

2005 ASAA/First National Bank State High School Drama-Debate-Forensics Competition

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

The following are individuals that placed in the 2005 State High School Drama-Debate-Forensics Championships April 14-16. The names of individual students are followed by their grade in high school and the school that they attend.

DRAMA CATEGORIES

Pantomime

- 1st Paul Morin, 12, and J.R. Cox, 11, Nikiski
- 2nd Jared Lindman, 12, and Andrea Murrow, 9, West Anchorage
- 3rd Matthew Wenger, 11, Whitestone
- 4th Luke Hardee, 11, Whitestone

Solo Acting

- 1st Ben Selvaggio, 10, Whitestone
- 2nd Aneliese Palmer, 9, Chugiak
- 3rd Patrick Ekstrom, 9, Whitestone
- 4th Hannah Winston, 10, Whitestone

Duet Acting

- 1st Katie Fox, 11, and Samuel Gottstein, 11, Service
- 2nd Tatiana Butler, 11, and Josh Ball, 11, Nikiski
- 3rd Jesse Alleva, 12, and Andrea Murrow, 9, West Anchorage
- 4th Thomas Johnson, 12, and David Brescia, 11, Chugiak

Readers' Theatre

- 1st Juneau-Douglas (James Kilcup, 12, Clay Wertheimer, 11, Brenna Heintz, 11)
- 2nd Whitestone (Juan Carlos Giron, 10, Rachel Keller, 10, Luke Hardee, 11, Samuel Woolfolk, 10)
- 3rd Mt. Edgecumbe (Tristan Cannizzaro, 11, Michelle Snyder, 12, Cady O'Brien, 11)
- 4th Service (Mari Rueter, 12, Stuart Raven, 11, Jeffrey Donegan, 12, Kate Diciero, 9)

FORENSIC (SPEECH) CATEGORIES

Extemporaneous Commentary

- 1st Jesse Hughey, 12, Sitka
- 2nd Rita Knorr, 12, Nikiski
- 3rd Emma Aronson, 12, West Anchorage
- 4th Morgan Robinson, 12, West Anchorage

Extemporaneous – Foreign

- 1st Nina Johnson, 12, Chugiak
- 2nd Daniel Gillespie, 11, Service
- 3rd Alex Zinger, Ketchikan
- 4th Karen Boyce, 12, Haines

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Extemporaneous – Domestic

- 1st Alex Richert, 11, West Anchorage
- 2nd Shayne Bargman, 11 Chugiak
- 3rd Chandler O'Connell, Sitka
- 4th Jonathan Kreiss-Tomkins, 10, Sitka

Original Oration

- 1st Hannah Winston, 10, Whitestone
- 2nd Rachel Keller, 10, Whitestone
- 3rd Laura Rooper, 11, Nikiski
- 4th Gareth Olds, 12, West Anchorage

Dramatic Interpretation

- 1st Audrey Dias, 11, Whitestone
- 2nd Gareth Olds, 12, West Anchorage
- 3rd Matthew Wenger, 11, Whitestone
- 4th Michelle Snyder, 12, Mt. Edgecumbe

Duo Interpretation

- 1st Laura Williams, 12, and Daniel Gillespie, 11, Service
- 2nd Diego Henriquez, 12, and Hilary Seeger, 12, Whitestone
- 3rd David Brescia, 11, and Renee Daw, 11, Chugiak
- 4th Josh Ball, 11, and J.R. Cox, 11, Nikiski

Humorous Interpretation

- 1st Diego Henriquez, 12, Whitestone
- 2nd Hillary Seeger, 12, Whitestone
- 3rd J.R. Cox, 11, Nikiski
- 4th Nicholaus Donaldson, 9, Whitestone

Expository Speaking

- 1st Amelia Josephson, 10, West Anchorage
- 2nd Kathryn Zager, 9, Service
- 3rd Chandler O'Connell, Sitka
- 4th Duncan Arie, 10, West Anchorage

DEBATE CATEGORIES

Public Forum Debate

- 1st Cara Ekstrom, 12, and Juan Carlos Giron, 10, Whitestone
- 2nd Shayne Bargman, 11, and Matt Smith, 11, Chugiak
- 3rd Justin Birchell, 10, and Duncan Arie, 10, West Anchorage
- 3rd Patrick Ekstrom, 9, and Nicholaus Donaldson, 9, Whitestone
- 4th Adrienne Wilber and Emily Corso, 11, Sitka
- 4th Heather Prentice-Walz, 11, and Brenna Heintz, 11, Juneau-Douglas
- 4th Clay Wertheimer, 11, and James Kilcup, 12, Juneau-Douglas
- 4th Iris Kemp, 10, and Erica Edmond, 11, Haines

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Policy (CX) Debate

- 1st Samuel Gottstein, 11, and Daniel Gillespie, 11, Service
- 2nd Laura Rooper, 11, and Paul Morin, 12, Nikiski
- 3rd Emma Aronson, 12, and Morgan Robinson, 12, West Anchorage
- 3rd Alex Richert, 11, and Maia Anderson, 10, West Anchorage
- 4th Anastasia Jurasek, 10, and Mackenzie Broquet, 9, Dimond
- 4th Jessie Bowlin, 10, and Tasha Thompson, 9, Nikiski
- 4th Jennifer Blankenship, 11, and Brianna Tittle, 11, Dimond
- 4th Tatiana Butler, 11, and Erica Thye, 11, Nikiski

Lincoln-Douglas Debate

- 1st Gareth Olds, 12, West Anchorage
- 2nd Nina Johnson, 12, Chugiak
- 3rd Andy Hughes, 12, Chugiak
- 3rd Whitney Cushing, 12, Homer
- 4th Hillary Seeger, 12, Whitestone
- 4th Karl Wichorek, 10, West Anchorage
- 4th Audrey Dias, 11, Whitestone
- 4th James Greenleaf, 11, Whitestone

Additional recognition - Top 10 Speakers in Policy Debate

1. Jennifer Blankenship, Dimond
2. Daniel Gillespie, Service
3. Tatiana Butler, Nikiski
4. Sam Gottstein, Service
5. Alex richert, West Anchorage
6. Paul Morin, Nikiski
7. Jessie Bowlin, Nikiski
8. Laura Rooper, Nikiski
9. Erica Thye, Nikiski
10. Emma Aronson, West Anchorage

Additional recognition – Top 10 Speakers in Public Forum Debate

1. Nicholas Donaldson, Whitestone
2. Adrienne Wilber, Sitka
3. Shayne Bargman, Chugiak
4. Cara Eckstrom, Whitestone
5. Matt Smith, Chugiak
6. Michaela Hernandez, East Anchorage
7. Robert Keller, Dimond
8. Jonathan Kreiss-Tomkins, Sitka
9. Ian Hoffbeck, Chugiak
10. Justin Birchell, West Anchorage

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TEAM AWARDS

Note: 1A-2A-3A are classes of schools with 400 or fewer students enrolled; 4A is the class of schools with 401 or more students enrolled)

Sportsmanship Award

1A-2A-3A Homer
4A Sitka

Academic Award

1A-2A-3A Wrangell, 3.72 GPA Team Average
4A Chugiak, 3.77 GPA Team Average

First Place - Drama Team Award

1A-2A-3A Whitestone
4A Service

First Place – Forensics Team Award

1A-2A-3A Whitestone
4A West Anchorage

First Place – Debate Team Award

1A-2A-3A Whitestone
4A West Anchorage

4A - Overall Sweepstakes

1st West Anchorage
2nd Chugiak

1A-2A-3A – Overall Sweepstakes

1st Whitestone
2nd Nikiski