

Peers choose 22 to vie for Martin County Teacher of Year title

By staff report

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STUART — In an effort to recognize outstanding teaching, the Education Foundation of Martin County hosts the annual Martin County Teacher of the Year program in partnership with the Martin County Association of School Administrators.

At each of the schools throughout the district, one nominee has been selected by his or her peers. These nominees are now vying for the title of Martin County Teacher of the Year, as they complete a comprehensive written portfolio and take part in an intensive interview process. The name of the winning teachers will be revealed during a 2009-2010 Martin County Teacher of the Year Celebration scheduled for Feb. 12.

The district winner will represent the Martin County School District in the competition to become the Florida Department of Education's Teacher of the Year.

For more information, visit www.EducationFoundationMC.org, or call Lisa Rhodes at (772) 219-1200 ext. 30417.

The teachers selected from each school are:

Anderson Middle School, Steve Nicole
Bessey Creek Elementary, Roberta Steele
Challenger School, Alice Martin
Citrus Grove Elementary, Lana Barros
Crystal Lake Elementary, Terri Brown
F. A. Williams Elementary, Pam Kuykendall
Hidden Oaks Middle School, Rebecca Hatch
Hobe Sound Elementary, Paul Billington
Indiantown Middle School, Jacqueline McErlean
J. D. Parker School of Science, Math & Technology, Jodi Wintercorn
Jensen Beach Elementary School, Kerri Casey
Jensen Beach High School, Tom Dougherty
Martin County High School, Jamie Herd-Tesson
Spectrum Jr./Sr. High School, Kristina Neller
Murray Middle School, Cathy Cottle
Palm City Elementary, Bonnie Kronk
Pinewood Elementary, Holly Vicarro
Port Salerno Elementary, Andrea Ascitutto
SeaWind Elementary, Cindy Warner
South Fork High School, Dr. Paula Hall
Stuart Middle School, Jeff Carson
Warfield Elementary, Kim Brannon

