

2026 NCFL Grand Nationals

Washington, DC

May 22 - 24

Schools

Competitors & Coaches

Congratulations and Welcome!



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<u>Atlanta</u>	<u>Baltimore</u>
<u>Biloxi</u>	<u>Boston</u>
<u>Brooklyn</u>	<u>Charlotte</u>
<u>Chicago</u>	<u>Cincinnati</u>
<u>Cleveland</u>	<u>Detroit</u>
<u>Erie</u>	<u>Green Bay</u>
<u>Harrisburg</u>	<u>Houston-Galveston</u>
<u>Indianapolis</u>	<u>Jackson</u>
<u>Kansas City</u>	<u>Kansas City-St. Joseph</u>
<u>LaCrosse</u>	<u>Lafayette</u>
<u>Louisville</u>	<u>Miami</u>
<u>Milwaukee</u>	<u>New Orleans</u>
<u>New York</u>	<u>Newark</u>
<u>Oakland</u>	<u>Orange</u>
<u>Orlando</u>	<u>Palm Beach</u>
<u>Paterson</u>	<u>Pensacola</u>
<u>Philadelphia</u>	<u>Pittsburgh</u>
<u>Portland</u>	<u>Raleigh</u>
<u>Richmond</u>	<u>Rochester</u>
<u>Rockville Centre</u>	<u>Sacramento</u>
<u>Salina</u>	<u>San Jose</u>
<u>Scranton</u>	<u>Spokane</u>
<u>Springfield-Cape Girardeau</u>	<u>St. Augustine</u>
<u>St. Louis</u>	<u>St. Paul Minneapolis</u>
<u>St. Petersburg-Tampa</u>	<u>Washington</u>
<u>Wheeling-Charleston</u>	<u>Wichita</u>
<u>Wilmington</u>	<u>Winona</u>
<u>Worcester</u>	

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Albany

Director: Suzanne Culver

Mount Markham Sr High School Suzanne Culver

Niskayuna High School Kerri Pangburn-Skinner

Proctor High School David Schiavi

Shaker High School Chris VanDerbeck

Shenendehowa

Walton Central High School Ellen Nary

Declamation

Jayden Seeley

Juma Bi

Elise Philip

Dramatic Performance

Kihana Eccleston

Sabrina Avolio

Sophia Nichols

Duo Interpretation

Gianna Scherer & Jordyn Gould

Nich Neang & Joe Nyunt

Julian Gridley & Sean Sung

Extemporaneous

Renee Bates

Tyler Bibighaus

Erica Wang

LD Debate

Gianna Zhang

Victoria Chung

Tejasri Kommepalli

Oral Interpretation

Julia Win

Michael Wright

RaHa Nar

Original Oratory

Pragna Obiddi

Ella Bagchi

Aven Kilmer

Public Forum

Simon Sung & Kehan Bao

Jerry Ma & Hassaan Vani

Jupvir Virk & Charles Truitt

Student Congress

Ryan Richard

Olivia Zhou

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Allentown

Director: David Long

Hunterdon Central Regional High School Adam Leonard

Moravian Academy Upper School Joshua Sanville

Notre Dame Sal Rizzo

Parkland High School Jennifer Smith

Phillipsburg Laurie Schmid

Southern Lehigh David Long

Declamation

Nila Selvisudhakar

Harleen Hanjra

Katelyn Brinton

Dramatic Performance

Addison Reigle

Gwendolyn Jones

Bennet Bronfenbrenner

Duo Interpretation

Connor Holcombe & Alivia Rieland

Heather Chan & Miranda Chan

Joseph Rasely & Leila Gamboa

Extemporaneous

Amanda Mrotek

Elijah Spencer

Lhian De Vera

LD Debate

Rishi Ponda

Shaan Ailawadi

Jonathan Saunders

Oral Interpretation

Kahlan Simmonds

Molly Frey

Isabelle Susten

Original Oratory

Sarah Bansal

Alina Joseph

Policy Debate

Henry Schroppe & Alexander Adagba

Jayson Pai & Navnit Yedavilli

Chinmay Kashyap & Vivaan Baru

Public Forum

Braden Colldeweih & Shahzaib Qureshi

Marco DiMarcello & Ryan Ford

Isabel Mylnarsky & Kathryn Carolan

Student Congress

Aidan Vedder

Alexander DeMarco

Cairee Upshur

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Altoona-Johnstown

Director: Holly Smith

Berlin Brothersvalley Deb Orendorf
Bishop Carroll Catholic High School Samantha Brisini
Cambria Heights High School Robin Mislevy
Conemaugh Valley J/S High School Keli Williams Joe Hovan
Forest Hills Missy Livermore
North Star Kayla Fockler, Christy Pawlowski
Penn Cambria High School Holly Smith
Richland High School Scott Jugan
Somerset Amy Beech, Traci Baker
State College Area High School Matt Isham
Windber Area High School Jen York

Declamation

Anna Chen
Camille McConnon
Abigail Veres
Noah Eppley

Dramatic Performance

Maggie Wang
Chloe Gailey
Annika Cassol

Duo Interpretation

Haylie Keith & Isabella Askins
Helene Saxion & Alex Krug
Jayden Wilson & Vera Jarosyk
Andrew Kaufman & Rachel Pile

Oral Interpretation

Sanai Purkait
Matthew Ronan
Makaela Guenther
Ella Mazzaresse

Original Oratory

Kendal Wessel
Madelyn Kittell
Harlie Racz
Riley Richards

Public Forum

Gavin Wilson & Rocco Ricupero
Gilbert Zhao & Ricky Nargi
Joseph Janik & Sergei Zhdanov

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Altoona-Johnstown cont'd

Extemporaneous

Maximilian Wendekier
Abbigail Savering
Camryn Ashworth
Levi Leonard
Olivia Hay

LD Debate

Maame Ama Yeboah
Justina Wang

Student Congress

Celeste Vanness
Sol Lee
Sofía Haas
Lia Fox
Zoe Hohlfeld

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Arlington

Director: Mark Deaton

Alexandria City High School Alejandro Perez-Reyes
BASIS Independent McLean Robert Biemesderfer
Briar Woods High School Diana Ramirez
Broad Run High School Kiran Madavarapu and Daud Yamin
Burdett School of Speech & Debate Roland & Susan Burdett
Chantilly High School Jimmy Kotula
Dominion Christian School Richard Henkle
Dominion High School Sheryl Gusman
Fairfax High School Heather Davids, Arin Shortz
George C Marshall HS Laura Champe Mitchell
Hayfield Roland Burdett
Independence (Virginia) August Schoenfelder
James Madison HS Michael Biddick, Beth Blankenship,
Julian Kabat
Langley High School Gifford Krivak, Pat Carney
Lightridge High School Kelsey Bass & Mollie Safran
McLean High School Tatiana Le
Patriot High School Peggy Prather
Potomac Falls High School Maggie Shircliff
Robinson Secondary School Alison Wolfe and Jeff Koegler
Rock Ridge High School Rama Srinivasan and Tim Greening
South Lakes High School Matt Wolfson
The Potomac School Harry Strong, Ryan Levesque
Thomas Jefferson HSST Theresa Ohanian, Aaron Trujillo,
Cody Salenga
Trinity Christian School Aaron Marshall
Westfield High School Mark Deaton
Woodgrove Lynne Schoonover
Yorktown HS Danielle Jones, Kevin Bridwell

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Arlington cont'd

Declamation

Gillian Young
Sebastian Chumpitaz
Jada Ashun
Hope Keber
Daniel Pippin
Anika Priya-Swaminathan

Dramatic Performance

Isabelle An
Sihyun Kan
Lilly Eidemiller
Sohana Bahl
Ami(Ha) Le
Alden Walcott

Duo Interpretation

Misha Pradeep & Zoya Thoufiq
Caroline Calton & Katherine Calton
Fiona Regal & Addy Regal
Misa Hikawa & Jenna Zee
Caden Peng & Kylie Pereira Kim
Rachel Sigler & Liam Tully

Extemporaneous

Nishant Varala
Annie Patterson-Cox
Jaivamsi Mukkamalla
Tanvi Madavarapu
Daisy Jenkins
Johannes Jangam

LD Debate

Evelyn Turner
Mia Nash
Ridhi Gutta
Arya Reddy
Walter Shiu
Faris Kiamie

Oral Interpretation

Charles Rogers
Vrinda Gunupati
Moubon Kurukumbi
Clara Jarvis
Emily Upp
Chris Saenz

Original Oratory

Jasmine Arisandy
Nina Shupp
Anadita Breathitt
Charlotte Ross
Katherine Hedges
Anika Long

Policy Debate

Charan Kommareddy & Karim Saad
Samuel Stankiewicz & Sharahil Mahmud
Rachel Doraiswamy & Sarayu Kaikala
Tanushree Athikinasetti & Shresta
Chigurupati
Sishira Tumula & Abhinav Karthikeyan
Shreyas Gowrishetty & Anirudh Manikandan

Public Forum

Avi Saraf & Koby Shnekendorf
Ben Rask & Richard Park
Xinyu Yang & Suraiya Farooqui
Inger Logan & Elakshi Nedungottil
Lais Borges & Veer Sawhney
Azadeh Hill & Kaede Thomas

Student Congress

Roshan Shah
Aparna Dileepkumar
Kate Chu
Ronan Vora
Yash Kini
Amanda Dickson

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Atlanta

Director: Mary Kay Waterman

Buford High School Steven Wang and Charity Wang

Carrollton Richard Bracknell

The Lovett School Mary Kay Waterman, Brice Ezell

The Walker School Jill Stedman

Dramatic Performance

Samantha Eichenholz

Extemporaneous

Lee Wetzler

Rhys Stieglitz

Tyler Ebbert

Oral Interpretation

Jacob Wang

Original Oratory

Eliana Neill

Policy Debate

Logan Shenton & Jack Foster

Public Forum

Mae Brodsky & Kevin Stuart

West Yancey & Brantley Walker

Sonul Mittal & Naomi Norlander

Student Congress

Richard Ashlock

Elias Anker

Ethan Marini

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Baltimore

Director: Steven Sprouse

Arundel High School Amy Hippen
Baltimore City College Patrick Daniels
Calvert Hall College High School Peter Susko
Carver Vocational Technical High School Steven Sprouse
Catholic High
Centennial High School Albina David, Brandon Jackson,
Cristina Sovereign
Dulaney High School
Gilman Amiri Rivers-David
Glenelg High School Kamesha Milton
Loyola Blakefield Vince Paniccia, Marlo Lacson,
Kyle Weaver
Marriotts Ridge High School MacGyver Biniak
McDonogh
Notre Dame Prep. Aimee Sann
Reservoir High School Brian Shouse
River Hill High School Jessica Nichols
Springdale Prep Dr. Matthew Brandstetter
**Western School of Technology and
Environmental Science** Jonathan Richmond
Wilde Lake High School Patrick Rowe

Declamation

Shivani Kandula
Kimberly Silva Jimenez
Ishna Reddy
Esha Dave
Christine Gang
Hope Han

Oral Interpretation

Kate Rim
Cecile Senesi
Madelyn Barton
Hailey Luong
Bianca Nnabue
Diya Shah

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Baltimore cont'd

Dramatic Performance

Ana Gonzalez
Blake Pilecki
Peter Ruiz
Morgana Fletcher
Grace Howie
Tiffany Berry

Duo Interpretation

Sea Chon & Yifan Chen
Rahima Agha & Ishi Duvedi
Aarna Mistry & Vanessa Ibanez
Alyssa Vass & Alice Eakin
Georgy Mattamana & Nathalie Tolosa
Matthew Marana & Matthew Lacson

Extemporaneous

Rishit Guttam
Shreya Dinesh
Adam Alvi
Ann Iula

LD Debate

Madison Hull
Wawira Waiganjo
Ilerioluwa Adubi
Anastasia Cullum
Julia Roth
Fatou Savage

Original Oratory

Sarah Pobee
Radha Srinivasula
Alexia Allen
Shubha Kadari
Liam Digges
Elijah Spann

Policy Debate

Henry Label & Noah Krichbaum
Charlie Shaeffer & William Corboy
Thomas Callahan & Allen George
William Hoard & Joshua Adler
Zion Parran & Laquan McKnight
Jamaiya Brown & Margaret Dalbey

Public Forum

Ira Ahirrao & Yukti Walvekar
Nicholas Angelos & Lilah Hennawi
Nikhil Lazarev & Paul Yantsen
Jeffrey Hu & Rik Chaudhuri
Vivek Raghavan & Dylan Moyar
Xavier Bialczak & Jeremy Wong

Student Congress

Amaya Ta
Jayen Tolia
Aditi Vijarnia
Erin Alistar
Alvin Lee
Nikkie Kazeminezhad

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Biloxi

Director: Kelly Garner

Oak Grove HS Shane Cole, Anna PHilpot
Petal High School Greg Howard

Declamation

Gavin Dickinson
Nathaniel Lin
Nathan Bai
Mayar Abdelhamid

Dramatic Performance

James Kessl

Duo Interpretation

Sophia Shi & Kiana Li
Julia Vanderschaaf & Erin Young

Extemporaneous

Sonia Sumner

LD Debate

Assiran Ba
Luke Salcedo

Oral Interpretation

Rylee Collier
Olivia Butler
Mallie Sumrall

Original Oratory

Price Denham
Jayden Kennedy

Public Forum

Abner Stone & Reid Tryner
Ani Chari & Rajbir Sood

Student Congress

Leyton Jackson
Sohan Hait
Gage Carlisle

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Boston

Director: Greg Cunningham

Arlington High School Donald Broussard

Boston Latin School Yilmaz Yoruk

Brookline High School Elise Brown

Catholic Memorial School Br Anthony K Cavet, Ryan Julian,
and Antoine Kandalaf

Lexington HS Sheryl Kaczmarek, Janet Novack

Milton Academy Scott Caron, Lindsay Donovan

Needham High School Paul Wexler, Adam Nir,
Greg Cunningham, Tyler Bates,
Jackson Carr, Joanna Goldenberg,
Beth Peters, David Craig,
Matt Friosi

Newton South High School Lisa Honeyman, Josh Cohen,
Sarah Culpepper, Marcel Lachenmann

Revere James Conway

Sharon Lisa Jolicoeur

Ursuline Academy Pam Schnatterly, Katherine Sheehan

Walpole High School Emily Murray, Trent Kuykendoll

Winchester High School Brenda Turney

Winsor School Paul Nguyen

Declamation

Afomiya Wondemagegnhu

Dylan Crowley

Aleka Shrestha

Davey Glazer

Harper Simoneau

Ellie O'Connor

Dramatic Performance

Laney Solter

Miles Yountz

Vaneezah Khan

April Mei

John Tobin

Swara Sonchhatra

Oral Interpretation

Garbhan Linehan

Joshua Rivera

Jackson Kilmartin

Sienna Tow

Iyore Ip

Xizhe Sun

Original Oratory

Wes Chery

Dina Oufessa

Isabella Nguyen

Aaron Arora

Adam Amin

Ayla-Ryann Thompson

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Boston cont'd

Duo Interpretation

Madeleine Clark & Zoe Berg
Lorelei Hoffmeister & Beatrice Romano
Paul Feehily & Andrew MacDonald
Arias Llopiz & Andrew DeSimone
Parker Kempf & Donovan Burke
Jude Kaleba & Daniel Kaleba

Extemporaneous

Amedeo Bettauer
Bryce Concepcion
Timothy Ryan
Jacob Dubrovsky
Lyra Dvorin
Alex Sherman

LD Debate

Savan Boxer
Daphne Spunt
Vasily Morozov
Emma Xu
Omar Obeidat
Elliot Lane

Policy Debate

Jerry Li & Sam Parsi
Ben Yang & Eric Han
Ella Layton & Aya Berstein
Ramu Muthukaruppan & Shaurya Panchal
Spencer Seidel & Eli Borgos
Lucas Yountz & Sabine Richmond

Public Forum

Jenna He & Riya Sreeram
Aryan Sethi & Deanna Yao Qian Ma
Aly Lay & Spencer Carman
Simona Wang & Benjamin Xiao
Iris Pang & Joya Tendulkar
McKenna Levy & Anya Kopinja

Student Congress

Laura Meli
Emilia Raviola
Ryana Nair
Lukas Shrestha
June Henry
Kashvi Shah

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Brooklyn

Director: Adam King

BSGE Debate Team Chris Potter
Berkeley Carroll School WK Kay, Maggie Iuni
Brooklyn Latin School Rachel Ruggeri
Channel View School for Research Sean O'Connell
Coney Island Prep Charter High School Russell Booker
Metropolitan Expeditionary Learning School Adam King, Tara Manning
Midwood High School Suzane Thomas, Billie Braithwaite Jones,
Kevin Wong
Molloy HS Ryan Curran
Packer Collegiate Institute Varun Kota, Tory Lacy
Poly Prep Sohail Jouya, Cait Bliss
The Mary Louis Academy Kieran Larkin

Declamation

Kimberly Ramprashad
Nervanie Prashad
Cecelia Aguinaldo
Sydney Bowden
Nate Fischer

Oral Interpretation

Nia Dunson
Amber Kaur
Aley West
Dean Lopez
Jaya Smith
Ava Pittman

Dramatic Performance

Amara Johansson
Uzochi Onunaku
Jamila Cedeno
Logan Travieso
Levi Wallace

Original Oratory

Madeline Gross
Eve Harris
Bridget Young
Zoe Bencosme
Elle Canarick

Duo Interpretation

Charlotte Kessler & Tess Levy
Aoife Hackett & Alexandra Szczerbinski
Danny Mata & Danielle Suzuki
Joshmarie Gonzalez & Olivia Alter
Zara Bacchus & Xaria Bencosme

Policy Debate

Jaylen Hilario-Peralta & Zachary Mattis-Thomas
Evan Xiang & Grover Howell
Eric Barbieri & Ava Barbieri
Zahaan Batliboi & Sasha Londoner
Nyla Moise & Savannah Parks
Cyrus Batliboi & Brandon Willabus

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Brooklyn cont'd

Extemporaneous

Nithya Nair
Mia Mohammed
Stefan Delaney
Burhan Saeed
Elise Eccles
Yasha Kegeles

Public Forum

Austin Bogush & Sonia Kaynan
Anya Satyanarayana & James Vanegas Molina
Isaac Contreras & Matthew Xiao
Sumayyah Whaqid & Wania Zahid
Austin Hendrix & Afzalbek Raupov
Amanda Pan & Jozefa Cheng

LD Debate

Lilly Kacziba
Elizabeth Canty
James Lukose

Student Congress

Charlie Alexander
Chase Alexander
Enzo Ortolani
Jarvis McCarthy
Long Hui Jiang
Sai Jain

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Charlotte

Director: Chris Harrow

Ardrey Kell High School Yinessa Bueno

Asheville High School Keith Pittman

Ballantyne Ridge High School Lucy Bradley

Charlotte Latin School Bilal Butt, Megan Butt,
Radeyah Muhammad

Cuthbertson High School Angela Segarra

East Mecklenburg High School Mona Kasera

Marvin Ridge High School Jason Burtis

Myers Park High School Lynne Coyne

North Mecklenburg High School Michael Bischoff

Declamation

Mahathi Vupadhyayula

Mannat Dubey

Angela Garcia-Ponciano

Grace Chiu

Dramatic Performance

Marcel Saldino

Marion Sim

Tessa Fulcher

Sita Sagunarthi

Duo Interpretation

Sahasra Vemuri & Anjali Tippabhotla

Angelina O'Brien & Fiona Lucas

Deetya Kaithi & Diya Bhimanapalli

Naaisha Mishra & Arnima Joshi

Grace Wallace & Ava Manderson

Extemporaneous

Saanvi Kasera

Ishan Saha

Zachary Richman

Zara Datey

Oral Interpretation

Maya Wilson

Janani Nallasura

Temiloluwa Oluokun

Original Oratory

Raveesh Seth

Ronav Korat

Noah Horner

Simone Valkov

Policy Debate

Samuel Freeman & Samuel Lutwick

Nandini Swain & Anvitha Barun

Sai Katakota & Max Bao-Dai

Mason Csantaveri & Adam Muslimani

Public Forum

Austin She & Iniyen Gokulkumar

Aditya Venkatachalam & Suvas Sureneni

Johan Shyam & Nandhana Ramesh

Ginevra Voltolina & Joseph Holland

Charlie Price & Cameron Williams

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Charlotte cont'd

LD Debate

Evan Horner
Aanya Shah
Sunay Sharma
Christopher Holdefehr
Jackson Willis

Student Congress

Isha Jha
Avani Patil
Derin Gulkanat
Shrenik Sridharala
Dimitri Katsanos

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Chicago

Director: Mike Colletti

Colletti Prep Mike Colletti

Homewood-Flossmoor High School Katie Cole

Marist High School Dane Mayer, Gina Narcisco

Dramatic Performance

Grace O'Malley

LD Debate

Asher McEowen

Penny Greep

Aliya Gaskin

Original Oratory

Mia Narcisco

Public Forum

Zavier Scott & Max Benitez

Cristin Bowie & Jada Cherry

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Cincinnati

Director: Bill Prater

Wauseon High School Dolores Muller, Jason Robinson

Whitmer High School Marie Wetzel, Bill Prater,
Olivia Wetzel

Declamation

Kaylee Potrzebowski

Dramatic Performance

Brady Fry

Duo Interpretation

Rhys Cantu & Jayden Robinson

Lauren Foltz & Kassandra Gigax

Extemporaneous

Nathan Young

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Cleveland

Director: Ally Popichak

Hawken Bob Shurtz, Susan McGraw,
Rachel Warnecke, Kate Mozynski,
Lynn Beeson, Eva Lamberson

Kenston High School Stephan Voudris, Shannon Carlson,
Justin Foerster

Dramatic Performance

Madelyn Foerster

LD Debate

Evan Bai
Brooke Gemechu
Grace Voudris

Policy Debate

Dashel Collins & Aayaan Sabarwal
Chase Parsons & Harrison Rogers

Public Forum

Charlotte Babka & Erik Pishchik
Audrianna Honda & Valeria Kislyansky

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Detroit

Director: Alexander Davidson

Berkley High School Scott Warrow, Claricha Evans

Bishop Foley Catholic Carol Osborn

Brother Rice High School Paul Belanger, Peter Riedy

Marian High School Brendan Sharp, Erin Heatherly,
Peter Shaheen

Mercy High School Lucia Wylie-Eggert

Notre Dame Preparatory LeAnne Schmidt, Mikayla Ohannesian,
Evelyn Leon

Regina High School Julie Cash Sharp

St. Mary's Preparatory High School Armenia Howard

The Roeper School Dan Jacobs, Ben Fisher

**University of Detroit Jesuit High School and
Academy** Alexander Davidson

Declamation

Chloe Konja

Zellie Sarafa

Kaitlyn Merritt

Malin Murphey

Dramatic Performance

Ryan Townsend II

Joelle Kassabri

Gracelyn Riga

James Steger

Duo Interpretation

Angelina Asmar & Jenell Gallozi

Mary Frangie & Melanie Frangie

Alex George & Reese George

Ben Rogers & Tristan Babbie

Extemporaneous

Aniba Raza

Colleen Shaw

Julia Rogers

Madelyn Hasani

Oral Interpretation

Joscelyn Ryan

Gina Azar

Arya Agulto

Diana Grano

Original Oratory

Joye Pyronneau

Zoe Batts

Camilla Mendoza

Keshav Desaraju

Policy Debate

Aidan Horowitz & Sadie Dagenais

Morgan Hines & Vinnie Holder

Public Forum

Collin Barbat & Martin Juncaj

Patrick Szura & William Guo

Ashton Kallabat & Matheus Pinto

Lauren Fletemier & Jamie Thomas

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Detroit cont'd

LD Debate

Anna Lis
Max Rogan
Allyson Darakdjian

Student Congress

Lily Buero
Max Mermell

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Erie

Director: Susan Peebles

Fairview (PA) Bob Hall, Atalia Hammond

Harbor Creek Gillian Schuyler-Gray, Kellie Percy

McDowell HS William Caugherty, Elie Salchak

Mercer High School Hugh Ringer, Matt Smeltzer,
Dan Davis

Wattsburg Area School District Susan Peebles

Declamation

Max Hawkins

Varunan Senthil

Shareen Sheik

Dramatic Performance

Jacqueline Rash

Kailyn Minner

Aida Seybert

Duo Interpretation

Vivian Liu & Grace Liu

Nora Lombardozzi & Emersyn Schwab

Aiden Jewell & Cash Flores

Extemporaneous

Mariya Hoja

Lucas Smith

Emma-Kate Magee

LD Debate

Vedanth Reddy Singam Reddy

Caleb Zhou

Tejas Kanhere

Oral Interpretation

Gabrielle Miller

Caleb Nallaraja

Madelyn Poese

Original Oratory

Sri Sai Kashyap Aaluri

Anish Pabbati

Yatish Seelam

Policy Debate

Andrew Hu & Derrick Liu

Public Forum

Smriti Shankar & Sowmiya Deventhira-Raja

Helena Negron & Julia Rastatter

Fawwaz Mohammed & Conner Davidson

Student Congress

Lillian Tulino

Chloe Smith

Ulyana Hoja

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Green Bay

Director: David Harper

FreedomProject Academy David Harper and Jennifer Harper
Neenah High School Andrea Peterson-Longmore
Oshkosh West High School Michelle Huettl, Logan Martilla
Sheboygan South High School Ben Kroll, Malysa Gabrielson,
David Henning
Sun Prairie Anna-Lisa Dahlgren & Jason Samens
Waupaca High School Mark Otte
Wrightstown High School Dave Winkler

Declamation

Sophia Garcia
Jules Cappelle
Maha Kothinti
Carly Kudrle
Cortlan Hurst

LD Debate

Dominic Conroy
Charles Hamm

Dramatic Performance

Mackenzie Schmidt
Hayden Hurst
Tenna Ruetten
Brooke Van Rossum
Sienna Stautz

Oral Interpretation

Devin Willis
Addy Harms
Lahela Carter
Belgere-Claire Misodi
Jannie Guelig

Duo Interpretation

Sam Raybern & Isaac Considine-Buelow
Bryce Johnson & Corey Kirschner
Delaney Conway & Eli Pahlow
Tynan Conway & Rudy Wagner
John Kudrle & Ishaan Shukla

Original Oratory

Meghan McAvoy
Sanjay Jagadeesh
Hanshika JaiPravinKumar
Annabelle Schmitz
Rebecca Hall

Extemporaneous

Anika Tiwari
Sabrine Narvasa
Raluca Miron
Ollie Hardy
Zosia Bowlus-Jasinski

Student Congress

Jillian Trzebiatowski
Alton Ross

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Harrisburg

Director: Tiffany Dacheux

Cumberland Valley High School Ann Pickering

Dallastown Tiffany Dacheux

Delone Catholic High School Derf Maitland

Duo Interpretation

Collin Kuhn & Kali Hilfiger

Carli Hutchinson & Maria Marchak

Extemporaneous

Sydney Kawasaki

Jackson Trump

LD Debate

Asher Musembi

Aiden Tringali

Original Oratory

Micah Stouter

Public Forum

Aurelia Jbarah & Caroline Brown

Julian Terhorst & Samuel Aleksandrow

Student Congress

Joshua Knight

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Houston-Galveston

Director: Adesuwa Omoruyi

Alief Elsik High School Heath Martin

Alief Kerr High School

Alief Taylor Adesuwa Omoruyi

ENG C (Elsik Ninth Grade Center) Heath Martin

Elkins High School Bonnie Bonnette

J. Frank Dobie High School Jekale Williams

Declamation

Ibtisam Tahir

Efe Aruoture

Ashley Gonzales Zelaya

Dramatic Performance

Matthew Osueke

Heaven Pittman

Mia Nguyen

Duo Interpretation

Joel Egbujor & Jay'shawn Hughes-Walker

Brianna Sandoval & Fernanda Santana

Saniyah Young & Raegan Conaway

Extemporaneous

Robert Zhang

Kashish Ayaz

Hudayf Aydid

LD Debate

Safiyah Khan

Sophia Ghebrelul

Oral Interpretation

Chimeremma Mathews

NAJAT BALOGUN

Luis Hernandez

Original Oratory

Perry Sharp

Policy Debate

Gabrielle Brown & Ethan Blanco

Guadalupe Mendez & Oluwanifemi Peters

Public Forum

Durand Williams & Anita Djato

Student Congress

Sean Mclain

N. Ephraim Nwabuko

Dustin Martinez

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Indianapolis

Director: Gary Peters

Ben Davis High School Janet Oluwayomi, Gary Peters,
Fred Douse, Richard Bowman

Brebeuf Jesuit Preparatory School JD Ferries-Rowe, Kevin Karam

Munster High School Jordan Mayer; Don Fortner; Katie Boyle,
Jessica Hilbrich,
Ryan Kelleher

Extemporaneous

Dylan Rogers
Shani Momodu

LD Debate

Jack Clark

Original Oratory

Ace Culp
Sophie Wei

Policy Debate

Brandon Walker & Garrett Bottiger

Public Forum

Avery Snook & Olivia Levi
Shivani Desai & Arya Desai
Shanyla Williams & Mya Morgan

Student Congress

Ethan Olan
Oluwatomisin Ogunseye
William Selzer
Caroline Gilroy

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Jackson

Director: Darin Maier

Forest Hill High Dr. Brad Blake, Carl Boschert
Madison Central HS Rachel Clapper-Davis
Mississippi School For Mathematics and Science Lori LeVar Pierce
Murrah High School Micah Everson
Oxford HS Hyun-soo Woo
St Joseph Catholic School Matt Morales
St. Andrew's Episcopal School Darin Maier, Jharick Shields
Starkville High School Sonya Harvey

Declamation

Bryce Gooden
Kaitlynn Terry

Oral Interpretation

Serenity Moore
Shariya Coleman
DaKota Haynes
Ava Reed
Rohan Anand
Hannah Travis

Dramatic Performance

Brooklynn Jefferson
Joseph Belser
Nicholas Bradley
Evan Arthur White
Dylan Tobias
Logan Ainsworth

Original Oratory

Edward Mitchell
Sanika Janorkar
Parks Garrott
Asha Malhotra

Duo Interpretation

Helen Smith & Rohan Sood
Jeffery Willis & Justin Willis

Policy Debate

Chase Jones & Satnam Sethi
Andrew Cooper & Alexander Brumm
Keleal Hassin & Lawson Kennedy
Aalekh Arapalli & Teshy Jalf
Ishaan Athiban & Nilay Ingle

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Jackson cont'd

Extemporaneous

Edmond Wei
Noah Clapper
Noah Ingram
Miles Hansen
Roscoe Levanway
Donald Jordan

LD Debate

Clarissa Coleman
Adriana Kroeze
Melissa Khadivi
Anya Rai
Keyun Johnson

Public Forum

Yewon Woo & Alexandria McGinness
Yuva Peddireddy & Ishani Patel
Anthony Daniels & Hark Singh
Rebecca Zhu & Johanna Witherow
Charlie Belvin & Simms Powell
Anaya Morgan & Twyla Johnson

Student Congress

Johnny Han
Macon Harrell
Anna Belvin
Jeremy White
Madison Cormack

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Kansas City

Director: Carolyn Cook

Blue Valley Northwest Evan Michaels and Mya Little
De Soto High School Will Mercer
Olathe North High School Larissa Maranell, Larry Swanson,
Allyson Regehr, Ryan Corrigan,
Tyler Bauman
SMNW Ken King; Lara Schesser
Shawnee Mission East High School Trey Witt, Austin Shively,
Lucy Pace, Jaxson Terreros,
Gilly Falin
Shawnee Mission South High School Carolyn Cook, Azja Butler,
Brooklynn Hato, Jackson Hoffmann,
Alex McCarthy, Nargis Suleman
Shawnee Mission West High School Logan Swafford
Spring Hill High School Alison Koesser-Head Coach, Rebecca Hertog-
Assistant Coach
St Thomas Aquinas Kim Spillman, Steven Dubois,
Susan Dillingham

Declamation

Rutva Solanki
Annika Teed
Alexandra Shelley
Evelyn Lewis
Annie Jin

Dramatic Performance

Janie Hoskins
Stellan Nicol
Anna Tiedt
Norah Kelly
Riley Barr
Nick Heffner

Oral Interpretation

Ashley Ardon-Baltazar
Carson Fox
Josilyn Farro
A Dawson
Michael Kimani
Elijah Waitiki

Original Oratory

Garyn Watts
Katherine Chang
Alyssa Walker
Adrien Zoellner
Alena Rodriguez-Gunion

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Kansas City cont'd

Duo Interpretation

Lily McRoberts & Ava Lopez
Salvador Miranda Mota & Miles Wilbeck
Eliza King & Lucinda Hendrickson
Gavin Bohannon & Gavin King
Olive Kerr & Anna Cuthbertson

Extemporaneous

Colin Orr
Mark Kricsfeld
Soren Steiner
Charles Foster
Jackson Roberts
Nathan Mestel

LD Debate

Jude Koertner
Shaefer Spizman
Max Burchfield

Policy Debate

Ethan Long & Ali Albadrawi
Addison Morris & Bennett Morris
Artie Kincaid & Jack Cook
Hayes McCracken & Mariam Mohamed
Jamie Wilborn & Ben Lewis
Ishaan Home & Gray Snyder

Public Forum

Olivier Ramus & Griffin Saale
Landen Lutz & Liliane Sid-Otmane
Nathan Zhang & Akari Hocker singh
Caelynd Beck & Nate Larson
Andrew Coleman & August Snyder

Student Congress

Mira McInnes
Anna Nazar
Elle Saale
Kailey Howell
William Hutchcraft
James Holliday

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Kansas City-St. Joseph

Director: Phillip Helt

Fort Osage High School Chris Rothgeb, Collin Fitzgerald

Lincoln College Prep Charles Palmer

Oak Park High School Shane Sandau

Pembroke Hill School

Rockhurst High School Phillip R. Helt

Ruskin High School Gabe Moyer, Kelly Michale

Saint Pius X High School Neffie Wilson

University Academy Frank Dominguez-De Leon

Declamation

Katelyn Onka

Safia Aqeel

Andi Maldonado

Nidhi Attaluri

Dramatic Performance

William Fanning

Sarina Weinman

Katherine Velasquez

Duo Interpretation

Malia Arnold & Roxana Marsh

Audrey Myles & Kira Esch

Mayshin Zweifel & Anika Chao

Josie Blanck & Madison McCall

Extemporaneous

Patrick Li

Ryder Potter

Raymond Yost

Markell Patterson

LD Debate

Annabelle Fernandez

Nikhil Attaluri

Tam Nguyen

Oral Interpretation

Simra Tariq

Daleah Washington

Jonathan Molina

Langston Humphrey

Original Oratory

Manha Mohamed

Dayja Clark

Policy Debate

Michael Haynes & Noah Schmidt

Allison Garcia Morales & Rory Means

Samantha Thurman & Markus Moore

Public Forum

Lavion Harris & Jaden Shannon

William Dennis & Connor Clune

Andrew Ross & Cole Wilson

Kindra Moore & Hailey Snyder

Student Congress

Andrew Hayes

Meilyn Aubuchon

Nicholas Dunn

Mia Marmolejo

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LaCrosse

Director: Scott Peterson

Eau Claire North Scott Peterson

Middleton Carly Bauer, Nicole Johnson

Public Forum

Grace Kim & Lauren Engbloom

Andrew Wang & Eric Huang

Audrey Kim & Ananya Subramanian

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Lafayette

Director: Scott Johnstone

Abbeville High School Amy Thompson

Ascension Episcopal School Scott Johnstone

Caldwell Parish High School Rachel Christian

JPG John Fruge, Sr.

Kaplan High School Erika Trahan

Lafayette HS Rachel Melancon, Lane Bergeron

Louisiana School for Math, Science and Arts Dana Noel & Jeni Stephens

(LSMSA)

Southside High School Ann Champagne

St Thomas More Megan Broussard

Teurlings Catholic High School Craig Wall

Declamation

Landon Cormier

Eesha Gottumukkala

Serafina Centanni

Sloane Bourgeois

Lilly Noel

Dramatic Performance

Azalie Crain

Trandon Baudoin

Bryson Cartwright

Duo Interpretation

Gabriella Martinez & Kaylynn Mayer

Christian Wilks & Aaron Shafer

Jean-Paul Simon & Addison Falgout

Johnathan Buford & Evan Barron

Original Oratory

Hunter Packard

Gemma Nicko

Emily Navarro

Graci Noel

Policy Debate

Joseph Fruge & Catherine Toups

Public Forum

Parker Eldridge & Ryan DeValcourt

Andrew Braquet & Mia Fuselier

Fisher Palmer & Owen Grimley

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Lafayette cont'd

Extemporaneous

Emily Snow

Kate Stelly

Mia LeMaire

Oral Interpretation

Amelia Dubois

Reagan Broussard

Regan Mestayer

Titan Gutierrez

Hadley Stamper

Student Congress

Addi Braus

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Louisville

Director: Katy Cecil

Assumption High School Lisa Wieland

Bardstown High School Cathy Spalding

Boone County High School Erin Tharpe

LaRue County High School Katy Cecil, Eric Cecil

Murray High School Michael Robinson

Paul Laurence Dunbar HS Neomia Hagans Flores, Connie Hagans

Rowan County Sr High School

Trinity High School Amy Zuccaro

Declamation

Chase Wissing

Nina Richards

Kate Roberts

Oral Interpretation

Layla Del Angel

Avery Trenkamp

Aubri Cooper

Charlie Vonderheide

Vance Ortego

Dramatic Performance

Barrett Freidhof

Kyle Hall

Jaylah Lawhorn

Gabriella Gatewood

Sarah Ratner

Faith McCafferty

Original Oratory

Megan Glover

Mercedes Whitt

Hattie Litton

Kate Jarboe

Olivia McLaughlin

Duo Interpretation

Adrianna Allen & Kyndra Howard

Jordan Cox & Arlo Miller

Gemma Bradley & Savannah Stutler

Evelyn Lewis & Steven Woods

Public Forum

Victoria Schad & Lilly Buttes

Chloe Wells & Mary Alice Droppelman

Shiva Vaish & Zain Mardini

Xander Leavell & Charlie Ellingsworth

Oscar Cardoza & Zayden Wright

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Louisville cont'd

Extemporaneous

Aiden Seiter
Samantha Crow
Chase Parsons

Student Congress

Caroline Segebarth
Anvi Vaish

LD Debate

Harper Joaquin
Helen Wernert
Moren Tayo
Aryana Barlow
Chiagoziem Ibeawuchi
Liam Wahl

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Miami

Director: Mary Schick

American Heritage Broward HS Joele Denis, Spencer Orlowski,
Stephen Scopa, & Thadeus Smith

Doctors Charter School Of Miami Shores Melida Matos

Declamation

Ayaan Lalani
Siyona Narang
Tanush Sajja
Aanya Lalani

Dramatic Performance

Jacob Mendelson
Izyk Pombar

Duo Interpretation

Sasha-Kay Lindo & Talia Grenier

Extemporaneous

Aziz Asadov

LD Debate

Conan Matos
Emanuel Sasson

Original Oratory

Inica Kaushal
Emma Conrad

Public Forum

Rebeca Depradine & LeAna Peterson

Student Congress

Bryce Williams
Inika Chemuru
Ian Chen
Shreyas Baghel

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Milwaukee

Director: John Knetzger

Brookfield East Justin Flynn, Susan Ewing
Edgewood High School Christopher Roe
Fort Atkinson High School Dan Hansen & Becky Hansen
Marquette University High School Ross Johnson, Sara Van Winkle
Milwaukee High School Of The Arts David Powell, Sharveta Parker
Port Washington Michelle Uttke, Kathryn Gengler
Ronald Reagan College Prep Michelle Mueller, Jack Steele
Rufus King Stephanie King
Slinger Adam Schneider, Megan Scapin
West Bend John Knetzger, David Wyatt,
Rachael Granec, Elizabeth Mintie
Whitefish Bay High School Brooke Erickson

Declamation

Abhiveer Kalirawana
Veronica Kleinfeldt
Victoria Quirk
Erin Staszewski
Zoe Farmer
Abubakr Osman

Dramatic Performance

James Bender
Lola Castillo
Neo Gerlach
Yousef Bedeir
Dahlia DeSua
Ana Bardas

Oral Interpretation

Rose Ziemer
Reagan Dahl
Addie Dahl
Giovannie Navarro
Michelle Allen
Davonis Johnson

Original Oratory

Isabelle Perry
Breeana Stern
Luke Cameron

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Milwaukee cont'd

Duo Interpretation

Isabel Franco & Ari Dinan
Mariam Amundson & Seyifunmi (Shay)
Arowobusoye
Aubree Leis & Finley Broman
Madeline Gerbyshak & Hannah Koepsell
Ann Enright & Julianne Huber
Avery Johnson & Gillian Kulig

Extemporaneous

Anson Li
Elizabeth Lewandowski
Andrew Christiano

LD Debate

Malina Troicki
Astrid Clauss
Anya Prakash

Policy Debate

Ramata Thiam & Solana Rojas

Public Forum

Elias Bruce & Aurora McVicker
Avani Channashetti & Abhika Singh
Aditi Moorching & Hasini Manne
Vedh Bagare & Arin Aneja
Eli Szabo & Walid Elijah Guerra
Logan Crossman & Claire Yin

Student Congress

Charlie Volm
Nolan Straza
Riley Cunningham
Wade Janssen

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New Orleans

Director: Barbara Fontenot

Benjamin Franklin Stephanie Garrison, Barbara Fontenot
Sophie B Wright Institute of Academic Jerenisha Thomas
Excellence

Duo Interpretation

Tia Dreux & Jason Ramirez

Student Congress

Kentrell Dent
Vaishant Khunkhun
Emily McDonald
Chelsea Smith

Extemporaneous

Ruth Feinstein

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New York

Director: Thomas Beck

Byram Hills High School Thomas Andriello
Convent of the Sacred Heart, NYC Tali Balas, Suzy Kickham,
Heather Hollingsworth
Fordham Preparatory School Meg Bratt
Harrison Chetan Hertzig
Iona Preparatory Charles J Sloat
Loyola School Katherine Berg
Pelham Memorial High School Thomas Beck, Neil Schleifer
Regis High School Eric DiMichele
Scarsdale High School Joseph Vaughan, Will Maldarelli
Stuyvesant High School
The Bronx High School Of Science Timothy Huth, Tracy Brown,
Eleanor Coufos, Jack Booth,
Zach Dyar
The Montfort Academy George DeGaetano

Declamation

Joseph McLaughlin
CJ Ackermann
Kieran Fitzpatrick
Paul Frimpong-Manso
Angelina Lee
Sasha Gogolin

Dramatic Performance

Reese Hubbard
Brayden Kiraly
Sofia Lawrence
Lily Wagman
Henry Santos Hendricks
Mariah Lemon

Oral Interpretation

Luca Pellizzoni
Brian Nunez
Anna Schaible
Milan Gittens
Allegra Mark
Luna Shao

Original Oratory

Avni Sundaram
Henry Hayden
Zoe Yoon
Chloe Quan
Estelle Baev
Angelina Musat

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New York cont'd

Duo Interpretation

Lillian Liu & Elle Lee
Micah Beirne & Mariya Markova
Audrey Hilger & Ada Gordon
Michael Cascetta & Alex Ruggiero
Stefano Termini & Charles Armstrong
David Albinder & Creedence Peterson

Extemporaneous

Manuela Mejia-Fanjul
Grace Klausner
Myles Vuong
Elina Siu
Daniel Lobato
John Germak

LD Debate

Adeena Naeem
Flynn Williams
Andrew Gaffin
Lili Sella
Kiren Sitwala
Yuna Lee

Policy Debate

Kassandra Sinchi & Rahul Kissoon
Serenity Dingwall & Amy Shrestha
Seoyeon Yu & Valerie Pook
Noah Fortuna Jikko & Rachel Balyasnaya
Maika Hagiwara & Anabel Salins
Rick Zong & Velda Opitz

Public Forum

Nathaniel Marks & Felipe Moreno-Naya
Phil Liew & William Napoli
Desmond Augustine & Samuel Lauriello
Clayton Branch & Joshua Isaacs
Annie Li & Solomon Binyaminov
Lander Bovenzi & Adrien Devery Michaelson

Student Congress

Aidan Shrekgast
Finnegan Mullen
Livia Basche
Keir Horne
Clare Facchini
Raymond Chen

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Newark

Director: Jim Reagan

Arts High School David Richardson
Barringer High School Michael Sowell
Millburn High School Jordy Barry
Montville Township HS James Grey
Newark Central High School Dennis Philbert
Northstar Academy High School - Newark David Marques, Luis Ortiz
Ridge High School David Yastremski, Natasha Doski,
Dan Norris, Julia Koch,
Regina Heater, Marcus Perez, Saied Beckford,
Judah Jones
St. Dominic Academy Paul Grisanti
Union Catholic text
University High School Humanities Saúl Grullon

Declamation

Praise Osho
Seyitan Ogungbemi
Sarah Gulati
Simran Dawra
Ishani Mallik
Sethu Arunachalam

Dramatic Performance

Jade Alcantara-Morillo
AngelDavid Chamorro Torres
Gabriella Cabrol
Joshua Akerele
Dakota Creath
Jade Peralta
Ashalina Kassim

Oral Interpretation

Sheekira King
Kamira Hall
Faye Fletcher
Ishani Pillai
Belonica Maceno
Sirra Oumie Mbye

Original Oratory

Sahil Jiwani
Aarush Joginipally
Abigail Louis-Pierre
Sofia Esquivel
Britney Deer
Toumaye Siripe

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Newark cont'd

Duo Interpretation

Dante Elliott & JOSmanuel DeLeon
Winal Tineo & Isaiah Fleurant
Champion Allwell & Jamal Kirton
Eden Chacko & Hasini Namburi
Amulya Kollipara & Neel Tripathi
Avika Joshi & Manya Madan

Extemporaneous

Jake Silberstein
Shresta Antil
Aparna Iyer
Arjun Kumar
MJ Chu
Anvi Sharma

LD Debate

Vidushi Sinha
Himnish Koul
Rosa Qin
Enchan Lee
Amandeep Manda
Meera Shah

Public Forum

Vikram Sinha & Sujeev Singh Kapur
Tulasi Bonda & Charan Pyloore
Advik Sateeya & Matthew Li
Michael Li & Liam Olesnycky
Jennie Wang & Amy Zhang
Mithil Gontla & Ishaan Gokaraju

Student Congress

Chiara Sacades
Neha Dubey
Aditi Terli
Aanvi Khade
Zoey Qin
Risha Madan

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Oakland

Director: Erez Kalir

College Preparatory School Lexy Green

Extemporaneous

Daphne Kalir-Starr

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Orange

Director: Emily Benavides

Coronado HS Kim Crissey

Edgewood High School Roxanne Crawford

Edgewood Middle Sal Tinajero, Emily Benavides

Mt. SAC Early College Academy Britte Linke

West Covina High School Kirsten Song

Declamation

Yashpreet Sharma

Jocelyn Pena

Dramatic Performance

Evan Barba

Duo Interpretation

Hailey Gallardo-Rivas & Marisol Gonzalez

Oral Interpretation

Brayden Barraza Rodriguez

Arielle Hsiao

Original Oratory

Lauryn Marin

Dexin Kong

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Orlando

Director: David Camous

Bishop Moore Catholic High School Deacon Dave Camous, Rosie Camous,
Grace Wigington, Aidangelly Lezcano &
Sachika Nishizono

Buchholz High School Richard Burns

Holy Trinity Episcopal Academy Jim Dlugasch, Rich Ramnath

Horizon High School Stan Banks

Innovation High School Derek Antoniazzi

Lake Brantley High School Dan Smith, Mariam Meshmesh

Lake Highland Preparatory School Brian McAninch and Chris Sprouse.

Lake Nona High School Donald D'Orto

Olympia HS Aimee Hirten, Ian Haas,
Tatsiana Hunanyan

Paul J. Hagerty High School Samantha Ollweiler

Trinity Preparatory School Katrina Brominguez, Antonina Clementi

Wildwood High School Illiana Miranda

Windermere Preparatory School Patricia Everett

Winter Park High School Niki Tringas

Declamation

Reena Kahlon
Yujie Lin
Sahiti Maddipatla

Dramatic Performance

Jeremy Wesley
Averie Rutishauser
Tommi Tudor
Sophia Shakar
Alex Llanos
Samuel Arboleda-Martinez

Oral Interpretation

Chloe Phelps
Zayn Azam
Simone Campbell
Jubili Wokhlu

Original Oratory

Kellen Bussey
Joseph de los Santos
Kenna Allen
Luis Latozefsky
Briea White
Ava Lieb

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Orlando cont'd

Duo Interpretation

Lillian Ho & Lia Dobra
Anjali Patel & Presley Sherman
Rebecca Gulde & Sabrina de Melo
Brynn Dlugasch & Rachel Dlugasch

Extemporaneous

Ivan Gupta
Joseph Wise
Jordan Miranda Juarez
Victoria Huber
Hammad Elahi
Anwita Derreddy

LD Debate

Shouqi Han
Alan Hunanyan
Sofia Dirawi
Stephanie Nwanyanwu
Aayan Malik
Clayton Berardi

Public Forum

Sriram Muppala & Syed Armoghan
Michael Davidowitz & Eiliyah Abdi
Shaylan Patel & Jack Meyers
Natalie Reed & Zachary Martin
Anya Agnihotri & Diya Somnali
Quinn Brewer & Olivia Nadeau

Student Congress

Oscar Rubio Flores
Akkaash Naidu
Vedha Ubale
Jerin James
Ezra Avalos
Satvi Vijaykumar

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Palm Beach

Director: Traci Lowe

Boca Raton Community High School Fritz Lauriston
Cardinal Newman High School Andrew Williams
Clark Advanced Learning Center Anna Hutcheson
John I Leonard High School Quentin Scruggs
Olympic Heights Community High School Zachary Rubin-Goldstein
Oxbridge Academy Christopher Hamilton
South Fork High School Tricia Welchance
Spanish River Community High School Eric D Friedman
Suncoast Comm High School Traci Lowe
The Greene School Andrew Dupre
Wellington Paul Gaba
William T Dwyer High School Gail Pubols

Declamation

Adriana McPherson
Ryleigh Raimondi

Dramatic Performance

Gemma Brugnolotti
Nikolas Reyes
Jonathan Sanger
Lucian Parker

Duo Interpretation

Carlos Canales & Kiesun Moore
Kylie Gibson & Daniela Aguiar

Oral Interpretation

Luna Lopez-Reyes
Maya Gupta
Nathan Vinas

Original Oratory

Yuvan Shandalingam
Nadya Duncan
Nicolas Parra
Beyonce Germain
Sophia Srb

Public Forum

Emma Ensor & Brady Lezza
Charly Mason & Ava Shrikhande
Jordan Birken & Madison Larkin
Ava Rodriguez & Ethan Sosa
Eddie Pena-Wilson & Ansley Wade

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Palm Beach cont'd

Extemporaneous

Jeurel Johnson
Iuliia Rychkova
Valentina Manfredi

Student Congress

Jaclyn Kuvykin
Kenley Lyons
Bettina Gannon
Audrey Robertson
Akram Younis

LD Debate

Anthony Banegas
Matthew Sosin
Lorenzo Sighinolfi
Chloe Cheung
Gabriel Bahra
Finley Murray

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Paterson

Director: Jamie Corcoran

DePaul Catholic HS Oresta Ferrito

Delbarton School Mary Gormley, Jamie Corcoran, Andrew Fostiropoulos,
Karissa Kromminga & Romir Patel

Mary Help of Christians Academy Theresa Sullivan

Mount Saint Mary Academy Nicole Doria, Cecelia Del Santo

The Academy of St Elizabeth Marisa Cervino

Villa Walsh Academy Lisa Lemke, Christina DiMarzio-Emery

Declamation

Riley Bennett

Emma Lee

Dramatic Performance

Samantha Innella

Aleksandra Kozlovski

Duo Interpretation

Cassandra Jourdan & Leyla Perez

Lauren Kudyba & Kirsten Kudyba

Extemporaneous

Jake Caravello

Evan Edwards

Oral Interpretation

Jaidyn Watson

William Jacobs

Original Oratory

Maeve O'Connor

Public Forum

Jack Dufner & Aidan Hosler

Andrew Kapp & Ryan Amin

Student Congress

Thomas Abraham

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Pensacola

Director: Ashley Carter

Bayside Academy Andrea Ottolino
Gulf Breeze High School Dr. Torie Fowler
Ohana Institute Dan Harrington
Pace High School Donna Abernathy & Ashley Carter
Pensacola High School Krysta Wilcox
South Walton High School Joanna Ellis

Declamation

Eva Magee

Dramatic Performance

Berkley Allen

Duo Interpretation

Aiden Carter & Parker Hill

Extemporaneous

Kanen Davis

LD Debate

Kevin Stephens

Duncan Rivard

Oral Interpretation

Joshua Khan

Eleanor Ginger

Original Oratory

Charlotte Combes

Owen Sumrall

Public Forum

Jazmyn Ellison & Seren Tillery

Hailey Masone & Judah Sales Del Gallo

Student Congress

Colin Pierce

Henry White

Ashton Carter

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Philadelphia

Director: Chris Berdnik

CR North High School Jim Briski, Brandon Cerami,
Samantha Zubler, and Jesse Laitman

George School Peter Paik

Gwynedd Mercy Academy Danielle Greenberg and Jill Dougherty

Holy Ghost Prep Patrick McGhee, Theresa Kohler

JR Masterman Michael Kamison

La Salle College High School Ashley Murphy, D'Juan Lyons,
Tom Lang, Justin Harbour,
Michele DiPede, Susan Magee,
Julie Krause

Pennsbury High School Diane Moran, Christina Smith,
Scott Pollack

Perkiomen Valley High School Alison Atherton, Gary Heidt

Strath Haven Jeff Kahn

Truman High School Justin Thomashefsky, Olivia Wright,
Samantha Haines

Unionville Mike Kobeski

William Tennent High School Dr. Colleen Mooney and Mr. Tim Coughlin

Declamation

Imei Li
Ava Wachtman
Ashlyn Thomas
Rachel Clements
Alyce Zhang
Liana Buella

Dramatic Performance

Penelope Duchnowski
Emmeline Mitschele
Kaitlin Amaev
Joy Yang
Sean Sharkey
Jonathan Updike

Oral Interpretation

Lorelai Whalen
Tatum Gefter
Ben Martin
Adwita Thorat
Nilufer Bektas
Kaylie Acker

Original Oratory

Isha Patel
Casper Stockman
Joya Nath
Aiden Eddleman-Kantor
Aislinn Leach
Vaanathi Venkat

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Philadelphia cont'd

Duo Interpretation

SreeNithya Allampally & Emma Seto-Basse
Hananyaa Arunkumar & Rebecca Zhang
Jacob Geist & Ahmad Gaga
Liam Schmitt & James Hickey
Marcel Chattopadhyay & Sean Boedewig
Ruth Snediker & Madeline Garson

Extemporaneous

Lyla Kelly
Patrick Keefe
Samuel Breen
Lane Adams
Sanvi Abnave
William Ferrari

LD Debate

Joyce Xiao
Rosalyn Ma
Ethan Panarey
LJ Faustin
Avigail Wus
Aiden Randolph

Policy Debate

Jack Laderman & Chase Brasberger
Nivriti Kanubaddi & Debarghya Dhar
Eric Ye & Aarav Kulshrestha
Naisha Vatsya & Moiz Kothawala
Earvin Yi & Vincent Zhu
Noel Springer & Anya Zhu

Public Forum

Rheya Singh & Emily Zhang
Tova Albert & Taylor Samara-Reuter
Kayla Kelberg-Gross & Rowan Bastien
Dari Rozinsky & Justin Peng
Sharvil Kapure & Naivedya Vatsya
Kyle Chen & Shawn Fan

Student Congress

Conrad Lees
Claire Atherton
Duane McCarthy
Aurav Johri
Alexander Li
Janson Minton

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Pittsburgh

Director: Beth Young

Fox Chapel Area High School Mark Matusiak, Rob Wilson,
Terry Taylor

Moon Area High School Tracey Spinelli, Kyle Burgess

North Allegheny Dominic Moore

North Catholic High School Beth Young

Oakland Catholic High School Tyler Barkich

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart High School Jessica Cerchiaro

Pine-Richland High School Kayley Szymanski

Pittsburgh Central Catholic High School Michael DePasquale, John Hollihan,
Paul Beer

Seton La Salle High School Lauren Hess

Upper St Clair High School Ben Edwards

Declamation

Divya Thirumala
Raana Parchuri
Sara Telang
Dariana Chiosea
Riya Pawar
Alisdair McMeans

Dramatic Performance

Aundra Sheridan
Austin Quinlan
Jared Nastal
Eshan Kazi
Adithi Senthilkumar
Alicia Gasana

Duo Interpretation

Otti Happold & Paulomi Goel
Victoria Machado & Jemma Polochak
Will Kreizenbeck & Darsh Kakkad
Zenisha Kesar & Tanishka Durgempudi
Lohitha Elluru & Vania Sharma
Sophia Muoio & Bridget Fogle

Oral Interpretation

Finnegan Stafford
Hansika Yanamadala
Kiera Trunick
Amari Morris
Maddie Debbis
Krisha Thakkar

Original Oratory

Aarav Madan
Jenna Nastal
Eve Amendola
Tamira Ghattamneni
Anoushka Barve
Vincent Watson

Policy Debate

Ahana Mendhi & Meera Alabel
Benjamin Hunt & Carson Scott
Vihaan Shah & Bhawit Paudel
Vijay Nagarajan & Rinesh Sunthar
Alexander Du & Kavin Dassanaik-Perera
Luke Liu & Sreenidh Durisheti

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Pittsburgh cont'd

Extemporaneous

Kavin Puri
Nikhil Menon
Arrash Sheikh
Prachi Chetlur
Anna Pohl

LD Debate

Medha Misra
Jeffery Zhang
Priyharshini Sivakumar
Pari Varshney
Destiny Folks
Eric Peng

Public Forum

Ishani Aluguvelli & Tanuj Goparapu
Aniketh Ghosh & Ashish Raajiv Sai
Adhhrith Nagrath & Hans Jhamb
Conrad Davis & Niki Botre
Maria Alfredson Themudo & Suhavi Singh
Nicholas Athanassiou & Amudhan Gandhi

Student Congress

Shaurya Kapoor
Mahi Thacker
Ashok Venkat
Mihir Harinath
Ayana Singh
Sabina Mantella

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Portland

Director: DArcy Robinson

Bangor High School Stephanie Hendrix

Cape Elizabeth High School Lisa Melanson

Falmouth High School Kimberly Henry

Lincoln Academy Kathleen Halm

Mt. Blue High School John Logan

Poland Regional High School D'Arcy Robinson

Sumner Memorial High School John Russell

Dramatic Performance

Brady Milton

Duo Interpretation

Emily Green & Reese Bryant

Extemporaneous

Robert Fuller

David Crump

Christopher Delgado

LD Debate

Brayden Sloan

Colin Woehrle Logan

Oral Interpretation

Ayesha Giberson

Chloe Sarnacki

Original Oratory

Maeve Willoughby

Ori Taylor

Public Forum

Cece Fremont & Eve Mockler

Colby Leighton & Varada Nguyen

Student Congress

Gideon Straw

Jonah Milton

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Raleigh

Director: Ben Denton

Apex Friendship High School Kim Eckstein and Katherine Drake

Cape Fear Academy Nathan Gergel, Kavita Persaud,
Liz Meine & Alicia Stickle

Cary Academy RJ Pellicciotta, Willie Warren,
Caleb Horowitz, Paxton Sheppard,
Caleb Chen, Pranav Ravulapati,
Rebecca Liu, Abby Underweiser &

Cumberland Polytechnic High School Michelle Boswell & Madison Boswell

Durham Academy Crawford Leavoy, Rachel Mauchline,
Jacob Palmer, Raiyan Choudhury,
Noah Mengisteab, Ben Hodges,
Elliot Beamer, Veer Prakash,
Jacob Deutsch, and Seth Hammond

Massey Hill Classical High School Jessica L. Osnoe

Pinecrest High School Ben Denton

Research Triangle High School Katherine Baese

Terry Sanford High School Brian Thompson

Declamation

Laksh Shah
Amrithasri Gounalane
Eleanor Smith
Emma Curtis-Maury
Audrey Bui
Lexi Ro

Dramatic Performance

Shriya Harkara
Laura Sigmon
Grace Stevenson
Ethan Asnani
Kylie Mitchell

Oral Interpretation

Madelyn Ard
Nishita Jayakumar

Original Oratory

Meena Surakanti
Evelyn Miller
Aazyan Eman
Ruhaannvir Singh
Hasaan Mahmood
Yul Choi

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Raleigh cont'd

Duo Interpretation

Abigail Joy & Ian Kim
Clare Liu & Julia Zhou
Connor McClelland & Henry Martin
Kiona Baker & Kinsey Robinson
Alice Zhu & Li Guior

Extemporaneous

Anna Benjamin
Nirjara Jain
Kai Forbach
Aanya Bailey
Rohan Jensen
Sam Pagden

LD Debate

Maura Stickle
Hugh Feder-Clarke
Etienne Van Tonder
Alex Liu
Riley Powell
Claire Zhong

Public Forum

Reiner Bass & Ronan Hechema
Ates Erden & Charles Knowles
Jacob Rigsby & Alexander Parker
Chloe Lin & Aviva Wang
Rayan Almony & Adrian Soldevila
Noha Bezuayehu & Yixuan Zhao

Student Congress

Victor He
Gaille Saelim
Serena Patel
Griffin Hire
Sreshta Chalicham
Weihang Xu

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Richmond

Director: Sandra Wheeler

Charlottesville High School Quinn Curtis

Clover Hill High School Hunter Clark and Nic Barker

Collegiate School Shannon Castelo, Laurel Maughan

Cosby High School William Waddell, Jaclyn Clark,
Scott McKeag, Elizabeth Miller

Deep Run High School Sheryl Gibson, Rob Rumans

Grafton High School Shakenya Coleman; Andrew Abeyounis;
Bonnie DeWorken

Great Bridge High School Carrie Longworth

Indian River High School Yordan Shabazz

James River High School Jessica Sanchez, Frank Crowley,
Joey Tucker

L.C. Bird Skyhawks Melissa Ligh

Maggie L. Walker Governor's School Celie Boswell & Erin MacPherson

Matoaca High School Forensics Earl Mason

Meadowbrook High School Speech and Debate Hajnalka Woosley, Tyler Curtis

Midlothian High School Jaryd Engberg; Dustin Stiltner

Mills E. Godwin High School Jonathan Saufley

Monacan High School

Princess Anne High School Olivia Williams

Declamation

Darwin Abreu

Akash Arun Kumar Soumya

Urvika Bansal

Shaivi Shankhwar

Elizabeth Greene

Dramatic Performance

Olivia Ingram Ford

Evelyn Gayle

Elijah Venable

Leah Wood

Oral Interpretation

Jade Brown

Serena Vasanth

Opal Sharma

Calista Marzouk

Original Oratory

Sydney Lin

Kaely Jones

Brooklyn" "Jones""

Gabriella Yuhas

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Richmond cont'd

Duo Interpretation

Shelly Purser & Leyton Schwartz
Anna Weitzenhofer & Isabella Paperman
Millie Cooke & Kendal Stuessy
Claire Adcock & Sanika Kumar

Extemporaneous

Harper Cox
Vrinda Shah
Nathaniel Maust
Evan O'Neill

LD Debate

Solomon Schwartzman
Zaki Farhat
Andrew Haskin
Grant Mountcastle
McKenzie Saul
Aditi Inamdar

Policy Debate

Jackie Liang & Kritika Goel
Katherine Robin & Simon Moon
Andrew Chang & Heather Lin
Ira Ronanki & Lili Couture
Audrey Ash & Alexandra-Maria Kourbeti

Public Forum

Noah Cornelisse & Ved Shah
Ian Perez & Katelyn Luu
Abhay Singh & Tanusiya Debnath
Jake Apelt & Avi Soin
Charvi Deorah & Geunyoung Chung
Emily Winstead & Noelle Yang

Student Congress

Lola Acquista
Shayni Gogineni
Lydia Joh
Elizabeth Chapman
Connor Preciado

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Rochester

Director: Amy Cody

McQuaid Jesuit Sandy Foster, Anna Koulouris

Webster Schroeder High School Eileen Connelly and Kathy Plouffe

Webster Thomas Amy Cody/ Carolyn Stahl

Declamation

Ryan Gresock

Dramatic Performance

Giavanna Caezza

Duo Interpretation

Liliana Ley & Calvin Fridman

Extemporaneous

James Hay

LD Debate

Nathan Nguyen

Karsyn Summers

Oral Interpretation

Laszlo Jurasinski

Taisia Badulescu

Original Oratory

Oluwaferanmi Kalejaiye

Javier Arroyo

Public Forum

Fernando Soberon & Rory O'Connor

Paige Banks & Lily Riggs

Student Congress

Sai Abhiram Pathaneni

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Rockville Centre

Director: Eamonn Cummings

Chaminade High School William Clemens

Half Hollow Hills HS East Dana Mollica

Jericho High School Mary Drayer & Brian Dussel

Kellenberg Memorial High School Eamonn M Cummings

Roslyn High School

Sacred Heart Academy Stephanie Cutrona

Syosset High School Lydia Esslinger

Declamation

Brendan Palmer

Isabelle Shields

Saharra Afzal

Hafsa Mercan

Michael Deaner

Zade Khan

Dramatic Performance

Carina Zheng

Sammi Russ

Elizabeth Hsiao

Sean Tyler

Luca Breglio

Francesco Pietronigro

Duo Interpretation

Kaylin Cho & Jonathan Bonilla

Alison Lin & Ivy Masson

Arvin Huang & Ethen Hong

Aya Belkharraz Idrissi & Madelyn Boorman

Isabella Cabrera & Chloe Kim

Oral Interpretation

Chloe Wong

Shreeya Shah

Kira Petrosky

Amelia Campbell

Anna Prince

Jillian McLaughlin

Original Oratory

Mahita Rallabhandi

Ella D'Auria

Nandika Salhotra

Savir Peri

Shannon White

Katherine Mazaroski

Public Forum

Miad Rahman & Jason Wei

Jiayi Meng & Leon Zhao

Saisha Puri & Abigail Ho

Norman Li & Faith Lee

Alex Patney & Owen Sack

Spencer Tell & Mehreen Hunjan

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Rockville Centre cont'd

Extemporaneous

Rachel Zhang
Max Goldstein
Adrian Yang
Robert Liu Meng
Callum Stevenson
Joseph Nocella

Student Congress

Jaeda Lau
Sophia Pane
Ethan Schwarz
Jacob Goldstein
Eileen Zheng
Dhriti Jani

LD Debate

Erik Ravn
Anthony Gabrielli
Sanya Tarique
Anabella Pisapia De Marco
Josh Kleyner
Olivia Rimpel

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Sacramento

Director: Stephen Goldberg

CK McClatchy High School Stephen Goldberg
Folsom High School Maira Jaswal
Ghidotti Early College High School Stephen E. Goldberg
Granite Bay High School Robert Prichard
Mira Loma High School Josh Stinson
River Valley High School Ashley Newman
Saratoga HS Jenny Cook, Chris Wardner,
and Steve Clemmons
Vista Del Lago High School Prince Philip

Declamation

Dhatri Gundimeda
Munizeh Zaidi
Atish Raj
Sarah Musani
Faiz Musani

Oral Interpretation

Soina Kaur

Dramatic Performance

Savannah Black
Anushka Thakur
Elaine Luo
Harshitha Viswanath

Original Oratory

Devika Nair
Niti Batriedo
Evan Kung

Duo Interpretation

Dhanya Dhevi Priya Papanasa & Karthik
Meyyappan
Eshal Agwani & Sarina Agwani
Annabelle Lerma & Yasmin Sveen

Policy Debate

Ella Lee & galen dion

Extemporaneous

Mihir Singla
Charles Hodge
Connor Doherty
Anishka Raghuraman

Public Forum

Haran Swaminathan & Ethan Wyatt Golez
Adya Balakrishnan & Sarayu Pasumarthi
Anoushka Rajeshkumar & Anishka Kallepalli
Fiona Liu & Saira Julka
Tanvee Tirthapura & Sanyukta Ravishankar

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Sacramento cont'd

LD Debate

Seerat Sidhu
Samantha Auerbach
Ella Huang
Raunak Maity
Manya Maddi

Student Congress

Isabel Perez
Eliza Philip
Dhaksha Alagesan
Nour Ghanem

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Salina

Director: Debra Krotz

Marysville High School Carla Wolfe, Matt Friedrichs

Republic County High School Darsha Enns, Carlie Enns

Southeast of Saline High School Ava Owen

Wamego High School Jennifer Topliff, Jennifer Nider

Declamation

Taylor Peters
Juliana Owen
Emilyn Holle
Sophia Erickson

Extemporaneous

John Murdock

Dramatic Performance

Delanie Rhoads
Garrett Staggs
Nathaniel Cook

Oral Interpretation

Josie Naaf
McKenzie Holle
Peyton Splichal
Samantha Poppe
Hollie Schliffke

Duo Interpretation

Julian Swank & Haidyn Price

Original Oratory

Isaiah Friedrichs
Bernadette Friedrichs
Gracilyn Clark
Isabella Owen
Kurenai Wright

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San Jose

Director: Charles Schletzbaum

Athenian School Dontae Hill

Clovis North High School Chad Hayden and Payton Polanco

Milpitas Charles J Schletzbaum

Notre Dame San Jose Mariel Cruz, DJ Castillo,
Alma Iboa

Presentation Jyleesa Hampton

Declamation

Rohan Shahi

Dramatic Performance

Sahana Shyam

Araceli Refstrup-Alvear

Michelle Rao

Extemporaneous

Camille Chien

LD Debate

Isabelle D'Mello

Olivia Nurmivaara

Advik Pradhan

Oral Interpretation

Sochima Nwafor

Original Oratory

Alisa Solnit

Public Forum

Vikram Partha & Larry Xie

Akhil Damaraju & Matthew Nguyen

Thara Kadalayil & Tavishi Dani

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Scranton

Director: Katrina Joyce

Dallas School District Angela Carpenter, Laura Bulgaris

Danville Area High School Victoria Fischer, Heather Hackenberg

Holy Redeemer High School Jaylyn Fulkersin, Nicholas Gombita,
Travis O'Boyle

Lake-Lehman High School Katrina Joyce, Jason Field

Pleasant Valley High School Anthony Chupa

Pocono Mountain West High School

Scranton Prep Daniel Goffredo

Selinsgrove Area High School Brittany Bunting-Specht

Shikellamy High School Ellen Boyer

Declamation

William Moller

Dramatic Performance

Joshua Gillette

Hendrix Corbin

Grace Hamill

Duo Interpretation

Taylor Lucas & Kristen Lucas

Cordellia Greiner & Ellie Schaeffer

Abigail Watkins & Addyson Smith

Extemporaneous

Haydon Byrnes

Michael Lewicki

Isabella London

LD Debate

David Nemoianu

Ethan Hagerman

Oral Interpretation

Elizabeth Rich

Egan Shimel

Isabella Moeckl

Original Oratory

Yanna Wadley

Peyton Wiest

Lily Boger

Student Congress

Alyssa Wasenda

Tristan Yarger

Benjamin Figura

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Spokane

Director: DUANE BARNHART

Central Valley High School Kim Trent

Ferris High School Dan Sjolund

Gonzaga Prep Duane Barnhart

Mead High School Mike Stovern

Declamation

Carys Spencer

Dramatic Performance

John Larratt

Duo Interpretation

Logan Bohanek & Leland Hargrove

Extemporaneous

Michael McCauley

LD Debate

Miles McLane

Oral Interpretation

Izzy Gonzalez

Original Oratory

Miller Coyne

Dylan Kalal

Policy Debate

Judith Clark & Thomas Gardner

Public Forum

Jack DeGon & Antonio Trivino

Arianna Everitt & Grant Von Buchwaldt

Student Congress

Parker Ebel

J Flack

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Springfield-Cape Girardeau

Director: Bryan Whyte

Bolivar High School Brian Winckler

Cassville High School Talana Hinson

Greenwood Laboratory School Heather Walters

Marshfield HS Chasity Hance and Genevieve Otradovec

Neosho High School Meg Saffer

Nixa High School Jay Williamson, Amy Holland and Julie Staats

Declamation

Ava Harvey

Shreyansh Nakkanti

Layla Schanze

Dramatic Performance

Colby Lee

Lilly Ireland

Kim Hang

Extemporaneous

Maddux Steinmann

Mohan Grewal

Connor Manzardo

LD Debate

Remia Ross

Logan Roberts

Reese Morris

Thatcher Phillips

Oral Interpretation

Lilliana French

Kaid Williams

Samantha Baugus

Salma Kaina

Original Oratory

Zoiya Okumu

Pierce Newcomb

Natalie Cruz

Ayla Roberts

Policy Debate

Emily Morgan & Charles Fagan

Kinadie Reed & Asher Mauck

Tristan Khoshyomn & Ethan Duff

Gyan Grewal & Laila Ozturk

Public Forum

Taaha Khan & Ilyaan Khan

Jackie Gonzalez & Arvin Arora

Aedan Haskell & Charlotte McClanahan

David Rehbach & Mason Rillstone

Student Congress

Caleb Fenske

Gunner Dodson

Brett Barnes

Julia Beehler

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St. Augustine

Director: Marna Weston

Eastside High School Marna Weston and Elizabeth Palmer
Gainesville (FL) High School McArthur Shelton
Keystone Heights Jr./Sr. High School Shannon Southam
Oak Hall Mr. Marna Weston
Samuel Wolfson High School Melissa Losure
The Bolles School Bob Hutchings
Trenton Middle/High School Paul McCann

Dramatic Performance

Mercedes Schwartz
Veda Galipalli

Extemporaneous

Sarah Porter

LD Debate

Naaday Ali Shah
Sydney Shagam

Oral Interpretation

Anushika Arun
Jillian Paraless

Original Oratory

Akash Gusani
Riley Powell

Policy Debate

Logan Wu & Jalen Zheng
Michael Huan & Henry Palmer

Public Forum

Sohan Patel & Matthew Chanan-Khan

Student Congress

Gillian Collins
Riley Buffea

2026 NCFL Grand National Tournament – Washington, DC

St. Louis

Director: Danielle Johnson

Francis Howell North High School Randy Pierce, Noah Slaughter

Jefferson City High School Jordan Hart, Travis Stahlman,
Zach Lovelace

Pattonville High School Justin Levy

Declamation

Elise Delleart
Alyssa Hall

Dramatic Performance

Malani Morris
Grady Baker
Justina Varner

Duo Interpretation

Sophia Fernandez & Lydia Fantahun
Harrison Lane & Townes Baker
Jackson Wallace & Sofie Moss
Regan Griffin & Jasmine Dong

Extemporaneous

Shota Kikuchi
Barret Nussbaum

LD Debate

Daiyan Hassan
Madison Gardner
Kaileb Immler

Oral Interpretation

Anjola Ilesanmi
Christina Chari
Christina Chirwa

Original Oratory

Vanessa Ng
Shannon Li
Ella Helmig

Policy Debate

Victoria Eggebeen & Jason Simmonds

Public Forum

Ava Kersten & Lilly Schepers

Student Congress

Ethan Mullen
Sophia Wormington

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St. Paul Minneapolis

Director: Jason Meyer

Eden Prairie High School Pranita Keenigi, Nolan Trinh

Prior Lake High School Nick Ingles

Stillwater Area High School Jason Meyer

Wayzata Jerrod Nelson

Westonka High School Megan Lhotka, Heidi Richardson-Duggan

Declamation

Shreni Reddy

Zachary Van Nelson

Sadie Mulder

Dramatic Performance

Katie Weaver

Henry Ruegemer

Akshara Talluri

Duo Interpretation

Cassidy Nabedrick & Owen Piatkowski

Connor Christenson & Lisell Sheridan

August Lang & Lauren Tschimperle

Chloe Erickson & Jayden Nelson

Extemporaneous

Sophia Amundgaard

Jack Durr

Oral Interpretation

Hannah Christenson

Ankita Kumar

Elise Berndt

Original Oratory

Carly Durr

Mrunmayee Dhake

Public Forum

Keerat Virdi & Rohan Deep

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St. Petersburg-Tampa

Director: Jym Froelich

Admiral Farragut Academy Doug Evans

Alonso High School John Jackson, Eduardo Lastra,
Scott Millinder

Carrollwood Day School Lisa Ohlemann, Claire Flemister

Newsome High School Natalie Hutchings

Paul R Wharton HS Meredith Moody

Pine View School Jym Froelich

Robinson High School Melissa Golden, Hunter Sexton

Sarasota Terri St John

Strawberry Crest High School Kendall Jannereth. Luisa Villamil

Tampa-Jesuit High School Thomas Keith

Declamation

Ananya Ben
Saanvi Venkat
Tammy Nguyen
Kaitlyn Nolt
Owen Paul
Taksheel Ganji

Dramatic Performance

Lauren Anglim
Iniya Senthilkumar
Aashi Shrivastava
Kael Correia
Christian Mendez
Jhozua Balleri Gonzalez

Duo Interpretation

Hafsa Shaik & Megha Peddireddy
Jhanvi Patel & Sahiti Yarlagadda

Oral Interpretation

Komal Brahmanekar
Loryn Steinbach
Aspasia Panos
Laurel Karp

Original Oratory

Shreya Chatterjee
Calliope Kauffman
Srinija Chukkapalli
Madison Fang
Nitin Kurup
Anyeline garcel Moreno

Policy Debate

Theekshitha Sai Puthapatt & Abigail Ghaim
Harshin Vemula & Harini Krishnan
Gowtham Kambala & Landon Shirey
Maya Moore & Blaire Bowles

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St. Petersburg-Tampa cont'd

Extemporaneous

Raleigh Lovewell
Elijah Russo
Jude Saarinen
Alyssa Chen
Kavyaa Sinha
Charlotte McDonough

LD Debate

Fionn Murphy
Alina Diaz
Garrett Smith
Gabriel Lopez
Jaylen Dilkhush
Isabel Guevara

Public Forum

Tania Mulay & Lillian Walker
Lucy Borunda & Beckett Vidrine
Vasilios Panos & Griffin Kurtz
Neha Gowda & Mehak Bhargav
Aarav Patel & Eshaan Roy
Emma Bucholtz & Allison Costine

Student Congress

Swara Patel
Garret Senzon
John Joura
Nathan Zhan
Andrew Brazel
Andrew Light

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Washington

Director: Ann Marie Duffy

Jackson-Reed High School Macee Miller
Maret School John Jai
Our Lady of Good Counsel Chuck Ehrman
Saint Anselm's Abbey School Sydney Freedberg
Sandy Spring Friends School Barbara von Salis
School Without Walls High School Avalon Ayres
Sidwell Friends School Colin Downes, Brian Loo
St.Albans/Cathedral David Agnew
The Heights School David Maxham
Walt Whitman High School Frances Laufer
Washington International School Guy Neal

Declamation

Franny Battista
Dinobi Ijomah
Ernesto Ramirez
Erin Yi
Brook Mesfin
Meeyah Ndeh

Dramatic Performance

Rosha Rizi
Viviana Kozma-Crandall
Tess Leonard
Gabriela Perillan
Kamdi Aghazu
Sophie Garrido

Duo Interpretation

Kadijah Toure & Kayla Selman
Zimka Aghazu & Aspen Johnson
Bethel Fisseha & Carter Sotoye
Kristie Soewandi & Milenn Kini
Maame Ofori-Awuah & Kini Kuma
Amir Bello & Nyla Barrett

Oral Interpretation

Maxine Ross
Nick Barczy
Olivia Baskin
Dani Mauban
Amara Iweonage
Pietra Maschioro

Original Oratory

Ella Banegura
Kelila Onwulata
Jessica Jackson
Jasmine Wright
Annabel Seyoum
Benjamin Cherukuri

Policy Debate

Carter Andrews & Steven Huang
Nick Barac & Nate Sher

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Washington cont'd

Extemporaneous

Nathaniel Freedberg
Caitlin Frost
Jude Buber
Riis Agnew
Zoe Becker
Juliet Tomlinson

LD Debate

Sabrina Campbell
Emmanuel Abera
Nora Kaprowski
Sheridan Henneberg
Adrian Hanna
Emil Hanna

Public Forum

Evan Hernandez & Granville Lee
Henry Armstrong & Jacob Don
Aarosh Das & Silas Gordon
Joao Braga & Mateo Jacobson
Churchill Tatton & Stacia Manning
Greta Bradley-Meal & Hannah Clark

Student Congress

Rohan Tatlow
Blake Neal
David Reina
Arin Joshi
Windsor Kiang
Alexander Mihm

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Wheeling-Charleston

Director: Lori Zyla

Cabell Midland High School Nadia Esque

Huntington High School Randy Snyder

Parkersburg High School Lori D Zyla

Ripley High School Speech and Debate Kelley Adcock

Wheeling Park High School Jennifer Mathieu, Isabella Droginske,
Kayla Nelson

Declamation

Sophie Yoke

Blair Anderson

Elin Smith

Dramatic Performance

Flannery Muscar

Jerome Maynard

Duo Interpretation

Derek Roberts & Hayden Carey

Lilly Smith & Ireland Witchey

Will Medovic & Claire McFadden

Extemporaneous

Chloe Salisbury

Taelor Jones

LD Debate

Miriam Halicki

Quinlan Doddridge

Oral Interpretation

Briele Dobson

Gabrielle Contraguerra

Macy Prater

Original Oratory

Dorothy Clark

Levi Powell

Public Forum

Lillian Farinash & Henry Berry

Thomas Farrell & Abigail Thompson

Student Congress

Bridget Zoeckler

Jana Schodzinski

Ava Norman

2026 NCFL Grand National Tournament - Washington, DC

Wichita

Director: Aaron Schopper

Marmaton Valley High Halie Luken
McPherson High School Aaron Schopper

Dramatic Performance

Elizabeth Britting

Duo Interpretation

Brenna Sullivan & Oliver Bowman
Avery Unruh & Landon Davis
Dylan Bruce & Celaine Worden

Extemporaneous

Sophia Heim

Oral Interpretation

Kamryn Carver
Ellis Frye

Original Oratory

Anne-Marie Holmes
Hendrix Nelson
Stephanie Fonseca
Colin Ard

Policy Debate

Abilene Frye & Eliza Jex

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Wilmington

Director: Susan Hayes

Avon Grove Charter School Ian Ernst Klink
Charter School of Wilmington Susan L. Hayes
Dover High School Sharnette Carter
Mot Charter School Michael Ashley
Newark Charter High School Tim Jadick; Joy Schwab

Dramatic Performance

Emily Zhou

Duo Interpretation

Zionne Malloy & Mashira Phelps

Extemporaneous

Eesha Potireddy

LD Debate

Ruchika Yerram

Joanna Li

Original Oratory

Aarush Rohit

Public Forum

Hareeth Dhayanandh & Aayush Singh

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Winona

Director: Travis Rother

Apple Valley High School Scott Voss, Tzitel Voss,
Nick Smith, Liv Sherman, Zuber
Mohamed, Sofia Ishal,
Zach Brown, Uzo Ngwu,
Tessa Dahlgren Larsson, Jonah

Chanhassen High School Tali Sinjem, Anna Bullock,
Kiley Eichelberger

Declamation

Oliviah-Nikole Cook
Anisah Somerville
Andrew Williams

Dramatic Performance

Kennedy Seibert
Amelia Ugas

Duo Interpretation

Caroline Williams & Isaac Rossow
Hanna Husen & Mas'ud Hirsi

Extemporaneous

Clark Hazard

LD Debate

Zachary Craig
Joshua Bonilla Rivera
Nitya Khullar
Jackson Hildreth
Oliver Joncas

Oral Interpretation

Tinbete Tessema
Maab Mohamed Ali

Original Oratory

Louisa Kingsbury
Iman Mohamed
Isra Yasin

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Worcester

Director: Chris Sheldon

Al Hamra Academy HS Nisreen Ameer and Maleka Basith

Bancroft School Chris Sheldon and Pam Sheldon

Natick High School Sarah Donnelly, Joyce Albert,
Amanda Parker

Shrewsbury Marc Rischitelli, Gabriel Hopkins,
Hannah Hopkins, Craig Powers,
Jeremy Lambert, Brady McCue,
Lisa Liubovich

Declamation

Aleena Haq
Alysa Lirio
Nishka Trivedi
Irina Biswas
Mishka Chellappa

Dramatic Performance

Lilly Wolf
Megan Calnan
Mia Muchnik
Annie DeFalco

Duo Interpretation

Thaniska Sureshkumar Praveena & Azma
Chilli
Sarah Lababidi & Talia Lababidi
Gracie McGinty & Phoenix Dresner
Jude Shadid & Nashmia Huq

Oral Interpretation

Arthi Kannan
Melanie Kagari
Sreshta Dittakavi
Bhavishka Yadanaparathi
Stella Young

Original Oratory

Laksha Balaji
Sembiyan Poongundran
Arpita Thomas
Shamika Sureshkumar
Diya Sankar

Public Forum

Ben Avitzur & Dylan Benoit
Doris Yu & Christa Belev
Corin D'Orsi & Emmalynn Lam
Arnab Karanjit & Daniel Ibraev
Jeremy Therien & Adwait Acharya

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Extemporaneous

Vikram Angiras
Pradnya Cowlagi
Pranav Gundu
Shamini Biju
Nithin Praburam

LD Debate

Saabir Ameer

Student Congress

Tahiya Rahman
Arya Suryanarayan
Joseph Peng
Sanjhbati Das
Maggie Lee