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Local students eligible for awards

The Challenge Program Inc., a regional nonprofit organization which provides high school students with incentives for success, recently held an orientation assembly at the Connellsville Career and Technology Center to kick off the program for the 2007-08 school year. The program partners with local businesses to educate students on local career opportunities while also motivating them to excel in the classroom and in their communities. Sophomore, junior, and senior high school students who excel in the areas of Most Improved Academically, Best Attendance, Community Service, and Best Overall Grade Point Average will receive an award in the amount of \$250 for his or her efforts. The total amount of awards in each school totals \$3,000. Nemaocolin Woodlands Resort is serving as the business ambassador to sponsor the cash awards for the Connellsville Career and Technology Center. Addressing the student assembly were (from left) Mary Dreliszak, The Challenge Program; Judy Caulfield, Nemaocolin Woodlands Resort director of recruiting; Albert Kanaan, Connellsville Career and Technology Center director; Wanda Anker, Nemaocolin Woodlands Resort director of community programs.