

St. Lucie County Fire District News Release



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School Superintendent Puckers Up for Kids Sake

St. Lucie County, FL – St. Lucie County School Superintendent Genelle Yost puckered up for kids sake at the St. Lucie County Fair on Sunday, March 2.

Yost competed with five others for the opportunity to kiss a pig. Residents, friends and foes, could pay \$1 to cast their vote for who they wanted to Kiss the Pig. Yost received 2,383 votes to Kiss the Pig.

The others competing included: Terri Sloan-Bartz with Seacoast Bank, Michelle Miller with Miller Insurance, Debbie Hawley Chair of the School Board, Candice Loupe with PNC Bank, and Stephanie Morgan with All About You.

Yost received the Kiss the Pig Trophy from last year's winner, St. Lucie County Fire Chief Ron Parrish.

“I was very honored to pass along this wonderful trophy that I no longer wish to hold. It truly went to a champion, “a champion of children,” according the Chief Parrish, chairman of the Roundtable of St. Lucie County.

A total of \$7,679 was raised for the event. The money will go to the St. Lucie County Kids at Hope, a program which helps kids succeed by focusing on changing “kids at risk” into kids at hope.