

## Lebanon County Career and Technology Center

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### Bee Keeping Experience

Chef Corle and Mr. Derr are teaching the fine art of bee keeping to the students here at the CTC. The bees were purchased through a grant from PRLA ProStart. Chef Corle and Mr. Derr have attended numerous classes and have been educated in the proper raising of bees and harvesting honey. Pictured is adult student Devin Picart (Pastry Arts) getting to harvest honey for production in the kitchens here at the CTC.



Chef Corle, Devin Picart & Mr. Derr



### Culinary and Pastry Arts Class Officers



Officers have been chosen in A-wing. The newly elected officers are:

**President:** Ava Stutzman, Pastry Arts, CL  
**Vice President:** Devin Picart, Pastry Arts, Adult  
**Secretary:** Victoria Reppert, Pastry Arts, AC  
**Reporter:** Ella Yiengst, Culinary Arts, PA  
**Parliamentarian:** Max Clements, Pastry Arts, PA  
**Historian:** Cooper Drye, Culinary Arts, PA  
**Treasurer:** Trevor Wertley, Culinary Arts, LH

This year's election was a tough one, but the chosen were picked to perfection! Speaking of picked to perfection, Culinary and Pastry students are gearing up for the pumpkin carving competition. This year's theme is bats, birds, and bugs, so stay tuned to see this year's spooky creations!

**Way to go**

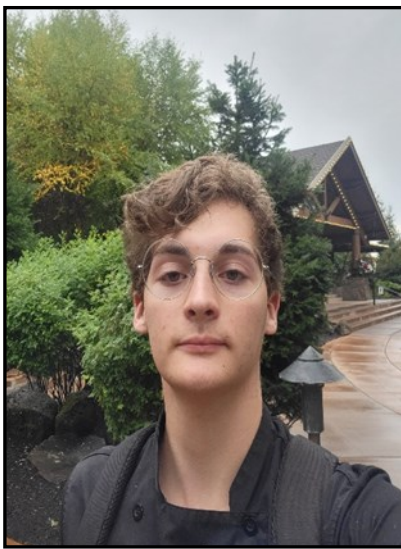


## Culinary Arts Alumnus Update

Michael Smith might have not been a member of the Lewis & Clark's expedition back in 1804 but he did start his own journey from the CTC. Michael, a Culinary Arts student from Palmyra, mapped out his own expedition last school year. The draw to Oregon never waned for this quiet and unassuming culinarian. Michael and Chef Corle searched for an American Culinary Federation certified program and found one in the Sunriver Resort. Micheal recently shared with Chef Corle how he was named the associate of month for September for the resort. He shared the following about his experiences:

After I graduated from the CTC, I went out west to the Sunriver Resort to further my culinary education. The CTC has helped prepare me for many of the things that I'm doing here and will do, time management is a big one, that's something that has always been stressed during my time at the CTC and it is very important, when you get full screens of orders it's important that you are multitasking and doing things in the right order, it's also important that when your preparing ingredients for the day that you have everything you need done on time. I have also learned to keep calm during stressful situations and not panic or it will just make things worse, you got to keep a level head and just keep on working away and then it will work out. These are just a few of the things that I learned at the CTC that help out a lot over here and really just anywhere in general.

Congratulations Michael! We are so proud of you and what you have accomplished in such a short period of time. Continue to be Lebanon CTC Strong!



# Awesome



## Please welcome new staff member. . .

### ► Alexander DiMarzio, Principal

Alex has eight years of experience working in a Career and Technology Center. He began working at York County School of Technology as a high school math teacher. Then he transitioned to Dauphin County Technical school as an assistant principal.

Alex graduated from Millersville University in May of 2015 with a B.S. in Secondary Mathematics Education. He then went to York College for his Master's and Post Bach. in Education with a certificate in technology education and educational leadership.

Alex resides in Lancaster County, where he enjoys fixing up his 1850's home with his wife and son. On the off chance that Alex is not working, he likes to watch T.V., play board/video games, or go to the park with his family.



## Medical Assistant Students Received Training

Medical Assistant students started the 2023-2024 school year with learning skills. The juniors learned proper handwashing and infection control methods. The seniors received training from Penn State Health and Lebanon School District nurse Toni Henning so that they may assist with kindergarten and first grade student screenings.

# WELL DONE!



# Student Ambassadors "Tech Stars"

Student Ambassadors are a group of students dedicated to the positive promotion of Lebanon County CTC. They will work on a volunteer basis to serve as liaisons between the current LCCTC community and prospective student and visitors. The Student Ambassador's main job is to be a helpful, friendly face for new students and to be a positive role model and leader within their program, sending school, and the community.

Student Ambassadors may be asked to volunteer for the following events:

- Community Open House
- Certificate and Awards Ceremony
- LCCTC's Elementary, Middle, and High School Recruitment

The Student Ambassadors' duties include:

- Providing tours of the CTC to student tour groups
- Assisting new students to find classrooms, lockers, busses etc.
- Positively representing the Lebanon County CTC student body
- Acting as an ambassador to prospective students and families at school events
- Giving back to our local community through charitable school fundraising and events

Rewards:

- Sharpen communication and public speaking skills
- Improve interpersonal and conversational skills
- Enhance confidence when speaking and interacting with many members of the Lebanon CTC Community
- Develop networking skills through participation at exciting events
- Develop leadership skills to use in college and beyond
- Looks great on a resume

The Student Ambassadors are invited to participate in the program run by the School Counselors because they have shown to be positive, responsible, and respectful students.



**Please join us in congratulating our 2023-2024 LCCTC Tech Stars:**

<u>Student</u>	<u>Program</u>	<u>HS</u>	<u>Student Name</u>	<u>Program</u>	<u>HS</u>
Elsmary Babilonia	Law Enforcement	LH	Harrison Kramer	Sports Therapy	EL
Vilmaris Brigantti	Medical Assistant	NL	Peter Leininger	Media Communications	CL
Camelia Camacho	Health Careers	PA	Nathania Mentor	Health Careers	LH
Morgan Chmiel	Law Enforcement	PA	Avelyn Mohl	Law Enforcement	CL
Leilianie Colon Fuentes	Law Enforcement	LH	Gage Nunemaker	Law Enforcement	CL
Jayden Cruz	Carpentry	AC	Milianys Ortega	Health Careers	LH
Rylie Dangerfield	Sports Therapy	LH	Kiara Powsang	Law Enforcement	PA
Stefanya Davis	Law Enforcement	CL	Aleicha Rivera Andino	Law Enforcement	LH
Luis Echevarria	Health Careers	LH	Nayeli Rolon Arce	Law Enforcement	EL
Peyton Eisenhower	Dental Assistant	CL	Elena Sandoval	Health Careers	LH
Mackenzie Elder	Medical Assistant	AC	Gerualyz Serrano	Health Careers	CL
Ren Flores	Commercial Art	LH	Gabriella Smith	Health Careers	CL
Ninoska Franco	Law Enforcement	LH	Christian Stafford	Law Enforcement	LH
Caitlin Gadel	Law Enforcement	NL	Jillian Stake	Law Enforcement	PA
Sadrilayz Garcia	Medical Assistant	LH	Ava Stutzman	Pastry Arts	CL
Emily Gerhart	Law Enforcement	CL	Mohrabel Tawadrous	Law Enforcement	CL
Derek Infante	Sports Therapy	LH	Lilyanna Thomas	Health Careers	CL
David Jasion	Electrical	CL	Anthony Villarreal	Landscape & Horticulture	CL
Jeilin Jimenez	Medical Assistant	LH	Alyssa Witmer	Health Careers	AC
Mallory Keffer	Health Careers	PA	Zowey Zimmerman	Medical Assistant	EL
Logan Kepler	Health Careers	PA			



The Culinary & Pastry Arts  
Class of 2024  
is proud to announce  
the re-opening of the retail  
Pastry Shoppe and Restaurant.

Starting October 25, 2023

Wednesday through Friday  
10:30-12:00 – Hilltop Café  
9:00-1:00 – Pastry Shoppe

### Themed Lunches in the Hilltop Café

We will be hosting themed lunches in our  
restaurant on the following dates:

**November 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**“Thanksgiving Buffet”**



**December 13<sup>th</sup>**  
**“Christmas Buffet”**



Call for Hilltop Café  
reservations:  
(717) 273-8551 ext. 2113

## School Counseling Calendar

### November: Let's get prepared

- 1: Lebanon Recruitment Presentations
- 2: End of 1<sup>st</sup> Marking Period
- 3: New Covenant Recruitment Presentations
- 6: Our Lady of the Cross Recruitment Visits to CTC
- Beginning the weeks of 6<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>:** Full Day Senior Post-Secondary Planning Meetings
- 13: LHS Recruitment Visits to CTC
- 14: Community Open House 6-8 p.m.
- 16: CCHS Recruitment Visits to CTC
- 21: ACT 80 Day for Staff
- 22-27: Holiday Break
- Beginning the 28<sup>th</sup>:** Half-Day students that need assistance with Post-Secondary Planning
- 30: ELCO Recruitment Visits to CTC

### December: Spirit

- 4: College Essay/Scholarship Workshop (9:30-10:30am and 1:10-2pm)
- 6: Lunch with counselors (table will be set up outside of café over lunches for students to schedule meetings, discuss concerns, ask questions, etc.)
- 8: Progress Reports Due
- 11-15: Elementary School Tours to CTC
- 18-21: Spirit Week
- 22-31: Holiday Break

### January: Self-Care

- 1: Winter Holiday Break
- 15: Martin Luther King Holiday
- 17: Mini Info Session: Self-Care Presentation at 9am and 12:30pm- sign up for students to attend
- 22: End of 2<sup>nd</sup> Marking Period
- 30: Financial Aid Workshop at 12:30 and 5pm

## Socktober

Chelsea Kramer, ELCO Middle School student is doing a Socktober Community Service Project to help the homeless in Lebanon County. Socktober was created after realizing that there are large homeless populations throughout the country needing socks and essential items.

Collection boxes will be placed throughout the CTC building as well as the five schools in the ELCO School District.

Donations will be given to Domestic Violence Intervention.

**Collections will be taken from now until November 1<sup>st</sup>.**



### Items Needed . . .

Socks  
Hats and Gloves  
Blankets  
Toiletries  
Tooth Brushes  
Canned Goods  
(new items only)

# Rotary Students-of-the-Month

**September 2023**

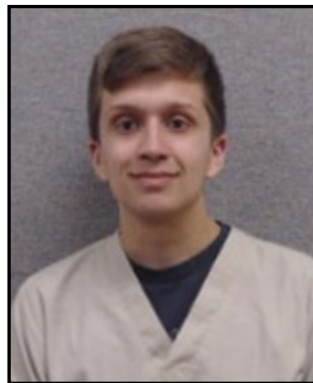


**Emily Gerhart, CL,  
Law Enforcement**

Emily Gerhart is the daughter of Michael and Karen Gerhart, Lebanon, PA. Emily is a senior at Cedar Crest High School and is enrolled in the Law Enforcement and Security program at the Lebanon County Career and Technology Center.

Emily is a Student Ambassador at the CTC. She is a member of National Honor Society, Marching Band, Drumline, and FFA at Cedar Crest High School. She has received the Academic Achievement Scholarship award for the past three years at her high school. Outside of school, she is active in her church's youth group and works part-time at Giant.

After graduation, Emily plans to continue her education at a four-year university to study business. She also plans to enroll in the Pennsylvania State Police Academy. Her career goal is to become a Pennsylvania State Trooper.



**Logan Kepler, PA,  
Health Careers**

Logan Kepler is the son of Bernie and Sandy Kepler, Annville, PA. Logan is a senior at Palmyra High School and is enrolled in the Health Careers Technology program at Lebanon County Career and Technology Center.

Logan is a member of the National Technical

Honor Society at CTC. He has helped out with Paws for a Cause, which organizes fundraisers for children with cancer. Outside of school, he has volunteered in his neighborhood with numerous activities such as dog/cat sit, clean up trash and landscape jobs. Logan works part-time at Flagship Premium Cinemas.

After graduation, Logan plans to continue his education at HACC studying nursing. His career goal is to become a Registered Nurse.



# Rotary Students-of-the-Month

**October 2023**



**Kiera Anspach, NL,  
Medical Assistant**

Kiera Anspach is the daughter of Kari Anspach, Jonestown, PA. Kiera is a senior at Northern Lebanon High School and is enrolled in the Medical Assistant program at the Lebanon County Career and Technology Center.

Kiera is a member of the student organization HOSA and served as the

HOSA President last year at CTC. At her high school, she is a member of National Honor Society and FFA. She participates on the varsity field hockey and softball teams. She has received the honor of Lancaster-Lebanon 1st team All-star last year and 2nd team All-star in 2021 and 2022. Outside of school, she works part-time at Funk's Exxon.

After graduation, Kiera plans to continue her education and study nursing. Her career goal is to become a Pediatric Registered Nurse.



**Zachary Horst, EL,  
Auto Body Technology**

Zachary Horst is the son of Jeffrey and Jodi Horst, Richland, PA. Zachary is a senior at ELCO High School and is enrolled in the Auto Body Technology program at Lebanon County Career and Technology Center.

Zack is a member of the student organization SkillsUSA at CTC. He is involved in numerous

activities at his high school such as strength training club, soccer, track and golf. Outside of school, he has attended numerous mission trips with his church. He also works part-time at K&H Cabinet Shop.

After graduation, Zack plans to continue his education at a technology college for Avionics. His career goal is to become a Manager in the Automotive/Avionic fields.

