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## **Celebrating SkillsUSA Day**

**Wayne, NJ – FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** – Students of Passaic County Technical Institute flexed their leadership skills when they gathered to participate in SkillsUSA Day – a workshop designed to expose members of the student body to the organization. Each month, State Director Peter Carey and regional officers organize a SkillsUSA Day to meet with student representatives from each vocation. Their goal: to prepare for the up-and-coming state championships.

The workshop provides training in public speaking, developing leadership skills, and organization procedures. State officers presented slideshows and video in order to recruit members of the student body. They also provided information on local officer elections and chapter officer training.

PCTI students participated in numerous ice breaker exercises and got to know one another on a deeper level. They listened as State Director Peter Carey touted his appreciation for the high school members. "PCTI is our largest SkillsUSA chapter in New Jersey in twenty years. We value the role you play in the high profile level of participation in our organization."



Photo Caption: New Jersey SkillsUSA Chapter President, Max Aronson, gets to know PCTI student Juwan Aguila (Clifton) during a SkillsUSA Day ice breaker exercise.