EMMETT O'BRIEN TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL Condor Flyer

UPCOMING EVENTS

• Feb. 8th: NHS Induction Ceremony, 5:30 pm



COLUMN REPLACEMENTS

A New Haven homeowner recently contacted Mr. Koziol and the MDET department in helping him replace rare column supports for a home constructed in 1915.

MDET developed the dimensioned blueprints.

Special thanks to Mr. Howley and his carpentry class for making six of these rare architectural details.





EOB CARES SPOTLIGHT



I WISH...

Mrs. Mullis had her US History students think about where they are so far in 2023 and thought about what kind of energy they wanted to put into the world. They built a Wishing Wall and put their wishes for themselves, family, and friends (and even some silliness) on the wall. She asked staff to contribute as well (via a link form).

Feel free to stop by room 204 and add your wish in person!

BUILD-A-FRIEND

For the Jan 27 Cares challenge, students had to build a friend by listing the qualities such as values, personality traits and actions they would want in their ideal friend.

Of course common attributes came up such as.... VALUES – honesty, loyalty, respect, PERSONALITY TRAITS- funny, kind, friendly and ACTIONS – being a good listener, willing to help and keeping in touch. This lesson was great as the 12 grade portfolio classes have been working on qualities that company's would want in their employees.



AFRICAN AMERICAN HEALTHCARE PIONEERS

Mrs. Bolton shared a presentation with the 10th and 12th grade Health Tech students highlighting African American pioneers in healthcare. The presentation highlighted their key contributions to modern healthcare and medicine.

PATRICIA BATH (1942-2019)

First African American to ophthalmology residency with New York University's School of Medicine, in 1973.

First female faculty member appointed to UCLA School of Medicine ophthalmology department.

Dr. Bath belied that that "eyesight is a basic human right."

She cofounded the American Institute for the Prevention of Blindness.

In 1986, she invented the Adelphic probe, a device and method for cataract treatment which was patented in 1988.

She became the first African American female doctor to receive a patent for a medical invention.



HAZEL JOHNSON-BROWN (1927-2011)

Enlisted in the military in 1955.

She broke down racial barriers in the armed services, serving as the first Black chief of the U.S. Army Nurse Corps.

She became the director of the Walter Reed Army Institute of Nursing and was named army Nurse of the year, twice.

In 1979 she was promoted to Brigadier General, becoming the first African American woman to earn this rank.



BASKETBALL UPDATE

The Condor Boys are currently 8-7 this season! Senior Night is February 10th at Ansonia Middle School. They have missed playing home games, so please check out these great shots captured at their recent games.



ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Mike Smith is a senior cocaptain averaging 10 points and 6 rebounds per game this season. In the last 2 games, Mike has hit 11 three pointers, including 6 against Wilcox Tech and 5 against Derby.

Smitty is in HVAC and has secured a job with Mobilio and Son Heating and Cooling in Cheshire.



Keep up the great work, Mike!



GMO DEBATE

Students in Ms. G's science classes debated the Pro's and Con's of utilizing Genetically Modified Organisms in Food.

Students spent several days preparing their arguments ultimately debating each other and defending their stances. In the end, students concluded that more information is needed before a definitive judgement could be made for or against the use of Genetically Modified Organisms in food.