

Akron District

President's Welcome

This year, ADSPE supported several youth education programs, including the Imagine Engineering Coloring Contest for 2nd graders, MATHCOUNTS for 6th, 7th and 8th graders. We also provided judging and organizational support for the 2017 Western Reserve District 5 Science Fair. ADSPE was the host society for the 2017 E-Week Dinner for the Akron area which hosted approximately 450 guests. The presentations at the dinner were provided by the University of Akron student groups participating in a number national competitions.

ADSPE members traveled the surrounding counties over the past two months presenting engineering opportunities to second grade classes. The following entries were selected as local winners of this year's Imagine Engineering contest.

- First Place – Julliete Dachtler – Huntington Elementary, Brunswick
- Second Place – Caitlin Klien – St. Vincent DePaul Elementary, Akron
- Third Place – Joey Burford – Herberich Elementary, Akron
- Honorable Mention – Myona Hoffman – Herberich Elementary, Akron

ADSPE hosted the local MATHCOUNTS Competition at the University of Akron February. Please join me in congratulating the following winners. Two teams and four individuals advanced to the state competition in Columbus.

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First Place Team Chamberlin
Middle School, including team members
Adithya Kalyanam, Raghav Kasibhatla, Nikhil Prasad, and Bhavya Sharma with Coach
Seetharaman Kalyanasundaram

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Second Place Team Revere
Middle School, including team members Abhay Adury, Rohit Dasanoor, Drake
Du, and Alex Sommerville with coach Kevin Somerville

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Third Place Team Harmon
Middle School, including team members David Bian, Elinor Case, Cameron
Mullin, and Andrew Pilarczyk with coach Lauren McMahon

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First Place Individual - Drake Du – Revere Middle School

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Second
Place Individual - Will Krew – Revere Middle School

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Third
Place Individual - Adithya
Kalyanam – Chamberlin Middle School

The program year is wrapping up and an
installation dinner will be held in May for the new officers and Board members
for the Akron District.

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