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**Parkwood Elementary Student Wins 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in State Art Contest**



HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – Parkwood Elementary School fifth-grader Jordan Shealey won third place in the Georgia Emergency Management Agency (EMA) National Preparedness Month Art and Essay contest. Held in September, hundreds of entries were submitted from across the state for the “Remember the Past, Get Ready for the Future” contest.

Jordan was honored Nov. 15, 2011, at the Houston County Commissioners’ meeting. A certificate was presented to her by Jimmy Williams, Houston EMA Director and Houston County Fire Chief. Others who attended the meeting for Jordan were: Parkwood Elementary Assistant Principal of Instruction William Wilson; Parkwood Elementary art teacher Katherine Wyatt and Jordan’s father, Mr. Shealey.

Parkwood Elementary is located at 503 Parkwood Drive in Warner Robins. Lisa Casilli serves as principal. For more information, please contact the school at 478-329-2215.

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