Recognition Board of Trustee Meeting May 10, 2022

<u>LaGrone ATC – State Cosmetology</u>

Students in the Cosmetology focus area at the LaGrone Advanced Technology Center (ATC) returned from the Texas Skills USA State Championship hosted in Corpus Christi. The group returned with 21 first place winners and multiple winners in the top categories.

Students who won in multiple categories include Grace Askew, Best of Show for Salon and Blue Ribbon for Salon; Valeria Terrazas, Cosmetology Technical Silver Medal and Red Ribbon for Salon; Yayetzi Perez, Nail Art Bronze Medal, Customer Service Bronze Medal and Blue Ribbon for Nail Art.

Winners of Blue Ribbons for Photo Panel include Cami Coward, Grace Cox, Steven Grimaldo, Sofia Hernandez, Jocelyn James, Samantha Lamb, Ashley Leon, Veronica Ortiz, Lilly Seaman, Mey Tai, Peyton Tyler, Kate Weatherly

Winners of Blue Ribbons for Salon are Briana Ayala, Camilla Soriano and Marissa Sanches.

Winners in other categories include Abby Diaz, Blue Ribbon for Woman's Edge cut/color; Zoe Gonzalez and Mikayla Howe for Blue Ribbon for Nail Art; Mirka Saladana, Blue Ribbon for Evening Comb-out; Paola Acosta, Red Ribbon for 3D Nail Art; Chloe Martinez, Red Ribbon for Fantasy; Alessandra Rangel-Ramirez, Red Ribbon for Evening Comb-out; Gennesis Solorzano, White Ribbon for Men's Classic Cut.

Their educator is Ms. Brenda Buster and co-sponsor is Ms. Journie Younger. The principal of the LaGrone ATC is Marcus Bourland.

Community Spotlight

Each year the Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) honors businesses and organizations for their support and exceptional advocacy of local schools. This state-wide honor, as part of "Stand Up for Texas Public Schools," recognizes local businesses and community organizations who partner with districts, making a difference in the lives of local public-school students.

Our partnership with Best Western Premier Crown Chase Inn & Suites has been one of support and philanthropy. This locally owned and operated organization goes above and beyond to honor our staff members with a "Stay-cation."

At a time when support for our classroom teachers is needed more than ever, Zach and Monica Glenn have singlehandedly identified a need and provided a solution. Their gift goes a long way in helping our outstanding educators feel special and valued by our local business community.

Monica Glenn will be on hand to accept this award.