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Coventry High School Earth Club Compete and Win at the Keep Connecticut Cool Challenge

On Monday, April 26th, three members of the Earth Club, Hannah Kyer, Scott Francis, and Michael Clausen, attended the judging of the Keep Connecticut Cool Challenge at the CT Science Center. They presented the work the Earth Club has been doing this year to a panel of judges who then awarded prizes for Best Teamwork (\$1000), Best Collaboration (\$1000) and Best Overall (\$3000). The Coventry High School group won the \$1000 prize for Best Collaboration, making this the second year in a row that the Earth Club has won a prize in this contest. This year the Earth Club focused on spreading environmental awareness to staff and students within the school while also increasing recycling efforts and reducing cafeteria waste by switching from styrofoam trays to reusable plastic trays in the high school cafeteria. The other members of the Earth Club who worked on these projects are Taryn Gilligan, Josie LoRicco, Erica Martel, Kate McGowan, Stephanie Morin, Rachael Picard, Adam Polinski, Kathryn Pugh, Andrew Reel, Kevin Richardson, Alex Salinsky, Kara Sander, Corey Stepule, Olivia Stickles, Valerie Stickles, Jaime Trudel, and Corey Vann. The advisor of the Earth Club is science teacher Mike Peracchio.

For further information, or if you have any questions, please call the Coventry High School at 860-742-7346.