

## In It to Win It! Checkered Flag Challenge – CTE Leadership Retreat 2011

Catawba County Schools Career and Technical Education Department recently held their annual Leadership Retreat for 2011. Fifty-Six students were nominated and chosen to participate in the Retreat this year. They participated in sessions called **“Hire Yourself”** with Byron Hicks, Business Counselor from the Small Business and Technology Development Center at Appalachian State University, **“Saying What You Mean”** with Alan Jackson of the Jackson Group Inc., **“Creating the Successful You”** with David Daly, National Director of Fellowship of Christian Athletes - Baseball, and **“Which Fork? Which Hand?”** with our own Marian Ford, former Family and Consumer Science Teacher and now Apprenticeship Coordinator for Catawba County Schools. Rachel Carter, former Bunker Hill student, Misses North Carolina and author of the book “Fashioned by Faith” also gave a presentation on preparing yourself for your best future.



At the end of the day, *Saint Stephens High School* won the annual Retreat Quiz Bowl and received a plaque to display for a year. The questions for the Quiz Bowl came from the sessions attended during the day and current events. Congratulations SSHA !!

Presenters:



Alan Jackson



Byron Hicks



Rachel Carter



David Daly



Marian Ford

Students attending:



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