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...Our Alumna of the Year and Spirit of Service Award Winners

Angel Russo

Class of 2006 Sales & Service Fundamentals

For nine years, Angel Russo has been keeping the Macedonia Wendy's restaurant neat, clean and orderly, and providing guests with a welcoming atmosphere. She is a model employee for students in the Sales & Service Fundamentals program taught by instructor Dan Hughes, who was Angel's teacher at Cuyahoga Valley.

"Throughout her employment with Wendy's, she has received excellent ratings from her supervisor, Anthony," said Mr. Hughes, "which is exactly what she was trained to do here at CVCC. Our programs are heavily concentrated on customer service skills for retail."

Angel was also a student in CVCC's Transition to Work program taught by Laurie Riddle, at the time, receiving additional opportunities to enhance her employability training.

Diagnosed with Asberger's Syndrome, a mild form of autism, in her teen years, Angel's mother, Denise Donaghue, credits Nordonia Hills schools and CVCC for their educational programs in which Angel was enrolled.

"At Wendy's, Angel is in a public profile posi-



Dan Hughes, Sales & Service Fundamentals instructor, with Alumna of the Year Angel Russo of Sagamore Hills. Angel is Mr. Hughes' former student.

tion as a lobby attendant, said Mr. Hughes. "Customers sometimes tip her or bring her gifts, because she knows how to treat them and how important it is to bring them back."

While occasionally bringing students to Angel's Wendy's after on-site job training at Summit Point, Mr. Hughes tells his class, "You, too, can find a job that's right for you."

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Victor Sohar Sohar's All-Season Mower Service Inc.

600 Highland Rd. Macedonia, Ohio 44056

Victor Sohar and his staff at Sohar's All Season Mower Service Inc. in Macedonia have been very supportive of the Power Equipment Technology program as well as other career-technical programs here at CVCC for many many years. In fact, a few of his employees – graduates of CVCC – have been with his company for 10 and 20 years!

Sohar's generously contributes support to the 100%

Club which benefits students who maintain quarterly perfect attendance. Over the years, Sohar's has provided employment, early placement opportunities and off-site learning experiences for many CVCC students.

Victor and his staff volunteer their time to the mock interviews

Spirit of Service/Sohar's.....Continued on page 9



Adult Ed Offers EKG, Phlebotomy, Dental Assisting, Web/Graphic Design, Nursing

FREE Program Information Nights @ CVCC

Register online at: http://cuyahogavalley.augusoft.net.

Dental Assisting
EKG Technician
Phlebotomy
Web Design & Animation
Graphic Design
School of Practical Nursing information Page 9.

July 22/Aug. 17, 6 to 7 p.m.
Aug. 24, 6 to 7 p.m.
Sept. 15, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 21, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Obtain HVAC Certification in 8 months

CVCC offers an eight-month program that concludes with testing for official HVAC 608 certification. Taught by instructor Bob Mehling, the four classes and one preparation class should be taken in the following order (For details and registration, call 440.746.8230.):

1) HVAC Basic

2) HVAC - Heating

3) HVAC - Cooling

4) HVAC - Basic Electrical

5) HVAC Certification

Preparation

For a complete listing of Adult Ed classes, access the online Adult Education Fall/Winter catalog.

Brecksville-Broadview Heights









Eight students were selected "Outstanding" in their programs of study. Pictured are four of them, left to right: Andrew Szemeczko, Architectural & Mechanical Design; Isabel Veto, Cosmetology; Rachel Richards, Dental Assisting; and Danielle Rendina, Graphic Imaging Technology.

Architectural & Mechanical Design

SZEMECZKO, Andrew - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Stride Tool, Outstanding Student in the Architectural & Mechanical Design program

Computer Networking Academy

ISTENES, Bryan - 2014-2015: Student of the Month, 1st Place BPA Regional Network Design Team, 3rd Place BPA Regional Network Administration using Microsoft, 3rd Place BPA Regional Systems Administration using CISCO, Cuyahoga Valley Teachers Federation Scholarship \$750

Construction Trades

ROSS, Bryon - 2014-15: Early Placement at Leiden Cabinet Company

Cosmetology

AVRAMOVIC, Andrea - 2013-2014: 3rd Place STATE Cosmetology Competition Ladies Blow Dry & Style; 2014-2015: 3rd Place STATE Cosmetology Competition Hair category

LIA, Brittany - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance VETO, Isabel - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Outstanding Student in the Cosmetology program

Dental Assisting

HARRIS, Marissa - 2013-2014: Student of the Month JURIS, Courtney - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Southwest Endodontics & Periodontics RICHARDS, Rachel - 2013-2014; National Technical Honor Society: 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Outstanding Student in the Dental Assisting program

Engineering Technology

VASULKA, Kyle - 2013-2014: 2nd Place SkillsUSA STATE Mobile Robotics Team: 2014-2015: 2nd Place SkillsUSA STATE Mobile Robotics Team

Technology GEORGE,

2014: Bronze Medal Regional Northeast Ohio Screen Printing RATLIFF, Kayla - 2014-15: Silver

Team; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Harlequin Design Studio, 4th Place SkillsUSA STATE Tech Prep Graphics, Outstanding Student Graphic Arts Council, Outstanding Student in the Graphic Imaging Technology program

Heating & Air Conditioning

NAYDYUK, Dmitri - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Ehrnfelt Heating & Air Conditioning

Health Careers

MAHOLTZ, Sara - 2013-2014: Student of the Month ULM, Cassidy - 2013-2014: 2nd Place HOSA STATE Competition Biomedical Debate

Job Training

SCHNEIDER, Bernadette - 2014-2015: Outstanding Student in the Job Training program

Machine Technology

HAEBERLE, Devin (home school) - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Christopher Tool, 6th Place SkillsUSA

STATE Precision Machining, Outstanding Student in the Machine Technology program, Lincoln Technical Scholarship for SkillsUSA \$3,000

Power Equipment Technology COOPER, Walter - 2014-2015: Early Placement at ABC Rental Center

Graphic Imaging

Hayden - 2013-Craftsmen's Club Medal Northeast Ohio Craftsmen's Club

RENDINA,

Danielle - 2013-2014: 3rd Place SkillsUSA STATE Career Pathways

Programming & Software Development program, Arizona State University Dean's Scholarship \$46,000

MCCOY, Nick - 2014-15: Early

puter Programming Concepts

\$200

Placement at Sohar's All Season

Mower, Motorsports Scholarship

Programming & Software Development

BERWALD, Ryan - 2014-2015: 9th Place BPA Regional

MCNEILL, Kyle - 2013-2014: 1st Place BPA Regional

C++ Programming, 9th Place BPA Regional Information Technology Concepts, 10th Place BPA Regional Com-

Visual Basic Programming, 3rd Place BPA STATE Visual

Basic Programming; 2014-2015: Student of the Month,

Top 10 BPA STATE Java Programming, 1st Place BPA

Regional C++ Programming, 1st Place BPA Regional

Basic Programming, 4th Place BPA Regional Computer

Java Programming, 3rd Place BPA Regional Visual

Programming Concepts, Outstanding Student in the

Public Health & Safety DUDAS, Randall - 2013-2014: 1st Place SkillsUSA STATE Firefighting: 2014-2015: Outstanding Student in the Public Health & Safety program, 4th Place Skills USA State Firefighting

Sales & Service Fundamentals

ZIELINSKY, Noah - 2014-2015: 3rd Place DECA Diamonds Regional Housekeeping Services

Teaching Professions

BARTOW, Keri - 2014-2015: 3rd Place Future Educators of America STATE competition BIGUN, Sofiya - 2014-2015: 3rd Place Future Educators of America STATE competition CAMPERCHIOLI, Anthony - 2014-2015: 3rd Place Future





Educators of America STATE competition



Congratulations to, left to right, Bernadette Schneider, Job Training; Devin Haeberle (home school), Machine Technology; Kyle McNeill, Programming & Software Development; and Randy Dudas, Public Health & Safety. These are four of the eight Brecksivlle-Broadview Heights students selected "Outstanding" in their programs of study.

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Cuyahoga Heights

Architectural & Mechanical Design ADAMS, Travis - 2014-2015: Early Placement at General Steel, 9th Place SkillsUSA STATE Architectural Drafting

Computer Networking Academy BORSUK, Jacob - 2014-2015: 2nd Place BPA Regional Systems Administration using CISCO, 7th Place BPA Regional Computer Network Technology, 10th Place BPA Regional Regional Computer Security

Cosmetology

MCNEILLY, Taylor - 2013-2014: 4th
Place STATE Cosmetology Competition Bridal; 2014-2015: 4th Place
STATE Cosmetology Competition
Hair category, Honorable Mention
SkillsUSA STATE Nail Care Model
MAROTTA, Jennifer - 2014-2015: 2-Year
Perfect Attendance



Frank Mahnic Jr. (third from left), CVCC board member representing Cuyahoga Heights, with CVCC graduates Stephen Mitocky (Machine Technology), Kayla Samoly (Hotels & Resorts), Jennifer Marotta (Cosmetology), Supt. Dr. Celena Roebuck, and Travis Adams (Architectural & Mechanical Design).

Digital Design

TRAFFIS, Cristina (ECOT) - 2013-2014: 3rd Place SkillsUSA Regional Photography; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Pro-Event Photo, Top Ten BPA STATE Video Production Team, 1st Place BPA Regional Video Production Team, 1st Place STATE OSBA Video

Engineering Technology WILLIAMS, Donald - 2014-2015: 4th Place SkillsUSA State Engineering Team

Heating &
Air Conditioning
CAPORUSCIO, Matt - 201415: \$500 Motorsports Tool Kit

Hotel & Resorts SAMOLY, Kayla - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance

Machine Technology
BAUDO, Matthew - 2014-2015: Early
Placement at Christopher Tool
MITOCKY, Stephen - 2014-2015: Early
Placement at Hyson Products, 3rd
Place SkillsUSA STATE CNC Milling,
Lincoln Technical Scholarship for
SkillsUSA \$6,000

Sales & Service Fundamentals CECIL, David - 2014-2015: 1st Place Regional DECA Diamonds Cash Register, 3rd Place Regional DECA Diamonds Team Decision Making

Garfield Heights

Architectural & Mechanical Design

KARSON, Jessica - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Jmax Enterprises

Auto Body Repair & Refinishing RIVERS, Jimil - Motorsports Scholarship \$300

Auto Service Technology
DENNIS Jr., Reeco - 2014-15:
Motorsports Scholarship \$500
JACKSON-DANIEL, Treshawn - 20142015: Early Placement at Raney Tire Inc.
TURNER, Richard - 2014-2015: Early
Placement at Discount Tire
WASHABAUGH, Cody - 2014-2015: Early
Placement at Kia of Bedford, Motorsports Scholarship \$500

Computer Networking Academy GARDNER, Seth - 2013-2014: 3rd Place BPA Regional Network Design Team; 2014-2015 - 2nd Place BPA Regional

Garfield Heights





Congratulations to these students who reside in the Garfield Heights School District. They were chosen "Outstanding" in their programs, left to right: Mike Barry Jr., Construction Trades; Melvin Rodriguez, Heating & Air Conditioning; and Kenny Young, Sales & Service Fundamentals.

Network Administration using Microsoft, 10th Place BPA Regional Systems Administration using CISCO

JASTRZEBSKI, Michael - 2013-2014: 9th Place BPA Regional Systems Administration using CISCO, 3rd Place BPA Regional Network Design Team; 2014-2015: 8th Place BPA Regional PC Servicing/ Troubleshooting, 7th Place BPA Regional Computer Security

Construction Trades

BARRY JR., Michael - 2013-2014: 3rd Place SkillsUSA Regional Team Works; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Early Placement at Carmen & Sons Concrete, Honorable Mention SkillsUSA STATE Team Works, Outstanding Student in the Construction Trades program DEPAULO, Robert - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Caliber Construction MCCLAIN, Jamar - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Rainbow Porcelain Refinishers

Cosmetology

BOYER, Caitlyn - 2014-2015: 3rd Place SkillsUSA Regional Nails, 7th Place SkillsUSA STATE Nail Care

Culinary Arts

THACKER, Justin - 2014-15: Early Placement at Aramark

Dental Assisting

BONGIOVANNI, Alysia - 2014-2015: Early Placement at The Office of Dr. Louis Glorioso DDS

EDMONDSON, Denija - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Aspen Dental

Graphic Imaging Technology

CARR, Aries - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Office Max, Honorable Mention Graphic Arts Council

Heating & Air Conditioning

HALL, Justin - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Vacuum Systems International LOPEZ, Roberto - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Complete Appliance Repair RODRIGUEZ, Melvin - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Franck & Fric, Outstanding Student in the Heating & Air Conditioning program

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Garfield Heights

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Health Careers

BURTS, Dontaya - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Regina Health Care Center, 1st Place HOSA STATE Competition Nursing Assisting, advancing to NATIONAL HOSA competition summer 2015

GOODE-HARRIS, Monae - 2013-2014: 2nd Place HOSA STATE Competition Biomedical Debate

GREENE, Austriana - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance

KOST, Hailey - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Regina Health Care Center

Job Training

RICHARDSON, Justin - 2014-15: Student of the Month

Medical Administrative Specialist STEWART, Jasmine - 2013-2014: Top Ten BPA Regional Payroll Accounting; 2014-2015: Honorable Mention BPA Regional Payroll Accounting, 2nd Place BPA Regional Administrative Support Team

Programming & Software Development ASBURY, Nickolas - 2014-2015: 10th

Place BPA Regional C++ Programming, 4th Place BPA Regional Fundamentals of Web Design

ELLIS, Jordan - 2013-2014: 3rd Place BPA Regional Visual Basic Programming, 2nd Place BPA Regional Fundamental Spreadsheet Applications, National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: Top Ten BPA STATE C++ Programming, 5th Place BPA Regional Integrated Office Applications, 4th Place BPA Regional C++ Programming, 3rd Place BPA Regional Fundamentals of Web Design, 3rd Place BPA Regional Financial Math & Analysis, Cleveland State Provost's Scholarship \$5,000, Career & Technical Foundation Motorsports Scholarship \$1,000

JOHNSON, Eric - 2014-2015: 2nd Place BPA Regional Video Production Team, 8th Place BPA Regional C++ Programming, 6th Place BPA Regional Computer Programming Concepts, John Carroll Scholarship \$15,000

KELZENBERG, Jeremy - 2013-2014: Top Ten BPA Regional Visual Basic Programming, Top Ten BPA NATIONAL Visual Basic, 2nd Place BPA STATE Visual Basic Programming; 2014-2015: Top Ten BPA STATE Fundamentals of Web Design, 2nd Place BPA Regional C++ Programming, 2nd Place BPA Regional Fundamentals of Web Design, 5th Place BPA Regional Visual Basic Programming, 3rd Place BPA Regional **Computer Programming Concepts**

Public Health & Safety

FERTIG, Alexander - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, 3rd Place SkillsUSA Regional Job Skills Demo A, Honorable Mention SkillsUSA STATE Job Skills Demo A, Cuyahoga Valley Teachers Federation Scholarship \$750 LOUIS, Nathan - 2013-2014: National

Technical Honor Society OLSON, Alli - 2013-2014: 3rd Place Skills-**USA STATE Career Pathways Team:** 2014-2015: 6th Place SkillsUSA STATE Law & Public Safety

Sales & Service Fundamentals

GRANT, Mylan - 2014-2015: 2nd Place **DECA Diamonds Regional Retail Clothing** JONES, Lisa - 2014-2015: 3rd Place DECA Diamonds Regional Employability Skills PAIGE JR., Leonard - 2014-2015: 2nd Place DECA Diamonds Regional Employability Skills

STYLINSKI, William - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, 2nd Place DECA Diamonds Regional Cash Register, 3rd Place DECA Diamonds Regional Special Student Achievement

YOUNG, Kenneth - 2014-2015: 2nd Place DECA Diamonds Regional Team Decision Making, Outstanding Student in the Sales & Service program

Independence

Cosmetology

WILSON, Emily - 2014-2015: Outstanding Student in the Cosmetology program, Honorable Mention SkillsUSA STATE Esthetics AEY, Brooke - 2013-2014: 3rd Place STATE Cosmetology Competition Ladies Team Overall

Building & Property Maintenance WHITAKER, Daniel - 2014-15: Early Placement at BP Service Station

Engineering Technology

SYNEK, Gregory - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society, 1st Place SkillsUSA Regional Related Technical Math; 2014-2015: 4th Place SkillsUSA STATE Engineering Team, 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Outstanding Student in the Engineering Technology program

Health Careers

BOBAK, Colleen - 2013-2014: 4th Place HOSA STATE Competition Medical Law & Ethics

Machine Technology

NELSON, Evan - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Cobra Plastics, 3rd Place SkillsUSA STATE CNC Turning,

Lincoln Technical Scholarship for SkillsUSA \$6,000

Medical Administrative Specialist

RUTKOWSKI, Rachel - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Easter Seals, Honorable Mention BPA Regional Payroll Accounting

Public Health & Safety

STOKAR, Steven - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance

Abbreviations for career-technical awards and achievements

BPA

- Business Professionals of America

DECA

- An International Association of Marketing Students DECA Diamonds - Organization sponsoring contests for special education students

FCCLA

- Family Career and Community Leaders of America

HOSA

NTHS

- Health Occupations Students of America

OSBA

- National Technical Honor Society

- Ohio School Boards Association



These students were selected "Outstanding" in their programs of study: Emily Wilson, Cosmetology; and Greg Synek, Engineering Technology.

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Nordonia Hills









Pictured are three of the five students who reside in the Nordonia Hills School District, who were designated "Outstanding" in their programs of study, left to right: Kayla Shine, Digital Design; Jams Embrescia, Electrical & Alternative Energy Systems; and Paul Steward Spitz, Hotels & Resorts.

Architectural & Mechanical Design
UDROW IV, Rudolph (Adult Student) - 20132014: Student of the Month

Auto Service Technology RIVERA, Destiny - 2013-2014: Student of the Month

Building & Property Maintenance PRIOR, Tyler - 2014-2015: Early Placement at AGS Custom Graphics

Computer Networking Academy

HOUSE, Connor - 2013-2014: 1st Place BPA Regional Computer Modeling, National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, 1st Place BPA Regional Computer Modeling, Principals Scholarship \$1,000

Construction

BUCK, Robert - 2014-2015: 8th Place Skills USA STATE Plumbing BUGAJ III, Richard - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Early Placement at Your Carpenter

Cosmetology

LESTER, Haylee - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Honorable Mention SkillsUSA STATE Esthetics Model KIBELBEK, Megan - 2013-2014: 3rd Place STATE Cosmetology Competition Ladies Team Nails, 3rd Place STATE Cosmetology Competition Ladies Team Overall

Culinary Arts & Food Services

BUCHLEITNER, Ashley - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Panera Bread WILSON, Melissa - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Chili's

Dental Assisting

BROWN, Savannah - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Early Placement at Summit Dental Specialist, 1st Place HOSA STATE Competition Healthy Life Styles, advancing to NATIONAL HOSA competition summer 2015

STROE, Hannah - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Brecksville Women's Club Scholarship \$1,500

Digital Design

KOVACS, Gregory - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Bullseye Activewear Inc., 1st Place Regional BPA Video Production Team, Honorable Mention Regional Scholastic Art Awards Digital Art

SHINE, Kayla - 2013-2014: Student of the Month. National Technical Honor Society: 2014-2015: Early Placement at Quest Financial & Insurance Services, Top Ten BPA STATE Digital Publishing with InDesign, 1st Place BPA Regional Digital Publishing with InDesign, Honorable Mention Graphic Arts Council Package Redesign, Outstanding Student in the Digital Design program WODARCZYK, Kyle - 2013-2014: 1st Place SkillsUSA Regional Promotional Bulletin Board; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Pro Event Photo, Top Ten BPA STATE Video Production Team, 1st Place BPA Regional Video Production Team, 3rd Place BPA Regional Fundamentals of Desktop Publishing, 1st Place OSBA STATE Video

Electrical & Alternative Energy Systems EMBRESCIA, James - 2014-2015: Outstanding Student in the Electrical & Alternative Energy Systems program, Navy Blue and White Scholarship \$2,000

Engineering Technology

JACKSON, Christian (Home-School) - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society, 2nd Place SkillsUSA STATE Mobile Robotics Team; 2014-2015: 2nd Place SkillsUSA STATE Mobile Robotics Team STREEN, David - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, 4th Place SkillsUSA STATE Engineering Team

Health Careers

KELLING, Marie - 2014-15: Employee of the Month

PINTZ, Raquel - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Summit Point Independent & Assisted Living

Hotel & Resorts

SKERL, Renee - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Elmcroft

SPITZ, Steward Paul - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Elmcroft Senior Living, Student of the Month, Outstanding Student in the Hotels & Resorts program

Machine Technology

COX, Matthew - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Argo Industries
RADVILAVICIUS, Dillon - 2014-2015: Early
Placement at Elite Manufacturing Solutions

Power Equipment Technology

BRUCE, John - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, 1st Place Regional Piston Power Show Auto Challenger, Motorsports Scholarship \$500

DAVIS, Stefan - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Early Placement at Baker Vehicle Systems, 1st Place Regional Piston Power Show Auto Challenger, 1st Place SkillsUSA STATE Power Equipment Tech-

nology, Lincoln Technical Scholarship/SkillsUSA \$10,000, Power Sports Institute/Ohio Technical College Scholarship \$11,000, Motorsports Scholarship \$500, Outstanding Student in the Power Equipment Technology program, advancing to NATIONAL SkillsUSA competition summer 2015 **KING**, Justin - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Majestic Steel USA SAJEWSKI, Joshua - 2013-2014: 2nd Place SkillsUSA

Regional Diesel Equipment

Technology; 2014-2015:

1st Place Regional Piston Power Show Auto Challenger

Programming & Software Development SNYDER. Timothy

- 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2nd Place BPA Regional Visual Basic Programming, 1st Place BPA Regional Computer Programming Concepts, 5th Place BPA Regional C++ Programming, 3rd Place BPA Regional Java Programming, University of Akron Scholarship for Excellence \$6,500, University of Akron Honors Scholarship \$500, University of Cincinnati Merit Scholarship \$6,000 VANAS, Andrew - 2014-2015: 2nd Place BPA Regional Video Production Team. 5th

ming Concepts
VICCHIARELLI, Dylan - 2014-2015: 2nd
Place BPA Regional Java Programming,
4th Place BPA Regional Visual Basic Programming

Place BPA Regional Computer Program-

Sales & Service Fundamentals

LAMBERT, John - 2014-2015: 1st Place DECA Diamonds Regional Marketing Test A, 1st Place DECA Diamonds Regional Money Management, 1st Place DECA Diamonds Regional Team Decision Making MARCANO, Victor - 2014-2015: 2nd Place DECA Diamonds Regional Team Decision Making

Transition-To-Work

SEEMANN, Daniel - 2014-2015: Outstanding Student in the Transition To Work program





Pictured are two of the five students who live in the Nordonia Hills School District, selected "Outstanding" in their programs, left to right: Stefan Davis, Power Equipment Technology, and Daniel Seeman, Transition to Work.

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North Royalton

Auto Body Repair & Refinishing BRISCOE, Alexander (Adult Student) - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Duber's Dealer Service, Outstanding Student in

the Auto Body program, 1st Place SkillsUSA STATE Collision Repair Technology, Motorsports Scholarship \$400, Ohio Technical College Scholarship \$15,500, Lincoln Technical Scholarship \$15,000, advancing to SkillsUSA NATIONAL competition summer 2015 MONHART, Travis - 2014-2015: 7th Place Skills USA STATE Refinishing, Lincoln Technical Scholarship for Skills USA \$2,000, Motorsports Scholarship \$300

Auto Service Technology A

HLAVKA, Jonathan - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Metro Toyota, Outstanding Student in the Auto Service Technology A program, STUDENT OF THE YEAR, Motorsports Scholarship \$1,000, Ohio Technical College Scholarship \$3,000, Student of the Year Scholarship \$500

Auto Service Technology B

PESEK, Myron (ECOT) - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Discount Tire, Outstanding Student in the Auto Service Technology B program, Motorsports Scholarship \$1,000

TRETIAK, Roman - 2014-2015: Early Placement at RadAir

Building & Property Maintenance

DOBROKA, Michael - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Outstanding Student in the Building & Property Maintenance program

Computer Networking Academy

GAITHER, Sarah - 2013-2014: 3rd Place BPA Regional Network Design Team, 4th Place BPA Regional Financial Math & Analysis, 5th Place BPA Regional Systems Administration using CISCO, National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 1st Place BPA Regional Economic Research Individual, 9th Place BPA Regional Computer Network Technology

MAROUSEK, James - 2013-2014: 10th Place BPA Regional Systems Administration using CISCO; 2014-2015: 1st Place BPA Regional Network Design Team, 10th Place BPA Regional Computer Network Technology SLABY, Mark - 2013-2014: 5th Place BPA Regional Computer Security, National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, 1st Place BPA Regional Network Design Team, 5th Place BPA Regional Systems Administration using CISCO

VRANIC, John - 2013-2014: 5th Place BPA Regional PC Servicing/Troubleshooting, 2nd Place Regional BPA Information Technology Concepts; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, 1st Place BPA Regional Network Design Team

WENDT, Robert - 2013-2014: 7th Place BPA Regional Systems Administration using CISCO











Six of the eight "Outstanding Students" from North Royalton include, clockwise from top, left: Alex Briscoe, Adult Student, Auto Body Repair; Myron Pesek, ECOT, Auto Service Technology; Jonathan Hlavka, Auto Service Technology; John Pidgorodetskiy, Marketing Technology; Guinevere Warner, Health Careers; and Michael Dobroka, Building & Property Maintenance.

Extemporaneous Health Poster, advancing to NATIONAL HOSA competition summer 2015

Digital Design

DEAN, Jamie - 2014-2015: Top Ten BPA STATE Digital Publishing with InDesign, 2nd Place BPA Regional Digital Publishing with InDesign, 2nd Place BPA Regional Digital Media Production, 1st Place STATE Ohio School Board Association Video, Early Placement at UPS, Motorsports Scholarship \$500

FLESHMAN, Andrew - 2013-2014: Honorable Mention Scholastic Art Awards Drawing; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Early Placement at Gearin' Up, 3rd Place SkillsUSA STATE Tech Prep Digital Design Team

Graphic Imaging Technology

SCHNACK, Erich - 2014-2015: Honorable Mention Graphic Arts Council Creative Poster, Bronze Medal Northeast Ohio Craftsmen's Club SHIPLEY, Dyllan - 2013-2014: Regional Northeast Ohio Craftsmen's Club Creative Illustration Art Black and White; 2014-2015: 4th Place SkillsUSA STATE Tech Prep Graphics

Heating & Air Conditioning

ALBRIGHT, Reese - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Parkway Refrigeration

KLONARIS, George - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Michael A. Reis Rink, Honorable Mention Skills-USA STATE Heating and Air Conditioning Refrigeration

KURUC, Christopher - 2014-2015: Early Placement at S&S Cooling, Motorsports Scholarship \$500

Construction Trades

BARBO, Christopher - 2013-2014: 1st Place SkillsUSA Regional Carpentry; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Your Carpenter, Honorable Mention SkillsUSA STATE Carpentry BIEGACKI, Joseph - 2014-2015: Early Placement at JADCO Construction Services Inc., Honorable Mention SkillsUSA STATE Masonry

COSTANZO, Patrick - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Larsen Lumber and Supply Company GASBARRE, Michael - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Early Placement at Mosko Excavating, LTD GREGG, Alan - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance PEACOCK, Daniel - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Your Carpenter, Honorable Mention SkillsUSA STATE Team Works

Dental Assisting

BORISOV, Vladyslav - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance ERNE, Taylor - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance, Employee of the Month, Early Placement at Avery Dental Group, NTHS Scholarship \$1,000

ROSELLI, Allissa - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Sullivan Orthodontics, 2nd Place HOSA STATE Competition

Health Careers

DABERNIG, Kelly - 2013-2014: 2nd Place HOSA STATE Competition Biomedical Debate; 2014-2015: Early Placement at University Hospital Parma Medical Center HADNEY, Marissa - 2014-15: Academic Scholarship \$6,000 FLORIAN, Abigail - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance FREDERICK, Gabrielle - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Regina Health Center, 2nd Place HOSA STATE Competition Nursing Assisting, advancing to HOSA national competition summer 2015

PATEL, Princy - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance SUHADOLNIK, Emily - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Regina Health Center

WARNER, Guinevere - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society, 2nd Place HOSA STATE Competition Biomedical Debate; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Regina Health Center, 1st Place HOSA STATE Competition Medical Law & Ethics, Outstanding Student in the Health Careers A program, advancing to NATIONAL HOSA competition summer 2015

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North Royalton

North Royalton...continued

DZUROFF, Jessica - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Athenian Assisted Living FITZGERALD, Karli - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Athenian Assisted Living SHEVCHUK, Tetyana - 2013-2014: 1st Place HOSA STATE Competition Extemporaneous Health Poster; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Royalton Woods

Machine Technology

HUMENIK, Jacob - 2014-2015: Early Placement at SSP Fittings

Marketing Technology

ARENA, Nicholas - 2014-2015: 1st Place DECA Regional Professional Selling Competition

HUSEMAN, Lauren Marie - 2014-2015: 2nd Place DECA Regional Fashion Merchandising Promotional Plan

MADDAMMA, Luciana - 2014-2015: 1st Place DECA Regional Entrepreneurship Innovation

MOENKHAUS, Jacqueline - 2014-2015: 5th Place DECA Competition for Regional Business Services Marketing, Student Employee of the Month NIXON, Lauren - 2014-2015: 2nd Place DECA Regional Fashion Merchandising Promotional Plan PALMATEER, Nicholas - 2014-2015: 1st

Place DECA Regional Entrepreneurship Innovation

PIDGORODETSKIY,

John - 2014-2015: 1st Place DECA Regional Entrepreneurship Innovation, Student of the Month, Outstanding Student in the Marketing Technology program



BROTHERTON, Tulula - 2013-2014: Student of the Month; 2014-2015: Outstanding Student in the Media Technology program

Medical Administrative Specialist WEBB, Meranda (Adult Student) - 2014-2015: 2nd Place BPA Regional Administrative Support Team, Honorable Mention

Two of the eight students from North Royalton selected "Outstanding" in their programs of study by their

instructors, left to right, Tulula Brotherton, Media Tech-

nology; and Renee Gear, Teaching Professions.

BPA Regional Medical Office Procedures WILK, Ashley - 2013-2014: Top Ten BPA Regional Basic Office Systems & Procedures; 2014-2015: 4th Place BPA Regional Basic Office Procedures

Power Equipment Technology FROLO, Thomas - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Buckeye Equipment

Public Health & Safety

DAVIS, Delaney - 2013-2014: 2nd Place SkillsUSA Regional Prepared Speech; 2014-2015: 1st Place Regional SkillsUSA Prepared Speech, 7th Place SkillsUSA STATE Prepared Speech DUSHAW, Hannah - 2013-2014: 3rd Place SkillsUSA STATE Career Pathways Team; 2014-2015: 6th Place SkillsUSA STATE Law & Public Safety WILLISON, Makayla - 2013-2014: 3rd Place SkillsUSA STATE Career Pathways; 2014-2015: 6th Place SkillsUSA STATE Law & Public Safety

Sales & Service Fundamentals TARRO, Tiffany - 2013-2014: 3rd Place DECA Diamonds Regional Team Poster;

DECA Diamonds Regional Team Poster 2014-2015: 1st Place DECA Diamonds Regional Team Decision Making

Teaching Professions

GEER, Renee - 2014-2015: 3rd Place STATE Future Educators of America, Outstanding Student in the Teaching Professions program

Revere

Computer Networking Academy

KIRKENDALL, Tommy - 2013-2014: 3rd Place BPA Regional Network Design Team; 2014-2015: Outstanding Student in the Computer Networking Academy program

Cosmetology

BEALE, Shelby - 2014-2015: Student of the Month

Culinary Arts & Food Services

BADER, Emily - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Bath Manor

Digital Design

ALSIP, Matthew - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Walgreens, 5th Place BPA STATE Digital Media Production, 3rd Place BPA Regional Digital Media Production

Electrical & Alternative Energy Systems

PEYTON, Colton - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Lucas Electrical Contractors LLC

Health Careers

HICKS, Tyler - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society

HOLLOPETER, Nina (home school) - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society, Student of the Month; 2014-2015: 2nd Place HOSA STATE Competition Medical Terminology, Outstanding Student in the Health Careers C





Selected "Outstanding" in their CVCC programs of study by their instructors: Nina Hollopeter (home school), Health Careers C; and Tommy Kirkendall, Computer Networking Academy. program, advancing to **NATIONAL** HOSA competition summer 2015, Black Family Scholarship \$3,000

Power Equipment Technology

HORN, Ryan - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Independence Excavating, 1st Place SkillsUSA Regional Diesel Competition, 1st Place Regional Piston Power Show Auto Challenger, 3rd Place SkillsUSA STATE Diesel Competition, Lincoln Technical Scholarship for SkillsUSA \$6,000, University of Northwestern Ohio Scholarship \$5,000, Ohio Technical College Scholarship \$3,000, Universal Technical Institute Scholarship \$5,000 and Wyoming Technical Scholarship \$1,000

Programming & Software Development

KASSON, Luke - 2014-2015: 6th Place BPA Regional C++ Programming, 9th Place BPA Regional Computer Programming Concepts

SCHNEIR, Adam - 2014-2015: 2nd Place BPA Regional Video Production Team, 8th Place BPA Regional Computer Programming Concepts

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Architectural & Mechanical Design SOMERS, Elizabeth - 20132014: National Technical Honor Society

Auto Service Technology

BRUCE, Trevor - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Conrad's Tire Service
CROSBY JR., Derrick - 2014-2015: Early
Placement at Conrad's Tire Service
THOMAS JR., Terry (Adult Student) - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Discount Tire

Culinary Arts & Food Services

ACKLEY, Tessa - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance
BAKER, Marina - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Panera

CARANO, Jennifer - 2014-2015: Bronze Medal FCCLA Regional Pastry Arts DANIELS, Natasha - 2013-2014: 5th Place STATE ProStart Invitational Team, National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: Early Placement at The Flying Fig, Silver Medal Regional FCCLA Garde Manger, Sullivan Institute Scholarship \$6,000 GRETTA, Austin - 2014-2015: Early Placement at Panera Bread

Twinsburg

MEISNER, Ian - 2013-2014: 5th Place Pro Start STATE Invitational Team, National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: Early Place-

ment at Burntwood Tavern Commissary SHARPE, Aaron - 2013-2014: 5th Place ProStart STATE Invitational Team; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Gordon Food

Service, Outstanding Student in the Culinary Arts program

TOLBERT, Stefani - 2013-2014: 5th Place ProStart STATE Invitational Team; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Zoup

Dental Assisting

CIAMMAICHELLA, Amber - 2014-2015: Early Placement at The Office of Michael Guirquis DDS

Digital Design

BLAHA, Courtney - 2013-2014: Honorable Mention Graphic Arts Council of Greater Cleveland Benny Awards. 2nd Place SkillsUSA STATE Career Pathways Team; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Gazette Newspaper, 1st Place SkillsUSA Regional Advertising Design, 3rd Place BPA STATE Fundamentals of Desktop Publishing, Honorable Mention SkillsUSA STATE Advertising Design, 1st Place BPA Regional Digital Media Production, 2nd Place **BPA Regional Fundamentals** of Desktop Publishing, Motor-

> sports Scholarship \$1,000 SINEX, Shelby -2013-2014: 2nd Place SkillsUSA STATE Career Pathways Team

Graphic Imaging Technology COLEGROVE, Nathan - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Atten-

Health Careers BURKE,

dance

Aundrea - 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance HARMANJIT, Kaur - 2014-15: University of Toledo Scholarship \$2,700 Heating & Air Conditioning SICKLER, Kyle – 2013-14: Early Placement at CO-AX Technology

Media Technology

VLACH, John - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society, 2014-2015: 2-Year Perfect Attendance

Medical Administrative Specialist IVEY, Tiffany - 2013-2014: 2nd Place BPA Regional Medical Office Procedures, 1st Place BPA Regional Fundamental Word Processing, National Technical Honor Society, College of Wooster Scholarship \$22.500. Oliver Ocasek Scholarship \$500, Outstanding Student in the Medical Administration Specialist program RODGERS, Markie - 2014-2015: 4th Place BPA Regional Payroll Accounting, Honorable Mention BPA Regional Database Applications, Honorable Mention BPA Regional Medical Office Procedures, Early Placement at Family Stat Care SELANDER, Elise - 2013-2014: Top Ten BPA Regional Fundamental Spreadsheet Applications; 2014-2015: Early Placement at Home Instead Senior Care. Honorable

Programming & Software Development BANHAM, James - 2014-2015: 2nd Place BPA Regional Video Production Team, 7th Place BPA Regional Visual Basic Programming, 7th Place BPA Regional C++ Programming

Mention BPA Regional Basic Office Sys-

tems & Procedures

GINES, Raymond - 2013-2014: National Technical Honor Society; 2014-2015: 4th Place BPA STATE Java Programming, Student of the Month, 2nd Place BPA Regional Computer Programming Concepts, 1st Place BPA Regional Fundamentals of Web Design, 3rd Place BPA Regional C++ Programming, 4th Place BPA Regional Java Programming, University of Akron STEM Scholarship \$1,500, University of Akron Scholarship for Excellence \$5,000, University of Akron Honors Scholarship \$500

Teaching Professions

DIPENTI, Marisa - 2014-2015: 3rd Place Future Educators of America STATE Competition HOLLAND, Asia - 2014-2015: 3rd Place

HOLLAND, Asia - 2014-2015: 3rd Plac Future Educators of America STATE competition



Administrative Specialist, and Aaron Sharpe,

Culinary Arts & Food Services.



From Twinsburg, left to right: Tessa Ackley, Aaron Sharpe and Marina Baker of the Culinary Arts program, CVCC's Twinsburg board member Mark Curtis, Aundrea Burke of Health Careers, CVCC Supt. Dr. Celena Roebuck, and Elise Selander of the Medical Administrative Specialist program.

CVCC Distinguished Alumna, Spirit of Service Awards

Angel Russo Alumna of the Year...continued from page 1

Angel returns to CVCC every so often to speak to students. She also talks to local groups such as the Brecksville Kiwanis about Autism. However, her community contributions include much more than talking the talk, but walking the walk...literally. Angel and her mother participate in Walk Now for Autism, a fundraiser they are partly responsible for bringing to northeast Ohio from Pennsylvania. Their team is called Angel's Army, which alone has raised more than \$45,000. This year's walk is Aug. 23 at Progressive Field. More information is available at: www.walknowforautismspeaks.org.

In addition to her job, her presentations to groups and her work with Autism Speaks, Angel sings with her church's Prayersong Choir at St. Barnabas in Northfield. A few years ago, the choir traveled to Europe to sing for the pope. During one of their concerts, they performed with The Three Tenors.

Angel, an aunt to 10 nieces and nephews, continues to inspire people every day through her job, her community activism and her vocal talents, and for all of this, she is the quintessential Cuyahoga Valley Career Center Alumna of the Year.



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that help CVCC students become presentable and prepared in order to successfully interview for jobs. Victor and other Sohar's personnel also assist with the product research project that the Power Equipment Technology junior students participate in annually.

Power Equipment Technology instructor Jerry Koenig nominated Mr. Sohar and his business.

"Victor exemplifies what Spirit of Service means through involvement, caring and dedication to the Power Equipment program here at CVCC," said Mr. Koenig.

Barre None: These Wonderful Adult Ed Wellness Classes Start in September

VCC's Adult Education will offer several wellness classes starting in September, featuring yoga, Pilates and more. If it's variety you like, there are some combination classes such as...

Pilates Props Combo

This class includes exercises with bands, balls and student-supplied three-pound weights. The exercises and use of these props will sculpt your muscles while improving your balance, posture and flexibility. Class starts Sept. 9.

Barre Blend Blast

This workout incorporates principles of ballet, Pilates and isometric exercises. Using up-tempo music, a chair is incorporated as a "barre" to assist in exercises, which will enhance your strength, balance, coordination and flexibility. Class starts Sept. 9.

Complete Body Progression

This class combines Pilates Prop Combo and Barre Blend Blast. Your body will reap the benefits! Class starts Sept. 9

Pilates for **Every Body**

Build core strength and increase overall flexibility through a series of exercises that focus on specific

muscle groups. Positive results of Pilates: improves posture and balance, prevents back pain, reduces stress, enhances

athletic conditioning, deepens yoga practice, provides injury prevention, increases body awareness, and boosts immune system. Exercises will be modi-

fied to offer a safe yet challenging workout for beginner to intermediate levels. Class is not recommended for pregnant women. Exercise props provided. except for threepound weights or

lighter hand weights when needed. Class starts Sept. 14.

Yoga, The Whole Body and Mind

Align the body physically with Asana (yoga postures), breathing practices, relaxation and meditation. Bring yoga mat, small blanket or towel, water bottle. Classes start Sept. 22.

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The pre-entrance WorkKeys test consists of math, reading and locating information. Register for this threehour test online at www.cvccworks.edu or call 440.746.8230. All tests start at 10 a.m. on the following test dates: July 8, July 14, July 28, Aug. 18. and Aug. 25.



Pass Rate and Employment Figures

The School of Nursing at CVCC posted an 86% pass rate among its latest class of graduates who took the exam for Licensed Practical Nurse, reports Liz Walton, director of Adult Education.

"96 percent of those who obtained their practical nursing licenses have found positions," said Walton. "They are working for world class hospitals, long-term care facilities, in skilled rehab facilities and in assisted living."