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## CEENBot Kick-Off



The Peter Keiwit Institute hosted a kick-off of the CEENBoT program for teachers from each of the schools who will be receiving CEEN-BoTs as part of this grant.

There was 100% participation from each of the schools included in the grant!

As part of a grant Dream It. Do It. received from the Midlands Community Foundation, the following schools will receive 10 CEENBots each plus training: *Papillion La-Vista High School, Papillion La-Vista South, Conestoga High School, Louisville High School, Elmwood Murdock High School, Plattsmouth High School, Weeping Water High School,* 2 CEENBots for DIDI.

The CEENBot program is developed and maintained by the Peter Kiewit Institute in Omaha, Nebraska. The ready-made education lesson plans are an educational tool used in STEM classes (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) are easily accessible on-line and allow

Spotlighting young adults with

teachers to integrate and manipulate the plan to fit into their current instruction.

Teachers from the participating schools were able to get a first hand look at the CEEN-BoT, view the on-line lesson plans and interactive website, see how easily it is to incorporate the CEENBoT into



current curriculum. They also planned the next steps for training and getting the CEENBoT into their classrooms as soon as possible.

## 2009 Fall Career Dream Team

The Fall 2009 team is complete and had an excellent season! The interviews went very well and we now have four commercials airing across the state on all of the Husker Sports Network stations. Below is a breakdown of the candidates and their Career Path:

### **Community College / Other Path**

Name	Career Path	Company	Education Path
Mark Leiting	Tool Maker	Molex	Southeast
Micah Vogel	Apprentice Relay Specialist	OPPD	Northwest Iowa CC
Taylor Curry	NDT Technician	Valmont	Southeast
Arissa Teal	Production / Assembler	Tri-V Tool	Enrolled at Metro
Aaron Korth	Technician	Tridako Diesel	Southeast
Kevin Svoboda	Mfg. Engineer	Smeal Fire Apparatus	Southeast
Chance Hughes	Structural Drafter	Behlen Mfg. Co.	Southeast
Zach Baratta	Electrician Apprentice	IBEW	IBEW

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# NAMC Scorecard

2009 Events We've Attended	Est. Attend.	Est. Contacts	Quality Contacts
High School Career Fairs	5,616	1,988	761
Classroom presentations	2,229	1879	934
College Career Fairs	308	120	70
Civic/Community Presentations	988	895	795
Mfg. Tours	985	985	570
Miscellaneous	5,460	2,113	1017
Year-to-date 2009	15,586	7,980	4,147
Totals from 2006-2008 Events	<u>38,455</u>	<u>16,018</u>	<u>9,490</u>
Campaign Totals	52,358	22,715	13,004

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### Reasons To Celebrate! NOVEMBER 2009

**COLUMBUS:** Columbus Regional Career Dream Team (CRCDT) presented to all juniors and seniors at Columbus High School approximately 500 in attendance.

**LINCOLN:** Lincoln Public Schools job shadowing approx. 50 students.

COLUMBUS: CRCDT social at the Chamber.

COLUMBUS: CRCDT in Middle School classrooms-

approximately 450 students (this is the second time this year they talked to the middle school students for a total of around 900).

OMAHA: Papillion LaVista South Career Fair.

OMAHA: Benson and Voc. Rehab

**COLUMBUS:** CRCDT helped judge at the middle school science fair.

**OMAHA:** Internship survey being completed by Ed/Extension Committee.

### November Mentor of the Month Jed Cline



Jed Cline with Conductix Wampfler has been selected as November's Mentor of the Month. Jed is a new Career Dream Team mentor and has been attending several high school career fairs including the Bryan High School Career Fair and Papillion LaVista

South Career Fair. He really connected with the students as many of them were interested in engineering. Thanks Jed! — keep up the good work!

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### Four Year Degree Path

Name	Career Path	Company	Education Path
Jed Cline	Applications Engineer	Conductix Wampfler	Iowa State Un.
Andrew Young	Tax Associate	RSM McGladrey	Univ. of NE, Lincoln
Josh O'Brien	Substation Tech.	NPPD	Wayne State College
Jennifer Epting	Cost Accountant	Nucor	Peru State Col- lege
David Hellbusch	Sales & Mktg.	Duo Lift	Univ. of NE, Lincoln



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