

WV HOSA News

Fall Leadership
Conference (FLC)
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“FLC Conference Times Two”

This year **WV HOSA** hosted two Fall Conferences. The Postsecondary (P/S) Conference was held at United Technical Center in Clarksburg, WV on September 30, 2011. The Secondary Fall Leadership Conference was held on October 1, 2011 at Jackson’s Mill. Both conferences saw an increase of over

twenty percent in attendance over 2010’s numbers.

THANK YOU!

A special Thank you to United Technical Center and UTC School of Practical Nursing Faculty for hosting the P/S Fall Conference.

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*HOSA Membership Drive 2012
Get Involved!*

Check out WV HOSA’s Facebook page for pictures from P/S and Secondary Fall Conferences!

WV HOSA’s

second Postsecondary FLC had 106 HOSA members and advisors in attendance. That is a 20% increase. This is the second year WV HOSA has scheduled a P/S Fall Leadership Conference and numbers indicate that our P/S programs are on board with WV HOSA goals. The addition of a P/S Representative to the Executive Council last year was extremely successful and her replacement was elected during this year’s conference. See page 2

WV HOSA’s

Secondary Fall Leadership Conference had an attendance of 350 members and advisors for an increase of 26% over 2010 numbers. The Assembly Hall at Jackson’s Mill was packed with HOSA members participating in Leadership Development activities provided by TriResources Team member, Kent Butler. Learn more about the training that took place at both conferences on page 3.

WV HOSA Postsecondary FLC

United Technical Center host P/S Conference

WV HOSA very much appreciates United Technical Center, recently named a WV School of Excellence, and the UTC School of Practical Nursing faculty, Coordinator

Moniqua laquinta and Instructors Pam Nussar and Kendra Walton, for hosting the P/S Conference on September 30, 2011.

United Technical Center's Administrator, Joan Smith, provided a gracious welcome and UTC's ProStart program provided a delicious lunch for all participants.

Participating P/S Schools and Advisors

United Technical Center
School of Practical Nursing

Fred Eberle School of
Practical Nursing

Roane Jackson School of
Practical Nursing

Monongalia Technical Center
School of Practical Nursing

Mercer County School of
Practical Nursing

Greenbrier School of
Practical Nursing

New P/S Representative Elected @ FLC

John Pruett, a student at the Mercer County School of Practical Nursing, was elected as the 2011-2012 P/S Representative to the Executive Council. John replaces Jessica Bennett, a recent graduate of Greenbrier's School of Practical Nursing, as the P/S Repre-

sentative. His term will run from 2011 Fall Leadership Conference to 2012 Fall Leadership Conference. With his election, Advisor Revonda Adams, moves onto the Executive Council as well. Look for John at the State Leadership Conference and welcome him as a new HOSA state officer.



Secondary Fall Leadership Conference

The Secondary FLC was held at Jackson's Mill on October 1, 2011. Assembly Hall was packed with 350 HOSA members and advisors. Schools participating:

- Boone Career and Technical Center
- Carver Career Center
- Fayette Institute of Technology
- Fred Eberle Technical Center
- Mingo Central High School
- Monroe County Technical Center
- Putnam Career & Technical Center
- Randolph Technical Center
- Roane-Jackson Technical Center
- Spring Valley High School
- Tucker County High School
- Tug Valley High School
- Webster County High School
- Wheeling Park High School
- Wood County Technical Center

TRI Leadership Resources, LLC

TRI Leadership Resources, LLC is a company that offers leadership training through a variety of venues.

"TeamTri" provides leadership training for HOSA's National Leadership Conference and Washington Leadership Academy. The following quote is taken

from their website @ teamtri.com

"Through our seminars, workshops, camps, trainings, certifications and coaching programs, participants not only work, they have a blast doing it!" Just ask anyone who attended FLC and they can attest to the truth of this statement. Working with

TeamTri is a blast! WV HOSA has already contracted with TRI Leadership Resources for the 2012 Fall Leadership Conferences. If you missed the opportunity for this great leadership training, make a plan now to attend next fall's conferences.



Introducing Kent Butler of TeamTRI

After listening to last year's speaker, Amy Gallimore, no one expected a different TeamTRI speaker to compare with her in terms of energy, enthusiasm and humor. But, this year's speaker, Kent Butler, did! Kent did an amazing job and the conference evaluations had nothing but positive comments about his sessions. He was hilariously funny and both an energetic and enthusiastic speaker. WV HOSA is proud to be able to offer speakers of this caliber at our Fall Leadership Conferences. Plan now to attend next year's conferences as TeamTRI will be back with us in 2012!

Great Job Kent!

Mark your calendar now!
State Leadership Conference

March 2 and 3,
2011

Marshall University
Huntington, WV

2011/12 Executive Council Members

President: Ashley Thompson

Vice President: Brittany Bender

Secretary/Treasurer: Samantha Burns

Historian: Hayley Gibson

P/S Representative: John Pruett

Advisor: Caspia Sheppard

Advisor: Cheryl Green

Advisor: Stephanie Burns

Advisor: Angie Weikle

Advisor: Revonda Adams

State Advisor: Cyndy Sundstrom

State Executive Secretary: Debra Caton

State Admin. Assistant: Patty Davis

HOSA 2012 National Leadership Conference

Orlando, Florida

June 20-23, 2012



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From left-right: 2011 P/S Rep. Jessica Bennett, President Ashlee Thompson, Historian Hayley Gibson, Vice President Brittany Bender, Secretary/Treasurer Samantha Burns and 2012 P/S Rep. John Pruett