



Newsletter

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Open House Scheduled

We will be holding an open house on Friday, June 26, 2009. You are invited to stop by anytime during these times:

Session 1: 8:30 a.m. – 10:25 a.m. or

Session 2: 10:25 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

Take the Survey

We would like to hear from you! The parent/guardian survey and student survey are available online at <http://www.careertech.net>.



Vet I

Vet 1 students had many opportunities to learn about working with animals during the week at career camp. On Monday they worked at stations learning how to give injections, identifying equipment and various animal food. Tuesday they followed Tufts Veterinary students came by means of a Nova presentation. Each of our campers made a picture of their favorite pet. Dr. Letchford came to talk to us on Wednesday. She worked with some visiting kittens, dogs, and chickens, we also enjoyed playing with them. Thursday was field trip day to Opossumtown Veterinary Clinic and Yellow Spring Veterinary Clinic. We got to see what goes on behind the scenes and learned more about the Veterinarians responsibilities. Friday is pet day, several dogs, a cockatoo, and a hamster came to camp with their owners. The week came to an end with a competitive and fun game of Vet science jeopardy. Everyone was a winner at Vet Science Career Camp.



Graphic Communications

Graphic Communications campers have learned about color and its affect on the message it sends on packaging for products; red is exciting, blue is calming, yellow is cheerful. They also learned about principles of design such as balance, unity, and contrast. The campers got to design a T-shirt, notepad, and photo calendar.

Culinary Arts



Campers in Culinary Arts have had a very busy week. We learned how to run a real kitchen by operating equipment, learning knife safety, and preparing delicious dishes. Students measured the ingredients, completed the food prep and finished the day with some tasty treats. We prepared Buffalo Chick Dip in French Bread, Beef

Sliders, Steak Kabobs, Parmesan Chicken Wraps, Homemade Nachos and more!

Building Trades

Students in the Building Trades Classes learned about the carpentry, electrical, home improvement and masonry trades. Students built framed walls, wired switch boxes and built brick walls. Students were engaged and having fun. The instructors say “we have some future tradesmen here!”



Interior Design

Interior Design campers learned about color and how it can affect people’s mood in a room. They learned about the elements of design; balance, color, line, shape, form, and principles of design; harmony/unity, balance, contrast. They enjoyed making message boards and reusing old blue jeans to make neck pillows for their rooms. They also took a field trip to Wolfe’s furniture store to learn about different styles of furniture and critique their room designs.



Mad For CAD

In Mad for CAD, students completed 10 drawings as they explored the design techniques used by architects and designers. Students were amazed by how quickly they could learn to put together complex color drawings that looked very professional!



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about Career Camp 2009 at:
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Architectural Design

This week at Career Camp the Architectural Design students were exposed to a variety of architectural experiences. First, we checked out the Frank Lloyd Wright Architect Studio 3D website that allowed us to design a home online. On Wednesday we took a walking tour of downtown Frederick to see the different styles of architecture in our community. Thursday, Jim Mills from Rubeling and Associates shared with us the education required and the work environment of an architect. All week we worked on building a scale model of our dream house.



Frank Lloyd Wright Architect Studio 3D
[http://www.architectstudio3d.org/AS3d/
home.html](http://www.architectstudio3d.org/AS3d/home.html)

Welding

Interest In Welding Starts At An Early Age

Twenty Three Career Campers have shown a real interest in Welding at this year's Career Camp. Even with temperatures in the 80's, all of the Welding students must wear long sleeves, long pants, work shoes, leather gloves, safety glasses and protective helmets.



Safety is their first priority. After dressing safely and passing a few safety exams the Career Campers in Welding are allowed to develop their skills in Arc Welding, MIG Welding, and Oxy-Acetylene Welding and Brazing. After learning to perform each of the welding processes mentioned each Camper will fabricate a metal project which they can take home and use. Classroom discussions have also included Welding job opportunities, wages, employee expectations and things in our daily lives that are welded together. Mr. Hering encourages all Career Campers to consider coming back to the Career and Technology Center during high school to further develop their skills in any of the areas that they find most interesting.

Stones and Bones (Archeology)

For two days the Stones and Bones group was outside excavating for artifacts. Even though not everybody found something, they all learned the basic techniques a professional archeologist uses. The class also attended various field trips to museums and visited an archaeology firm.



From the Camp Staff



We have enjoyed having all students attend the 16h Annual Career Camp! Please take time to complete the survey and return on Friday, June 26th. We look forward to seeing you next year at the 17th Annual Career Camp.

Please feel free to visit any program during the open house. A BIG thank you to all our staff and students for a GREAT week of camp!

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