

2004 Trig Star Program

Bolton & Menk, Inc. was one of the sponsors for the 2004 Trig Star Program. The Trig Star program is an annual competition that recognizes the best students of trigonometry from high schools throughout Minnesota. The Minnesota Society of Professional Land Surveyors (MSPS), Chapter One, sponsored another successful Trig Star program in 2004! The event was held at the South Central Technical College's campus on March 12. The program consisted of a 1-hour exam, small group presentations regarding land surveying and an awards ceremony. Seventy students from eight different High Schools participated in the event; (1) Blue Earth Area High School, (2) Lake Crystal Welcome Memorial High School, (3) Mankato West High School, (4) NRHEG Senior High School, (5) St. Clair/ Nicollet/Granada Huntley East Chain High Schools, (6) Sleepy Eye Public High School, (7) Sleepy Eye St. Mary's High School, and (8) Yellow Medicine East High School.

The student's that took the exam received a Certificate of Participation, a Trig Star mechanical pencil and a Trig Star T-Shirt.



Each School's high scorer was recognized at the event. The top scorers from each School are as follows:

Blue Earth Area High School
Nathan Clement

Lake Crystal Welcome Memorial High School
Krista Monson

Mankato West High School
Brian Hinkle

NRHEG Senior High School
Mandi Possehl

St. Clair/ Nicollet/Granada Huntley East Chain High Schools
Andrew Sukalski

Sleepy Eye Public High School
Dan Peterson

Sleepy Eye St. Mary's High School
Steven Seidl

Yellow Medicine East High School
Annekathrin Schlag

The entire group's top six place winners received \$260 in cash prizes. The entire group's top three place winners will also be awarded an engraved plaque at their individual School's awards night. The Teachers of the top two overall place winners were each awarded \$25.

We would like to acknowledge and thank this year's sponsor. Together we raised \$1235 for the 2004 Trig Star event.

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