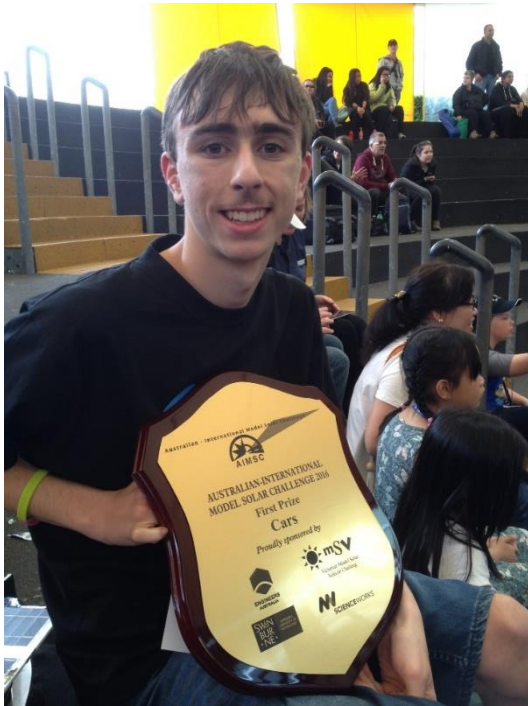


Australian Model Solar Car Championships 2016

Rose Bay WINS!!

Zane Farnum



On the weekend of October 15 & 16, Zane Farnum representing Rose Bay High School Tasmania won the Australian International Model Solar Car Championship.

The event was held at Scienceworks in Melbourne was held over the weekend and had cars representing all states of Australia.

Zane qualified well and managed to win the event. This is the fourth time a Tasmanian Team has won the title but a first for Rose Bay High School.

His support team had great faith in his car and preparation. March Iseli his technical advisor and Zane had worked tirelessly to prepare the car to the stringent rules needed to allow the car to pass scrutineering. The rest of the support team his mother Robyn Farnum and Rose Bay Teacher Stephen Knowles allowed Zane to compete without any distractions.

The technical and engineering skill needed to compete and win at this level is amazing. Zane has been pursuing this at school under a STEM initiative actively encouraged by Rose Bay High and the Education Department of Tasmania.

Zane beat cars from Western Australia, South Australia, New South Wales and a Victorian Car in the Semi Final for a well deserve win.



Well Done Zane. The National Co-ordinator Paul Wellington from Monash University hopes Zane will return next year to defend his title.