

RMC DEBATE TEAM POSTS WINS AT CASPER TOURNAMENT

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BILLINGS -- The Rocky Mountain College Debate team returned from the Casper College tournament winning trophies for every member of the team.

“In my 10 years of coaching collegiate debate, this is the first time that every competitor on our team has returned with a trophy,” said Shelby Jo Long-Hammond, RMC assistant professor of communication studies and director of forensics.

The team of Annie Ayre and Toryn Rogers advanced to finals in their debate division. They finished the tournament second out of 17 teams. Ayre and Rogers also received the third and fifth place speaker awards.

The varsity debaters turned in an excellent performance at the tournament, with the teams of Alison Corbyn and Dan Johnson, and Aria Walters and Brian Krantz, advancing as semifinalists in their debate division. Each also received speaker awards. Krantz was the second place speaker and Johnson was fourth place speaker overall. Corbyn and Walters won speaker awards in a division with over 15 teams.

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