



FIRST CMA GRADS PASS EXAM

On June 17th, the first group of Certified Medical Assistant (CMA) grads at Frontier Community College passed their CMA examination.

Beginning in 2020, Frontier Community College implemented a two-year CMA program. The CMA program prepares students for a variety of career possibilities, as the certification can allow them to pursue a career in it specifically or help them get another healthcare position with the certification being an added credential.



Graduates Kylar Slover (left) and Teresa Doyle (right) with Program Instructor Jodi Peach.

The program versatility lead to a first class of students with different backgrounds and career goals. “This first group, they are all unique. Kylee came in because of the flexibility, Kylar is pursuing a nursing degree, and Theresa, who has already started her career, extended her time in college to get through this program,” said Program Instructor Jodi Peach.

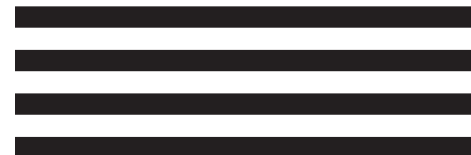
Upcoming Events

July

- 28 Last Day of Classes
- 29 Final Exams

August

- 01 Final Exams
- 15-17 Registration/Testing
- 18 First Day of Classes



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As all three graduates were able to pass their certification exam on their first attempt, Program Instructor Jodi Peach hopes that level of success along with her teaching style and desire to truly connect with the students will help allow the program to continue to grow.

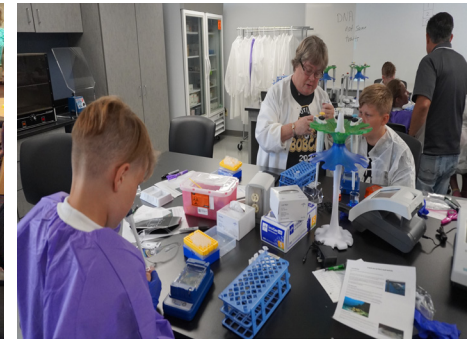
“Each one of them came into this program and together we started and finished this. I am so proud of all of them and I know that they are caring and loving people and I have no doubt that will transfer into their careers. This is why I love teaching,” said Peach.



Instructor Jodi Peach with graduate Kylee Bell

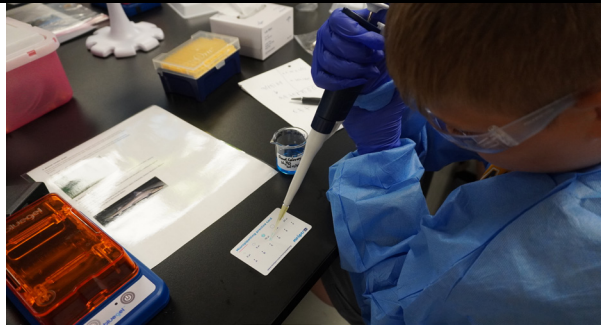
KIDS CAMPS ARE A HUGE SUCCESS

83 kids attended at least one of the kids camps this summer on FCC's campus as a dozen were offered for a variety of ages. Throughout the month of June, a collection of kids camps were offered including, origami, science explorer, sign language, art attack, and jr. palentology, amongst others. Our kids camps help keep the kids engaged and entertained while providing many of them their first look at the FCC campus.



TITLE III UPDATE

On June 16th, 15 grade school students from Wayne, Clay, and Edwards County participated in Camp CSI: Shark Attack kids camp in the Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT) Classroom on FCC's campus. The students were tasked with completing DNA analysis to determine the number of sharks responsible for an attack.



Young scientist using pipette

The real mission of the camp was to introduce students to the profession of MLT. Under the direction of Dr. Paul Bruinsma, students learned about DNA, how to use pipettes for measuring small amounts, and interpret DNA analysis results. It is hopeful as these jr. scientists begin contemplating their future careers, they will consider enrolling in FCC's MLT program!



Health Science Specialist Julie Dehart assisting student in the lab

BUSINESS & INDUSTRY TRAINING

- The Emergency Preparedness department received a donation of ten self-contained breathing apparatuses (SCBAs) along with around the same number of masks, valued at approximately \$10,000. The donation of SCBAs allows instructors to not have to use their respective fire department gear.
- B&I will start safety training in Ataraxia, a new client, in Albion beginning in July. Ataraxia has over 400 employees who will be receiving this training.
- Friendsville mine in Wabash County has reopened operations. B&I held an annual re-training event in late June. Friendsville is the only coal mine within the IECC District. PE Mining/Reliable Energy from West Virginia recently purchased the Friendsville mine and resumed mining operation early this year.



(L-R) Robert Beal (Fire Certification Specialist), Sharmila Kakac, Leslie Boles, Andrew Miller (Fire Science Instructor and Chief of Fairfield Fire Department)

BOBCATS TO CONTINUE PLAYING CAREERS

Baseball coach Jimmy Brenneman is proud to announce that two former Bobcats have signed professional contracts after having much success while at Frontier and at their four-year schools. Brice Stutesville and Trey Woosley are the first two players to sign professional contracts out of the FCC Bobcats program. “Trey and Brice are two former players that embody everything we look for when we recruit student-athletes to Frontier. They are blue-collar, hard-nosed players that also excelled in the classroom ... they’ve worked very hard for these opportunities and it’s exciting to follow their progress,” said Brenneman.

- RHP **Brice Stutesville** (Rockport, IN), signed with the Evansville Otters on June 10th. In his short time with the team he has thrown 10.1 innings, striking out 9 with a 1.74 ERA.
- 1B/OF **Trey Woosley** (Breckenridge County, KY) signed with the Empire State Greys on May 23rd. So far with the team, he has hit .292 with 4 doubles, 1 home run, and 10 RBI.

FCC is proud of these Bobcats who have represented our college, and we applaud them as they move to next chapter of their journeys!



RHP Brice Stutesville



1B/OF Trey Woosley

SUCCESSFUL SOFTBALL FUNDRAISER

The Frontier Community College softball team gifted Leslie Riley and family a check following a season-long fundraiser which was a collective effort from the team and community. Some sponsors volunteered to donate \$1 for every hit the team had the entire season, some donors followed the same process for individual players, and businesses and residents also donated specific amounts. The Riley family expressed their gratitude and FCC and the softball team were thankful for the help received community-wide.



Back row (L-R): Athletic Director Nixie Hnetkovsky, Coach Jeremy Ellis, Abby Whiting, Leslie Riley, Coach Marty Slover, and Kyleigh Guinzy. Front row: Mia and Deegan Riley

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FCC

- Our Director of Instructional Support Services, Lori Noe, has been busy this summer with literacy outreach activities. She has hosted Kiddie Kollege Childcare Center and Kids in Motion Day Camp on the FCC campus. Through both of these programs, over 100 children ave been reached. Lori reads to the groups and coordinates an activity and craft that the children can complete. Subjects have included yoga, origami, botany, engineering, and diversity. This has been a positive collaboration for Frontier and our *“future Bobcats.”*
- New Student Orientation will take place on Wednesday, August 10th, at 9am on FCC’s campus. Students will get the chance to tour campus and get a look inside the buildings where they will take classes, speak to advisors, and enjoy all that FCC has to offer. There will be opportunities for students to learn about all of the ways the can get involved with extracurriculars and what resources are available to them for a variety of needs they may have.
- In addition to the two that signed professionally, 15 FCC baseball players signed to play at a four-year school this upcoming season.

