



PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS OF OREGON

2008 TrigStar Final Report

June 6, 2008

I am very happy to report that we had another successful TrigStar competition this year. We tested at 18 high schools and exposed over 350 students to our profession. I have included a Chapter synopsis of schools tested at the end of this report.

I am pleased to announce that Forest Willard from Klamath Union High School in Klamath Falls is our state TrigStar champion. Kyle Cook and Abel Dean, both whom are Geomatics students at Oregon Institute of Technology, were the local PLSO South Central chapter sponsors and many thanks to them for all of their efforts. Forest has received a \$500 check for his efforts and will be taking the national TrigStar test in June.

There were no major problems noted this year. A new electronic reporting system for national tracking was introduced by NSPS and some of the chapter coordinators utilized this. All of our high school winner information has been entered in this database.

Please plan to discuss the TrigStar competition at your chapter meetings beginning in the fall. We will acquire the 2009 test in November of this year and begin to plan for next year's competition at that time. There is always room to grow and we have three of our chapters that need to become involved with this process and others that have room to expand their efforts.

Let me know if you have any questions or comments with the TrigStar program. It is a very worthwhile effort and a true investment in our profession of surveying.

Here is a complete listing of the PLSO Chapter, their school, and winning student name.

Midwest
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North Eugene
Springfield

Bret Snyder
Erik Hastie

Pioneer

Valley Catholic

Greg Kang

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Pioneer

Madison
Franklin
Cleveland

Mataya McNeil
Shu Ting Li
Ben Naemura

Rogue River
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Phoenix
Grants Pass

Jake Murphy
Cody Tibbits

South Central
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Klamath
Bonanza
Chiloquin
Mazama
Gilchrist
Lost River
Butte Falls

Forest Willard
McKenzie Masten
Angelina Tillson
Ray Lang
Benjamin Harris
MaCayla Claver
Lee Hinton

Umpqua

Douglas

Ruth Mountainspring

Willamette
Willamette

Central
Regis

Luis Rodriguez
Ariel Setniker

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