

Monte Vista Middle School – SLV Regional Science Fair Results- 2015

Special Awards:

Office of Naval Research Award – **Kaylie Self**
Center Soil & Water Conservation District Award – **Caleb Riegenbach**
Colorado Chapter Soil & Water Conservation Society Award – **Caleb Riegenbach**
Rio Grande Water Conservation District Award – **Caleb Riegenbach**
Middle School Physics Overall Award – **Parker Randolph**
Middle School Computer Science Special Award – **Molly Nehring**
Jason Romero Memorial Award – **Erik Villagomez**
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San Luis Valley Middle School Principal’s Award – **Amber Michel**

Grand Awards:

Behavioral & Social Science - **2nd Place** – **Kaylie Self**, “Name That Color: The Stroop Effect”
Biomedical – **Honorable Mention** – **Amanda Avila**, “How Safe is Your Drinking Water?”
Chemistry – **Honorable Mention** – **Andrew J. Smith-Martinez**, “Electrolyte Fight”
Earth & Space Science – **1st Place** – **Sara Nehring**, “The Moon is So Bright, Do You Need Sunglasses at Night?”
Engineering – **3rd Place** – **Ethan Hotz**, “Pitch Count: Maximizing the Blade Angles of Wind Turbines”
Environmental Science – **1st Place** – **Alyssa Rawinski**, “Do Certain Traits, Skills or Characteristics Affect Bird Estimating Accuracy and Can a Computer Model Improve Estimating Accuracy? You Can Count on It!”
Computer Science & Mathematics – **1st Place** – **Molly Nehring**, “Genetic Algorithms: Solving Math Problems Using Ideas from Nature”
Physics – **1st Place** – **Parker Randolph**, “Potential Pitch: The Effect of Sound Frequency on Electricity Generation”
Physics – **Honorable Mention** – **Erik Villagomez**, “Baghdad Battery”

School Award:

Best School of Show Award– Large Middle School/Junior High –**Monte Vista Middle School**

Academic Award:

Best Paper - **Alyssa Rawinski**

Best Overall Award:

Middle School Best Overall Project - **Alyssa Rawinski**

2015 CSEF State Qualifiers:

Colorado Science & Engineering Fair Qualifier - **Molly Nehring**
Colorado Science & Engineering Fair Qualifier - **Sara Nehring**
Colorado Science & Engineering Fair Qualifier - **Parker Randolph**
Colorado Science & Engineering Fair Qualifier - **Alyssa Rawinski**

Intel 2015 International Science & Engineering Fair, Pittsburgh, PA:

SLVRSF Representative as ISEF 8th Grade Observer & Teacher - **Alyssa Rawinski & Gina Randolph**