

Looking Back on TSA Nationals and Forward to the New Year By Jane Wight

This past year was a great year for Utah TSA! We had a record number of participants at this past year's State Conference! As we look forward to the new season ahead of us, a date to be aware of in the future is the 2017 Fall Leadership Conference on October 14th at Mountain View High School.



Next, we would like to look back and congratulate some of the Utah TSA national finalists.

- Remington Omdahl from Oak Canyon Jr. High who placed 10th in Career Prep.
- Oak Canyon Jr. High who took 1st in nationals in System Control Technology.
- JATC for taking 4th in Digital Video Production and taking 7th in SCIVIS.
- Intech Collegiate High School who took 8th in Fashion Design and Technology.
- Preston Richey from Skyline High School for taking 8th in STEM Careers.
- Skyridge High School for taking 4th in System Control Technology.
- Pleasant Grove High School for taking 9th in Technology Bowl Oral.

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Tips for Starting up TSA Again for the Next School Year

1. Start Early- Decide on your competitions early on in the year, by the time registration comes around you should be almost done with your project if not all the way done. This helps to keep you from spending an all nighter the day before the State Competition.
2. DON'T WAIT- Get your club forms in fast so that TSA can officially become a part of your school.
3. Have an Opening Social- This will help promote membership at the beginning of the year. This is a great opportunity to elect new officers and get new members.
4. Promotion, Promotion, Promotion- Promote TSA around your school in order to get new members for the coming school year. Some great ways to do this is to make posters, go to school events, put TSA news on the announcements and talk to people you know about TSA.

Good luck in this coming school year, Utah TSA!