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Children of SRNS Employees Learn and Teach Others about Safety through Art

Winners of the annual safety art contest sponsored by Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, LLC are rewarded for their creativity and skill

AIKEN, S.C. (Jan. 23, 2012) – Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, LLC (SRNS) recently announced the winners of the first annual SRNS Annual Safety Art Contest.

Twelve winners were recognized during the special celebration held at SRNS' Corporate Office in Aiken, S.C.



Artwork of first place winner, Stephanie Munie, "Stay Alive, Don't Text and Drive."

Stephanie Munie, daughter of Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, LLC (SRNS) employee Mike Munie, earned first place by depicting the dangers of texting while driving. Her artistic efforts to help others recognize the importance of safe behaviors earned her first place and a \$300 gift card. The other eleven winners were each rewarded with a \$100 gift card.

"Developing a value for good safety practices in the hearts and minds of our children at an early age is essential, preventing needless injury," said Dwayne Wilson, SRNS President and CEO. "We realize that instilling these ideals begins in the home."

During the contest, the children of SRNS employees are encouraged to work with their parents to develop a specific safety message that can be expressed through their child's imagination and favorite art medium, usually crayons, colored pencils and paper.

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“In addition to the monetary award, each winning artist was asked to sign a poster-sized copy of their work, which will initially be placed on display within the SRNS Corporate Office and then distributed to buildings across SRS,” said Angie Benfield, SRNS Corporate Communications.

Contest winners and the subject of their submissions are:

First Place: Stephanie Munie, “Stay Alive, Don’t Text and Drive”

Honorable Mention: Tristen Nguyen, “Helmet Safety”; Kristen Howard, “Don’t Choke. Stay Under the Smoke”; Zoe Krenz, “Did you Wash Your Hands Today?”; Kailee Holley, “Stop, Drop and Roll”; Nathaniel Miller, “Composting for you and me”; Rachel Kestin, “Always Swim with a Buddy”; Trevor Hope, “S.T.E.P. (Safety Takes Every Person)”; Travis Hope, “Reuse, Reduce, Recycle”; Shane Brightharp, “Be Careful and Prepared, Use Personal Protection Equipment”; Taylor Baptiste, “Safety Begins with Me”; Shikem Wright, “Always Wear Your Safety Gear”

The SRNS Safety Poster Contest is open to the children of all SRNS employees, ages four to 18.

Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, LLC, is a Fluor Partnership comprised of Fluor, Newport News Nuclear and Honeywell, responsible for the management and operations of the Department of Energy’s Savannah River Site, including the Savannah River National Laboratory, located near Aiken, South Carolina.

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