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THE PURPLE SCHOOL'S 2014 SPANISH LANGUAGE BEE SET FOR MAY 15, 2014

April 29, 2013 (Williston, ND). The Purple School's 2014 Spanish Language Bee will be held on Thursday, May 15, at 3:30 pm at St. Joseph's School in Williston with the help of local businesses. American State Bank and Trust (ASB&T), Ryan Motors, Inc., Don Pedro's Family Mexican Restaurant, Los Compadres, 3 Amigos, and Taco John's have all made generous contributions to the event.

Joyce Nadolny Shui, founder of The Purple School said, "I'm thrilled so many local businesses have given two thumbs up to the kids in our community who are learning Spanish. These leaders in our community are showing children how proud they are of the children's hard work and letting our whole community know that learning Spanish can be rewarding in multiple ways including financially! At the Bee, K-6 children, most of whom have little to no previous experience with Spanish, will get to publicly showcase the Spanish they've learned."

When asked whether spelling is part of the Bee, Nadolny Shui responded, "No. The Purple School languages and Bee focus on the *spoken* language. The kids will be asked in Spanish how to say various things, animals, colors, basic phrases, in Spanish. If they answer correctly, they proceed to the next round. Each participant will have three life lines and the last three remaining in the Bee will earn cash prizes of \$100, \$50, and \$25, respectively."

The registration fee for the Spanish Language Bee is \$15 (\$10 if by May 1). All participants will receive a participate certificate reflecting the number of rounds they successfully participate in, a canvas bag, and a USB memory stick. For more information about the Spanish Language Bee or about Spanish classes for kids, contact info@ThePurpleSchool.com or 701-205-1962.