

Science Fairs Report

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The Science Fair Season is just beginning and once again NZSA are joining with Statistics New Zealand to provide prizes and certificates for each of the 21 fairs. A new initiative this year is a flyer explaining a little more about the association and Statistics New Zealand has been sent to each fair. We hope to build on this in the next year or two and provide some guidelines for appropriate statistics to be used in projects and to highlight some of the inappropriate practices often used. A number of members also provide judging expertise which is much appreciated.

Each year I receive many letters of thanks and appreciation from prize winners and fair organizers and it continues to be an effective way of communicating our aims to a wider audience.