



"Central Nine exists to engage and empower students by providing career-based instruction in an innovative learning environment. We make an IMPACT on our students' personal and professional SKILLS, which enables them to succeed in post-secondary and career opportunities."

Governing Board Report – High School Division

March Highlights

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Curriculum and Instruction

Staffing:

We are currently fully staffed! Mrs. Kerria Hardwick is our new Criminal Justice I Instructor. John Stanley will join us as the new Landscape Management/Horticulture Instructional Assistant.

Career Day

A huge kudos to Mrs. Allison Huey for her work in planning and facilitating this year's Career Day. The event was a huge success with over 70 employers! A special thanks to John Showalter, Jerry Overby, Mr. Willoughby, and his Precision Machining students for their help with setup and tear down.

Observations/Evaluations

Observations continue and summative conferences will take place and conclude by the end of April. An Evaluation Committee met today and began to analyze our evaluation program.

Dean of Students

Field Trips

Chef Mendenhall's Culinary Arts class took a field trips to Archer's Meat Packing Company on Tuesday, February 19th and to Goose the Market on Tuesday, February 26th.

Mrs. Renee Bomar (Exercise Science), Mrs. Robin King (BioMedical PLTW) and Mrs. Lawton's (Nursing) classes took a field trip to Camp Atterbury on Tuesday February 26th for simulated triage training hosted by the National Guard.

Mr. Andy Moore's Horticulture class took a field trip to Freshwater Lobster Farm on Thursday, February 28th.

Mr. David Lucid and Mrs. Kerria Hardwick's Criminal Justice classes took field trips to Pendleton State Correctional Facility on Wednesday, March 6th and Friday, March 8th.

Mrs. Melanie Carpenter (NTHS sponsor) and Mr. Andrice Tucker (Auto Services I) took National Technical Honor Society students for a volunteering experience to Dayspring Family Shelter on Tuesday, March 5th.

Student Services

Marketing/Recruiting

- 2/5 Clark Pleasant Middle School tour (50)
- 2/6 Webb Elementary 4th grade tour (65)
- 2/6 Recruitment at Calvary Christian (65)

- 2/6 NTHS Officer Installation
- 2/6 Center Grove 8th Grade Parent Night
- 2/7 Clark Pleasant Middle School tour (50)
- 2/8 Perry Academy Tour (28)
- 2/11 Beech Grove 8th Grade Parent Night
- 2/11 Paul Mitchell Open House
- 2/15 Presentations at Southport High School
- 2/18 Private Tour – Vet and Welding
- 2/19 Southport MS PLACE
- 2/20 Center Grove Middle School Morning Announcement guest
- 2/20 Southport MS PLACE
- 2/21 Southport MS PLACE
- 2/25 Center Grove MS tour AM (48)
- 2/25 Center Grove MS tour PM (90)
- 2/26 Perry Meridian MS Presentations
- 2/26 Center Grove MS Central tour AM (55)
- 2/26 Center Grove MS Central tour PM (78)
- 2/27 Perry Meridian MS Morning Announcement guest

Student Services Coordinators are continuing to meet with students having issues. Parent/teacher conferences have been held to work through student issues. Eighth grade PLACE programs continue. PLACE allows 8th grade students to experience Central Nine for three days in the program of the student's choosing. Recruitment focus turns to middle and elementary schools in the Spring. Student Services Coordinators attempt to attend as many functions at the high schools as possible, though most are held in the evening.

Administration – Student Services Office

Registration of returning students is completed and new student registration has begun at the sending high schools. Student Services continues to work with Marketing to enhance external marketing efforts.

Supportive Services

Student Services staff are continuing to meet with students who have ID violations each day. Work Ethic students are gearing up for their final qualifications regarding the Work Ethic Certification with Mock Interviews ongoing. The National Guard visited in force for the first annual National Guard Career Day.