For the past three years, American Chemical Society (ACS) ChemClubs across the country have received free money to help them share chemistry in their communities. Clubs can design their own event and apply for a Community Activity Grant of up to $300 or up to $500 if they work with college students in an ACS student chapter. A total of 27 clubs received $9,000 this year.

This school year, the ChemClubs will be using their money for a variety of activities, including the following:

The ChemClub at Upper Dauphin Area High School in Elizabethville, Pa., is working with the local literacy council to sponsor a Science Literacy Night for students in second through fourth grades. Club members will share the picture book, *S Is for Scientists*, then lead students through experiment stations inspired by the book, for example by trying to blow the biggest bubble they can or by making putty from glue.

In Lakeland, Fla., the Lakeland High School ChemClub is focusing on the chemistry of art. This project will bring together an ACS student chapter, the school’s art department, and Art and Photography Clubs. The students will make paint pigments and use electrochemistry to create jewelry.

The ChemClub at John Hardin High School in Elizabethtown, Ky., is planning a Super Science Saturday that will bring together local elementary school students and their parents for a fun-filled day centered on chemistry. During that Saturday and throughout the school year, club members will teach participants about the chemistry involved in making snow globes, tie-dyed shirts, and learning an “atom dance.”

A complete list of the ACS ChemClubs that won 2011–2012 Community Activity Grants appears on the back cover of this issue.

For more information about ACS ChemClubs, please visit: www.acs.org/chemclub.

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