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Moon Area Middle School Students Win AIU History Bowl



History Bowl winners Breanna Fellows, Rebecca Zane, Selin Sirinterlikci and Sarah Michelbrink display their first-place certificates.

Moon Area Middle School eighth-grade students Brenna Fellows, Sarah Michelbrink, Selin Sirinterlikci and Rebecca Zane claimed first prize over nearly 800 other students on 44 teams at the Allegheny Intermediate Unit's History Bowl at the Heinz History Center on Nov. 19.

The win continues a tradition at Moon Area, where students have placed in the event four of the past eight years using team work and creative problem-solving skills.

In the History Bowl, teams of four students work as a unit throughout the day to complete five activities that are associated with different Heinz History Center exhibits. This year, the winning quartet developed a lesson plan for first-grade students using the Western Pennsylvania Sport Museum as their teaching environment, wrote a creative and factual, historical fiction piece from the viewpoint of an artifact in the history center and created a radio commercial for a Heinz product.

Each participating school can send two teams of four students from grades four to eight to the competition and prizes are awarded to the top three finishing teams.