



AVENUE SCHOLARSSM

Your Foundation for Success

What's New

Summer Boot Camps Offer Career Exploration for Avenue Scholars Students

These Scholars attended our Trades & Construction, IT, and Business Boot Camps last summer.

Learn more about how this program helps students gain early exposure to careers while building entry-level industry skills!



Read Our Latest Interviews

This month we interviewed two people who partner with Avenue Scholars in different ways.

Meya Hill is a Culinary Instructor at No More

Empty Pots who has supported our high school juniors through career awareness and early industry exposure.

We also chatted with Cameron Gales, the West Region Director of Social Economic Inclusion with Jacobs. Cameron partnered with us at our Trades & Construction Boot Camp.



Take A Look

Coach's Corner



Mock Interviews Help Students Cultivate Work Readiness Skills

Mock interviews are going strong at all of our high schools!

We'd like to extend our gratitude to all of the community partners who are helping to prepare our students for what an interview experience is like, while creating a supportive environment that allows students to celebrate their strengths and refine their skills with feedback.



Business Partners

Financial Literacy: Mad City Money with Centris

We are thankful to our partner Centris Federal Credit Union for presenting Mad City Money to our high school seniors in our Senior Academy Program.

Scholars had the opportunity to go through a hands-on simulation that gives them a sense of what it's like to have an occupation, salary, spouse, student loan debt, credit card debt and medical insurance payments.

Mad City Money got students to think differently about potential expenses and how to save their money. As a part of the simulation, some Scholars decided to conserve resources by using their grandma or grandpa for child daycare, as well as getting a car from a family member rather than buying one.



We believe that financial literacy competencies prepares students for success in both their career and personal life.

Thank you to Centris Federal Credit Union for your partnership!



Events



American Heart Association's Heart Ball

This month we celebrated a few of our Scholars who were a part of the American Heart Association's (AHA) Sweetheart Program!

Our Scholars represented Omaha North, Omaha Northwest, Papillion La Vista, Ralston, and Westside. The AHA Sweethearts is a program for young women that provides training in leadership, advocacy, community service and heart-healthy living.

Our Sweetheart Scholars participated in various sessions throughout the school year with other Sweethearts throughout the city. They learned how to best use their strengths, and leadership skills and created life-long friendships and memories.

Among those Scholars, our very own Ally Miller (our Avenue Scholars Program Support Intern) was a part of the Sweetheart Program and we couldn't be prouder of her accomplishments!

Go Ally!

Media

Lutz Features Avenue Scholars on Podcast

Mike Alvano and Catie Dagle were recent guests on the Lutz Talk Business podcast.

The two spoke with host Jack Moylan about how Avenue Scholars navigates technology as a nonprofit.

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