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LTHS Culinary Student Wins National Competition

John Saccomando Jr., a 2009 graduate of Lockport Township High School District 205, won first place and the national title at the Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) National Culinary Competition.

Saccomando's national title win is a first for LTHS and the state of Illinois.

Saccomando, along with his two Illinois teammates, earned 92.2 out of a possible 100 points for skill, sanitation, plate presentation, and taste. Saccomando qualified for the national competition after advancing from the regional and state culinary competitions held by the FCCLA.

Saccomando was guided in these outstanding achievements by LTHS teachers Jenna Sandstrom and Courtney Oxley-Turner. He will continue studying the culinary arts at Kendall College, where he earned a full scholarship.

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