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VIRTUAL FAIR 2021 JUNIOR DIVISION AWARDS ANNOUNCEMENT

THE SPECIAL AWARDS WINNERS ARE...

FROM THE ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN GEOSCIENTISTS — A STUDENT AWARD FOR GEOSCIENCE EXCELLENCE – For research exemplifying high standards of innovativeness and scientific excellence in the geosciences. The winner will be receiving a digital certificate.

• LAILA ABUMAHFOUZ

FROM NASA — THE NASA EARTH SYSTEM SCIENCE AWARD – Awarded to the project that best demonstrates insight into Earth's interconnected systems, their interactions, and their evolution over time. Subcategories include atmospheric, climate, water sciences, geosciences, and environmental effects on ecosystems. The winner will be receiving a digital certificate and a digital letter of recognition.

• GABBY HOPKINS

FROM NOAA NATIONAL OCEANIC ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION -

TAKING THE PULSE OF THE PLANET AWARD – Awarded to a student whose research emphasizes NOAA's mission of Science, Service, and Stewardship to understand changes in climate, weather, oceans, and coasts, to share that knowledge and information with others, and to conserve and manage coastal and marine ecosystems and resources. The winner will be receiving a digital certificate and a digital letter of recognition.

ROHAN BHOSALE

FROM THE OFFICE OF NAVAL RESEARCH - THE NAVAL SCIENCE AWARD -

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• CHASE SHINKLE

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• Braedon Kohlenberger

FROM THE PURDUE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE — A CERTIFICATE

OF MERIT – For outstanding project in grades 4-5 in the science of food, agriculture, or natural resources. The winner will be receiving <u>through the mail</u> a certificate, a letter of recognition, and a magazine.

• ZEYNEP ERDOGAN

FROM THE PURDUE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE - A CERTIFICATE

OF MERIT – For outstanding project in grades 6-8 in the science of food, agriculture, or natural resources. The winner will be receiving <u>through the mail</u> a certificate, a letter of recognition, and a magazine.

• OWEN TALBOT

FROM US METRIC SYSTEM ASSOCIATION - THE US METRIC SYSTEM AWARD -

Awarded to a project which involves measures and expresses those measures consistently and correctly in SI units. The winner will be receiving a digital certificate.

• JONATHAN DESILVA CORSON

NOW THE MOMENT FOR WHICH WE'VE ALL BEEN WAITING...

THE WINNERS OF THE 2021 CENTRAL INDIANA REGIONAL SCIENCE & ENGINEERING FAIR ARE...

FOR GRADE 4:

HONORABLE MENTION — Kaylee Kempers

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Keegan Bridges

GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Joshua Alcantara

FOR GRADE 5:

HONORABLE MENTION — Anirudh Gopal

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Wesley Walsworth

GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Ashwin Krishnan

FOR GRADE 6:

HONORABLE MENTION — Nura Fareed

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Kourtney Clark

GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Ayah Alhaffar

FOR GRADE 7:

HONORABLE MENTION - Mira Nuthakki

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Lukas Dahlstrom

GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Adam Koltuniuk

FOR GRADE 8:

HONORABLE MENTION - Laila Abumahfouz

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Chase Shinkle

GRAND CHAMPION (STATE QUALIFIER) — Rohan Bhosale