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State Farm makes donation to Junior Achievement

Representatives from State Farm Insurance presented \$15,000 to Junior Achievement of Northeastern Pennsylvania. The funding will be used for storefront sponsorship of JA Biztown and JA Finance Park at the Mericle Family Center for Enterprise Education in Pittston Township. JA Finance Park, an innovative and experiential-based program, teaches financial responsibility to students in seventh through ninth grades. Since 2007, State Farm has invested more than \$65,000 into the local chapter's programs. At the presentation, from left, are Dave Phillips, State Farm public affairs specialist; and Michael Griffin, Dickson City State Farm agent; and Melissa Turlip, president, Junior Achievement of Northeastern Pennsylvania.

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