



Carson High School Career and Technical Education

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Carson High School CTE presents Mint Replica to Nevada State Museum Tuesday, April 25 in Deed of Gift signing ceremony

Students' design build project topped 75th anniversary cake last October

CARSON CITY, Nev. – Carson High School's Career and Technical Education students will present a 3-dimensional replica of the Carson City Mint, Liberty Bell and coin press to the Nevada State Museum Tuesday, April 25.

The students, under the tutelage of CHS CTE web design teacher, Sherri Kelley, created the replicas to top the 75th anniversary cake prepared for the occasion by the CHS CTE culinary students last October.

"NSM is delighted to receive these models of several of our state's iconic historic treasures," Myron Freedman, director of the Nevada State Museum, said. "The students' work is not only a testament to their skillful ability with today's technology, but also how important it is for each generation to investigate the past for themselves, in their own way, and to creatively apply the tools of their time to research and understand what meanings history holds for them."

The presentation ceremony will also feature floral designs created by CHS CTE agriculture students and cookies baked for the occasion by CHS CTE culinary students. CHS CTE photography students will also be represented.

WHAT: Presentation and Deed of Gift signing of the student built Carson City Mint 3D replica to the Nevada State Museum from the Carson High School Career and Technical Education program.

WHEN: Tuesday, April 25, 9 a.m.

WHERE: Nevada State Museum's South Gallery, 600 N. Carson Street, Carson City, NV

WHO: Carson High School CTE students, Makaela Bigley, Skylor Olshefsky and Zachary Vestal, who worked with CHS web design teacher, Sherri Kelley, to build the replica; Carson City School District CTE administrator, Michele Lewis; Nevada State Museum director Myron Freedman; Peter D. Barton, administrator for Nevada State Division of Museums and History; Guy Clifton, public relations specialist for Nevada Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs, Museums, Arts and Indian news; other CTE students in culinary, agriculture and photography; other local and state dignitaries have been invited.

MEDIA PARKING: Well-marked media vehicles may park in the parking lot next to the concourse off Curry Street. One space next to the building will be reserved for a live broadcast vehicle. The presentation will be held in the museum's south gallery.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The CHS CTE program is part of Gov. Sandoval's CTE initiative, providing education at industry levels in six career cluster areas including professions in agriculture and natural resources management, business and marketing, hospitality and tourism, information and media technologies, and skilled and technical sciences. Many students will test for and hold national certifications in their chosen field upon graduating from high school, and some will graduate with college credits.

CTE career pathways and curriculum include the following:

Agriculture and Natural Resources Management

- Veterinary science
- Ornamental horticulture and greenhouse management
- Floriculture design and management
- Natural resources and wildlife management
- Agriculture leadership, communication and policy

Business and Marketing

- Entrepreneurship
- Banking

Hospitality and Tourism

- Culinary arts

Health Science and Public Safety

- Emergency medical technician
- Sports medicine
- Pharmacy practice
- Health Information Management

Information and Media Technologies

- Graphic design
- Photography
- Web design
- IT Service and Support
- AP Computer Science

Skilled and Technical Sciences

- Architecture Design
- Welding
- Engineering
- Manufacturing technology

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Photo Cutline: Carson High School CTE architecture student, Makaela Bigley, assembling the pieces of the 3D replica of the Carson City Mint that adorned the commemorative cake made by CHS CTE culinary students to mark the 75th anniversary of the Nevada State Museum last October. The replica, along with those of the Liberty Bell and coin press also created by CHS CTE students, is being presented to the Nevada State Museum in a Deed of Gift signing ceremony Tuesday, April 25 at 9 a.m.

Photo Cutline: Replicas of the Liberty Bell, the mint building and the coin press designed and printed using 3D technology by Carson High School CTE students topped the cake commemorating the 75th anniversary of the Carson City mint will be presented to the Nevada State Museum in a Deed of Gift signing celebration Tuesday, April 25, at 9 a.m.

Carson High School's Career and Technical Education program encompasses a vast number of classes and programs that teach today's students the high demand skills needed to get a job. CTE better prepares students for post-secondary education and/or the world of work, whether they choose to enter the work place directly from high school, or select to pursue post-secondary education in a technical

training program, apprenticeship, or a two, or four-year college. CTE prepares students for the world of work by introducing them to workplace competencies, and makes academic content accessible to students by providing it in a hands-on context.

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