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EIU TECHNOLOGY FAIR HELD

CHARLESTON -- Eastern Illinois University's School of Technology held its annual Technology Exhibit April 27 in the University Union.

During the exhibit, 180 students from eight high schools participated in two competitions designed to test their problem solving abilities and skills in technical areas.

Area high schools that participated were Effingham, Central Community of Breese, Arcola, Lovington, Red Hill, Vocational Technical High School of Danville, Monticello and Teutopolis.

The winners of the solving technical problems competition included:

Effingham--Bridge construction, Kevin Vogel; Glider flight time, Ryan Banning and Daniel Thayer; and Drafting, Luke Bingman and Luther Bunton.

Vocational Technical High School of Danville--Mouse trap powered cars, Brian Braper; Mystery problem (unannounced), Keynon Lewis, Adjaye Dandridge, Billie Halls, Jovanne Bell, Kermit C. Parsons, and Nell Roach.

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Lovington--Package construction, Josh Moffitt and Donnie Bailey.

The winners of the school projects competition included:

Monticello--Technical papers, Sarah Bridwell; Drafting project, tie between Walt Johnson and Melissa Potious; Manufacturing, Josh Rose.

Teutopolis--Projects created by a group, Teutopolis team represented by Matt Ordner.