

Many changes
due to
COVID-19

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*Upcoming
Events:*

Postponed!

*For More Info on
mentoring:*

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COVID-19

This started out as the April newsletter and it was ready to go before our spring break in March. Obviously things changed. These are very strange times but we hope you are making the BEST of it. There are struggles and challenges and disappointments, but there are also new opportunities! Time for appreciation of things we took for granted and an opportunity to be creative and innovative! While actual mentoring cannot be encouraged unless social distancing can be utilized, mentors are encouraged to stay in touch via text, phone, e-mail and/or a good old-fashioned CARD!!! Together we will move forward!!! Stay safe and well!!!!!!!!!!!!

M.A.Y. Special Spring Event Sponsored by the Salvation Army-Margaret Welty Trust- ZOO TRIP POSTPONED!

Every year since our program began, the Omaha Salvation Army/Margaret Welty Trust has sponsored a special spring event for M.A.Y. mentoring which we greatly appreciate! to leaving.

Our plans were to go in May, then June, and now we don't know! The zoo is still closed. They are happy to move our reservation to later this summer, or fall or even next spring if necessary.

We wanted to let you know that June 13 is too uncertain so we will be postponing our trip to later!!!!

So SORRY!! Thank you Salvation Army and Henry Doorly Zoo for working with us.



A HUGE THANK YOU TO THE SHENANDOAH TEN 80 CLASS FOR SPONSORING OUR MARCH GROUPACTIVITY—March 2 PAINTING KINDNESS ROCKS AND RACING RC CARS!

Mr. Brett Roberts, STEM Instructor, and Emma Martin, 6th Grade Teacher assisted!



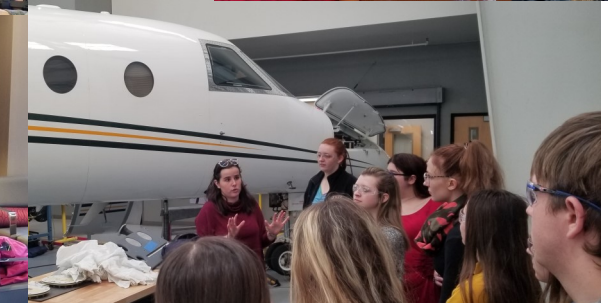
Ten 80 class members brought food, helped us paint rocks (to be distributed around town later this spring, and race RC cars!



“Our chief want in life is somebody who will make us do what we can.” — Ralph Waldo Emerson

**Junior and Senior MC² Members Toured Three Lincoln NE
Businesses on March 3**
State Farm Duncan Aviation HUDL

Local State Farm
Agent,
Lance Cornelius
joined us for the
tour of Lincoln's
State Farm offices.



Club members were able to learn about careers not offered in our immediate community and see very different work environments and cultures.



**A HUGE THANK-YOU to MIKE BAUER
for making all of the arrangements for these tours!**



Like MAY MENTORING
on FACEBOOK



*Our own MARGARET BURNS is a recipient of
the Iowa*

EXCELLENCE IN MENTORING AWARD!!!!

*The ceremony was to be April 21 at the State
Capitol but has to be rescheduled.*

*Margaret has been an exceptional mentor since
2011 and has been a M.A.Y. Advisory Board
member for 5 years. She goes “above and be-
yond” in every aspect of mentoring as well as
helping promote and support the program as
well. We are very thankful to have Margaret.*

CONGRATULATIONS

& THANK-YOU

MARGARET !!!

Message to students:

We are sorry the school year ended so abruptly. We are all experiencing things we have been unfamiliar with and the hardest part may be that because of many unknowns, it is hard to plan. M.A.Y., Links to LNX and MC² had many plans for the spring and our graduating seniors had to give up a lot of special events and experiences. We miss you!

But learning to adjust, adapt and accept are very important learning opportunities. You may learn more this spring than you can imagine. This IS an opportunity.

**You are meeting the challenge and should be proud!
Be positive, be safe, be well.**

There will be a NEW NORMAL soon, let's make it even better than our old “normal.”

Let's appreciate what we have and know that we can grow the most in difficult and challenging times if we allow ourselves.

Take Care!