

CTE NEWS

WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

2019-20

That's a Wrap

The 2019-20 school year has undoubtedly been one we will never forget. Although our time together in the WHS building was cut short due to Covid-19, our Career Technical Education students continued to learn and develop their skills.

The time we did spend together was very productive as you will see in this newsletter. While, this newsletter does not show all of the wonderful projects and activities taking place at WHS, it does highlight some of our favorites.

Our front page typically highlights our CTE showcase which is held each spring to show off our student achievements. This year we had planned to expand the showcase to be a school wide event where every classroom could share their accomplishments. We are disappointed that we did not get to host this event, but we are hopeful that we will be back and bigger than ever next school year.

We would like to thank Steve Sturgis, Katie Ford, and the yearbook staff for many of the and stories in this newsletter.



Horticulture Plant Sale



Even though Mrs. Chase's Horticulture class was not able to have their annual plant sale at the CTE Showcase this year, they were still able to have a plant sale to sell the flowers and plants they had grown this year. They followed the guidelines from the CDC and local health department. Their products were amazing and they received tremendous support from the community.

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CTE STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

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September

SEP 2019 **CTE** STUDENT OF THE MONTH
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Kylie Lloyd

FINANCE / VISUAL ARTS / HEALTH SCIENCE

Kylie is a concentrator in the above pathways. In addition, she has completed 24 hours of college credit. Kylie is currently a student intern with the City of Wellington & USD 353 Central Office, focusing on Accounting/Finance. She has also been an active member of the CTE CTSO - Business Professionals of America!

KYLIE'S "7.0" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
BUSINESS ESSENTIALS, BUSINESS ECONOMICS, ACCOUNTING, ADVANCED ACCOUNTING, GRAPHIC DESIGN FUNDAMENTALS, PHOTO IMAGING, BIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY, ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY

October

OCT 2019 **CTE** STUDENT OF THE MONTH
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Shaylee Callman

FAMILY / COMMUNITY & CONSUMER SERVICES

Shaylee is a concentrator in the above pathways. In addition, she is currently serving as an Intern with Impact Bank in Wellington. Shaylee has also been an active member in her local FCCLA (Family Career Community Leaders of America) chapter.

SHAYLEE'S "6.0" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
HUMAN GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT, CONSUMER & PERSONAL FINANCE, NUTRITION & WELLNESS, FAMILY STUDIES, COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS, CAREER CONNECTIONS, ENTREPRENEURSHIP, CULINARY ARTS I, INTRO TO DRAWING, BIOLOGY, DIGITAL MEDIA PRODUCTION

Wellington Community Dinner

November

NOV 2019 **CTE** STUDENT OF THE MONTH
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Kameryn Gerten

HEALTH SCIENCE & ANIMAL SCIENCE

Kameryn is a concentrator in the above pathways. In addition, she is currently serving as an intern with Arrowhead Animal Clinic and Wellington Animal Clinic. Kameryn finds time to fit college courses into her schedule and has completed 18 credits. Kameryn works part-time at Fabiola's and has been an active member of S.A.D.D., NHS, Big Sis/Little Sis and FFA while at Wellington High School.

KAMERYN'S "9.5" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
BIOLOGY * CHEMISTRY * ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY * NUTRITION & WELLNESS * CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE
INTRO TO AGRICULTURE * ANIMAL SCIENCE * SMALL ANIMAL CARE * CULINARY ESSENTIALS
CONSUMER & PERSONAL FINANCE * INVESTING * APPLIED BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

December

DEC 2019 **CTE** STUDENT OF THE MONTH
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Victoria Washington

HEALTH SCIENCE

Victoria is a concentrator in the above pathway. She is currently serving as an intern @ Bolkin Health & Rehabilitation in Wellington. Victoria works part-time at Bolkin also while attending classes at Wellington High School. She has completed 5 credits of college coursework.

VICTORIA'S "5.5" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
BIOLOGY * CHEMISTRY * ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY * CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE * HOME HEALTH AIDE
ACCOUNTING * INTRO TO DRAWING

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January

JAN 2020 CTE STUDENT OF THE MONTH WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

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Elizabeth Zimmerman

TEACHING / TRAINING

Elizabeth is a concentrator in the above pathway. She has completed 7 CTE credits.

ELIZABETH'S "7.0" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
 BIOLOGY * BUSINESS ESSENTIALS * BUSINESS ECONOMICS * NUTRITION & WELLNESS * INTRO TO DRAWING * FAMILY STUDIES * HUMAN GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT * CULINARY ESSENTIALS * CAREER CONNECTIONS * TEACHING AS A CAREER * INTERNSHIP

February

FEB 2020 CTE STUDENT OF THE MONTH WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

IMPACT BANK

Hunter Bryant

ARCHITECTURE & CONSTRUCTION / HEALTH SCIENCE

Hunter is a concentrator in the above pathways. He has completed 10 CTE credits.

HUNTER'S "10.0" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
 BUSINESS ESSENTIALS * APPLIED BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT * INTRO TO INDUSTRIAL TECH * WOODWORKING PRINCIPLES * DRAFTING * CARPENTRY I & II * BIOLOGY * CHEMISTRY * ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY * AP BIOLOGY * CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT

March

MAR 2020 CTE STUDENT OF THE MONTH WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

IMPACT BANK

Jackson Beffa

WEB & DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS/VISUAL ARTS

Jackson is a concentrator in the above pathways. He has completed 10 CTE credits. Additionally, Jackson passed Certiport Testing in INTRO TO PROGRAMMING using Python.

JACKSON'S "10.0" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
 COMPUTER APPLICATIONS * WEB PAGE DESIGN * COMPUTER GRAPHICS * GRAPHIC DESIGN FUNDAMENTALS * PHOTO IMAGING * COMPUTER SCIENCE * MEDIA TECH WORKPLACE EXPERIENCE * BIOLOGY * CHEMISTRY * INTRO TO INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY * DRAFTING * HUMAN GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT * CAREER CONNECTIONS * MS CERTIFIED IN WORD, POWERPOINT & EXCEL

April

APR 2020 CTE STUDENT OF THE MONTH WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

IMPACT BANK

Luke McComb

PLANT SYSTEMS * POWER, STRUCTURAL & TECHNICAL SYSTEMS * COMPREHENSIVE AGRICULTURE

Luke is a concentrator in the above pathways. He has completed 9 CTE credits. He was also a local FFA OFFICER.

LUKE'S "9.0" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
 BIOLOGY * CHEMISTRY * BUSINESS ECONOMICS * INTRO TO AGRICULTURE * HORTICULTURE * APPLICATIONS IN HORTICULTURE * AG LEADERSHIP & COMMUNICATION * AG WELDING I * AG WELDING II * AG FABRICATION * INTERNSHIP

May

MAY 2020 CTE STUDENT OF THE MONTH WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

IMPACT BANK

Autumn Reagan

BUSINESS ENTREPRENEURSHIP & MANAGEMENT

Autumn is a concentrator in the above pathway. She has completed 5 CTE credits. She is also a very talented volleyball player and has been selected to represent the U.S.A. in the World ParaVolley Beach World Series (May 9-12) in Pingtan, China.

AUTUMN'S "5.0" CREDITS OF CTE coursework @ WHS includes:
 BIOLOGY * CHEMISTRY * CONSUMER & PERSONAL FINANCE * WEB PAGE DESIGN * BUSINESS MANAGEMENT * APPLIED BUSINESS

AGRICULTURE

Mrs. Chase

FFA Foodbank Donations

The Wellington FFA Chapter donated over 22 dozen eggs this fall. Students were responsible for cleaning and grading eggs before taking them to the food bank. Eggs were also donated to the High School and used by the kitchen staff in preparing meals for students.

During the summer the Wellington FFA Officers attended the State Conference for Chapter Leaders (SCCL) where along with over 200 other FFA Officers they packed over 5000 bags of macaroni and cheese dinners. The FFA took four cases (144 bags) of meals that they packed to the local food bank so families could enjoy them over the holidays and into this year.



KACTE Day on the Hill

Wellington FFA Officers attended the KACTE Day On The Hill in Topeka and met with several legislators. Bill Rhiley and Larry Alley came and spoke with students about their experience in Agriculture! (Courtesy Pic - WHS FFA) L to R: Mat Pryce, Luke McComb, John Hart, Taima Graves, Kenny Farley, Mr. Rhiley, Kaitlyn Hain, Kyleigh Gould, and Baylee Newberry.



South Central Kansas Horse Judging Event

The Wellington FFA Chapter competed in the South Central District Horse Judging Career Development Event at Kingman. They learned how to judge horses based on their confirmation, and also on how they perform being ridden in various performance events. They applied the skills by judging six classes of horses and giving oral reasons of why they placed the horses the way they did.

This year is the first year for 8th graders from Wellington to be able to be FFA members and to compete. There were 14 WMS 8th graders that competed.

Junior Division (8th grade)-2nd Place out of 8 teams
Jade Pearson-1st, Katelyn Kessler-6th, Landyn Glenn-14th, and Kenny Redford-20th. There were 40 individuals competing

Greenhand Division (9th grade or 1st year) 3rd out of 23 teams.
Michaela Stufflebeam-3rd, Elly Dejarnett- 12th, Ashlyn Gerten-42 and Kadance Wise-44th. There were 130 students judging.

In the Chapter Division (10-12 grade) 9th out of 27 teams.
Kaitlyn Hain-10th, Nevin Gageby placed-38th, Hunter Norris-39th, and Kyleigh Gould-43rd. There were 80 students competing.



BUSINESS

Mrs. Buchanan



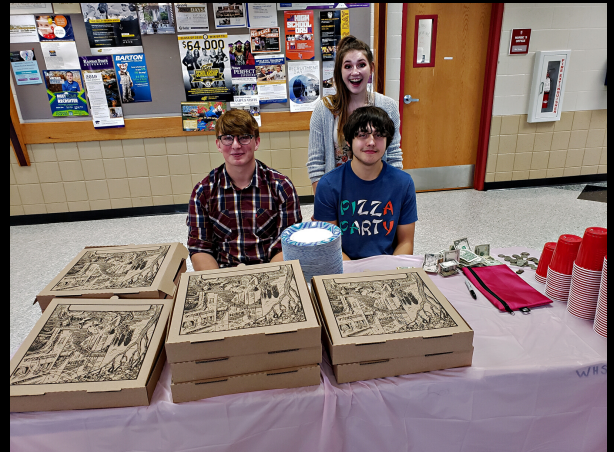
Story and Pictures courtesy of Steven Sturgis



Mrs. Melissa Buchanan's Youth Entrepreneur Class had a successful "Market Day" at WHS on Wednesday, November 13. A nice variety of offerings, even an opportunity to do pull-ups and get a discount on your Pizza purchases. Everything from Mexican Food, to Walking Tacos, to Chicken Alfredo, to Cookies / Cakes and more were available to the staff and students during lunch. Many of the products moved quickly, all tables seemed to be having considerable success with their business endeavors.

"Market Day" is a big event for the entrepreneurs each semester. It all begins with planning, followed up by shopping, followed up by preparation and marketing, followed up by sales and hopefully success. Close tabs are kept on all phases of their projects so level of profitability can be determined afterwards. A real, hands-on event with many practical applications for the students that participate. Great Job Crusaders!

Students involved in MARKET DAY included:
Jordyn Jackson, Jordyn Young, Taylor Heasty, Stella Rife, Conor Thompson, Patricia Fornea, Derick Kotchavar, Montana Heacock, Mackenzie Heacock, Billy Walker, Shaylee Coffman, Brayden Macias, Celt Corley, Raymond Summers, Emberly Gonzalez, Macy Gonzalez



Congratulations to the \$100 winner of our Business Pitch Competition, Taylor Heasty!!

We would like to thank our YE Mentors for all of their support this year.

Daniel Youash, Faved Brown, Ross Norris, Amber Dawson, and Lyndsey Metzger

BUSINESS

Mrs. Case

Reality U Simulation

Reality U is a hands on experience that teaches "financial skills". The 75 minute simulation of life, helps youth acquire personal financial education to prepare them for their lives as adults. In addition to the Sophomores at WHS, Sophs from South Haven, Caldwell, Argonia, Oxford and Conway Springs participated in one of the three sessions held at WHS in the auxiliary gym.

The Goals of Reality U are* Teach teens their performance in school today CAN affect their future.*Provide students with the opportunity to learn and practice personal finance skills.*Mobilize the community to become involved stakeholders in education, particularly financial literacy education in their local schools.

This is the 3rd year REALITY U has been held at WHS. The program is sponsored by IMPACT BANK.



Internships

Many WHS Juniors and Seniors had the opportunity this year to participate in internships and work study opportunities in and around Wellington. Organizing the placements required a great deal of collaboration between Mrs. Case, the students, and the businesses/organizations. This has been a great way to help our students prepare for future careers and we appreciate the businesses involvement in growing the programs. Below are the students and their placements.

Kylie Aufdengarten-Advanced PT
Hanna Arebalo-Kennedy Elementary
Olivia Brand-Humane Society
Shaylee Coffman-Jump Start
Joslyne Creamer-Arrowhead Humane Society
Kenny Farley-City of Wellington
Mykiland French-Sumner County DA Office
Myriland French-Fire Dept.
Karolina Gadzik-Humane Society
Payton Ginter-Sumner County Sheriff's Dept.
Emberly Gonzalez-Washington Elementary
Tamia Graves-Winfield Sale Barn

John Hart- Hart Development
Taylor Heasty-Public Library/WHS Library
Natalie Henning-Sumner Mental Health
Marissa Horsch-Erickson & Gill Dentistry
Krystal Jonas-Sumner Economic Development
Kylie Lloyd-Central Office
Michael Macias-Advanced PT
Luke McComb-Fire Dept.
Maggie McMinn-Advanced PT/The Sumner County Academy
Mikeah Rodriguez-Sumner Mental Health
Jessica Walker-Kennedy Elementary
Alisa Walters-Doggie Do's/Humane Society



BUSINESS

Mrs. Vaughn

Computer Applications Certifications

Thirteen students in Mrs. Vaughn's Computer Applications demonstrated their understanding of Microsoft Office Word and PowerPoint by taking the industry recognized certification test. The Microsoft Office Specialist certification guarantees that every certified user has demonstrated the ability to command the full features and functionality of Microsoft Office, preparing them for future academic or workforce opportunities.



Left to right: Banks Hinshaw, Jensen Lynnes, Madalynn Dry, Maddie Nance, Bri Ast, Brock Haviland, Braezy Taylor
Not pictured: Keegan Dridi, Bella Greenlee, Eliza Dejarnett, Stellar Young, Lucas Lyne, Nathaniel Bristow



Kansas Hall of Fame Essay Contest

The Kansas Business Hall of Fame (KBHF) Essay Contest had 98 entries from 12 Kansas high schools this year. Wellington High School freshman, Taylon Ellis was one of the top three winners! The top three winners will be honored at an event that honors the Kansas Exporter of the Year, Governor's Award for Excellence, and other awards, tentatively scheduled for June 18 in Topeka.

Below are the winning authors and the KBHF inductee they wrote about:
Top three \$200 winners:

Shea Inlow, sophomore from Sedgwick High School, inductee Fred Harvey
Emma Elder, senior from Nemaha Central High School, inductee Dan and Frank Carney

Taylon Ellis, freshman from Wellington High School, inductee William Coleman



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BPA State Leadership Conference



Several WHS students competed in BPA - State Leadership Conference February 20-22 in Wichita. The following students were recognized for their achievements:

Julia Starnes - 2nd Place Advanced Accounting, 1st Place Payroll Accounting, Top 10 in Financial Math & Analysis

Jensen Lynnes - 3rd Place Basic Office Systems & Procedures

Grace Duncan - 8th Place Advanced Office Systems & Procedures and Fundamental Spreadsheet Applications

Brody Groom - 2nd Place Fundamental Spreadsheet Applications, 1st Place Java Programming

Jael Catlett & Morgan Bacon - 1st Place Website Design Team

Kaity Kreifels - 5th Place Fundamentals of Web Design

6 students qualified to attend the national competition which was scheduled for May 6-10 in Washington, DC was cancelled due to Covid-19 concerns.

FACS

Mrs. Lawless

Health & Human Services Day



Wellington High School students went to Cowley County Community College for Health and Human Services Day. The students were exposed to several different areas in the Health & Human Services Field.

The majors included were Education, Child Care and Development, EMS/EMT, Paramedic, Fire Science, CNA/CMA, Criminal Justice, and Cosmetology.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Mr. Elder

Eisenhower Interest Event

The WHS Woodworking and Carpentry Class spent time with Eisenhower students at "INTEREST DAY". They discussed Architecture and Construction career paths and industry and then the students helped finish the projects by screwing in handles and hinges onto small mobile stages that the Woodworking and Carpentry class built. They also got the opportunity to nail some nails into a piece of wood that will be turned into a craft project. Awesome interaction all the way around!



VISUAL ARTS

Mrs. Groom/Mr. Larkey

Friend's Art Day

WHS Art students competed in Friend's Art Day in March. Several students were recognized for their work.

Stellar Young - 3rd torn paper challenge, 3rd quick draw challenge, 1st Digital Art Illustration

Autum Regan - 1st wheel thrown, 2nd wheel thrown

Julia Starnes - 2nd wire sculpture challenge

Sydney Hendrix - 1st screen printing

Tim Tracy - 3rd relief sculpture

Alivia Holgate - 3rd portrait photography

Students that attended: Tim Tracy, Tina Jacobs, Kiersten Miller, Grace Duncan, Julia Starnes, Stellar Young, Sydney Hendrix, Stella Rife, Alisa Walters, Aleera Niss, Paris Gregory, Alivia Holgate, Elizabeth Harriger, Bella Greenlee, Michaela Stufflebeam, Autum Regan, Jennifer Walters.



CTE PATHWAYS

Career & Technical Education combines high academic expectations with the relevant technical knowledge and skills needed to prepare students for additional education or careers in high demand professions. The pathways offered at WHS allow students opportunities to receive credentials and graduation honors.

- Animal Science
- Comprehensive Ag Science
- Plant Systems
- Power, Structural & Technical Systems
- Construction & Design
- Web & Digital Communications
- Digital Media
- Graphic Design
- Business Entrepreneurship & Mgmt.
- Restaurant & Event Management
(*Culinary & Event Planning*)
- Family & Community Services
- Teaching Training
- Health Science