Historical Society Event

Through the displays at the Lowville Elks Lodge

An Estimated 500 Turn Out For Job and Career Fair in Lowville

With 38 employers on hand and an estimated 500 job seekers passing through the displays at the Lowville Elks Lodge Wednesday afternoon, you would have to say that, realistically, the odds of finding work were a little slim.

But you would also have to say that with only two weeks lead time this week’s job and career fair, organized jointly by the Lewis County Chamber of Commerce and the school district’s Department of Labor, was a successful enterprise.

“It opened the doors at 9 a.m. and by 11 a.m. I’ll bet we had more than 300 people come through this building,” said Gary Hall, the chamber’s executive director.

“I’ve been in a situation where people come here who are from outside the county looking for work. At 3:30, we’re expecting on influx of Ethan Allen employees,” Hall said.

Last Wednesday, the Lowville Academy of Ethan Allen, which will operate under that name in Lewis County for the next three years, held its annual meeting, at which time a number of people were elected to the board of directors, including Mr. Lentz.

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A Miniature Lowville: Model Buildings Will Help Auxiliary

A miniatures project is underway at the Lewis County High School. The students are creating a replica of the hospital in Lowville, and the hospital will be up and running by the end of the year.

When Carlisle and his staff finalized the plans, they were pleased with the results. “We’ve been doing this for the last six years, and it’s the best we’ve ever done,” said Carlisle. “We’re really excited about it.”

The buildings on the miniature hospital are being built in groups of three. The first group was completed in April, and the second group is scheduled to be completed in June.

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