HOSA Happenings

Welcome to our first edition of HOSA Happenings. Each issue will provide you with important information that matters.

What have we done so far this year?

- We have grown from 22 members to over 50!
- We recruited students at Wildcat Days
- Assisted in welcoming incoming 6th graders
- Donated food to Christmas in July
- Co-sponsored Ice Night with the PTSO
- Had 25 people show up for our game night social
- Raised \$70 for Relay for Life
- Raised over \$150 for Pediatric Cancer
- Put on the Veteran's Day Dinner
- Attended the Fall Leadership Expo (FLEX conference)
- Organized the canned food drive for November

This year we have 3 ways your child can be recognized for volunteering. All three look great on a resume!

- The Barbara James Service award: This is for HOSA students who complete a minimum of 100 hours in community service hours that are performed for the common good, *AND* related to health will be approved for this event. Please refer to the link below for additional information.
- Hosa website
- **HOSA National Service Project:** This year the National Service Project is the National Pediatric Cancer foundation. This is a club award and is bestowed upon chapters that:
 - Contribute a minimum of \$100 or 100 hours of community service in partnership with the organization; and again at \$500 or 500 hours of community service
 - Each hour students spend sewing cancer awareness ribbons, selling, and promoting the foundation will receive 1 hour of community service.
- The Presidential Volunteer Service Award: The following events count as volunteer hours:
 - Education, Economic Opportunity, Environmental Stewardship, Veterans and Military Families, Healthy Futures, and Disaster Services.
 - OTHER: adult literacy/education, animal support, arts/culture, civic/community, faith based, family services, immigrant/refugee services, international services, justice/legal, senior services, sport/recreation, and technology.
 - Teens qualify for a bronze at 50 hours, silver at 75, and gold at 100.

Please have your child record the date/time/place (name of agency)/how long they volunteered. Members should bring their timesheets to us so we can enter them into the system.

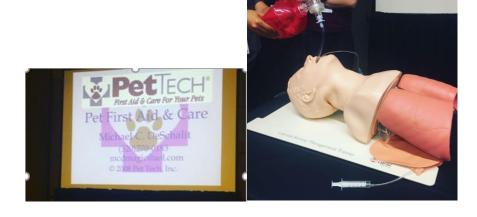
The next meeting is NOV 16! See you then.

Pictures from the FLEX conference



This is what we look like after a long day!

A member favorite...pet CPR and intubation.





Taianna Walker won a scrub top from ASU! Forks up.