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Dream It. Do It. Winners Announced

For a second year in a row, Clinton Middle School has won the Anderson County Chamber of Commerce's "Dream It. Do it." competition. The winners received the most votes in an online competition that ended.

The winning team was announced at a ceremony May 10 on the Oak Ridge campus of Roane State Community College.

For their victory, the eighth-grade students Piper Leggett, Steven Patton, Dylan Beeson, and Trinity Harness, and their teacher sponsor, Johnathan Lewis, each received GoPro cameras supplied by Consolidated Nuclear Security, LLC (CNS), the managing operator of the Y-12 National Security Complex.

The competition paired eighth-grade students in Anderson County and Oak Ridge middle schools with area industries. The students toured their partner industries and created videos

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Pictured from Left: Chamber President Rick Meredith, CNS Director of Communications and Public Affairs Jason Bohne, Director of Tennessee Manufacturers Association Denise Rice, President of the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce and Industry Bradley Jackson. Seated in the back rows are all the students, teachers and industry representatives that participated in the "Dream It. Do It" program for 2017.

MEMBER FOCUS

Powell Clinch Utility District



Powell-Clinch Utility District was established in 1959 and is headquartered in Rocky Top, Tennessee where its administrative office and operations facility are located. A branch office is also located in LaFollette, Tennessee. PCUD currently serves 15,000 natural gas customers in Anderson and Campbell County along 700 miles of main as well as 2,000 propane customers in seven East Tennessee counties. PCUD offers appliance sales, service and installation.

Strongly supporting economic development, throughout its history PCUD has served the needs of many local industries strengthening the local economy and job growth. PCUD is also a community partner with Anderson County Chamber of Commerce and takes pride as a good steward in the communities in which it serves.

To contact PCUD or learn more about new service incentives, visit them at 203 E. First Street in Rocky Top, 1005 Jacksboro Pike in LaFollette, on the web at powellclinch.com or phone (865) 426-2822.

Rocky Top; It's official

On May 9th, 2017, it was with great honor that the City of Rocky Top, in partnership with the Rocky Top and Anderson County Chambers of Commerce, hosted a ribbon cutting marking the official name change of their local post office from Lake City, 37769 to Rocky Top, 37769. Since City Council voted to change the name back in June of 2014, the local post office remained Lake City. It was through the hard work and dedication of Mayor Michael Lovely, City Manager Michael Foster, and Congressman

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YOUR CHAMBER AT WORK

Ribbon Cuttings



Improved Access

The City of Clinton celebrated their recent handicapped accessible updates with a ribbon cutting on May 5th. City Council members were present and held the ribbon as Vice-Mayor Rob Herrell cut the ribbon.



ORNL Clinton Branch Gets Facelift Reopens with New Look

ORNL Federal Credit Union in Clinton completed a new remodel recently and held a ribbon cutting to celebrate the new look of the branch. Branch Manager Anne Belland is seen cutting the ribbon. Also pictured are (left) Chamber President Rick Meredith, ORNL FCU President & CEO Colin Anderson, Senior Vice President & Chief Member Experience Officer Janita Clausell, Nicole White, Anne Belland, Toska Childs, Bethany Rush, Senior VP & COO Dawn Brummett, David Vudragovich; (Back Row), Senior VP & CAO Joy Wilson, Senior VP & CMO Tom Wright, ORNL FCU Board Chairman Randy Gorman, Board Member Harvey Gray, Kimberly Coulter, Assistant Vice President of Sales & Service Jason Long, Jessica Tackett, ORNL FCU Board Member Marcy Catron, Mortgage Lender Ronnie Barnes.

Networking / Coffee



Community Trust Bank hosts Gathering

On May 18th, Community Trust Bank hosted a networking coffee for their customers and fellow chamber members. Over 50 people attended the event during which Dorothy Franklin, Branch Manager, gave out several prizes for attendees.



Clayton Appalachia Partners with Habitat for Humanity

Clayton Appalachia of Clayton Homes has formed a partnership with Habitat for Humanity of Anderson Co. This partnership has allowed them to present a home to a needy family in Anderson Co. The home that Clayton Appalachia is giving to Habitat was built by Anderson County Career and Technology Center during this school year. The home is roughly 1200 square feet and is 3 bedroom 2 bath. Pictured is the key presentation to honor the home's completion which took place on Thursday May 18th.

PARTNERS IN THE NEWS



Thermocopy received Ricoh's 2017 Service Excellence Award!

ORAU reelected **Taylor Eighmy**, vice chancellor for Research and Engagement at the University of Tennessee; and **Jeffery Smith**, deputy director of operations at Oak Ridge National Laboratory, to its board of directors.



2017 Miss USA Kara McCullough is a graduate of ORAU's professional training program. ORAU recently set a record for nearly six tons of technotrash and paper recycling during their annual Earth Day collection event. Also collected were 82 pounds of unwanted medications that were collected in collaboration with **ASAP of Anderson County**.

Y-12 Federal Credit Union announced that **Valerie Walls** has been named Vice-President of Human Resources and Training and Development.



Anderson County received the John S. Wilder Rebuild Tennessee Award from the Tennessee Development District Association. Anderson County was recognized for the development of a temporary campus of the Tennessee College of Applied Technology.

The temporary facility will be located in a remodeled commercial facility in Norris and a permanent location will be constructed in the I-75 Business Park in Clinton. **Anderson County** was awarded the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting by the Government Finance Officers Association for the finance staff, led by Natalie Erb, due to their comprehensive annual financial report.



Methodist Medical Center's parent company, Covenant Health has been recognized by Forbes magazine as one of the Top 500 large companies in the "America's Best Employers" category. They were ranked 38th this year and it is their second year to be ranked.



Clinton FFA Endurance team members competed on horseback in 25, 50, 75 and 100 mile rides, led by team coaches **Morgan Watson** and **Erin Champion** and assistant coach, **Rodney Mann**. They are the first team FFA group to compete as a team in the U.S. They competed, crewed and volunteered at the vet check in four races in South and North Carolina.



Anderson County Schools
Every Student, Every Day

MEMBERS IN THE NEWS

Adams Craft Herz Walker, Inc. (ACHW), Architects and Engineers have recently completed designs on two radically different projects in Anderson County. The first, located in Norris, was renovation of the Hensley's Food Center into a Technical Training Facility for the **Tennessee College of Applied Technology**. Class will start in the fall. The other project opened in April, Crafter's Brew in Oak Ridge, offers a relaxing facility serving craft beers. ACHW is proud to have served our diverse clients as Anderson County's only architecture firm for more than 60 years.

Coldwell Banker Wallace & Wallace announced the addition of new agents; **Michelle Corley** and **Kathy Novak** in the West Town Office. **Robbie Sands** was honored as Top Closing and Top Listing Agent for April.

Oak Ridge National Laboratory announced that **Roderick Jackson** was awarded Innovator of the Year at the Young, Gifted and Empowered Awards for his work in building energy efficiency innovation.

All Occasions Party Rentals' owner **Terry Turner** was elected to the board of directors for Zoo Knoxville.

Joy O'Shell, individual member and 2017 graduate of Leadership Anderson County, was hired by AC Entertainment as vice president of business affairs.

UCOR awarded six mini-grants to school projects in Anderson County: "Circuitry & Innovation," **Maria Spiva, Deanna Blackburn, and Laura Dailey of Norris Middle School**; "Syzygy Over Tennessee: K-4th Students Experience 2017 Total Solar Ecilipse," **Lisa Buckner of Linden Elementary School**; "**Pi, Square Root, and Scientific Notation: Precision in Mathematics Using the TI-30xs**," **Ligia Boundy of, Clinton Middle School**; "**Seeing It All with Compound Light Microscopes**," **Bryan E. Freeman of Clinton Middle School**; "**Balancing Student Equipment Needs**," **Nicole Patalano of Clinton Middle School**; "**It's Electric**," **Cristen Holden of Clinton Middle School**. Nineteen other local school projects were awarded in Morgan and Roane Counties. The mini-grant program enables teachers to enhance their students' educational experiences. Selected projects funded by the program give students greater insight into the essential STEM subjects in fun and exciting ways.

Green McAdoo Cultural Center has been awarded \$100,000 for maintenance, restoration and operations in this year's state budget.

Ridgeview Behavioral Health Services held their 3rd Annual "Ride for Hope" to raise awareness of mental health. During the program at the event, they awarded the "Crisis Intervention Team Office of the Year" to Trae Sweeten of the Oak Ridge Police Department Crisis Intervention Team for talking a man out of jumping to his death.

State Representative John Ragan, a former Air Force fighter pilot, was recently decorated by Civil Air Patrol for his service as commander of the Tennessee Wing's State Legislative Squadron.

Ameriprise: Keeton and Keeton announced that **Kyle Keeton** is celebrating 15 years at his location in Clinton on May 29th. Congratulations Kyle!

The Lantern at Morning Pointe announced their recent addition of "SimpleC Companion," a therapeutic stimulation using photos and multimedia of the resident's favorite memories to assist memory care patients without the use of medication.

Y-12/CNS announced the promotion of **Mari-Kaye Monday** to assistant fire chief in Fire Protection Operations at the facility.

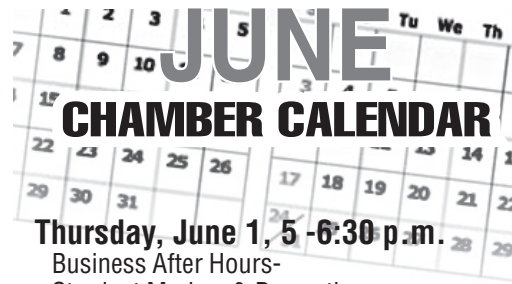
Anderson County School's Norris Middle School announced that **Principal Jeff Harshbarger** has been nominated for the State Principal of the Year Award by the Tennessee State Board of Education.

Advanced Management, Inc. has joined the PXT Select Authorized Partner Network so they are officially able to provide PXT Select assessment solutions to organizations.

AtWork Group was named one of Inavero's 2017 Best Staffing Client and Talent Award Winners.

Clayton Homes, one of America's largest home builders and a Berkshire Hathaway Company, won the 2017 award contest for Manufactured Housing Institute's Manufacturer of the Year.

Tusculum College was named on the 2017 Best Value School List. **Dale Laney** has been named director of veteran services for **Tusculum College**. He will be responsible for fostering and maintaining outreach relations between Tusculum and military institutions, veteran association and the surrounding Northeast Tennessee community.



Thursday, June 1, 5 - 6:30 p.m.

Business After Hours-
Stardust Marina & Properties
149 Stardust Ln., Andersonville,
494-7641

Friday, June 2, 6 p.m.

TRIBUTE TO BUSINESS
Hollingsworth Center for
Entrepreneurial Leadership
2135 N. Charles Seivers Blvd.,
Clinton, TN

Thursday, June 8, 8 – 10:00 a.m.

Chamber Birthday Celebration –
Hoskins Drug Store
111 N. Main St., Clinton

Thursday, June 15, 8 – 9:30 a.m.

Networking Coffee-
Eagle Bend Manufacturing
1000 J. D. Yarnell Industrial Pkwy.,
457-3800

Thursday, June 15, 11:30 – 1:00 p.m.

Legislative Wrap Up Luncheon
Community Center, RSVP at 457-2559,
Cost: \$10

Friday, June 17, 8 – 9 a.m.

Ribbon Cutting – The Houndry
351 Belgrade Rd., Oak Ridge, 272-6540

Tuesday, June 20, 8 – 9:30 a.m.

Small Business Seminar –
“How Customer Service Affects Your Business”
Presented by Jutta Bangs, TSBDC
RSVP to 457-2559 due to limited seating

Thursday, June 29, 5 – 6:30 p.m.

Business After Hours-
The Barn @ Williams Manor
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ROCKY TOP

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Chuck Fleischmann's office, that the diligent preparations paid off and the USPS post office name was officially changed to Rocky Top. They all agree that it was something that should have been taken care of long ago, but they just hadn't made the right connections.

Mayor Lovely said, “The city's name was changed with hope of a better future; this was a challenge, because this government landmark remained unchanged. It didn't allow us to move forward as a unified community. Now that we have a City of Rocky Top postmark, we are official.” Along with the new name, the post office also gained a new Postmaster, Tina Edmonds, who was also a considerable help during this transition. At the ceremony, Ms. Edmonds presented the first official postcard, which can be purchased and mailed from the Rocky Top Post Office.

In addition to the many business

leaders and local elected officials that attended the event, the visit by Congressman Chuck Fleischmann made it even more memorable. City Manager Foster stated, “It is a reflection of [his] outstanding work in Congress and complete dedication to the citizens of this area, that he took time from his busy schedule to come

out and support the City of Rocky Top in commemorating this momentous occasion.” Congressman Fleischmann stated that he was honored to be part of an event that had such an important impact on the community and that he was happy to assist in changing a name of a landmark that has such an influential mark on the map.

MEET UP EAT UP

WHERE: North Clinton Elementary
305 Beets Street
Clinton, TN 37716

WHAT: Free Healthy Lunch AND Snack

WHO: Everyone under age 18

WHEN: Mondays – Fridays
11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

DATES: June 5th – July 28th
Closed the week of July 4th

No registration required
Children must eat food on-site
Contact Heather Byrd for questions 457-0259 or
byrdh@clintonschools.org



Chamber Hosts Customer Service Seminar

The Anderson County Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with the Tennessee Small Business Development Center (TSBDC), will host a free workshop for small business owners and entrepreneurs who want to learn more about the impact of customer service on their business. TSBDC advises and assists entrepreneurs and small business owners in our area at no cost to them.

This free seminar will be held on Tuesday, June 20th, 2017 from 8:00 – 9:30 a.m. at the Anderson County Chamber of Commerce office, 245 N. Main St., Ste., 200, Clinton, with Jutta Bangs, Director of the TSBDC at Roane State Community College. The seminar discussion includes the state of customer service today, philosophies, optimizing customer service performance, knowing your customer, attracting & hiring team members, and selling on value vs. price.

Space is limited and advance registration is required. Reserve your space by contacting the Anderson County Chamber of Commerce, 865-457-2559 or email: acc@andersoncountychamber.org. To learn more about the TSBDC, please visit www.tsbdc.org.

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SCHOOL NEWS

ANDERSON COUNTY SCHOOLS

ACS Marks 40 Years

Recognizing Outstanding Career and Technical Education Students

On Thursday, April 21, twenty Career and Technical Education students in Anderson County were recognized for their outstanding performance in their Program of Study at the Hollingsworth Center for Entrepreneurial Leadership on the floor of BizTown in the Junior Achievement Center. The Student of the Year Banquet has been held annually since 1978 to bring parents, industry partners, community leaders, CTE instructors and their students together to provide recognition to the achievements of students in the Career and Technical

Education programs at both high schools in the district. Over a decade ago, the district began a special recognition and scholarship for students in honor of Dr. Curtis Sexton. Dr. Sexton has been a proponent of Career and Technical Education in Anderson County for over 25 years and has been integral to its growth and expansion serving as the chairperson for the Anderson County CTE Advisory Council. Kaylee Brown, from Anderson County High School, and Ben Daniels from Clinton High School, were the scholarship recipients for 2017.

CLINTON CITY SCHOOLS

Career on Wheels Day

Don't underestimate the importance of elementary experiences! Career exploration begins at an early age. Elementary students are already forming ideas and beliefs about their interests and capabilities for future years. Clinton City Schools instills in students that they have the ability to do anything that they choose if they set their mind to it and work hard towards personal goals.

All students in grades K-2 participated in a Career on Wheels Day. During this day, students were able to explore a variety of careers while touring vehicles and talking with professionals. Students were able to tour a pet groomer van, national guard vehicle, CUB bucket truck, firetruck, and police car. Students dressed representing the career of their choice and paraded through the school. Students had the opportunity to sit inside the bucket of the CUB truck. It was hard to tell who had the most fun - the students or the professionals who came. It was a terrific experience!

Students in sixth grade had a slightly different experience. They attended an official Career Day. The day began in the CES auditorium where students were welcomed by Mayor Scott Burton. Then Michael Ousley, a local Edward

Jones Financial Advisor, conducted a class on soft skills. Students learned the importance of a firm handshake, eye contact, attendance, and professionalism. Students were placed into groups of 10 and they rotated around 14 different job vendors. They took notes at each station, while listening intently on the specifics of each job. After a time of reflection, they had to officially practice their soft skills and apply for three jobs. When applying, they handed the vendor a cover letter and application. The vendors were very complimentary of our CCS students! Many thanks to the following vendors for helping us provide such an authentic learning experience for our students: WYSH, Y-12 Credit Union, SL Tennessee, Clayton Homes, Sellers Realty (Joey Smith), Roane State Mechatronics, Dr. Maxwell (vet), ORAU, Curtis Isabell (attorney), Sarah Cox and Wade Collins (nurses), Clinton Police, Clinton Fire Department, and Fox Toyota.

As we told students, the world is theirs for the taking! Each of them is capable of doing anything they set their mind to do! Belief in themselves and hard work are the keys. We appreciate all of the community partners that helped make this career experience so memorable for our students.



The following students were honored in their Program of Study during the evening awards:

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING MACHINING
NATHAN GOODMAN

WELDING APPLICATIONS
TYLER EMERICK

AGRICULTURE
KAYLEE BROWN-ACHS
BEN DANIELS-CHS

CONSTRUCTION
JOSEPH CROWLEY

BUSINESS MGMT ADMIN & FINANCE
HAILEY HAMM-ACHS
KALLEY STEVENS-CHS

HEALTH SCIENCE
KELSEY GILES-ACHS
SAMANTHA MACK-CHS

HOSPITALITY & TOURISM
CULINARY ARTS
KELSEY RUFFNER

HUMAN SERVICES COSMETOLOGY
JASMYNE HAWKINS

CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT SERVICES
MAKAYLA HOLGUIN

SOCIAL HEALTH SERVICES
AUBREY RIDENOUR-ACHS
SIERRA LISENBEE-CHS

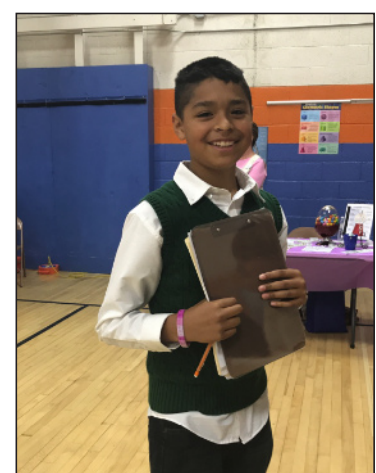
CRIMINAL JUSTICE
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GUNNER MILLER

PROJECT LEAD THE WAY
SINJIN SMITH-ACHS
KAREN ABERCROMBIE-CHS

TRANSPORTATION AUTO TECHNOLOGY
MATTHEW R. LEMARR

WORK BASED LEARNING
KATLYNN IRWIN



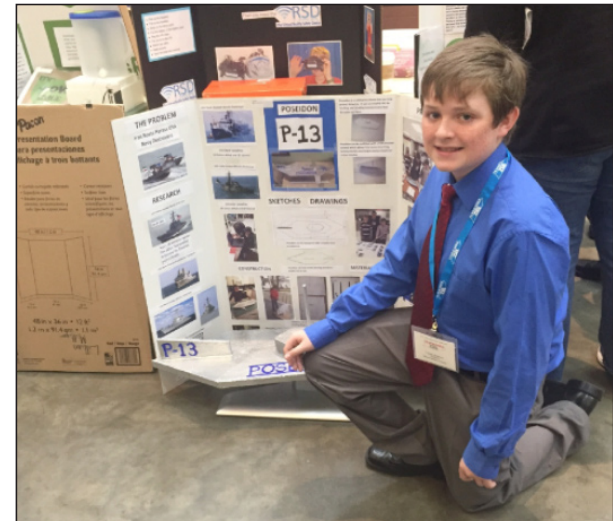
NMS TSA Team Competes at State Competition

Robotics, CO2 car construction, catapult launching, and video game design. What do these things all have in common? Norris Middle School students participating in Technology Student Association (TSA) recently competed in these events at the 2017 Tennessee TSA State competition. TSA is an extracurricular club that focuses on increasing student interest in science, technology, engineering, and math through student-led projects.

Twenty-four Norris Middle School students attended the state conference from April 5 through 8 and have been working on their projects since September 2016. All together, students from NMS competed in a total of eleven different competitions at the state level and many competed in the regionals just to qualify for state.

The Inventions and Innovations team consisting of Nicholas Harshbarger, Jack Hyden, and Parker Meldrum placed first overall in their event and qualified to compete in the national 2017 TSA competition in Orlando, FL, as did the Problem Solving team which included Caden John and Gabriel Watson. The Geospatial Technology team of Matt Baker and Caden John placed second, while the Video Game Design team with Aadyr Currier, Phillip Hamner, Micah Jones, Jacob Terry, and Caleb Walker placed fifth, and Parker Meldrum placed sixth with his Prepared Speech.

In addition to the physical projects the students completed, nearly all of the events include technical writing and interview components, giving students experience with real-life skills necessary for today's workplace. Whether or not students went home with a trophy, the effort put forth by these students over the past few months is admirable, and it is exciting to anticipate what this group of young people will accomplish in the coming years.



100% SAILS Completion

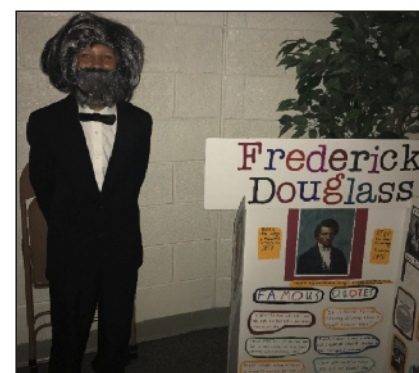
Congratulations to Rachel Jones and Clinton High School for achieving 100% completion of SAILS for the 2016-2017 school year! You and your staff have worked tirelessly to get your students through all 5 Modules. Great Job!



Clinton Elementary School 5th Grade Wax Museum

CES held their first annual 5th Grade Wax Museum on Friday, May 19 in the CES Auditorium. Students picked a historical figure of their choice from Civil War to present. They conducted research on the significance of their person in American history. Each student wrote a five paragraph essay and created a presentation board based on their research. At the wax museum, students dressed up as their person and were prepared to give a short oral biography as people visited the museum.

Parents, students, and community members were invited to attend the wax museum. When they entered the auditorium, they were introduced to approximately 85 different historical individuals. Visitors would walk up to the "wax figure" and press a talk button. The button would enable the character to begin talking about his/her life and the important contribution that was made. Students did an excellent job representing their historical person. This event was a positive learning experience for both 5th grade students and all the visitors!



Did you know....

- That 6th graders will have their own personal lockers next year at CCS?
- That we are offering a FREE Enrichment Camp at Biztown this summer to our rising 4th, 5th, and 6th graders?
- That ANY child ages 0-18 can eat lunch for FREE at North Clinton Elementary School as part of our Summer Feeding Program! You don't even have to be a CCS student!!
- That Central Office registers both city residents and transfer students throughout the summer daily from 8:00-3:30 pm?
- That tuition for transfer students is only \$25.00 per year?
- That all CCS students have access to iReady and Big Universe, two instructional learning programs, until July 15th! Feel free to use to avoid summer learning loss!
- That 36 of our 5th grade Safety Patrol students will be going to Washington, D.C. from June 2-5?

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Clinton Dragons Take Home Gold

The CHS Dragons took home multiple medals during the 2017 Special Olympics. The all day event took place on April 11, 2017. Congratulations to all of the winners for their hard work! Way to go, Dragons! And The Winners Are!

- Blake Poland** (2 silver medals)
- Allen Poland** (1 Gold/ 1 silver)
- Naomi Roberts** (2 Gold)
- Donielle Stricklin** (1 gold/ 1 silver)
- Seth Steward** (1 gold/ 1 bronze)
- Shawn Hooks** (2 silver)
- Jamie Turner** (1 gold)
- Zachary Motsinger** (1 gold/ 1 bronze)
- Will Johnson** (1 gold/ 1 bronze)
- Colby Tucker** (1 gold / 1 silver)
- Hunter Mason** (1 silver / 1 bronze)
- Carlton Crumpley** (1 silver)
- Koby Carroll** (2 gold)
- Sam McKamey** (2 gold)



CLINTON CITY SCHOOLS

Students plant trees



On Friday, April 21, Clinton Elementary Kindergarten and 1st grade students celebrated Arbor Day with several important guests. In the auditorium, students attended a ceremony educating them about the importance of trees. A resolution was read by Councilman Larry Gann signifying the importance of trees in our community.

After the ceremony, a tree was planted in front of CES as part of the Arbor Day Celebration. This special ceremony played a part in making Clinton an official "Tree City." We appreciate all who came to support this endeavor. While the rain came moments before the program, it did not dampen the significance of this wonderful event!



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Chamber Hosts Business Planning Seminar



Leadership Anderson County 2018 kicked off the program year with Orientation and Team Building at Holiday Inn Express & Suites on Monday and Tuesday, May 15 – 16. In addition to Orientation, the class participated in the Marshmallow Challenge, an Economic Development Activity and brainstormed for their Community Service Project. Dr. Stacy Myers with Advanced Management, Inc. revealed to the class the results of their DiSC Workplace Assessment and Chuck Carringer coached the class to be the best leader possible using the results of their DiSC Assessment. We're looking forward to a great year with these 28 participants! For more information concerning the Leadership Anderson County program, visit the Chamber website at: www.andersoncountychamber.org or call: 865-457-2559. Reservations are being accepted for the 2019 class beginning in May 2018.

Networking / Coffee



The Museum of Appalachia held their annual coffee on May 4 to a huge crowd. Elaine Meyer welcomed the people and invited them to stay for lunch at the Museum cafe. The Tenos family band played for the event.



The Leadership Anderson County Class of 2018 held their orientation day at Holiday Inn Express and Suites this month. LAC Board Member Tom Bundy explains a team building exercise for the class while LAC Board Chair Jason Lawrence looks on.

Welcome New Members!

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Communications District

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All Occasions Party Rentals

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YOUR CHAMBER AT WORK



The second "Excellence Award" went to Robertsville Middle School and SL Tennessee.



The "Excellence Awards" were given to two schools. Pictured is Norris Middle School and Eagle Bend Manufacturing.



The "Amaze Award" went to Lake City Middle School and Techmer PM.



The "Think Award" was given to Jefferson Middle School and Protomet.



The "Innovate Award" was given to Norwood Middle School.



The Winner of the "Dream It. Do It." award was Clinton Middle School and Aisin Automotive.

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about what they learned. The videos were then posted, and the public voted for their favorites.

Clinton Middle School partnered with Aisin to create the winning entry.

"Our goal with Dream it. Do it. is to show students how exciting a career in manufacturing can be," said Chamber President Rick Meredith.

In addition to the Chamber and CNS, sponsors also included Anderson

County and the Oak Ridge City Schools. Tennessee Chamber President Jackson Bradley also attended the ceremony and described the goals of Dream it. Do it. as "important" to developing the state's workforce of the future.

The schools and industries participating included Clinton Middle and Aisin, Lake City Middle and Techmer PM, Norris Middle and Eagle Bend, Norwood Middle and Clayton Homes, and Jefferson Middle and SL TN.

The Innovate Award went to Norwood Middle School. The Excellence Award

went to Robertsville Middle School and Norris Middle School. Jefferson Middle School won the Think Award. And Lake City Middle School took home the Amaze Award.

"Congratulations to all the competitors in this year's Dream it. Do it. competition," said CNS Senior Director of Communications and Public Affairs Jason Bohne. "Explaining to a young person that a career in manufacturing can be both rewarding and exciting is best told by another young person. These videos tell that story in a very credible way."

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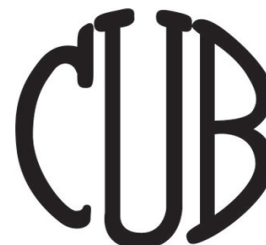
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