# Career & Technical Education February 2025

CTE appreciates all of the guidance and support of the Panther family, including our school board. The board has been instrumental in helping accommodate for the rapid growth in our area, changes to our programs, and providing support to our staff and students.



# **February is CTE Month**

We have begun highlighting our CTE Programs of Study, CTE Teachers and CTE students. Be on the lookout for social media posts, events on campus and goodies for our CTE Teachers!

### **Mayoral Proclamation for CTE Month:**

On Tuesday CTE Directors and business & industry leaders participated in the Mayoral Proclamation of February as CTE Month and acknowledged the importance of CTE programs in our local high schools and community..



# San Antonio Livestock Show FFA Spotlight

If you are visiting the San Antonio Livestock Show & Rodeo grounds this year be sure to stop in the Hall of Fame and see our Navarro FFA display! Each year the SALE Hall of Fame Committee selects two FFA Chapters to "spotlight" and Navarro FFA was one of the FFA Chapters selected for the honor this year! Our Ag teachers decided to create the display around this year's theme "Rooted in Agriculture Since 1956." They pulled together various items and pictures that show the many successes Navarro FFA has



accomplished in their history. Special thank you to the Allan Dreibrodt family for allowing the FFA to borrow Mr. Dreibrodt's District and Area Officer jackets to include as part of the history of the Navarro FFA Chapter. If you have a chance to stop by and see it while at the San Antonio Stockshow and Rodeo, take a picture with the display as your backdrop and send it to Navarro FFA directly through their FFA page through Facebook Messenger or send to Ms. Weller by email or ParentSquare.





# **CTE Student Recognition**

#### Navarro FFA's 2025 Guadalupe County Youth Show Top Placings (1st Place and Higher)

# Market Rabbits -Reserve Champion Division 9

-Champion Division 3

-Reserve Champion Division 6

# Market Lambs

Rylan Trost

-Champion Dorper

Avery Sisak -Reserve Champion Southdown

-Third Overall Lamb
-Champion Senior Lamb Showmanship

Peyton Sisak

-Champion Intermediate Lamb

#### Market Goats

Rylee Flippin

-1st Place Class 4 Shiloh Purdum

-Champion Light Weight Division

#### Breeding Heifers

-1st Place Class 7 Exotic

#### Breeding Swine

-Reserve Champion Yorkshire Isabella Hartman

—1st Place Class 3 Berkshire

Cheyanne Kuhlman -Champion Landrace Lucy Seibert

-Reserve Champion Hampshire -1st Place Class 2 Berkshire

Market Swine

-1st Place Class 2 Duroc

-1st Place Class 3 Dark OPB

Cheyanne Kuhlman

-Reserve Champion Light OPB

-1st Place Class 6 Cross
 -Champion Junior Swine Showmanship

#### Photography

-Champion - Shadow & Silhouette Division

Zachary Fedewa

-Reserve Champion - Food Division

Marceline Kutscher

—Reserve Champion - Plant & Flora

Division Kendalynn Pruitt

-Champion - Food Division Dominic Rodriguez

-Reserve Champion - Shadow &

Silhouette Division

-Champion - Animals/Wildlife Division

#### Baked Goods

-Reserve Champion Bars Alyson Rauschuber

-Champion Pie Hunter Rust

-Champion Cake

Ryan Rust

-Reserve Champion Cookies

Navarro FFA had a total of 88 members (high school and Jr. FFA) qualify for the 2025 GCYS

Auction.
\*Kamryn Kaufman had the Reserve Champion British Steer. She showed under 4-H, but is also a Navarro Jr.

**Navarro ISD Cyber Patriots** competed in the Semi- Final round on Friday, January 24th. I am happy to report that Team Hawk placed 8th in the state and 88th in the nation! Unfortunately they did not advance to the Finals this year. We are proud of the accomplishments of the Cyber Patriots team and look forward to next year! Huge shout out to Mr. Beliveau for all of his guidance and support training our Cyber Patriot teams.

# **CTE Programming**

# **Seguin EDC Job Shadow Events**

On February 5th our CTE seniors attended the first round of Job Shadow events! We had three teachers and 16 students signed up to participate in one of the following Job Shadow events. Each event had their own agenda for the day, job specific dress code for participants and working lunch. Our students will participate in two more weeks of Job Shadow events!

February 5, 2025- Job Shadow #1

Business	Type of Shadow	Number of Spots	Teacher	How many Srs.
City of Seguin, City Hall	Government 101 - Fire	1	Deavours	1
	Government 101 - Police	1	Weller	1
	Government 101 - Engineering	1	Weller	1
	Government 101 - Library	1		
	Government 101 - Electric/Lineman	9	Weller	2
	Government 101 - Animal Services		Casey	1
Caterpillar	Group Job Shadow	5	Sewell	
Masters Electrical Services	Electrician Apprentice	2	Sewell	2
Northeast Lakeview College	Networking & Database/IT	5	Beliveau	4

#### February 11, 2025 - Job Shadow #2

Business	Type of Shadow	# of Spots	Teacher	How many Srs.
Guadalupe Regional Medical Ctr	Birthing	1	Deavours	1
	Hospice	1	Deavours	1
	Information Technology	1	Beliveau	1
	Wellness Center	1	Deavours	1
	OP Rehab	2	Deavours	1
	Lab	2	Deavours	2

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	Medical	1	Deavours	1
	Pharmacy	2	Deavours	2
	Surgical	1	Deavours	1
	PACU/PreOP/ENDO	1	Deavours	1
Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, Ram	Service Area/Service Tech	1	Weller	1
Rave Gears, LLC	Mechanical Engineer/Machinist	1	sewell	
Tier One Dental	Dental Hygienist, Dental Asst./Dentist	1	Strempel	1
Guadalupe County	Detention Center	1	Weller	1

# Government 101:











Rave Gears, Guadalupe Co. Detention Center and Gunn Automotive:









Guadalupe Regional Medical Center:





### **Seguin EDC Health Science Work Group:**

Ms. Deavours (Health Science teacher) and I attended the meeting on Tuesday to meet with local health care groups to create clinical rotation and internship opportunities for our CCMA (Certified Clinical Medical Assistant) and Phlebotomy students. We will meet with Pam Lee at Guadalupe Regional Medical to set up our clinical rotations.

### **CTTC Advisory Board Meeting**: Central Texas Technology Center

We met January 28th to work with a specialist from Moak Casey, Dr. Greg Gibson, to refine and add purpose to the advisory board's mission. This board consists of ISD's, City of Seguin and New Braunfels, TSTC, Northeast Lakeview and local business/industry partners to strengthen the pipeline of career talent and opportunities from K-12 to college to local industry. I will share the new mission statement once we complete the process of developing a scorecard.

# **High School Checkpoint - CCMR & CTE**

# CCMR/CTE

# College, Career & Military Readiness - Mrs. Hansen

- SAT/ACT
- Dual Credit & Dual Enrollment (ON Ramps)

#### Career & Technical Education - Mrs. Gossett

- CTE Completer; Concentrator; Explorers; Participants
  - JH Tours (students)
  - Course Expo (parents & students)
- IBC Industry Based Certifications

#### CCMR Advisory Board - Actions

- Xello CCMR Planning Platform (K-12) Break down TAPR CCMR Data\_
- Create K-12 CCMR Marketing Plan
- TSIA2 Tutoring & Study Program
- Senior Release



Career Craft





Navarro Independent School District

Mrs. Hansen and I presented on College, Career & Military Readiness and Career & Technical Education updates utilizing the Career Craft platform that works with Ascender to track our students CCMR indicator data that factors into our A-F Accountability. In addition, we can track our CTE students status as explorer, participant, concentrator or completer and track their Industry Based Certifications earned.



These are just a few examples of how we can track CCMR and CTE data easily through this platform. I also outlined action items for our campus CCMR Advisory Board to begin working on, such as, breaking down our TAPR CCMR data to determine areas of strength and weakness to develop goals for the next four years and develop a K-12 CCMR Marketing Plan.

Thank you again for your continued support for our Career & Technical Education Panthers!

Respectfully submitted,

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