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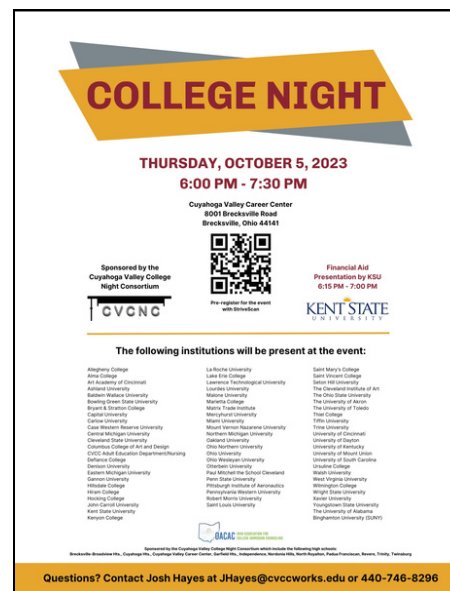
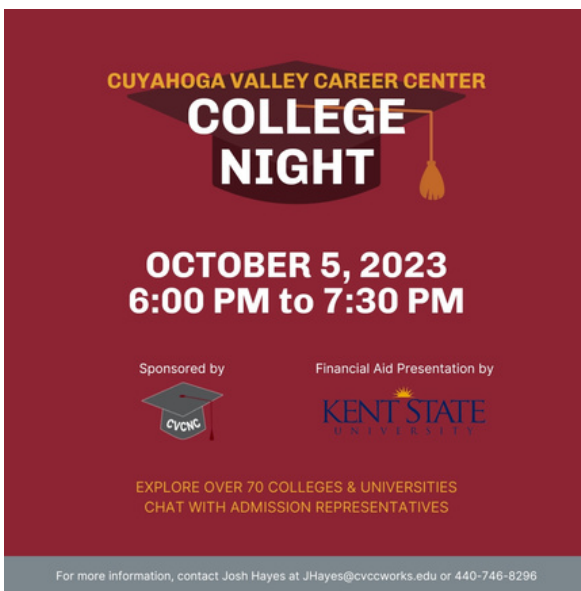
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Upcoming College Night

Cuyahoga Valley Career Center (CVCC) will host College Night on Thursday, October 5, 2023 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. This event is sponsored by the Cuyahoga Valley College Night Consortium (CVCNC) and is in coordination with the Ohio Association for College Admissions Counseling. This year, CVCC will be utilizing StriveScan, a college fair scanning app, that will send participants a QR code to use during the event for colleges to scan and send more information about their school—it's free, saves time, and saves paper! CVCC invites all those looking to connect with various colleges and universities, technical centers, and military academies to attend. A Financial Aid presentation by Kent State University will also be available to attendees from 6:15 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. This free event will be held at CVCC, registration is not required. For more information, contact Josh Hayes at JHayes@cvcworks.edu or 440-746-8260.



The Cuyahoga Valley College Night Consortium Committee freshened up their logo this year with the help of a senior from North Royalton in the Digital Design program. Great job, Liliya Burko!



November Craft Show - Crafters/Vendors Needed!

Cuyahoga Valley Career Center (CVCC) will host a Craft Show on Saturday, November 4, 2023 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The Craft Show will feature a snack bar and several vendors offering unique gifts, crafted items, and baked goods. Admission to the event is \$1. Sponsored by the SkillsUSA Local Chapter, interested crafters can reserve space at the event. One space is \$50, two spaces are \$85, and three spaces are \$105 dollars. Spaces are assigned on a first come first serve basis. Checks can be made payable to, CVCC/SkillsUSA. No applications or payments will be accepted after October 24, 2023. To reserve a space and for more information, please contact Julie Jakubczak at (440) 746-8240 or jjakubczak@cvccworks.edu.

"The Craft Show is the largest fundraising event for the SkillsUSA Local Chapter. All of the money raised will be put towards leadership activities and programming throughout the year. We hope to see you there!" -Kierra Farmer, CVCC Student and SkillsUSA Local Chapter Programming Coordinator

**CRAFTERS/VENDORS
WANTED!!!
NOVEMBER
craft show**

**SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 4TH**

9:00am-3:00pm
\$1 admission

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SkillsUSA

CVCC Fire & EMS Academy Students Pay Tribute

On Monday, September 11, CVCC's High School Fire and EMS Academy students honored and remembered all those lost and affected by the tragic events that changed our country forever on 9/11. Thank you to the Fire and EMS Academy students, and instructor Heather Nelligan for commemorating this time in such a respectful way. What a beautiful tribute!



Media Arts Alumni Visit Students

CVCC Media Arts Alumni, Joe Battaglia (Class of 2009) and Valerie Garrett (Class of 2018) from North Royalton, visited the Senior Media Arts students to inspire and share their experiences working in the film and videography industry.

Joe Battaglia currently lives in Los Angeles where he works in television and film. He shared his experience working on Star Wars Mandalorian, Ahsoka, and more with the class.

Valerie Garrett shared her experience starting her own company (Valerie Garrett Productions), doing freelance videography, and insight into her life as a videographer for Cleveland State University.

CVCC thanks Joe and Valerie for their time and providing such great insight and knowledge to our students!



CVCC Welcomes SRO

Cuyahoga Valley Career Center is pleased to welcome Bob Maxwell, a Brecksville Police Officer, as the School Resource Officer for the 2023-2024 school year.

Officer Maxwell began his career in law enforcement over 20 years ago, having spent five of those years with the Cleveland Police Department and 16 of those years with the City of Brecksville.

“The State Government has highlighted the benefits of having an SRO within schools, which led to the discussion with our staff and community about having an SRO at CVCC. Partnering with the City of Brecksville gave us the opportunity to have Officer Maxwell as our SRO and illustrates our commitment to having a strong district. We’re so excited to have him here to add to our positive school climate and build relationships with our students.” -Mike Hall, CVCC High School Principal

Safety has always been our number one priority for our students, staff, and community. Officer Maxwell will work to keep the school district a safe learning environment for all and will be a tremendous resource to our community.

“As the SRO for CVCC, my goal and purpose are to foster a positive relationship between law enforcement and students and to give the students and staff a sense of security. I bring with me over 20 years in law enforcement and experience as the SRO for the Brecksville-Broadview Heights Middle School. I would like to thank CVCC and the City of Brecksville for this opportunity. I am very excited and grateful to be in the position I am in, and I will perform to the best of my ability.” -Bob Maxwell

Welcome, Officer Maxwell!



Open House for High School Students

On Thursday, September 7, the CVCC High School staff welcomed students and their parents to the annual Open House event. Many attended and visited program areas and had the opportunity to meet with their child's program instructor, academic teachers, guidance counselors, VoSE's and administrators. Parents were also able to get a visual of their child's program areas and labs as well as see projects students are currently working on.

Teachers had the chance to explain to parents what will occur in their child's program this year and what the expectations for the program entail. CVCC thanks all the parents and students who came to the High School Open House, it was a great turn out! CVCC looks forward to continuing another great school year.



Important Dates



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For questions, feedback, or news ideas, email mrobertson@cvccworks.edu.

Upcoming Events:

- Thursday, October 5 - College Night 6:00pm - 7:30pm
- Wednesday, October 11 - PSAT Testing; No Juniors
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- Friday, October 13 - Staff In-service; No High School Classes
- Thursday, October 26 - CVCC Board of Education Meeting