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Florida Strawberry Festival selects shoebox float winners

PLANT CITY, Fla. (March 7, 2021) – The winners in the Florida Strawberry Festival’s shoebox float contest were announced this week.

The contest, sponsored by TrueStim, allows children in first through sixth grade to decorate a shoebox to look like a miniature parade float. All floats entered are on display all 11 days of the festival in the Parke Building on the Florida Strawberry Festival grounds.

In the first and second grade category, Mason Goff won first place; Cade Brock won second place and Rustyn Sparkman won third place.

In the third and fourth grade category, Colton Taylor won first place; Emory West won second place and Rylee Sparkman won third place.

In the fifth and sixth grade category, Madison Lackore won first place; Marlee Kraus won second place; Carson Hattaway won third place; Kloe Perez won fourth place and Adalee Szczech won fifth place.

In the exceptional student education category, Mrs. White’s Class won first place.

About the Florida Strawberry Festival

The Florida Strawberry Festival is an 11-day community event celebrating the strawberry harvest of Eastern Hillsborough County. Each year, over 500,000 visitors enjoy the Festival’s headline entertainment, youth livestock shows, exhibits of commerce and, of course, its world-famous strawberry shortcake. The 2021 Florida Strawberry Festival will be held March 4 through March 14 in Plant City, Fla. and will be “All Aboard!” For more information, visit www.flstrawberryfestival.com, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter (#berryfest21).

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