

Tar Wars Rhode Island Holds its Annual Poster Contest

On Saturday, May 14, 2011 the Rhode Island Medical Society held its 18th Annual Tar Wars Statewide Poster Contest at Elizabeth Baldwin Elementary School in Pawtucket, RI. Fifth-grade students from 35 schools across the state participated in this year's contest.

The winners of the 2011 Tar Wars Rhode Island poster contest:

First Place - Alana McGuinness from St. Mary's Academy Bay View in Riverside, RI. Alana received an all-expenses paid trip for her and her family to travel to the National Tar Wars competition in Washington, DC in July.

Second Place – Erickson Monterroza from Marieville Elementary School in North Providence. Erickson received a \$75 American Express gift card.

Third Place - Noelle Gauvin from Hopkins Hill Elementary School in Coventry. She received a \$50 American Express gift card.

RIMS would like to recognize the 2011 Tar Wars sponsors, whose support made the event possible. Thank you to the Rhode Island Academy of Family Physicians, the Rhode Island Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics, the Rhode Island Medical Society Foundation, the Rhode Island State Nurses Association, and the Pawtucket School Department.

RIMS would also like to extend a well-deserved thank you to our 2011 celebrity judges, who were presented with a very challenging task of picking a winner among this year's 35 entries.

Alyn Adrian, MD, Vice President of the Medical Society

Donna Policastro, Executive Director of the R.I. State Nurses Association

Barabara Morse Silva, Anchor/Reporter Channel 10 News.

2011 Tar Wars Presenters

Nathan Beraha, MD

Jeffrey Borkan, MD, PhD

Colleen Cleary, MD

Charles Cummings, MD

Robert Crausman, MD

Paul Del Guerico, MD

Suzanne DeLaMonte, MD

Sarah Fessler, MD

Arthur Frazzano, MD

Kristin Grimes, MD

Donald Hebb, MD

Peter Hollmann, MD

Joel Kaufman, MD

Martin Kerzer, DO

Anita Kestin, MD

Elizabeth Lange, MD

Anthony Lombardi, Jr., MD

Patty Lynch-Gadaleta, MS, PA-C

Martin Papazian, MD

Meg Murray, MD

Herb Rakatansky, MD

James Schwartz, MD

Russell Settipane, MD

RaymondZarlengo, MD

Brown University Medical Students:

Kimberly Dickinson
Bryant Faria
Elizabeth Goldberg
Steve Lee

R.I. State Nurses Association Members:

Patricia Aschaffenburg, RN
Tracy Bardsley, RN
Lynn P. Blanchette, MSN, RN
Anita Creamer, RN
Lynne Deion, RN
Lisa DiMaria, MS, RN
Diane Gerardi, RN
Lori Kasher, RN, MS, CPNP
Jennifer Moore, RN
Susan Sienkiewicz, RN

Community College of Rhode Island Nursing Students:

Donna Mackie
Tyler Poirier

University of Rhode Island Nursing Students:

Tracie Crisafulli
Tara Dessler