

BAE Systems Employer of the Month at WCCC

Warren County Career Center honored BAE Systems, Fairfield, as its Employer of the Month for March 2009. The company has employed many WCCC Welding students over past 20 years that the school and the company have been working together. Ron Carson, a 1980 WCCC alumnus from the welding program who graduated from Little Miami High School, is the Manager of Military Production at BAE Systems. He supervises many of the welding students who are employed at the plant.

Recognized at the luncheon along with Mr. Carson was Carol Pelosi, HR director for BAE. Also present at the lunch were WCCC welding seniors Ryan Byrge and Brian Engle, both of Lebanon, who work full time at BAE after their academic classes in the mornings. Jeff Campbell and Jack Crull, adult education welding students who have just begun the 600-hour full time program, also attended the luncheon. Crull is a 1994 WCCC alumnus from the Automotive Collision program, now retraining for a new career.

“We appreciate our business partners who not only provide support and resources but also employ our students,” WCCC Superintendent Maggie Hess said. “Warren County Career Center’s main focus is to prepare our students for careers and help set them up for success.”



Front row from left, Ron Carson and Carol Pelosi, BAE Systems; Superintendent Maggie Hess. Back row from left, Welding instructor Clint Breier, student Brian Engle, Director of Secondary Education Gary Patton, student Ryan Byrge, student Jeff Campbell, student Jack Crull, Director of Adult Education Tom Harris.