

Component School Districts

Cincinnati Central School District

Cortland Enlarged City School District

DeRuyter Central School District

Fabius-Pompey Central School District

Homer Central School District

Jamesville-DeWitt Central School District

Liverpool Central School District

Marathon Central School District

McGraw Central School District

Tully Central School District

West Genesee Central School District



Career and Technical Education

Class of

2020

Certificate and Awards Ceremony

Charles H. McEvoy Educational Center

at Cortlandville Campus

Board of Education

Ms. Ann Wright.....President
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Ms. Joan Reeves.....Member
Ms. Maryam Wasmund.....Member
Ms. Jodi Wiesing.....Member

Administration

Mr. Chris Todd..... Interim District Superintendent
Ms. Colleen Viggiano.....Deputy Superintendent
Mr. Phillip D. Grome..... Director of CTE and Innovative Education
Mr. Eric Comtois... Assistant Director of CTE and Innovative Education
Mrs. Deborah Wood.....Principal

CTE Faculty & Staff

Mrs. Rebecca Robertson.....School Counselor
Mrs. Lisa Dann.....Academic Support
Mrs. Julie Allen.....Mathematics Instructor
Mrs. Heather HardkeScience Instructor
Mrs. Rebecca Shoemaker.....Attendance Clerk
Ms. Nancy Stout.....Secretary

Career and Technical Education

Alumni Hall of Fame

2020	Troy Beckwith Sr.	Construction	Class of 1984
	Troy Beckwith Jr.	Construction	Class of 2011
2019	Michelle Taubman	Cosmetology	Class of 1988
2018	Mark Dimorier	Construction	Class of 1989
2017	Dean Catlin	Automotive Technology	Class of 1978
2016	Suzanne Osterhoudt	Health Occupations	Class of 1988
2015	Jennifer Neff	Culinary Arts	Class of 1993
2014	Michael Park	Welding	Class of 1975
2013	Brian Eastman	Automotive Collision	Class of 1985
2012	Kevin McMahon	Building Trades	Class of 1974
2011	Keith Standish	Automotive Collision	Class of 1985

Career and Technical Education

Business and Community Partner of the Year

2019 Guthrie Cortland Medical Center

Career and Technical Education Awards & Scholarships

The Thomas D. and Lucille F. Garrity Award: The award was established with Cortland Memorial Foundation to honor the memory of Mr. and Mrs. Garrity and to recognize a student in the OCM BOCES New Vision Medical Professions program at Cortland Regional Medical Center. This student will have plans to pursue an allied health or medical degree, and will demonstrate an interest in and devotion to Cortland Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Garrity spent many hours as both a volunteer and employee of the Coffee & Gift Shop at the hospital.

Home Builders of Central New York, Golden Hammer Award: Based upon their Career & Technical Education program grades, 21st Century skill acquisition, and enthusiasm for the construction industry, one leading Construction Technology students is selected for this honor during his/her senior year. “Golden Hammer Award” recipients typically demonstrate initiative, resourcefulness, leadership qualities, passion for life-long learning, and a brand of work ethic requisite for success in the competitive local homebuilding & remodeling business. In recognition of the OCM BOCES student award winner, The Home Builders & Remodelers of Central New York rewards him/her with a commemorative hammer and tool belt.

PROGRAM

Welcome

Mrs. Deborah Wood, Principal

Pledge of Allegiance

Taylor Netti, SkillsUSA Vice President

Career and Technical Education Alumni Hall of Fame

Mr. Eric Comtois, Assistant Director of CTE and Innovative Education

Student Remarks

Jenna Knout, SkillsUSA President

Presentation of Certificates, Awards, Scholarships

Mrs. Deborah Wood, Principal

Presentation of the Class of 2020

Mrs. Deborah Wood, Principal

Closing Remarks

Ms. Colleen Viggiano, Deputy Superintendent

Automotive Collision Technology

Mr. Dale Gendron, Instructor

Dylan Clark, McGraw+*
Kaitlyn Edinger, Tully^
Colin Harvey, Homer^
Bryan Heller, Homer+*
Ashton Henry, Tully*

Keegan Morris, Cortland+*
Tyler Poole, Homer+*
Rick Shingler, Homer*
Ethan Sutton, Marathon+*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Ashton Henry

Most Improved Student – Keegan Morris

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Ethan Sutton

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Tyler Poole

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Career and Technical Education Awards & Scholarships

Most Outstanding Math Student Award: This award recognizes the career and technical education student who has demonstrated academic achievement, ability, creativity, and interest in Mathematics.

Most Outstanding Science Student Award: This award recognizes the career and technical education student who has demonstrated academic achievement, ability, creativity, and interest in the field of Science.

OCMBFT Scholarship: In recognition of the consistent hard work required to achieve the Career & Technical Education Student of the Year Award, the OCM BOCES Federation of Teachers chooses to recognize the top CTE student with this honor.

National Technical Honor Society: Recognizes qualifying students who have chosen technical education pathways to a successful future.

Technical Endorsement: Awarded to a student who successfully completes all of their program requirements, including passing an industry based technical assessment (written and performance).

Career and Technical Education Awards & Scholarships

Butch Ayers Scholarship:

This award is given in honor of Butch Ayers. It is awarded to an Automotive Technology student who has displayed enthusiasm and love of all things automotive for the past 2 years. The student must have plans to enter into the workforce of Automotive Technology or pursue a college education with an automotive degree.

Samuel D. Brown Memorial Tool Award:

Awarded to a student who had demonstrated excellence in the field of Automotive Technology. This award is provided by Advance Autoparts in memory of Samuel D. Brown who was a student in the Automotive Technology program.

Debra A. Shumway Scholarship: Awarded to a CTE Computer Technology student who demonstrates a love for learning and a desire to become a part of the information technology industry. This honor memorializes an OCM BOCES Regional Information Center employee who was well known for her dedication to service of others.

Helen V. Snyder Scholarship: Awarded to a New Vision Environmental Science Student who is committed to the field and who is planning to further his/her education in a qualifying Environmental Studies major.

Margit Connors Memorial Scholarship: Established in loving memory of the mother of an OCM BOCES science teacher, this scholarship is given to a deserving senior from the CTE Health Occupations class who will be enthusiastically embracing a career in the health field.

Automotive Technology

Mr. Bradley Pyle, Instructor

Mr. Brian Anson, Teaching Assistant

Hunter Andersen, Homer+*

Joseph Argus, Tully*

Brandon Bergman, Cincinnatus*

Daisy Bleck, Marathon*

Bryan Brame, Tully *

Justin Chawgo, Tully*

Aaron Craw, DeRuyter*

Myles Dixon, Homer*

Eugene Hemingway, Tully*

Bryce Horner, Homer*

Justina Hunt, Liverpool*

Kyle Koons, Tully*

Amber Maloney, Tully*

Wayne Moore Jr., Homer*

Brady Peck, Homer*

Brian Pike, Cortland*

Hunter Rickert, Cincinnatus+*

Austin Sherman, Cortland*

Ann Sloughter, Homer*

Vincent Swinnich, Homer+*

Jakob Thornton, Cortland*

Michael Wales, Marathon*

Mathew Yacavone, Cortland*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Bryan Brame

Most Improved Student – Daisy Bleck

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Vincent Swinnich

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Hunter Andersen

Butch Ayers Scholarship – Vincent Swinnich

Samuel D. Brown Memorial Tool Award – Vincent Swinnich

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Computer Technology

Mr. Richard Tokar, Instructor

Dollane Artis, Cortland*	Jackson McCall-Bush, Homer+*
Jevon Brayton, Cortland*	Matthew Morse, McGraw+*
Patiance Compton, Cortland*	Nathan Puhlman, Marathon+*
Jacob Congdon, Cortland*	Johnathan Sanford, Cortland^
Adam Decker, Cortland+*	Charles Shauger, Cortland+*
Xavier Feliz, Cortland*	Cameron Sisson, Homer*
Brandon Howard, Cortland*	Michael Spina, Homer*
Dominick Huntley, Homer+*	Jacob Supley, Cincinnatus+*
Trenton Jensen, Homer*	Cameron Trammel, Tully+*
Jake Keep, Cortland^	H. Stanley Waltz, Cincinnatus+*
Theodore Law III, Cincinnatus+*	Cameron Whipple, Jamesville-DeWitt+*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Cameron Trammel

Most Improved Student – Theodore Law III

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Nathan Puhlman

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Jackson McCall-Bush

Debra A. Shumway Scholarship – Jackson McCall-Bush

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Clubs

Rachel's Challenge FOR Club

Mrs. Rebecca Robertson and Mrs. Laura Swayze, Advisors

The F.O.R. Club (Friends of Rachel) is inspired by Rachel Scott, the first victim in the 1999 Columbine school shooting. Her acts of kindness and compassion, coupled with the encouraging contents of her six diaries have become the foundation for one of the most life-changing school programs in America. The OCM BOCES F.O.R. Club Chapter “is designed to inspire, equip and empower every person to create a permanent positive culture change in their school, business and community by starting a chain reaction of kindness and compassion.”

Clubs

SkillsUSA

Mrs. Julie Allen and Mrs. Rebecca Robertson, Advisors

Jenna Knout, President

Taylor Netti, Vice President

Destiny Sherman, Secretary

Kaitlyn Cotterill, Treasurer

Roselea Marsh, Reporter

SkillsUSA Regional Competition Winners

Hayley Halstrom, Cincinnatus 1st Place Medical Terminology	Jenna Knout, Marathon 1st Place Early Childhood
Aiden Allbright, Cortland 2nd Place Promotional Bulletin Board	Ashton Henry, Tully 2nd Place Collision Repair Tech
Adam Minnard, Cortland 2nd Place Employment Application Basic	Michael Stanley, Homer 2nd Place Promotional Bulletin Board
Jackson White, Marathon 2nd Place Cabinet Making	Gillian Wintermute, Tully 2nd Place Promotional Bulletin Board
Halie Colledge, Marathon 3rd Place Television Production	Manuel Feliciano, Fabius Pompey 3rd Place Culinary Arts
Jordan Hammond, Homer 3rd Place Television Production	Hannah Merchant, Cincinnatus 3rd Place Medical Math
Maddison Thompson, Cincinnatus 3rd Place Basic Health Care Skills	

SkillsUSA is a national membership association serving high school, college and middle school students who are preparing for career and/or college in trade, technical and skilled service occupations. SkillsUSA is a partnership of students, teachers and industry working together to ensure America has a skilled workforce. SkillsUSA empowers its members to become world-class workers, leaders and responsible American citizens. SkillsUSA offers local, state and national opportunities for students to learn and practice personal, workplace and technical skills grounded in academics.

Construction Technology

Mr. James Bender, Instructor

Ms. Helen Brown, Teaching Assistant

Skye Bohanan, Cincinnatus*	Matthew McUmbert, Homer*
Dawson Cook, Homer+*	Aidan Potts, Homer*
Cade Dodge, McGraw*	Joseph Roberts, Cincinnatus*
Mathew Froelich, Marathon*	Dylan Rosekrans, Tully*
Alyssa Golden, Fabius Pompey+*	Deven Seamans, Homer*
Travis Kent, Tully+*	Zackery Smith, Homer*
Ethan Kowalewski, Homer+*	Maverick Stafford, McGraw*
Colin Lassey, Cortland+*	Anthony Tinelli, McGraw+*
Joshua Lipfert, Cortland*	Christopher Torto, Cincinnatus*
Dakota Marshall, Cortland*	Jackson White, Marathon+*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Colin Lassey

Most Improved Student – Dawson Cook

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Jackson White

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Matthew McUmbert

Home Builders of CNY, Golden Hammer Award – Jackson White

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Cosmetology

Mrs. Danielle Schlenker, Instructor

Mrs. Jennifer White, Teaching Assistant

Scerenia Barber, Marathon*
Paige Brown, Cortland*
Tiana Caldwell, Marathon+*
Kaitlin Cotterill, Homer*
Cassandra Fisher, Tully+*
Sadie French, DeRuyter*
Adrienne Homza, Cortland*
Shania Kenyon, McGraw*
Baylee Lockwood, Cortland*
Angel Marshall, Cortland*
Bridget Marshall, Cortland*
Kyra Nelson, Cortland*
Zoey Pierson, Cortland*
Meagan Porter, Tully+*

Katelyn Ryan, Cortland*
Destiny Sherman, Cortland+*
Jocelyn Smith, DeRuyter+*
Caitlyn Stanton, Marathon*
Ryan Stevens, Homer*
Ahlexis Tetreault, McGraw*
Isaac Thornton, Marathon+*
Wanda Underwood, McGraw+*
Calista Van Epps, Cortland+*
Payton Vantassel, Tully+*
Annika Wertz, Fabius Pompey+*
Ashley White, McGraw+*
Emily Wolf, Tully+*
Cirena Woodward, Cortland*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Tiana Caldwell

Most Improved Student – Destiny Sherman

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Meagan Porter

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Annika Wertz

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CTE and New Vision Awards

Perseverance Award

This is awarded to a student who through hard work and determination has successfully completed his or her career and technical education program.

Most Improved Student Award

This is presented to the student who has demonstrated a strong desire and effort toward improving his or her technical and employability skills over the two years enrolled in his or her career and technical education program.

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry

This is awarded to a student that has demonstrated a passion or commitment to his or her program and plans on pursuing a career in the field by either attending a post-secondary school or working directly in the field.

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award

This award recognizes a graduating student who over the past two years of study has demonstrated the desired skills of the 21st Century; that being excellent technical skills, a strong work ethic, problem-solving skills, creativity, leadership qualities, good attendance and a commitment to his or her program.

New Vision Medical Professions

Ms. Lindsey Bryant, Instructor

Brooke Allbright, Homer+	Jade Dillenbeck, Tully+
Caitlin Barber, Homer+	Hayley Halstrom, Cincinnatus+
Rachel Biggs, Tully+	Donovan Hartnett, Cortland+
Kayla Buchovecky, DeRuyter+	Kaia Hubbard, Homer+
Olivia Corl, Homer+	Hannah Merchant, Cincinnatus+
Tori Cruz, Cortland+	Chloe VanGorder, Cortland+
Sarah Daddona, Tully+	Kristi Walley, Marathon+

Awards

Perseverance Award – Kaia Hubbard

Most Improved Student – Tori Cruz

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Jade Dillenbeck

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Caitlin Barber

The Thomas D. and Lucille F. Garrity Award – Caitlin Barber & Tori Cruz

Most Outstanding Math Student Award – Hannah Merchant

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Culinary and Pastry Arts

Ms. Madison Keehfus, Instructor

Mrs. Eliza Vitale, Teaching Assistant

Kimberly Alberts, McGraw^	Micaiah Derusha, McGraw^
Mason Bellrose, Cortland*	Rayn Hurlbert, Fabius Pompey*
Angel Bowers, Homer+*	Evan Ignatowski, McGraw*
Jazmine Bowman, DeRuyter+*	Mikayla Merihew-Williams, Marathon+*
Chelsea Corey, Marathon+*	Billi Robinson, Cincinnatus+*
Krissie Cross, Marathon+*	Princess Jeshenia Shine, Homer+*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Angel Bowers

Most Improved Student – Chelsea Corey

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Krissie Cross

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Billi Robinson

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Early Childhood Education

Mrs. Heather Tuttle, Instructor

Brittany Ayers, Cincinnatus*
Lacey Bigtree-Deziley, Fabius Pompey*
Mataya Donovan, Cortland*
Isabelle Gayhart, Homer*
Mya Goddard, Homer+*
Lacey Hutchings, Cortland*
Jerze Joseph, Homer+*
Jenna Knout, Marathon+*
Sierra Kuss, Homer*
Nakotah LaMarre, Marathon*

Madison Leete, DeRuyter*
Brooke Malchak, Tully*
Roselea Marsh, DeRuyter+*
Makayla Miller, Homer*
Sheriden Monroe, Homer*
Evian Pitts, Cortland*
Torrie Randall, DeRuyter+*
McKenzie Richmond, Marathon*
Morgan Zimmer, Cortland+*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Brittany Ayers

Most Improved Student Award – Isabelle Gayhart

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Jenna Knout

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Morgan Zimmer

OCMBFT Scholarship – Jenna Knout

Most Outstanding Science Student Award – Roselea Marsh

SkillsUSA Award – Jenna Knout

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New Vision Environmental Science

Mr. Chad DeVoe, Instructor

Hannah Aldrich, Cortland+
Eugene Burrows, DeRuyter+
Elizabeth Decker, Cortland+
Cameron Downey, Tully+
Gabriella Fowler, Cortland+
Jack Fox, Homer+
Kenyon Gerst, DeRuyter
Joseph Kane, Cortland

Maggie Liddell, Tully+
Tiernyn Robbins, Homer
Megan Robison, Homer
Zackary Rogers, Marathon+
Jonah Shay, Tully+
Jagger Tanner, Homer
Hannah Weisbrodt, Tully

Awards

Perseverance Award - Hannah Aldrich

Most Improved Student - Megan Robison

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry - Cameron Downey

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award - Maggie Liddel

Helen V. Snyder Scholarship - Cameron Downey

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Welding Technology

Mr. Kevin Auyer, Instructor

Garen Barker, Marathon+*	Dominic Mitchell, Marathon+*
Conner Benedict, DeRuyter+*	Nathan Mitchell, West Genesee*
Justin Bort, DeRuyter+*	Cameron Neilson, Marathon+*
Cameron Brown, DeRuyter*	Taylor Netti, Homer+*
Woody Burda, Homer+*	Quintin Sengsounthone, Marathon+*
Anthony Bush, Cincinnatus+*	Isaac Sweeney, Homer*
Joseph Farrow, Cincinnatus*	Gauge Taylor, Cincinnatus+*
Logan George, Cincinnatus*	Alex Toolan, Marathon
Anthony Hatto, DeRuyter+*	Joseph Vogel, Homer*
Kaleb Jones, Cincinnatus*	Hunter White, Homer+*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Isaac Sweeney

Most Improved Student – Anthony Bush

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Conner Benedict

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Taylor Netti

SkillsUSA Award – Taylor Netti

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Graphic Communications

Ms. Tanya Komar, Instructor

Arielle Bastian, Homer+*	Logan Gillette, Tully
Thomas Clark, Cortland/Cortland Christian Academy+*	
Halie Colledge, Marathon*	Jordan Hammond, Homer*
Claude Coville III, Homer*	Alle Tollner, Homer*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Thomas Clark

Most Improved Student – Jordan Hammond

Most Dedicated Student to the Field/Industry – Arielle Bastian

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Halie Colledge

Scholastic Art & Writing Award Honorable Mention – Halie Colledge

Imagination Celebration Second Place Digital Art – Thomas Clark

Imagination Celebration Third Place Digital Art – Claude Coville III

Imagination Celebration Honorable Mention Digital Art – Halie Colledge

Imagination Celebration Second Place Photography – Alle Tollner

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Health Occupations Technology

Mrs. Laura Swayze, Instructor

Crystin Burdick, McGraw*
Gabrielle Carr, Cortland+*
Derek Cass, McGraw*
Pearl Compton, Cortland*
Tatiana Compton, Fabius Pompey*
Zachery Doughty, Cortland*
Shyanne Lewis, Cortland+*
Kourtney Lyon, McGraw*
Brookelynn Marshall, Tully*

Melaina Phillips, McGraw*
Emma Rapp, Marathon+*
Haven Rundell, Cortland*
Allissia Smith, Cortland*
Amber Tottey, Cortland*
Hannah Ward, Homer+*
Cianna Whittington, Homer*
Amaya Willis, Cortland*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Tatiana Compton

Most Improved Student – Cianna Whittington

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Amber Tottey

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Emma Rapp

Margit Connors Memorial Scholarship – Amber Tottey

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Physical Therapy & Rehabilitative Professions

Dr. Christine Bosco, Instructor

Mallory Beard, Homer+*
Catherine Chapman, DeRuyter+*
Isabella Cinquanti, Cortland*
Michaela Delavan, Cincinnati*
Faith Howell, Homer+*

Grace Jacobi, Homer+*
Nate Johnson, Homer+*
Allyson Natale, Homer+*
Leann Rutan, Cincinnati+*

Awards

Perseverance Award – Faith Howell

Most Improved Student – Leann Rutan

Most Dedicated Student to the Field or Industry – Grace Jacobi

21st Century Skills Outstanding Student Award – Nate Johnson

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