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Presidents Message

Hello CBI Community,

I hope your holiday season was full of relaxation, fun, and cheer with family and friends. A new year offers so much opportunity to reflect on the joys and challenges of the previous year. We set new goals and standards for our lives moving forward with the opportunity to do better in the upcoming year.

My goal for CBI in the upcoming year is to enhance the communication and support that we may all need. We want to strengthen our programs and assist the new ones. It is the board of directors' goal along with the regional representatives to assist you and your colleagues in any way possible. We are excited about our past accomplishments but are yearning to strengthen our future. We will continue to work diligently to assist you and your program in our ever-changing workplace and classrooms.

Thank you for a great 2022. We look forward to serving you in 2023 and building upon our already strong foundation. See you the Spring Conference!

Gregg Severt

MONDAY
APRIL 24, 2023
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Curriculum
Teacher
Growth
Multi-Cultural
Achievement
Learner
Individual

2023
**OHIO ACTE
CBI DIVISION
SPRING CONFERENCE**

Learn from our dynamic and nationally-recognized speaker. There's something for everyone. Connect, learn and share knowledge.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER:



DR. ROBERT PETERS

Vice President and Chief Academic Officer
at Successful Practices Network and the
National Dropout Prevention Center

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

NEW LOCATION!

Embassy Suites by Hilton Columbus
2700 Corporate Exchange Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43231

2023

**OHIO ACTE
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SPRING CONFERENCE**

APRIL 24, 2023



**Conference at
a Glance**

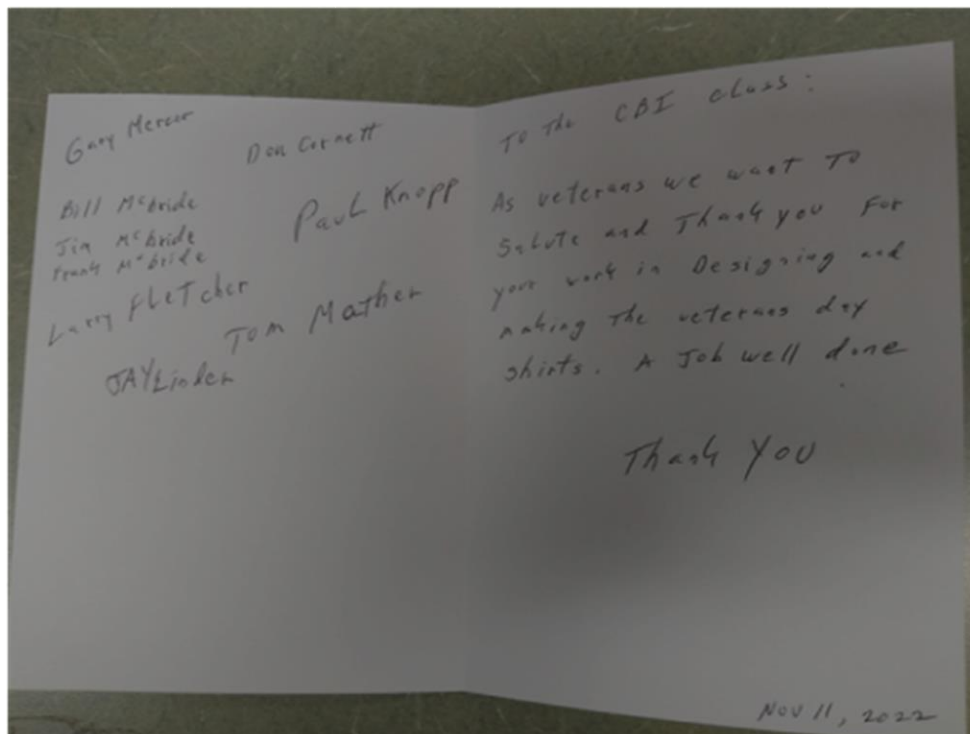
7:00 - 8:30 AM	Registration
9:00 AM	Keynote Speaker, Dr. Robert Peters
10:00 AM	Business Meetings
10:25 AM	ODE Update
10:45 AM	OACTE Update
11:00 AM	Awards
12:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM	Breakout #1
2:15 PM	Breakout #2

We look forward to seeing you at
conference!



West Branch CBI Program Makes Gifts for Local Veterans

To show their appreciation for the sacrifices that their local veterans made for their country. A group of students from West Branch High Schools CBI-A program designed and silkscreened Veterans Day T-Shirts. Each shirt was packed with the shirt, a small American Flag, and a Thank You card signed by a student. Each year the school holds an assembly to honor all of the veterans in the community. After the assembly the veterans were treated to fresh coffee and homemade cinnamon rolls. The Veterans were very surprised when the students started handing out their special gifts. They even made enough shirts so that the Veterans who couldn't be at the assembly would still get a shirt. The shirts said "Happy Veterans Day" on the front, and listed the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, and the Coast Guard on the back. The reaction from the Veterans was so good that the students want to make shirts for them every year!





Be a CBI Board Member!

Be our guest! We want to welcome all coordinators to “be our guest” at the board meetings held at the Embassy Suites of Dublin. If you would like to attend a board meeting, contact your regional representative. The Board meetings are scheduled for: November 15, February 14, and March 14.



Positions are available on the State Board of Directors for:

- Region 2 (2 open seats)
- Region 3 (2 open seats)
- Region 5 (1 open seats)
- Region 7 (2 open seats)
- Region 8 (2 open seat)
- Region 9 (1 open seat)
- Region 10 (2 open seat)
- Region 11 (2 open seat)
- Region 12 (2 open seats)

Become a member of the Board!

Want to help make a difference and have the opportunity to work with a great bunch of people? Becoming a board member is a very rewarding experience. There are a couple of positions available right now!

Open Positions

Region 2

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Region 12

Legislative Update

If you would like to contact your legislative officials, a sample letter is available at <http://www.mrdavisobi.com/sample-letter-to-elected-officials.html>

This is an opportunity to educate legislators and representatives about our programs.

Tell a story about your students. Send an email - tell the representatives about CBI.

To find your legislators go to <https://www.govtrack.us/congress/members/OH#senators> for your Senators and <https://www.govtrack.us/congress/members/OH#representatives> for Ohio's 16 Representatives.

Philosophy and Responsibilities

To establish improved communications among local programs, the Ohio Department of Education, professional groups, and all those who are interested in Career Based Intervention programs. A regional representative is required to have two regional meetings per year. One meeting will be scheduled between September-November and the other will take place February- April or during the Spring Professional Development Conference.

To promote a better understanding of the purposes, operations, and standards of Career Based Intervention at the local, state, and national levels. *It is your responsibility to communicate information and collect issues, concerns, and suggestions from your region and convey them to the CBI board.

To provide a means for the study and investigation of concerns and support which are of special interest to Career Based Intervention instructors.

To cooperate with and support the Ohio Association for Career and Technical Education and the Association for Career and Technical Education through our active membership as a united affiliate with OACTE and ACTE. Regional representatives/board members must maintain ACTE/OACTE membership & work to bring in new members.

Scholarships and other Awards!

Do you have students who wish to continue their education after graduation? We all know that money is tight and everything little bit counts. That is why the CBI Board of Directors offers scholarships every year. Please tell your students to take advantage of these great opportunities!

Jeff Akers Scholarship - \$1000

Available to any student (grades 7-9) enrolled in a Career Based Intervention-Career Connections Program is eligible to apply. (Applications limited to 2 per program.)

Thomas Hyde Memorial Scholarship - \$1000

The Thomas Hyde Memorial Scholarship is in honor of one of Ohio's founding Occupational Work Experience (an early form of CBI-CC) coordinators. Any student (grades 10-12) enrolled in a Career Based Intervention-Career Connections Program is eligible to apply. (Applications limited to 2 per program.)

Partnership of the Year Award

The Partnership of the Year Award recognizes those who have had a positive influence and have contributed to the success of a CBI program in the state of Ohio. The partnership should enhance the CBI program.

2023 Gold Star Teacher/Coordinator of the Year Award

The Gold Star Coordinator of the Year award highlights the accomplishments of CBI teachers throughout the state of Ohio who have gone above and beyond in their classrooms in the quest for student success.

Dr. James Pinchak Service Learning Award

This award will be given to the CBI program that has completed a Service Learning project of high regard in the state of Ohio for the calendar year of 2022.

If you would like more information about these scholarships or any other awards, please go to <https://cbiohio.com/awards/> or the CBI Web page at <http://www.cbiohio.com> and click on the Awards tab.

Troy High School CBIP

Students at Troy High School CBIP completed 8 weeks of Trojan Futures.

What is Trojan Futures?

Trojan Futures is a new career exploration program that helps students discover two to three possible careers that have meaning and value to them. The program uses a series of self-awareness, learning, and reflection exercises to facilitate the student's discovery and decision-making process to create and initiate an action plan to achieve their goal.

Objectives:

- Offer a sequence of activities that allows the student to discover their natural skills and talents and how those can be offered to the world in a meaningful way that supports their quality of life.
- Offer students expansive career options and self-understanding so the students gain exposure to career possibilities and discern their ideal career fit.
- Supports students to acknowledge and address obstacles and fears and offer options and strategies that could create a pathway to overcoming these.

The outcome of the program is a plan/strategy for the student's future after high school.



Congratulations!

Knowledge Bowl 2022-2023

The cost is \$100. This includes access to the Knowledge Bowl website plus one team registration. (You can purchase the program and choose not to compete at the regional or state level.) The order form can be found by going to www.cbiohio.com and clicking on the Knowledge Bowl tab or clicking [here](#). The registration deadline is February 24th.

Regional competitions- It will be up to each region whether they host an in-person or virtual competition. In order to be eligible for state competition: regional competition results must be sent to me PRIOR TO MARCH 31ST.

State Competition- (The cost is \$50 PER TEAM to compete.) An in-person competition is being planned; however, the date, location and time is undetermined at this time. Once secured, registered teams will be notified.



Ohio ACTE CBI Division

You are invited to join a new forum!

Choose a Forum topic - or start a new topic.

It is suggested that you first SUBSCRIBE to the Forum

For More Details go to

<http://www.ohioacte.org/cbi>

Questions about the Forum?

**Go to: <http://www.ohioacte.org/resources/Documents/Division%20Discussion%20Blog.pdf> or send
an email to: membership@ohioacte.org**

[JOIN THE CONVERSATION TODAY!](#)



Members of Ohio ACTE's CBI Division are invited to join the discussion! This New Discussion Forum is for members to ask questions, share tips and get advice from fellow educators.

In Memory of

Christine Gardner



Christine Gardner, with her smile and welcoming personality, embraced the world of Career Technical Education and dedicated herself to the work of Ohio ACTE. She has made lasting impacts in Ohio advocating for our schools and educators. Chris cared deeply about her work and was proud to represent Ohio ACTE. During her 16-year tenure, she moved CTE to the forefront with her many accomplishments. Chris and Ohio ACTE established the Student Showcase in the Statehouse Capital Atrium highlighting CTE programs and students, co-sponsoring the event with OACTS and Ohio CCS. She also worked closely with OACTS and Ohio CCS to make sure messages to legislators were aligned and coherent. She truly valued this collaboration. Chris presented at conferences nationally and internationally about Career Technical Education as well as represented CTE on a variety of statewide committees. Chris was passionate about her work with the Byrl R Shoemaker CTE Leadership Institute that she launched after Byrl's passing in 2012. Christine has left behind a great legacy, and Ohio ACTE Leadership will ensure we continue on with her work.

To remember her legacy, a scholarship fund has been set up in her honor.

[You can donate here.](#)

All donations are tax deductible.

[Click here for Obituary](#)

For donations by check please mail to:

Please indicate Christine Gardner Scholarship fund in memo

Ohio ACTE

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Join/Renew Your Ohio ACTE/ACTE Membership- TODAY!

CTE professionals are encouraged to support Ohio ACTE by joining/renewing their membership at ohioacte.org/newmem. Ohio ACTE will be collecting only state dues. This change will allow Ohio ACTE to focus resources on advocacy efforts and professional benefits rather than administrative processes.

Membership Benefits Include:

Interaction

- Annual All-Ohio Conference – Connections to Education - the only statewide meeting of career, technical and adult educators.
- Ohio ACTE partners with the Ohio Department of Education to ensure collaboration on issues impacting Ohio career-technical students.
- Develop leadership skills through service as a division president or committee member.
- Ohio ACTE recognizes outstanding career-technical educators through its Awards Program.

Information

- Innovative educators showcase and share promising practices at the annual conference, through forums and at events.
- Ohio ACTE provides vital news on issues and developments in CTE through its Web site and monthly email update.
- Ohio ACTE's newsletter, *Today's Education, Tomorrow's Career* provides valuable information and commentary affecting Ohio career-technical educators.

Influence

- Ohio ACTE Legislative Counsel constantly monitors legislation that impacts CTE, advises leadership and makes recommendations to be sure CTE continues to serve the best interest of students.
- Ohio ACTE leadership works with legislators and lobbyists to ensure the interest of career-technical education is represented in today's government.
- Ohio ACTE forms successful partnerships with government regulators, officials, administrators and others to help them understand the influence CTE has on students and Ohio's economy.

Your participation in Ohio ACTE strengthens the voice of CTE and helps influence positive changes in funding, legislation and attitudes.

FIRST YEAR TEACHERS ARE FREE!!!

CBI IS NOW ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Make sure you visit our website regularly!

www.cbiohio.com

You will find our updated calendar, regional information, Knowledge Bowl updates, archived Chronicles, helpful resources, scholarship forms, Award nominations, and CBI Board of Director's contact info.

Like us on FB @ "CBI-Ohio"

Better Yet! Join the Group!

Follow us on Twitter @cbiohio



Newsletter Submissions

We would really like to hear from you! Please send your lesson ideas, questions, comments, or article ideas/submissions to cbiohio@gmail.com

Win a Free Career Based Intervention T-Shirt!

Do you have an idea?

A story about something that happened in your classroom?

A lesson that you would like to share?

Do you want to share the great things happening in your program?

We want to read about it!

Write an article and submit it to be printed in the Chronicle.

We will pick a winner from those who submitted articles.

It's that easy!

