





LUCKY SPROUT...Union County Freeholders name Kelly Hanratty, pictured left, from Mountainside, eighth grade winner of the Arbor Day Poetry Contest. At the Union County Freeholder Meeting in Elizabeth on May 16, Kelly read her poem "The Lucky Sprout," and accepted her award for the first place, eighth grade winner in Union County. It was a wonderful piece about the beauty, strength and resilience of nature. Mountainside Schools wish to congratulate Kelly, and thank her teacher, Sarah Onore, pictured right, for being the advisor on this project and for encouraging and inspiring our young writers.