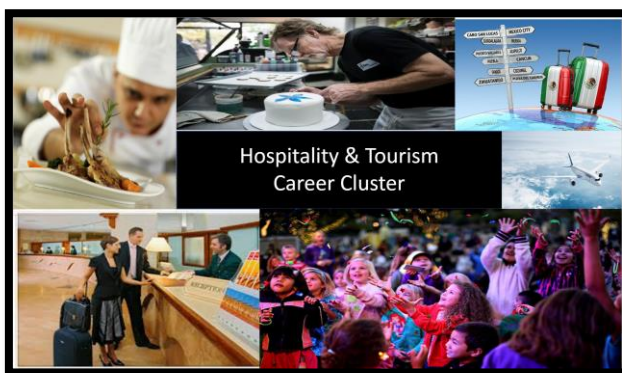


# Career Connection

## Wessington Springs Junior High FCCLA Chapter 2020-2021

The Junior High FCCLA members explored the career clusters as part of their Career Connection Project. They began the project by researching the career cluster of interest to them and creating a “talking billboard.” Then, they explored the clusters through various activities. Some of the activities are explained below.

### Talking Billboards



## Arts, A/V Technology & Communication Career Cluster

Members explored the Arts, A/V Technology and Communication Career Cluster by creating large (18" x 24" and 36" x 48") posters, formatting them for a large flatbed commercial printer, and printing the posters. These were created for their Holly Jolly Mall business.




They also created a video commercial to advertise their Snack Shack. The commercial was posted to the school's Facebook page.

Costume designer, Branden Flowers, prepares Blake Miller for his role in "The Duck" ad.

## Business, Management and Administration Career Cluster Marketing, Sales and Services Career Cluster

Members explored the Business, Management and Administration Career Cluster and the Marketing Career Cluster by completing a microbusiness project. Each student planned, opened and closed a microbusiness for the Holly Jolly Mall Project.



**Holly JOLLY Mall**

**THURS. DECEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup>**  
1:30PM – 3:15PM.

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup>**  
5PM – 7PM.

**ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LUNCHROOM**

Student shops will feature decorated wine bottles, Christmas paintings, ornaments, wooden signs, decorated masks, candles, “Hot Wheels” ornaments, frosted Mason jars, greeting cards, coasters, snowman hot chocolate, and several different food items.

There also will be an FCCLA booth of items made by members of the FCCLA Senior Chapter. All proceeds from that booth will be donated to the Build Springs – Springs Rec Center Project.

## Finance Career Cluster

Members explored the Finance Career Cluster by keeping the financial records for their Snack Shack Project.

Snack Shack Financial Report

Date	Description	Income	Expenses	Balance
10/24	Supplies (Sam's Club & Wal Mart)		\$389.58	-\$389.58
10/30	Sales - Section 1 - Week 1	\$137.50		-\$252.08
10/30	Sales - Section 2 - Week 1	\$161.70		-\$90.38
11/2	Supplies (Springs Food)		\$43.63	-\$134.01
11/4	Supplies (Springs Food)		\$51.41	-\$185.42
11/4	Supplies (Dollar General)		\$8.48	-\$193.90
11/6	Sales - Section 1 - Week 2	\$188.64		-\$5.26
11/6	Sales - Section 2 - Week 2	\$232.37		\$227.11
11/7	Supplies (Sam's Club, Wal Mart & Menards)		\$572.74	-\$345.63
11/11	Supplies (Springs Food)		\$8.50	-\$354.13
11/12	Supplies (Dollar General)		\$24.70	-\$378.83
11/13	Sales - Section 1 - Week 3	\$237.05		-\$141.78
11/13	Sales - Section 2 - Week 3	\$267.57		\$125.79
11/14	Sams		\$340.04	-\$214.25
11/20	Sales - Section 1 - Week 4	\$230.95		\$16.70
11/20	Sales - Section 2 - Week 4	\$223.09		\$239.79
11/24	Sales - Sections 1 & 2 - Week 5	\$156.75		\$396.54
11/30	Supplies - water (Springs Food)		\$10.63	\$385.91
11/30	Supplies - Powerade (Springs Foods)		\$16.95	\$368.96
11/30	Sales	\$122.94		\$491.90
12/2	Sales	\$151.75		\$643.65

## **Health Sciences Career Cluster**

Members will explore the Health Sciences Career Cluster by creating promotional materials for National Nutrition Month to promote good health in the school and community. An example of a flyer already completed is below.

## **Hospitality, Tourism and Recreation Career Cluster**

Members are exploring the tourism industry by planning a travel experience for a given family during April.

## **Government & Public Administration Career Cluster**

Members explored the Government and Public Administration Career Cluster by touring the county court house offices and talking with the government officials in each office on March 4<sup>th</sup>.

## **Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security Career Cluster**

Members explored the Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security Career Cluster by interviewing the local judge, court reporter, and law enforcement officials on March 4<sup>th</sup>. Members also spent the morning observing court proceedings.