



Career & Technical
Education Programs



ISD 917/CTE Student Accomplishments

71st Annual Minnesota
SkillsUSA Leadership
Conference

October 26 - 28
2017

Holiday Inn
Alexandria, MN

31st Annual
Minnesota SkillsUSA
Delegate Assembly
Conference

November 21, 2017

South Central
Technical College -
North Mankato

John A. Votca
Conference Center
North Mankato, MN

51st Annual Minnesota
SkillsUSA State
Skills & Leadership
Championships

March 23 - 25, 2017

DoubleTree by Hilton
Bloomington, MN

Leadership Conference

ISD 917 CTE Attendees:

Jordan Brogan - Graphic Design Technology - Bloomington-Kennedy

Brian Cunecelli - Graphic Design Technology - Farmington

Eric Demo - Total Auto Care - Lakeville North

Sam Haima - Graphic Design Technology - TESA - So. St. Paul

Michaela Langeness - Medical Careers - Farmington

Trina Walter - Graphic Design Technology Teacher



Every student received a Leadership Training Certificate, a SkillsUSA Leadership Pin and all of them memorized 14 SkillsUSA leadership mottos, creeds, themes, people, procedures, etc. to earn their "Blinkie" Leadership Pin to wear proudly on their lapels! Ribbons were given for specific competitions they performed in.



Yellow Chapter
(Golden Opportunities)

Eric Demo

Spirit Award

Blue Chapter
(Blueberries)

Brian Cunecelli

1st Place for
Open and Closing
Ceremony

Was elected
Parliamentarian of his
Chapter Group.



Orange Chapter
(Dreamsicles)

Sam Haima

Orange Chapter
(Dreamsicles)

Sam Haima

Purple Chapter
(Purple Rain)

Michaela Langeness

Elected Executive
Council Members for
their Chapters.

Presented all the
awards Saturday
morning.





Blue Chapter - (Blueberries)

Jordan Brogran
Brian Cunecelli

1st Place Outstanding Chapter



Purple Chapter
(Purple Rain)

Michaela Langeness

2nd Place Job Skill
Demonstration Contest

Thursday Morning - Teams were formed, personality traits were discovered and officers were elected. Roberts Rules of Order were learned and they started meeting their Friday Night Goals.



Chapters were required to have professional development meetings with guest speakers as well.

They took a risk..

They stepped out of their comfort zones.

They met new CTE students from other Minnesota High Schools, Transition Programs and Colleges.

They ran for chapter officers and led chapter meetings.

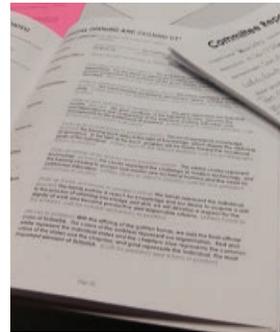
They spoke in public for the first time.

They worked in teams for a common goal.

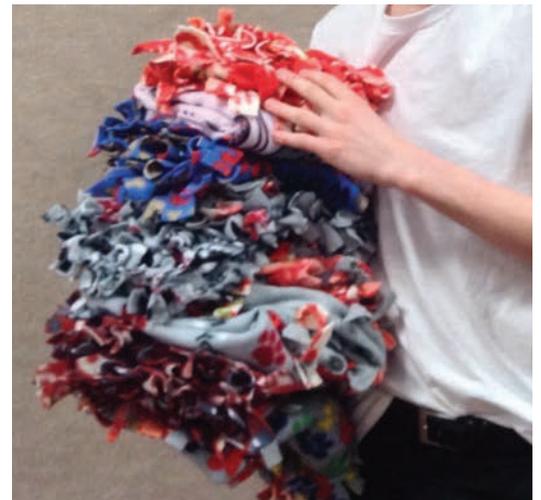
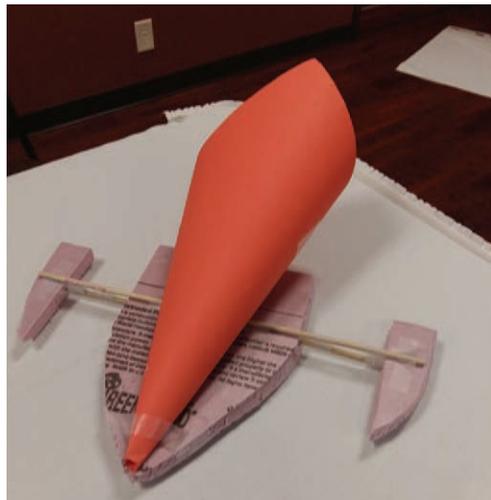
They gained so much confidence in them selves that 3 of the 5 are going to run for State Office on November 21, 2017 and become part of Ms Jen's Team.

They memorized phrases and information and earned their "Blinkie Pin"

After Three Days..... They all earned their Leadership Pins!



Ridiculous Relays. Team Building Activity



Sam Haima participating in the Ridiculous Relays.

Sam Haima participating in the Regatta Race with the Orange Chapter Boat.

Community Service Project all color groups participated in. Tie Blankets for the local Humane Society in Alexandria.



Michaela Langeness Awarding the winner of their chapter fundraiser.



Eric Demo presenting the Torch in the Dinner Presentation Friday. Part of the Opening & Closing Ceremony each team had to present at our meal times.



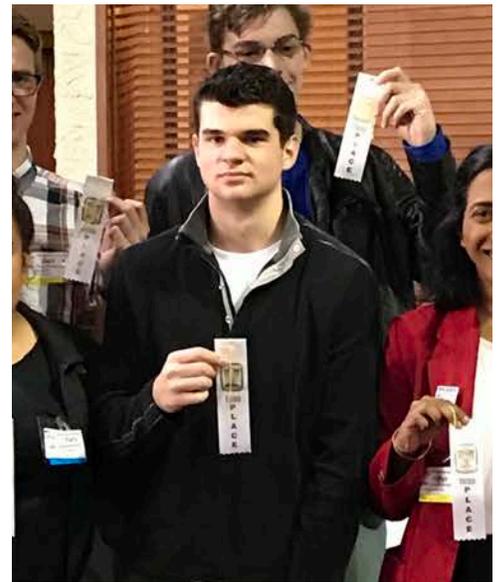
The Orange Chapter had the pleasure of hosting the Noon meal on Friday. Our guest speaker was John Stenz, CEO of Force America, Inc. Burnsville, MN. He shared his story and path to success starting from High School to Military to Truck Driving to Engineering school to CEO of an employee owned business. He was well received!



Meals were all held in "The Barn" at the Holiday Inn. Each color chapter had to present the opening and closing ceremony as well as introduce a guest speaker and decorate the room according to their chapter colors and name.



Orange Dreamsicles meeting to brain storm what their chapter Display Team will be building.



Eric Demo Receiving his 3rd place ribbon for Opening Closing Ceremony Team on Saturday Morning. Eric was elected the Gold Team's Treasurer



Chapter Charter & Equipment

They Memorized the SkillsUSA Pledge, not an easy feat...

Upon my honor, I pledge:

To prepare myself by diligent study and ardent practice to become a worker whose services will be recognized as honorable by my employer and fellow workers.

To base my expectations of reward upon the solid foundation of service.

To honor and respect my vocation in such a way as to bring repute to myself.

And further, to spare no effort in upholding the ideals of SkillsUSA.

Brian Cunecelli - 3rd Place Chapter Display Contest



Eric Demo - Yellow Chapter placed 3rd in the Outstanding Chapter Award.



"Orange Dreamsicle" Team Chapter Display



"Purple Rain" Team Chapter Display



"Blue Blueberry" Team Chapter Display

Friday Night students competed in their contest from each color chapter and advisors judged. By 10:00 p.m. Friday night each team had to turn in their scrapbook to be judged for "Outstanding Chapter", each book recorded all their goals from the 2 days, business meetings, social events, fundraising, community service, professional development meetings, memorizing the motto, creed, pledge and themes.



Yellow "Golden Opportunities" Team Chapter Display



Orange Chapter Lead Advisor & ISD 917 Chapter Advisor

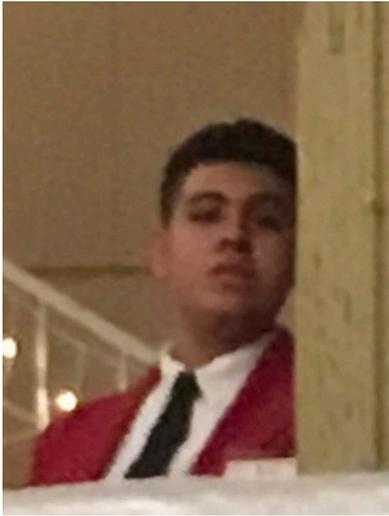


Trina Walter



Michaela Langeness - Purple Chapter 2nd place for Outstanding chapter.

ISD 917 CTE Officer Candidates and Voting Delegates for November 21, 2017 Conference.



Brian Cunecelli
Officer Candidate

Farmington
High School



Michaela Langeness
Officer Candidate

Farmington
High School



Eric Demo
Officer Candidate

Lakeville North
High School

2017-2018 SkillsUSA Theme



Sam Haima
Voting Delegate

ISD 917 TESA
So. St. Paul



Also "Blinkie Pin" for memorizing SkillsUSA Leadership Data.



Jordan Brogan
Voting Delegate

Bloomington Kennedy
High School