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News From the
Wayne-Finger Lakes BOCES
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FLTCC Students Complete Sr. Project Utilizing "LUCY"



FLTCC Senior Project Team members - **Jake Ballerstein**, Marcus Whitman - Metal Trades; **Katelyn Reynolds**, Red Jacket - Drafting/CAD; **Aaron Stone**, Canandaigua - Metal Trades; **Zac Covert**, Marcus Whitman - Metal Trades and **Chad Moulton**, Drafting/CAD - Victor.

"Cylinder Plate" "Flywheel" and "Crank Disk" are all familiar terms to Finger Lakes Technical and Career Center Metal Trades and Drafting/CAD students who worked in four teams to complete their Senior Projects. Each team designed and built working see-through steam engines named LUCY that propelled model cars using air pressure.

Ross Baglio, Drafting/CAD instructor said this Senior Project Program was designed to teach students to successfully work together to produce a final product. This particular senior project took the students around six weeks to complete from prototype design to finished model car.

Each team began by drafting a prototype then assigned team members

to a work tasks, created budgets and time tables for completion. Once the projects were complete, the teams made oral presentations showing the functionality of their model cars and documented the process and all of the work they did to get there.

Students were graded by instructors on presentation skills, organization and documentation. Students were also asked to grade each other based on work habits and responsibility to the team.

"Students came up with clever ideas this year and each model car successfully ran using air pressure," Baglio said. "Our students can take the skills they learned on this project and use them in real practice or apply them towards post secondary," he added.



Senior Project team members - **Darin Rozelle**, Geneva - Metal Trades; **Josh Dahl**, Romulus - Metal Trades; **Brent Neagele**, Geneva - Drafting/CAD; **Dan Alden**, Canandaigua - Metal Trades and **A.J. Lyon**, Canandaigua - Drafting/CAD.



Mark Your Calendar

DS Visit to Romulus Board of Ed.
January 3rd * 6:30 p.m.
phone: 1-866-810-0345

DS Visit to Geneva Board of Ed.
January 9th * 7:30 p.m.
Geneva High School Chorus Room
phone: 315-781-0400

DS Visit to Wayne Board of Ed.
January 12th * 7 p.m.
Freewill Elementary School
Media Center
4320 Canandaigua Rd.
phone: 315-524-1000

W-FL BOCES Board of Ed. Meeting
(TUESDAY) January 17th * 6:30 p.m.
W-FL BOCES Regional Support Center
131 Drumlin Court, Newark
phone: 315-332-7284

W-FL BOCES School of Practical
Nursing Graduation Ceremony
January 19th * 7 p.m.
Newark High School, Pierson Ave.
phone: 315-332-7374

DS Visit to North Rose-Wolcott
Board of Ed.
January 24th * 7 p.m.
High School Room 210
11631 Salter-Colvin Rd., Wolcott
phone: 315-594-3141





Component School Highlight

Midlakes Takes 2005 Mathalon Title



(From left) James Chase, Midlakes 8th Grade Math Teacher with winning Mathalon team including students Ben Baker, 6th grade; Kathryn Lawson, 7th grade; Katie Baldwin, 8th grade and Ben Landschoot, 8th grade. Congrats and keep up the great work!

Congratulations to Midlakes Middle School students who came in 1st place in the first part of a three-part Mathalon challenge hosted by the W-FL BOCES Staff Development Team in December.

Nine teams from the Wayne-Finger Lakes Region participated in this Math Enrichment event. Each middle school team is comprised of four students - one from 6th, 7th and 8th grade while the fourth "wild card" student can be from any of the three grades.

The next challenge will take place in Newark on January 11th and the finale phase of the competition will take place in Canandaigua on February 8th. Watch for more details!

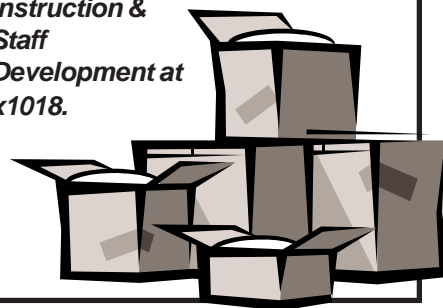
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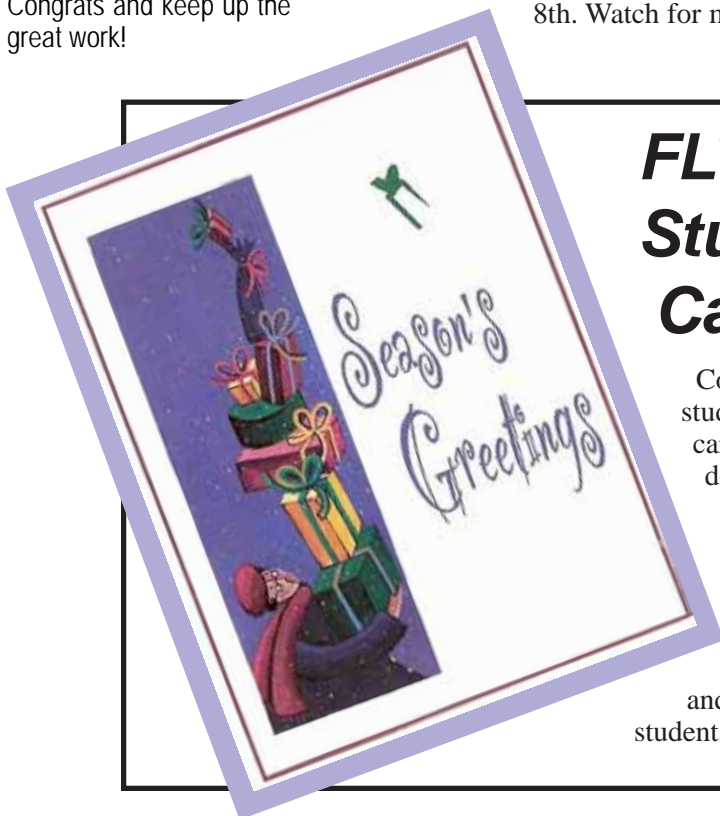
**Contact Marla Iverson -
Director of
Instruction &
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Development at
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FLTCC Ad Design Students Create Holiday Cards for BOCES

Congratulations to FLTCC Advertising Design & Production student, **Sean Chase**, a junior from Midlakes, whose greeting card concept was chosen as W-FL BOCES holiday card design for 2005.

More than 15 spectacular holiday designs were submitted by students in both the morning and afternoon design classes. W-FL BOCES District Superintendent, Joseph Marinelli said, "It was a very challenging choice to make because all of the holiday designs submitted were excellent. Sean's design truly captured the joy and spirit of the holiday season!" Thank you to all of the students who submitted card designs and Congratulations to Sean!



Business Venture Holiday Sale Draws Crowd

The Skills Training Transition to Employment Program (ST-TEP) at FLTCC hosted their 12th annual Holiday Sale and Reception on Saturday, December 10, 2005 at their Business Ventures Site in Phelps. All items sold were crafted and created ST-TEP students.

The Technical and Career ST-TEP program is available for both middle and high school students referred by their home school district for a jumpstart in career education. The program provides a blended student population with a wide variety of flexible programs designed to maximize students' opportunities when transitioning from school to work.



Jeremy Singletary, a 10th grader from Geneva works on a project to put on display at the holiday sale.

Students are provided with both classroom instruction and community-based work experiences through the four ST-TEP programs: ST-TEP Explore, Business Ventures, Targeted Jobs and Community-Based Placement.



Josue Ares, a 10th grader from Geneva proudly displays a holiday snow man he helped create.

Christine Helmer, ST-TEP Program Coordinator said this year's sale was very successful and was their biggest to date. "Our students sold out of all their items and took 12 orders for custom made furniture."

ST-TEP is offered through W-FL BOCES at both of their Technical and Career Centers in Flint and Williamson. For more information call Chris Helmer at 585-526-6471.

Newark's Bake Sale Success Benefits Hurricane Relief

Newark Education Center (NEC) high school students brought their holiday baked goodies to Newark's Eisenhower building and hosted a successful bake sale on November 30, 2005.

The Eisenhower sale was part of a much larger bake sale initiative that took place at Perkins Elementary, Kelley Intermediate and at NEC's middle and high schools on the same day.

The NEC High School Student Council came up with the master plan to hold bake sales to benefit the victims of Hurricane Katrina. The student council worked in partnership with staff and students at all of W-FL BOCES schools in Newark to bake and collect holiday goodies, and to host student-run bake sales at each building.

Through this combined effort, the students successfully raised more than \$600 and donated the proceeds of their sales to the Wayne County Red Cross for Hurricane Relief.



(From Left Standing) Brian Storrs, 10th grader from Williamson; Marty Daniels, Newark Education Center Principal; Andrew Fuller, 9th grader from Sodus and Kyle Pettey, a senior from Clifton Springs represent the many students and staff who worked on the November Holiday Bake Sale Project. Seated in front is NEC Speech Pathologist, Dawn Rittenhouse, who assisted students with sales throughout the morning at the Eisenhower Building bake sale in Newark.

Happy New Year!

from Nancy Scher, Board President
and the W-FL BOCES Board of Education

