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**Pioneer Career and Technology Center announces Diondre Cantey and Alexandria Stollings as our December 2022 Students of the Month.**

Diondre is enrolled in the Engineering Design Technology program at Pioneer. He was nominated by Mr. Hanning, EDT Instructor. Diondre is a Junior from Ontario High School, and is the son of Rebecca Cail-Cantey.

At Ontario, Diondre plays Varsity Soccer for the Warriors and works at The Cove Coffee Shop & Pizza Company. He also goes to Avenue Church in Ontario and enjoys hanging out with friends and his church youth group.

Diondre says “I’ve enjoyed my time at Pioneer because it’s challenging and fun. My lab allows me to have fun learning what I love. My lab teacher especially challenges me and tells me every day that I have the potential. Overall my time at Pioneer has been the best time in my highschool career.”

In the future, Diondre plans to go to college at Ohio State for a Bachelor's degree in Engineering.



Alexandria is enrolled in the Culinary Arts program at Pioneer. She was nominated by 3 teachers for this award; Mrs. Cosker, Mr. Burgess, and Mrs. Magers. Ali is a Senior from Crestview High School, and is the daughter of Matt & Lisa Stollings.

At Crestview, Ali is involved in FFA & Volleyball for the Cougars. Ali is also active in her church youth group and National Technical Honor Society. In her free time, she likes to read books. Ali says “For my experience at Pioneer, I have really enjoyed my time here. Chef Weibel has made learning how to cook really fun. The teachers and staff at Pioneer have helped me be successful in all of my academics.”

In the future, Ali wants to be a horse trainer that helps kids with disabilities at the Raemelon Therapeutic Equestrian Center.

### **Wynford FFA News**

The Wynford FFA Advanced Parliamentary Procedure team competed at Mapleton on November 30th. The team consisted of Emma Steiger, Gwen Ruth, Jordyn Alspach, Clareese Prenger, Katie Wagner, Marty Schuster, and Mackenzie Tarbert. They earned 2nd at the county, and sub-district levels and then finished in 5th place at the district level. The Wynford FFA also had 4 different novice teams competing at the county level placing 1-4th. The teams combined into one group who competed at the sub-district level placing 4th. This team consisted of Kayne Brown, Clay Lusk, Emmy Schuster, Collin Hulsmeyer, Marlie Hosey, Congratulations to this team for making it to the district level.

