DVR Meeting February 21, 2020 12pm Culinary Agenda Bistro

Attendance: Denise (Triton), Jackie, Natalie, Kristie, Julie (OPRF), Keith (Proviso), Patti (RBHS), Nicole, Erin (Leyden)

- Introductions
- Local Needs Assessment Survey
 - Resent the survey and gave time for members to take survey. Original email sent in January (if members are looking for the email)
- Budget Requests
 - Asked committee if they would like to have regional budgets available for activities to support career development and our programs of study, including teacher professional development in FY21 (For example, this year Student Support Services visited an Apprenticeship Center - a visit they had requested for FY20 in the prior spring.)
 - Ideas: Fona Tour, Cook around the world, The Chopping Block Class
- Triton Cook-off Chef Denise
 - Need names in about 10 days (March 1st) to get jackets made.
 - East/West Leyden & OPRF have given names.
 - Prizes: 1st place: 3 credit hour class, kits, 2nd place: baking & pastry kit, 3rd place: fruit carving kits
 - ingredient list will be sent out prior to competition, butchering component again. Same format as in previous years.
 - Parents are invited. It will be streamed in Cafe 64.
 - 6 teams total.
 - Check-in at 9am. Tours of kitchens and rules follow. Starts around 10.
- Triton Culinary Dept Updates
 - Curriculum changes are done for courses and degree programs.
 - Culinary degree has less credits needed now. Shorter classes are now offered as non credit which makes them cheaper. Great option for elective options.
 - Go online to see curriculum under faculty resources to see new outlines. Nothing for Dual Credit changing. But you can check there if interested.
 - Chef Denise will send outlines to Jackie to pass out to committee members
 - Triton Alumni event April 15th 5:30-7:30, all are invited
- Triton Dual Credit
 - Any updates? Contact Chef Denise with inquiries.
 - Anyone looking to add any courses? None
- Perkins Funding
 - Requests are needed by March 2020
 - i. Wishlist: Make sure your program is keeping a wishlist of items needed.
 - Work-based Learning Opportunities
 - i. Perkins \$\$ can be used for field trips to work sites
- Chef Manny Demonstration Fresh Pasta Making

- Chef Manny needed to cancel. Will move demonstration to the fall
- Advisory Exit Slip
 - Gave members time to complete exit slip