

# Emmett O'Brien Technical High School

# October 21-25 2019

## **Professional Development at EOB!**



On Wednesday October 23rd a Professional Development day was held for teachers and support services staff. The topics included:

- Emergency Medical Support Training: Mr. Sansone, Mrs. Aleman and Ms. Solis led the session and discussed the proper use of an Automated External DE fibrillar (AED), how to handle a choking victim, and discussed the importance of remaining calm when these type of situations occur.
- The team reviewed the Teacher Professional Standards and Ethics (Module 5) by breaking into four teams and participating in various scenarios. The exercise was led by Mrs. Dunn.

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4. The remainder of the day was focused on completing the SLO's. Administration reviewed the School Improvement Plan and District Goals. Mrs. Lebouthillier communicated the requirement to all Shop Instructors that we must achieve a 20% increase in work -based learning (including job shadowing) and that it needs to be one of our IAGD's.





3. Mrs. Andrade instructed us on the use of Parent Square and the importance of communication to the parents. Mrs. Lebouthillier stressed that school-wide communication



#### **Goodbye to Kristina and Mr. LaMere!**

The staff wished a farewell to two of our staff members on Wednesday October 23rd. Kristina Nocera (Guidance Secretary) is leaving to pursue another job with the State and Mr. LaMere (HVAC Instructor) is transferring to another school in our district. Mrs. Lebouthillier applauded them on their contributions to EOB and that they will surely be missed.





# Innovative Workforce Solutions Program hosted at EOB!

On Thursday October 17, Steve Orloski hosted the New Haven Manufacturers Association Innovative Workforce Solutions Program at Emmett O'Brien. There were over 45 employers present. Many topics were discussed highlighting workforce/educational related programs / stem and apprenticeships. Mr. Orloski and four additional panelist presented information on their programs, followed up with Q & A from the audience. The amazing food for the luncheon was provided by Emmett O'Brien's Culinary

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On Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup> the Emmett O'Brien Golf Tournament Fundraiser was held at Orange Hills Country Club. This fundraiser is the athletic





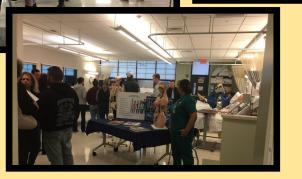
programs largest fundraiser and benefits the athletics program and the student athletes. Equipment, uniforms and banquets are supplemented by the funds raised through the golf tournament. This was the most successful golf tournament to date. It was a great day and the golfers truly enjoyed themselves. There were breakfast sandwiches to kick off the day and a full course dinner provided after the tournament. There were great raffle prizes and golf tournament foursomes that were both raffled and auctioned after dinner. It was wonderful to see how when everyone comes to together for the kid, such great things happen. Coaches, teachers, PFO, parents, friends, alumni all chipped in to help in so many ways to make this a successful event.



## EOB Open House!

On Thursday evening, October 24th, EOB held an Open House for all 7th and 8th grade students and parents from the surrounding towns. We had an excellent turnout with well over 500 people attending. Special thanks goes out everyone involved, especially our incredible staff and students. Each of you positively represented the spirit of our school community and did an outstanding job showcasing what EOB is all about. We were pleased that many parents and prospective students shared their excitement about the event.









- ⇒ October 31 Halloween Social
- ⇒ November 1 —-EOB Goes Pink Volleyball Tournament
- ⇒ November 2 Health and Wellness (see above)
- $\Rightarrow$  November 5 No School— District PD
- ⇒ November 6 1st Marking Period Ends

- $\Rightarrow$  November 8 Pep Rally
- $\Rightarrow$  November 11— No School—Veterans Day
- $\Rightarrow$  November 13 Veterans Day Luncheon
- $\Rightarrow$  November 15 Homecoming Dance