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## IMPORTANT DATES

**January 5 -15**

Remote learning through Canvas

**January 18**

Martin Luther King Holiday-School CLOSED

## Message from the Principal

LCCA Family,

With very little being normal about 2020, we want to put a spotlight on the tradition of giving at Lanier College & Career Academy that has become normal for the staff and students of LCCA. Two annual events, the United Way Campaign and our Angel Tree, have recently concluded and were very successful!

The United Way Campaign is an annual fundraising campaign within all Hall County Schools with the goals for raising money for a great cause and a competition between schools for giving the most. It was recently announced that LCCA is the first place high school again!

Our Angel Tree is an effort within LCCA to help make the holidays a joyful event for every student in our family. This year we were able to provide for the wish lists of almost 30 students and families! We were also able to provide several families with groceries.

The students and staff of LCCA appreciate the rewards of giving and have done an excellent job of modeling behavior our community can be proud of.

## BE PRO BE PROUD

The Workforce Workshop

The best opportunity to reach those who will make up the skilled workforce of the future is to bring the opportunity to them. Our mobile unit, the Workforce Workshop, provides hands-on experience with skilled professionals while showing the jobs in depth to a live audience.

The Workforce Workshop tour will feature a customized, interactive trailer loaded with information, skills challenges and more as it makes its way across metro Atlanta visiting companies, schools and community events.



Students spent approximately 45 minutes to an hour participating in simulations and listening to information provided by the presenter. Simulators on the interactive trailer highlighted career fields booming in Georgia.



Check out the website for more details @[www.beprobeproudga.org](http://www.beprobeproudga.org)

# Stock Market Game wins at State Level!!

Mr. Kovach's classes had two groups place in the top 100 in the state of 2,500 teams. The team of Treasure Bross, Cheily Castro, and Harrison Smull finished in first place in the region and 34th place in state. They finished with \$125,000.

The team of Payton Adolf and Johnnie Acker placed second place in the region and 77th in the state with \$120,000 in equity.

All teams started with \$100,000 and ended up with more money than they started with, which shows the power of investing wisely.



## Student Skills Groups: Increase Your Happiness!



### Mindfulness

- Living in the present
- Relaxing



### Emotion Regulation

- Cope with feelings
- Practice self care



### Distress Tolerance

- Deal with our feelings
- Handle stress



### Interpersonal Effectiveness

- Having healthy boundaries
- Expressing your needs

Interested in attending a Student Skills group at LCCA?  
Talk to Mrs. Schofield, Student Success Coach  
[joy.schofield@hallco.org](mailto:joy.schofield@hallco.org)

# Happy New Year!



## Student Spotlight

Mason Douglas had an EXCELLENT fall semester as a Culinary Program of Choice and Dual Enrollment student. He exemplifies the mission of LCCA; he's a Leader, is Committed, is a young man of Character & shows Accountability in both his culinary work and his academics. Mason helps with catering and the Take-N-Bake business at The Oaks.

Not only does he assist in the Culinary program but he also looks for other ways to lend a helping hand while at school. Mason served as a student ambassador for the "BeProBeProud" in-house field trip and received kudos from the team. Scott Callaway, BePro BeProud Operations Manager, states, "I want to take the time to commend you all for your wonderful student, Mason. What a joy he is. His attitude is terrific and he is such a great help. I wanted to take him with us at the end of the day. I've never in 5 years of "BePro" sent an email commending a student and I've have over 100k in front of our program over the years- and some darn good ones too. Please tell Mason thank you for us and we wish him blessings in his future endeavors of owning his own restaurant!" WOW!

In addition, Mason was named the December intern of the month for Work-Based Learning. He is proactive in his work, completes his assignments and is a bright light in the kitchen. We are proud of you Mason Douglas!

## 2,043 Cookies Baked!

That's right! LCCA Culinary Arts students baked 2,043 cookies or 170 dozen cookies for the 2020 holiday season. What an incredible feat!

