

Lebanon County Career and Technology Center

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Pennsylvania ProStart Cake Decorating State Champions

On February 29, 2024, Ava Stutzman (CL) and Victoria Reppert (AC) competed in the 2024 Pennsylvania ProStart Cake Decorating Competition held at the Penn Stater Conference Center in State College, PA. The Cake Competition theme this year was "What's in your garden?"

The students created a garden filled with marzipan vegetables, a chocolate wooden grain flower box filled with spring color fondant flowers, and a marbled fondant path through a piped white chocolate gazebo, a free hanging watering can, pulled sugar water drops, and all surrounded by a white chocolate picket fence finished off the cake.

The planning started over a month ago and incorporated the talents of Mr. Tanger's machining class that created the armature that held the watering can in mid-air and utilized the 3-D printer to create two fondant cutters-one that was the ProStart flame logo and a replica of the Lebanon CTC logo that adorns the cake. The students spent hours practicing run throughs. The contest is only 100 minutes. No refrigeration or freezer, and no pre-made decorations are permitted.

"As their teacher, it's moments like these to see your students excel beyond your wildest dreams, execute to such a high degree in such a short amount of time, is simply amazing. Knowing these ladies beat students from other programs across the state that have three and four years of training and they did it in less than six months, absolutely incredible" stated proudly by their pastry instructor Chef Peffley. These students continue their pastry skills as reflected in the products they produce and sell in the Pastry Program's retail Pastry Shop open to the public Wednesday through Friday each week. Congratulations Ava and Victoria on a job well done!



Ava Stutzman and Victoria Reppert



Well Done!



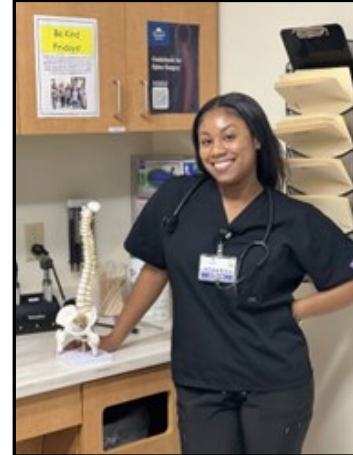
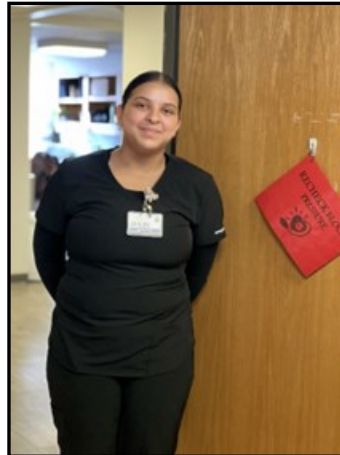
**PENNSYLVANIA
ProStart**
National Restaurant Association
Educational Foundation

Medical Assistant Clinical Rotations and Internships at Wellspan Health

Ms. Petruska's Senior Class 2023 – 2024

We would like to congratulate the following students on a job well done as they completed their internships and hands on clinical rotations at various facilities throughout the Wellspan Health organization. The following students were all interns through the Wellspan Health Family Medicine and Specialty Offices.

Angelika Krasyukov-EL, Jeilin Jimenez-LH, and Jadaesiah Hoskin-LH

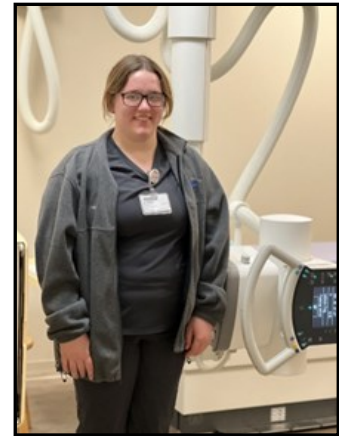


The following students were also Wellspan Health interns. They are as follows: Kayla Firestone-NL, Kiera Anspach-NL, and Kaylany Ramos-LH.



Medical Assistant Clinical Rotations and Internships at Wellspan Health

The following students also completed their clinicals at Wellspan Health offices. They are as follows: Mackenzie Elder-AC, Taylor Erb-NL, and Zowey Zimmerman-EL.



All of the clinical students complete 120 to 140 hours of hands-on experience in order to be eligible to take their National certification through the NHA.



We would like to thank all the office facilities, providers, staff and anyone who assisted with the continuing education of our medical assisting students.

Our students cannot succeed without you!

Health Careers Students Completing Clinical Rotations at Wellspan GSH

Students from Mrs. Mattis and Mrs. Garrett's classes are completing 26 days/91 hours of clinical time at Wellspan GSH. Student hours are from 11:30 am to 3:00 pm Monday-Friday. Clinical began in January and will continue through the beginning of April.



Janaira Gonzalez-CL
Mrs. Mattis
Unit: 4 East/ER



Camelia Camacho-PA
Mrs. Mattis
Unit: 4East/ER



Logan Kepler-PA
Madison Weaver-NL
Mrs. Mattis
Unit: 2 East



Saycred Martinez-CL
Mrs. Mattis
Unit: ER



Hannah Wyatt-CL
Mrs. Mattis
Unit: ER



Josselyn Rivera-LH
Madelyn Beckley-NL
Mrs. Mattis
Unit: 3 South

Health Careers Students Completing Clinical Rotations at Wellspan GSH



Yoalis Rodriguez-CL
Mrs. Mattis
Unit: 3 East



Mia Cevallos-LH
Mrs. Garrett
Unit: 2 East



Gainella Fabian-CL
Mrs. Garrett
Unit: 3 South



Brynn Dunlop-CL
Mrs. Garrett
Unit: 4 East



Sierra Simpson-CL
Mrs. Garrett
Unit: 2 East



Olivia Forry-CL
Mrs. Garrett
Unit: 4 East

Health Careers Students Complete Shadow Opportunities at Wellspan GSH

Students from Mrs. Mattis and Mrs. Garrett's classes completed shadow opportunities in the month of January. Each student shadowed in four different departments at the hospital providing them with the opportunity to learn about the area they shadowed.

Students shadowed in the following departments within the hospital: Emergency Room, Radiology, Ultrasound, Mammography, Single Room Maternity Center, Pharmacy, Laboratory, Physical Therapy, Critical Care Unit, Medical Surgical Floors, Same Day Surgery Unit, CAT Scan, Cath Lab, Non-Invasive Cardiology, Interventional Radiology and Respiratory.

Mrs. Garrett's Shadow Students:



Mrs. Mattis' Shadow Students:



Keep up the good work!

Network Technology Program Certifications

Celebrating Local Scholars: CompTIA Certification Success Stories

In a remarkable demonstration of dedication and skill, a group of local students has successfully navigated the rigorous demands of CompTIA certification courses, emerging not only with newfound expertise but also with the prestigious titles of PC Professional and Networking Professional.

These certifications, globally recognized benchmarks of IT proficiency, require a comprehensive understanding of complex technical concepts and the ability to apply this knowledge to real-world problems. Achieving certification is no small feat; it demands intense study, a keen grasp of practical and theoretical IT principles, and a tireless commitment to mastering the ever-evolving landscape of technology.

Our stars from Palmyra, William Diegel, Daniel Baughman, Gerald Puder, Jacob Yanoscsik, and Quinten Walker, have each conquered the PC Professional certification, a testament to their hard work and intellectual vigor. Their colleague, Kenton Stokes, joins them from Annville-Cleona, along with Victor Hernandez and Kennette Oquendo from Lebanon. These bright minds, including Dakotah Weddington and Austin Ulrich of Adult Education—although not pictured—are certainly ones to watch as they move forward in their careers.

Not to be outshined, the achievers of the Networking Professional certification have demonstrated their mastery of networking concepts, a crucial area in the IT field. Landen Martin represents ELCO with pride, alongside Christopher Trexler and Collin Lausch from Cornwall-Lebanon, and Wyatt Alcala from Annville-Cleona, each showcasing exceptional understanding of networking infrastructure.

Austin Ulrich and Dakotah Weddington, both Adult Ed. students, though not present in the visual roll call, have equally earned their accolades and recognition for their remarkable accomplishments in networking.

Their hard work and achievements are not merely academic milestones; they represent significant personal growth and a solid foundation for future success in the demanding IT industry. These students have laid down the gauntlet, not only passing their courses but also setting a standard of excellence for peers and future tech professionals alike.

As they step into the future, armed with knowledge and certified expertise, they stand as inspiring examples of what dedication, passion, and perseverance can achieve. Let's applaud these bright individuals who are bound to make significant contributions to the field of technology and beyond. Congratulations to each one on this monumental achievement!

submitted by Mr. Giffin, Network Technology Instructor



The following students earned their PC Professional certification. Top left-to-right: William Diegel (Palmyra), Kenton Stokes (Annville-Cleona), Daniel Baughman (Palmyra), Victor Hernandez (Lebanon), Kennette Oquendo (Lebanon), Dakotah Weddington (Adult Ed.). Lower left-to-right: Gerald Puder (Palmyra), Jacob Yanoscsik (Palmyra), Quinten Walker (Palmyra), Isaac Pedia (Cornwall-Lebanon). Austin Ulrich (Adult Ed., not pictured).

The following students earned their Networking Professional certification. Left-to-right: Landen Martin (ELCO), Christopher Trexler (Cornwall-Lebanon), Collin Lausch (Cornwall-Lebanon), and Wyatt Alcala (Annville-Cleona). Not pictured: Austin Ulrich and Dakotah Weddington, both Adult Ed.



Congratulations

Landscape and Horticulture Program's Guest Speakers

The Landscape and Horticulture program had Ebling's Service & Plus and Gearhart's Greenscapes talk to students about future career options in the local area. Tony Hollinger, from Ebling's, talked about zero-turn mower safety and proper use. Ben Gearhart, from Gearhart's Greenscapes, talked about the importance of professional relationships, challenges can be a growing experience, and snow removal equipment.



Thank you!



Rotary Students-of-the-Month March 2024



**Brynn Dunlop, CL,
Health Careers**

Brynn Dunlop is the daughter of Lance and Becky Dunlop, Lebanon, PA. Brynn is a senior at Cedar Crest High School and is enrolled in the Health Careers Technology program at the Lebanon County Career and Technology Center. Brynn is a member of

the National Technical Honor Society and the student organization, HOSA at the CTC. She has received the honors of student of the quarter while attending CTC over the past two years. Outside of school, she is active in her church volunteering for community service projects. She also works part-time at Dairy Queen.

After graduation, Brynn plans to attend a four-year university to study nursing. Her future career goal is to be a Traveling Nurse.



**Keenan Stoner, NC,
Precision Machining**

Keenan Stoner is the son of Lowell and Janel Stoner, Fredericksburg, PA. Keenan is a senior at New Covenant Christian School and is enrolled in the Precision Machining program at Lebanon County Career and Technology Center.

Keenan currently participates in CTC's

Cooperative Education program; working at Peiffer Machine Repair in Mt. Atena, PA. Keenan has received the honors of honor roll at CTC and being selected for the first team all-conference for soccer at New Covenant. Outside of school, he volunteers at his church for numerous community service projects.

After graduation, Keenan plans to enter the workforce. His career goal is to work full time in the field of Precision Machining.

