretary Class of 1989 from Twin Valley South - English Instructor, MVCTC

MISSION STATEMENT We are dedicated to providing premier educational choices and advanced employment preparation for youth, adults, and organizations of the Miami Valley.

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS



Friend of MVCTC Honorees 2020 and 2021

The Friend of MVCTC honor was awarded at the 40th annual All Advisory Dinner held on Thursday, October 7, in the MVCTC Student Activity Center. MVCTC Superintendent, Dr. Nick Weldy, says, "This award is given each year to someone who is always supportive of our mission, our programs, and our students. Those nominated are the professionals who willingly give a tremendous amount of time and talent to ensure MVCTC has continued success".

Due to the pandemic, the 2020 All Advisory Dinner was not held, so this year two recipients were honored. For the 2020 Friend of MVCTC, the award went to Media & Video Production Alumni and Business Partners, Ransome Rowland and Colton Puterbaugh of B2Studios. The 2021 Friend of MVCTC recipient is Dr. Melissa Tolle, Sinclair College, Chief School Partnership Officer.

THEHELIX

MVCTC Work-Based Learning Program

Noah Curtin (Huber Heights) is attending MVCTC in the Heating, Ventilation, & Air Conditioning program and is the second MVCTC Pre-Apprenticeship student to be employed at Emerson Climate Technologies Helix Innovation Center at the University of Dayton.

MVCTC offers three opportunities for Work-Based Learning: Internship, Pre-Apprenticeship, and Advanced Placement. The MVCTC Work-Based Learning Program is a unique opportunity for career technical students to enter a highly skilled occupation their senior year. MVCTC has an Ohio State Apprenticeship Council Recognized Pre-Apprenticeship Program. Students receive on-the-job training with a sponsoring employer and related technical instruction at MVCTC for the skills needed to succeed in their career field. The program allows them to earn high school credits, career technical training, real-life work experience, and a paycheck, while still in high school.

Currently, 94 seniors at MVCTC are participating in a Work-Based Learning Program including internships and pre-apprenticeship opportunities. The average wage for Interns/Pre-Apprenticeship is \$12.50 per hour, and since the beginning of the 2021-2022 school year, these students have earned \$152,000.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sophomore Career Days at MVCTC are scheduled this year from November 30-December 2, 2021. Sophomores from the 27 partner school districts have the chance to visit MVCTC for a day and experience two career technical programs. The goal is to help students decide which career technical program they may want to pursue during their junior and senior years in high school. For more information visit www.MVCTC.com/2024.

If you have a 12-to-16-year-old at home, make sure to visit www.MVCTC. com/recruitment to check out the Career Exploration section of the website. This website will help students:

- Complete a Career Interest Exploration Survey
- Research career pathway options
- Discover opportunities available at MVCTC
- Explore college options at MVCTC
- Learn about academic course offerings
- Prepare to enroll at MVCTC
- Hear testimonials from current and past students

The Annual Sophomore Open House is scheduled for Thursday, December 2, from 4:30-7 p.m. The school will be open for sophomores and their parents to tour buildings, meet instructors, and learn more about the 40 career technical programs that MVCTC offers for high school juniors and seniors. A complimentary spaghetti dinner will be served in the Student Activity Center.

The MVCTC Cosmetology Salon is open to the public on Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays from 11:45 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. The salon offers cuts, styles, chemical services, and spa services all performed by MVCTC high school students under the instructor's supervision. Call the salon at 937-854-6264 to make an appointment. Learn more at www.MVCTC.com/Salon.

The MVCTC FFA Chapter will be hosting the 41st Annual Charity Auction for the local Ronald McDonald House of Dayton. Last year with excellent support, they raised \$4,235. The auction will be held on December 10, 2021 in the Diesel Power Technologies Lab in the new agricultural wing.

Save the date! MVCTC will be hosting a 50th Anniversary Open House on Sunday, February 6, 2022 from 2-4 p.m. The community is invited to tour the new construction portions of the high school buildings that are completed. Stay tuned at www.MVCTC.com for more information.

MVCTC Students and Alumni looking for a new career opportunity? Make sure you check out the job postings listed by our business partners on the website at www.MVCTC.com/employment/job-postings.

Adult Education Information Sessions are offered on the second Thursday of each month at 6 p.m. in the Adult Education Building, 6801 Hoke Road, Clayton, Ohio. Learn more at www.MVCTC.com/AE.

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBERS

Mr. Joe Idzakovich | (President) Miamisburg

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Mr. Jim Albaugh | Milton-Union

Mr. Larry Besecker | Darke Co. ESC

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Dr. Nick Weldy | MVCTC Superintendent
Mr. Brad McKee | MVCTC Treasurer

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Visit **www.mvctc.com/future-students** for more information about the career programs at MVCTC for high school students.

ADULT EDUCATION



MVCTC Adult Education Practical Nursing Program celebrated the graduation of 27 Practical Nursing students in September 2021.

ADULT EDUCATION FULL-TIME CAREER PROGRAMS STARTING IN 2022

Enroll NOW, to get started on your NEW career!

Dental Assisting - Program starts August 2022. Learn to perform a variety of patient care, office, and laboratory duties as a dental assistant.

Electrician - Program starts March 1, 2022, or September 13, 2022. Learn the skills necessary to work as an electrician in residential construction, commercial construction, or industrial maintenance.

Eye Care / Ophthalmic Assistant

- Program starts January 3, 2022. Become a vital member of the eye care team and provide quality vision care to patients in eye care facilities.

HVAC-R Technician - Program starts March 1, 2022, or September 13, 2022. Learn the skills necessary to become a technician that installs, maintains, and repairs residential, commercial, and industrial refrigeration and air conditioning systems.

Heavy Equipment Operations -

Program starts March 1, 2022, or September 13, 2022. Learn the skills necessary to operate and maintain a variety of heavy equipment.

Medical Assisting Technology -

Program starts January 3, 2022. Learn the skills to work in the areas of administrative and specific clinical responsibilities performed in a medical office.

Practical Nursing - Program starts May 9, 2022. Learn the skills to become a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) and a vital member of the healthcare team that cares for ill, injured, or convalescing patients or persons with disabilities in hospitals, nursing homes, clinics, private homes, group homes, and similar institutions.

Precision Machining - Program starts March 1, 2022, or September 13, 2022. Learn the skills for employment in the precision manufacturing industry.

ENROLL NOW AT MVCTC ADULT EDUCATION!

Enrolling at MVCTC is as easy as 1-2-3! Simply follow the steps below and let our trained counselors help jumpstart your journey.

- 1. Call the Adult Education Office at 937-854-6297 to schedule your free entrance test.
- Complete a three-part assessment, ACT WorkKeys. More information about WorkKeys tests can be found at www.
 OhioMeans Jobs.com and by clicking on the "Online Training" link.
- 3. Schedule a meeting with a Career Advisor to discuss your WorkKeys results and your preference in Career Program offerings.

Financial aid is available for Adult Education Career Programs for those who qualify. Information and FAFSA assistance is provided.

Adult Education Short-Term Courses

Whether you're learning a new trade or simply brushing up on your skills, the Short-Term Courses at MVCTC can give you the tools you need to stay on top of current trends in the workplace while increasing your earning potential. For more information on enrollment in short-term courses, contact the Adult Education office at 937-854-6297 or visit www.mvctc.com/ae/programs.





Department of Higher Education

Mike DeWine, Governor Randy Gardner, Chancellor





MVCTC Aspire Classes

MVCTC's Aspire program offers free workplace education and adult readiness classes at different locations around Montgomery, Greene, and Preble counties to individuals with or without a high school diploma.

Aspire program also offers free ESOL classes at different locations around Montgomery, Greene, and Preble counties. Students will learn reading, writing, speaking, and listening. For class options, locations and registration, please visit www.MVCTC.com/ae/programs/aspire.

For more information or to ask questions, call (937) 854-6287 or email aspire@mvctc.com. For most current information on Aspire, visit www.mvctc.com/ae/programs/aspire.



CAMPUS HIGHLIGHTS



Construction Carpentry students Seth Mapes (Tri-County North), Hunter D'Angelo (Vandalia-Butler), and Raniya Minick (Trotwood-Madison) gaining practical skills and learning to use a hand saw.



Graphic Commercial Art Student Emma Personette (Preble Shawnee) is working on portrait drawing using a pencil. The assignment helps students develop traditional drawing skills.

Seth Izor (New Lebanon) a senior in the Auto Services program displays his truck frame repair and welding skills on a customer vehicle.



Sinclair College's Automotive Technology program continues to grow the partnership with MVCTC. Department Chair and Professor Justin Morgan put on a seminar for Auto Technology students using a Tesla Model 3. Electric vehicle features with the autonomous function were presented to the Auto Tech classes and MVCTC Instructor Joe Simmons.



MVCTC's Automotive Technology program was presented with the donation/loan of a prototype 2022 GMC 1500 truck with the new Minimax V6 diesel engine. The partnership with Sinclair will help MVCTC move into advanced technology vehicles over the next several years. Pictured are Joe Simmons (MVCTC Instructor), Sinclair Automotive Team, Chuck Taylor (Professor/GM ASEP Coordinator), Tom Freels (Professor/CAP Coordinator), and Justin Morgan (Professor/Department Chair/Honda Coordinator).

PARTNER SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Ansonia

Arcanum-Butler

Bethel

Brookville

Carlisle

Eaton

Franklin Monroe

Huber Heights

Jefferson

Miami East

Miamisburg

Milton-Union

Mississinawa Valley

National Trail

New Lebanon

Northmont

Northridge

Preble-Shawnee

Fieble-Silawilee

Tipp City

Tri-County North

Tri-Village

Trotwood-Madison

Twin Valley South

Valley View

Vandalia-Butler

Versailles

West Carrollton

CAMPUS HIGHLIGHTS - CONTINUED



Academics at MVCTC are also a hands-on learning experience. MVCTC Science teacher, Mrs. Sarah Helsinger is conducting a simulation lesson on evidence collection and sketching a crime scene. This forensics class is an elective class for Criminal Justice students. Pictured are Criminal Justice students Hayley Craft (Northmont) and Daisy Zwick (Vandalia-Butler).



Biotechnology student Ryleigh Reno (Valley View) is completing lycopene extraction in tomatoes. Biotechnology students at MVCTC are learning about laboratory safety and maintenance, and how to operate and use lab equipment safely. Students will cover areas such as Biochemistry, Microbiology, Molecular Biology, and Genetics. Biotechnology students have the opportunity to participate in the advanced placement program their senior year. Students are excited about putting their skills to work out in the field.



Welding student Christopher Kinsey (Tipp City) practices his Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) skills on a test plate prepared by each of the Welding students. Skills directly support competencies and industrystandard skill requirements of the American Welding Society (AWS) and Ohio Department of Education state course standards.



Computer Networking & Cyber Security Class of 2021 graduate Om Bhavsar (Vandalia-Butler) and Class of 2022 student David Pryor (West Carrollton) participated in a program launched by Ohio Lt. Governor Jon Husted, that linked high school students with internship roles that focus on software, data, cloud and IT infrastructure, and cybersecurity.

David Pryor shared, "Having a work environment that is comfortable has helped me transition from the school experience to the workforce much faster. I am appreciative of Garber and MVCTC for giving me this opportunity."

Om Bhavsar stated, "I am grateful that I had the opportunity to be in the advanced placement program at MVCTC, which led to the opportunity to work with Garber Connect as a full-time employee".



Zachary Cottingim (Eaton) and Bryanna Bishop (Valley View) are learning to estimate the yield of corn on the MVCTC campus. Students in the Agriculture & Livestock Production program learn Livestock Selection and Nutrition, Agronomy, Ag Business, equipment operation, and maintenance. In addition, this program offers students the opportunity to earn college credits at Sinclair College and the 12-point Ohio Agribusiness and Production Systems Certificate.



Cosmetology student Michaela
Cash (Northmont) practices during
a lash extension training session.
Recently, 84 Cosmetology students
participated in a 6-hour training
session performing the new and
trending eyelash extension skill.
Ms. Iris Colley, owner of Precious
Memories Day Spa and Salon of
Cleveland, Ohio provided the handson training session to the students.

The Miami Valley Career Technology Center is dedicated to providing equal admission opportunities, equal educational opportunities, and equal employment opportunities without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, age, sex, sexual orientation, handicap, marital status, or veteran status.





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Arcanum-Butler MVCTC FFA members competed in the District FFA Urban and Ag Soil Judging Contests. Members were Mora Menzi, RJ Brothers, Landon Haney, Luke Brinksneader, Nick Sharritts, Blake Weaver, Ayden Hess, Garrett Rose, and Jacob Flayler.



Mississinawa Valley MVCTC Business Academy learned how to create news releases and sent them to local media outlets commending local businesses who sponsored the finance curriculum at Mississinawa. In the front row from left to right is Macy Fourman, Addalyn Monticue, Noemie Arrona. In the back row from left to right are Paytyn Hiestand, Adi Schmitz, and A.J. Waymire.



The Franklin Monroe MVCTC BPA Chapter held its initial meeting for the school year on September 21, 2021. This first meeting introduced the new officer team, gave a brief overview of BPA and plans for the upcoming year. The chapter will participate in regional, state, and national competitions as well as host speakers on various business topics. This year's officer team left to right front row: Sherry Dong, Emma Miller, Stephanie Dong, and Kerri Miller. Back row: Libby Fox, Elli Earwood, Keihl Johnson, Mia Kellems, and Jessica Brocious.



Nicholas Didier, MVCTC Heating, Ventilation, & Air Conditioning (HVAC) Class of 2021 Graduate from Versailles is a recipient of the Clifford H. "Ted" Rees, Jr. Scholarship. The scholarship was established to assist with the recruitment and competency of future HVAC technicians. Nicholas will receive a one-time, \$2,500 scholarship to be applied to the U.S. post-secondary institution of his choice. Nicholas stated, "MVCTC is truly a gift that keeps on giving! Along with this scholarship, I have secured a great position at Emerson Climate Technologies, and this position motivates me even more, to learn about HVAC/R. I have never been more proud to be part of an organization like MVCTC!





MVCTC Class of 2022 Student Ambassadors Jacob Prasuhn (Ansonia/ Diesel Power Technologies) and Madison Townsend (Mississinawa Valley/Pre-Nursing) spoke with sophomores at Ansonia High School to share their MVCTC experiences.

The Tri-Village MVCTC FFA Chapter Soils Evaluation teams swept the Darke County Contest winning both Agricultural & Urban Soils Contests. They continued their success at the District 5 Contest placing 1st in Agricultural and 2nd in Urban. Both teams will compete at the Ohio FFA Soils Contest. This is the 9th & 10th Tri-Village soils teams to qualify for the state contest in just six years!





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As part of National Farm Safety Week, the Miami East MVCTC Agriculture Juniors and Seniors hosted 100 2nd graders from Miami East Elementary for a day of handson learning about farm safety. Safety stations taught included grain, motorist, large and small equipment, chemical, and animal. Teaching the grain safety station were Sydney Brittain, Jayden Gates, and Katelynn Dill.



Milton-Union MVCTC Business Academy students Alyssa Smith and Madison Stasiak both were awarded a \$10,000 scholarship through the Believe in Ohio Entrepreneurship Program for their written business plans. Alyssa developed the Swing Max which is a portable volleyball training system and Madison developed the BASE which is a suction-based cup holder.



The Milton-Union MVCTC FFA Chapter competed in the District 5 Soil Judging Career Development Event. The team included Jennifer Riquelme, Dawson Tinnerman, Brindin Carr, Zach Lovin, and Carter Tinnerman. They placed 11th in the contest and the team's top individual was Jennifer, who placed 11th out of 207 students.



Bethel MVCTC STEM Engineering Design students were recently introduced to the Engineering Design Process. Students designed, built, and tested a catapult that would launch a cotton ball the farthest distance. Students also had to document each step of the Engineering Design Process used for the catapult in their Engineering Notebooks. Chase Still and Kyle Kohler perform a test run of their catapult design during the Construct & Test a Prototype stage of the Design Process.



Students in the Milton-Union MVCTC Robotics course have completed their mechanical systems unit and are now beginning to code motors and sensors. Using their VEX Robotics kits, students Liam Hartley (top left), Michael Burke (bottom left), and Asher Lucous (bottom right) are studying the RobotC programming language and learning the syntax and algorithmic thinking required to command automated systems.





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The Northmont MVCTC State Tested Nursing Assistant (STNA) program is in full swing. Pictured above are Peyton Cook (left) and Kerigan Covert (right) performing the skill of ambulation. Students will receive the certificate of completion granting them eligibility to sit for the state test. The passing of the state test is required to work in specific facilities.



Huber Heights MVCTC FFA members
Aidan Cox, Noah Murphy, Ashlynn Mandich,
Clara Scandrick, Asher Hanus, Olyvia
Carpenter, Riley Gregg, along with their
advisor Sara Dungan, represented the
Huber Heights- MVCTC Ag Program during
the annual Wayne Homecoming Parade.



MVCTC SkillsUSA Chapter 2 Officers for the 2021-2022 school year are (left to right) Parliamentarian - Zoie Rench (Milton-Union/Graphic Commercial Photography), Secretary - Aubrey Smith (Eaton/Graphic Commercial Art), President - Navjot Singh (Huber Heights/Graphic Commercial Art), Vice President - Ashtyn Barga (Milton-Union/Digital Design), Treasurer - Victoria Wright (Preble Shawnee/Graphic Commercial Photography), and Reporter - Kyla Zackery (Vandalia-Butler/Digital Design)





Mr. Ray Caruthers (MVCTC Principal) and **Student Ambassadors** Chase Morris (Computer Coding & Web Applications/ Huber Heights), Nkem Utomi (Digital Design/Vandalia-Butler), and Paul Pahl (Precision Machining/Tri-County North) spoke with sophomores at Trotwood-Madison this fall to share their experiences at MVCTC





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THE MIAMI VALLEY CAREER TECHNOLOGY CENTER IS PROUD TO SERVE STUDENTS AND COMMUNITIES IN PREBLE COUNTY.



Students in the 7th grade Eaton MVCTC
Project Lead the Way Design & Modeling
classes practiced their fabrication skills by
following engineering sketches to draw
out and assemble skimmers. Students
then learned how to analyze launch data
to check the consistency of their builds.
Jonathan Schmidt is seen launching his
skimmer during the classroom competition.



29 Eaton MVCTC FFA members competed in the Preble County Soil Judging competition. 16 advanced to the District 5 competition, and now four members will advance to the State Urban Soil Judging Competition. Members of the state-qualifying team are Maddie Wright, Delaney Deaton, Dakota Miles, and Sonja Friend.



Two students enrolled in the National Trail MVCTC Project Lead the Way Automation and Robotics class are demonstrating teamwork. Students had to successfully put a challenging puzzle together blindfolded while listening to their partner's verbal directions.



The Ohio Legislative Leadership Conference (OLLC) welcomes FFA members from across the state to Columbus every year. The Twin Valley South MVCTC FFA members attended OLLC to grow as leaders and practice skills in advocacy and communication. They also viewed a session of the State Representatives and were able to see parliamentary procedure used in real life. From left: Matthew Cornett, Rebekah Sunvold, Lynnlee Voge, and Elliana Hurst.



Khyler Grant, a senior in the **National Trail MVCTC FFA Chapter** is completing a routered wood sign. The sign will be displayed at the 2022 Preble County Fair. All members of the chapter will complete a project throughout the school year to be displayed at the fair.



Preble Shawnee middle school students are able to take a Design and Modeling class in 7th grade and Automation and Robotics in 8th grade as part of the partnership with MVCTC. Students are introduced to an engaging, hands-on classroom environment and are able to develop in-demand knowledge and skills they need to thrive. 7th grade students Andrew Hamaker, Kaiden Romine, Gage Powers, and Everett Caudill work on their paper skimmer projects.



Tri-County North MVCTC FFA member Delaney Shively this past spring placed 1st at the Ohio State FFA Convention for her Proficiency Award in the area of Outdoor Recreation. This past summer Mrs. Cox and Delaney worked to perfect her Proficiency Award application to be sent to compete Nationally. Delaney ended up receiving Bronze at the national competition. She will be recognized at the National FFA Convention for her Proficiency along with receiving her American Degree.





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MVCTC SkillsUSA Chapter 1 Officers for the 2021-2022 school year are (left to right) Reporter - Lilly Wehrley (Eaton/Cosmetology), Secretary - Harli Taylor (Valley View/Cosmetology), President - Marcella Terriquez (Mississinawa Valley/Cosmetology), Vice President - Rylee Wilson (Arcanum-Butler/Dental Assisting), Treasurer - Mackenzie Hoover (Brookville/Cosmetology), and Parliamentarian - Jaha Jackson (West Carrollton/Dental Assisting).



MVCTC BPA Officers for the 2021-2022 school year are (left to right) Public Relations - David Pryor (West Carrollton/Computer Networking & Cyber Security), Secretary - Hailey Howard (Troy Christian/Sports Management & Marketing), President - Eliana Scheckel (Troy Christian/Business Ownership), Vice President - Jason Thompson (Northmont/Sports Management & Marketing), and Treasurer - Haley Maroney-Brooks (New Lebanon/Sports Management & Marketing).



MVCTC Student Ambassadors Logan Thompson (Miamisburg/Graphic Commercial Photography), Reina Frame (Valley View/Sports Medicine), and Anthony Jones (Miamisburg/Graphic Commercial Art) spoke with Miamisburg sophomores about opportunities available at MVCTC on September 21.



MVCTC Student Ambassadors David Pryor (Computer Networking & Cyber Security/ West Carrollton), Ryan Delk (Welding/ Arcanum-Butler), and Kendall Wilson (Criminal Justice/Bethel) shared their MVCTC experiences with sophomores at West Carrollton High School on September 24





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MVCTC HOSA Officers for the 2021-2022 school year are (left to right) Secretary - Jordan Wheeler (Carlisle/Biotechnology), Historian - Amy Strider (Carlisle/Biotechnology), Vice President - Kaylee Phelan (Versailles/Medical Lab Assisting), President - Grace Shockley (Brookville/Pre-Nursing), Reporter - Ashlyn Sellars (Huber Heights/Pre-Nursing), Parliamentarian - Maddalyn Riegel (New Lebanon/Biotechnology), and Treasurer - Isabella Tucker (Preble-Shawnee/Biotechnology).



Carlisle senior Lucas Fox is attending MVCTC in the **Precision Machining** program and is employed with Narrow Way Custom Technology in Carlisle as an intern.



Carlisle senior Jordan Wheeler is attending MVCTC in the **Biotechnology program**. She has been involved as a Student Ambassador and MVCTC HOSA Officer. Jordan shared, "I like how many options we have at MVCTC. I also like how I get to meet all these people who share the same interests." After graduation, Jordan plans to use the Tech Prep Scholarship she will earn while attending MVCTC to attend Sinclair and earn her associates degree. She plans to continue her education to obtain a bachelor's degree in a science related field.



MVCTC Student Ambassadors shared their MVCTC experiences with sophomores at Carlisle High School on September 9. Pictured left to right are Julia Vestey (Tipp City/Culinary Arts), Conner Taylor (Carlisle/Computer Networking & Cyber Security), and Jordan Wheeler (Carlisle/Biotechnology).





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The **Brookville MVCTC FFA Officer Team** got creative when faced with the problem of introducing first and second-year members to FFA after Covid restricted most of the opportunities during the 2020 school year. 18 members met at Golden Gate Park for a few fun hours filled with laughter, games, and food. The officers introduced themselves and answered questions for the upcoming year. Pictured is the officer team left to right Logan Tinnel, Alexis Tolle, Lexi Williams, Jaycee Dull, Mary Tarkany, Morgan Tolle, and Robert Bickle.



MVCTC SkillsUSA Chapter 4 Officers for the 2021-2022 school year are (left to right) Officer - Mallorie Maxwell (Northmont/ Construction Carpentry), Vice President - Dylan Cornett (Valley View/Construction Carpentry), Officer - Kendall Green (Valley View/Construction Carpentry), President - Ross Cornett (Valley View/Construction Carpentry), and Officer - Gabriel Betzner (Tipp City/Construction Carpentry).



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On Wednesday, September 29th, Valley View MVCTC FFA members set up an Ag Safety Awareness Display. The purpose was to bring awareness to the beginning of the harvest and the importance of road safety.