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## 114th Session Iowa Academy of Science April 19, 2002

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### Hotel Fort Des Moines, Des Moines



## AWARDS LUNCHEON

Program

Served Luncheon

Introductions

Recognition of students participating in various statewide activities

Presentation of scholarship winners and 2003 AJAS representatives

Presentation of Excellence in Science Teaching Awards Lynn Brant, President

Ernie Schiller, Chair Student Programs Committee

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> Jeff Weld, Director ESTA Program

The Iowa Academy of Science commends all those individuals, institutions, and agencies that have sponsored activities in science for high school students. The importance of identifying and encouraging students with science interest and talent cannot be over-emphasized at a time when the future calls for more and more scientists and engineers to solve the problems of a technological society.

IOWA ACADEMY OF SCIENCE SECONDARY STUDENT "INVITED PAPERS" The following student were invited to present their work as a result of having received awards in science this past school year.

#### Student Ursula Adkins Adam Antolik Alisha Bernard Andrew Berns Grace Boyle Morgan Brown Sara Busch Jason Calfee **Rachael Collier** Matt Dahms Megan Dial Laura Durant Alex Duzik Stephanie Eqts Kathryn Fay Adam Forsheir Matt Fox Mauree Gibson Lindsev Given Laura Hanson Arielle Hardre **Mischael Hardre Kyle Hilsabeck** Joe Hove Forrest Isbell Jack Kampf Kristen Klein Samantha Klever Lance Knaack Andrew Kolar Heather Krueger Andrew Kruse Marty Lamb Chad Lane Cody Law

#### School

Central Lee High School, Donnellson Eddyville High School, Eddyville Central Lee High School, Donnellson Center Point-Urbana High School, Center Point Maharishi School, Fairfield Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Waverly Shell-Rock High School, Waverly Central Lee High School, Donnellson Mediapolis High School, Mediapolis Central Lee High School, Donnellson Shenandoah High School, Shenandoah Waterloo West High School, Waterloo Heelan-Sioux City High School, Sioux City Bettendorf High School, Bettendorf Winnebago High School, Winnebago West Central High School, Stuart Waverly-Shell Rock High School, Waverly Central Lee Middle School, Donnellson Waterloo West High School, Waterloo Valley High School, Elgin West Liberty High School, Nichols West Liberty High School, Nichols Marshalltown High School, Marshalltown Solon High School, Solon Washington High School, Vinton Spirit Lake High School, Spirit Lake Wahlert High School, Dubuque East Buchanan High School, Winthrop Kingsley High School, Kingsley Linn-Mar High School, Marion Walnut Ridge Baptist Academy, Waterloo Tipton High School, Tipton Central Lee High School, Donnellson Algona High School, Algona River Valley High School, Correctionville

#### Cont. IAS "INVITED PAPERS"

Hee Won Lee Heather LeFleur Charlie Lenze Jamilee Lightfoot Andria Marlin Liz McCauley Andrew McNamara Lucas Mever Chris Nelson Samuel Nielsen Hailvn Nielsen Kyla Pagel Brent Pelowski **Erin Peterson** Matthew Phillips Melissa Potter **Ashley Reichter** Allison Rogers Taylor Ross **April Rottinghaus** Arie Schiller Andy Schlievert Nikki Schnieder **Timothy Schramm** John Schwinger **Emily Shoopman** Lauren St. Clair **Todd Stanhope** Adam Schwarz Sara Tasker Mark Thomsen Lisa Thornburg Meghan Wall Megan Weirather Sara Weirather Joanne Wenke Lindsay Wise Jordan Witmer Kit Wobeter Craig Woelber Nick Wuertz Melinda Yoder Letisha Zev

Iowa City High School, Iowa City West Central High School, Stuart West Central High School, Stuart Central Lee Middle School, Donnellson Williamsburg High School, Williamsburg Central Lee High School, Donnellson Roland-Story High School, Story City Cedar Rapids Prairie High School, Cedar Rapids West Central High School, Stuart Dike- New Hartford High School, Dike Roosevelt High School, Des Moines Sumner High School, Sumner West Central High School, Stuart Adair-Casey High School, Adair Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Iowa City West High School, Iowa City Clarion-Goldfield High School, Clarion Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Maharishi Schools, Fairfield Dunkerton High School, Dunkerton Central Lee High School, Donnellson Algona High School, Algona West Central High School, Stuart Western Dubuque High School, Epworth West Central High School, Stuart Waterloo West High School, Waterloo Central Lee High School, Donnellson Don Bosco Central High School, Waterloo Central Lee High School, Donnellson Oelwein High School, Oelwein Lincoln High School, Council Bluffs Central Lee High School, Donnellson Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Central Lee High School, Donnellson Central Lee High School, Donnellson Central Lee High School, Donnellson Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Solon High School, Solon South Tama High School, Tama Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Waverly-Shell Rock High School, Waverly East Buchanan High School, Winthrop Walnut Ridge Baptist Academy, Waterloo

#### **IOWA JUNIOR ACADEMY OF SCIENCE GRANT AWARDEES (2001-2002)**

Ursula Adkins Central Lee High School, Donnellson Jason Calfee Central Lee High School, Donnellson **Rachael Collier** Mediapolis High School, Mediapolis Central Lee High School, Donnellson Matt Dahms West Central High School, Stuart Adam Forsheir Central Lee Middle School, Donnellson Mauree Gibson Central Lee High School, Donnellson Marty Lamb Heather LeFleur West Central High School, Stuart Jamilee Lightfoot Central Lee Middle School, Donnellson Liz McCaulev Central Lee High School, Donnellson Central Lee High School, Donnellson Arie Schiller John Schwinger West Central High School, Stuart Lauren St. Clair Central Lee High School, Donnellson Central Lee High School, Donnellson Lisa Thornburg Megan Weirather Central Lee Middle School. Donnellson Sara Weirather Central Lee Middle School, Donnellson

#### STATE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FAIR OF IOWA (April 10 ,11, 2002)

#### **Biological Science Exhibit Winners:**

1st place: Sara WeiratherCentral Lee High School, Donnellson2nd place: Chris NelsonWest Central High School, Stuart3rd place: Heather LeFleur West Central High School, StuartBiological Science Seminar Winners:

1st place: Chris Nelson West Central High School, Stuart 2nd place: Heather LeFleur West Central High School, Stuart Physical Science Exhibit Winners:

1st: Joe HoveSolon High School, Solon2nd: Andy SchleivertAlgona High School, Algona3rd: Ursula AdkinsCentral Lee High School, DonnellsonPhysical Science Seminar Winners:

1st place: Alisha Bernard Central Lee High School, Donnellson 2nd place: John Schwinger West Central High School, Stuart

#### AGRISCIENCE FAIR (ALGONA) (March 23)

Biochemistry/Microbiology/Food Science:

Nikki Schneider West Central High School, Stuart Botany:

Heather LeFleur West Central High School, Stuart Environmental Science:

Rachael Collier Mediapolis High School, Mediapolis Engineering:

John Schwinger West Central High School, Stuart Zoology:

Chris Nelson West Central High School, Stuart

#### EASTERN IOWA SCIENCE & ENGINEERING FAIR (March 16)

Grace Boyle Mischael Hardre Rachael Collier Joe Hove Elizabeth McCauley Taylor Ross Adam Schwartz Joanne Wenke Sara Weirather Adam Antolik Maharishi School, Fairfield West Liberty High School, Nichols Mediapolis High School, Mediapolis Solon High School, Solon Central-Lee High School, Donnellson Maharishi School, Fairfield Central-Lee High School, Donnellson Central-Lee High School, Donnellson Central-Lee High School, Donnellson Algona High School, Algona

#### SOUTH CENTRAL SCIENCE & ENGINEERING FAIR (March 9)

**Biological Science Exhibit Winners:** 1st: Heather LeFleur West Central High School, Stuart 2nd: Erin Peterson Adair-Casey High School, Adair 3rd: Chris Nelson West Central High School, Stuart **Biological Science Seminar Winner:** Nikki Schnieder West Central Valley High School, Maynard **Physical Science Exhibit Winners:** 1st: John Schwinger West Central High School, Stuart 2nd: Charlie Lenze West Central High School, Stuart 3rd: Brenton Pelowski West Central High School, Stuart Physical Science Seminar Winner: John Schwinger West Central High School, Stuart

#### IOWA JUNIOR SCIENCE AND HUMANITIES SYMPOSIUM (Feb. 22-23)

Top Winner:Hailyn NielsenRoosevelt High School, Des MoinesFirst Runner-up:Hee Won LeeIowa City High School, Iowa CityFinalists:Rachael Collier Mediapolis High School, MediapolisArielle HardreWest Liberty High School, West LibertySara Weirather Central Lee High School, Donnellson

#### STARS AWARDS 2001-2002

Carrie BreDahlOrient-Macksburg High School, Orient (Student)Nate SlaytonManson NW Webster High School, Manson (Student)Mickolyn ClapperColfax-Mingo High School, Colfax (Teacher)Paul SoniusCorwith Wesley Middle School, Corwith (Teacher)

#### SCIENCE, MATHEMATICS AND TECHNOLOGY SYMPOSIUM (November 15, 2001)

Andrew Berns Morgan Brown Sara Busch Alex Duzik Forrest Isbell Kristen Klein Lance Knaack Andrew Kolar Heather Krueger Cody Law Samuel Nielsen Matthew Phillips Melissa Potter Allison Rogers April Rottinghaus **Timothy Schramm Emily Shoopman** Mark Thomsen Meghan Wall Lindsay Wise Craig Woelber Letisha Zey

Center-Point-Urbana High School, Urbana Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Waverly-Shell Rock High School, Waverly Heelan-Sioux City, Sioux City Washington High School, Vinton Wahlert High School, Dubuque Kingsley-Pierson High School, Pierson Linn-Mar High School, Marion Walnut Ridge Baptist Academy, Waterloo River Valley High School, Correctionville Dike-New Harford High School, Dike Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Iowa City West High School, Iowa City Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Dunkerton High School, Dunkerton Western Dubuque High School, Epworth Waterloo West High School, Waterloo Lincoln High School, Council Bluffs Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls Walnut Ridge Baptist Academy, Waterloo

#### CEDAR VALLEY SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM (Nov. 9-10 2001)

Laura Durant Stephanie Egts Kathryn Fay Matt Fox Lindsey Given Laura Hanson Kyle Hilsabeck Jack Kampf Samantha Klever

Andrew Kruse Andria Marlin Andrew McNamara Lucas Meyer

Kyla Pagel Ashley Reichter Todd Stanhope

West Waterloo High School, Waterloo Bettendorf High School, Bettendorf Winnebago High School, Winnebago Waverly-Shell Rock High School, Waverly Waterloo West High School, Waterloo Valley High School, Elgin Marshalltown High School, Marshalltown Spirit Lake High School, Spirit Lake East Buchanan High School. Independence Tipton High School, Tipton Williamsburg High School, Williamsburg Roland-Story High School, Story City Cedar Rapids Prairie High School, Cedar Rapids Sumner High School, Sumner Clarion-Goldfield High School, Goldfield

Don Bosco High School, Waterloo

#### cont. Cedar Valley Science Symposium

Sara Tasker Jordan Witmer Kit Wobeter Nick Wuertz Melinda Yoder Oelwein High School, Oelwein Kennedy High School, Solon South Tama High School, Toledo Waverly-Shell Rock High School, Waverly East Buchanan High School, Independence

#### NASA WATCHING EARTH CHANGE COMPETITION (2002)

NASA Stennis Space Center: First place: Megan Dial Shenandoah Middle School, Shenandoah

### **Excellence in Science Teaching Awards**

The lowa Academy of Science has a long and distinguished record of encouraging improvement in science teaching within lowa's public and parochial schools. Since 1954, through its *Excellence in Science Teaching Awards* program, teachers from all areas of the state have been recognized for their outstanding work.

Presently, the Academy recognized excellence in elementary, junior/middle high school and senior high school science teaching. Further, in the senior high school program, the specialty areas of biology, chemistry, earth science, environmental education and physics are focused upon. A general/multiple science category was established to include those who teach more than one science discipline in a single course, or separate courses, or interdisciplinary courses.

#### Earth/Space/Environmental Science

Susan Vogel ~ Cedar Rapids Jefferson High School, Cedar Rapids

Physical Science Michael Blair ~ Roosevelt High School, Des Moines

#### Junior/Middle High Science

Lynne Campbell ~ Woodard-Granger Community School, Woodard