Association of Old Crows (AOC) Garden State Chapter Supports NJ’s Most Gifted High School Students to Compete at Monmouth Junior Science Symposium

“Electronic Warfare (EW) is the struggle for control of the electromagnetic spectrum — to assure that friendly forces can use the spectrum to their full potential in wartime, while denying that use to enemies.”

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The Association of Old Crows Garden State Chapter proudly serves many MJSS activities and provides Student Awards to each of the sixteen student paper and poster presenters, and general poster session prizes and ribbons. In addition, AOC Garden State Chapter awarded each MJSS paper and poster presenters a free 1-yr GSC membership. AOC-GSC member, Gayle Grant is an Executive Committee Member, Technical Paper Lead, Student Mentor, Symposium Judge, and General Poster Session Lead. AOC members Sorin Davidovici, Ray Irwin, Tom Kesolits, Jesus Batista, John Albanese, and George Elias, Ph. D. each reviewed and scored paper submissions. AOC GSC members Sorin Davidovici, J.R. May Jesus Batista, and Tom Kesolits participated as a Student Mentor, Symposium Technical Paper and General Poster Session judge. AOC GSC member Nicole Zaretski provided teacher/student support during the 2-day event. A special thanks to you all for your personal support.


The primary goal of the Monmouth Junior Science Symposium is to promote research and experimentation in the sciences, engineering, and mathematics at the high school level, and to publicly recognize students for outstanding achievement. The two-day event includes presentations from New Jersey high school students on their individual science research projects.

This year’s guest speakers included Gerry Scharfenberger, Ph.D., Director of the Office for Planning Advocacy for the State of NJ and Monmouth University Instructor of Anthropology, who discussed "You Can’t Take it With You - or Can You? Grave Goods From The Secaucus Potters Field." and Pedram Daneshgar, Assistant Professor, Department of Biology, Monmouth University, who discussed Carbon Sequestration of Mangrove Flats in The Bahamas.

The Monmouth Junior Science Symposium is one of 48 regional symposia held nationwide and coordinated by the Junior Science & Humanities Symposia (JSHS) division of the Academy of Applied Science, NH. MJSS is funded by Monmouth University, the United States Departments of the Army, Navy and Air Force. The MJSS audience will be comprised of approximately 350 academically talented and scientifically inclined high school students and dedicated high school science teachers representing schools from New Jersey.

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The Junior Science and Humanities Symposium is a highly accomplished national program that sets a standard for academic excellence. It connects researchers and educators located in university settings, government laboratories and private research centers with talented and motivated high school students and their teachers. Every year, more than 10,000 students participate in the forth-eight Regional Symposia held on university campuses across the country including Alaska, and the Department of Defense, schools in Europe and the Pacific. Participating in the JSHS program offers students and their teachers many benefits.

Over $340,000 in scholarships and cash awards are presented to regional and national winners each year making the program an attractive opportunity for motivated students who want to pursue higher education in the areas of science, engineering, and mathematics. The top five MJSS student paper presenters will travel to Dayton, Ohio on April 27-30, 2016 to participate in the National Junior Science and Humanities Symposium (JSHS) to compete for scholarships. (www.jhs.org)
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The Association of Old Crows Garden State Chapter is a non-profit international professional association engaged in the science and practice of Electronic Warfare (EW), information Operations (IO) and related disciplines.

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