



Thank you to everyone that participated and volunteered in the 2nd annual STEAMposium held this passed Saturday. Your support helped to make the event a success! Please help me in congratulating Area 7 on the STEAMly Cup win! The “Cup” will begin touring the winning campuses in Area 7 in August. The tour dates will be sent to your area director.

Congratulations to the following STEAMletes on their awards:

This year Texas Instruments Foundation awarded the Garland ISD Education Foundation \$30,000 for Innovation in STEM Teaching Awards. These awards recognize secondary science, technology, engineering and mathematics teachers who demonstrate exceptional teaching and innovation in their content areas. Each award winner receives a total of \$10,000; \$5,000 is for them to use personally and \$5,000 is to be used in their classrooms and/or for professional development.

Timothy Hahnl – South Garland HS

Sean Denny – North Garland HS

Christi Brewer – Bussey Middle School

Jacob Scholarship winners: In partnership with Garland ISD Education Foundation, twenty-eight seniors applied for a chance to earn one of four \$500 scholarships from Jacob Engineering. And the four winners are:

Josfel Pastor from Sachse HS

Mohema Akter form Naaman Forest HS

Adedoyin Olayinka North Garland HS

Ashlyn Thomas from Garland HS

Prek – Tower Challenge

3rd place- Parsons: Yatziri Quevedo, Alexa Nino, Bishop Deanda, Xintong Ye

2nd place -Bradfield: Evelet Torres, Angie Sepulveda, Jorge Rodriguez, Devin Guerrero

1st place – Bullock: Lesley Chavarria, Diana Salmeron, Nathaly Ortiz, Jonathan Pazos

Grand Prize - Cisneros: Giselle Garcia, Joel Sanchez

Kinder – Tower Challenge

3rd place – Hillside: Jacob Velazco, Sophia Sal, Bethany Salmeron, Jennifer Bustamante

2nd place – Montclair: Jason Garcia, Michelle Garza, Xandy Richardson

1st place – Kimberlin: Sarah Naidoo, Sadiki Mburu, Nathan de Luna
Grand Prize - Southgate: JenCarlos Ramos, Diana Lopez, Daniel Chable

1st Grade Tower Challenge

3rd place – Vial: William Harrell, Allison Orellana, Ema Perez, Kimberly Hernandez
2nd place – Walnut Glen: Madisyn Harris, Miryam Beechcum, Zander Huynh
1st place – Bullock: William Mata, Caleb Mendez, Lillian Pendleton, Jonathan Oviedo
Grand Prize – Steadham: Rebekah Pham, Presley Smith, Logan McGlenn

2nd Grade Tower Challenge

3rd place - Beaver: Addison King, Avia Baker, Keeva Baker, Alana Seng
2nd place - Kimberlin: Micah Melcher, Iyana Axson, Skylar Truong, Collin Thomas
1st place - Southgate: Jovanny Mena, Jacqueline Garcia, Pamela Lopez, Viviana Medina
Grand Prize – Keeley: Kaden Prine, Ethan Gilbreath, Aidan Lin, Victoria Mercado

3rd Grade Balloon Powered Car Challenge

3rd place - Keeley: Faith Van Fosson
2nd place - Cooper: Andy Tran, Logan Varela, Roland Lopez, Ryan Tran
1st place - Herfurth: J'von Hall, Valeria Solano
Grand Prize – Hillside: Dallas Nelson, Logan Garrigue, Charlie Houston

4th Grade Rubber Band Powered Car Challenge

3rd place - Rowlett: Jesus Cabrera, Imanol Lujano, Angelo Trejo
2nd place - Steadham: Hallie Clark, Cate Tempelmeyer, Renee Carmona, Carson Bailey
1st place - Carver: Arturo Duenas, Oscar Huerta, Christopher Castro, Nicholas Ortiz
Grand Prize – Hillside: Andrew Dang

5th Grade Roller Coaster Challenge

3rd place - Rowlett: Caleb Covington
2nd place - Rowlett: Aiden Barrera, Kolton Locke, Matthew Rush
1st place - Kimberlin: Mya Dean, Audrey Garcia, Katherine Snow, Brianna Castilleja
Grand Prize – Hillside: Anthony Pham, Dylan Dam

6th Grade Rube Goldberg Challenge

3rd Place - Schrade MS: Nathan McClure, James Monroe
2nd Place- Hudson MS: Kha-Doanh Nguyen, Natalya Tackel
1st Place - Schrade MS: Nicholas Newkirk, Ben Smith, Ryan Herron
Grand Prize – Hudson MS: Nicole Flynn, Shelby King, Macy Puckett

7th Grade Water Purifier Challenge

3rd Place - Coyle: Meghan McGriff, Lexie Gilley, LindseyDalton
2nd Place- Sellers: Yahaira Sanchez, Jenifer Puente
1st Place - Memorial: Yolanda Andino, Rubidia Mejia, Dayra Najera, Carmen Vilchis
Grand Prize - Hudson: Haley Matthews, Kinlee Wyrick, Ellie Simons, Karley Klodner

8th Grade Catapult Challenge

3rd Place - Memorial: Maria Bazoria, Kayla Villanueva, Beatriz Almeida, Lam Ngo
2nd Place - Coyle: Zahide Torresdey, Diana Ho, Caira Alexander
1st Place - Sellers: Indy Pence, Perter Armendariz, Alex Banda, Alexis Martinez
Grand Prize - Sellers: Lexi Crawford, Diana Flores, Sheila Estrada, Jennifer Noyola

High School Renovations Challenge

Grand Prize – Lakeview Centennial: Juan Zuniaga, Juan Lua, Joel Joseph, George Stamm

High School Trebuchet Challenge

3rd Place-North Garland: Enoch Williams, Nesreen Gidia, Priscilla Abraham, Sophia Tran

2nd Place-North Garland: Allen Thomas, Hanna Nguyen, Tuong Vy Le

1st Place-North Garland: Dani Abel, Kathryn Brown

Grand Prize - Lakeview Centennial: Carson Plasse, Chris Kalu, Kelsi White

Elementary Maker Creator Prek -2nd grade

3rd Place- Walnut Glen: Preasha Mehta

2nd Place- Walnut Glen: Hudson Agold

1st Place- Walnut Glen: Anahi Calvo

Grand Prize- Beaver: Mehret Bizuayehu, Zyana Kamal

Elementary Maker Creator 3rd-4th grade

3rd Place- Walnut Glen: Manuel Montemayor

2nd Place-Walnut Glen: Bruno Leon

1st Place-Walnut Glen: Gabby Fernandez, Rema Seddick, Madi Kuhn

Grand Prize- Beaver: Allen Le, Dante Bolanos, Jeffin Chacko, Steven Phan

Elementary Maker Creator 5th-6th grade

3rd Place- Walnut Glen: Cathy Saldana

2nd Place- Davis: Alex Alford, Sergio Cardonas, Javari Brown

1st Place- Webb MS: Evan Howard

Grand Prize - Walnut Glen: Pedro Loaiza, Elizabeth Melito, Jasmine Ransom, Daniel Arroyo

Middle School Maker Creator 7th-8th grade

3rd Place- Webb MS: Daisy Cordell

2nd Place- Jackson MS: Thinh Truong

1st Place- Webb MS: Alex Lara

Grand Prize: Sam Houston MS: Elana Aguilar, Jaliya Sharp, Diamond Shoniwa

High School Maker Creator 9th-12th grade

3rd Place- Sachse HS: Taylynn Loney, Kaitlyn Coffey, Shanna McBroom, Sierra Guggembuehl

2nd Place- Sachse HS: Christie Tran, Kristina Tran, Bailey Parker, Kaci Le

1st Place- Sachse HS: Bailey Lane, Arelys Hernandez, Brayden Cook, Keith Washington

Grand Prize - Sachse HS: Sabrina Reyes, Ally Warren, Grace Defoor, Shannon Scott

Dimension U - Winners will also received a Kindle Fire!

DimensionU MVP 3rd-5th - Dorsey: Artwen Gavril Recolizado

DimensionU MVP 6th-8th - Jackson MST: Josey Hulkewicz

DimensionU MVP Educators - Ryan McGuire, Technology

DimensionU MVP Parents - Bullock: Kim Cokely

Youth Digital Camp Scholarship for Minecraft- Dorsey: Zinedine Nasufi

Youth Digital Camp Scholarship for Minecraft- Herfurth: Ahnothai Sivoravong

Youth Digital Camp Scholarship for 3D Game Design - Jackson MST: Alex Vo

Youth Digital Camp Scholarship for 3D Game Design - Jackson MST: Duy Duong

First Move Chess 2nd Grade

First Move Chess Honorable Mention - Lister: Francis Situ
First Move Chess 3rd Place - Hillside: Neal Brewer
First Move Chess 2nd Place - Montclair: Fernando Rodriguez
First Move Chess 1st Place - Hillside: Nina Imamovic

First Move Chess 3rd Grade

First Move Chess Honorable Mention - Luna: Noah Harding
First Move Chess 3rd Place - Northlake: Nikki Cervantes
First Move Chess 2nd Place - Herfurth: Jackson Meadoff
First Move Chess 1st Place - Luna: Landon Rountree

TI Nspire Coding Challenge - Winners will also recieved a TI Nspire Calculator

"NSpired" 3rd Place - Jackson MST: Josey Hulkewicz
"NSpired" 2nd Place - Austin MS: Grant Swallow
"NSpired" 1st Place - Sachse HS: Brandon Ramirez

Robotics

VEX IQ 3rd Place - Kimberlin Team Rank 4 CYBH
VEX IQ 2nd Place - Kimberlin Team Rank 3 CYBF
VEX IQ 1st Place - Kimberlin Team Rank 2 CYBG
VEX IQ Grand Prize - Kimberlin Team Rank 1 CYBB
VEX 3rd Place - Sam Houston Team 11967B
VEX 2nd Place - Hudson Team Schd
VEX 1st Place - HudsonTeam Hack
VEX Grand Prize - Hudson Team Air B

Elementary Science Fair Regional competition participants

Gabriel Limerick - Walnut Glen Elem. Kindergarten - 2nd Place Tornado Survival -
Jessica Jones and Mallory Nelson - Walnut Glen Elem - 4th grade - 3rd Place Water
Rush
Camila Huerta and Marisol Gonzalez - Heather Glen Elem - 5th Grade - 3rd Place Water
on the Go

Secondary Science Fair Regional:

Tarik Lbayad - Webb Middle School - Ethanol: Solution or Predicament

T-shirt contest winners:

The winning elementary school T-shirt design: Armstrong Elementary
The winning middle school T-shirt design: Jackson Middle School

**“Save the Date”
The 2017 STEAMposium
will be held on Saturday,
April 22!**