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Local teens become writing ambassadors

On Tuesday, local teens graduated from the One Earth Writing Ambassadors program.

One Earth Writing Ambassadors are teenagers who want to be leaders, like to write, enjoy making friends from different backgrounds, and seek to build the skills needed to make a difference in their communities. The program is led by CEO/Founder Lynne Golodner, One Earth Writing instructor Christina Weaver, who is also an Eastern Michigan University professor, and program coordinator Dana Nyquist.

Graduating ambassadors from Oakland County were Lamphere High School sophomore Elyce Debro, Detroit Country Day School sophomore Maheen Haq, International Academy East sophomore Vaishnavi Katta and junior Rithik Hosalli, West Middle School 7th grader Vedika Iyer, Bloomfield Hills High School sophomore Conner Klemer, Novi Middle School 7th grader Krisha Ramani, homeschooled junior Love Tsai from West Bloomfield, and North Farmington junior Allison VanDerAue.

The Winter 2018 Ambassadors program was supported by a grant from the First Foundation of the First Presbyterian Church of Birmingham. Teens interested in applying for the Fall 2018 Ambassadors program can submit a letter of application and writing sample at www.oneearthwriting.org/ambassadors/apply.

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