











### *Enrollment*

As of Dec. 31, the AOC had enrolled 390 students, 67.8 percent of the FY-15 goal. More than 87 percent of those who attended orientation became enrolled. Almost 60 percent have shown a level gain, based on standardized pre- and post-testing. A level gain is roughly the equivalent of two grade levels.

## Workforce Development and Community Services Truck Driving Academy

### **Truck Driving Academy**

Delivery of all but two units of tractors and trailers obtained through the OBOR grant was completed by the end of the calendar year. Modifications, which are required to convert the truck cab to a training vehicle, are almost completed. Industry approved seating, seat belts, and other work is required to complete the conversion. Most, if not all, of the equipment should be in use by the end of January.

Enrollment was only eight in December; however, with the 31 enrolled in November, the TDA totaled 39 students for the two-month period. The 39 is higher than either of the corresponding two months in 2013 and 2012. Lack of a Steubenville area based instructor continues to add additional travel costs to the operation. We continue to work toward finding an instructor based in the area to serve the central eastern region of the state. An estimated 70-80 percent of TDA inquiries do not enroll due to the lack of financial aid or grants to cover the training costs.

On Dec. 3, John Joy attended a meeting (arranged through Cincinnati State) with the



# Student Success Center



Web tutorial sessions for spring semester were held Jan.





The financial aid department has been working on the implementation of SALT. SALT is a third-party vendor that will work with current students to educate them on financial literacy as well as with













recreation and taking care of their two new horses.

#### Katherine Cain

Kate has been hired as the Human Resource Associate in the Human Resource Department. For the last six months she has been working part-time in the position. Kate is a recent graduate of Morehead State University where she obtained her Bachelor of Science degree. She enjoys spending time with her fiancé, Josh, and her family. Her interests include horseback riding and being outside as she enjoys nature. She is looking forward to meeting everyone at SSCC in the near future and is excited about being a part of the Southern State Community College Team! She replaces Liz Brennfleck who took a position in human resources outside of the College.