# Moth Plant Competition Prize Giving 2019

Welcome and Thank you!





- 6 Schools!
- 10 Teams!
- 38 Students!
- \$2,000 Prize Money!





9,989 Pods & small vines collected

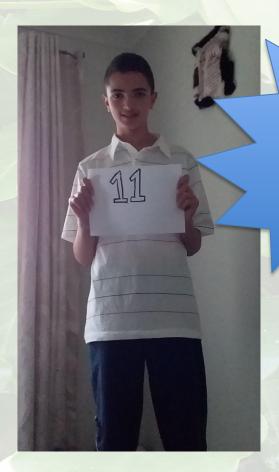
• 700 seeds per pod (average estimate)

6,992,300 seeds that will not germinate!





#### Thank you for contributing!



Team Moth
Plant Destroyer
11 pods
Botany College

Apologies from Diyar Ibrahim – unable to attend due to Ramadan commitments





Team Elaine Huang
30 Pods
Botany College

Apologies from Elaine Huang

– unable to attend due to

Hockey commitments









Team Mission
Heights Junior
College
368 Pods









Team The Little

Moths

590 Pods

Macleans College







Team Howick College Enviro Group – MOST VINES AWARD!





#### Thank you! 6<sup>th</sup> Prize Winner \$100

Team Sancta
Maria College
882 Pods





## Thank you! 5<sup>th</sup> Prize Winner \$150







## Thank you! 4<sup>th</sup> Prize Winner \$200







# Thank you! 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize Winner \$300



Protectors
1588 Pods
Macleans College





#### Thank you! 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winner \$400

Team The Cultured Moth
Destroyers
1878 Pods
Botany College







#### Thank you! 1<sup>st</sup> Prize Winner \$650







#### Possible next steps to grow your Pest Free Howick action and leadership;

- Educate others to recognise moth plant pods and vines and get them involved in removing them
  - Join a volunteer group like S.T.A.M.P (Society Totally Against Moth Plant)
     Email: mothplantlocations@gmail.com
  - Trapping rats at my home/school or local reserve and uploading my results to CatchIT Email: <a href="mailto:pestfreehowick@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz">pestfreehowick@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz</a>





#### **Every Pod Counts!**

Hope to see you back next year!



