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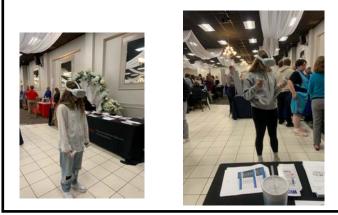
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OMJ Job Fair

The Jefferson and Harrison County Job Fair took place on September 29th at the Saint Florian Hall in Wintersville, Ohio. 48 Vendors were present at the event and 135 Job Searchers.



The Jefferson County Chamber of Commerce hosted the Countywide Career Fair at Saint Florian Hall on September 20th. High School students were able to connect with universities, military, law enforcement, and *WIOA CCMEP Case Managers*! Virtual Reality Goggles were provided for career exploration.



NEW EMPLOYEES



Megan Hoberek started her position as a Fresh Start Case Manager on September 25th *Welcome Megan!*

Michelle Kernya started as a HEAP Intake worker on October 2nd *Congratulations Michelle!*





Maggie Goudy started at Harrison County as a WIOA Administrative Assistant (Part Time) *Welcome Maggie!*

WELCOME BACK MARY GAULT! Mary returned to the agency on September 11th as a Adult/Dislocated Case Manager.

Mark Your Calendar



October 9th - CAC will be closed for Columbus Day

October 31st - Agency is shut down to the public.

In the morning – Active Shooter Training

In the Evening – Trick or Treat



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

October 10 - Tommy Ballarin October 17 - Robyn Gillette October 22 - Mike Cernansky





Monthly Program Highlight

Home Weatherization Assistance Program (HWAP)

The busy crew that operates this program works year round to make the homes of income eligible participants more energy efficient. Towards that end, they insulate attics, blow cellulose into side walls, caulk windows and doors, and take any other practical measures to minimize or stop cold air infiltration. Furnaces are checked and repaired or replaced under this program, as well.

Eligibility is determined by ranking on a point system, and can be awarded to either home owners or tenants. Priority is extended to low-income, elderly, and citizens with disabilities. HWAP is funded by the Ohio Department of Development through C.O.A.D. Additional funds are provided through Columbia Gas Warm Choice Program and American Electric Power (A.E.P.) and the Targeted Energy Efficiency Program (T.E.E.)

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