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MAHS Junior Wins in Environmental Film Contest

For the third year in a row, Moon Area High School senior David Korotky was honored for his film talent during the sixth annual C.A.U.S.E. Challenge High School Film Festival awards ceremony at Carnegie Science Center's Science Stage on Earth Day.

David won the Narrative Award for his film "Scenes from Later." His prize included \$300 cash, a director's chair, Carnegie Science Center passes and Three Rivers Film Festival tickets. He also received a \$1,500 check and trophy for Moon Area High School.

David was of 68 students from 13 area high schools who entered short films in the festival, which seeks to promote environmentalism in young adults through film. The filmmaking process helps students develop their creative voice and build important science literacy skills among other benefits. Other winners of the contest's five awards hailed from Pine-Richland and Lincoln Park high schools.

Presented by Bayer Corporation, Carnegie Science Center's Regional SciTech Initiative and Pittsburgh Filmmakers, C.A.U.S.E. stands for Creating Awareness and Understanding of our Surrounding Environment.