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February 2025

FLY ON THE RUN 2025 WELCOMES SPONSORSHIPS, ENCOURAGES SIGN-UPS



Support the students and programs of the LCCTC by sponsoring Fly on the Run 2025 – our Foundation’s annual fly-fishing tournament on May 7 & 8!

The event includes a banquet with delicious food prepared by our Culinary and Baking and Pastry students, a live auction featuring student-made items, and fly fishing along the Lititz Run. This event is always a sell out so sign up today!

<https://lcctf.org/.../LCCTF-Fly-on-the-Run-2025-brochure.pdf>

WILLOW STREET STUDENT ADVANCES TO FINAL ROUND IN STATEWIDE SUICIDE PREVENTION CONTEST

Khaira O., an Intro to Visual Communications student at Willow Street, was a FINALIST for her poster design for the 2025 PSA Contest by

@preventsuicidepa! Public voting was open until 5 PM on Feb. 17. Visit psa.preventsuicidepa.org/2025-public-voting-posters/ to view Khaira's competitors' submissions.

Winners will be announced in early March, so keep an eye out for Khaira's poster!

Save the number, save a life. Add the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline (988) to your phone now - it could save a life later. Trained crisis counselors are available to text or call 24/7/365. Visit go.nih.gov/hoMF6tt for more info.



LCCTC CELEBRATES NATIONAL SCHOOL COUNSELING WEEK

This February, we celebrated our School Counselors at all three campuses for their efforts in supporting students academically, socially, and emotionally. We greatly appreciate our counselors' dedication and commitment to our CTC family!

While #NSCW25 has ended, please be sure to show Ms. Gallo, Mr. Boop, Mr. Stiles, Ms. Schlosser, and Ms. Brown your appreciation the next time you see them in our halls!



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Mr. GARRETT BOOP



WHAT IS THE BEST PART OF BEING A SCHOOL COUNSELOR?

Mr. Boop:

Working with students every day and seeing them reach their goals!

Ms. Gallo:

Making connections with students and feeling like I can make positive differences in their lives, no matter how small.

IF YOU HAD A SUPERPOWER, WHAT WOULD IT BE?

Mr. Boop:

There are so many places I would like to see, and the ability to fly would make it super convenient to visit them all!

Ms. Gallo:

I'd like to be like Samantha from *Bewitched* and make things change or appear with a twitch of my nose. Poof! My house is clean. Or bam! Here's some secure housing for students in need. Or whoosh! My good friend in Florida appears to hang out with me on a Saturday night. That would be pretty rad.

Ms. AMI GALLO



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Dr. BENJAMIN STILES



WHAT IS THE BEST PART OF BEING A SCHOOL COUNSELOR?

Mr. Stiles:

Communicating, daily, with a variety of different people that all play myriad roles toward the goal of student success and achievement.

Ms. Schlosser:

Connecting with my students, preparing them to be industry ready... I've taken great pride in helping to create and develop our Student Ambassador leadership program. My students are a reminder of why I do what I do, and why I continue to believe in what we do at CTC!

Ms. LESLIE SCHLOSSER



WHAT MOVIE WOULD YOU WATCH ON REPEAT?

Mr. Stiles:

St. Elmo's Fire. It's just always been a favorite and has real-life themes and conflicts that were handled very differently by society and the entertainment industry in the 1980s.

WHAT IS ON YOUR 2025 BUCKET LIST?

Ms. Schlosser:

A return trip to Maui, Hawaii, where my husband and I were married 25 years ago on the beach, as well as a trip to London and Paris! ... Our fur babies Coco and Gigi are hard to be away from for too long.



Ms. MELISSA BROWN



WHAT IS THE BEST PART OF BEING A SCHOOL COUNSELOR?

Ms. Brown:

Being a resource for students and helping them to see their strengths.

WHAT MOVIE WOULD YOU WATCH ON REPEAT?

Ms. Brown:

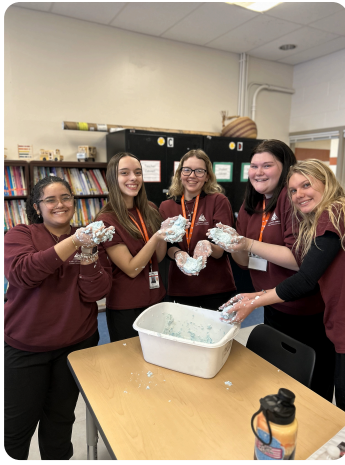
Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory (the old one from 1971). I watched this movie on repeat as a kid and it still never gets old. Anytime my mom would let my brothers and I rent a movie, we picked Willy Wonka. We never wanted to pick anything different. I love the movie so much that I actually have scratch-and-sniff banana wallpaper in my house. It is the closest thing I could find to lickable wallpaper like the movie!

WILLOW STREET CELEBRATES FFA WEEK 2025



To mark the end of Future Farmers of America Week at Willow Street, our FFA chapter hosted themed dress-down days, which included Twin Tuesday, Western Wednesday, Throwback to the 1970s Thursday, and FFA Friday! Participating students donated towards an FFA luncheon or the student food pantry. Plus, FFA ended the week with a car and truck show! Thank you to all who participated!

Around the CTC



Jan. 27, 2025

Early Childhood Education students at Mount Joy learned about sensorimotor and language development! Students read books to each other and role-played as children, reacting to the readings. As a group, the class made “clean mud” with toilet paper and grated soap! A rotation of students visited our Bright Horizons Childcare Center to facilitate winter art activities with preschoolers.

Visit Our Facebook Page!



Feb. 4, 2025

Brownstown's Painting and Interior Finishes students have visited Mount Joy to apply primer to walls and ceilings at the CTC house project. Check out the progress!

Roses are red... and blue, and silver in Mount Joy's Intro to Manufacturing classes! Students handcrafted sheet metal roses for Valentine's Day.

Visit Our Instagram Page!



Feb. 11, 2025

At Willow Street, our intergenerational Medical Assistant program is learning to draw blood! Students are practicing their technique on cotton ball veins and collecting blood samples with capillary sticks. Eventually, they will use practice drawing blood on realistic phlebotomy arms!

Visit Our LinkedIn Page!



Feb. 18, 2025

Mount Joy's Carpentry Technology class has been at the Brownstown campus recently, replacing the roof of a storage facility for Heavy Equipment. What awesome inter-program collaboration!



Visit Our Twitter Page!



STUDENTS OF THE MONTH DECEMBER 2024

BROWNSTOWN



Piper Henrichsen
Commercial Art
Manheim Township

Caleb Roberts

Interactive
Media and
Web Design

Lancaster Christian
School



MOUNT JOY



Rachel Gullaksen
Advanced Health
Careers
Hempfield

WILLOW STREET



Kendall Hohenwarter
Animal Production
Science and
Technology
Penn Manor

Briana Garcia

Nursing
Assistant
Penn Manor





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BROWNSTOWN



Hailey Eller
Painting and
Interior Finishes
Warwick

**Collin
Goshert**

Heavy
Equipment
Operations
Warwick



MOUNT JOY



**Jesse Van
Schoick**
Carpentry
Technology
Penn Manor

**Thomas
Feguer**

Culinary
Arts
Elizabethtown



WILLOW STREET



**Grace
Caldwell**
Medical
Assistant
Elizabethtown

**Ashlyn
Shuman**

Animal
Production
Science and
Technology
Solanco



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