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MVCTC Photography Students Win Woodland Cemetery Photography Contest

Dayton, Ohio -- For the 16th year Miami Valley Career Technology Center (MVCTC), students in the junior and senior Graphic Photography programs have competed in the Woodland Cemetery Photography Contest. It was another successful year with six students placing from MVCTC and a representative in all contest divisions. The first place winners receive \$50 and a ribbon, second place winners receive \$25 and a ribbon, and Honorable Mention receives a ribbon.

MVCTC students earned over \$350.00!

The results are as follows:

Category: Open

1st place - **Josh Hopkins (West Carrollton)**

2nd place - **David McCall (Troy)**

Honorable Mention - **Kayla Powers (Wayne)**

Category: Forever Elegant:

1st place - **Taylor Howell (Twin Valley South)**

2nd place - **Josh Hopkins (West Carrollton)**

Category: In Search of Patriotism:

1st place - **Sidney Poole (Carlisle)**

Category: Nature Prevails:

1st place - **David McCall (Troy)**

2nd place - **Josh Hopkins (West Carrollton)**

Honorable mention - **Caitlin Oler (National Trail)**

Category: Gravestones that say it all:

1st place - **Kelsey Daugherty (Northmont)**

2nd place - **Casey Harshman (Miamisburg)**

The Woodland City-Wide Contest exposes MVCTC photography students to a peer competition, much as they would experience as photography professional. It also allows students to enhance their portfolio.

A student in the MVCTC Graphic Commercial Photography Program will learn highly skilled training for an in demand career field. After completing the two-year program, students would be able to pursue a career as a Portrait Photographer, or Freelance Photojournalist, and with additional training could become a Medical/Forensic Photographer, Commercial Photographer, Studio Owner/Manager, or a Digital Imagery Technician. The Graphic Commercial Photography program at MVCTC is a Tech Prep program, which means all students meeting specific criteria may be eligible for college credit and scholarship money towards Sinclair Community College. For more information about the Photography Program or any of the other exciting 49 career programs offered at MVCTC, please visit www.mvctc.com.

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