

# News Flash!

CVCC Board of Education-  
North Royalton District



## September 26, 2019

### Channel Five News Visits CVCC

On Monday, September 16, Channel 5 News came to CVCC to interview Auto Service Technology instructor, Mr. Lamatrice as well as get footage of students in their element learning hands-on in the classroom. Their visit was in collaboration with Blaster Chemical's Program, Blaster U, which provides resources and products to career-technical centers for student use. CVCC has been in partnership with Blaster Chemical for years, it was a great opportunity to share the great resources that are offered and utilized by CVCC's Auto Service Technology students. The airing of the segment will be at the beginning of October; stay tuned for more information regarding this opportunity.



### Wreaths Across America Kick-off Meeting

On Friday, September 13, CVCC's Power Equipment Technology, Construction Trades, and Education Professions programs met to discuss the Wreaths Across America Service project that is once again starting!

Cuyahoga Valley Career Center's Power Equipment Technology, Construction Trades, and Education Professions students are joining the cause to ensure that all veterans at Ohio Western Reserve Cemetery are honored. From now until November 29<sup>th</sup>, CVCC students from Power Equipment Program, with instructor Mr. Koenig leading the way, Construction Trades Program, instructed by Mr. Yuravak, and Education Professions Program, instructed by Mrs. Everhart, are using this opportunity as a service-learning project, setting a lofty goal of gathering 1,000 wreath sponsorships as a way to honor those who served! Each wreath sponsorship costs \$15. Cuyahoga Valley Career Center's "Online order" Group ID Number is: OH0125P. To sponsor a wreath visit, [www.wreathsacrossamerica.org/OH0125P](http://www.wreathsacrossamerica.org/OH0125P) or for more information contact Power Equipment Technology instructor Mr. Koenig at [gkoenig@cvccworks.edu](mailto:gkoenig@cvccworks.edu) or 440-746-8290.



### **WREATHS *across* AMERICA**

### Fitness Fridays with SMES, and Sales and Service

On Friday, September 13, CVCC's Sports Medicine Exercise Science (SMES) students hosted their first "Fitness Friday" with Sales and Service students. SMES instructor, Mr. Fahey felt his students needed more interaction with people outside of this classroom to develop communication skills. He connected with Mindy Wracher, CVCC's Sales and Service Program instructor, who is always looking for ways to expose her students to different skills. Each Friday, the SMES class will do an activity with the Sales and Service students that pertains to the SMES student's current unit of

study. Each week different students in the SMES class will take the lead and use their creativity to teach the lesson. The hope is for all students to learn useful information and gain communication skills. Activities the students have done includes taking each other's blood pressure, as well as learn strengthening and flexibility exercises. What a great way to be fit as well as interact with others!



## **CVCC Fire and EMS Academy Students Pay Tribute**

On Wednesday, September 11, as students and staff walked into CVCC, they joined our high school Fire and EMS Academy students in honoring and remembering all those lost and affected by the tragic events that changed our country forever 18 years ago. What a beautiful tribute! Thank you to the Fire and EMS Academy students for giving their time to remember and pay respect.



## **Open House for High School Students**

On Thursday, September 5, the CVCC High School staff welcomed secondary students and their parents to the annual Open House event. Open House was from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Many attended and visited program areas and had the opportunity to meet with their child's program instructor, academic teachers, guidance counselors, VoSE's and administrators. Parents were also able to get a visual of their child's program areas and labs as well as see projects students are currently working on. Teachers had the chance to explain to parents what will occur curricularly in their child's program this year and what the expectations for the program entail. CVCC thanks all the parents and students who came to the High School Open House, it was a great turn out! CVCC looks forward to continuing another great school year!



## **Thunderbirds Visit CVCC**

On Friday, August 30, the United States Air Force Thunderbirds visited CVCC to speak with high school students about their experiences and stories. It was a great lesson for the students regarding working hard, and never giving up. What an inspirational, knowledgeable, and beneficial opportunity!



## **Educator's Rising Student Organization Collecting Donations**

CVCC's Education Professions program has started a campaign to collect donations for children in the foster care system, in partnership with the Educator's Rising Student Organization. The students are asking for donations of personal care items to donate to children that are in need within the area. For further information, or to donate, contact Education Professions instructor, Mrs. Everhart at [jeverhart@cvccworks.edu](mailto:jeverhart@cvccworks.edu), or 440.746.8217.

## **Upcoming Events**

- ◆ Wednesday, October 2, 2019 ♦ 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. ♦ College Night
- ◆ Saturday, October 5, 2019 ♦ 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. ♦ ACT Test Prep-One Day Intensive Course
- ◆ Wednesday, October 9, 2019 ♦ 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. ♦ Parent Conferences
- ◆ Thursday, October 10, 2019 ♦ 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. ♦ Parent Conferences
- ◆ Tuesday, October 22, 2019 ♦ 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. ♦ Community Wellness Presentation: “Memory and the Aging Brain”
- ◆ Thursday, October 24, 2019 ♦ 5:00 p.m. ♦ CVCC All Boards’ Dinner, Board of Education Meeting Immediately Follows