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Local student ties for 1st in drawing contest

Paulding Middle School student Katie Kohlbush was among the winners of the 2007 San Luis Obispo County Mock Trial drawing contest.

The contest included dozens of students from schools across the county who served as artists who recorded scenes from the mock trial, just as real courtroom artists might.

Katie tied for first place with Sara Snyder of San Luis Obispo High School. Students from Atascadero and Templeton high schools took second and third, respectively.

The four winners split more than \$800 in awards donated by the judges at the event.

The judges came from Frame Works of San Luis Obispo, an art consulting and framing service.

"The drawings were really neat this year because you can see each student's different perspectives and angles," said contest judge Ali Semon. "Each student's style show through their art."

All student drawings are on display until the end of March at the County Office of Education, located across Highway 1 from the northern entrance to Cuesta College.