Cherokee County School District

Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date	Agenda Item Number
December 14, 2023	A-2

Title

Recognition of Two Cherokee County School District Students -- Named State Academic Quiz Bowl Winners

Requested Action

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Summary Explanation and Background

Two Cherokee County School District students won first place in statewide academic quiz bowl competitions!

As part of the Georgia Career and Technical Instruction (CTI) program's Fall Leadership Conference, students from across the state participate in academic, career readiness and leadership skills events including quiz bowl competitions on core academic topics.

Woodstock High School senior Owen Markette earned first place in the statewide social studies quiz bowl, which focuses on early American history. Active in the school's JROTC program, Owen's plans after graduation are to attend college, enter the military as an officer and pursue a career as a drone pilot. His audio, video technology and film Career Pathway teachers are Laura Antonelli and Jeff Wagner and his JROTC instructor is Gunnery Sgt. (Ret.) Keith Myrick.

Creekview High School sophomore Thomas Wang earned first place in statewide spelling quiz bowl. A member of the school's Emerging Leaders program, Thomas additionally entered the conference's "Activate Dreams" T-shirt design competition. His audio, video technology and film Career Pathway teachers are Ashley Pruitt and Ed Walker.

Priority Area

Student Achievement: Access and Opportunity

Financial Impact

N/A

Exhibits: (List)

N/A

Source of Additional Information

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