

## **2019 National KidWind Challenge (Houston, Texas, 5/20 – 5/23/19)**

Two Kansas teams were among the winners at the national KidWind Challenge. The Oxford Air Sharks from Oxford High School won three awards: National Champions, Power Output, and Wind Tracker Champion in the 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade division. In the 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade division, Electric Four from Lebo Homeschool Co-Op took home the Rookie Award.

## **2019 Kansas Statewide KidWind Challenge (Topeka, 3/30/19)**

*Notes: Teams that placed 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, or 3<sup>rd</sup> at the statewide KidWind Challenge were invited to attend the National KidWind Challenge in Houston, Texas. If there is a number beside a student name, it denotes the student's grade level.*

### **Judges' Favorite: Westside (Paola High School)**

- Rowan West (11)
- Spencer Ryals (11)

### **4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade**

#### **1<sup>st</sup> place: AEKG (Beloit Junior High School)**

- Coach: Christie Fouts
- Students:
  - Ethan Anderson (8)
  - Kyan Offutt (8)
  - Grady Seyfert (8)
  - Ayden Loomis– not present (8)

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> place: Paola Middle 1 (Paola Middle School)**

- Coach: Shari Hudgeons
- Students:
  - Aaron Koechner (8)
  - Sam Johnson

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> place: Electric Four (Lebo Homeschool Co-Op)**

- Coaches: Mike Tweedy
- Students:
  - Caleb Durst (6)
  - Daniel Rausch (5)
  - Garrison Knight (4)
  - Jesse Durst (4)

### **9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade**

#### **1<sup>st</sup> place: Oxford Air Sharks (Oxford High School)**

- Coach: Stephanie Moberly and Elaina Garrett
- Students:
  - Danny Ball (9)
  - Austin Gaither (9)

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> place: Thunderhawks (Wheatland High School, USD292)**

- Coach: Diane Wetter, Mark Heier, Steve Reed
- Students:
  - Colter Allemang (11)
  - Kyler Haffner (11)
  - Jordan Katt (11)
  - Harrison Stephens (11)

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> place: CBCR9 (Sterling High School)**

- Coach: Wendy Calderwood
- Students:
  - Cody Royer (10)
  - Courtney Ball (10) – not present

## **2019 Northwest Kansas KidWind Challenge (Oakley, 3/7/19)**

*Notes: Teams that placed 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> at each regional event will be invited to the State KidWind Challenge in Topeka on March 30, 2019. If there is a number beside a student name, it denotes the student's grade level.*

### **Judges' Favorite: TC Fourth (Trinity Catholic High School, Hutchinson)**

- Katie Neal (12)
- Jordan Gallaher (12)
- Diane Flnk (12)
- Jamie Enslinger (12)
- Olivia Shank (12)
- Caeli Clennan (12)

### **4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade**

#### **1<sup>st</sup> place: Turbinators (Dighton Elementary School PBL)**

- Coaches: Tatum Vogel
- Students:
  - George von Leonrod (6)
  - Ryland Price (6)
  - Cinzly Bauer (6)
  - Colton Bush (6)

### **9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade**

#### **1<sup>st</sup> place: Golden Eagle Engineering (Trego County Schools, USD208)**

- Coach: James Burk
- Students:
  - TJ Hafliger (12)
  - Emma Kostic (12)
  - Dalton Mai (12)
  - Erin Oh (12)

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> place: Thunderhawks (Wheatland High School, USD292)**

- Coach: Diane Wetter, Mark Heier, Steve Reed
- Students:
  - Colter Allemang (11)
  - Kyler Haffner (11)
  - Jordan Katt (11)
  - Harrison Stephens (11)

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> place: TC Fourth (Trinity Catholic High School, Hutchinson)**

- Coach: Lori Bird
- Students:
  - Katie Neal (12)
  - Jordan Gallaher (12)
  - Diane Fink (12)
  - Jamie Enslinger (12)
  - Olivia Shank (12)
  - Caeli Clennan (12)

## **2019 Southwest Kansas KidWind Challenge (Great Bend, 3/5/19; originally scheduled to be held in Dodge City on 2/7/19)**

*Notes: Teams that placed 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> at each regional event will be invited to the State KidWind Challenge in Topeka on March 30, 2019. If there is a number beside a student name, it denotes the student's grade level.*

### **Judges' Favorite: Hornets (Valley Center Schools, USD 262)**

- Riley Screen (7)
- Prestin Hosmann (7)

### **4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade**

#### **1<sup>st</sup> place: Salthawk Blades (Hutchinson Gifted Students, USD 308)**

- Coaches: Karla Degner
- Students:
  - Aliyah Green (6)
  - Lilyanah Rodriguez (6)
  - Lillian Holeman (6)

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> place: Wind Wishers (Kansas Wetlands Education Center group)**

- Coach: Mandy Kern and Joseph Kern
- Students:
  - Dakota Slemp (6)
  - Penelope Rugan (5)
  - Hunter Haselhorst (8)
  - Ian Haselhorst (6)
  - Kansas Lange (7)

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> place: The Brainstormers (Valley Center Schools, USD 262)**

- Coach: Stephanie Martin / Melissa Fehrenbach
- Students:
  - Hana Wilfong (6)
  - Korey Govern (6)
  - Kyah Wilson (6)
  - Chaz Wilson (8)

### **9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade**

#### **1<sup>st</sup> place: CBCR9 (Sterling High School, USD 376)**

- Coach: Wendy Calderwood
- Students:
  - Cody Royer (10)
  - Courtney Ball (10) – not present

**2019 Southeast Kansas KidWind Challenge (Burlington, 3/1/19)** *Note: Teams that placed 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> at each regional event will be invited to the State KidWind Challenge in Topeka on March 30, 2019. If there is a number beside a student name, it denotes the student's grade level.*

**Judges' Favorite: Westside (Paola High School)**

- Rowan West (11)
- Spencer Ryals (11)

**4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade**

**1<sup>st</sup> place: Electric Four (Lebo Homeschool Co-op)**

- Coaches: Mike Tweedy
- Students:
  - Caleb Durst (6)
  - Daniel Rausch (5)
  - Garrison Knight (4)
  - Jesse Durst (4)

**2<sup>nd</sup> place: Team Paola Middle 1 (Paola Middle School)**

- Coach: Shari Hudgeons
- Students:
  - Aaron Koechner (8)
  - Sam Johnson

**3<sup>rd</sup> place: Team Paola Middle 3 (Paola Middle School)**

- Coach: Shari Hudgeons
- Students:
  - Emma Haley (7)
  - James Haley (5)
  - John Klingele (8)
  - Hazel Downum (7)
  - Lily Avila

**9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade**

**1<sup>st</sup> place: Oxford Air Sharks (Oxford High School)**

- Coach: Stephanie Moberly and Elaina Garrett
- Students:
  - Danny Ball (9)
  - Austin Gaither (9)

**2<sup>nd</sup> place: Westside (Paola High School)**

- Coach: Shari Hudgeons and Amy Brownlee
- Students:
  - Rowan West (11)
  - Spencer Ryals (11)

**3<sup>rd</sup> place: TLC's (Burlington High School)**

- Coach: David Gilman
- Students:
  - Tristen Metzger (12)
  - Lexi Warkentine (11)
  - Collin Birk (11)
  - Samantha Cook (12)

**2019 Northeast Kansas KidWind Challenge (Manhattan, 2/14/19)** *Notes:*  
Teams that placed 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> at each regional event will be invited to the State KidWind Challenge in Topeka on March 30, 2019. If there is a number beside a student name, it denotes the student's grade level.

**Judges' Favorite: LAK (Beloit Junior High School, USD273)**

- Laney Clark (11); Abby Vetter (11); Keighlee Armstrong (11)

**4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade**

**1<sup>st</sup> place: AEKG (Beloit Junior High School, USD273)**

- Coach: Christie Fouts
- Students:
  - Ethan Anderson (8)
  - Kyan Offutt (8)
  - Grady Seyfert (8)
  - Ayden Loomis- not present (8)

**2<sup>nd</sup> place: Tachometers (Manhattan CHIEF Homeschool)**

- Coach: Farren Constable and Ben Claar
- Students:
  - Brennen Constable (5)
  - Tobias McConnel (7)
  - Melody Claar (6)
  - Danielle Nott
  - Joel Claar

**3<sup>rd</sup> place: CRMTE (Beloit Junior High School, USD273)**

- Coach: Christie Fouts
- Students:
  - Carlee Domann (7)
  - Riley Croisant (7)
  - Tamma Lawson (7)
  - Emma Otte (7)
  - Maddie Black - not present (7)

**9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade**

**1<sup>st</sup> place: The Turbinators (Hope Street Academy)**

- Coach: Thomas Fulbright and Liam Conroy
- Students:
  - Angelika Scharp
  - Marcela Yacquelin
  - Dominick Wabaunsee
  - Jessie Wyant - not present

**2<sup>nd</sup> place: JAS (Beloit High School)**

- Coach: Brooke Hemmert
- Students:
  - Jordan Bogner (10)
  - Sierra Shamburt (10)
  - Atlanta Haller (10)

**3<sup>rd</sup> place: Cru Wind Alliance (Buhler High School)**

- Coach: Curtis Morgan
- Students:
  - Hunter Durham
  - Maren Lackey
  - Kelsi Spann