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CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS RAISE THE BAR IN COMPETITIONS



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Director's Update

William L. "Bill" Walker, Jr.

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Arkansas Department of Career Education

Each year I am impressed by the achievements of the students in Arkansas's career and technical education student organizations (CTSOs). This edition of our newsletter is full of the award winners from state competitions in DECA, FBLA/PBL, FCCLA, FFA, HOSA, and SkillsUSA. CTOSs are available to secondary and postsecondary students across Arkansas, and many are affiliates of national or international organizations as well. Congratulations to the students and best wishes as the top winners compete nationally. Their success is made possible by the dedication and hard work of the chapter advisors and teachers, as well as our agency's program staff.

In addition to CTOSs that inspire students to achieve, there are many other programs and initiatives overseen by our agency that prepare our citizens for the workforce.

Arkansas participates in ACT's National Career Readiness Certificate (CRC) program which provides young and more "seasoned" adults with a "portable credential that demonstrates achievement and a certain level of workplace employability skills in Applied Mathematics, and Locating Information, and Reading for Information" (description courtesy of ACT.org). The CRC program recently added a platinum level of certification which recognizes the very highest level of achievement.

The CRC program is available statewide, including at the Arkansas Career Training Institute (ACTI). Since the program's inception in 2008, nearly 49,000 Arkansans

have earned a gold, silver, or bronze CRC. I was notified that ACTI student Jacob Stancil of Quitman recently earned the platinum CRC, joining only 79 others in Arkansas who have done so. It's an elite but growing group, and I encourage employers to look for and support job candidates who have completed the CRC program.

Our Jobs for Arkansas's Graduates (JAG) chapter has once again risen to the highest level nationally, scoring an impressive "5 of 5" on national JAG performance objectives for the seventh straight year.

Speaking of impressive success - I want to congratulate and recognize Marion Fletcher, who for the past 44 years has been program manager for agriculture science and technology education for our agency. This year Marion is celebrating a 50-year career of serving the students, the state, and the nation in agricultural education and advocacy.

Anyone who knows Marion can tell you at the center of his heart is the FFA organization and its members. Last month, his staff and the members of Arkansas FFA surprised Marion by presenting him with a very special "blue jacket" - the iconic uniform of FFA members. His staff had recently learned that Marion never had his very own FFA jacket growing up. He and his brother always shared one. After

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2012 GED® Top 25 Scorers
honored at Old Supreme Court Chamber
State Capitol Building
April 18

Adult education students from around the state who earned top scores on the GED® tests in 2012 were honored in a ceremony at the State Capitol. ACE staff pictured below are: **Jim Smith** (far left), **Janice Hanlon** (blue suit), **Trenia Miles** (third from right). Those holding plaques are the honorees. They are listed below along with the name of their adult education center.

Present to Accept Awards:

Grant White (Fayetteville Adult Education Center)

Anna Tiner (Saline Co. Adult Education Center)

Robert Reep (Russellville Adult Education Center)

Marlin Nightingale
(Valley View Adult Education Center)

Joshua Brown
(University of Arkansas Community College at
Morrliton Adult Education Center)

Nathaniel Darbonne
(Conway Adult Education Center)

William Kimball
(Little Rock Adult Education Center)

Tyler Dellinger (Arkansas Correctional School)



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“Assistive Technology 4 Life”

AT

ICAN: A Refresher

submitted by Corey Kimbrough, ICAN Program Manager

The **Increasing Capabilities Access Network**, commonly referred to as **ICAN**, offers a wealth of assistive technology (AT) for loan, recycling, and demonstration. Community outreach and agency integration is an important part of ICAN’s mission of empowering individuals with disabilities through AT. *ICAN serves the entire state of Arkansas* with various programs such as equipment donation pick-ups, assistive technology demonstrations, providing individual and group training, and technical assistance.

In addition to being a part of and working very closely with Arkansas Rehabilitation Services offices statewide, ICAN has a relationship with several community-based providers. Our goals are primarily to enhance those agencies’ employees’ knowledge of assistive technology and to serve as resource for them and their clients.

ICAN routinely works with the following groups, providing information on how they can obtain most AT free-of-charge for those they serve:

- ◆ **United Cerebral Palsy’s** case management department
- ◆ **Baptist Health’s** rehabilitation nursing staff
- ◆ **Occupational Therapy students** from various colleges
- ◆ **Easter Seals of Arkansas**

- ◆ **Arkansas Spinal Cord Commission**
- ◆ **The disability services offices** of several Arkansas colleges and universities

Case studies

The ICAN staff recently picked up a donated high-end power chair in Fayetteville. We had in mind the specific purpose of giving it to **Jon**, a recently injured client diagnosed with quadriplegia, who is being served by the Arkansas Spinal Cord Commission. Often such individuals have to wait a significant amount of time to receive this kind of chair, but through the generous chair donation and ICAN’s statewide reach, the chair was picked up and delivered quickly. We provided the training, and Jon developed a level of independence necessary to be discharged from Baptist Health’s rehabilitation hospital. He later received a custom-built chair, and we were able to pass along the original chair to another person in need.



Maddy is very proud of her chair which she mastered in a very short time after receiving it.



Rick Anderson of ICAN (left) and Mallory Rogers, Social Worker for Children’s Rehab Center of Easter Seals (right) worked together to get the pediatric-sized chair that was just right for Maddy (center).

Maddy is a young child who lives at Easter Seals Children’s Rehab Center. She was involved in a motor vehicle accident that left her with neurological deficits. She’s not able to verbally communicate or walk on her own, so she is dependent on power mobility for her independence. With intensive therapy in conjunction with good medical care, Maddy is now a very independent little lady driving her own power wheelchair, which she received from ICAN.

Agencies or community organizations who serve people with disabilities are encouraged to contact ICAN so we can work together.

AT equipment donation and recycling

Equipment such as wheelchairs, walkers,

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FFA: News from Around the State

Scholarship Program 2013 FFA Recipients - Arkansas

	FFA Chapter/High School	Sponsor/Scholarship	Amount
Meghan Anderson:	SPRINGDALE HS FFA	Tractor Supply - Growing Scholars	\$1,000.00
Blake Bennett:	POCAHONTAS HS FFA	Ford Trucks/Built Ford Tough	\$1,000.00
Emily Bilbrey:	SLOAN HENDRIX HS FFA	Ford Trucks/Built Ford Tough	\$1,000.00
Elizabeth Blankenship:	BLACK ROCK HS FFA	AGCO Dealer	\$1,000.00
Tyler Blasdel:	FLIPPIN HS FFA	John Deere Dealer	\$2,000.00
Shanley Waters Boyster:	NEWPORT HS FFA	Ford Trucks/Built Ford Tough	\$1,000.00
Logan Brady:	WALNUT RIDGE HS FFA	John Deere Dealer	\$2,000.00
Clayton Creamer:	BERGMAN HS FFA	Fastline Publications (2 year school)	\$1,000.00
Canyon Dewey:	LAVACA HS FFA	RAM Trucks Dealer	\$1,000.00
Draven Dobson:	STUTTGART HS FFA	Tulsa Welding School	\$1,000.00
Blake Freeman:	LAMAR HS FFA	RAM Trucks Dealer	\$1,000.00
Justin Gattis:	COUNTY LINE HS FFA	John Deere Dealer	\$2,000.00
Cody Harty:	OZARK HS FFA	NAPA AUTO PARTS	\$1,000.00
Lucas Head:	MENA HS FFA	Tyson Foods, Inc.	\$1,000.00
Jalen Ivy:	JACKSON COUNTY HS FFA	Ford Trucks/Built Ford Tough	\$1,000.00
Aaron Landreneau:	SMACKOVER FFA	Ford Trucks/Built Ford Tough	\$1,000.00
Mindy Linvell:	NEWPORT HS FFA	Farmers Mutual Hail Insurance Company of Iowa	\$1,500.00
Ciarra Luebke:	BOONEVILLE HS FFA	Tractor Supply - Growing Scholars	\$1,000.00
Rachael McKnight:	WYNNE HS FFA	John Deere Dealer	\$2,000.00
Taylor McNeel:	VILONIA HS FFA	Fastline Publications (4 year school)	\$1,000.00
Whitney Meeks:	BLACK ROCK HS FFA	AGCO Dealer	\$1,000.00
Fred Pohlman II:	PRAIRIE GROVE HS FFA	John Deere Dealer	\$2,000.00
Riley Raulston:	VALLEY VIEW HS-FFA	Ford Trucks/Built Ford Tough	\$1,000.00
Dalton Stout:	ST PAUL HS FFA	WIX Filters	\$1,000.00
Lindsey Tharp:	VILONIA HS FFA	Tractor Supply - Growing Scholars	\$1,000.00
Kisia Weeks:	CEDARVILLE HS FFA	RAM Trucks Dealer	\$1,000.00
Amie Wilcox:	WALDRON HS FFA	Tractor Supply - Growing Scholars	\$1,000.00

Arkansas FFA and Board of Career Education Meet at Camp

The State Board of Career Education met in regular session on the grounds of Arkansas FFA's Camp Couchdale in Hot Springs on Friday, June 7. The meeting was held in conjunction with the annual FFA State Convention, during which more than 1,000 FFA members from across the state participated

in leadership training and skills competitions.

Before the board meeting, board members attended the convention's opening ceremony, where ACE Director Bill Walker addressed the students, expressing his congratulations for their continued accomplishments.

The board meeting opened with

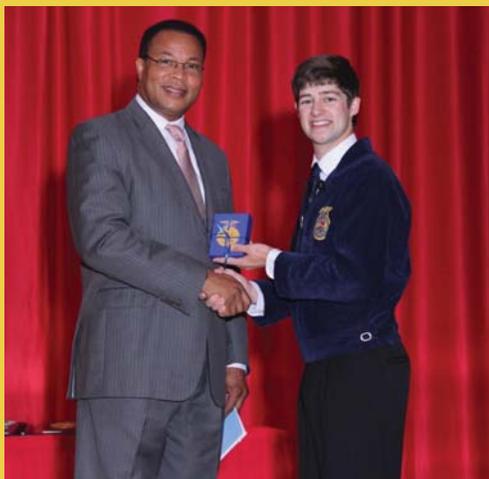
remarks by Lindsey Anderson, FFA's national western region vice president, and Joshua Bledsoe, chief operating officer for the national FFA organization. Both encouraged board members in their roles of supporting and growing career education for Arkansas's students.

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In action items, the board voted to rescind approval for secondary career center satellite programs at the Murfreesboro campus of Cossatot Community College and the Clarksville campus of Arkansas Tech University-Ozark. The satellite centers had been approved previously with the contingency that approval would be rescinded if funding was not received in the recent legislative session. Since funding was not received, approval for the satellites was rescinded. The board also adopted the 2013-14 budgets and approved the appointment of Karen Breashears to the State Plumbing Apprenticeship Committee. Informational items on the cost of GED testing, the adult education funding formula, revised policies and procedures for career and technical education, and the sale of the Arkansas Services Center in Jonesboro were presented to the board.

Members of the State Board of Career Education are **Phil Taylor, Chairman; John Riggs, IV, Vice Chairman; Richard Smith; Margarita Solorzano; Martha Dixon; Dr. Ann B. Bain; and John Yates.**



Director Walker receives a token of appreciation from Lucas Head, FFA Southern District Vice President from Mena, for his ongoing support of Arkansas FFA.

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decades of service to the organization, Marion having his own personal jacket was long overdue! By the way, he tells me he's nowhere close to retiring ... congratulations, Marion!

For the past seven years since I have been director of this agency, I've gathered senior managers and other stakeholders for a senior management retreat. In early June, the group again convened. We reviewed the many accomplishments and challenges that we have met head-on and overcome. It's quite an impressive list! We also re-established our goals and tasks for the coming year – another impressive list. I continue to be grateful and proud of our team (managers and staff) and proud to share their accomplishments.

The close of the 89th General Session brought some disappointments. Funding we requested for the GED program, for our area technical career centers. and for Arkansas Works was not granted. We're therefore pursuing other funding options to continue to keep these valuable programs available to Arkansans who want to build a brighter future for themselves and our state through education and skill advancement. We are committed to doing so and appreciate your support.



Press Association Holds Convention in Rogers

High school journalism students from across the state converged at the John Q. Hammons Convention Center in Rogers for the 2013 Arkansas Scholastic Press Association convention April 18-19. The conference theme was "CONVERGE" which represents the multifaceted

and intermingled world of old and new media that today's journalists must master.

The conference included an awards ceremony for contest entries previously submitted and also on-site competitions in areas such as broadcasting, news and feature writing, publication design, photography, videography, blogging, and website production. Yearbook publication vendors, colleges, and equipment vendors set up in the concourse served as subjects for the roving reporters and photographers during the competitions.

ACE Program Advisor Dave Fisher, who has years of experience in radio and broadcasting, served as a judge for some of the contests.

Senior Management Team

SMT Update



DeCarlia Dickens
Human Resources Administrator
ACE/ARS

State Employees Receive COLA

Department of Finance and Administration Director Richard Weiss officially announced that state employees will receive a two percent (2%) Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA).

The COLA was enacted in the first bi-weekly pay period in fiscal year 2014, June 23-July 6, 2013.

State employees are dedicated, hard-working professionals who deserve this increase. We appreciate all employee contributions whose collective efforts enhance our ability to serve Arkansans. Thank you.



Arkansas Ford/AAA Student Auto Skills Competition

On April 26, nine teams of two students each competed in the Arkansas student auto skills contest, held on the south campus of Pulaski Technical College in Little Rock. The annual event is part of a nationwide program sponsored by FORD, AAA and Hertz, where top high school auto skills students from across the state compete against one other and the clock to diagnose and repair 10 mechanical problems in identical cars. Participants earn various scholarships and prizes depending on where they finish in the competition.



The winning team of Matthew McBride and Blane Waggoner from Cabot High School debugged their 2013 Ford Fusion in 88 minutes and 54 seconds. Bill McReynolds is their instructor. The pair earned their choice of scholarships from technical colleges and from the Ford ASSET program for a total of more than \$30,000. The winners will compete in national finals held at the Ford Motor Company Headquarters in Dearborn, Michigan.

The competition is organized by the Arkansas Department of Career Education, Career and Technical Education Division. Ray Winiiecki, agency program coordinator for skilled and technical sciences, and staff members **Anne Tucker, Dave Fisher, Barbara Dimon, Randy Prather, and Glenn Curry** were instrumental in hosting the successful event.



Top left: *Matthew McBride (second from left) and Blane Waggoner (third from left) won the auto skills competition, earning themselves scholarships and other automotive-repair-themed prizes. Their proud instructor (far left) is Bill McReynolds. Ray Winiiecki (far right), from the Department of Career Education, congratulated the winners. Below left and right: Contestants at work.*

Conway Adult Education Center Hosts USDA Official

Ruth Ann Williams, director of the Conway Adult Education Center, and Carol Zabel, SNAP Employment and Training (E&T) coordinator at the center, welcomed to the center Kevin Concannon, undersecretary of Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services (FNS) at the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA). Concannon and Bill Ludwig, southwest regional administrator for USDA/FNS, learned of the unique collaboration between the center's adult education program and the Faulkner County SNAP E&T program, which is also administered in the adult education facility. The SNAP E&T program is a feature of the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program or SNAP, which is the new name for the federal food stamp program overseen by the USDA's FNS division.

"He [Concannon] is interested in the adult education collaborations we furnish for the E&T clients such as in-house access to the GED® program, WAGE, Career Scope, English as a Second Language classes, and more," Williams said.

"Since the SNAP E&T Program is administered here in the same building where all these adult education classes are, they can attend and transition from one program to another in a place they're already familiar with."

"We have a whole process for cross-referring clients between the programs," said Zabel.

"It doesn't matter to them – or to us - that different branches of state and federal agencies oversee these programs. We know that the populations we serve often overlap and we're happy we have a facility that lets us all work together under one roof to help the citizens of Faulkner County improve their lives and those of their children."

The Conway program is the only E&T office in Arkansas that the USDA officials visited.



(l to r) Kevin Concannon and Bill Ludwig talk with Carol Zabel about the center's comprehensive process to ensure job-prep and education classes are offered to those who come there for assistance.



Kevin Concannon, left, visits with Ruth Ann Williams at the Conway Adult Education Center.

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and bedside commodes can be donated to ICAN. Donated items are cleaned and logged into the ICAN system to be donated back into the community. ICAN also recycles therapeutic equipment such as standers and gait trainers.

Visit

Tours of our equipment lab and demonstrations are available at no cost. They can be scheduled for individuals as well as groups of students, educators, employers, professionals, and families. To arrange for a tour or device demonstration, please contact ICAN by phone at (501) 666-8868 V/TTY or toll free at (800) 828-2799. Our office is in the Arkansas Rehabilitation Services central office at 525 W. Capitol Avenue in downtown Little Rock. Our hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Rogers Student Attains National Recognition

Noah Heffron, a student at Rogers Heritage High School, placed first in Excel 2007 in the **Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) U.S. National Championship** held at Deer Valley Lodge in Park City, Utah. **He is one of six students from across the nation who placed first in their categories and were named MOS U.S. national champions.** Noah, as one of the six first-place winners, will receive an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. to compete in the MOS World Championship July 31–August 3. More than 140,000 students competed.



THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES' *Opening Doors to the Future* SCHOLARSHIP RECEPTION

The Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities, led by Executive Director **Leonard Boyle**, Sr., presented 27 college scholarships at a reception held Friday, June 14, at Pulaski Technical College in North Little Rock.

The Commission's scholarships are awarded annually to qualifying students with disabilities from across Arkansas who are pursuing postsecondary education. The \$1,000 stipends are funded partially through the Commission's 30-percent share of fines levied against people who illegally use parking spaces reserved for drivers with a disability.

The master of ceremonies was **Pulaski County Sheriff Doc Holladay**, and the keynote speaker was **Arkansas State Representa-**

bers are **Mary Bennett**, **Shirley Byers**, **Nancy Carlson**, **Sharon Downs**, **Rodney Farley**, **Lester Fulmer**, **Christopher "CJ" George**, **Cleon Green**, **James E. Hunt**, **Jermaine Moore**, **Bryan Purifoy**, **Sherice Smith**, **Grady Tracy**,



Jermaine Moore gives the invocation utilizing a computerized device for voice recognition.

and **Jay R. Whipple**. The Department of Human Services liaison is **Lynne Bowen**, and the Governor's Office liaison is **Sarah Agee**. ARS Commissioner **Randy Laverty** is the ex-officio member.

2013 Scholarship Recipients

Justin Alexander, Greenbrier: Arkansas State University. **Michael Tyler Atkinson**, Conway: Arkansas Tech University. **Kyra Bell**, Maumelle: Henderson State University. **Abigail Branch**, Bentonville: University of Central Arkansas. **Holly Brewer**, Jonesboro: Arkansas State University. **Mallory Burke**, North Little Rock:

University of Arkansas at Little Rock. **Holly Crain**, Bentonville: University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. **Ashten Dean**, Cabot: Ouachita Baptist University. **Hannah Fender**, Maumelle: Ouachita Baptist University. **Dewayne Goldman II**, Pine Bluff: Iowa State University. **Megan Harrison**, Lowell: University of Central Arkansas. **Hannah Hess**, North Little Rock: Arkansas Tech University. **Karie Hudson**, Sherwood: University of Central Arkansas. **Heather Inman**, Hampton: Southern Arkansas University. **Kyler Kelton**, Delight: Harding University. **Kristen Kuykendall**, Shirley: University of Central Arkansas. **Angela Lamb**, Greenwood: Hendrix College. **Jonathan Marks**, Siloam Springs: John Brown University. **Cody Matteri**, Springdale: Ottawa University. **Jackson Matteri**, Springdale: College of the Ozarks. **Taylor Scott**, Hot Springs: Henderson State University. **Felicia Sisco**, Fayetteville: John Brown University. **Laney Staggs**, Mena: University of Arkansas at Fort Smith. **Brandon Tabor**, Russellville: Arkansas Tech University. **Brooke Ward**, Rogers: University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. **Ryan Wight**, Alma: Arkansas Tech University. **Katheryn Woods**, Alexander: Southern Arkansas



(l-r): GCPD Executive Director **Leonard Boyle**, Pulaski County Sheriff **Doc Holladay**, and ACE Chief Information Officer **Lee Meadows**

ative **Josh Miller** of Heber Springs. **Lee Meadows**, ACE chief information officer, sang the National Anthem. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by **Bryan Purifoy**, and the invocation was given by **Jermaine Moore**.

Maureen Strobel is the chairperson of the Commission. Mem-



What You Should Know

AKDC (Arkansas Kidney Disease Commission)

Living Kidney Donors Honored with Chain of Life Awards

The Arkansas Kidney Disease Commission (AKDC) recently honored 12 individuals with the **Chain of Life Award**. The award is presented to those who, in the past year, made a living kidney donation to an Arkansan in need of a transplant.

The AKDC is a special program of Arkansas Rehabilitation Services. The program's manager is **Cynthia Baker-Smith**. Ceremonies were held recently in three cities in an attempt to personally recognize as many donors as possible.

This year marks the second year for the Chain of Life Award presentation since Act 268 of 2011 established the mechanism for the honor. The following are the 2013 recipients and their cities of residence:

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| ⌘ Pauletta Andrews , Little Rock | ⌘ Billie Carter , Conway |
| ⌘ Natasha Bailey , Newport | ⌘ Marlon Horne , Rogers |
| ⌘ Charles M. Baxter, Jr. , Alexander | ⌘ Cecelia Medina , Ashdown |
| ⌘ Jennifer Bumsted , Benton, Kansas | ⌘ Benjamin Nehring , Jonesboro |
| ⌘ Tasha Butler , Warren | ⌘ Alline Seals , Conway |
| ⌘ Patricia Cable , Langley, Washington | ⌘ Monica Sullivan , Bauxite |

The AKDC is one of about 20 state-run kidney programs nationally. The program provides assistance to Arkansans who have been diagnosed with end-stage renal disease requiring regular kidney dialysis treatments or who have received kidney transplants. There are approximately 250 Arkansans on a kidney transplant waiting list and more

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Pictured left: Little Rock, ARS central office gathering (left to right): Back row - ARS Commissioner Randy Laverty, Curt Calloway, Dr. Gerry Glascoe; Middle row - Billie Carter (donor), Mike Cullum (recipient) Dr. Scott Young; Front row - Lauren Wickersham (recipient) Pauletta Andrews (donor), Alline Seals (donor), Kathy Pierce, Sharon Files, Bob Abbot, Monica Sullivan (donor)

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than 95,000 nationally.

AKDC board members are **Bob Abbot, Curt Calaway, James Campbell, Garry Glasco, Nifel Hall, John Heard (co-chair), James King, Dr. Timothy Langford, Kathy Pierce (chair), and Dr. Scott Young.**

“These living kidney donors are amazing people who literally give a part of themselves selflessly, often to total strangers, people they’ve just met or have only known for a brief amount of time,” says Baker-Smith. “It is simply amazing and overwhelming to hear their stories of how happy they were to make a difference and would do it again. These individuals exemplify what AKDC is all about.”



Above left: Monticello ARS field office (left to right): donors Charles Baxter, Jr., and Tasha Butler. Above right: Fayetteville ARS field office (left to right): recipient Candra Cole with donor and brother, Marlon Horne.

AKDC at a Glance

The Arkansas Kidney Disease Commission’s (AKDC) sole purpose is to provide financial assistance specifically for the care of individuals with end stage renal disease (ESRD), total or near total loss of function of the kidney, or a disabling condition resulting in dialysis or transplant. The AKDC also aims to raise awareness about the growing need for kidney donors.

In order to be eligible for AKDC’s services, the applicant must be an Arkansas resident, meet financial need requirements, have documented verification of ESRD, and be on dialysis or transplant. Applicants must be receiving Medicaid or Medicare or must have applied.

The AKDC acts as a last resort for payment of prescription drugs and pre-transplant dental services. When additional funding is available, the AKDC provides a nutritional supplement to its AKDC clients receiving dialysis across the state. The AKDC receives most referrals from dialysis units, social workers, dieticians, nephrologists, and pharmacies.

The AKDC is committed to providing patient education regarding nutrition, the importance of regular dialysis, medication maintenance, and regular check-ups. AKDC also works collaboratively with other state agencies to reduce the burden of chronic disease in Arkansas by promoting education, awareness, and quality of care to reduce disease complications.

Annually, AKDC honors individuals who have made a living kidney donation to an Arkansan in need of a transplant.

Contact AKDC at (501) 686-2807 or visit the AKDC office in the Arkansas Rehabilitation Services facility at 525 W. Capitol Avenue, Little Rock.

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DoubleTree Hotel * Little Rock

*overview provided by Dr. Penny Willmering, ARA Past-President**

This year's conference was a wonderful opportunity for networking, learning, and having fun!

There were 180 participants, with 79 attending from Arkansas Rehabilitation Services. The theme of the conference was reflected through the variety of participants (ARS, Division of Services for the Blind, Birch Tree, Arkansas Tech University, Arkansas Support Network, Spinal Cord Commission, and many more); the variety of training sessions offered; and the multiple opportunities provided for networking.

Highlighted speakers included **Walt Coleman** (pictured below, center), **Tim Hicks**, and **Dr. Jennipher Wiebold**. All three of these excellent keynote speakers reflected the theme of teamwork and connectedness and their importance in provision of effective services.

Luncheon speakers included **ARS Commissioner Randy Laverty** (pictured below left) and **Gary Rhodes** (Freedom House, Russellville). The commissioner spoke eloquently about his life experiences with organ transplants and the importance of organ donation. Mr. Rhodes provided insight regarding the current use and abuse of addictive substances, as well as the trends currently seen in the treatment community. There were excellent concurrent sessions providing the opportunity to earn up to 13.5 hours of continuing education credits.

28 vendors in the Exhibit Hall. Three of the booths were from ARS: **Arkansas Career Training Institute (ACTI)**, **Telecommunications Access Program (TAP)**, and **Increasing Capabilities Access Network (ICAN)**. The Spinal Cord Commission and Arkansas Relay also participated, as well as Presidential Conversions. A highlight in the vendor area was watching Leonard Boyle stand for the first time in many years!

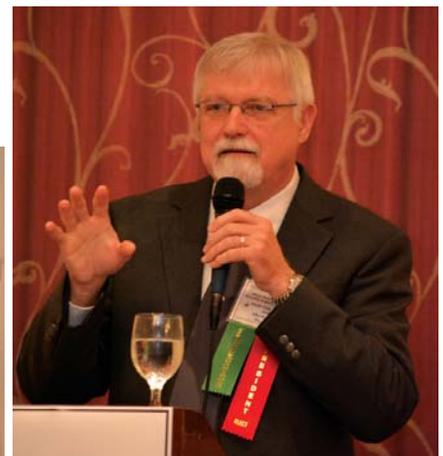
Another highlight was the silent auction, and special thanks go to the Fayetteville and Harrison field offices for their generous donations to the cause. Money raised during the silent auction is used to benefit student scholarships, and this year the auction raised \$1,000. In addition, ad sales in the program were brisk, and it should be noted that seven ARS districts placed ads, with the proceeds going to benefit student scholarships.

This year's conference reflected a change of venue. As most of you know, ARA has hosted the conference at the Arlington Hotel in Hot Springs for many years. After we received multiple requests for a change of venue, the conference was moved this year to the DoubleTree Hotel in Little Rock. Although no final decision has been made, it is likely that the conference next year will be held at the DoubleTree.



The participants enjoyed visiting the

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Keith Vire, 2011-2012 ARA President

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Many of you know that hosting a conference is an incredible amount of work and that it takes a team to make a successful conference happen. The ARA Board would like to thank all who helped organize and work the conference. If you are interested in helping us next year please contact Penny Willmering at 479-968-0461. We would welcome fresh eyes and energetic hands to help! It is YOUR training, so please be involved.

In terms of next year and looking ahead, the ARA Board will be sending out "Save the Date" cards as

soon as a date and venue are known for the 2014 conference. Participants are urged to make their plans and reserve hotel rooms early as the hotel filled up quickly this year. In addition, the ARA Board appreciates those who volunteer to present sessions and encourages everyone to submit proposals early as well.

And finally, the ARA Board will continue to build bridges and connect ALL professionals who care, and strengthen the association and the ability to effectively serve our consumers/clients!

Seven ARA scholarships were awarded at the conference. The Arkansas Rehabilitation Program is one of very few National Rehabilitation Association (NRA) state chapters that award scholarships to deserving students. The silent auction, held each year at the conference, funds the scholarships.



Marschewski

Brown

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Flennaugh

Dornbach

Keeny-Davis

Jesse Marschewski: *Butch Barnes Scholarship.* Enrolled at the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville in the rehabilitation counseling program, Marschewski believes his experience in the rehabilitation process after losing his leg as the result of a near-fatal car accident in 2006 will help him as a counselor.

Kimberly Brown: *E. Russell Baxter Scholarship.* A graduate student in rehabilitation counseling at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, Brown chose this field because "I enjoy meeting new people and helping others" and is described as highly professional and responsible.

Airie Kazery: *Vincent H. Bond Scholarship.* Kazery is a graduate student at the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville majoring in rehabilitation counseling. Described by advisors as one of their most capable students, she states that "perhaps I can make a difference where others have failed."

Carla Lilly: *R. Lewis Urton Scholarship.* A senior majoring in rehabilitation science at Arkansas Tech University, Lilly plans on becoming a rehabilitation counselor and possibly teaching in the field in the future. She is described as empathetic and possessing a dedication and passion for her work.

Tasha Flennaugh: *Thirland "Danny" McKissic Scholarship.* Flennaugh is a senior rehabilitation major at the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff with a concentration in social work. A mother of four, two of whom have disabilities, she is described as a committed advocate and engaging leader.

Brenda Dornbach: *Harold E. Thomas Scholarship.* A graduate student in rehabilitation counseling at Arkansas State University, Dornbach is also in her second year as president of the ASU Rehabilitation Counseling Association. With plans to eventually obtain a Ph.D., she hopes to be an advocate for students with disabilities hoping to attend college.

Shara Keeny-Davis: *ARA President's Scholarship.* A graduate student in rehabilitation counseling at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, Keeny-Davis is particularly interested in helping individuals with chemical dependency and hopes to eventually earn her doctoral degree.

** Dr. Willmering, professor of rehabilitation science at Arkansas Tech University, was appointed in June by Governor Mike Beebe to serve on the Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling. Willmering will serve on the board through 2015.*

AARTS Scholarships/Arkansas Association of Rehabilitation Technicians and Specialists

Graydon "Gray" O'Haver

AARTS Ken Musteen Scholarship

ACTI – Welding Training. Gray wants to further his training in this field and due to the leadership and mentoring of his instructor, he would possibly like to be a teacher some day. He competed in Skills USA, winning the gold in job interview.



Thearn "TJ" Farmer

AARTS Ken Musteen Scholarship

ACTI – Construction Technology Training. TJ was also president of the ACTI Jobs for Arkansas's Graduates (JAG) chapter and went to Washington D.C. TJ volunteered for the Greenhouse Project before it was started at the center.

ACTI Happenings

ACTI Students Turn the Tassel

“It never hurts to start small and dream big,” Representative Josh Miller said to ACTI’s graduating class on May 31 at the school’s 183rd commencement. Miller’s keynote address was inspirational and impactful. At age 22, Miller was in a car accident that put him in a wheelchair. His message to the graduates was to “take advantage of what you’ve been given and make the most of today.” Miller sets an example of success because he is a business owner and now a state representative. He knows about overcoming challenges.

Also addressing the students was guest speaker Senator Bill Sample, whose district encompasses parts of Garland and Saline counties, including Hot Springs. Sample praised ACTI Administrator, Jonathan Bibb for his commitment to the education and safety of the school’s students. ARS Chief of Field Services Carl Daughtery offered congratulations to the graduates.

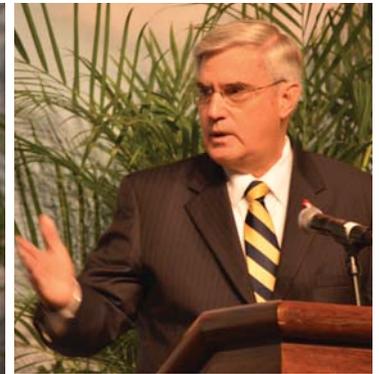
In addition to Bibb, several ACTI staff members were part of the graduation program, including Dr. Robbie Jones, Rev. Fr. Rick Ward-Harder, Nancy Shelton, and Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson. These ACTI students participated in the ceremony: Brandon Burkes, Cody Daniel, Whitney Kennedy, Amanda Stuckey, Tyler Brown, Edward Grode, Blake Moore, and Tyler Buckley.

Honor Graduates:

Danielle Anders* - Health Informatics, Winslow; Kaitlynn Fountain* - Certified Nursing Assistant, Little Rock; Shannon Greenway - Welding, Jonesboro; Justin Grinstead* - Culinary Arts, Pine Bluff; John Hale* - Sales & Marketing, White Hall; Chris Holliday* -



State Representative Josh Miller



State Senator Bill Sample

Construction Technology, Newport; John Jansky II* - Welding, Mountain Home; Nathaniel Lambert* - Sales & Marketing, Fayetteville; Gerald Logue* - Sales & Marketing, Fayetteville; Michael Popejoy - Construction Technology, Magazine; Clifford Rust* - Welding, Conway; Aaron Smith* - Graphic Communications, Prairie Grove.

Automotive Collision Repair: Instructors - Donald Crossley & David Tunnicliff. Joel Boykin* - Crawfordville; James Goyne* - Malvern. Automotive Service Technology: Instructors - Phil Crume & Wayne Thomas. Martel Childs* - Banks; Dustin Christmas, Siloam Springs; Montez Madison, Prescott; James Paterson*, Dover; Jacob Scott, Mena; John Skorupski* - Haskell; Jermaine Smith* - Tucker. Certified Nursing Assistant: Instructors - Cheryl Miller, Sharyn Spiva. Aaron Caples* - Ward; Jhameela

Donahue* - Little Rock; Lindsey Harris* - Trumann; Juwan Hughes* - Emerson; Alephtawb Kedem* - Hot Springs; Nita Reeves* - Green Forest. Construction Technology: Instructors - Nick Avery & David Morrow. Rebecca Connor* - Lamar; TJ Farmer* - Prairie Grove; Rhine Lackey* - Decatur; Jacob Reed* - Westfork. Cosmetology: Instructors - Susan Gordon & Chrystel Nelson. Heather



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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GET DOSE OF REALITY

Students from Mayflower and Conway high schools participated in a “Reality Fair” May 9 on the campus of the University of Central Arkansas in Conway. **The purpose of the fair was to provide information, in a fun and interactive way, to help the young adults transition into the “real world” after high school graduation.**

The event was coordinated by Carolyn Thomas, Arkansas Rehabilitation Services (ARS) rehabilitation counselor from the Conway field office, and by Dr. Adrienne Robinson, Arkansas Rehabilitation Services (ARS) deputy chief of field services.

The group of 25 students included many with disabilities. They, along with accompanying parents and teachers, rotated through three breakout sessions.

Session topics included:

- ✓ **Money Management** presented by **Tim Hicks**, Arkansas Department of Career Education (ACE) program manager
- ✓ **Dress for Success and Resume Tips** by **Frank Newsome and Cliff Exama**, both ACE career coach program supervisors, and **Darrell Stephens**, ARS business relations representative
- ✓ **Seeking Education after High School** by **Almeta Ellis**, ACE career coach program supervisor

Attendees also visited with agency staff and gathered information from tabletop

displays about the programs available from ARS and ACE. Conway businesses provided door prizes, and each student received a card for free French fries at McDonald's and a free nacho basket at McAlister's Deli.

Special thanks to other agency staff members who helped make the event successful: **Sonja Wright-McMurray, Dr. Trenia Miles, Deandria Bass, Jon Lee, Rick Anderson, Kelvy Matthews, Maria Elena deAvila, Carl Daughtery, Roberto Candelaria and Ashli Ahrens.**



Stephens, Exama and Newsome give tips on “dressing for success.”



Matthews and Anderson demonstrate ICAN products



deAvila and Candelaria provide information on Arkansas Works and ACE.



Hicks takes students' questions.

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Barnes ✨ ✨, **Atkins**; **Haylee Ghormley** ✨, **Springhill**; **Whitney Kennedy** ✨, **Springhill**; **Ceola Morgan** ✨, **Hot Springs**; **LaTonya Smith**, **Mineral Springs**; **Shelbie Stear** ✨ ✨, **Hot Springs**; **Samantha Stoner** ✨, **Lincoln**. **Culinary Arts**: Instructor-Curtis Faulkner. **Brittany Johnson**, **North Little Rock**; **Alex King** ✨ ✨, **Eldorado**; **Latarrion Williams**, **Arlington**. **Graphic Communications**: Instructors- **Ralph Forbes**, **Tom Kennedy**, & **Larry Ward**. **Serren Chronister** ✨ ✨, **Hot Springs**; **Cristina Diggs** ✨, **Hot Springs**; **Hannah Fink** ✨, **Russellville**; **Algenette**

Hayes ✨, **Hot Springs**; **Richard Oliver** ✨ ✨, **Wickes**; **Robert Oliver** ✨ ✨, **Grannis**; **Kevin Patterson**, **Marion**; **Jessica Warman** ✨ ✨, **Van Buren**. **Power Equipment Technology**: Instructor- **Gary Johnston**. **Robin Snow**, **Earl**. **Welding**: Instructors- **Philip Dobbs** & **Dennis Pickering**. **Jerry Poindexter** ✨ ✨, **Bigalow**.

Student Distinctions:

SkillsUSA Graduate: ✨
HOSA graduate: ✨
JAG graduate: ✨
CRC graduate: ✨



Daughtery (right) congratulates Robinson (left) and Thomas on a successful event.

Recognizing Our ACE Staff



The Arkansas DECA delegation had 160 students and advisors attend the International Career Development Conference in Anaheim, California, April 23-28. The following teams were selected as finalists:

- ★ **Business Law and Ethics Team Decision Making**
Katie Humphries and Kaitlin Rhodes, *Rogers High School*
- ★ **School Based Enterprise**
Kateleigh McAllister, Caleb Myers, and Darrius Racy, *Fort Smith Northside High School*

Jim Brock, business and marketing program manager, received the Outstanding DECA Service Award (shown left with student presenter).



Tim Hicks, ACE Law Enforcement Support Office (LESO) program manager, is shown presenting **Senator Eddie Cheatham** and **Representative Sheilla Lampkin** with photos of the Capitol taken from a helicopter acquired through the LESO program. These legislators were instrumental in getting a law passed this last session on behalf of LESO.



The Arkansas Rehabilitation Association (ARA) named **Jimmy Hatmaker**, manager for Arkansas Career Training Institute's maintenance department, **Support Staff Recipient of the Year** during its annual training conference in May.

Hatmaker has been a tireless advocate during the years of the Arkansas Association of Rehabilitation Technicians and Specialists (AARTS, formerly AARSS: Arkansas Association of Rehabilitation Support Staff) a branch of the National Rehabilitation Association (NRA)/ARA, helping to raise funds for the association's scholarships through such events as the annual bass tournament and bike rides. It was noted during the ARA banquet and presentation ceremony that "whenever something is needed, Jimmy is the first up to help."

This year's FFA convention was dedicated to ACE Program Manager for Agricultural Science and Technology **Marion Fletcher** for his **50 years** in agriculture education.

Program Advisor **Chris Bacchus** discovered earlier in the year that Fletcher had never actually had his own FFA jacket growing up; apparently he and his brothers always just shared a jacket. So this is his first FFA jacket!



Career and Technical Student Organizations

State Competition Results



Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) State Leadership Conference * April 8 - 9* Little Rock



Accounting I: 5. Ben Kelly, *Harrison High School* 4. Kaylie Garrett, *Heber Springs High School* *3. Hunter Myers, *Mountain Home High School* 2. Taylor Walls, *Greenbrier High School* 1. Hunter Grimes, *Gravette High School* **Accounting II:** 5. Wendy Diaz, *Springdale High School* 4. Evan McKinnon, *Parkers Chapel*, 3. Hannah Solano, *Sheridan High School* 2. Michael McCain, *Marion High School* 1. Annie Alvarez, *Heritage High School* **American Enterprise Project:** 5. *Greene County Tech* (Team# 1) - Ashley Meadows, Kayla Adams. 4. *DeWitt High School* (Team# 1) - Kiley Anderson, Suzanna Rieves. 3. *Piggott High School* (Team# 1) - Megan Blue, Tyler Peters. 2. *Paris High School* (Team# 1) - Erin Whitfield, Johnnie Sutliff, Rebekah Cooley. 1. *Siloam Springs High School* (Team# 1) - Hank Black, Maggie Fancher, Vincent Bradley. **Banking & Financial Systems:** 5. *Charleston High School* (Team # 1) - Mallory Heft, Moriah Qualls, Rebekah Schmitz. 4. *Hamburg* (Team # 1) - Ashley Wood, Jessica Cooke, Mallori Outlaw. 3. *Harding Academy* (Team # 1) - Jake MacKey, Kohl Blickenstaff, Trey Davis. 2. *Harrison High School* (Team# 1) - Keaton Youngblood, Kylea Petree, Marissa Hemphill. 1. *Rison High School* (Team# 1) - Brett Springfield, Taylor Trail. **Business Calculations:** 5. Carson Alsop, *Gravette High School* 4. Roseanna Ezell, *Quitman High School* 3. Wesley Wells, *Charleston High School* 2. Mauricio Iglesias, *Siloam Springs High School* 1. Issac Robson, *Bentonville*.

Business Communication: 5. Nicole Hopson, *El Dorado High School* 4. Kelsi Gargaro, *Westside*, *Jonesboro* 3. Michele Dobbins, *Mountain View* 2. Taylor Noakes, *Viola High School* 1. Katie Alexander, *Murfreesboro High School*. **Business Ethics:** 5. *Bentonville* (Team # 1) - Dylan Deluca, Jordan Murray 4. *Berryville High School* (Team# 1) - Heath Braziel, Micaela Motzko 3. *Conway High School* (Team# 1) - Hunter Hall, Jacob Huggins 2. *Rogers High School* (Team# 1) - Anusha Majagi, Moriah Golden 1. *Pottsville High School* (Team# 1) - Micah Prock, Taylor Schembra **Business Financial Plan:** 5. *Pottsville High School* (Team# 1) - Ali Parsons, Kelsea Duvall, Paige Duvall 4. *Paris High School* (Team# 1) - Alanna Morton, Erin Whitfield 3. *Mountain Home High School* (Team# 1) - Jamie Boelkens, Megan Chaney, Patrick Gentry 2. *Fort Smith Southside* (Team# 1) - Andrea Brugger, Rebecca Roebuck, Shailyn Arthurs 1. *Omaha High School* (Team# 1) - Joseph Ellis **Business Law:** 5. Zana English - *Central High School Helena* 4. Dominique Sanders - *Ashdown High School* 3. Taylor McIlroy - *Ozark High School* 2. Amanda Rabalais - *Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences and the Arts* 1. Meagan O'Neal - *Cabot High School* **Business Math:** 5. Clara Somerville, *Ozark High School* 4. Brett Anderson, *Nettleton High School* 3. Sady Redding, *Marshall High School* 2. Saiteja Leburu, *Bentonville* 1. Alec Johnson, *Mammoth Spring High School* **Business Presentation:** 5. *Prairie Grove High School* (Team# 1) - Brianna Suggs, Tania Herrera-Lopez, Will Pohlman 4. *Carlisle High School* (Team# 1) - Dusty Nichols, Jaden Daniels 3. *Little Rock Central High School* (Team# 1) - Abrar Matin, Arhita Dasgupta, Nathaniel Ji 2. *Bentonville* (Team # 1) - Rahul Nair, SonyaRaghunandhan 1. *Piggott High School* (Team# 1) - Lakyn Fry, McKain Holman, Tyler Peters.

Business Plan: 5. *Fort Smith Southside* (Team# 1) - A.J. Papa, Jordan Hatwig, Mason Polk 4. *Manila Sr. High* (Team# 1) - Belinda Hall, Haley Henderson, Kylie Henderson 3. *Carlisle High School* (Team# 1) - Clay Parker, Megan Stock 2. *Alma High School* (Team# 1) - Anna Albers 1. *Paris High School* (Team # 1) - Kelley Broadbent, Shaun May **Business Procedures:** 5. Danielle Bridges, *Greenwood High School* 4. Jason Taylor, *White Hall High School* 3. Travis Tinkle, *Mountain View*, 2. Austin Gattis, *Charleston High School* 1. Tucker Fournier, *Gravette High School* **Client Service:** 5. Johnnie Sutliff, *Paris High School* 4. Connor Berry, *Buffalo Island Central High School* 3. Jeanita McReynolds, *Lincoln High School* 2. Kathryn Jones, *Rose Bud High School* 1. Elizabeth Rohr, *Clarksville High School*

Community Service Project: 5. *Alma High School* (Team# 1) - Andrea Wolfe, Jacob Bull 4. *Carlisle High School* (Team# 1) - Jacob Cagle, Nicholas Schafer, Thomas McCallie 3. *Cotter High School* (Team# 1) - Ali Williams, Karlee Tucker 2. *Pangburn High School* (Team# 1) - Daniel Vaughan, Kaleb Turner, Marcy Atkins 1. *Elkins High School* (Team# 1) - Austin Araujo, Lacy Miller, Megan Ketcher **Computer Applications:** 5. Lauren Brooks, *Har-Ber High School* 4. Patrick Richardson, *Quitman High School* 3. Skye McGlocklin, *Springdale High School* 2. Angela Baze, *Mountain View* 1. Brianna Hicks, *Omaha High School* **Computer Game & Simu-**

lation Programming: 5. *Heritage High School* (Team# 1) - Andrew Klaassen, Andy Boyd John McNeil 4. *Bryant High School* (Team# 1) - Spencer Callicott, Spencer Qualls 3. *Bentonville* (Team # 1) - Jason Jang, Kris Swann 2. *Mountain Home High School* (Team# 1) - Jordan Lapio, Ryan Rose 1. *Piggott High School* (Team# 1) - Dylan Howell, Jim Copelin, Jordan Stallings **Computer Problem Solving:** 5. Trevor Paladino, *Nemo Vista High School* 4. Faizan Khan, *Little Rock Central High School* 3. Jake Asikainen, *Bald Knob High School* 2. Adam Lantz, *Bentonville* 1. Alan Pinter, *Fort Smith Southside* **Cyber Security:** 5. Tyler Wherry, *Union Christian Academy* 4. Sean Stephens, *Fordyce High School* 3. Lauren Dotson, *Hillcrest* 2. Jacob Stack, *Carlisle High School* 1. Preston Stone, *Atkins High School* **Database Design & Applications:** 5. Nimit Ghandi, *Little Rock Central High School* 4. Austin Nichols, *Har-Ber High School* 3. Brandon Sullivan, *Bryant High School* 2. Jody Hoggard, *Hillcrest* 1. Jessica Mooney, *Heber Springs High School*

Desktop Application Programming: 2. Jackson Haley, *Little Rock Central High School* 1. Peyton Combs, *Heritage High School* **Desktop Publishing:** 5. *Gosnell High School* (Team# 1) - Annabella Pursnani, Annabeth Dickey 4. *Jonesboro High School* (Team# 1) - Emily Green, Jordan Gardner 3. *Hamburg* (Team # 1) - Anna Jasay, Kaitlyn Sanderlin 2. *Armored High School* (Team# 1) - Destiny Metheny, Sabrina Luttrell 1. *Cotter High School* (Team# 1) - Janessa Gallegos, Samantha Shelley **Digital Design & Promotion:** 5. *Alma High School* (Team# 1) - Bailey Hays, Lauren Wakefield, Rachel Ray 4. *Carlisle High School* (Team# 1) - Jacob Cagle, Nicholas Schafer, Thomas McCallie 3. *Greenbrier High School* (Team# 1) - Brianna Graves, Caitlin Richardson, Sarah Thompson 2. *Greenwood High School* (Team# 1) - Morgan Kratts, Paige Evans, Piper Nelson 1. *Hackett* (Team # 1) - Chandler Beam, Erin Nelson **Digital Video Production:** 5. *Bauxite High School* (Team# 1) - Nick Bius, Sara Sikes 4. *Lincoln High School* (Team# 1) - Nina Lee, Tara Myers 3. *Greenwood High School* (Team# 1) - Connor Flocks, Nick Coleman 2. *Dierks High School* (Team# 1) - Andy Tedder, Curtis Sebren 1. *Omaha High School* (Team# 1) - Tyler Lippe **E-business:** 5. *Little Rock Central High School* (Team # 1) - Farhan Kawasar, Geshawn Faison, Jeong-Min Wui 4. *Murfreesboro High School* (Team# 1) - Laci Harris, Samantha Snow 3. *Fort Smith Southside* (Team# 1) - Chase Luper Sean Lundquist 2. *Cotter High School* (Team# 1) - Brittany Payton, Meagan Wilkerson 1. *Alma High School* (Team# 1) - Delaney Farris, Hannah Putman **Economics:** 5. Mason McNeill, *Russellville High School* 4. Sigan Chen, *Conway High School* 3. Rachel Davis, *Fort Smith Southside* 2. Neeraj Bajpayee, *Bentonville* 1. Parker Richardson, *Harrison High School* **Electronic Career Portfolio:** 5. Caitlin Brewer, *Fordyce High School* 4. David Turner, *Armored High School* 3. Britany Griffin, *Alma High School* 2. Taylor Enslow, *Fort Smith Southside* 1. Kennedy Langton, *Omaha High School*

Emerging Business Issues: 5. *Conway High School* (Team# 1) - Jacob Williams, Johnny Forehand, Matthew Williams 4. *Green Forest High School* (Team# 1) - Liliana Gonzalez, Macle Perkins, Meleah Perez 3. *Monticello* (Team # 1) - Erin Campbell, Jacob Chisom 2. *Hope High School* (Team# 1) - Amy Davis, Luz Elena Archiga 1. *Little Rock Central High School* (Team# 1) - Danyal Smani, Hamza Syeed **FBLA Principles and Procedures:** 5. Dylan Smith, *Melbourne High School* 4. Kenneth Mezell, *Greenbrier High School* 3. Emily Underwood, *Quitman High School* 2. Aubree Hughtart, *Walnut Ridge High School* 1. Henley Wells, *Charleston High School* **Entrepreneurship:** 5. *Alma High School* (Team# 1) - Sam Moffett, Zack Wofford 4. *Greenbrier High School* (Team# 1) - Brooke Dillon, Damian McNeese, Marley Medlock 3. *Little Rock Central High School* (Team# 1) - Alex Honeycutt, Kaitlyn Perreault, Yahelle Yacoby 2. *Harrison High School* (Team# 1) - Cade Harding, Meagan Dardas, Nate Waters 1. *Siloam Springs High School* (Team# 1) - Hank Black, Maggie Fancher, Vincent Bradley **Global Business:** 5. *Newport High School* (Team # 1) - Jonathon Seals, Matt Long 4. *Marmaduke High School* (Team # 1) - Alex Richey, Rachel Vangilder, Whitley Boggs 3. *Harding Academy* (Team # 1) - Brock Henderson, Jack Henderson, Luke Diles 2. *Little Rock Christian Academy* (Team# 1) - Ben Thompson, Nathan Bentley, William Goodrich 1. *Fort Smith Southside* (Team# 1) - Madison Lager, Marrisona Garr, Sami Sexton



Healthcare Administration: 5. Kylie Whitelaw, *Marshall High School* 4. Morgan Baldwin, *Arkansas Baptist High School* 3. Tory Hudgens, *Nettleton High School* 2. Jordan Lyerly, *Greene County Tech* 1. Paige Sullivan, *Valley View High School* **Help Desk:** 5. Cody Rhoades, *Conway High School* 4. Colby Wilcox, *Elkins High School* 3. Jacob Johnston, *Greenbrier High School* 2. John Parker, *Springdale High School* 1. Connor Soyster, *Piggott High School* **Hospitality Management:** 5. Nick Favre, *Fort Smith Southside* 4. Jasmin

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Perez, *White County Central School* 3. Sarah Thomas, *Rural Special School* 2. Heather Deaton, *Beebe High School* 1. Alexis Stewart, *Bentonville Impromptu Speaking*: 5. Haley McLaughlin, *Guy-Perkins High School* 4. Tabitha Hudspeth, *Nettleton High School* 3. Addey Willmon, *Spring Hill High School* 2. Colton Howser, *Conway High School* 1. Devin Dishner, *Fort Smith Southside Introduction to Business*: 5. Seth McAfee, *Rector High School* 4. Emily Riser, *El Dorado High School* 3. Samson Sourlangana, *Hartford High School* 2. Victoria Passmore, *Marshall High School* 1. Tom Watson, *Bentonville Introduction to Business Communication*: 5. Andrea Johnson, *Fort Smith Southside* 4. Abbey Maynard, *Stuttgart High School* 3. Ethan Edwards, *Greenbrier High School* 2. Danielle Richard, *Clarksville High School* 1. Laura Ward, *Wynne High School Introduction to Parliamentary Procedure*: 5. Caprise Beam, *Hackett* 4. Brittany Michael, *Cotter High School* 3. Abby Sanders, *Oark Schools* 2. Drew Smith, *Fort Smith Southside* 1. Sameer Kulkarni, *Bentonville Introduction to Technology Concepts*: 5. Spencer Hughes, *El Dorado High School* 4. Alex Free, *Bay High School* 3. Kylee Davis, *Gravette High School* 2. Jace McPherson, *Little Rock Central High School* 1. Joseph Murphy, *Bentonville*

Job Interview: 5. Erica Brewer, *Lonoke High School* 4. Elijah Sheffield, *Bergman High School* 3. Lynda Combs, *Green Forest High School* 2. Mallory Pyron, *Smackover High School* 1. Austin Taylor, *Little Rock Central High School Local Chapter Annual Report*: 5. *Nettleton High School* (Team# 1) - Logan Murray, Torey Harrell 4. *Lonoke High School* (Team# 1) - Ariel Hooper 3. *Siloam Springs High School* (Team# 1) - Rachel Ford 2. *Greene County Tech* (Team # 1) - MacKensie Nutt, Madison Rowe 1. *Cotter High School* (Team# 1) - Brittany Payton, Clayton Franks, Meagan Wilkerson **Management Decision Making**: 5. *Crowley's Ridge Academy* (Team # 1) - Brian Cozart, Conner VVebe, Zac Dicus 4. *Lincoln High School* (Team# 1) - Arlene Reyes, Brandy Britton 3. *Berryville High School* (Team# 1) - Kendra Turner, Rick Porter 2. *Mountain Home High School* (Team# 1) - Matt Marquette, Monica Vasiloff, Zach Farmer 1. *Magazine* (Team # 1) - Hanna Curtis, Kenneth Riddle **Management Information Systems**: 5. *Bentonville* (Team# 1) - Drew Hill, Graham Gordon 4. *Mountain Home High School* (Team# 1) - Alex Hagaman, Patrick Biggs, Vander Bowden 3. *Greenwood High School* (Team# 1) - Angela Lamb, Jordan Spencer 2. *Conway High School* (Team # 1) - Kyle Chapman, Luke Sexton 1. *Little Rock Central High School* (Team# 1) - Ayush Saraswat, David Chen **Marketing**: 5. *Parkers Chapel* (Team# 1) - Brie Fields, Jamie Forth 4. *Mount Ida High School* (Team# 1) - Alex Melton, Katie Forga, Whitney Wilson 3. *Conway High School* (Team# 1) - Alex MacKey, Celeste McKey, Lily Ho 2. *Viola High School* (Team# 1) - Hunter Carr, Wyatt Pace 1. *Beebe High School* (Team# 1) - Hunter Plante, Jordan Huffstickler **Network Design**: 5. *Springdale High School* (Team# 1) - Cynthia Alvarado, Maribel Cortez, Mayra Martinez 4. *Little Rock Central High School* (Team# 1) - Jhade McConnell, Sam Fry 3. *Harding Academy* (Team # 1) - Anna Grace Kirkman, Mary Margaret Kirkman, Rachel Koch 2. *Lamar High School* (Team # 1) - Alex Yang, Devin Kenner 1. *Crowley's Ridge Academy* (Team# 1) - Breanna Scott, Reba Tomlin

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School 3. Austin Davis, *Lincoln High School* 2. Adam Sneed, *Charleston High School* 1. Kevin Fialkowski, *Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences and the Arts Web Site Design*: 5. *Alma High School* (Team # 1) - Andrea Wolfe 4. *Crowley's Ridge Academy* (Team # 1) - Bailey Brown, Carly Newsom, Colin Luke 3. *Bald Knob High School* (Team# 1) - Governor Conley, Lynley Choate 2. *Paris High School* (Team# 1) - Alison Clayton, Alma Arrendondo, Rebecca Elsen 1. *Marmaduke High School* (Team# 1) - Dakota Matheny, Kelsey Campbell **Word Processing I**: 5. Emily Southerland, *West Side Greers Ferry* 4. Alleigh Stahman, *Elkins High School* 3. Isaiah Villarreal, *Omaha High School* 2. Jill Armstrong, *Bauxite High School* 1. Kayla Wise, *Murfreesboro High School Word Processing II*: 5. Kimberly Spillers, *Bauxite High School* 4. Austin Gray, *West Side Greers Ferry* 3. Gray Orman, *Bryant High School* 2. Bridget Sciarra, *Omaha High School* 1. Madison Carr, *Armored High School*

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BRTC: Black River Technical College

North Arkansas: North Arkansas College

PTC: Pulaski Technical College

Southark: South Arkansas Community College

SAU: Southern Arkansas University

SAU - Tech: Southern Arkansas University/Tech

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UAFS: University of Arkansas/Fort Smith

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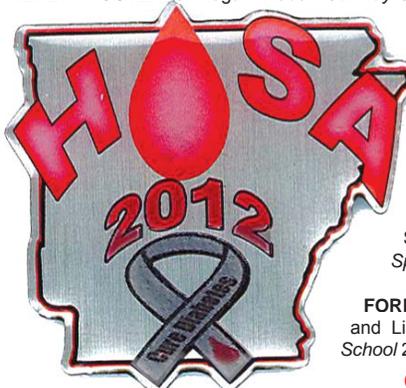
Recognition Events

Who's Who in PBL 1. Aaron Carroll, *ASU* Recognition: Matthew Beyer, *UAFS*; Robert Thomas, *North Ark*; Deana Hughes, *SAU*; Jesse Watson, *UAFS*. **Arkansas PBL Member of the Year** 1. Morreen Klement, *UAFS* **Adviser of the Year** 1. Margaret Tanner, *UAFS* **Adviser Service Award: 5 years** - Karen Heslep, *ASUMH* **Businessperson of the Year** 1. Randy Hendricks, *Southark* Recognition: Craig R. Pair, *UAFS*; Carol Spieckerman, *U of O*. **Largest Increase in Local Chapter Membership** 1. *ASU* 2. *Southark* 3. *ASUMH* 4. *WBC* 5. *UACCM* **Largest Local Chapter Membership - Collegiate** 1. *UAFS* 2. *ASU* 3. *U of O* 4. *WBC* 5. *SAU* **Largest Local Chapter Membership - Associate** 1. *Southark* 2. *North Ark* 3. *ASUMH* 4. *BRTC* 5. *UACCM* **Largest Recruitment of Professional Members** 1. *UAFS* **Sweepstakes - Collegiate** 1. *UAFS* **Sweepstakes - Associate** 1. *Southark* **Gold Chapter** Williams Baptist; *Southark*; *UAFS* **Career & Membership Achievement Program/ Executive Level** Andrew Todd, *ASU*; Evelyn Dirden, *Southark*; NiKisha Faulkner, *Southark*; Henrietta R. Gaston, *Southark*; LaWanda Hicks, *Southark*; Barbara Hill, *Southark*; Camellia Lucus-Hampton, *Southark*; Matthew Beyer, *UAFS*; Brittany Christian, *UAFS*; Morreen Klement, *UAFS*; Syda Xaymongkhoun, *UAFS*.



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- *Gravette High School* 1. Brian Smithers and Lacey Newell - *Gravette High School*
HOSABOWL: 3. Autumn Mears, Sheyenne Griffin, Emily Lowery, and Regan Williams- *Newport High School* 2. John Herrera, Kassidy Joyner, Pratheepa Ravikumar, and Aisling Gibson- *Rogers Heritage High School* 1. Westey Gwaltney, Haimah Koike, Sa-Bella Suon, and Jeffrey Steward - *UACCB* **HOME HEALTH AIDE:** 3. Kinsley Hurtt - *Gravette High School* 2. Lytia Lee- *NEA Career and Technical Center* 1. Josiah Morris - *Gravette High School* **JOB SEEKING SKILLS:** 3. Kylee Sanders- *Newport High School* 2. Tiffany Easter- *UACCB* 1. Ana Galdamez- *Springdale High School* **HUMAN GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT:** 3. Meagan Ward - *Gravette High School* 2. Lindsey Sansom - *Vilonia High School* 1. Savannah Abbott - *National Park Community College* **MEDICAL LAW AND ETHICS:** 3. Matt Owens- *Valley View High School* 2. Travi Long - *Conway Career Center* 1. Lorna Dollar- *Quitman High School* **NUTRITION:** 3. Rachel Huffmaster - *Mammoth Spring High School* 2. Rebecca Picking - *National Park Community College* 1. Chay McDaniel - *Gravette High School* **PATHOPHYSIOLOGY:** 3. Meredith Beckowitz - *National Park Community College* 2. Colton Holland - *Gravette High School* 1. Saber Treat - *Gravette High School* **PHARMACOLOGY:** 3. Kaitlin Hood - *National Park Community College* 2. Rian Austin - *Gravette High School* 1. Russell Sharp- *Gravette High School* **PHYSICAL THERAPY:** 1. Matthew Lim - *National Park Community College* 2. Morgan Brown - *National Park Community College*

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Crosby - *Huntsville* 6. Alex Clark - *Alma* **Business Services Operations Research:** 1. Jordan Gregory and Kolbie Hatley - *Alma* 2. Shallen Orband and Morgan McCormick - *Rogers Heritage* 3. Anthony Monjure and Karl Brown - *Bentonville* **Buying & Merchandising Team Decision Making:** 1. Erin Hucker and Briana Barganier - *Bentonville* 2. Jill Veader and Candace Gerads - *Bentonville* 3. Kate Snell and Hannah Stover - *El Dorado* 4. Brandilyn Miller and Grace Ann Albright - *Maumelle* 5. Colton Spears and Eric Crawford - *Harrison* 6. Fallon Watson and Alex Key - *Alma* **Buying and Merchandising Operations Research:** 1. Ashlyn Elliott and Courtney Funk - *Alma* 2. Alexa Tininenko and Mandy Stefanic and Paige Norbeck - *Bentonville* **Community Service Project:** 1. Trista Falleur - *Alma* 2. Mary Kathryn Whitaker - *Springdale* 3. Carli Ellison and Sara Reidy - *Rogers Heritage* **Creative Marketing Project:** 1. Shane Siler and Sean Siler and Braxton Anderson - *Alma*

Entrepreneurship Innovation Plan: 1. John Mayes and Zack Wofford and Joshua Parker - *Alma* 2. Jamie Nix and Lexie Chitty and Cooper Fox - *Bentonville* 3. Caleb Brown and Jessica Brown and Stephen Gilbert - *Alma* 4. Alex Rice - *Springdale Har-Ber* 5. Morgan Langley and Kadee Patterson - *El Dorado* 6. Pierce Phillips and Collin Richardson and Taylor White - *Springdale Har-Ber* **Entrepreneurship Participating Franchise Event:** 1. Adam Willbanks - *Alma* 2. Tadd Hooks - *Alma* **Entrepreneurship Participating Independent Event:** 1. Hannah Murphy - *Alma* 2. Eli MacKenzie Mason - *Alma* 3. David Edwards - *Alma* 4. Christopher Fite - *Arkadelphia* **Entrepreneurship Promotion Project:** 1. Laura Shirley and Breezy Harness and Jaden Richardson - *Harrison* **Entrepreneurship Written Event:** 1. Colton Battles and Tyler Makar - *Alma* **Entrepreneurship-Growing Your Business:** 1. Catie Beth Tutt and Brooke Ward and Mary Spivey - *Rogers Heritage* 2. Skyler Lewis - *Bentonville* **Fashion Merchandising Promotion Plan:** 1. Tara Ames and Rachel Morrow - *Bentonville* 2. Kaitlyn Plymale and Makenzie Appleton - *Alma* 3. Alyssa Coble and Jaime Needham - *Bentonville* 4. Diana Arias - *Russellville* 5. Taylor Payne and Alli Cole - *Russellville* 6. Bailey Younger and Mackenzie Allen - *Bentonville* **Finance Operations Research:** 1. Grant Baker and Mason Wight - *Alma* **Financial Literacy Promotion Project:** 1. Kali Tucker - *Maumelle* **Financial Services Team Decision Making:** 1. Parker Richardson and Jake Woolston - *Harrison* **Food Marketing Series:** 1. Meredith Breach - *Rogers* 2. Xavier Strawder - *Maumelle* 3. Brock Daily - *Alma* 4. Victoria Brammer - *Alma* 5. Elvira Torrez - *Hall* 6. Kaitlyn Brasher - *Alma* **Hospitality and Tourism Operations Research:** 1. Taylor Paladino and Torie Rogers - *Bentonville* 2. Blake Barron and Lindsey Hollander - *Bentonville* **Hospitality and Tourism Professional Selling:** 1. Cassidy Kendrick - *Springdale Har-Ber* 2. Jennifer Laman - *Bentonville* 3. Elisse Davis - *Bentonville* 4. Elizabeth Rohr - *Clarksville* 5. Leah Long - *Alma* **Hospitality Services Team Decision Making:** 1. Peyton Knot and Paul Pearson - *Bentonville* 2. Harrison Heffley and Michael Krupka - *Rogers* 3. Thomas Morita and Ryan Kidd - *Bentonville* 4. Jacob Brosh and Joshua Robbins - *Arkadelphia* 5. Megan Eichholz and Adrienne Martinelli - *Rogers* 6. Krysta Harrison and Tessie Madsen - *Stuttgart*



Hotel and Lodging Management: 1. Kelsey Ihry - *Bentonville* 2. Eleni Mauro-moustakos - *Fayetteville* 3. Alisha Robinsom - *North Pulaski* 4. Kaleb Henry - *Harrison* 5. Erin Larfarlette - *Alma* 6. Lakedra Stricklen - *Jacksonville* **Human Resource Management:** 1. Xavier Walsh - *Rogers* 2. Josh Howard - *Bentonville* 3. Gage Jensen - *Alma* 4. Braylon Camper - *Maumelle* 5. Emily Burrows - *Alma* 6. Addison Bell - *Alma* **International Business Plan:** 1. Anna Albers and Frank Griffin - *Alma* 2. Hannah Claire Banwarth and John Neubert - *Bentonville* **Learn and Earn Project:** 1. Jacob Bull and Brittany Griffin - *Alma* **Marketing Communications Team Decision Making:** 1. Stokes Wenzler and Nick Wary - *Rogers* 2. Dustin Kirkpatrick and Jennie Badovinac - *Harrison* 3. Connor Leech and JD Babcock - *Bentonville* 4. Tyler Newman and Jeremiah Nicholson - *Alma* 5. Marissa Brown and Jenna Huff - *Alma* 6. Taylor Hollowell and Byran Moody - *Clarksville* **Marketing Management:** 1. Whitley Smith - *Alma* 2. Keaton Youngblood - *Harrison* 3. Kier Garner - *North Pulaski* 4. Brett Beard - *Alma* 5. Zack Martin - *Alma* 6. Tiffany Cartwright - *West Fork* **Principles of Business Management and Administration:** 1. Deon Acklin - *Maumelle* 2. Tyronda Owens - *Sylvan Hills* 3. Zach Gorman - *Bentonville* 4. Justin Sims - *J.A. Fair* 5. Billy Gerads - *Bentonville* 6. Mariny Phomakay - *Alma* **Principles of Finance:** 1. Hunter Smithpeters - *Bentonville* 2. Lucian Ek - *Springdale Har-Ber* 3. Alyssa Hoyle - *Alma* 4. Rebecca Parham - *Alma* 5. Roosevelt Barnett - *J.A. Fair* 6. Phillip Weis - *Springdale Har-Ber* **Principles of Hospitality and Tourism:** 1. Josh Hiatt - *Bentonville* 2. Elliott Miller - *Bentonville* 3. Paige Green - *Alma* 4. Kart Griffin - *Alma* 5. Nile Taylor - *Little Rock Central* 6. Cameron Cole - *Bentonville* **Principles of Marketing:** 1. Adam Breach - *Rogers* 2. Josh Lockhart - *Gravette* 3. John Harpool - *Little Rock Central* 4. Travis McCloskey - *Bentonville* 5. Allison Biggers -

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Russellville 6. Sara Wilson - Alma **Professional Selling:** 1. Nicholas Gregory - Alma 2. Lauren Lafarlette - Alma 3. Dylan Hesson - Alma **Public Relations Project:** 1. Rebecca Aguilera and Rachel Williams and Sarah Eubank - Maumelle 2. Lane Inge and Ariel O'Kelley - Alma 3. Madison Timmerman - Alma **Quick Serve Restaurant Management:** 1. Kevin Melson - Clarksville 2. Kimberly Henderson - Joe T. Robinson 3. Robert Smith - Russellville 4. Turquoise Early - Fayetteville 5. Amanda Dees - Harrison 6. Taylor West - Gravette **Restaurant and Food Service Management:** 1. Teranee Bracy - J.A. Fair 2. Ruthie Peoples - West Fork 3. Rebecca Masters - Harrison 4. Yuki Li - Fayetteville 5. Haley Smith - Clarksville 6. Haley House - Gravette **Retail Merchandising Series:** 1. Rebecca Dennis - Harrison 2. Collin Oglivie - Alma 3. Maddie Foster - Gravette 4. Maria Sandoval - Russellville 5. Brittney Threatt - John L. McClellan 6. Alex McClung - Rogers **Scrapbook:** 1. Alma 2. Harrison 3. Fort Smith Northside High 4. Springdale Har-Ber **Sports and Entertainment Marketing:** 1. Zach Cate - Bentonville 2. Cadi Morrison - Alma 3. Blake Kuykendall - Alma 4. Paul Lewellen - Bentonville 5. Seth Richards - Rogers Heritage 6. Ricky Patel - Maumelle

Sports and Entertainment Marketing Team Decision Making: 1. Stephen Batty and Taylor Austin - Bentonville 2. Brady Blackwell and Blake Williams - Springdale Har-Ber 3. Miranda Harness and Allie Green - Russellville 4. Westin Kjellberg and Conor Baird - Bentonville 5. Darius Racy and Caleb Myers - Fort Smith Northside High 6. Tyner Belcher and Matthew Mitchell - Stuttgart **Sports and Entertainment Operations Research:** 1. Nate Gneiting and Reese Dollins and Trey Perkins - Bentonville 2. Shelby Harness and Renee Fletcher - Alma 3. Chris Robinson - Maumelle **Sports and Entertainment Promotion Plan:** 1. Fisher Smith and John Donald - Bentonville 2. Jake Sullins - Springdale Har-Ber 3. Zach Nichols and Dustin Conrad - Harrison 4. Anthony Arnold and Kristal Nieto and Brianna Donson - Arkadelphia **Talent Show:** 1. Maumelle 2. Clarksville 3. Alma **Travel & Tourism Team Decision Making:** 1. Taylor Heffley and Ashley Warren - Clarksville 2. Josh Goan and Chance Cole - Bentonville 3. Colby Mack and Carlin Warren - Stuttgart 4. Melanie Rippl and Jessica Sonnentag - Bentonville 5. Brett Oliver and Tanner Newton - Harrison 6. Hope Billings and Peyton Owen - Alma

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Secondary Automotive Refinishing Technology: 1. Robby Weng, Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center 2. Daniel Powell, Texarkana Area Vocational Center 3. Haden Zirbel, Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center

Post Secon Automotive Refinishing Technology: 1. Lori Rester, Pulaski Technical College 2. Adam Cooper, Arkansas State University at Marked Tree 3. Daniel Black, Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus **Secondary Automotive Service Technology:** 1. Eric Belchar, Northwest Technical Institute 2. Christopher Adair, Rogers Heritage High School 3. Jonathan Crook, Jacksonville High School **Post Secon Automotive Service Technology:** 1. Billy Ross, Arkansas Northeastern College 2. Eli Dodd, Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus 3. Shane Wardroup, Arkansas State University



at Searcy Post SeconAviation Maintenance Technology: 1. Anthony Geiser, MSCC Technical Center 2. Christopher Wells, MSCC Technical Center 3. Cameron Forester, MSCC Technical Center **Secondary Basic Health Care:** 1. Taylor Isham, Western Arkansas Technical Center 2. Kalin Nicholson, Northark Technical Center 3. TaKara Watkins, Northark Technical Center **Secondary Broadcast News Production:** 1. Colten Tripp, Carlee Wright, Allie Derryberry & Jonathan Nigus, Cabot High School 2. Lucas Barber, Shelbie King, Shelly Branscum & Marty Manuel, Cave City School 3. Morgan Conway, Jackie Cortez, Tyler Navas & Chris Turner, Rogers High School **Post SeconBroadcast News Production:** 1. Ariana Kelley, Marissa Robbins, Chris Kuskie & Adam Shewmake, Rich Mountain Community College, **Secondary Cabinetmaking** 1. Hunter Martin, Quitman High School 2. Caleb Capps, Conway Area Career Center 3. Dennis Zimmerman, Conway Area Career Center **Post Secon Cabinetmaking:** 1. Markus Watkins, North Arkansas College **Secondary Carpentry:** 1. John Spradlin, Northside High School 2. Zach Spencer, Benton High School 3. Brandon Davey, Conway Area Career Center **Post Secon Carpentry** 1. Chris Holliday, Arkansas Career Training Institute 2. Larry Decker, North Arkansas College 3. Mary Stanford, North Arkansas College **Secondary Chapter Business Procedure** 1. Freedom Davis, Cassidy Mitchell, Courtney Rigdon, Victoria Yielding, Alison Williams & Jordan Ervin, Corning School District 2. Cody Rodgers, Summer Frolos, Kyle Cooper, Ryan Dedmon, Hunter Curtis & Jakob Ball, Springdale High School

Secondary Chapter Display: 1. Danni Doherty Carmen Mota, Marta Pantoja, Career Academy of Hair Design-Springdale 2. Ryan Baker, Tyndale Sisemore & James Tackett, Greenland High School 3. Brianna Kinsey, Caitlynn Smith & Destiny Metheny, Armored High School **Secondary CNC Milling Technology:** 1. Bryce Adams, Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center 2. Clinton Jones, MSCC Technical Center 3. Terraney Dent, MSCC Technical Center **Post SeconCNC Milling Technology:** 1. William Barnett, Northwest Technical Institute **Secondary CNC Turning Technology:** 1. Jan Young, MSCC Technical Center 2. Seth Barnett, Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center 3. John Silvers, Rogers Heritage High School **Post SeconCNC Turning Technology:** 1. Cotton Leehans, Northwest Technical Institute **Secondary Collision Repair Technology:** 1. Oscar Diaz, Texarkana Area Vocational Center 2. Marcus Smith, Northwest Technical Institute 3. Hunter Lemoine, Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center **Post SeconCollision Repair Technology:** 1. Bryce Green, Pulaski Technical College 2. Dana Caton, North Arkansas College 3. Kevin Casteel, Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus **Secondary Commercial Baking:** 1. Lelia Rosenkrans, Springdale High School 2. Estepania Mejia, Springdale High School 3. Morgan Asbill, Springdale High School **Post SeconCommercial Baking:** 1. Amber Seilhymer, Ozarka College 2. Whitney Medlock, Ozarka College 3. Austin Home, Ozarka College **Secondary Community Service:** 1. Paige Dixon, Mattie Green & Aleecia Tyous, Texarkana Area Vocational Center 2. Bryanna Kugel, Greenland High School 3. Camera Smith & Samantha Stapler, Sylvan Hills High School **Secondary Computer Maintenance Technology:** 1. Spencer Christian, MSCC Technical Center 2. David Emery, Corning School District 3. Josh Parton, SEACBEC **Post SeconComputer Maintenance Technology:** 1. Robert Barker, Arkansas State University at Marked Tree 2. Christopher Webb, Arkansas State University at Marked Tree 3. David Williams, Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute

Secondary Cosmetology: 1. Mackenzie Lytton, Career Academy of Hair Design-Rogers 2. Sonia Lara, Career Academy of Hair Design-Springdale 3. Emily Richardson, Career Academy of Hair Design-Springdale **Post SeconCosmetology:** 1. Rachel Clements, Arkansas State University at Marked Tree 2. Oleta Barnes, Arkansas State University at Marked Tree 3. Ariel Vertrea, Arkansas State University at Marked Tree **Secondary Cosmetology Novice:** 1. Bailey Kerr, Conway Area Career Center 2. Stephanie Bresette, North Central Vocational Center 3. Victoria Cummings, Sylvan Hills High School **Secondary Crime Scene Investigation:** 1. Jessica Jones, Autumn Guinn & Alexa Prestridge, National Park Community College 2. Wesley Ferguson, Landon Grimmett & Timothy Blessing, North Little Rock High School-West Campus 3. Shelby Bridges, Stephanie Cates, & JoAnna Douglas, Cabot High School **Secondary Criminal Justice:** 1. Austin Johnson, Cabot High School 2. Kennedy Barron, National Park Community College 3. Christina McNutt, National Park Community College

Secondary Culinary Arts: 1. Betty Reed, Cossatot Community College of U of A 2. Sonny Souvannaraj, Springdale High School 3. Jessica Smith, Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center **Post Secon Culinary Arts:** 1. Cole Case, Ozarka College 2. Samantha Torres, Ozarka College 3. Kasie Beck, Arkansas Career Training Institute **Secondary Customer Service:** 1. Kierra Grundy, Metropolitan Career & Tech Center 2. Arasia Robinson, Dumas High School 3. Tara Pennington, Jacksonville High School **Secondary Diesel Equipment Technology:** 1. Zackary McClain, Western Arkansas Technical Center 2. Jay Simpson, MSCC Technical Center 3. James Carter, Huntsville High

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School Post SecoDiesel Equipment Technology: 1. Joshua Sims, *MSSC Technical Center* 2. Tonja Coffman, *University of Arkansas at Hope* 3. Nate Conley, *Arkansas State University at Searcy*



Secondary Digital Cinema Production: 1. Payton Collier & Paul Moore, *Cabot High School* 2. Sengdao Syratanakoun & Andrew Ohnstad, *Springdale District Television* 3. Amberly Souvanno & Kenia Soto, *Springdale High School*
Secondary Early Childhood Education : 1. Meagan Scott, *Western Arkansas Technical Center* 2. Emily Langham, *Western Arkansas Technical Center* 3. Tristan Jewell, *Western Arkansas Technical Center*
Secondary Electrical Construction Wiring: 1. Logan Reding, *Eureka Springs High School*, 2. Luis Esparza, *Northside High School*, 3. Chelsey Grigg, *Northark Technical Center*
Post Seco Electrical Construction Wiring: 1. Anthony Rogers, *University of Arkansas at Hope* 2. Marty Flowers, *University of Arkansas at Hope* 3. Johnathon Morgan, *Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute*
Secondary Electronics Technology: 1. Kaleb Dodd, *Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center* 2. Caleb Donaldson, *Springdale High School* 3. Chandler Vance, *Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center*
Post Seco Electronics Technology: 1. Dustin Terrell, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus* 2. Richard Revis, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus*
Secondary Esthetics: 1. Stephanie Navarro & Jennifer Vazquez, *Career Academy of Hair Design-Fayetteville* 2. Alexa Stienle & Jessica Aldridge, *Sylvan Hills High School* 3. Selena Phangdy & Kristyn Baker, *Career Academy of Hair Design-Rogers*
Post Seco Esthetics: 1. Amber Steward & Brigitte Schwartz, *Arkansas State University at Marked Tree* 2. Kayla Boggs & Angel Appleton, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus* 3. Rebekah Wright & Shalyn Blankenship, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center*

Secondary Extemporaneous Speaking: 1. Bradley Heaver, *Quitman High School* 2. Samantha Turney, *Cabot High School* 3. Haley Middlebrook, *Career Academy of Hair Design-Fayetteville*
Post SecoExtemporaneous Speaking: 1. Luich Lucio, *MSSC Technical Center* 2. Juan Zermeno, *University of Arkansas at Fort Smith*, 3. Brandon Burkes, *Arkansas Career Training Institute*
Secondary First Aid/CPR: 1. Gavin Comer, *Western Arkansas Technical Center* 2. Hailee Riggan, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center* 3. Megan Mears, *Ouachita Area High School Career Center*
Secondary Graphic Communications 1. Malik Halk, *Metropolitan Career & Tech Center* 2. Brandon Schoonover, *Greenland High School*
Post Seco Graphic Communications: 1. Richard Oliver, *Arkansas Career Training Institute* 2. Aaron Smith, *Arkansas Career Training Institute* 3. Robert Oliver, *Arkansas Career Training Institute*
Secondary Health Knowledge Bowl: 1. Benjamin Truong, Sarah Peary, Dakota Amos & Forrest Teeter, *Western Arkansas Technical Center* 2. Dennison Schultz, Riley Proffitt, Kourtney Hudson & Lauren Backus, *Cabot High School* 3. Dana L. Thorn, Keona Barbe & Gwendolyn Boatwright, *MSSC Technical Center*
Post Seco Health Knowledge Bowl: 1. Ramie Bise, Allison Kelley, Amanda Page & Phonethip Ratsamy, *University of Arkansas at Fort Smith*
Secondary Health Occ Professional Portfolio: 1. Brittney Harvey, *Cabot High School* 2. Asphen Beard, *Ashdown High School*
Post SecoHealth Occ Professional Portfolio: 1. Tammy Hardin, *College of the Ouachitas*
Post Seco HVACR: 1. Jeffrey Christy, *Arkansas Tech University- Ozark Campus* 2. Donny Bradley, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus* 3. Hayden Williams, *University of Arkansas at Hope*
Post SecoIndustrial Motor Control: 1. Braden Pennington, *University of Arkansas at Hope* 2. Nathan St.Clair, *University of Arkansas at Hope* 3. Chad Fox, *University of Arkansas at Hope*
Secondary Internetworking: 1. Jason Cathey, *Heber Springs High School* 2. Thomas Allen, *Heber Springs High School* 3. Dakota McCranie, *Heber Springs High School*
Post SecoInternetworking: 1. Therman Welch, *Arkansas State University at Marked Tree* 2. Edgar Hernandez, *Arkansas State University at Marked Tree* 3. Morgan James, *Arkansas State University at Marked Tree*
Secondary Job Interview Finalist: 1. Seth Downs, *Cave City School* 2. Brasha Swindall, *Lee High School* 3. Jose Cierra, *Rogers High School*
Post SecoJob Interview Finalist: 1. Graydon O'haver, *Arkansas Career Training Institute* 2. LaTecha Walker, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus* 3. Jonathan Smith, *Northwest Technical Institute*
Secondary Job Skill Demonstration A Finalists: 1. Ashley Byrd, *Cave City School* 2. Nicholas Gay, *Cave City School* 3. Kameron Shipman, *Rogers Heritage High School*
Post SecoJob Skill Demonstration A Finalists: 1. Chelsea McBride, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus* 2. Anthony Jackson, *Northwest Technical Institute* 3. Rebekah Vinson, *Arkansas State University at Marked Tree*
Post Seco Major Appliance Technology: 1. Chris Garland, *University of Arkansas at Hope* 2. Ronald Akins, *University of Arkansas at Hope* 3. Stacy Graham, *University of Arkansas at Hope*

Secondary Marine Service Technology: 1. Ryan Perry, *Cabot High School*
Post Seco Marine Service Technology: 1. Jason Ward, *National Park Community College* 2. Andy Denning, *National Park Community College* 3. Eric Ward, *National Park Community College*
Secondary Masonry: 1. Dustin Cenobio, *Har-Ber High School* 2. B.J. Easterling, *Conway Area Career Center* 3. Chance Carter, *Benton High School*
Post Seco Masonry: 1. James Monaghan, *North Arkansas College*
Secondary Medical Math: 1. Drake Wright, *PCCUA at Dewitt* 2. Karlie Hile, *Ashdown*

High School 3. Mariah Claybrooks, *Metropolitan Career & Tech Center*
Post Seco Medical Math: 1. Betty Wallace, *College of the Ouachitas* 2. Lidiana Quezada, *University of Arkansas at Fort Smith* 3. Tammie Martin, *MSSC Technical Center*
Secondary Medical Terminology: 1. Arti Desai, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center* 2. Ronnie Murphy, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center* 3. Bailey Bray, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center*
Post Seco Medical Terminology: 1. Belinda Coates, *College of the Ouachitas*
Secondary Motorcycle Service Technology: 1. Karissa Coget, *Western Arkansas Technical Center* 2. Lane Butler, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center*
Post Seco Motorcycle Service Technology: 1. Kevin Orr, *Pulaski Technical College* 2. Chris Garner, *Pulaski Technical College* 3. Jimmy Brown, *Pulaski Technical College*
Secondary Nail Care: 1. Ashley King & Tasheara Slocum, *Metropolitan Career & Tech Center* 2. Mia Parris & Austyn Tabor, *Conway Area Career Center* 3. Miranda Ratliff & Holly Johnson, *Metropolitan Career & Tech Center*
Post Seco Nail Care: 1. Yasmine Cranford & Shayfia Francis, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center* 2. Tiffany Horton & Karli Pitts, *North Central Vocational Center* 3. Heather Barnes & Hailey Ghormley, *Arkansas Career Training Institute*
Secondary Nurse Assisting: 1. Tiffany Bardin, *Western Arkansas Technical Center* 2. Ashley Scott, *SAU Tech Career Academy-Magnolia* 3. Jordan Allen, *SAU Tech Career Academy*
Post Seco Nurse Assisting: 1. Chyanne Hawkins, *University of Arkansas at Fort Smith* 2. Sarina Mcgee, *College of the Ouachitas* 3. Joshua May, *Arkansas Career Training Institute*

Secondary Opening & Closing Ceremonies: 1. Alexa Bullington, AnnaLisa Donald, Erica Henriquez, Claudia Heredia, Alma Horlock, Taylor Quast & Joseline Zamora, *Career Academy of Hair Design-Rogers* 2. Allison Green, Ashley Green, Shanae Snow, Bailey Ocaín, Lane Clay, Nikki Ford & Rebecca Steele, *Cave City School* 3. Juan Moreno, Parker Gore, Chase Bowers, Ross Walker, Tiffany Withrow, Nicholas Huck & Caleb King, *Har-Ber High School*
Post SecoOpening & Closing Ceremonies: 1. Haley Allinson, Machel Smith, Brittany Thompson, Nikki Baker, Santanna Burnett, Leola Cummings & Bailey Pataky, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center*
Secondary Outstanding Chapter: 1. Taylor Holt, Jessica Messick & Cameron Stout, *Cave City School* 2. Jenna Jones & Taliya Robinson, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center* 3. Summer Ramsfield, Alyxandrea Cone & Alisa Goodman, *Greenland High School*
Post Seco Outstanding Chapter: 1. Sheila KriselPulaski, Tricilla Clark & Jordon Francis, *College Saline Co Career Center*
Secondary Photography: 1. Kelly Jenkins, *Jacksonville High School* 2. Kaitly Haynes, *Conway Area Career Center* 3. Livvy Pierce, *Conway Area Career Center*
Secondary Pipe Welding: 1. Austin Nutt, *SAU Tech Career Academy* 2. Andrew Simpson, *Arkansas Northeastern College*, 3. Tyler Reede, *SAU Tech Career Academy*
Post SecoPipe Welding: 1. Cameron Cannon, *Greater Little Rock Area JAC* 2. Austin Brown, *Arkansas State University at Searcy* 3. Rex Porter, *North Arkansas College*
Secondary Plumbing: 1. Ben Caldwell, *Conway Area Career Center* 2. Thomas Griggs, *Marion High School* 3. Christian Cole, *Marion High School*
Post SecoPlumbing: 1. Thomas Allen, *Greater Little Rock Area JAC* 2. Jacob Voegele, *Greater Little Rock Area JAC*
Secondary Power Equipment Technology: 1. Miles Davis, *Cabot High School* 2. Trent Taylor, *Pulaski Technical College Saline Co Career Center* 3. Toby Hignite, *Huntsville High School*
Post Seco Power Equipment Technology: 1. Stuart McAlister, *Pulaski Technical College* 2. Laurie McDonald, *Pulaski Technical College* 3. Jared Haynes, *Pulaski Technical College*
Secondary Precision Machining Technology: 1. Hayden Bolding, *National Park Community College* 2. James Morrison, *National Park Community College* 3. Christopher Beard, *Rogers Heritage High School*
Post Seco Precision Machining Technology: 1. James Corter, *Northwest Technical Institute* 2. Jerry Metcalf, *Arkansas State University at Searcy* 3. David Kendjie, *University of Arkansas at Hope*

Secondary Prepared Speech: 1. Joshua Green, *Cave City School* 2. Monroe Albertson, *Cave City School* 3. Andrew McDaniel, *National Park Community College*
Post Seco Prepared Speech: 1. Aaron Hulin, *College of the Ouachitas* 2. Robert Moore, *University of Arkansas at Fort Smith*
Secondary Promotional Bulletin Board: 1. Bryanna Weathers, Anieca Clark & Octavio Albarran, *Rogers High School* 2. Kelli McDole, Millie Felkins & Sarah Upton, *Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center* 3. Natalie Turner, Katlyn Piearcy & Sheridan Spencer, *Career Academy of Hair Design-Rogers*
Post SecoPromotional Bulletin Board: 1. Kenita Vanderslice, *College of the Ouachitas*
Secondary Quiz Bowl: 1. Adam Ratliff, Andrew Powell, Jonathan Ogle, Alex Miller & William Painter, *Heber Springs High School* 2. Brent Harmon, Carson Hewett, Dylan Ausmus, D.J. Rooffe & Trever Rooffe, *Corning School District* 3. Martin Jurado, Kevin Diaz, Daniel Cogger, Derek Caquelin & Arron Oliver, *Springdale High School*
Secondary Related Technical Math: 1. Adan Rutiaaga, *Springdale High School* 2. Nicholas Vest, *Conway Area Career Center* 3. Tyler Starr, *Conway Area Career Center*
Post Seco Related Technical Math: 1. Chang Khang, *Northwest Technical Institute*
Secondary Restaurant Service: 1. Andrew Hansen, *Arkansas Tech University Career Center-Russellville* 2. Brittney Minor, *Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center* 3. Stacey Conley, *Northeast Arkansas Career and Technical Center*
Post Seco Restaurant

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Service: 1. Adam Askew, *Ozarka College* 2. Justin Repech, *Ozarka College* 3. Mika Alexander, *Ozarka College* **Secondary Robotics and Automation Tech:** 1. Tristan Honeycutt & Brian Merriweather, *PCCUA at Helena* 2. Cedric Holloway & Kevin Maxey, *PCCUA at Helena* 3. Jordan White & Aaron Purifoy, *MSSC Technical Center* **Secondary Screen Printing:** Jacob Keown, *Greenland High School* 2. Brandon Fulton, *Greenland High School* 3. Jordan King, *Greenland High School* **Post Seco Screen Printing Technology:** 1. Jessica Warman, *Arkansas Career Training Institute* 2. Dallas Miles, *Arkansas Career Training Institute*

Secondary Technical Computer Applications: 1. Kristen Belford, *Armored High School* 2. Jalyn McDonald, *Armored High School* 3. Timothy McFall, *MSSC Technical Center* **Post Seco Technical Computer Applications:** 1. Eduardo Luque, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus* **Secondary Technical Drafting:** 1. Mason Thomason, *Ha-Ber High School* 2. Steven Patrick, *Rogers High School* 3. Dusty Smith, *Wynne High School* **Post Seco Technical Drafting:** 1. Maria Quezada, *University of Arkansas at Fort Smith* 2. Steven Miller, *Arkansas State University at Searcy* 3. Christopher Canada, *Arkansas State University at Searcy* **Secondary Television (Video) Production:** 1. Ashley Duckworth & Sarah Smith, *Springdale District Television* 2. Michael York & Bailey Oldham, *Cabot High School* 3. Hayden Tyler & Connor Upchurch, *Paragould High School* **Post Seco Television (Video) Production:** 1. Jaymie Lott & Tammy Lott, *Rich Mountain Community College* 2. Matthew Atkinson & Charles Mayo, *Rich Mountain Community College* **Secondary Web Design:** 1. Christan Pierce & Brittany Tapia, *Eureka Springs High School* 2. Rahme Abdalla & David Ebbs, *Western Arkansas Technical Center* 3. Jarred Barksdale & Manson Zhao, *MSSC Technical Center* **Post Seco Web Design:** 1. Tsimnui Vue & Grady Jackson, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus* **Secondary Welding:** 1. Kenneth Edwards, *Arkansas Northeastern College* 2. Tim Hill, *Arkansas Northeastern College* 3. Jacob Miller, *West Side High School* **Post Seco Welding:** 1. Travis Gentry, *North Arkansas College* 2. William Bachman, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus* 3. James Mitchell, *SAU Tech Career Academy-Magnolia* **Secondary Welding Fabrication:** 1. Cory Carr, Ben Hargrove & Austin Kirkland, *West Side High School* 2. Dillon Dugan, Jimmy Allison & Drake Collins, *Western Arkansas Technical Center* 3. Rodney Boone, Kyle Ralph & Taylor Cannon, *Arkansas Northeastern College* **Post Seco Welding Fabrication:** 1. Christopher Fout, Brian Williams & Brian Hurst, *Arkansas Tech University-Ozark Campus*

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FCCLA National STAR Events

The following students will advance to the FCCLA National STAR Events in Nashville, Tennessee July 7-11, 2013

ADVOCACY: Junior: *Bigelow, East End-Silver:* Grace Johnson, Trey Starks, and Austin Neumeier **ADVOCACY-Senior:** *White Hall Senior-Gold:* Tabitha Shay **APPLIED TECHNOLOGY: Junior:** *Conway, Jr.-Gold:* Hailey Hughes and Mary Nails **APPLIED TECHNOLOGY: Senior:** *Johnson County Westside-Gold:* Kyle Keefer **CAREER INVESTIGATION: Junior:** *Maumelle Middle School-Gold (100%):* Abigail Herring *Brookland, Jr.-Gold:* Madison Dugger **CAREER INVESTIGATION: Senior:** *Prescott High School-Silver:* Somaryia Sims *Taylor High School-Silver:* Destiny Wright **CHAPTER SERVICE-DISPLAY: Junior:** *Maumelle Middle School-Silver:* Alexis Crutchfield & Elizabeth Musick **CHAPTER SERVICE-DISPLAY: Senior:** *Star City High School-Silver:* Faith Thomas, Vanessa Mendoza, and Alexis Morris *Taylor High School-Silver:* Alyssa Land, Madison Taylor and Victoria Umphries **CHAPTER SERVICE-MANUAL: Junior:** *Nashville, Jr. High School-Gold:* Kennedy Blue, Grace Talley, and Alyssa Harrison **CHAPTER SERVICE-MANUAL: Senior:** *Smackover High School-Gold:* Haley Corley *Murfreesboro High School-Silver:* Megan Goodwin, Addison Womack, and Adison Williams **CHAPTER SHOWCASE-DISPLAY: Senior:** *Pine Bluff High-Silver:* LaCressha Thomas and Kalya Hawkins *Harrison High School-Gold:* Kaitlyn Rupp, Caitlyn Spencer, & Hannah Chu **CHAPTER SHOWCASE-MANUAL: Junior:** *Nashville Jr. High School-Gold:* Caleb Clark, Bailey Hile, & Jordan Williams *Johnson County Westside-Silver:* Rachel Churchill & Kaitlyn Snowman

CHAPTER SHOWCASE-MANUAL: Senior: *Ozark High School-Gold:* Malena Gann & Jessica Selby *Piggott High School-Gold:* Katie Foster, Hollie Holcomb, & Micha Hobbs **EARLY CHILDHOOD: Occupational:** *Bentonville High School-Silver:* Hannah Nunnally *Lakeside Senior (Hot Springs) High School-Bronze:* Brandi Kling **ENTREPRENEURSHIP: Junior:** *Greenbrier Junior High School-Gold:* Amelia Wright & Shelley Davis **ENTREPRENEURSHIP: Senior:** *Bergman High School-Gold:* Kelsey



King & Kensley Bonham **ENVIRONMENTAL AMBASSADOR: Senior:** *Bentonville High School-Silver:* Miranda Kent **FASHION CONSTRUCTION: Senior:** *Prairie Grove High School-Gold:* Viviana Haney **FASHION DESIGN: Senior:** *McCrary High School-Gold:* AnnaLisa Meredith **FOCUS ON CHILDREN: Junior:** *Lake Hamilton, Jr. High School-Silver:* Emily Diedrich, Emily Brock, Alyssa Thornton *Maumelle Middle School-Gold:* Ashley Turner, Caroline Elliott & Grace Krebs **FOCUS ON CHILDREN: Senior:** *Star City High School-Silver:* Haley Donaldson *Bismarck High School-Gold:* Brooke Jones, Becca Bingham & Kaylee Newson **FOOD INNOVATIONS: Junior:** *Lake Hamilton, Jr.-Gold:* Raechal Garner & Harleigh Bland *Buffalo Island Central, Jr.-Gold:* Drew McFall, Cory Turner, & Kenzie Walker **FOOD INNOVATIONS: Senior:** *McCrary High School-Silver:* Hannah Clifton, Brittany Garner & Alecia Garner *Valley View High School-Silver:* Baylee Morrow & Jacob Wray **ILLUSTRATED TALK: Junior:** *Harrison, Jr. High School-Silver:* Savannah Edwards & Kindall Richardson **ILLUSTRATED TALK: Senior:** *Acorn High School-Gold:* Lydia Tilley & Cheyenne Blake **INTERIOR DESIGN: Senior:** *Prairie Grove High School-Gold:* Sara Lamont **JOB INTERVIEW: Senior:** *White Hall High School-Gold:* Elizabeth Denney *Johnson County Westside-Gold:* Shaiyanikha Her **LEADERSHIP: Senior:** *Bentonville High School-Silver:* Kennedy Gates

LIFE EVENT PLANNING: Junior: *Harrison, Jr. High School-Gold:* Maddison Stewart **LIFE EVENT PLANNING: Junior:** *Pottsville High School-Gold (100%):* Bethany Clair & Courtney Dotson **NATIONAL PROGRAMS IN ACTION: Junior:** *Maumelle Middle School-Gold:* Maggie Culp & Haiden Fender *Harrison, Jr. High School-Gold:* Carter Howard **NATIONAL PROGRAMS IN ACTION: Senior:** *Maumelle, Sr. High School-Gold:* Rebecca Aguilera *Heber Springs High School-Gold:* Caitlyn Crowder, Sarah Allen, & Hailey Crowder **NUTRITION AND WELLNESS: Junior:** *Vilonia Junior High School-Bronze:* Nancy Oliver **NUTRITION AND WELLNESS: Senior:** *Bentonville High School- Bronze:* Susan Onyebeuke **PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE: Junior:** *Murfreesboro Jr. High-Gold Senior:* Kayla Ashbrooks, Lexie Baxter, Jordan Gills, Carley Goff, Jada Hunte, Arianna Leeper, Danielle Summers, Ande Terrell *Forrest City High School-Silver:* Yoseph Attaharwi, Gylter Grubbs, Tucker Haney, Jaelynn Huckaba, Tavonte McDonald, Nick Palmer, Gabby Turner, TaJuan Whitby **RECYCLE and REDESIGN: Junior:** *Maumelle, Jr. High School-Gold:* Perryn Andrews *Vilonia Junior High School-Silver:* Jordan Mashburn **RECYCLE and REDESIGN: Senior:** *Greenbrier High School-Gold:* Kenzie Tydeen *Southside Bee Branch High School-Gold:* Hannah Bernhardt **TEACH and TRAIN: Occupational:** *Bentonville High School-Silver:* Sydney Smith *Mayflower High School-Gold:* Sarah Barfield

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Horse: Team: *Vilonia Individuals:* 1. Ashleigh Mueller, *Har-ber* 2. Dakota Mason, *Vilonia* 3. Shaylynn Walker, *Vilonia* **Land: Team:** *Greenbrier Individuals:* 1. Tyler Kopp, *Greenbrier* 2. Blake Erbach, *Greenbrier* 3. Luke Deaton, *Caddo Hills* **Livestock: Team:** *Hermitage Individuals:* 1. Brooke Clanton, *Hermitage* 2. Wiley Phillips, *Southside (Batesville)* 3. Steven Ferrell, *Hermitage* **Meats: Team:** *Prairie Grove Individuals:* 1. Will Pohlman, *Prairie Grove* 2. Luke Van Beeber, *Har-ber* 3. Krystan Wright, *Harrison* **Milk Quality & Products: Team:** *Ouachita Individuals:* 1. Sunni Wise, *Bismarck* 2. Paige Allen, *Ouachita* 3. Andrews, *Green Forest*



Nursery/Landscape: Team: *Prairie Grove Individuals:* 1. Rachel Hays, *Prairie Grove* 2. Megan McMahan, *Taylor* 3. Dakota Davis, *Prairie Grove* **Poultry: Team:** *Green Forest Individuals:* 1. Emily Glassell, *Green Forest* 2. Tiffany Swofford, *Green Forest* 3. Jordan Avis, *Lincoln* **Vet Science: Team:** *Bergman Individuals:* 1. Dustin Jones, *Bergman* 2. Carley Allen, *Oark* 3. Bailey Hill, *Mountain Home*



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