

## Superintendent Retires

The Four County Career Center Board of Education recently accepted the resignation of William J. Spiess as Superintendent for the purposes of retirement. Mr. Spiess has spent 38 years serving career and technical education at the Career Center, the last four of those as the Superintendent. He taught Landscape and Greenhouse Technology from 1974 through 1998 and then moved into the position of Career and Technical Supervisor in 1999. In 2002, Mr. Spiess took the position of Director of Operations and in 2006 he became the Director of Career and Technical Education.

Throughout his career, Mr. Spiess has been very active in educational and service associations and has been a member in the Association for Career and Technical Education; Ohio Association for Career and Technical Education; Ohio Association of Secondary School Administrators; National Association of Secondary School Administrators; Buckeye Association of School Administrators; and the National Career Pathways Network.

Following his retirement, Mr. Spiess will continue to seek opportunities to advance career and technical education and help students succeed.

William Spiess and his wife Debbra are residents of Liberty Center. They have two adult daughters and four grandchildren. Their daughter Stephanie and her husband Carl live in Liberty Center. She is employed at the Career Center as the instructor of the Veterinarian Assistant program. Their daughter Jamie and her husband Trent live in Liberty Center. She is employed at Maumee Valley Save a Pet and goes to Brown Mackie College in the Veterinary Technician Program. The Board and staff join in wishing Mr. Spiess well with all his future endeavors.

Four County Career Center Board of Education is conducting the search for a new superintendent who will assume their duties at the Career Center following Mr. Spiess' retirement.

