District Receives Monetary Incentives for Energy Saving Efforts!

Highland, Timber Creek and Triton Regional High Schools all participated in the New Jersey Smart Start Buildings Program, an initiative of New Jersey’s Clean Energy Program, sponsored by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities.

Under the guidance of Mr. Joseph Newsham, Director of Facilities, each school applied for and received an incentive check for the recent energy efficiency projects that have been completed in the schools. Highland received $7,500; Timber Creek received $12,000; and Triton received $11,250. In all, the District received $30,750.

Ms. Jean Grubb, Business Administrator, was pleased to share, “This increase in miscellaneous revenue will enable the school District to continue to supplement expenditures and reduce supplemental taxes.”

District To Host Regional Diversity Job Recruitment Fair

May 21, 2015

The Black Horse Pike Regional School District will be hosting a Diversity Job Recruitment Fair on May 21, 2015 from at Highland Regional High School in the Gymnasium. Recruiting school employees who value diversity, inclusion, and high achievement for ALL students is a focal point of the event. Local School Districts and Municipalities will be available to meet with interested candidates.

In addition to teacher candidates, local Districts and Municipalities will be looking for substitute teachers, instructional aides, 1 to 1 aides, secretarial, custodial and cafeteria staff. There will be no charge for attendees and each applicant will receive a program that includes a profile of the presenters. Anyone who wishes to attend may pre-register by visiting our website, www.bhprsd.org, and open the link for the Diversity Job Recruitment Fair.

EVENT: Regional Diversity Job Recruitment Fair
PLACE: Highland Regional High School Gymnasium
DATE: Thursday, May 21, 2015
TIME: 2:15—3:00 School Representatives Arrive and Setup
        3:00 pm - 4:00 pm doors open for pre-registered attendees
        4:00 pm to 5:30 pm doors open for walk-ins
CONTACT: Julie Scully, Supervisor of Personnel
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         Blackwood, NJ 08012
         jscully@bhprsd.org

Local Districts and Municipalities interested in attending should visit the Black Horse Pike Regional School District website: www.bhprsd.org to register.
Camden County Engineers Week Design Competition
Highland students Usman Akram and Michael Garber placed first in Camden County College’s annual Engineer Week Competition. The Highland team under the direction of Mr. Carvalho, competed against fourteen other teams. Their objective was to design a bridge, in one hour, that would efficiently bear the most amount of weight.

February Spotlight Winners

Grade 9  Preston Mahoney
Grade 10  Brandon Phillips
Grade 11  Nusrat Nishu
Grade 12  Katie Jorgensen
Staffulty  Christine Giordano

Vice Principal’s Choice Awards February

Paige Thomas  9th Grade
Quentin Scherer  10th Grade
Shannon Kobsar  11th Grade
Ivan Pinzon  12th Grade

KYW News Studies Program at CBS 3 and KYW News Radio Studio
Congratulations to Keith Aversa and Refhat Rana. Both students graduated from the KYW News Studies Program at CBS3 and KYW News Radio Studio. During the program they were taught the basics and most important aspects of reporting. They had an opportunity to use their new skills by writing a report about something in their community. Keith reported on Highland’s New Mentoring Program and it was aired on KYW News Radio 1060. Refhat reported on Challenge Day and it was also aired on KYW News Radio 1060.

Camden County Best of the Class Awards

- Community Service Award  MacKenzie Carr
- Leadership Award  Alana Swinton
- Most Improved Student Award  Juliana Picozzi
- Best Overall Student Award  Oluseun Dairo
- Most Courageous Student Award  Amy Keller
- Performing Arts Student Award  Kayla Evangelisto
- School Spirit Award  James Pildis

Highland Sporting News

- Na’Quan Council hit a milestone scoring 16 points to reach 1000 points.
- The Highland wrestling team captured their 3rd consecutive District 30 Championship.
- Sheldon Morris captured his 100th career win in wrestling.
- Bob Wagner was named State Coach of the Year for Boys Winter Track & Field by the National Federal Coaches Association.
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BLACK HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION On February 19, 2015, Timber Creek presented " A Musical Journey " an Arts in Education Black History Assembly presented by Big Band & Tap Preservation Society featuring Carolyn Harding. Students were both entertained and educated as the group performed a selection of nostalgic and contemporary tunes that inspired staff and the student body. It was an interactive assembly that everyone enjoyed as Timber Creek recognized Black History Month.

Rebecca Conn: Community Service
Zahera Leacock: Leadership
Justina Maldonado: Most Improved
Brittany Martin: Best Overall
Faith Cope: Most Courageous
Anthony Trombetta: Performing Arts
Joshua Mott: School Spirit
Zachary Warren: WPVI Best of Class

TECH CHALLENGE “LET IT FLY” On February 26th, Timber Creek hosted the district's "Let it Fly" Tech Challenge in our auditorium. The students were to create foam gliders that were designed for a long distance launch, but accurate enough to hit a 25 foot and 50 foot target. TC teachers involved included Mr. Arena, Mr. O'Donnell and Mr. Smith. Look for the airplanes that survived the flight on display in the LMC. Unfortunately, we did let our sister school Triton “take” the trophy home with them this year. It was an awesome competition and a great time was had by all. We're already looking forward to next year’s Tech Challenge!

Exciting News from the Music Department: Over 400 students from 39 schools auditioned to perform with the Olympic Conference Honors Band. Timber Creek is proud to announce that eight students represented Timber Creek. Seniors Lisa Harkisheimer, Joshua Mott, Anthony Trombetta, and Zachary Warren along with Junior Kaitlin Bassi and Sophomores Krunal Desai, Katherine Fox, and Micah Husk displayed their talents at this year’s concert that took place at Washington Township High School on February 3rd. Timber Creek is proud to be represented by these students. Congratulations!
**MUSICAL SUCCESS**

This year the Triton Players put on the famous musical, Annie Get Your Gun. The starring roles were played by Derek Cano and Emily Griffith. Over fifty students were involved in the production, from stage crew to chorus members, to student directors. Triton faculty, staff and administration congratulate the Mrs. Stelling, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. DeCosta, and Ms. Lombarski on their first musical and its overnight success.

Triton would also like to thank the Runnemed Municipal Alliance for sponsoring our Thursday evening program that included a senior citizen’s dinner.

Everyone is looking forward to next year’s production. All the community is abuzz with what is in store for the 2016 musical!

**TRITON’S GOT TALENT**

The original night for our annual talent show was snowed out. However, that did not stop our talented students. Acts including, singing, dancing, and musical bands.

This amazing event at Triton raised $1000 to donate to the international program Doctors’ Without Borders. This is a program that sponsors doctors to do practice medicine in countries where doctors are few and far between.

The evenings winners included Triton’s own dance club, Dance Ink. Congratulations!!