



## Region 7 JAG News Spring 2023

Check out these highlights of the great things going on with our JAG programs!

### Career Development Conference

On Friday January 20th, Region 7 held its annual JAG Career Development Conference. Approximately 200 students from the nine JAG programs in our region came to the Ivy Tech Terre Haute campus to compete against their fellow JAG students.

The students competed in competitions that utilize the skills and lessons that they have been learning throughout the year. In addition to competing, the students were able to meet their fellow students, network with the judges and hear information about Ivy Tech Community College.

Once again local employers and community leaders served as judges for the events. The first place winners will move on to represent our region at the state contest in March.

Congratulations to everyone who competed and good luck to those students moving on to the state competition.





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## Mock Interviews – Riverton Parke and Parke Heritage

Riverton Parke and Parke Heritage JAG Students recently participated in mock job interviews conducted by Greg Lee and Shawn Brames of Vincennes University and Nancy Inman and Brad Trusler from the WorkOne Western Indiana Business Services team.







### CPR Certifications

Parke Heritage JAG recently completed CPR Training.



### College Exploration / Acceptance!

#### Lilly Scholarship

Congratulations to Carson on his selection as the 2023 Putnam County Lilly Scholarship winner! Through an extensive interview and essay process Carson has won a full tuition scholarship! He spent many hours preparing and goal setting and yesterday his hard work came to fruition!



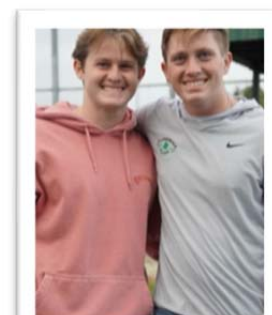
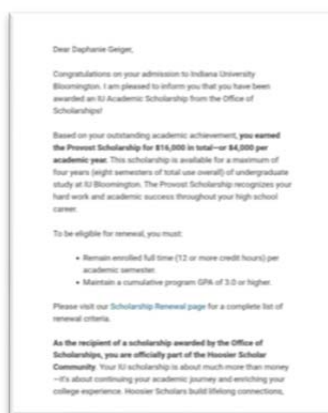
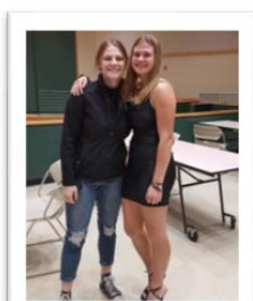
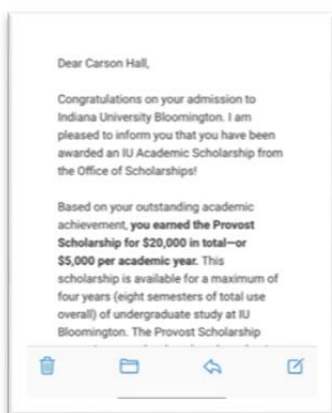


## Indiana University

Kiersten Wade of Cloverdale JAG was recently accepted to IU!



Congratulations to prospective future Hoosiers Daphanie and Carson on their award of merit scholarships from Indiana University! Carson and Daphanie are pictured with their older siblings (Jessica with Daphanie and Rylan with Carson)! Congratulations JAG scholars!



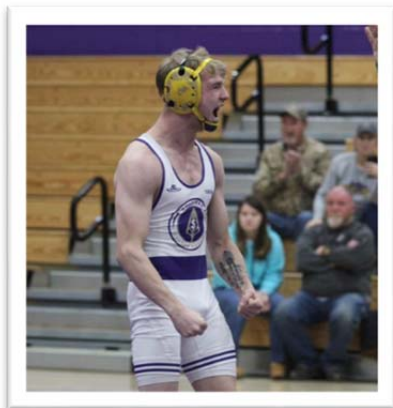


### Vincennes University

Timmy Hiatt and Alex Baker of Cloverdale JAG were recently accepted to Vincennes University!



### Gilbert competes in Semi-State



Sullivan JAG student Lane Gilbert recently concluded his wrestling Semi-State. Recently he recently broke the Sullivan wrestling record for the fastest pin with a 5 second fall against West Vigo. Congratulations Lane on a great season.

In addition to wrestling, Lane is also participating in a work experience and also finished first in the Employability Skills competition at the Regional Career Development Conference and will be competing in the State competition in March.







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## DAR Good Citizen

Daphnie Geiger was selected as the Cloverdale nominee for the Putnam County Good Citizen Award.

### DAR Good Citizen to be announced Dec. 6

Administrators, students and faculty from the four county high schools have again collaborated with the Washburn Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution to select one member from each senior class at his or her school in the annual Putnam County DAR Good Citizen competition.

This year's individual Good Citizen winners are Daphnie Geiger from Cloverdale, Daniel "Boyd" Ensley from Greencastle, Alaina Chew from North Putnam and Madison Newby from Madison Newby from South Putnam.

Students are selected for having a variety of interests, participation in school and extracurricular activities, making contributions to their home, church and community, their scholastic achievement and awards, and exhibiting such qualities as dependability, service, script of grades and two letters of recommendation. Independent judges

Public Library. The individual winners will be recognized and read their



Daphnie Geiger



Boyd Ensley



Alaina Chew



Madison Newby

## Career Exploration / Employer Visits

Franciscan Health recently visited Cloverdale JAG.





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### JATC

Riverton Parke JAG Students visited the JATC Training Center and learned about training for the Electrical Union.



### Indiana National Guard

Sergeant Gardner of the Indiana National Guard visited Cloverdale JAG to discuss a future in the military. He also shared MREs (Meals Ready to Eat) with the class.





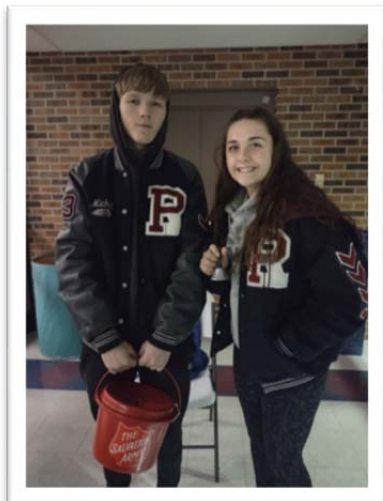
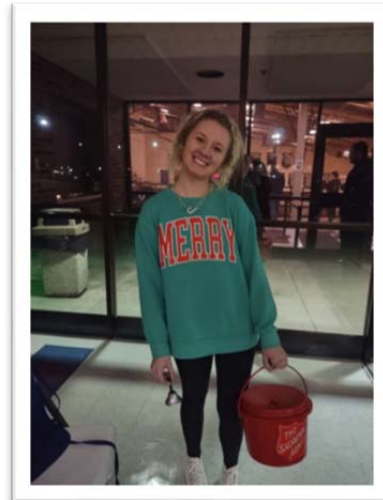


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## Salvation Army Bell Ringers

During the Holiday season, Riverton Parke JAG students volunteered as Salvation Army Bell Ringers during a Riverton Parke basketball game.





### Parke County Youth In Government Day

Several Riverton Parke JAG students were among the students who participated in the 42<sup>nd</sup> annual Parke County Youth in Government Day. Students had the opportunity to shadow one of the local government offices/personnel, and then got to participate in a round table discussion and problem solving activity.



### Investing

Mr. Mark Evans of Purdue University Extension recently visited Cloverdale JAG! He spoke to the students about financial literacy and investing. He added the students into a database that allows students to select and track their own investments.

