

Soup-er Bowl Success

The Chiefs might have won the Super Bowl, but the community of Marshfield came out the real winner! Over 2,000 canned goods were collected and donated to the Soup or Socks Program in collaboration with Marshfield High School, Middle School, Lincoln Elementary, and Madison Elementary.

The elementary schools came out on top with students and staff at Lincoln collecting 981 canned goods and students and staff at Madison Elementary collecting 898.

This project was a joint effort between MHS FCCLA and Student Council and was initiated by Audrey L., Gage S., and Paige S. as a part of the FCCLA Chapter Service Project. Due to their success, these members earned a silver award and will be competing at the state leadership conference in April.



MHS Student Will Compete at National Microsoft Competition


Mason G. recently earned the top spot in the State of Wisconsin for his Microsoft Word Certification Exam score and time. Marshfield High School dominated the Fall Qualifier earning twelve of the thirty top 10 qualifying spots in Word, PowerPoint, and Excel. Mason will travel to Orlando in June to compete in the National Competition. Other Top 10 State Championship students include Beckett H., Brennan Z., Chase O., Grace C., Isaiah K., Jacob B., Kathryn W., Lauren W., Oliver M., Sterling W., and William K.

The Microsoft Office Specialist U.S. National Championship presented by Certipoint, a Pearson VUE Business and sponsored by Microsoft, is a competition that tests students' skills in Microsoft Office Word, Excel® and PowerPoint®. Top students are invited to represent their respective states at the U.S. National Championship.

The winners of the U.S. National Championship will receive an all-expenses paid trip to the Microsoft Office Specialist World Championship where they will represent the U.S. and compete against other students from around the world.



Career-Based Learning Opportunities Abound at MHS



Aran
MHS Youth Apprenticeship Student at Simplicity Credit Union

The best part of my Youth Apprenticeship experience has been improving my people skills. I have found myself smiling more, speaking nicer, and being more articulate everywhere I go! My personal growth in that regard has been tremendous!

The program is a significant experience for all students to have. Even if they are not planning on pursuing a career in their chosen program, the whole ordeal is critical in showing what true responsibility can look like. I found my experience to be a lot of fun – and I didn't even want to work as a teller in the first place!

Marshfield High School has given its students a unique opportunity, and I don't think anyone should miss out on it!



All sophomores learned about career-based learning programs at MHS during a Tiger Time lesson in December. They heard testimonials from Mrs. Fredrick, students currently enrolled in each program, and program alumni who are now working in the Marshfield community.

Marshfield High School students enrolled in Youth Apprenticeship – Electrical Fundamentals and Sports Medicine Internship recently completed First Aid / CPR / AED training offered in partnership with Mid-State Technical College.




Lexi
MHS Youth Apprenticeship Student at Staab Construction

I have gained many new, valuable skills working at Staab Construction as an Accounting Assistant and Project Coordination Assistant. The transition from school life to work life is made much easier through Youth Apprenticeship. It has also taught me how to be more professional within the business community. Plus, it gives me the ability to earn and save money, while also getting graduation credit through school.

One of the biggest, and most beneficial skills I've gained and improved is communication. In addition to interactions with other employees but also with outside colleagues. Organization, both mental and physical, is another essential skill. I've been able to keep my tasks organized and finished on schedule due to this important skill.

After high school, I am 100% committed to the University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire to major in Business.



Seniors enrolled in Health Career Connections started their Semester 2 rotations on January 23. During this two-period block class, students interested in pursuing a health career report to various healthcare facilities in our community.

While there, students will gain insights into skills required for success in health careers and have a glimpse into the daily responsibilities of healthcare professionals. The photo includes students that started their semester-long Marshfield Medical Center rotation.



Abigail MHS Health Career Connections Student

The best part of my experience has been growing connections all over the community. I have been able to work with various professionals throughout my experience and have met so many amazing people who are open to teaching me more about their line of work.

Health Career Connections helped me change my job choice. Through testing out different job shadowing opportunities I learned that there are so many medical jobs I did not know about. I was able to decide that I really like being in the operating room because of the several surgeries I was able to watch. This has helped me save time and money in college by not taking courses that won't help me reach my future goals.



Logan MHS Future Teacher Internship Student

The best part of my experience in this class was being able to work with a teacher who was amazing at what he did. As well as working with kids that you could tell loved to be in music class.

I learned skills of active listening and being prepared. I learned that it was very important to come with a plan everyday, so I knew what I was doing and I wouldn't feel overwhelmed. I used active listening a lot, by listening to student questions as well as feedback from my mentor to then improve for the next time.

This is a wonderful opportunity for students that either know they want to go into education or even just want to figure out what they want to do. If anything, this class solidified my decision to become an educator.

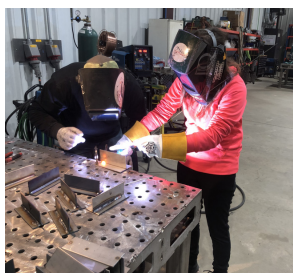
My plan is to go to UWSP for a Bachelors degree in Music Education.

Hands-On Opportunities With Local Businesses

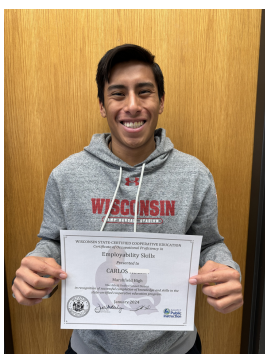
Students enrolled in Transportation courses at Marshfield High School visited 5 local businesses on February 14 – Gross Motors, O'Brien Automotive, I-State Truck Center, Draxler's Service, and Ascendance Truck Centers. Students were able to talk with technicians about job duties and watch equipment demonstrations. They were also able to see many aspects of each business including sales, marketing, service, parts, and more.



Construction Technology students at Marshfield High School attended Construction Career Day on February 13 at Staab Construction. Representatives from local construction related companies gave students the opportunity to learn from hands-on activities.



The business representatives also provided students with information regarding wages, safety standards, employment opportunities, and answered questions students had about the industry.



Successful completers of the Work-Based Learning I course were recently awarded the DPI State-Certified Employability Skills Certificate. Throughout the Semester I course, students (including Carlos who is employed at Staab Construction) developed employability skills and worked a minimum of 90 hours in a paid job in our community. This certificate recognizes a student's mastery of employability skills valued by employers in a variety of worksite settings while helping students explore career interests.

MHS Students Gain Biomedical Knowledge



Another great group of students represented the MHS science department at the annual Fritz Wenzel Conference at Marshfield Clinic where they attended various medical workshops, toured different biomedical departments, and participated in panel discussions.

They enjoyed the hands-on experiences, opportunities to meet new people, and network with different professionals on a personal level the most.

AP Students Recognized for Hard Work and Dedication

AP Scholars were recognized at Marshfield High School on January 4th, 2024 for their academic achievements. Over 150 students earned an "AP Scholar" award for their great work on taking and passing numerous Advanced Placement exams last year.



This amazing achievement helps students earn college credit while still in high school, allowing them to either graduate college early, study multiple majors while in college, and/or successfully decrease the cost of their undergraduate degree.

Boys Basketball represents on and off the court at holiday tournament

The Marshfield Boys Basketball team competed in a highly competitive tournament at Concordia University in Mequon over the Winter Break. They defeated two ranked teams in Onalaska (D2 #5) and Ashwaubenon (D2 #9).

Brant F. (vs Onalaska) and Brooks H. (vs Ashwaubenon) were named MVPs of their respective games.

The best part about this tournament was that it was a collective effort from our entire program and community.



We traveled 23 members (18 athletes & 5 coaches) in an overnight stay and about 50 parents & fans made the trip to support us. We received comments from the hotel staff about our athletes' good behavior, respectfulness, and generosity. The bus driver was also very pleased with the cleanliness of our bus after the two-day trip was complete.