

# Science Inquiry Competition and Discovery Day

(Hosted at Crane Elementary School)

March 9, 2016    *Science Inquiry Competition/Discovery Day in Crane at Crane Elementary School*

Prior to the event, teachers are encouraged to facilitate students completing their science projects within the classroom setting, not at home.

On the day of the event, all rural schools, K-8 meet at Crane Elementary School to set up their projects in preparation for judging. Grades K-2 will be exhibition only. Grades 5-8 will compete for prizes. While projects are being evaluated, students will attend classroom presentations in science, put on by OMSI. Prizes at the individual levels will be given following classroom presentations and general assembly. Science Discovery Day t-shirts are available for purchase for \$12. Pre-order is preferred so that we have enough on hand for everyone. Lunch will be graciously provided for all students, teachers, and judges by Crane Schools in the Crane Cafeteria. Other chaperones, parents and preschoolers will need to bring a sack lunch for the day. We also suggest bringing snacks and water for your students.

Please read on for details:

Included in the information you will find:

- The entry requirements for projects.
- Benchmark 1, 2, and 3 guides/worksheets to aid in the development of projects
- Sample inquiry questions