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North Pocono High School's Science Olympiad team on Wednesday took first place in the Northeastern Region competition at Penn State University's Wilkes-Barre campus.

In the event, 15 North Pocono students competed in 23 events against 25 schools in the region, team co-adviser Lindsay Croom said.

The team was among the top four schools to earn medals in 16 events and placed first overall.

"Science Olympiad takes what is learned in the classroom, forces students to expand on that knowledge and apply it in real-world scenarios," Mrs. Croom told the school board.

The teacher said when the school's Science Olympiad started out six years ago, 13 students participated. Now, 39 students are on the team.

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