

Heves County Vocational Training Centre Damjanich János Technical School, Vocational Training School and Dormitory

The history of the former Damjanich János Vocational Training School dates back 130 years. Now it is the biggest educational institution of the town of Hatvan with three wings, more than fifty classrooms including a well-equipped language lab, IT classrooms, and modern training workshops. We have well-prepared and experienced teachers with outstanding methodology, our practical trainings are up-to-date and varied.

We offer a wide range of choice in five- and three-year-long trainings of technical and vocational training schools in the following branches: *Mechanical and automotive engineering, Transport and logistics, Health care, Electronics and electrical engineering, Food production, Construction, Building engineering, Timber and furniture industry, Engineering, Commerce and Tourism and catering.* We have been making efforts for decades to prepare students for the matura examination properly as well.

Our results are confirmed well by successful exams and a number of local, regional and national contests. The summary of the greatest achievements of the year can be seen below.

Physical education teachers play an important role in building strength and stamina among our students. It is no surprise that these students participated successfully in a number of sporting events as well as the Student Olympics.

The Hungarian Defence Forces organize the **National Military Tournament** basically to law enforcement students. The regional turn was held in Kossuth Zsuzsanna Technical and Vocational Training School with the participation of 16 teams on 13th October 2021. Four of our students – Benjámín Brhlik, Zétény Sütő (both 10.A), Dávid Csontos (12.A) and Levente Herczeg (12.B) – had a prominent place in a mid-table and finished 7th place.

In December 2021 Tamás Gál (Kk.12.L) and Dávid Kornél Viczina (1/9.G) finished in 5th place on the regional qualifying series of basketball, **Decathlon B33 Student Olympics**.

In March the **basketball** team of our school - Szilveszter Báti, Benjámín István Csizmadia, Kristóf Ferik, Tamás Gál, István Kristóf Gáspár, Gomes De Sousa Jamie Nelson, Péter Gubó, Gerzson Hegyi, Marcell Kelemen, Krisztián Lengyel, Dávid Mihály Tellér and Tivadar Tóth – won a bronze medal in the regional qualifying series.

Our students took part in the **regional tournament of Men's and Women's football**. Both teams did well on the autumn and spring turns and girls were placed 4th while boys won a silver medal (girls: Bettina Bangó, Dzsenifer Bodó, Csenge Didik, Laura Fehér, Karina Györgyová, Laura Jónás, Szabina Bernadett Kakucska, Hajnalka Oláh, Réka Papp, Klaudia Saska and boys: Erik Dominik Ádám, Tibor Csámpai, Dávid Csontos, Adrián Fischer, Zoltán Kőrösi, Roland Mallér, Boldizsár Matin, Roland Mile, Bence Potvorszki, András Várkonyi, Ákos Zsámboki, Tamás Patrik Harangi).

Fair Play Cup is a national football tournament specifically for secondary school students and established by the Hungarian Football Association. Its aim is to popularize sport, improve relationship between schools and promote fairness in all its forms. Four boys' and a girls'

team represented DISZI. After the series of the regional autumn and spring turns, girls took 4th place (Dzsenifer Bodó, Lilla Bujdosó, Szilvia Cserei, Csenge Didik, Vivien Farkas, Karina Györgyová, Szabina Bernadett Kakucska, Ramóna Lakatos, Lizett Makádi, Odett Palócz, Réka Papp, Klaudia Saska, Alexandra Kitti Szabó and Leticia Újlaki).

One of the boys' team was placed 6th (Máté Boriszenkó, Zoltán Diószegi, Bence Jekken, Tamás Kertész, Tamás Köles, Kristóf Lucsányi, Martin Mészáros, Martin Molnár, Bence Prohászka, Krisztián Martin Tóth).

Another finished in 5th place (Patrik Bakos, Bence Baranyi, József Csikós, Gábor Dudás, Valentin Famosi, Zoltán Haga, Brendon Makó, Krisztián Mezei, Norbert Radics).

The team of Botond Balog, Benjámín Brhlik, Kristóf Bukor, Ruben Deszk, Botond Horváth, Géza Marci, Gergő Pápai, Patrik Rácz, Zétény Sütő and Máté Szölke took 4th place.

The most successful team won a bronze medal (Tamás Gál, István Kristóf Gáspár, Péter Gubó, Csongor Kutrik, Roland Mile, János Dominik Szűcs, Bence Tóth, Patrik Tóth, Tivadar Tóth, Adrián Ujvári).

Apart from sports events mentioned above six of our students took part at the local **Running Festival** on 9th April this spring. The event has a 30-year-old tradition and despite the pouring rain Norbert Kovács (2/10.F) was 13th, Gergő Borsi (9.C) was placed 9th, Gábor Dudás (2/10.F) finished in 7th place, Csongor Kutrik (10.B) and Zsolt Lakatos (KK.13.K) took the 4th place while Ádám Kovács (9.C) won a bronze medal.

Preserving heritage and supporting talents are considered as a top priority for us. It is no surprise that we took part at a number of literary and linguistics contests, in addition, we have a contest of our own. The regional turn of the traditional **Implom József Spelling Contest for Secondary School Students** took place in Eger in December 2021 where Two of our students participated. Norbert György (10.C) finished in 7th place among technical school contestants (teacher: Mónika Herkely) and Olivér Csik (1/9.G) took the 3rd place of the vocational training school category (teacher: Zsolt Borodi).

We have had a traditional regional poetry and prose recitation contest entitled “**Come, freedom!**” since 1998. Almost 60 students of 15 secondary schools participated in it this year. The chairman of the three-member jury was Armand Kautzky, Mari Jászai Prize-Winning Hungarian actor, synchronous actor, Honoured Artist. Seven of our students represented DISZI. Katrin Krisztina Suha (2/10.E) finished in 4th place (teacher: István Bozsik), Nina Csuha (1/9.J) took 3rd place (teacher: István Bozsik), Géza Marci (1/9.J) was placed 2nd (teacher: Olívia Balassa) and Elizabet Laura Slabéczi (1/9.J) won the competition presenting her own poem (teacher: Olívia Balassa). The winner of grammar school students was Levente Herczeg (12.B, teacher: István Bozsik). Dzsenifer Buzás-Hábel (10.B) and Virág Katalin Mátrai (11.B) were awarded A special prize (teacher: Judit Lévainé Máté).

In April we took part in a regional **recitation contest** named after **Attila József**, one of our famous poets. The event was hosted by HCVTC József Attila Technical and Vocational Training School. Two of our students took part in it and both Nina Csuha (1/9.J, teacher: Bozsik István) and János Varga (10.C, teacher: István Bozsik) won 1st prize and became winners of their categories.

Our students proved their skills and knowledge in sciences beyond the the field of humanities. The Hungarian Malteser Charity Service Károly Róvery bert Technical and Vocational Training School announced a mathematical-logical competition in March called “**Mars expedition**”. Fifty teams entered it, each with three members including nine of our students. Technical and vocational training school students were prized in different categories. Among technical school students András Fekete, Péter Tóth and Kornél Pető finished in 10th place (teachers: Ildikó Ivony, Beáta Szűcs), and the trio of Róbert Péter Bata, Dávid Csontos and Dániel Hegedűs took 2nd place (teachers: Beáta Szűcs, József János Müllner). Considering the vocational training school competitors, Elizabet Laura Slabéczi, Máté Boriszenkó and Géza Marci were 4th (teachers: Beáta Szűcs, Tímea Zsíros).

School-leavers of the Technical Department were busy as well. Two of our seniors fulfilled the requirements of **the semi-final of the National Skills Competition**. Dominik Csaba Dombi finished in 12th place and Ádám Tóth was placed 9th (5/13.B, teacher: Anita Rozsnakyné Pete). Thanks to their results, both got their professional certificate and didn't have to take the year-end exam.

The final of the National Skills Competition was in April. It's hard to imagine how proud we were when Péter Sára (3/11.H) bricklayer and tiler won a bronze medal and Benjamin Winkler (3/11.H) became the 2nd best of the same profession (trainers: Róbert Fekete and István Zsákai). It means that out of the best three young bricklayers of 2022 we trained two.

Congratulations for both our students and their teachers.

The best of luck,

Dániel Vincze, head teacher