## Students Ready, Set, Play Time excel at various hobbies.

On November 28 - 29, eighth grader, Brighton Meeks attended have to work hard and practice the USA Bicycle Motor Cross **Grand National Championship** Races.

The championship had over 4500 participants from 14 different countries. Meeks took home xrst place in the novice level and xve years and is currently on the three xrst place and one second place wins in the intermediate level.

Overall, Meeks won second place at the main event but he is now the fastest 13 year old intermediate BMX rider in all of the US.

Leah Day (7) participates in Tang Soo Do, a type of martial arts. She has been doing martial arts for 8 years. She currently goes to Fire Dragon Karate to learn martial arts. She has a blue belt in Tang Soo Do.

Katherine Schorr's hobby is playing the harp. She started playing last year and has participated in at least 11 concerts for school orchestra.

"It is not hard to play, you just to be good," Katherine said.

Lindsey Gordon (7) is a competitive swimmer.

"It is more challenging than most sports," Lindsey said.

She has been swimming for Lonestar Swim Team.

Lea Walter's (7) favorite hobby is drawing. She participates in art club and anime club.

"I like it because it relieves stress," Lea said.

Her favorite things to draw are people and 1owers. She draws everyday after school or at art club.

Alyssa Carter (7) dances at Dance n' Groove. She has danced for 10 years now. She does lyrical, tap, ballet, jazz, and pre point dance. Alyssa used to go to competitions but is now on a break.

"My favorite thing about dance is that there are different styles of dance," Alyssa said.