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LCCC + WSCTC=Success!

By:Angel Perri



On Monday March 23rd, West Side CTC held a meeting with LCCC instructors. Twenty three people were involved in this meeting .There were 15 students, 8 instructors, Dr. Viviano, a photographer, and Shirley Yanovich from LCCC. The purpose of this meeting is to help West Side CTC become more like LCCC. They want to prepare & make every journey successful for the students. They are trying to get everyone more familiar with LCCC. And to let the students know that early college is available. EDM (electrical discharge matching, is a new program they have now at LCCC. They offer a lot of great programs to make students successful. They encourage students to further their education. The college has a career planning service to help students transition into a job.

The main reason for this meeting is to help West Side CTC students get involved with LCCC. They have many programs that tie into every program we have here at West Side. Their prices are reasonable for classes. LCCC provides an opportunity for students to shadow, and they try to teach their students etiquette. They have a tour Wednesday April 23rd at 11 am and an Open House at 12. A two year degree (associates degree) at LCCC will allow students to go to another college to pursue their bachelor's degree (four year degree). Finish your degree at LCCC and transfer to colleges or universities anywhere to continue you education .They have the largest population in Northeastern PA which makes Luzerne County Community College the areas #1 choice! Scholarships are available at LCCC.

If you're asking why choose LCCC? Choose LCCC because they have 100 academic programs. It's the areas lowest tuition. They have small class sizes. LCCC is the area's most popular college. And they have flexible schedules.

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WSCTC has got Skills!

SkillsUSA District 1 Competition Results

Kingston, Pa, 10 December 2014 – 45 SkillsUSA members from West Side Career and Technology Center in Kingston recently competed in the SkillsUSA District 1 competition. The following students earned medals in their respective career area:

1st place Automotive Service Specialization - Alec Stubblebine

HVACR- James Casterline Medical Math - Kareemah Condry

2nd place Automotive Refinishing Technology - Brandon Cook

Collision Repair Technology - Joshua Hughes

Criminal Justice - Joseph Dileo Medical Math - Victoria Jola

Medical Terminology - Nicholas Elko

3rd place Crime Scene Investigation - Molly Askew, Lila Szabo, and Tyler Brobst Internetworking - Nicholas Mishanski Medical Terminology - Taylor White Nurse Assisting Natasha Stanski

In addition, two members won in Video Production at States, Alexis Padavan, and Emily Brown and are headed to Nationals in Louisville, KY in June.

Competitions were held at Johnson College in Scranton, Susquehanna County Career and Technology Center in Dimock, and Luzerne County Community College in Nanticoke. All first place winners will represent District 1 at the State Leadership Conference. . State competition will be held on April 8-10, 2015, at the Hershey Convention Center. The first place winners in state contests will participate in national competition on June 22-27, 2015, in Louisville, KY. National winners in a number of contest areas will have the opportunity to compete in international competition. SkillsUSA is a national student organization for students enrolled in career/technical and health occupations education.





After four rounds of voting the winner of the 2015 Flyest Kicks Contest we finally have a winner. In a 25 to 15 victory Marketing student Ryan Kuzminski's 2014 Nike Kevin Durant's 7 proved to be the Flyest Kicks at WSCTC. Imani Herrings team Air Jordan's came in second. Thank you to everyone who put there kicks in play. West Side Career and Technology Center looks forward to seeing who has the Flyest Kicks next

WSCTC's Occupational Advisory!

Twice a year, every year West Side Career and Technology Center hosts Occupational Advisory night in order to bring to together professionals from industry's and career and technology instructors to share ideas on how to improve student's experience. The opportunity to collaborate with people directly in their field keeps our school up with the latest industry trends and helps plan for the future. The night was a success with multiple local and national businesses's contributing to our mission here at West Side Career and Technology Center. A special thanks to culinary students who catered the event. Check out the pictures straight from Dr. Viviano's camera.







Spike!!!!!!Student's vs Teachers

Students vs Teachers Volleyball game





Special Thanks & Have a Great Summer!

I would personally like to thank everyone and anyone who contributed to the production of the "The Titan Times". It was a great experience and I hope everyone enjoyed reading and viewing the many stories and pictures that hopefully captured the great activities that make our school what it is. Enjoy your summer and we will see you next year.

Sincerely,

Mr. Pieczynskí