

HARKER MIDDLE SCHOOL SPEECH DEBATE TOURNAMENT

Dec 5 - 6, 2015

Harker Quentin Clark (Quentin Clark) vs Stratford Independant Mohul Aggarwal (Mohul Aggarwal)

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QUENTIN CLARK MOHUL AGGARWAL
AFF NEG

Winner: QUENTIN CLARK debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Ryan Monaghan / YG

Other judges on panel: Anindita Banerjee, Wensheng Sun. Please do not start until all judges are present.

AFF

CONSTRUCTIVE

- 1- LEGAL LEGITIMACY
- 2- LAST LINE OF DEMOCRACY TOWARDS UNJUST LAWS
- 3- JUDGES SHOULD GIVE JURY NULLIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS
- 4- RESULT WILL NOT BE ANARCHY - REGENERATIVE OF TRUST IN LAW/LEGAL SYSTEM
- 5-

CASE EXAM

- JURY NULLIFICATION HOW DOES IT LEAD TO ANARCHY?

REBUTTAL

- ARBITRARINESS BY JURY IS BALANCED AGAINST ARBITRARINESS OF JUDGES, OF CONGRESS
- CHANGING LAW V. NULLIFICATION => DIFFERENT LEVELS OF ANARCHY
- "SHOULD USE" IS RELEVANT

REBUTTAL

- APPLY LAWS NOT MAKE/CHANGE LAWS.

NEG

CASE EXAM

- 1 value/criteria - Utilitarianism; JUSTICE
- 2 LEGAL LEGITIMACY
 - JURY/SOCIAL PERCEPTION V LEGAL SYSTEM WORKINGS
- MIGHT HAVE HAD SLIGHTLY MORE EFFECTIVE LINES OF QUESTIONS

CONSTRUCTIVE

- FRAMEWORK JUSTICE
- VALUE CRITERION
- 1 ARBITRARY & UNDEMOCRATIC - NOT THEIR RIGHT OR DUTY

2 INEFFECTIVE & ANARCHISTIC

- SLIPPERY SLOPE
- 3 IGNORES VICTIMS OF CRIME - EMPT TILL
 - EXAMPLES AGAINST NULLIFICATION
- WELL-CRIMED

- ATTACK UTILITARIANISM VALUE PROPOSITION
 - BIT OF A STRUT
- PRESSES THERE ARE OTHER WAYS TO ACCOMPLISH THE EFFECT OF NULLIFICATION

REBUTTAL

- AFF fails to counter imposed on victims of crime
- NEG - UNCLEARNESS OF NULLIFICATION APPLICATION

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BASIS Independent Silicon Valley
Lakshmi Balram (Lakshmi Balram)

Harker Rishab Parthasarathy (Rishab Parthasarathy)

AFF

NEG

Winner: LAKSHMI BALRAM debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: RYAN MONAGHAN / 46

Other judges on panel: Anindita Banerjee, Wensheng Sun. Please do not start until all judges are present.

- AFF ① JURY NULL BALANCES LAW, GOVERNMENT JUR-BEARING
- JURY NULL IS EFFECTIVE & NOT ABUSED BY JURORS
 - JURY NULL ALLOWS FOR DEMOCRATIC IDEALS IN COURTROOM - BETTER DECISIONS THAT ARE MORE BRAVELY BASED
 - JURY NULL IS LAST RESORT
 - APPEAL TO EMOTIONS, ON NON-VIOLENT LIFE SENTENCES BEING
- NEG - CROSS EXAM - PRO - POWER NOT A RIGHT
- CON - LINE OF QUESTIONING ON WHY JURY & NOT JUDGE/LEGAL TEAMS => PRO MORE EFFECTIVE IN RESPONSES TO CROSS-EXAM
- NEG - ① GOVERNMENT LEGITIMACY LOSS - NULLIFICATION IS BAND-AID OF ARBITRARINESS
- LEGITIMACY LOSS OF LAW/LEGAL SYSTEM
- ② ANARCHY SLIPPERY SLOPE
- NEED TO WORK ON LINE OF REASONING A TINY BIT
- ③ JUDICIAL NULLIFICATION THEN? WHY NOT THEN? WHY NOT USE JUDICIAL NULLIFICATION INSTEAD OF JURY NULLIFICATION
- AFF CROSS EXAM
- CON WAS ABLE TO RESPOND TO AFF QUESTIONS REASONABLY WILL
 - LEGAL LEGITIMACY FOR JUDICIAL NULLIFICATION V JURY NULLIFICATION
- AFF REBUTTAL
- QUALITY OF LIFE V MORALITY - IS A GOOD THING
 - AFFIRMS THAT JURY NULLIFICATION PROMOTES RULE OF LAW
 - JUDGES LOOKING AT PREVIOUS CASES => THAT IS HOW THEY PROTECT THE LAW, IE THEY ARE SUPPOSED TO DO THIS
- EG REBUTTAL
- JURY NOT EQUAL THE COUNTRY AT LARGE
 - JUDICIAL NULLIFICATION: JUDGES HAVE CONTEXT A JURY NEVER WILL - C ITATION?

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LEE, MANU
ZELMAN

Oh, Sangho
DV Bridge

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Young Genius Diya Aggarwal (Diya Aggarwal) vs Gale Ranch Middle Srisahithi Mannava (Srisahithi Mannava)

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SRAHITHI (GALE RANCH) DIYA (YOUNG GENIUS)
AFF NEG

Winner: DIYA (YG) debating on the NEG
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: [Signature]

Other judges on panel: Ritesh, Sairam Srinivasan. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Common framework, passionate debaters.

Good constructive cases on both sides, but debate degenerated quickly into bickering about details + personal comments. Should try much more to focus on the high-level issues.

In the end, without strong synthesis on either side, I am forced to judge based on what is left on the floor — biases + variability are major issues which may limit ultimate fairness → NEG emphasis on rule of evidence is most convincing.

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Gale Ranch Middle Srisahithi Mannava (Srisahithi Mannava) vs Young Genius Diya Aggarwal
(Diya Aggarwal)

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Srisahithi Diya
AFF NEG
Young Genius
Winner: (Diya) debating on the Neg
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)
Signature: [Signature]

Other judges on panel: Sangho Oh, Ritesh. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Aff const : Very strong points. Good response to x-exam.
Neg cross-exam : good cross-exam. points.
Neg Const : very strong.
Neg. Reb. : good.
Aff cross-exam : good points and good response to depend argument on LD rule violation.
First Aff Reb. : good point on opponent not using Third contention.
2nd Neg Reb. : Strong rebuttal & clear points. Good counterparts with key examples.
2nd Aff Reb. : strong Rebuttal. clear points.

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Ritesh,
DV

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(Srisahithi Mannava)

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SRI SAHITHI MANNAVA DIYA AGGARWAL
AFF NEG

Winner: SRI SAHITHI M/GALE debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: [Signature]

Other judges on panel: Sangho Oh, Sairam Srinivasan. Please do not start until all judges are present.

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Harker Sachin Shah (Sachin Shah) vs Golden State Kaushik Jasti (Kaushik Jasti)

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Kaushik

AFF

Kaushik Sachin

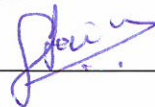
NEG

Winner: Harker

School/Team

debating on the ~~Aff~~ Neg

Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: 

Other judges on panel: Sangho Oh, Ritesh. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Aff Const : clear definitions, clear stand,

Neg Cross-Exam : Very good cross-exam strong questions.

Neg Const : Very good examples, good statistics,

Neg Rebuttal : good rebuttal with clear points.

Aff Cross-exam : intense cross-exam, but good response from AFF. (one weak point → mention on minutes but no clear example)

First Aff Reb : strong points with very clear points.

2nd Neg. Reb. : good example on why alternative is better. Strong conclusion.

2nd Aff Reb. : Good strong conclusion.

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Srinivas Mamnava
Sun, Wensheng
Young Genius

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DV Bridge
(DVHS)

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Stratford Independant Mohul Aggarwal (Mohul Aggarwal) vs Harker Quentin Clark (Quentin Clark)

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Harker Quentin Clark

AFF

Mohul Aggarwal

NEG

Winner: Mohul Aggarwal debating on the NEUT.
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Srinivas Mamnava

Other judges on panel: Anindita Banerjee, Kumar Kartikeya. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Mohul: he is good debater and provided good framework and explained why his specific framework should be used to evaluate the round and he responds in effective way to the opponents framework. he provides good evidence to support his arguments. he is good at offensive argumentation.

Clark: he needs to improve to support his framework and his statements when opponents does cross checks

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JRINIVASULU VEGGUMUDI, DV BRIDGE

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Banerjee, Anindita
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(NEG) Stratford Independant Mohul Aggarwal → Harker Quentin Clark (Aff)

Winner: Stratford Independant Mohul Aggarwal debating on the NEG Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Hima Bindu.V.

Other judges on panel: Kumar Kartikeya, Wensheng Sun. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Mohul Aggarwal

Presented and established his case more confidently.

Overall, we would vote

Harker Quentin Clark

was bit too fast and not too clear at times.

for Mohul Aggarwal's NEG.

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Srinivas Mananava

~~Sun, Wensheng~~

Young Genius

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Bridge

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BASIS Independent Silicon Valley
Lakshmi Balram (Lakshmi Balram)

Harker Rishab Parthasarathy (Rishab
Parthasarathy)

AFF

NEG

Winner: Lakshmi Balram debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Srinivas Mananava

Other judges on panel: Anindita Banerjee, Kumar Kartikeya. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Lakshmi: she did well structured argumentation. she is good debater. she is good at her arguments and also refuting their opponents points. she established good claim and responds their opponent claim and she explained very effective way why her argument is true and an impact and explained why her argument is matter. all her arguments are properly formulated arguments.

Rishab: Rishab needs to improve ^{at} present his argumentation.

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~~Banerjee, Anindita~~

~~TCA~~

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Harker Rishab Parthasarathy (Rishab
Parthasarathy)

AFF

NEG

Winner: Harker Rishab Parthasarathy debating on the NEG
School/Team Side (Aff of Neg)

Signature: Hina Bindu V.

Other judges on panel: Kumar Kartikeya, Wensheng Sun. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Lakshmi

Neatly Established her case
She had defended her conten-
tions in the cross-ex swces
sbuly and managed to give
convincing answers/justifications
Bit too fast with her speech.
So can slow down a little
bit.

Rishab

Established his case with good examples.
Cross ex - Answered all the questions
with supporting examples and
studies.
Brought up a very good point that
that the judges go through the
past cases to come up with fair
and good judgement.
Overall, Rishab's case was more
convincing to me.

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~~Bain~~
Bain, Gavin
Milpitas

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Dougherty Valley Bridge
Kabir AFF Dubey

Young Genius Joanne Park
NEG

Winner: Dougherty Valley Bridge Kabir Dubey debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: [Signature]

Other judges on panel: Shefali Chinni, Devendra Joshi. Please do not start until all judges are present.

lost judges during CX

~~debate~~ considerable of per
jury standards
jury credible
charged on law cases of
problems
what is justice
respects knowledge
law searching
67% of officials corrupt

bias
officials vs jurors

equally knowledgeable
means → everyone
knows the same amount
don't bother restating resolution
certifications
- based on implicit & hidden stereotypes
gender, nationality, status
98% of bias trials are unrecusable
what is justice
categorization

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Dougherty Valley Bridge Kabir Dubey

AFF

Young Genius Joanne Park

NEG

Winner: Dougherty Valley Bridge KD debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: 

Other judges on panel: Gavin Bain, Shefali Chinni. Please do not start until all judges are present.

AFF

NEG

- In speeches sound a bit more formal
- don't say "the reason they would have won..."
- You repeated the word "right" and "okay" a lot
- Won on "rule of law contradicts the people if people are biased" point
- Social contract was a very nice point
- Stats. on "corrupted officials" was a bit vague
- Be careful not to speak too fast in front of inexperienced judges

- Won on the "law must be consistent" point
- Good point on the "subconscious bias"
- good cross-ex. questions
- Lost the officials vs. jury point because of no statistics
- I liked your point on more experience amongst officials

- Great round, was very close, so good job to both sides

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Prasad, Anil
Chinni, Shefali
Harker

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Young Genius Joanne Park (Joanne Park) vs Dougherty Valley Bridge Kabir Dubey (Kabir Dubey)

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Dougherty Valley Bridge Young Genius Joanne Park
Kabir Dubey AFF NEG
Winner: Kabir Dubey debating on the Aff
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Anil

Other judges on panel: Gavin Bain, Devendra Joshi. Please do not start until all judges are present.

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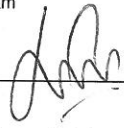
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KAUSHIK JASTI SACHIN SHAH
AFF NEG

Winner: SACHIN SHAH, HARKER debating on the NEG
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: 

Other judges on panel: Sangho Oh, Sairam Srinivasan. Please do not start until all judges are present.

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Golden State Kaushik Jasti (Kaushik Jasti) vs Harker Sachin Shah (Sachin Shah)

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KAUSHIK (Golden State) SACHIN (Harker)
AFF NEG

Winner: SACHIN (Harker) debating on the NEG
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: [Signature]

Other judges on panel: Ritesh, Sairam Srinivasan. Please do not start until all judges are present.

SPIRITED DEBATE. BOTH GOOD SPEAKERS.

Common framework.

Aff had no good answer for ~~an~~ ^{an} ~~alternative~~ ^{alternative}, which minimizes many of the liabilities of ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~jury~~ ^{jury} ~~utilization~~ ^{utilization} while retaining the advantages. RE: Utilization.

Aff should focus more on direct refutation of specific counter arguments (eg Neg's points about a jury's ability to represent the populace).

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Young Genius Surbhi Bhat (Surbhi Bhat)

AFF

NEG

Winner:

School/Team

debating on the

Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature:

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Bhat

work at judges during CX

Joshi

you should ask him
what percent of justice
is, to give you percent
or in justice but

not together

Joshi's sympathize, but
you go free, use logic
not emotion

medical malpractice

Joshi's case based

- Joshi's are not randomly
picked

In criminal justice
criminal malpractice
redacted

lawyer's job is to make
sure client gets his
way - red to expand

Ask your part! don't ask

case for unjust instances
fugitive slave law prosecutors
Joshi's don't follow democracy
Joshi's no say in case w/o
jury null?

Placa v Longoria → framed white

racial bias → bring up evidence

18% are black
but 40% in

when she says
facts only

issues are black

serout by saying that the judiciary
punishment is based off misprints
people, simply applying logic to
just as lines bias

- brought up that Joshi's were
not randomly picked

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Young Genius Surbhi Bhat (Surbhi Bhat)

AFF

NEG

Winner: Golden State Josh Sanyal debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Other judges on panel: Gavin Bain, Shefali Chinni. Please do not start until all judges are present.

AFF

NEG

- Point on judges = jury was a really good point
- Stress that justice is equal to morality more
- Preferably go down your opponent's contentions in order
- Didn't refute NEG's racial bias point
- Lost the value part on justice ~~because of~~ because of lack of stress on them being equal. If both FW are equal, then it is easier to directly prove your points right and opponent's points
- Rebuttal about medical malpractice article could have been stronger. Target but it is hypothetical etc.

- Your points for refutes can be even stronger. Don't let them trail off, extend things you have an advantage in.
- During cross-X, remember to stand up for yourself. Don't be rude, but make sure you still get a word in about your side/points
- refute to "morality" value was good
- case was interesting/unique
- "amygdala" point -> be careful about the point of how that means ALL people including officials are biased
- "lawyers" point was flawed to AFF as lawyers do work for client, but in the end it's because they are paid to do so

OVERALL: GREAT ROUND! It was extremely difficult to decide. Both had very good points, refutes, and great speaking. Good questions in cross-ex. too

AFF - 2nd rebuttal / last speech was very well organized, I liked how you covered everything

NEG - Very nice questions in cross-ex. I liked how you carried over all your points throughout all your speeches

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Young Genius Surbhi Bhat (Surbhi Bhat)

AFF

NEG

Winner:

~~Surbhi Bhat~~
Josh Sanyal
School/Team

debating on the

~~NEG~~ Aff
Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature:

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Winner Grace Huang Aff
TCA

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TCA Grace Huang (Grace Huang) vs Golden State Katia Nagarajan (Katia Nagarajan)

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GRACE HUANG

AFF

KATIA NAGARAJAN

NEG

Winner: GRACE HUANG School/Team debating on the AFF Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Anuj

Other judges on panel: Bhativrase, Zarek Drozda. Please do not start until all judges are present.

AFF

V- Justice (behavioral Moral/fair)

C1 -

C2 - Key to democracy

C3 - Solves ^{exceptions to rules} ~~problems~~ ^{substantive} ~~style~~

Neg did not ask many questions during cross-x. Or was weak. cross-x.

Aff asked during cross-x that Neg did not respond to 2nd & 3rd contentions & Neg agreed

Good closing speech.

- I gave it to AFF (AFF wins) as she was able to convey her case point of view more clearly & asked got agreement from Neg that 2 of her contentions were not responded by Neg

- Good speaker.

NEG

V- Social contract (Just Society)

C1 - Overwrite the majority will of system democracy.

C2 - Greater Injustice (Unconstrained)

C3 - Faith in Criminal Justice will be less

- Took 15 sec more than allotted time during cross-x Neg confirmed the ~~did not respond to 2nd~~

- Contentions & 3rd for AFF case.

- Other questions were answered by Neg

Rebuttal was neg was good

Final closing speech was good. She tried to answer Aff's 2nd & 3rd contentions & give some examples/evidence. Then she tried to focus her own case. ~~gave new evidence which is not allowed as per debate rules.~~

- Good speaker

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TCA Grace Huang (Grace Huang) vs Golden State Katia Nagarajan (Katia Nagarajan)

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Grace Huang Katia Nagarajan
AFF NEG

Winner: TCA / Grace Huang debating on the Aff
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Zarek Drozda

Other judges on panel: Anuj Aggarwal, Bhativrase. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Q: 1

RFP:

- Difficult to evaluate bc weak extensions
- Easiest route to ballot = jury nullification is key to democracy bc of
 - grass-roots
 - legitimacy (trusting ppl (loscot))

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Quach, Kevin
~~Mehra, Renu~~
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Dougherty Valley Bridge Kelly Oh (Kelly Oh) vs BASIS Independent Silicon Valley Anirudh Natarajan (Anirudh Natarajan)

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Dougherty Valley Bridge Kelly Oh
AFF

BASIS Independent Silicon Valley Anirudh Natarajan
NEG

Winner: Dougherty Valley Bridge debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: 

Other judges on panel: Gillian Athayde, Raj Pai. Please do not start until all judges are present.

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- AFF's contention on maintaining stability was not clearly rebutted by the NEG
 - The AFF criterion appealed more because she stated that basing a trial solely on laws does not always equate justice
- comments
- Rebuttals on both sides seem to lack confidence; there was a lot of "um" and "yeah" and stuttering
 - speeches lacked some organization

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Athayde, Gillian
Brooks

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KELLY OH AFF ~~ANIRUDH NATARAJAN~~ ANIRUDH NATARAJAN NEG

Winner: DOUGHERTY VALLEY BRIDGE debating on the AFF
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: KELLY OH
Gillian Athayde, Brooks

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Young Genius Anirudh Seshadri
(Anirudh Seshadri)

Harker Annie Ma (Annie Ma)

AFF

NEG

Winner: Harker debating on the Neg
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: 

Other judges on panel: Gillian Athayde, Renu Mehra. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Annie Ma: Extremely prepared and well put together.

- Excellent rebuttals, were able to dish them out in your last minute

Anirudh: Gotta rebut her contentions, man

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~~Mehra, Renu~~
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(Anirudh Seshadri)

Harker Annie Ma (Annie Ma)

AFF

NEG

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~~Athayde, Gillian~~
Brooks

HARKER MIDDLE SCHOOL SPEECH DEBATE TOURNAMENT

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Sides are locked due to a previous debate between these entries

Young Genius Anirudh Seshadri
(Anirudh Seshadri)

Harker Annie Ma (Annie Ma)

AFF

NEG

Winner: Harker / Annie Ma debating on the Neg
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Gillian Athayde

Other judges on panel: Renu Mehra, Raj Pai. Please do not start until all judges are present.

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Gale Ranch Middle Kavin Kumaravel (Kavin Kumaravel) vs Dougherty Valley Bridge Twisha Chawla (Twisha Chawla)

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Kavin Kumaravel (30)

~~Twisha~~ Twisha Chawla (28)

AFF

NEG

Winner: Kavin Kumaravel debating on the Aff.
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Rerliq

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(Gale Ranch Middle)

Kavin Kumaravel

- good constructive argumentation.
- ~~pro~~ good response to the cross-ex.
- ~~re~~ powerful cross examination.
- well structured argumentation.
- must stick to the clock,
- better utilization of the prep. time.
- trying too much to insist on the fact that "I won the debate".

(Dougherty Valley)

Twisha Chawla

- negative cross examination can be more effective.
- good rebuttal and points, good presentation of valid contentions.
- can be / pretend to be more confident.
- must address opponent's arguments more clearly.

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Doubles

Lin, Ray
BASIS

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Kavin Kumaravel Twisha Chawla
AFF NEG

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Kavin Kumaravel
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Twisha Chawla
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Amudha Amudha Sairam (Amudha Sairam) vs TCA Rukmini Banerjee (Rukmini Banerjee)

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Amudha Sairam Rukmini Banerjee
AFF NEG

Winner: Rukmini Banerjee debating on the Neg.
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: [Signature]

Other judges on panel: Ray Lin, Mahi Nyalakonda. Please do not start until all judges are present.

(Amudha Sairam) Amudha

- good constructive argument.
- cross examination can be more effective.
- exact framework is missing

(Rukmini Banerjee) TCA

- decent negative cross ex.
- good states
- controlled aggression is encouraged, (controlled emotions.)

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Amudha Sairam
AFF

Rukmini Banerjee
NEG

Winner: Rukmini Banerjee debating on the Neg
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Signature: 

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Amudha Sairam ~~TCA~~ Rukmini Banerjee

AFF

NEG

Winner: Rukmini Banerjee debating on the Neg
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Young Genius Surya Midha (Surya Midha) vs Gale Ranch Middle Mahitha Vuggumudi (Mahitha Vuggumudi)

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Mahitha V. / Gale Ranch
AFF

Surya M. / Young Genius
NEG

Winner: Young Genius / Surya Midha debating on the Neg
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Signature: Paul D. [Signature]

Other judges on panel: Anuj Aggarwal, Lilian Poon. Please do not start until all judges are present.

Aff

- Good aff, may want to use general evidence instead of particular historical examples
- LAC was strong, but you weren't doing enough evidence comparison and while you said your impacts outweigh, you didn't say why.

Neg

- Nice cx questions
- Really strong speaking - presentation skills
- Good line-by-line, very technical
- You focus too much on the Beehives card - the argument isn't super-relevant by the end anyway

☒ look it's your bow-tie! :)

RFD: (Neg)

Easiest argument to resolve is the social bias for the neg: meta-analysis is solid & quality of evidence is specifically weighed over individual examples, biggest offense under format

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MAHITHA VUGGUMUDI

AFF

SURYA MIDHA

NEG

Winner: SURYA MIDHA debating on the NEG
School/Team Side (Aff or Neg)

Signature: Anuj

Other judges on panel: Zarek Drozda, Lilian Poon. Please do not start until all judges are present.

AFF

Justice for all
C1 Fairness, Equality, Justice
① Common Sense
② Democracy: Many states specified
C2: Govt imposes laws
C3: Create good for more people
During cross-X
C2 → question on follow or both
decide what is good/bad for you
Questioned the sense of Bechira
(LD Unit in Utah).

gave good answers, but could not defend "LD Unit in Utah" evidence & Govt is always right

Rebuttal: It was good, but - little weak on defending her own case & attacking opponent.

Final closing speech was to the point, but it was lacking the punch. Somehow, I felt AFF speaker was little nervous towards the final speech, she was very confident in the beginning.

- Good speaker & overall it was slow debate

NEG

a violate democracy principle
C2 Opponents: Due to nullification
- Agreed with all values & value criteria
- Did not agree with "Common Sense" & "democracy"
- Challenged "Utah Bechira Evidence"
- Jury are biased (Majority)
- Examples are outside (1670/1900)

Cross X Answer given by NEG
- Unable to give scenario - evidence
- Constitution vs Govt argument - Was unclear (same for slavery example)
Answer given: gave good response mostly confident speaker & organized

Rebuttal was good & point-to-point. His closing speech was very organized & providing the impact in systematic manner.

- Good Confident Speaker
- In my opinion, NEG wins this debate as he is able to provide more impact & convey the message

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Gale Ranch Middle MV
AFF

Young Genius SM
NEG

Winner: Young Genius SM debating on the Neg
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Signature: Keshav K.

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Note Neg on bias. Meta-analysis was good