

CTE NEWS AND EVENTS

August 2009



Bolivar Central High School

Health Science Department

The BCHS Health Science Department welcomes our new teacher, Mrs. Kathy Clark. Mrs. Clark will be teaching 3 blocks of Health Science this semester and from all reports (including the students), she is doing a great job!



Mrs. Jordan's Health Science students have been busy learning about the cell and the body systems. The Medical Therapeutics students have been studying the teeth and dental assistant skills, and her EMS students have been studying the history of emergency medicine. The HOSA membership drive is under way and will continue until September 1st. All Health Science students are encouraged to join. Our goal is to exceed last year's membership.





Bolivar Central FFA Chapter
Fair Booth



Bolivar Central High School FFA
Summer Camp

Bolivar Central High FFA Participates in Hardeman County Fair and Attends FFA Leadership Camp

FFA members designed and constructed a fair booth at the Hardeman County fair. Pictured are Jacob Dyer (left) President and Carrie King (right) Reporter. The FFA booth place first and received a blue ribbon and \$50 for their efforts.

Bolivar Central's 2009-2010 FFA Officers attended Leadership training camp at Camp Clements at Doyle, Tennessee this past summer. In this photo they are conducting a flag raising ceremony for the entire camp. Members spend the entire week developing leadership skills to make them better officers in their local chapters. From left to right are Drew Denton-Sentinel; Taylor Deming-Treasurer; Bradley Miller-Secretary; Benton Powell-Vice President; and Jacob Dyer-President, Carrie King-Reporter is not pictured.

CTE Supervisor's Corner

WELCOME BACK!!!! And a special welcome to our new teachers in CTE:

Randy Bishop	–	MHS	–	Marketing
Allyson Haggard	–	MHS	–	Criminal Justice
Kathy Clark	–	BCHS	–	Health Science
Andre Griggs	–	BCHS	–	Criminal Justice
Rob Hessing	–	BCHS	–	Personal Finance/Business Education
David Young	–	BCHS	–	Keyboarding/Business Education

Happy Birthday wishes to the following:

Judy Smith	-	September 11 th
Catherine Carmichael	-	September 15 th
Mark Fulghum	-	September 15 th
Julia Bobbitt	-	September 15 th

Teaching Tips:

- Be organized. It is hard to teach what you can't find.
- Be proactive. Don't let others control our attitude and reactions. We need to think about how we plan to handle situations and create a positive environment.
- Be calm. Most situations aren't as bad as we make them out to be and most of what we stress about is beyond our control or simply never happens.

We are off to a great start this year because of your preparation and positive attitude. Thank you and let me know how we can continue to improve.

- After Labor Day, I will start completing formal evaluations, walk-through evaluations and check on the Quality Program Indicators that you should have evidence of in your expandable folders.
- If you have technology needs that the IT department needs to address, let me know and also be sure to turn in the request through your school's liaison.