

HISTORY DAY, JUNE 19, 2021

National Contest Results



This is a complete list of Arkansas Honorees at the 2021 National History Day Virtual Contest

National Finalist

Rank Nine, Senior Individual Performance

“A Doll’s House: Ibsen’s Play and How it Influenced Feminism Movements and Modern Theater”

Student: Caroline Perry

Teacher: Rachel Primm

School: Pulaski Academy

Rank Nine, Senior Individual Exhibit

“Executive Order 9066: Presidential Communication that Exacerbated Anti-Asian Prejudice in America”

Student: Mikayla Arbeene

Teacher: Jennifer Barnett

School: Conway Junior High School

Rank Nine, Senior Group Website

“Jacob Lawrence: Visually Communicating the Black Experience through Art”

Students: William Romain and Zane Alsebai

Teacher: Alyce Zottoli

School: Little Rock Central High School

Rank Eight, Senior Group Exhibit

“Woodstock, the Voice of a Generation: How the Woodstock Music Festival Was the Key to Communicating Counterculture Ideals to a Broader Audience”

Students: Harrison McCarty and Jake Rogers

Teacher: JimmieKay Riggs

School: Pulaski Academy

NHD Affiliate Outstanding Arkansas Senior Winner

Senior Group Website

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Teacher: Alyce Zottoli

School: Little Rock Central High School

NHD Affiliate Outstanding Arkansas Junior Winner

Junior Group Website

“The White Rose Society: ‘We are your bad conscience’”

Students: Prerana Kodakandla and Sai Manvitha Voruganti

Teacher: Ricky Manes

School: J. William Fulbright Junior High School

Smithsonian Documentary Showcase

Junior Group Exhibit

“I Want My MTV: The Cable Network that Communicated the Culture of a Generation”

Students: Katherine Bender and Emma Dupuy

Teacher: Reagan Goodman

School: Grimsley Junior High School

National History Day Honorable Mention Awards

Honorable Mention awards are presented to entries that ranked in the second place in the first round of national contest judging. While these entries were not eligible for the final round competition, NHD recognizes their exceptional scholarship.

Junior Group Website

“Treaty of Versailles: How Communication with Intentions of Peace Led to World War II and a Genocidal Dictatorship”

Students: Murari Kothagundla and Adityen Shyamkumar

Teacher: Ricky Manes

School: J. William Fulbright Junior High School

National History Day Honorable Mention Awards, cont.

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Junior Individual Documentary

“Titanic’s Communication Catastrophe”

Student: Lance Nolen

Teacher: Lindsey Baker

School: Pulaski Academy

Senior Group Documentary

“The Attica Prison Riot of 1971: Understanding the Plights of the Incarcerated and Communicating the Need for Reform”

Students: Kriti Edala and Presley Brown

Teacher: JimmieKay Riggs

School: Pulaski Academy

Senior Individual Performance

“The Power of Words: Hate Propaganda in the Rwandan Genocide”

Student: Emma Hall

Teacher: Erin Hall

School: Berryville High School

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