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Vicki Cook, Choteau High School junior, and Jeff Beck, Sentinel High School senior, Missoula, were awarded the Grand Prizes in the eleventh annual Montana Science Fair at the University of Montana Friday and Saturday.

Miss Cook and Beck won an expense-paid trip to the National Science Fair in Dallas, Texas, May 11-14.

Miss Cook's project was "Specific Pathogen Free Life" and Beck's was "Polarographic Analysis."

Dan Hamel, Hellgate High School freshman, Missoula, won the first award in Division II for "An Ecological Study of the Carolina Anole." His prize is a 20 volume World Book Encyclopedia, donated by the Field Enterprises Educational Corporation.

Division III award winners were Frank Hensley, Choteau 8th grader, and Joseph Bauer, 7th grader from St. Jude's, Havre. Hensley's project was "Does Age Influence Learning" and Bauer's was "Measurement of Light Transmission Through Various Solutions." Hensley will receive a 50 volume Mentor and Signet Science Books, donated by the New American Library of World Literature. Bauer's award is a 10 volume Popular Science Encyclopedia, donated by the Grolier Society.

Official presentation of the awards was made by Dr. R. A. Solberg and Dr. LeRoy Harvey at a luncheon Saturday in the UM Lodge.

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(A complete list of winners at the Montana Science Fair follows. Please check it for other winners from your area.)

AWARD WINNERS

ELEVENTH ANNUAL MONTANA SCIENCE FAIR April 1-2, 1966

GRAND AWARDS

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Name	Project	Exhibit	School
Cook, Vicki	"Specific Pathogen Free Life"	44	Choteau High
Beck, Jeff	Polarographic Analysis	21	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
DIVISION II - 9t	h Grade		
Hamel, Dan	An Ecological Study of the Carolina Anole	73	Hellgate H.S. Missoula
DIVISION III			
Hensley, Frank	Does Age Influence Learning	117	Choteau -8th
Bauer, Joseph	Measurement of Light Trans- mission Through Various	180	St.Jude's -7th Havre
	Solutions		
Fussell Awards			•
McDonald, Dariel	A Water-Drop Electrostatic Generator	5	Choteau High
LaRance, Stepehe	n Harnessing the Sun - the Sterling Engine	5 5	Choteau High

	SPECIAL AWARDS.		
Best Exhibit 9th grade 20 V	Volume World Book Encyclopedia - F	ield Enterpri	ses Educ.Corp.
Hamel, Dan	An Ecological Study of the Carolina Anole	73	Hellgate H.S. Missoula
	of Fifty Mentor & Signet Key Scie American Library of World Literat		
Hensley, Frank	Does Age Influence Learning	117	Choteau
7th grade10 Vo	lume Set of "The Book of Popular	Science"Gro	lier Inc.
Bauer, Joseph	Measurement of Light Trans- missions Through Various Solutio		St.Jude's Havre
Best Exhibit in	Chemistry - Handbook of Chemistry Chemical Rubber		
Jeff Beck	Polarographic Analysis	21	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
National Aeronau	tics and Space Administration Cit	ation for bes	t exhibit in:
Space Life Scient Hardy, Bruce		48	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
Space Physical S LaRance, Stephen	Sciences Harnessing the Sun - the Sterling Engine	55	Choteau H.S.
United States Ai	r Force - Citations for best exhi	bit in:	
Aerospace Science Filson, Bill	es Newtonian Focal Length Variations & Applications	3	Helena Sr.Hi
Nacional Control	Sev Burs: Collection,		
Nuclear Sciences James Younger	Determination of Electron Charge by the Millikan Oil Drop	6 Method	Helena Central

Harnessing the Sun -the

Sterling Engine

Aerospace Medicine Cook, Vicki "Specific Pathogen Free Life" 55

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Choteau H.S.

Choteau Hi

Aerospace Power LaRance, Stephen

Army Aviation Association of America award (Certificate) for best exhibit in Aerodynamics, Propulsion, or Supporting Techniques.

McDonald, Ariel	A Water-Drop Electrostatic Generator	5	Choteau High
Department of Army a following:	wards (Certificates) for best	exhibit in e	ach of the
Botany Fuquay, Donald	Pseudo-neural Development in Venus Flytraps	11	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
Zoology Lipp, Margte	The Effects of Brain Damage in Goldfish	65	Hingham
Medicine Cook, Vicki	Specific Pathogen Free Life	44	Choteau High
Chemistry Beck, Jeff	Polarographic Analysis	21	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
Earth & Space Science Howe, George	es Localized Meteorological Predicition in the Bitterroot Valley	32 t	Hamilton H.S.
Physics LaRance, Stephen	Harnessing the Sun - the Sterling Engine	55	Choteau H.S.
Mathematics Fussell, Jane	The Shape of Things	37	Havre High
Best Exhibit on a fi	eld problemBook donated by	Dr. Royal Br	uce Brunson
Waters, Cynthia	Sow Bugs; Collection, Rearing and Behavior Study	67	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
Navy Cruise Award:			
Principal Award - Beck, Jeff	Polarographic Analysis	21	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
lst Alternate Fuquay, Donald	Pseudo-neural Development in Venus Flytraps	11	Sentinel H.S.
2nd Alternate Hardy, Bruce	Electrophoretic Analysis of the Effect of Antigens on the Blood Serum Protein	48	Sentinel H.S.

Montana Heart Asso	ciation	Awards of \$50, \$30 and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place Physiology for the pur equipment and/or books	e awards in M chase of scie	Medicine and entific
lst Place\$50 Cook, Vicki	Speci	fic Pathogen Free Life	44	Choteau High
2nd Place\$30 Hardy, Bruce	the E	rophoretic Analysis of ffect of Antigens on th Serum Proteins		Sentinel H.S. Missoula
3rd Place\$20 Koelzer, Richard D) Smoki	ng and Cancer	50	C.M.Russell Great Falls
places in Mathemat	ics. Th	ks valued at \$30 and \$2 ese awards will be divi eceiving duplicate awar	ded equally,	
lst place Fussell, Jane	The S	hape of Things	37	Havre High
2nd place Sheets, Ronald		oncept of Orders ariables	38	No.Toole Co.HS Sunburst
MISSOULA EXCHANGE	CLUB SCH	OLARSHIPS of \$300 each:		
Halverson, Larry	The H	eart, with Man-made	47	Chester H.S.
Hardy, Bruce	of th	rophoretic Analysis e Effect of Antigens e Blood Serum Proteins	48	Sentinel H.S. Missoula

Sow Bugs; Collection

Thiouracil on Chicks

Rearing and Behavior Study

Effects of Thyroxin and

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Sentinel H.S.

Sentinel H.S.

1st Alternate

2nd Alternate

Frey, Fred

Waters, Cynthia

DIVISION I.

Name	Project	Exhibit No.	School
	I. ASTRONOMY AND LIGHT		
EXCELLENT Burr, John	Underwater Photography	1	Helena Central
GOOD Filson, Bill	Newtonian Focal Length Variations & Applications	3	Helena Sr.Hi
Halvorson, Greg	Helium, Neon Optical Laser	11	Helena Sr.Hi
HONORABLE MENTION			
Erwin, James	Moire Patterns	2	Shelby High
SUPERIOR	AND MAGNETISM	RICITY	
McDonald, Dariel	A Water-Drop Electrostatic Generator	5	Choteau High
EXCELLENT			
Younger, James	Determination of Electron Charge by the Millikan Oil Drop Method	6	Helena Central
	III. BOTANY		
SUPERIOR	The Collored State		
Fuquay, Donald	Pseudo-neural Development In Venus Flytraps	11	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
Karst, Herbert	Magnetatropism	14	No.Toole Co.Hi Sunburst
Lingel, Charles	Radio Frequency Field Effects on the Germination of Plants	15	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
EXCELLENT			
Johnson, Darrell	The Effects of Chemical Control of Weeds in Barley	13	Power High
Quinn, Robert	Translocation of Dicamba in Herbaceous Plants	16	Big Sandy HS

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Baker, Virginia	Translocation	9		Choteau H.S.
Faltermeyer, Bob	Photosynthesis and Light	10		Helena Cent'l
Sulgrove, Sally	The Effects of Music on Beans	18		Choteau H.S.
Voorhees, Jan	Differentiation in Cellular Slime Molds	19		Choteau H.S.
HONORABLE MENTION	OCTIVITAT BITME FIOTUS			
Hatlelid, Dennis	Tetrazolium Test and Other Tests for Seed Viability	12		Helena Sr.Hi
Stott, Tom	Hydroponics: Growing Food for Rising Populations	17		Choteau H.S.
;	IV. CHEMISTRY			
SUPERIOR				
Beck, Jeff	Polarographic Analysis	21		Sentinel H.S. Missoula
EXCELLENT				
Dellwo, David	Quantitative Analysis By Ham Photometry	22		Choteau High
GOOD				
Rathbun, Bill	The Colloidal State	24		Hingham High
HONORABLE MENTION				
Olson, Gary	Electronegativity	23		Choteau H.S.
	v. conservation			
EXCELLENT				
Pribyl, Rodney	Conservation Machine	27		CentervilleHS Gt.Falls
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Zier, Dick	Our Source and Supply of Water	28		Choteau H.S.

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GOOD	Shoutes the Uptake of		
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VanNice, Richard	Paleontology of the Devonia and Missisippian Strata Near Toston, Montana	n 34	Helena Sr.H.S.
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EXCELLENT Fussell, Jane	The Shape of Things	37	Havre H.S.
GOOD Sheets, Ronald	The Concept of Orders of Variables	38	No.Toole Co.H.S. Sunburst
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Hardy, Bruce	Electrophoretic Analysis of the Effect of Antigens on the Blood Serum Proteins	48	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
EXCELLENT	Bow Bugar Collection, Reseins and Behavior Study		
Frey, Fred	Effects of Thyroxin and Thiouracil on Chicks	46	Sentinel H.S. Missoula
Kimmet, James	The Effects of Stimulants on Intoxication	49	No.Toole Co.H.S. Sunburst
Koelzer, Richard D	Smoking and Cancer	50	C. M. Russell Gt.Falls
GOOD Anderson, Robin	A Comparison of Normal	42	Choteau High
macroon, nooth	and Leukemic Chromosomes	ate sa	THE STATE OF THE S
Clancey, Michael	The Effects of Dexamethason on the Growth and Develop- ment of Unborn Hamsters	e 43	Havre Central

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SUPERIOR Hashley, Sue	Proteolysis by Ruminal Microorganisms	62	Big Sandy H.S.
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