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## **2011 SARIS Cycling Group Poster Contest**

Saris Cycling Group sponsored the first-ever national bicycling poster contest for fifthgrade students during National Bike to Work Week May, 16-20. The theme of the contest was "Bicycling is fun...and healthy too!" As a kick-off to National Bike to Work Week, the Oklahoma winners were announced at the Oklahoma State Capitol Building, May 16th. May Fahrenthold of Deer Creek Elementary School in Edmond was the first place winner.

The purpose of the contest was to encourage fifth-graders to think about how the bicycle can be one of the solutions to many of the current issues facing the nation. The contest intended to increase the students' knowledge about the importance of the bicycle as a primary mode of transportation. Introducing healthy living concepts in a fun and creative activity is one step toward helping children make healthy choices. The Oklahoma first-place winner received a Schwinn Ranger Mountain Bike, a Planet Bike Spok light and a Lazer helmet. The first-place winner's school will receive a bike rack manufactured by Saris Cycling Group.

The announcement was posted on the Saris website at www.saris.com. The national winner will be awarded a three-day, all-expense-paid trip for two to Washington D.C. for the 2012 National Bike Summit.

The following presentation shows 3 Oklahoma Contestant's and their winning posters along with May Fahrenthold's National Winner announcement surprise photos.

Click here to view the other winning Oklahoma Poster Contest entries.

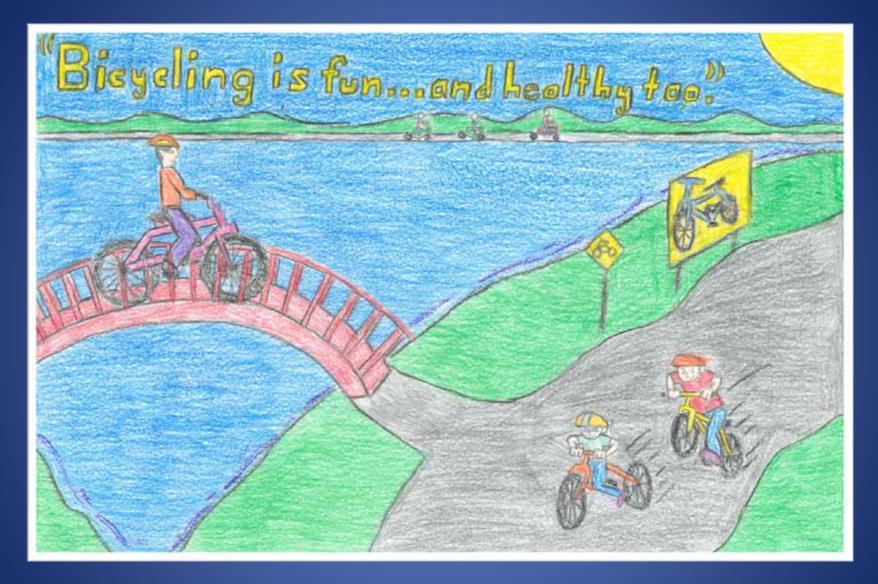




Jackson McCormick 2011 Oklahoma SARIS Group Poster

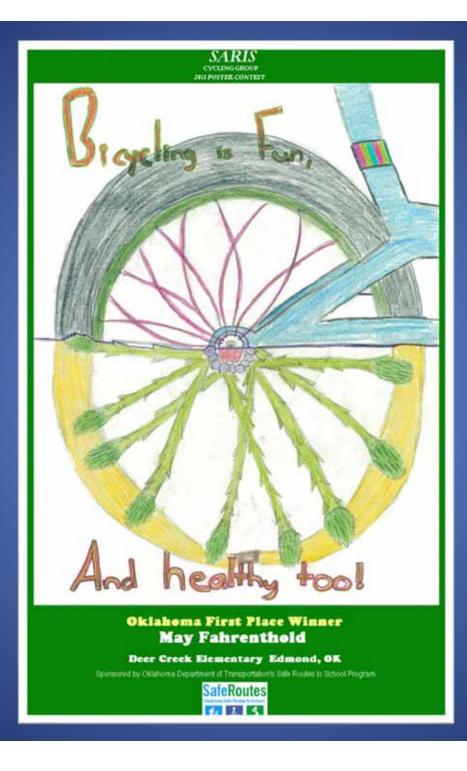
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Dr. Janette Quarles Announces May Fahrenthold as the 2011 SARIS Group Poster Contest Oklahoma First Place Winner and...



May is the 2011 SARIS Group <u>National</u> Poster Contest Winner!!



Surprise!



Congratulations, May!



Hugs From Dad!



Great Job, May!



May's Awards



May and Parents