

Congratulations to the High School Science Olympiad for Event Qualifying to State!?!

On Saturday, February 8, 2020, six Pattonsburg R-2 students made their way to NCMC in Trenton, Missouri to compete in the High School Science Olympiad.

Team members present were Senior, Clark Adler; Junior, Miles Huff; and Sophomores Quincy Crone, Jaden Gannan, Ryelin Hulet, and Jillian Plymell. (The team did have three other hard-working members, Juniors Lillian Carter, Kyle McChesney, and Sofia Nunn, who were unable to compete.)

Our mighty team of six was determined to do the best they could, in spite of the odds of their small number competing against teams of fifteen. Coach and Science Teacher, Mrs. Tuanette Hulet, is extremely proud to announce that they did, and collectively accomplished a first for our school—they event qualified the entire high school team present by earning a first place for every student there, in three separate competition events—what a feat!

Senior Clark Adler has been a team member for all sixth years, and this is his third year going to state. This is junior Mile Huff's third year competing, and his second going to state. New-recruit, sophomore Jade Gannan, competed for the first time and is going to state for her first time. This is sophomores Quincy Crone, Jillian Plymell, and Ryelin Hulet's fourth year of competing and their fourth consecutive year going to state. These three have simultaneously set a new school-record for the most consecutive times any student has ever made it to State Science Olympiad in the history of our school. The state competition will be held at Westminster College in Fulton, Missouri on Saturday, April 4, 2020.

The Junior High Science Olympiad will be held on February 22, 2020 at NWMSU in Maryville, Missouri.

Honors Earned Include:

1st Designer Genes (*Genetics*): Jaden Gannan and Ryelin Hulet

1st Ornithology (*Bird Identification/Husbandry*): Clark Adler and Miles Huff

1st Write It/Do It (*Model Communication/Building*): Quincy Crone and Jillian Plymell

3rd Disease Detectives (*Epidemiology*): Ryelin Hulet and Jillian Plymell

4th Fossils: Ryelin Hulet and Jillian Plymell

5th Geological Mapping: Clark Adler

5th Water Quality: Miles Huff and Ryelin Hulet

5th Experimental Design: Quincy Crone, Jaden Gannan, and Jillian Plymell