



GUILFORD SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

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Every year Guilford County Soil and Water and Greensboro Water Resources run a poster contest within the elementary schools that aligns with a conservation message. This year's message for student's grade K-2 was "Saving Water is Always in Season", and for students grade 3-6 the theme was "Water... the Cycle of Life". We would like to take the time to recognize those winners at the County Commissioner's Meeting on Thursday, May 3, 2018. We believe it is an excellent opportunity for the students to have their efforts recognized.

Guilford County Soil and Water would also like to propose that this year's Area 3 Envirothon winners be recognized for their success. The Envirothon is a hands-on environmental problem-solving competition for middle and high school-aged students in the United States and Canada. Participating teams complete training and testing in five natural resource categories: soils/landuse, aquatic ecology, forestry, wildlife, and current environmental issues. Guilford County's middle school team, "Pandamonium", from the Academy at Lincoln, came in first place among the teams from 11 counties. They scored a 95% in four of the five categories, leaving them the undisputed winners. On April 27th and 28th they will be participating in the state-wide competition, the highest achievement at the middle school level. We would like the opportunity to congratulate these students as well at the County Commissioner's Meeting on Thursday, May 3, 2018 as well.

Poster Contest Winners:

For Greensboro Water Resources, the winners are as follows:

- 1st place: 2nd grader Bella Davis from Sedgefield Elementary.
- 2nd place: 2nd grader Liyah Davis from Erwin Elementary.
- 3rd place: 1st grader Neve Pendleton from Brightwood Elementary

For Guilford County Soil and Water, the winners are as follow:

3rd Grade

- 1st Place: Saton Pennix, a student from Washington Montessori Elementary.
- 2nd Place: Malia Ingram a student from Frazier Elementary.

4th Grade

1st Place: Iyhani Brandon a student from Archer Elementary.

2nd Place: Cotes Courts a student from Sternberger Elementary.

5th Grade

1st Place: Julianna Aulia a student from Washington Montessori Elementary.

2nd Place: Lillian Lombardo a student from Oak Ridge Elementary.

3rd Place: Gwendolyn Robles a student from Oak Ridge Elementary.

6th Grade had no placements this year.

Envirothon Winners: "Pandamonium"

From the Academy at Lincoln Middle School

Evelyn Chang, of grade eight.

Isabelle Chang, of grade seven.

Natalie Earnhardt, of grade eight.

Alicia Bao, of grade eight.

And their advisor Semma Anand.