

# **Technical College High School**

## **Engine Technology**

Occupational Advisory Committee (OAC)

March 10, 2011

### **Minutes**

**The meeting was called to order at 6:35p.m.**

#### **Call to Order and Roll Call**

**Those members in attendance were:**

- Greg Leeson
- Karl Niemeyer
- Jesse Yearsley
- Larry Lorah
- Greg Hurst
- John Polinka

**Members of this meeting not in attendance were:**

- Ken Hurst
- Steve Wolf
- John Roth
- Jason Peiffer

#### **Approval of Minutes:**

- The previous minutes from October 21, 2010 were read and approved.

#### **Unfinished Business:**

- The committee reemphasized the need for a diesel engine package.

## **New Business:**

- Greg thanked the Niemeyer Service Center for providing “real-life” jobs. They provided two electric gators for the students in the program to install new cabs. Also provided were two spreader assemblies and various tractors in need of annual servicing.
- Larry Lorah volunteered to proctor the NOCTI exams
- Greg Hurst reported that another engine Tech student qualified for the SkillsUSA Power Equipment Technology state competition, Tyler Haldaway
- Greg Hurst explained the Edelbrook Carburetor Challenge and how the students were preparing for it.
- Everyone agreed that last meetings equipment recommendations still applied:
  - ✓ **Diesel** training equipment \$40,000.
  - ✓ **Fuel Injection** training package \$15,000.
  - ✓ **Four-Stroke Engine** training package \$8,500.
  - ✓ **Special Tools** \$8,000.
  - ✓ **TIG Welder** \$7,000.
  - ✓ **Hydraulic Press** 1,000.
- Greg told the members that the Stihl corporation held Silver training for 14 Stihl dealer technicians on February. Stihl allowed eight Engine Tech students to sit in on the training.
- Steve Rahall stopped in and discussed the Co-Op program.
- Greg solicited senior awards from the committee. Karl Niemeyer (Niemeyer’s Service Center) and Jesse Yearsley (Atlantic Tractor) both agreed to contribute to the student awards assembly.
- The following dates were announced:
  - April 13’ Open House
  - May 25, Focus Your Future
  - Fall Community Day - October 2011

**Date of Next Meeting: Fall 2011**

**Adjournment: 9:00pm**