The InvenTeams revved up for EurekaFest in their communities by fundraising and presenting their projects to elected officials. One team from last year received financial support from their local Rotary club to travel to Ethiopia to put their invention to use. All teams traveled to EurekaFest and showcased and presented their inventions to the MIT community with much excitement and appreciation.

Highlights include:

- **Rolling Robots** was invited by the mayor to present their InvenTeam project at a city council meeting and they received certificates from their two U.S Senators, Kamala Harris and Diane Feinstein. In addition, they presented at two community events.
- Congressman Bill Johnson visited the Valley STEM and ME2 Academy and the story was captured in this video broadcast with the Congressman praising the team’s work.
- **Manasquan** presents their project to the Board of Education and Congressman Chris Smith presents certificates to the whole team.
- **Marshfield** showcases at community arts and tech fair to sells fundraising raffle tickets and participated in Molly Fund Walk that helped raise $2K for the team.
- **Seven students continuing last year’s 2018 Frederick County Career and Technology Center’s InvenTeam project** (device to provide safe drinking water) received financial support in June from their local Rotary club to travel to Melka Oba, a school in Ethiopia to put their device to use.