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LWHS Special Olympians win awards at track meet

LAKE WALES – A team of Special Olympics athletes from Lake Wales High School swept several events at the Feb. 20 Track and Field competition in Bartow.

Reynaldo Cadena, Dontae Carter, Erin Spear and James Vancamp won first place ribbons for their 4x4 relay team.

First place winners in the 100-meter run were: **Amanda Martin, Dontae Carter, Joseph Lunsford and Erin Spear**. Second place winners were: **Jamie Brown, Reynaldo Cadena and James Vancamp**. **Steven Cline** won a third place ribbon.

Lake Wales was also a powerhouse in the Shot Putt event. First place winners were: **Dontae Carter, James Vancamp and Amanda Martin**. Second place winners were: **Reynaldo Cadena and Jamie Brown**. Other winners were: **Erin Spear**, third place; **Steven Cline**, fourth place; and **Joseph Lunsford**, fifth place.

“We are so proud of our Special Olympics athletes,” said **Jane Jackson**, one of the Exceptional Student Education teachers at LWHS. “They all did a great job at the track meet in Bartow.”



The students will compete in the Area Special Olympics in Tampa on Saturday, March 13.

Left: Lake Wales High Special Olympians included (front l-r) Joseph Lunsford, Reynaldo Cadena and Jamie Brown; (back l-r) Dontae Carter, Steven Cline, Erin Spear, James Vancamp and Amanda Martin.

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