

**October 27, 2008**

**MACKAY AREA MEDIA ADVISORY**

(Boise). Representatives from the Idaho State Board of Education (SBOE) will be in the Mackay on Wednesday, October 29 to present Mackay High School with the Additional Yearly Progress Award. This award is given to schools which make Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP under No Child Left Behind) for two consecutive years or more and achieve an increase of 10% or more proficiency in 2008. Only 15 schools (out of a possible 652) in the entire state of Idaho were able to satisfy these requirements. The award presentations will be made to the schools at the following times:

- Mackay High School  
400 E Spruce St  
Mackay, ID 83251
- Wednesday, October 29, 2008, 1:00pm
- (208) 588-2921
- Interview availability with MHS Principal/Superintendent Troy Thayne.
- On site media contact & information: Mark Browning 208.631.2724 or [mark.browning@osbe.idaho.gov](mailto:mark.browning@osbe.idaho.gov)