

## February 2011 Newsletter

### WCCC Holds Local SkillsUSA Event

WCCC students in SkillsUSA had a day of local competitions to determine who will be sent to regional and state competitions for 2011.

The local officers helped organize and facilitate the event. After morning competitions, the awards ceremony was held in the WCCC Commons with winners announced.

A [complete list](#) of winners can be found on the WCCC website in the news section, along with more photos in the [Photo Gallery](#).



WCCC's Local SkillsUSA Officers for 2011

### WCCC Digital Design Students Exhibit at CTE Summit



WCCC Digital Design Tech Prep juniors Emma Williams, Franklin, and Kaitlyn Matthey, Franklin, showed their video editing and production skills to educators at the recent Ohio Department of Education's Economic Summit, held in Columbus.

The students spoke to several teachers and administrators at the event, explaining their Veteran's Day project.

## FCCLA Regional Rally at WCCC

Students in the Family, Career and Community Leaders of America gathered at WCCC in February for the 2011 Regional Rally. WCCC Early Childhood Education and Culinary students participated in several skills events resulting in eight state qualifiers.

The 2011 FCCLA Ohio Conference will be held April 14-15 in Columbus.

For a complete list of names, click [here](#). More photos are available in the [Photo Gallery](#) on the WCCC website.



The Senior Culinary Team will be competing at the Ohio FCCLA Conference

## County Economic Development Holds Seminar at WCCC

Approximately 60 business leaders from the Cincinnati/Dayton area attended a Government Contracting 101 Seminar at WCCC on Feb. 24. The event was sponsored by the Warren County Office of Economic Development, Warren County Workforce One, and WCCC. Presenters from the Ohio Procurement Technical Assistance Center gave in-depth information on how small and medium sized business owners can bid for government contract work. Pictured at right is Martin Russell, Warren County Office of Economic Development, welcoming the group and introducing the presenters.



## District Business Advisors Meet at Aerospace Academy

WCCC Aerospace Academy Instructor Larry Lambdin gave an overview of his two-year program for high school juniors and seniors recently to the WCCC District Business Advisory Council. Juniors study for the ground-school portion of the private pilot's license, and receive one free hour of flight instruction from business advisor John Lane. Seniors study aircraft mechanics. Both years, students explore the many options available in the Aviation/Aerospace career field. The Aerospace Academy is located on the top floor of the Warren County Airport terminal with classroom, computer lab, electronics lab and flight simulator room space. Students also have a hangar and equipment for mechanical lab work. There are only eight high school aviation programs in Ohio, with an average of 12 students in each program. Mr. Lambdin said the business advisory committee for the Aerospace Academy is vital to keep the program current and provide opportunities for his students. To get involved in a business advisory committee, call WCCC at 513-932-5677.

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## Adult Education Cosmetology Helps Countryside Y

Adult Education Cosmetology students participated in a fundraising event at the Countryside YMCA in Lebanon Feb. 10. The Primp & Pamper Mid-Winter Makeover free event benefited the YMCA Caring for Families campaign through donations for the cosmetology services.

“We enjoy getting our students out into community events,” Cosmetology instructor Levetra Staten said. “The YMCA event was very well attended and our students gained valuable experience.”



## Elected Officials Visit WCCC for CTE Month



Warren County Commissioner Pat South, Ohio Rep. Pete Beck, Marty Heide of Congressman Mike Turner's office and Tina Davis of the Commissioner's office, celebrated Career-Technical Education Month with a visit to WCCC on Feb. 28.

The elected officials and representatives had discussion and lunch with students and participated in a Career-Technical lab. Rep. Pete Beck is shown here in an Emergency Medical Technician lesson. The student was made up to look like he had been in an accident and other students, including Rep. Beck, had to assess the injuries and treat him at the scene.

## Coming Up in March!

- **March 2, noon**, Employer of the Month Luncheon, Deerfield Township Fire Department
- **March 3, 7 p.m.**, Kindergarten Transition Workshop for Parents. For more information, call 933-3937
- **March 17, 6 p.m.**, WCCC Board Meeting, Administration Building
- **March 28-April 1**, Spring Break

### Mission

To prepare youths and adults to make informed career choices and to successfully enter, compete, and advance in a changing world.

### Vision

WCCC is the valued partner of choice within the educational and economic systems of our communities, by providing quality academic and career technical education. We pave the way for a future of opportunities unique to each of our learners.