



**SOUTH'S  
BEST**

## 2015 Final Competition Results

### Overall Champions

#### BEST Award

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Starkville High School (Mississippi BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: W.P. Davidson High School (Jubilee BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: DARC (Tennessee Valley BEST)

#### Robotics

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Merrol Hyde Magnet School (Music City BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: DARC (Tennessee Valley BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Starkville High School (Mississippi BEST)

Finalist: St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School (Jubilee BEST)

#### Middle School Awards

BEST Award – Seaside Neighborhood School (Emerald Coast BEST)

Robotics – Martin Middle School (Selma BEST)

### BEST Award – Category Winners

#### Marketing Presentation

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Wetumpka High School (War Eagle BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Moulton Middle/Lawrence County High School (Northwest AL BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Brooks High School (Northwest AL BEST)

#### Project Engineering Notebook

1<sup>st</sup> Place: DARC (Tennessee Valley BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Starkville High School (Mississippi BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Oak Mountain High School (Blazer BEST)

#### Team Exhibit and Interview

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Starkville High School (Mississippi BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: St Luke's Episcopal School (Jubilee BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Lindsay Lane Christian Academy (Tennessee Valley BEST)

### **Spirit and Sportsmanship**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Wetumpka High School (War Eagle BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Starkville High School (Mississippi BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Spain Park High School (Blazer BEST)

### **Hyundai Team Exhibit Design and Construction Award**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Fyffe High School (Northeast AL BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Lindsay Lane Christian Academy (Tennessee Valley BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Starkville High School (Mississippi BEST)

## **Special Competition Awards**

### **Founders Award for Creative Design**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Oak Mountain High School (Blazer BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Central Magnet School (Music City BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: St Vincent de Paul Catholic School (Jubilee BEST)

### **Neptune Technology Group Most Elegant Robot**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Eastwood/Cornerstone Schools (War Eagle BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Fairview High School (North AL BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Discovery School (Music City BEST)

### **Most Robust Robot**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Tallassee High School (War Eagle BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: St Vincent de Paul Catholic School (Jubilee BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: MACH Robotics (Jubilee BEST)

### **Most Photogenic Robot**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Merrol Hyde Magnet School (Music City BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: W.P. Davidson High School (Jubilee BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Lexington High School (Northwest AL BEST)

### **Team Video**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Woodham Middle School (Emerald Coast BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Spain Park High School (Blazer BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: W.P. Davidson High School (Jubilee BEST)

### **MathWorks Simulink Design Award**

Brooks High School (Northwest AL BEST)

**Best Software Design and Simulation**

Oak Mountain High School (Blazer BEST)

**igus Top Gun Award (most points scored in a single round)**

DARC (Tennessee Valley BEST) with 618 points

**SolidWorks CAD Design Award**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: W.P. Davidson High School (Jubilee BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Eastwood/Cornerstone Schools (War Eagle BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Sparkman High School (Tennessee Valley BEST)

**Web page Design**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Eastwood/Cornerstone Schools (War Eagle BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: MACH Robotics (Jubilee BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: St Luke's Episcopal School (Jubilee BEST)

**Game T-shirt Design**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: St Vincent de Paul Catholic School (Jubilee BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Brooks High School (Northwest AL BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Sparkman High School (Tennessee Valley BEST)

**Best Team Mascot**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Evangel Christian School (Blazer BEST)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Martin Middle School (Selma BEST)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Oak Mountain High School (Blazer BEST)

**Briggs and Stratton South's BEST Teacher of the Year Awards**

Mary Hudson – Wicksburg High School (Wiregrass BEST)

Jenny Parker – W.P. Davidson High School (Jubilee BEST)

Marc Guthrie – Central Magnet School (Music City BEST)

**Jim Westmoreland Memorial Judges Awards**

Dr. Mike Fogle (Physics Dept., Auburn University)

Chrystal Bolich (Engineer, Briggs and Stratton)

**South's BEST Volunteer of the Year Awards**

Robin Fenton (Jubilee BEST, Mobile, AL)

Ryan Olsen (Electrical and Computer Engineering student, Auburn University)