



# UPWARD BOUND

Greenbrier • McDowell • Mercer • Monroe • Summers

## Get-A-Life

### Saturday Session— 3/16/2024

Students enjoyed College Planning Workshops. They participated in the Get-A-Life Program. There was also workshops on SAT test prep, Financial Literacy, Estimated Costs to Attend WV Colleges and learned about ways to Pay for College.



### Virginia Tech Saturday Session—4/20/2024

Students enjoyed all-day activities, lectures, demonstrations, merchandise sales, and club booths for all ages at Virginia – Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine. Students discovered how Virginia – Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine is making a difference in the world of veterinary medicine and public health. They meet faculty, toured the college, learned about programs, and activities. This was the perfect chance to explore



how they can join hands in protecting and improving animal, human, and environmental health.

March & April 2024  
Newsletter

## Summer Theme:

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## Important Dates:

- 5/18/2024 Summer Orientation & Senior Award Banquet
- 6/16/2024 Summer Program Check In
- 6/23/2024 Bridge Student Check In
- 6/27/2024 UB Day—Marshall
- 7/3-5/2024 July 4th Holiday
- 7/23-25/2024 Academic /Cultural NC Trip
- 7/27/2024 Awards Banquet

## ACT/SAT Dates:

- 6/1/2024 SAT
- 6/8/2024 ACT
- 7/13/2024 ACT

### Hannah Barnett's Spotlight

Educational Outreach Counselor, Hannah, wants to highlight five seniors graduating from the Upward Bound program going on to represent Grey and Maroon in the Fall of 2024. Drake Davis (Summers County), Nathan Tickle (Summers County), Brooke Fuller (River View High School), Kenny Powell (Mount View High School), and Tavious Richardson (Mount View High School) have chosen to go to Concord University to continue their post-secondary educational pursuits. Most, if not all, have been accepted into certain programs specifically at CU, such as, the Bonner Scholarship, E-Sports, etc. We are so proud of our future Mountain Lions! Our students will continue making us proud, and I want to “thank you for being so involved with Upward Bound over the years.”

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