



CCCMC Students Win BIG at SkillsUSA

CCCMC students participated in the SkillsUSA state competition which was held in Greensboro on April 14-16. We are extremely proud of our students and their accomplishments. Please congratulate these students in their respective events!

Event	Student	Place	Going to Nationals!!
Carpentry	Daniel Simmons	Fifth	
Customer Service	Kendra Milhorne	First	YES
Customer Service	Jordan Hoyle	Third	
Extemporaneous Speaking	Zach Ferguson	First	YES
Extemporaneous Speaking	Cameron Chandler	Third	
Promotional Bulletin Board	Lorena Cowart	Fourth	
Promotional Bulletin Board	George Calderon	Fourth	
Quiz Bowl	Patrick Brittain	Fourth	
Quiz Bowl	Lauren Gragg	Fourth	
Quiz Bowl	Jimmy Hilton	Fourth	
Quiz Bowl	Cody Silvers	Fourth	
Web Design	Chris Anders	Fifth	
Web Design	Jose Hernandez	Fifth	



CCCMC's Fifth House Nears Completion

CCCMC's fifth house is nearing completion. Located in the Deer Creek subdivision, the house has three floors. The main floor includes a den, kitchen, dining area, and master bedroom with walk-in closet and a large bathroom. There is a two-car garage. The third floor has two bedrooms with ample closet areas and a bathroom. The basement will be unfinished. The house will be on the market the first of June. Please contact the school for additional information at 828.759.4640.



VOY

Congratulations to Paulette Long, who serves as our Volunteer of the Year. Paulette has spent numerous hours at CCCMC this year assisting Mrs. Walker and others with their duties. She always has a smile on her face and the students have enjoyed getting to know Mrs. Long.

When describing why she volunteers, Mrs. Long said, "I feel that by volunteering in education it shows the children that education is important. It shows students that even though I have graduated from high school years ago I still place a high value on education and want to do my part by participating in the Caldwell County Schools volunteer program."

A special thank you to Mrs. Long for her help!



TOY

Congratulations to Grayson Beane, who serves as our Teacher of the Year. Mr. Beane is a seasoned teacher with over 20 years of teaching experience. He is a National Board Certified Teacher in English and earned his Master's Degree in Instructional Technology from ASU in

December of 2007. Mr. Beane teaches English III and English IV at CCCMC.

Mr. Beane uses 21st Century tools in his classroom, such as Wikis and Blogs, and engages the students in their problem-based projects. One recent lesson involved two students acting as World War II officers who used text messaging tools to discuss their war strategies.



Caldwell READS

Caldwell READS was a countywide reading project for readers of all ages to embrace the joy of reading through fun activities, while linking the community through literature in one book. This event was held on April 12 from 10:00 to 1:00 at the Caldwell County Fairgrounds. CCCMC entered a booth in the competition with the motto: "Sailing into Reading with CCCMC." Several departments collaborated to create the booth: Electrical Technology, Information Technology, English, and Math.

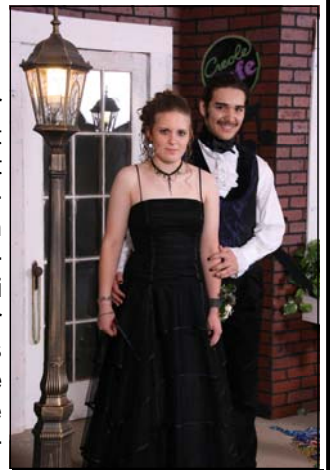
The event was very successful with about 7,000 community members in attendance. Caldwell County Schools and other sponsors provided books, bookmarks, and other items to the participants.



Casey and Gauge enjoy the prom!

Prom A Success!

The Golden Knights held their second prom on Saturday, May 3 at the Broyhill Civic Center. About seventy students joined the festivities. The Residential Construction students constructed the New Orleans street scene for the "Mardi Gras" theme. Thanks to PAC for funding this special event. Seniors Ashley Ingle and Kalib Hood were crowned the Queen and King of the CCCMC 2008 prom. Congratulations! A special thank you to Mrs.



Tiffany and Winston pose for a picture.

Dottie Darsie, CCS School Board Chairperson for joining us for prom. Please view additional photos on our website: cc.caldwellschools.com under Student Activities.

Senior Reminders

As we near graduation time, which is hard to believe, we will begin listing reminders to Seniors. Please be aware of the following:

- ⇒ Lunch charges must all be paid before graduation. College library fines and parking tickets must be paid before graduation.
- ⇒ May 8-16—Senior PEP Meeting or a form to be sent to parents
- ⇒ May 13—Awards Day at 9:30 at the Broyhill Civic Center
- ⇒ May 22—CTE Graduation practice at 1:30 at the Broyhill Civic Center (practice is mandatory).
- ⇒ May 22—CTE Graduation Celebration at 7:00 at the Broyhill Civic Center (six guests maximum).
- ⇒ May 23—Graduation practice at 9:00 at the HUB (practice is mandatory).
- ⇒ May 23—Class picture in caps and gowns at the HUB.
- ⇒ May 23—Lunch for graduates at 12:00 at CCCMC.
- ⇒ May 23—Graduation at 7:00 at the HUB (ten guests maximum).
- ⇒ If you are going to attend Caldwell Community College next year, please see Mrs. Williams. You must complete an application as soon as possible. Also, please check scholarship opportunities.



ASU Students Visit CCCMC!

On Wednesday, April 30, nine students from the Business and Marketing Education department of ASU visited classes at CCCMC. These students are getting ready to complete their student teaching in the fall semester. They toured the classes, talked with the students and teachers, and observed the different methodologies used here at CCCMC.

Thanks to Dr. Charlene Sox for bringing her students to CCCMC.

May Birthdays!



Ms. Olson
Ashley Ingle
Nichole Brandt
Megan Kirby
Marc Colvard

May 8
May 12
May 14
May 16
May 27

PAC News

PAC sponsored a gaming tournament on Saturday, April 19th from 10:00-5:00. Sixteen participants competed in the game Call of Duty 4. Senior Michael Griffin, along with PAC member Mr. Dan Street, organized the event. GameOn from Hickory was the main sponsor for this event.

PAC sponsored a very successful prom on Saturday, May 3rd from 8:00-12:00 at the Broyhill Civic Center. Parent volunteers decorated from 8:00 until 2:00—thank you!

Thanks to PAC for all the support and assistance that they have offered to CCCMC this year. The support of these parents has been invaluable!

**PAC Cookout for Faculty
(Parents' Advisory Council)
Wednesday, May 14th
11:00, CCCMC**

May 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
← Teacher Appreciation Week! →						
	College Exams	College Exams SIP meeting at 11:00 New Junior interviews from 3:30-5:30 PAC meeting at 6:00	College Exams College classes End! Faculty meeting at 2:45	New schedules for all students today! Caldwell County Young Women of Promise Tea from 3:30-5:00 at the Ed Center (Williams and selected students) Happy Birthday, Ms. Olson! New Junior interviews from 3:30-5:30	SIP meeting at 11:00 Happy Birthday, Tara Wood!	
11	12 BOE Meeting at 7:00; CCCMC SkillsUSA winners to be recognized! Happy Birthday, Ashley Ingle!	13 Awards Day at 9:30 at the Broyhill Civic Center; parents, please attend! Lunch in Mr. Winn's Lab—Nachos and Ice Cream! Educator of the Year Banquet at 6:30 at Cedar Rock—good luck, Mr. Beane!	14 Cookout provided by PAC for the faculty! Thanks!! Faculty meeting at 2:45 Happy Birthday, Nichole Brandt!	15	16 Happy Birthday, Megan Kirby!	17
18	19 VoCATs exams	20 All math EOCs today! School dismisses at 12:00 for those with transportation and parental release notes	21 Physical Science EOC today! School dismisses at 12:00 for those with transportation and parental release notes	22 US History EOC today! School dismisses at 12:00 for those with transportation and parental release notes CTE Celebration at 7:00 at the Broyhill Civic Center (Seniors wear graduation attire.)	23 Regular school day! Field trip to ASU for all Juniors Graduation practice at 9:00; Senior luncheon at 11:30 CCCMC Graduation at 7:00 at the HUB	24
25	26 Memorial Day Holiday	27 Regular school day for Juniors Happy Birthday, Marc Colvard!	28	29	30	31