

Condor Flyer



UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 12th: Clocks "Spring Ahead"
- March 15th: District Professional Development

TWO AUTO SENIORS NOMINATED FOR STATE COMPETITION

In the past, automotive dealer associations across the country such as the Connecticut Auto Retail Association sponsored teams to the National Automotive Technology Competition held at the New York Auto Show. This year, the dealer association is supporting a statewide student challenge with scholarships, prizes, and more for the students.

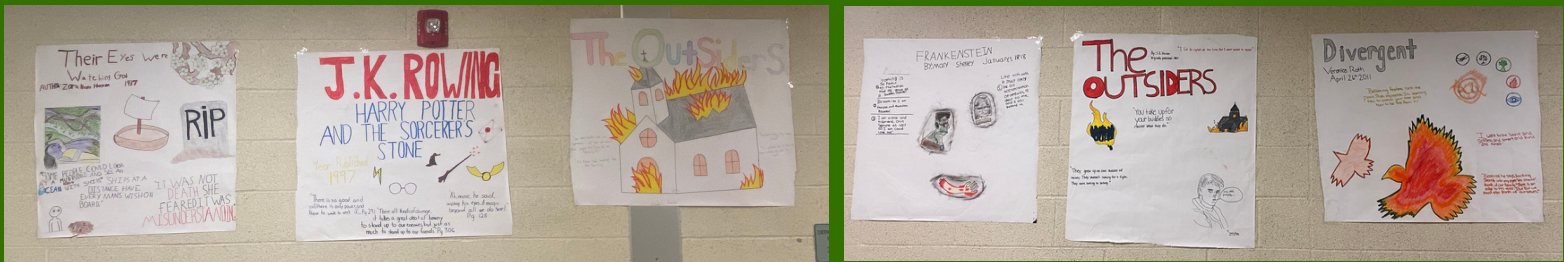
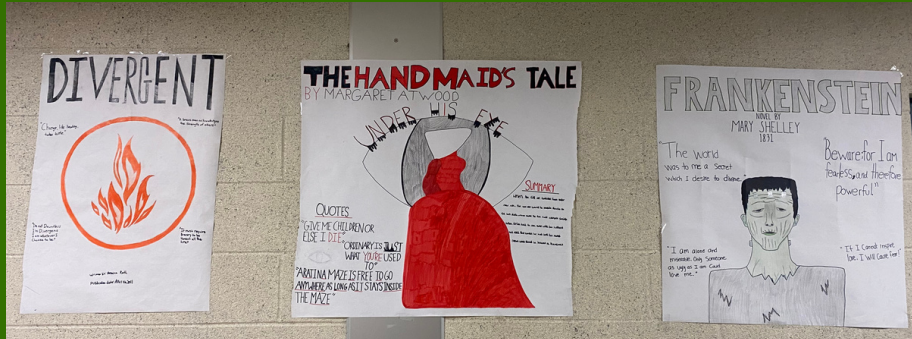
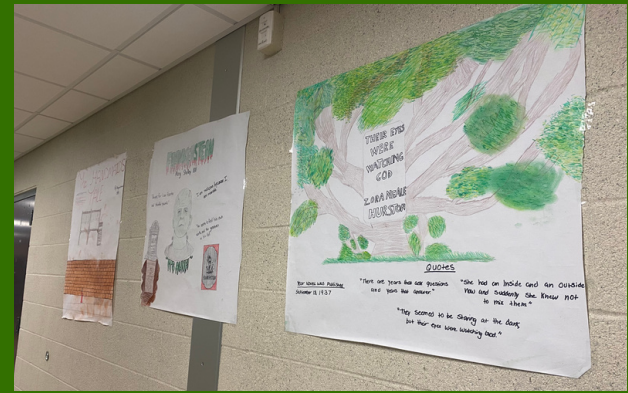
This year's format will continue in not having teams compete but rather *individual students*. The Challenge will be held on Tuesday, May 9th at Gengras Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram in East Hartford. The overall competition will be very similar to years past with hands-on vehicle and workstation challenges.

The following Emmett O'Brien Auto Seniors have been nominated for the competition this year: Nathan Whitaker and Jason Soda. Congratulations!



CELEBRATING WOMEN IN LITERATURE

Mr. Brennan's Freshman English classes celebrated Women's History Month by creating posters of novels by prominent female authors. They spent three days in class creating posters that incorporated quotes from the novel.



FAFSA CHALLENGE

Emmett O'Brien has been selected to participate in the state FAFSA Challenge. We received \$5000 to help support students complete their FAFSAs and realize the college dream.

Seniors who showed their counselor proof of completion received a Swag Bag of items this week. They are also entered into a raffle to win prizes like an iPad or Beats By Dre Headphones. As of March 10th, almost forty seniors have completed the 'FAFSA CHALLENGE' by securing financial aid for college. Seniors can still complete the FAFSA and show proof to qualify!



EOB HAS ITS OWN ALL-STAR

Congratulations are in order for basketball captain Mekhi McNeil for a *number* of reasons:

1. He was voted the male athlete of the week in the state of CT for the week of February 14th!
2. He was named 1st team All CTC!
3. He was selected to play in the CT High School Coaches Association All-Star game. He was one of forty seniors from around the state to be selected to participate in the event to be held on Tuesday March 21st at the Morgan School in Clinton. Mekhi is the first player from O'Brien to be chosen for this event in over 10 years!

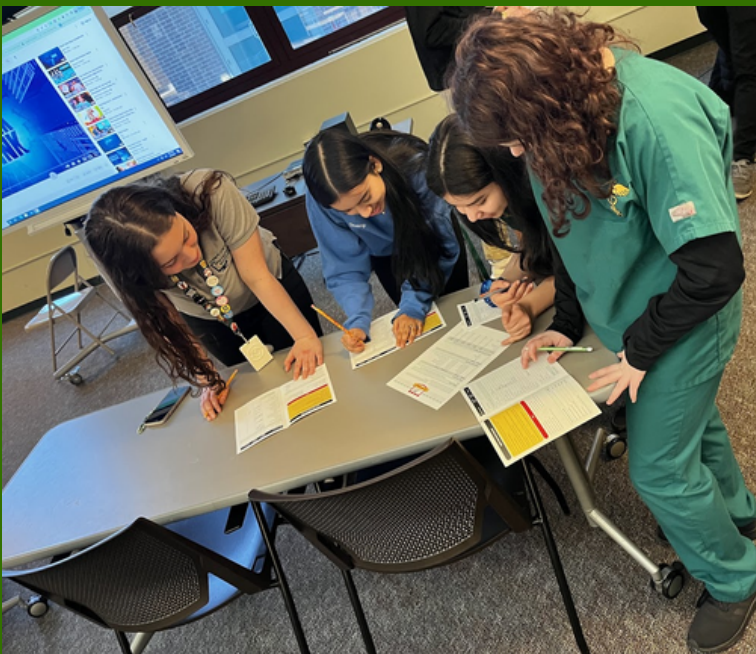
Outstanding performance on the court, Mekhi!



SKILLSUSA BINGO

On March 8th the Skills Officers volunteered at the PFO bingo night in Cafe141. Here the students helped to set up for the night as PFO's Kathy Raiden hosted the fundraising event. It was a great night and the officers appreciate all of the efforts that PFO has given in their pursuit to raise funds for the up coming National Competition.

Thank you to Raina Kemper, Mariah Roque, Kahmir Tucker, and Donte Palacios and Navoni Harris for volunteering at this event!



FAB LIFE

Mr. Behun and Mrs. Carvalho hosted the "FAB Life Game" with ECMC Scholars and an Economics Class on March 6th. This was a financial literacy simulation intended to teach students financial education concepts in an interactive way.



COSMETOLOGY VISITS THE INTERNATIONAL BEAUTY SHOW

On Tuesday the 7th of March the students in the Cosmetology Department traveled to New York City to participate in the International Beauty Show. All grade levels were invited to participate as they witnessed the newest trends and fashions. The students left with a small taste of the exciting opportunities that are in their future with beauty culture.

