

# NEWS RELEASE

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## **Northwest Iowa Community College Students Advance to State SkillsUSA Leadership Competition**

Students from Northwest Iowa Community College, Sheldon, IA, advanced to the SkillsUSA Iowa State Leadership and Skills Conference which will be held in Ankeny, Iowa, on April 23-24.

### **Auto & Light Duty Diesel – High School** (pictured left to right)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Colt Hofman, Primghar, IA
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Lance Froke, Hull, IA
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Jayden Hiemstra, Orange City, IA



### **Auto & Light Duty Diesel – College** (pictured left to right)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Kordell Kooiker, Sheldon, IA
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Joseph Tiefenthaler, Newell, IA
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Robert Beldt, Sheldon, IA



### **Diesel Technology - College**

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Nicholas Van Regenmorter, Sioux Center, IA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Samuel Kafton, Danbury, IA

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Jason Stegemann, Matlock, IA

### **Welding - College**

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Brock Moffitt, Spirit Lake, IA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Brandon Schuller, Hudson, SD

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (Tie) – Samuel Kramer, Adrian MN

Josue Galvan, Sheldon, IA



SkillsUSA programs help to establish industry standards for job skill training in the lab and classroom, and promote community service. SkillsUSA is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education and is also cited as a "successful model of employer-driven youth development training program" by the U.S. Department of Labor.

The mission of SkillsUSA is an applied method of instruction for preparing America's high performance workers in public career and technical programs. It provides quality education experiences for students in leadership, teamwork, citizenship and character development. It builds and reinforces self-confidence, work attitudes and communication skills. It emphasizes total quality at work: high ethical standards, superior work skills, life-long education, and pride in the dignity of work. SkillsUSA also promotes understanding of the free-enterprise system and involvement in community service.

For more information on SkillsUSA, or about any of the more than 50 programs offered at Northwest Iowa Community College, contact us by calling 712-324-5061 or 1-800-352-4907, email at [studentservices@nwicc.edu](mailto:studentservices@nwicc.edu), or visit our website at [nwicc.edu](http://nwicc.edu).  
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