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WMHS to host second annual Holiday Teen Maker Market

STANARDSVILLE, Va. – Greene County Public Schools’ middle and high school students are set to show off their entrepreneurial skills at the second annual Teen Maker Market on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in William Monroe High School’s cafeteria and flex commons.

This year’s market will include over 30 booths and feature student-made crafts, baked goods and more.

William Monroe High School Librarian Leah Talbert started the market program after the success of previous “Lunch & Learn” events.

“So many of our students are already out in the community selling their homemade goods through farmers markets and online - this was just a natural extension of that,” said Talbert.

“We’re really excited to see what our young entrepreneurs have to offer this year. We want to encourage and help the students develop their business acumen so they can take these skills with them into the workforce after they graduate,” added Talbert.

The Teen Maker Market gives middle and high school students an opportunity to build their entrepreneurial skills while also giving back to the community. Last year's event raised \$700 for the Greene County Animal Shelter, and this year’s proceeds from the market’s silent auction will benefit the [Greene County Dolly Parton Imagination Library](#).

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