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**FIRST-EVER "ADVENTURE REWARDS CONTEST" GIVES \$25,000-WORTH OF PRIZES TO TEACHERS & STUDENTS ACROSS THE U.S.**

*Prizes promote kids' education & wellness and were provided by Radio Flyer, OshKosh B'gosh, Office Depot / Office Max and Adventure to Fitness*

**January 15, 2016 – NEW YORK CITY** – Adventure to Fitness has awarded over 50 teachers across the U.S. with \$25,000-worth of prizes through its inaugural **Adventure Rewards Contest**. Prizes were provided by kid-friendly companies: [Radio Flyer](#), [OshKosh B'gosh](#), [Office Depot/Office Max](#), and [Adventure to Fitness](#).

What some of the winning teachers had to say:

- "WOW COOL! I love winning, especially when you get awesome prizes like this! We are so excited!" -- Ms. Martinez, Texas
- "During these cold winter days in NY, students are really enjoying the coloring pages and DVD. I never win anything so I was so thrilled to win." -- Ms. Stone, New York
- "Our [#superkrueger](#) class donated our winnings from [@adventuretofitness](#) contest to the [#Goodneighborcenter](#) (a local family shelter)." -- Ms. Krueger, Oregon
- " My class was so surprised when I showed them the gift cards that came in the mail. It made a wonderful Christmas present for them. Thanks for providing us the opportunity to win such great prizes." -- Ms. Snow, Utah
- "Since I'm an OT (occupational therapist) working in the schools and do not have a 'classroom', the counselor at the school and I ordered some clothes, socks and underwear for some specific needy children plus to have some of those things in the nurse's office when needed." -- Ms. Land, Illinois

"We know that teachers have an extremely tough job and often lack the resources they need to create and maintain successful learning environments," says Adventure to Fitness' Chief Executive Officer, Michael Rhattigan. **"We were thrilled to be able to partner with Radio Flyer, Office Depot/Office Max and OshKosh B'gosh, who are deeply committed to the overall well-being of our youth and to offer these exciting rewards for our teachers and their classrooms."**

**GRAND PRIZE WINNERS:**

4 teachers received:

- **Kids' scooters from Radio Flyer** that can be used to keep kids active indoors and outdoors
- **Online "virtual party" with Adventure to Fitness hero, Mr. Marc**, to inspire kids to be physically and mentally active

**LISA HAUGHT**, 1st grade teacher at **Arlington Local Elementary in Arlington, Ohio**  
**TAMMY DUNCAN**, SDPE teacher at **Elbert Elementary in Winter Haven, Florida**  
**MARESA MARTINEZ**, PE teacher at **Lively Elementary in Irving, Texas**  
**CATHY ANDERSON**, 1st grade teacher at **University Park Elementary in Irvine, California**

### **JUNIOR GRAND PRIZE WINNERS:**

2 teachers received **gift cards for school supplies from Office Depot / Office Max.**

**KATHY BEACH**, 3rd grade teacher at **Amelia Earhart Elementary in Indio, California**  
**KIMBERLY RENTSCHLER**, 2nd grade teacher at **Eagle's Nest Elementary in Orlando, Florida**

### **SUBSCRIPTION SCHOLARSHIP WINNER:**

1 teacher received a **1-year subscription to the Adventure to Fitness** on-line exercise & learning video program.

**AMY CRAWFORD**, health & PE teacher at **Burlington Elementary in Roanoke, Virginia**

### **WEEKLY PRIZE WINNERS:**

50 teachers received:

- **Gift cards from [OshKosh B'gosh](#)** that could be used to purchase active wear, winter apparel, and other items for their classrooms
- **Serengeti [Stampede Coloring Adventure Book](#) from Adventure to Fitness** that encourages students to color, read, and engage in physical activity exercises
- **Adventure to Fitness-themed stickers** to use as "healthy rewards" with students to reinforce positive behavior

Below is the full list of Weekly Prize winners during the Adventure Rewards 2015 Contest:

Anita Stone, Dorsett Shoals Elementary, GA  
Sandy Lightfoot, Lake Elementary, LA  
Cherece Moore, Ariel Community Academy, IL  
Virginia Laughlin, Pickering Elementary, LA  
Kenneth Livingston, Love T. Nolan Elementary, GA  
Terry Rainbolt, Phinney Elementary, KS  
Christy, Nuccio, FK Sweet Elementary, FL  
Lynnette O'Donnell, Manorhaven Elementary, NY  
Mehreen Krueger, Scholls Heights, OR  
Nadine Cash, Kinard Elementary, SC  
Sandra DeLucas, 96th Street Elementary, CA  
Jennifer Nguyen, Hidden Oaks Elementary, FL  
Donna Tym, Schwarzkopf Elementary, FL  
Lyn King, Bal Swan Elementary, CO  
Betsy Faulk, Daisy Elementary, SC  
Julie snow, Century Elementary, UT  
Michelle Owens, Speake School, AL  
David Watson, IES, FL  
Julianne Persons, Hillview Elementary, PA  
Barbara Tambolloe, City View School, MA  
Joe Greenwald, Village Green, FL  
Laura Hopson, Shuford Elementary, NC  
Wendy Ansons, Woodglen, NY  
Hilda Torres, Mitchell Elementary, AZ  
Kimberly Millis, Clear Creek Elementary, NC  
Hannah Prophet, Madison Elementary, KS

Tera Perry, Naranca, CA  
Patty Land, Lincoln Elementary, IL  
Sheila Burke, CB Watson Primary, GA  
Loretta Humphrey, Mariposa Elementary, FL  
Connie Smith, Suburban Park Elementary, VA  
Nisha Watson, Eastway Elementary, NC  
Ivan Moreno, Elvira Elementary, AZ  
Laurie jacobs, Lake Crystal Wellcome Memorial Elementary, MN  
Anna Garcia, Soto Street Elementary, CA  
Jeremy Barr, Lake Park Elementary, OK  
Delora Idehenre, Lesslie Elementary, SC  
Kalie Kirchhoff, Earlham Elementary, IA  
Katherine Thaxter, Dos Palos Elementary, CA  
Christy Potter, Briarwood Elementary, KY  
Elizabeth Mutafis, Johnson Elementary, WV  
Linda Sandusky, Brook Village, TX  
Saul Olivias, Beaupre Elementary, IL  
Dawn Geslak, Lamont Elementary, MD  
Carol Mertes, Johnson Elementary, IL  
Lisa Caine, Hillel Academy of Tampa, FL  
Michelle Williams, May Ranch Elementary, CA  
Lori Dunn, Seattle Public Schools, WA  
Stephanie Hufford, Triple Crown Elementary, CA  
Brenda McGinnis, South Preston, WV

Adventure to Fitness is also receiving nominations for its [#EducatorAwards 2015](#). Awardees will receive a 1-year subscription to the Adventure to Fitness educational program for K-5 kids. They will be selected based on merit, need, and other factors. Nominations accepted through 11:59pm Eastern Time on Friday, January 15th, 2016. (<http://www.adventuretofitness.com/awards2015>)

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### **About Adventure to Fitness**

Adventure to Fitness is the #1 educational fitness program for kids, reaching up to 10.5 million children around the country. Through animated + live-action adventure videos, supplemental learning material and tips from experts, Adventure to Fitness offers a 360-degree solution to health and education for children at home and in school. Used and trusted by over 126,000 teachers, Adventure to Fitness was developed with input from leading educational, medical and parenting experts.

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