











Look who's going to Paris!

Paris Tennessee that is to compete in the Elks Regional Hoop Shoot Competition.



(From left) Mike Muldoon State Hoop Shoot Chairman; Hannah Carter 1st place, Mountain Home #1714; Lydia Rainwater 2nd place, Fort Smith #341; Samantha Delavin 3rd place, Holiday Island #1042; Jan Dorn ASEA State President.



(From left) Mike Muldoon State Hoop Shoot Chairman, Makayla Watkens 1st place, Holiday Island #1042; Samantha King 2nd place, Highland #2539; Shelby Smith 3rd place, Mountain Home #1714.

Hot Springs – The state hoop shoot contest was held on Saturday, February 2nd at Hot Springs, Arkansas. The day started out with a luncheon for all the winners and families from across the state at 11 am at the Hot Springs Elks Lodge and the competition started at 1 pm at the Hot Springs High School Gym.

Hannah Carter, Tecumseh, Mo., sponsored by Mountain Home Elks Lodge #1714 won 1st in the 8 to 9 year old girls state division. Hannah hit 18 out of 25 baskets to take the win to advance to the regional contest to be held in Paris, Tennessee on March 9, 2013. Hannah goes to School at Gainesville, Mo., and her parents are Natalie, and Jerry Carter.

Shelby Smith, Gainesville, Mo., sponsored by Mountain Home Elks Lodge #1714 won 3rd place in the 12 to 13 year old girls state division. Shelby hit 18 out of 25 baskets to take the win. Shelby goes to School at Gainesville, Mo., and her parents are Karla, and Kim Smith.

The Mountain Home Elks Lodge #1714 sponsored a total of 12 youths from the area that competed in the State Hoop Shoot. They were in the Girls $8 \sim 9$ year olds Hannah Carter, Tecumseh, Mo.; $10 \sim 11$ year olds Kyra Hargrove, Flippin, Ar.; $12 \sim 13$ year olds Shelby Smith, Gainesville, Mo. In the Boys $8 \sim 9$ year olds Jake Leeker, Gainesville, Mo.; $10 \sim 11$ year olds Gabe Lawrence, Mountain Home, Ar.; $12 \sim 13$ year olds Cameron Curtis, Flippin, Ar.