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MVCTC Students Support March of Dimes

Clayton, Ohio – Students and staff from the Miami Valley Career Technology Center (MVCTC) recognized November as the March of Dimes “Prematurity Awareness month”. A fundraiser organized by MVCTC staff member Bonnie Brooks, called “Blue Jeans for Babies” was held November 12-16. Staff and students who donated \$1 received a March of Dimes wristband or sticker (their choice). The wristband/sticker entitled students and staff to wear jeans/team shirts/jerseys on Tuesday, November 20, 2012.

Mrs. Brooks described the fundraiser as, “a great opportunity for our students to learn the value of helping others by giving to valuable organizations, such as the March of Dimes.”

The March of Dimes supports lifesaving research and innovative programs that save babies from prematurity, birth defects, and other infant health problems. Complications during pregnancy or delivery are frightening. Thanks to the March of Dimes, great advances are being made in preventing birth defects, premature birth, and infant mortality.

This fundraiser has been held at MVCTC since the mid 1990’s and has raised thousands of dollars for the local March of Dimes. This year, students and staff donated over \$770.

For more information about MVCTC, please visit www.mvctc.com. Applications are now being accepted for the 2013-2014 school year.

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