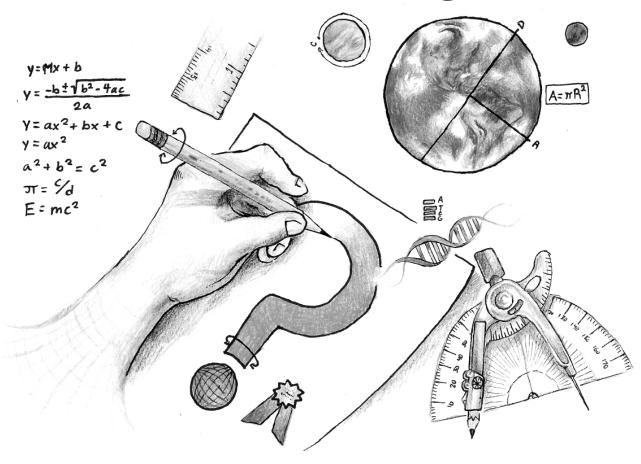
Montgomery Township School District

Third Annual Mathematics & Science Awards Night



June 2, 2014 at 7:00 PM



MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

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Office of the Superintendent

Dear Students and Parents,

Welcome to our Annual 5-8 Math and Science Awards Night.

Thank you to Dr. Herte for designing this night to celebrate excellence in mathematics and science. As you can see by the names on this program, we have some extremely talented students. Dr. Herte is committed to designing a challenging and rigorous curriculum and is responsible for the contests, competitions and academic team opportunities seen here tonight. Our students have participated in numerous contests and challenges and have received high honors in all.

Thank you to Mr. Delgado and Mr. Richards for their support of these programs. Also, a special thanks to teacher, Stella Hickok. Ms. Hickok is retiring this year after teaching in Montgomery since 1988. As a math teacher at LMS she has coordinated the Math Olympics for our 6th grade students for many years. She has also coordinated the Math League Contests for hundreds of students over the years. Stella has successfully made math fun, yet challenging, for the students of Montgomery. We wish her well!

Congratulations to all of the students here tonight for your outstanding performance and thank you to all of our parents for your continued support of our school district.

Warmly,

Nancy H. Gartenberg Superintendent of Schools

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MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT



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June 2, 2014

Dear students, parents, faculty, and administration,

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you this evening to the Annual Mathematics & Science Awards Night for grades 5-8. The concept of this evening began several years ago when our Science Olympiad team won their Regional Competition. The bus ride home with the coaches and students was electric! The students were elated and I thought how wonderful it would be to bring this experience back to Montgomery for their parents and teachers. I am very grateful for the support from the Board of Education, administration, our talented faculty, and our very interested and involved parents. Thank you.

We are all very proud of how all the children did and most importantly for the number of students who voluntarily participate in the various contests. Each contest is designed for fun competition while providing students new challenges beyond the curriculum. We trust they have found these contests and competitions rewarding.

This evening, we want to provide each student the opportunity to hear their name called for the honors they have achieved. You can look ahead at each contest and see which contest or competition your child will be honored. I wish you a very rewarding evening as we honor our wonderful students. Let's also remember to thank those who have inspired our young mathematicians and scientists. Students have written a few words about someone who has been influential or inspirational in their mathematics and science. As you see during the PowerPoint, family members, teachers, friends, and in some cases the students themselves have been noted as making a difference to a student. -Inspiring and touching their future. One such person is 6th grade math teacher, Mrs. Hickok. Tonight we will also be honoring her for her contributions to the Math Olympiad and Math League contests as well as the students in her class.

Enjoy the evening and congratulations to all our award recipients!

Dr. Christopher M. Herte

Our mission as a forward-thinking community is to ensure that students grow into confident, compassionate, and successful learners in a global society by providing engaging and challenging educational experiences in a student-centered environment.

Montgomery Township School District Mathematics & Science Awards Night 5-8

June 2, 2014

Order of Events

Pledge of Allegiance

Grade 5 Charis Gao Grade 8 Priyanka Dilip Shepard Jiang Thomas Draper Avan Misra Alexander Liu Grade 6 Michael Wu Laura Sun Grade 7

Leon Deng

Abinitha Gourabathina

Welcome Message

Dr. Christopher Herte, Math & Science Supervisor 5-8

Awards Presentation

Mr. Cory Delgado, Principal UMS

Dr. Christopher Herte, Math & Science Supervisor 5-8

Mr. Michael Richards, Principal LMS

Recognition of Service

Honoring Mrs. Stella Hickok

Closing Remarks

Mr. Michael Richards, Principal, LMS Mr. Cory Delgado, Principal, UMS

Refreshments

UMS Café –join us for light refreshments in the Café.

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Mathematics & Science Faculty

Lower Middle School		Upper M	Upper Middle School	
Mr. Tim Bartholomew	Mr. Ed Leckner	Mrs. Christine Barker	Mrs. Stephanie Mardekian	
Mrs. Deborah Bilik	Mrs. Lauren Levin	Mrs. Lisarenee Benz	Mrs. Amy Nowak	
Ms. Debra Bressaw	Mrs. Jessica Masters	Mrs. Lynn Blakemore	Mr. James Reed	
Mrs. Kristin Ciesielski	Mrs. Caryl Pitt	Mrs. Mary Chemris	Mrs. Camille Scully	
Mrs. Maya Colitsas	Mrs. Lynn Powers	Mr. Robert Chesbro	Mrs. Marie Siller	
Mr. Norm Gebhart	Ms. Allie Pungello	Mrs. Kathleen Edmonds	Mrs. Patti Sowa	
Mrs. Erin Harsell	Mrs. Elise Ryan	Mrs. Kelly Ferrante	Mrs. Rachel Wescoe	
Mrs. Stella Hickok	Mrs. Lauren Smith	Mrs. Kristen Kanickij	Ms. Jamie Witsen	
Mrs. Andrea Kowalski	Ms. Annie Yip			
Ms. Laurie LaMarra				

Dr. Christopher Herte, Mathematics & Science Supervisor 5-8

School Administration

Lower Middle School	Upper Middle School
Mr. Michael Richards, Principal	Mr. Cory Delgado, Principal
Mrs. Georgianna Kichura, Assistant Principa	l Mrs. Karin Kidd, Assistant Principal
Mrs. Staci Beegl	e, Supervisor of Pupil Services 5-8
Mrs. Alma Reye	s, Supervisor of World Languages
Dr. Christopher	Herte, Mathematics & Science Supervisor 5-8
Mrs. Lisa Romai	no, Language Arts & Social Studies Supervisor 5-8
Mr. Adam Warsh	hafsky, Supervisor of Fine & Performing Arts
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Ms. Jocelyn Scott, Secretary	Mrs. Marilyn Sciotto, Secretary
Ms. Monica Weimer, Secretary	•

District Administration

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Director of Curriculum	Director of Assessment and Accountability
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Cover Design Contest

Abinitha Gourabathina Brandon Li Evelyn Shiang

Contest Coordinator: Dr. Christopher Herte

Challenge 24 Contest (Grade 5)

Alex Abrahamsen	Piper Epstein	Emily Koblin	Neha Sathishkumar
Diya Aneja	Nicole Feng	Timothy Lavake	Mandi Shovlin
Timothy Ark	Charis Gao	Gavin Lin	Christopher Tai
Lauren Bass	Andrew Hans	Kaia O'Reilly	Amogh Vellore
Ryan Bernier	Ruchitha Jagana	Lynn Park	Declan Wahlers
Amrutha Bhavaraju	Tristian Jefferies	Drew Patel	Katie Yang
Anika Chakraborti	Shepard Jiang	Rishin Patel	Tina Yao
Thomas Colagiuri	Shaunak Kinare	Steven Paul	Eric Zissman

Contest Coordinators: Mr. Tim Bartholomew, Mrs. Deborah Bilik, Mr. Norm Gebhart,

Mrs. Andrea Kowalski, Ms. Laurie LaMarra, Mrs. Jessica Masters,

Ms. Lauren Smith, Ms. Annie Yip

Math Olympiads

Division E (Elementary) Grade 5

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Nicole Feng	Shaunak Kinare	Drew Patel	Christopher Tai
Charis Gao	Rohin Mishra	Rishin Patel	Madison Truglio
Rupsa Jana	Emma Ni	Xinyi Sheng	May Zheng
Shepard Jiang	Daniel Park		

Contest Coordinator: Ms. Allie Pungello

Math Olympiads

Division E (Elementary) Grade 6

Neeraj Arunkumar	Justin Kim	Rohith Paranji	Stephanie Wang
Ria Bhatia	Rishiraj Korde	Kahyun Park	Michael Wu
Charitha Bommu	Andy Li	Isha Patel	Jenny Xu
Sua Choi	Charles Liu	Richa Patel	Daniel Xue
Manon Coste	Colin Liu	Ahan Raina	Kevin Yang
Armaan Dugar	Ethan Liu	Ishaan Ravichander	Alex Zhang
Ethan Feng	Angeli Lu	Joshua Seligman	Allen Zhang
Stepan Gorelenkov	Charles Ma	Frank Wang	Eva Zhang
Rohan Jain	Avhan Misra	James Wang	Henry Zhang
Pranav Kalinadhabhotla	Kento Nishii	Lawrence Wang	Laura Zhou

Contest Coordinator: Mrs. Stella Hickok

Contest Administrators: Ms. Debra Bressaw, Mrs. Kristin Ciesielski, Mrs. Maya Colitsas,

Mrs. Stella Hickok, Mr. Ed Leckner, Ms. Allie Pungello

Math Olympiads

Division M (Middle School) Grades 6-8

Joseph Chen	Abinitha Gourabathina	Alexander Liu	Laura Sun
Leon Deng	Joshua Guo	Rocky Lu	Andy Wang
Priyanka Dilip	Justin Hong	Avhan Misra	David Xue
Thomas Draper	Pranav Kalinadhabhotla	Michael S. Shen	Ben Yao
Stepan Gorelenkov	Wilson Liou	Nivedhitha Sivakumar	Oliver Yao

Contest Coordinator: Mrs. Lauren Smith & Ms. Annie Yip

Math League

Grade 5

Amrutha Bhavaraju	Ruchitha Jagana	Faiz Mazhar	Nikhil Shukla
Anika Chakraborti	Rupsa Jana	Rohin Mishra	Sachin Vel
Brandon Cheng	Sahithi Jarugula	Emma Ni	Shreyank Yelagoila
Piper Epstein	Shepard Jiang	Rishin Patel	Eva Zhang
Ethan Feng	Shashaank Joshi	Rohan C. Shah	May Zheng
Charis Gao	Shaunak Kinare	Xinyi Sheng	Michelle Zhong
Bhavana Iyengar	Parthiv Kommareddy		S

Contest Coordinator: Ms. Allie Pungello

Math League

Grade 6

Neeraj Arunkumar	Justin Kim	Avhan Misra	James Wang	
Kalyan Cheruvu	Yerin Kim	Kahyun Park	Michael Wu	
Parth Deshmukh	Colin Liu	Ethan Stelmakh	Jenny Xu	
Ethan Feng	Audrey Ma	Maxwell Sun	Kevin Yang	
Rohan Jain	Charles Ma	Raghav Sundar	Henry Zhang	
Pranay Kalinadhabhotla	Benjamin Mathew	Raian Tripathi		

Contest Coordinator: Mrs. Stella Hickok

American Mathematics Competition 8 (AMC 8)

Sachin Billakanti	Stepan Gorelenkov	Alexander Liu	Nivedhitha Sivakumar
Laya Bommireddy	Abinitha Gourabathina	Colin Liu	Laura Sun
Joseph Chen	Jonathan Guo	Anirudh Maddali	Fawaz Tahir
Ravitej Chilukuri	Joshua Guo	Avhan Misra	Saud Tahir
Leon Deng	Rishiraj Korde	Richa Patel	Grace Wang
Priyanka Dilip	Aadhrik Kuila	Savan Patel	Michael Wu
Thomas Draper	Kyle Li	Pranav Saboo	David Xue
Jay Garg	Wilson Liou	Johnny Shea	Eric Zhao

Contest Coordinators: Dr. Christopher Herte, Mrs. Lauren Smith, and Ms. Annie Yip

American Mathematics Competition 10 (AMC 10)

Sachin Billakanti	Abinitha Gourabathina	Savan Patel	Laura Sun
Cordelia Deng	Joshua Guo	Michael S. Shen	Grace Wang
Leon Deng	Wilson Liou	Michael T. Shen	David Xue
Priyanka Dilip	Alexander Liu	Nivedhitha Sivakumar	Eric Zhao
Thomas Draper			

Contest Coordinator: Dr. Christopher Herte

Algebra I Contest

Aneesh Atri	Joshua Guo	Rocky Lu	Michael T. Shen
Kavan Bansal	Julia Guo	Anirudh Maddali	Vidya Silai
Vaidehi Bhaskara	Jenny Huang	Kenny Ouyang	Nivedhitha Sivakumar
Hemanthvarma Bhupatiraju	Ashley Kang	Kahyun Park	Laura Sun
Leon Deng	Akshara Kannan	Savan Patel	Ram Venkadesan
Priyanka Dilip	Daniel Kim	Neeharika Patibanda	Frank Wang
Thomas Draper	Aadhrik Kuila	Srinidhi Ramakrishna	Kevin Yang
Jay Garg	Brandon Li	Ronak Rijhwani	Oliver Yao
Abinitha Gourabathina	Mukesh Loganathan		

Contest Coordinator: Dr. Christopher Herte

MATHCOUNTS

Leon Deng	Alexander Liu	Nivedhitha Sivakumar	David Xue
Priyanka Dilip	Avhan Misra	Michael Wu	Kevin Yang
Thomas Draper	Rohith Paranji		-

Coaches: Mrs. Lauren Smith & Ms. Annie Yip

Science League (Grade 5)

Lilly Baker	Rupsa Jana	Ayush Nallapally	Reva Sharma
Amrutha Bhavaraju	Shepard Jiang	Sean Naughton	Xinyi Sheng
Rita Carlson	Gahana Kadur	Emma Ni	Nikhil Shukla
Anika Chakraborti	Pooja Kantheti	Rayan Nizam	Maanav Singh
Minal Desai	Justin Kim	Drew Patel	Kiran Subramanian
Jillian Epstein	Shaunak Kinare	Soha Patel	Vineal Sunkara
Ethan Feng	Rohan Kulkarni	Adithi Prasad	Daniel Xue
Charis Gao	Anand Kumar	Arjun Ramesh	Eva Zhang
Evelyn Ho	Aryan Lalwani	Divya Ravikumar	Michelle Zhong
Nidhi Hosamane	Aneesh Nakka	Rohan C. Shah	Annie Zhou
Bhavana Iyengar			

Contest Coordinator: Dr. Christopher Herte

Science League (Grade 6)

Neeraj Arunkumar	Bailey Eng	Benjamin Mathew	Surya Vangala
Teertha Ayanji	Abhiraj Gokina	Brian Pau	Frank Wang
Charitha Bommu	Ben Gomez	Preetham Prince	Lawrence Wang
Kalyan Cheruvu	Pranav Kalinadhabhotla	Ahan Raina	Michael Wu
Parth Deshmukh	Andrew Kang	Maxwell Sun	Jenny Xu
Andrej Elez	Colin Liu	Rajan Tripathi	•

Contest Coordinator: Mrs. Caryl Pitt and Mrs. Elise Ryan

National Life Science Contest (Grade 7)

Abinitha Gourabathina	Akshara Kannan	Alina Shah	Karthik Subramanian
Arpan Gupta	Savan Patel	Janum Shah	

Contest Coordinator: Dr. Christopher Herte

Chemistry Challenge Contest (Grade 8)

Alexander Androsko	Joseph Chen	Hrushikesh Jagana	Patrick O'Brien
Ruma Arabatti	Priyanka Dilip	Aadhrik Kuila	Johnny Shea
Aarushi Bhan	Thomas Draper	Swapnil Lal	Laura Sun
Vaidehi Bhaskara	Julia Guo	Alexander Liu	Leona Tomy
Sachin Billakanti	Jenny Huang		•

Contest Creator and Coordinator: Dr. Christopher Herte

National General Science Contest (Grade 8)

Alexander Androsko	Katelyn Chen	Frank Li	Brian Richie
Niveditha Balan	Shri Deshmukh	Alexander Liu	Laura Sun
Vaidehi Bhaskara	Priyanka Dilip	Peter Ni	David Xue
Hemanthvarma Bhupatiraju	Austin Fan	Patrick O'Brien	Melissa Yang
Joseph Chen	Julia Guo	Srinidhi Ramakrishna	<u> </u>

Contest Coordinator: Dr. Christopher Herte

Science Olympiad Team (Grades 7-9)

Kavan Bansal	Abinitha Gourabathina	Sumat Madhugiri	Vijay Srivastava	
Sruti Cheruvu	Julia Guo	Hamza Malik	Laura Sun	
Leon Deng	Grace He	Kristina Malinowski	Melissa Yang	
Shri Deshmukh	William Huang	Savan Patel	Ben Yao	
Chinmay Deshpande	Daniel Kim	Ronak Rijhwani	Oliver Yao	
Mihir Doshi	Amita Kulkarni	Vidya Silai	Matthew Yuan	
Austin Fan	Alexander Liu	Nivedhitha Sivakumar		

Coaches: Mrs. Lynn Blakemore and Mrs. Patti Sowa