

Student Recipient



Kylie Morrissey and Nancy Anderson are co-winners of a student SASEE Award. Kylie is a senior and Nancy is junior at Lakeridge High School. Together, they co-founded a Crafts Club at Lakeridge High School. The club meets weekly to make beautiful jewelry and sell the jewelry as a fundraiser. All of the proceeds are donated to Doernbecher's Children's Hospital at OHSU.

Kylie is the president of Crafts Club at Lakeridge High School. In addition, Kylie is involved in both the Chinese Club and Green Team at Lakeridge. By starting the Crafts Club, Kylie inspired her friends and other people at school to come to a meeting that helps children in need. In its first year, the club has already raised and donated several hundred dollars to Doernbechers.

Each week, Kylie creates an environment where everyone who has the same passion for art and crafts can get together. At the club, she has a positive attitude and encourages other while they are making their crafts. She creates a safe space for people to meet to do arts and crafts that one might not get in school. Kylie teaches various members in the club to make jewelry if one is unsure which creates an environment that welcomes all. She inspires people by passing down the legacy of crafts club and hopefully starting a club that will be with the school and help support the children's hospital for years to come.