Area Youth Win Punt, Pass and Kick Competition

Seven area youth are moving onto sectional competition after winning their age categories in the NFL Pepsi Punt, Pass and Kick competition. More than 30 participants took part in the local skills contest, held at Cosmo Park on August 11.

These youngsters will compete in sectionals in Jefferson City on October 14:

Girls
Ages 10-11  Emily Miller, Columbia
Ages 12-13  Haley Smith, Hallsville
Ages 14-15  Breosha Williams, Columbia

Boys
Ages 8-9  Bo Blomenkamp, Columbia
Ages 10-11  Hayden Johnson, Columbia
Ages 12-13  Powell Yaeger, Columbia
Ages 14-15  Wesley Leftwich, Columbia

Winners at the sectional competition could qualify to compete in the team competition to be held at the Edward Jones Dome in St. Louis during a Rams football game.

The local competition was organized by Columbia Parks and Recreation. For more information, call 874-7460.