Clockwise from top, members of Montcalm Community College's Business Professionals of America Club earned high honors during contests this year; MCC was honored as a Michigan Veteran A airs Agency (MVAA) Veteran-Friendly School for the ninth year; MCC Foundation scholarship recipients were recognized during an annual celebration; MCC's 56th Commencement was May 5.

Montcalm Community College celebrated its 56th commencement on May 5 during a celebration in the gymnasium on the college's Sidney campus. A total of 239 degrees and certicates were awarded to graduates for the 2022-2023 academic year.

The 2023-2024 academic year marks the eleventh year for Early College at Montcalm Community College. This year, 16 students are expected to graduate with a certicate or degree, 19 are on track to graduate in 2025 and 25 in 2026. Early College at MCC is a free program that allows students to leave their home high school to attend MCC for three years starting their junior year. Upon graduation, they receive their high school diploma and an associate degree or certicate from MCC. Schools participating in the Early College program include Belding, Carson City-Crystal, Central Montcalm, Greenville, Lakeview, Montabella, Saranac, Tri County and Vestaburg.

This fall, 523 high school students are also dual-enrolled in classes at Montcalm Community College. Dual enrollment at MCC allows students to take college-level courses while still in high school and receive both high school and college

included Claire Scott of Beal City, Noelle Kyes of Belding, Kyleigh Mills of Greenville, Sawyer Bowers of Greenville, Jaxson Clark of Greenville, Lindsey Olger of Sheridan and Emily Throop of Stanton.

A total of 1,001 students were named to MCC's honors lists during the academic year, including 463 during the 2022 fall semester and 538 during the 2023 spring semester.

MCC's ever-popular summer camps for youths o ered a variety of opportunities in areas such as arts, agriculture, Legos®, law enforcement, drones, STEM learning, welding, computers and more.

The college maintains accreditation with the Higher Learning Commission through its participation in the Open Pathway component, which a ords institutions the opportunity to pursue improvement projects that meet their current needs and aspirations. In addition, MCC's nursing program maintains accreditation through the National League for Nursing Commission for Nursing Education Accreditation (NLN CNEA).

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