

POSITIVE HAPPENINGS – December 7, 2020 BOARD MEETING

Mr. Shannon Yeager – Beaty-Warren Middle School

In November, Beaty recognized the following academic awards for the first marking period:

118 Students for Merit Honor Roll
126 Students for Honor Roll
150 Students for Perfect Attendance

Mr. Brian Reynolds – Eisenhower Elementary School – No Report Provided

Mrs. Ericka Alm – Eisenhower Middle High School

Pictured below are the students who participated in the “What’s So Cool About Manufacturing?” contest produced by the Northwestern Pennsylvania Industrial Resource Center in Erie, PA. The award received by the students pictured was made by our very own Warren County Career Center Students.



In photo: Left to Right Casey Seymour, Gracie Tomassoni, Peyton Kellogg, Alyssa Wismar, Rhiannon Cook, and Noel Alexander

Missing from the photo: Andria Anderson, Kelsi Robbins, and Ciara Sherwood.

They won the Outstanding Creativity award, which is what they chose to focus on. The students had different award categories to try and win, so their teacher, Mr. Eric Shotts, suggested the students focus on one award and they wisely chose creativity! This was suggested because EMHS is a small school and they didn’t have many days or time to meet during their 30-minute advisory period. Most of these students are active in several extracurricular activities and really put a lot of time in outside of the classroom and it shows! Mr. Shotts couldn’t be any prouder of these students! He overviewed the roles, then stepped back and let them choose their area of interest. They had interviewers, voiceovers, camera operators, which he thinks every student grabbed the go pro and tried their hand at filming, and finally a group of students that came in and organized the story board and clips for editing. They truly showed a desire to tell their story of “What’s So Cool About Manufacturing at Betts Industries”.

We also want to thank Betts Industries for partnering with EMHS and specifically these individuals (Glenn Burt, Ryan Betts, Tim Witter, Cale Crocker, Michael Britt, and Ryan Mortenson) for volunteering to be on camera and interviewed by our reporters! We would also like to thank Kristen Lopian of Betts Industries Human Resources for organizing the trips and volunteer schedules.

Ms. Jessica Fortner – Sheffield Area Elementary School

The month of November was busy at SAES. On Veterans Day students learned about the importance of honoring those who have served our country. Classes made cards for the local VFW to pass out to Veterans. Our fifth-grade students made a video tribute on Facebook. Local veterans let us know how much our students’ cards meant to them.

Mr. Glenn Smith – Sheffield Area Middle High School

Winter sports have begun practices and are learning a new and different way of preparing for competition under the protocols related to COVID-19. They are positive and working hard in preparation for the upcoming season.

The number of COVID-19 cases at SAMHS has remained very low. Students and faculty are adhering to the protocols and everyone is working diligently to keep the school safe so it can remain open.

Mrs. Misty Weber – Virtual Academy – No Report Provided

Ms. Jennifer Hobbs– Warren Area Elementary Center

The WAEC student body participated in the PA Pen Pal Project during the month of November. Students in each class made Thanksgiving pictures and cards for residents of the Warren Manor and Cambridge Senior Living Center.

The student body also participated in a school-wide positive behavior quarterly reward within their homerooms on November 20th. Students earned this reward by displaying F.I.R.E. (Friendship, Independence, Responsibility, Excellence) throughout the first nine weeks of school.

Ms. Amy Stimmell – Warren Area High School

A group of Intro to Film students appeared in the Time Observer taking some footage of the Warren County Career Center construction and can be viewed at the following Times Observer link:

<https://www.timesobserver.com/news/community/2020/11/getting-the-shot/>

Mr. Jim Evers – Warren County Career Center

Alex Huffman recently earned his National Registry for E.M.T. I am told he is the youngest E.M.T in Pennsylvania.

Auto Technology recently moved to its new home at the Warren County Career Center.

Several staff members are really utilizing the virtual platform and recording lessons to be placed in their virtual class for future use.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kent – Youngsville Elementary Middle School – No Report Provided

Ms. Amy Beers – Youngsville Middle High School

YMHS conducted a food drive through Student Council that supported the delivery of ten (10) Thanksgiving dinners to students and their families from the building. The paraprofessional staff at YMHS led the delivery/pick up efforts of the meals in collaboration with Student Council.

Student Council leadership students conducted a Blood Drive. Due to the extensive needs for blood and convalescent plasma related to the COVID pandemic, the school felt that this drive was exceedingly important as a community service.