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Attention Editors: Photos of the top four winning teams from the below-mentioned contest can be found at: <http://www.eiu.edu/~eiuchem/Hscontest/results.html>

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For Immediate Release:

EIU HOSTS ANNUAL MAURICE D. SHEPHERD HIGH SCHOOL CHEMISTRY CONTEST

CHARLESTON – Ninety students from 17 area high schools participated in Eastern Illinois University's 28th annual Maurice Shepherd High School Chemistry Contest.

Students participated in a 60-minute written examination (50 questions), followed by a dinner break and talk on cave chemistry by John Marquart of Eastern's chemistry department. The top six teams and the top six individuals were then recognized and awards presented. A traveling trophy was presented to the first-place team, and plaques were awarded to the top students.

The six schools having the highest team averages were:

- ★ First Place: **Neoga** – Katie Sudkamp, Annie Wallace, Kaitlin White, R.J. Alier (alternate), Josh Stepp (alternate) and Leann Evans (coach);
- ★ Second Place: **St. Teresa (Decatur)** – Stephan Burtschi, Zach Gooding, Brian Heisserer, Jared Kennedy, Jason Papas, Sally Yoon (alternate), Bryce Fortner (alternate) and Barbara Gottemoller (coach);
- ★ Third Place: **Shelbyville** – Danny Baker, Brandi Clark, Charles Holmes, Brittany Mose and Ginger Durbin (coach);
- ★ Fourth Place: **Unity (Tolono)** – Dustin Hadden, Clay Harden, Matthew Herriott, Tony Miller, Carrie Webb, Jacob West, Brandon Billman (alternate) and Barbara Gottemoller (coach);
- ★ Fifth Place: **Robinson** – Mikeal Day, Bryan Do, Alexay Tama, Jessica Wright, Danielle Zerkle, Emily Schrey (alternate) and Laurie Vaughn (coach);

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★ Sixth Place: **Tuscola** – Brian Anderson, Sean Breen, Tyler Hoke and Beth Chamberlain (coach).
The six highest ranking individual students, in order, were: Brandi Clark, **Shelbyville**, first; Charles Holmes, **Shelbyville**, second; Zach Gooding, **St. Teresa (Decatur)**, third; Dustin Hadden, **Unity (Tolono)**, fourth; Stephan Burtschi, **St. Teresa (Decatur)**, fifth; and Bryan Do, **Robinson**, and Stacey McMullen, **Arthur**, tied for sixth.