

# PRESS RELEASE

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*Teacher/Athlete's Name Phone Number*

## LOCAL STUDENT MEDALS IN THE 2009 FISH IOWA GAMES

Fish Iowa Games is a casting competition developed by the Iowa Sports Foundation (Iowa Games) in conjunction with the Iowa Department of Natural Resources. The program is a fun competition where students learn to cast from three distances using the flipping, pitching and casting techniques. Often this is the first time kids have held a rod and reel. Fish Iowa Games is a great introduction to fishing for the kids of Iowa.



\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ won  
*Athlete's Name Hometown*  
\_\_\_\_\_ medal(s) in the 2009 Fish Iowa Games competition, held on  
*# & type - Gold, Silver, Bronze*  
\_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, Iowa.  
*Date/Month of competition Town Name*

\_\_\_\_\_, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County,  
*Athlete's Last Name Iowa County*  
competed in the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Fish Iowa Games competition. During the competition students received points based on the accuracy of each casting technique. The program is geared toward kids in K – 12<sup>th</sup> grades.

\_\_\_\_\_, a/an \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, took  
*Athlete's Last Name Grade School*  
part in his/her \_\_\_\_\_ Fish Iowa Games competition.  
*# of Years in Fish Iowa Games*

For more fishing information please visit the Department of Natural Resources Web site at <http://www.iowadnr.gov>. For a complete listing of all the Iowa Sports Foundation events and results please visit [www.iowasportsfoundation.org](http://www.iowasportsfoundation.org).

TEACHER/ATHLETE: *Fill out the applicable information in the spaces provided above and send to your local newspapers, radio & television stations immediately following the Fish Iowa Games competition.*

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