Cape Tech Marsh Habitat Clean-Up

Waders, bibs and boots were the items for the day. Recently, Ms. Hanna Toft, Natural Science Technology teacher and FFA advisor, gathered the FFA members and headed out to the saltmarsh located behind the school for a habitat clean-up project. For additional assistance, Mr. Josh Andrewson, Agriscience & Horticulture Technology teacher, and Mr. Spencer Hughes, Natural Science Technology aide, attended and helped lead groups of students.

Toft shared, "The number one piece of trash was plastic water bottles. We ask people to please remember to reduce your plastic use whenever possible by taking advantage of refillable water bottles."

The real-world experience encourages students to be more aware of local wildlife and ways to protect them and their habitat."

The Natural Science Technology program focuses on the studies and activities relating to the natural environment and its conservation, use, and improvement. Includes instruction in subjects such as climate, air, soil, water, land, fish and wildlife, and plant resources; in the basic principles of environmental science and natural resources management; and the recreational and economic uses of renewable and nonrenewable natural resources.

The End of Program Credentials include NJ Boaters Safety certification, NJ Hunter's Safety certification training, & FFA Membership. Graduates of this program have become: Conservation Police officer, entomologist, wildlife biologist, marine biologist, oyster farm hand, boat captain, environmental lawyer, veterinaria, zoo keeper, aquaculturist, forester, agricultural educator, and more.



The Cape Tech team succeeds in a habitat clean-up.