

THE OHIO/ INDIANA UAS CENTER CONGRATULATES CENTERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL'S GOLDEN ELKS
FOR WINNING THE DESTINATION DAYTON UAS CHALLENGE

UAS Center salutes all the students who participated in the Destination Dayton
UAS Challenge

Springfield, OH - August 20, 2014. Ohio Robots Inc. and Sinclair Community College hosted the Destination Dayton UAS Challenge with local high school students last Saturday. The purpose of this competition was to develop civic and commercial awareness of unmanned aircraft systems technologies at the high school level. The indoor challenge had students build their own aircraft, which was then required to deliver a small object to a specified target, simulating a commercial package delivery service. The Centerville High School Team was the overall winner while Milford High School was runner up.

"This competition reflects Ohio's rich aviation heritage and spirit of innovation. Specialized technical skills like the ones we witnessed during the competition are in high demand both in the region and nationally. Workforce development programs like the ones here at Sinclair Community College really prepare students well for a career in the UAS industry," said Ryan Smith the Director of Ohio UAS Operations. "Congratulations to Centerville High school on their victory and congratulations to all the students who participated in this competition," continued Smith.

The OH/IN UAS Center is a joint venture between the states of Ohio and Indiana. The overall mission of the UAS Center is to advance UAS commercialization and support flight operations for government and agencies. It offers a mix of services and a variety of test ranges and capabilities to support research, development, testing and evaluation of unmanned aircraft systems (UAS) technologies for businesses, government and academia. These activities will enhance economic development and place Ohio in a leadership role as the Federal Aviation Administration prepares to integrate UAS in to the National Airspace System.

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