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Prosser Students Shine 400 Students Interviewed

On May 15, Prosser hosted its annual Mock Interview activity for all seniors. Serving as the capstone program for all Prosser work-based learning programs, the mock interview is an outstanding learning experience for students and a great place for Prosser students to shine. More than 400 students were interviewed by more than 50 business volunteers who evaluated the technical and critical soft skills of students.

Resumes, portfolios, proper attire, attitude, handshaking skill, eye contact and question/answer relevance were just a few of the areas where students were evaluated and graded. Students were provided immediate feedback and guidance on how to refine their interviewing skills. Though not the goal of the program, many students received on-the-spot job offers. Many more scheduled follow-up activities with the employers.



Photo: Criminal Justice student, Colin Wray talks to Indiana State Police Officer, Nate Abbott. Colin attends Borden High School and is the son of Maria Gill and James Wray.

EMT Program Excels Prosser Students Capture Third Place

On May 12, junior students from Prosser's EMT class traveled to Lebanon, Indiana to participate in the 6th Annual HERO Competition. The Hoosier Emergency Response Olympics (HERO) competition is an annual Firefighting/EMS competition. They host any Explorer Post or Career Technical Center who would like to bring



Photo: Junior students who participated in the competition are:

a team to compete in seven events. Seventeen teams participated as did more than 100 competitors. Our students came home with a third place trophy in the EMS Division. Congratulations to all students on a job well done.

Zach Wise (Cordyon), Shelby DeShong (Scottsburg), Shawna Fogakoldyke (South Central), Darryl Mundy (Jeffersonville), and Wes Wilson (New Albany).

Student Spotlight

Conner Caldwell

Conner Caldwell is a junior enrolled in the Auto Collision program. Just recently, he earned four certifications from the ASE Student Certification program.

This certification involved testing and passing a series of examinations in collision repair and auto refinishing. Rarely do juniors test for this certification. Conner passed all parts, proving that hard work and dedication pay off.

Conner attends Lanesville High School. His instructor, Mr. Miller, says Conner is a "student full of initiative and drive." Congratulation to Conner for this outstanding accomplishment.



Photo: Conner proudly displays his four certifications. Conner's proud parents are Jeremy & Regina Caldwell.

Prosser's Best

Program Instructors Announce Outstanding Seniors

At the end of each school year, instructors in each Prosser program select their "Outstanding Senior." This senior maintains an exemplary academic record and demonstrates expert program-related skills. These Outstanding Seniors represent all students in each program who strive for excellence.

The 2015 Outstanding Seniors were recognized on Thursday, May 7, when the New Albany Rotary Club members hosted a luncheon meeting at Prosser.

The seniors overall accomplishments are many



including: SkillsUSA Championships, Dual College Credits and Industry Recognized Certifications.

In addition, the Rotary Club will award one of the seniors a \$500 scholarship at the Senior Awards Night on June 3

Photo: Honnah Hay, a senior from Silver Creek High School, was selected as the "Outstanding Senior" in Prosser's Culinary Arts program. Honnah is the daughter of Mark and Melody Hay and plans to attend the Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, New York in the fall.

List of all 2015 Rotary Outstanding Seniors, [here.](#)

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