**Torch Award Activities**

**2015-2016**

***TIP****: An easy way to accomplish the activities is to look through the torch handbook and highlight items that you would like to accomplish. You then know what you are able to do and what can be accomplished. Only enter activities that you have done since becoming a member of BPA.*

*Below is a list of activities that have been done from the beginning of the year through January.*

**Leadership (100)**

* 9/7/2105 - 104
  + Campaigned as a local officer candidate for Eastland Career Center.
* 10/6/2015 – 105
  + Serve as local officer, (state officer position) for Eastland Career Center Business Professionals of America chapter.
* 10/7/15 – 106
  + Campaigned as regional officer candidate at Region 14 Fall Leadership Conference.
* 10/7/15 – 122
  + Served as a voting delegate at the Region 14 Fall Leadership Conference.
* 11/19/15 – 122
  + Served as a voting delegate at the State Fall Leadership Conference in Columbus, Ohio.
* 112
  + Serve as an officer in (school organization/club) at (state school or church).
* 113
  + Serve as leader in a varsity, intramural in (sports) at (state school).

**Service (200)**

* 10/13/2015 – 216
  + Participated in Eastland Career Center’s PEACE Club Trash Cleanup.
* 10/23/2015 – 203
  + Participated as a volunteer worker at Eastland Career Center’s annual American Red Cross Blood Drive.
* 10/24/15 – 225
  + Volunteered at the Special Olympic State Bowling Tournament.
* 12/6/15 – 225
  + Volunteered at the Special Olympic State Swim Meet.

**Cooperation (300)**

* 10/14/2015 – 304
  + Participated in local chapter fund-raising project Yankee Candle Sales.
* 9/25/2015 – 308
  + Participated in Skills USA and BPA Eastland Career Center Mulching event.
* 309
  + Serve as member of (Student Council, Home School Honor Society, etc) at (state home school).
* 11/12 and/or 11/13 -- 318
  + Helped recruit students at Eastland Career Center during Sophomore Visitation.
* 335
  + Liked the National BPA Facebook page.
* 336
  + Followed the National BPA Twitter page.
* 338
  + Followed @BPABOP on Twitter.
* 350
  + Follow the Eastland Career Center Instagram page.

**Knowledge (400)**

* 402
  + Recited the BPA pledge by memory to chapter president Colton Shaw.
* 11/19/15 – 414
  + Attended the (Name of Workshop) during the Ohio Fall Leadership Conference.
* 1/27/2016 – 408
  + Participated in Business Professionals of America (contest name) contest at the Region 14 level.
* 1/28/2016 – 408
  + Participated in Business Professionals of America (contest name) contest at the Region 14 level.
* 11/12 & 11/13 – 418
  + Conducting a job interview with (person) at (job location) regarding what their job entails and created a report on findings.
* 421
  + Conducted a job search using the Internet (identify two companies). (Use date when you did this in 21st Century Skills)

**Friendship (500)**

* 501
  + Participated in Eastland Career Center’s local chapter BPA Junior Orientation for new members.
* 10/6/2015, 11/5/2015, 1/5/16 -- 502
  + Attended the (Month) Chapter meeting for our local chapter. (Can only use this 5 times)
* 10/7 -- 504
  + Attended the Region 14 Fall Leadership Conference.
* 11/19 – 520
  + Attended the Ohio Fall Leadership Conference in Columbus, Ohio
* 12/4/2015 – 503
  + Attended Eastland Career Center’s BPA chapter social event at Magic Mountain Polaris.
* 12/8/2015 -- 512
  + Participated in Eastland Career Center’s BPA staff recognition project by helping to make gifts for all Eastland Career Center staff.
* 517
  + Establish an email acquaintance that lives in (state).
* 518
  + Establish an email acquaintance that lives in (country).

**Love Hope Faith**

* 11/11 -- 607
  + Donated canned food items for our chapters annual Thanksgiving food drive.
* 12/8 -- 601
  + Participated in community service event, writing Christmas Cards for Brookdale Nursing Home patients.
* 12/8 -- 608
  + Participated in community service event, writing Christmas Cards for firefighters at the Madison Township Fire Department.
* 12/8/2015 - 609
  + Participated in Eastland Career Center’s BPA Holiday Cookie Walk to benefit Special Olympics Ohio.
* 12/14 – 608
  + Participated in Eastland Career Center’s Toys for Tots serving project by donating toys.
* Date – 612
  + Attended a religious function of (faith) at (location).
* Date – 613
  + Visit (name of nursing home) at (location) and (explain what you did).
* Date – 617
  + Attended an art show, recital, and or school play.
* Date – 618
  + Attended a county or state fair and toured the educational exhibits for a minimum of 1 hour.
* Date – 620
  + Attend a professional play or musical, concert, recital, dinner theater, ballet, etc.

**Patriotism**

* 11/12 and/or 11/13 -- 716
  + Observed free enterprise in action by conducting a job shadow at (state place where you did job shadow).
* 11/3/2015 – 704
  + Participated as a volunteer worker at the Youth at the Booth polling station at (location).
* Date – 718
  + Visit an art museum or natural history museum (state name and location)
* Date – 721
  + Tour a historical building or area (state name and location)

**Upcoming Events:**

* 2/5 -- 409
  + Placed (rank) in Business Professionals of America (contest) at the Region 14 Level.
* 2/9 -- 601
  + Participated in community service project, prepared snack bags for families at Ronald McDonald House Columbus.
* 2/9 -- 211
  + Participated in fundraiser walk to benefit American Cancer Society.
* 2/9 -- 724
  + Participated in “Letters for Soldiers” activity to benefit soldiers in Iraq, sponsored by Eastland Career Center’s National Technical Honor Society.
* 2/9/2016 – 311
  + Participate in local chapter activity (name activity) during Business Professionals of America Week
* 2/20 -- 225
  + Participate in the 2016 Polar Plunge to benefit Special Olympics at the Columbus Zoo & Aquarium.
* 3/17 – 410
  + Participate in Business Professionals of America (contest name) contest at the state level in Ohio.