2021 History Day Winners – District 3

JUNIOR HISTORICAL PAPERS

1st PLACE: Can You Hear Me? Over”: The Impact of Radio on Aviation
By Kaitlin Jackson
Washburn Rural Middle School: Lindsey Dowell and Alice Bertels, teachers

2nd PLACE: Spy Communication During the Cold War
By Alex Busch
Washburn Rural Middle School: Lindsey Dowell and Alice Bertels, teachers

3rd PLACE: Revolutionizing Long-Distance Communication: The Story of the Electric Telegraph
By Wyatt Humphrey
Topeka Collegiate: Hayley Smith, teacher

SENIOR HISTORICAL PAPERS

1st PLACE: The Cuban Missile: Miscommunication on a Nuclear Scale
By Preston Patton
Northern Heights: Ana Heil, teacher

2nd PLACE: Communication Through Demonstration
By Tyler Tiede
Hayden High School: Ron Vinduska, teacher

3rd PLACE: Communication Breakthroughs in History: The Printing Press
By Abby Dodd
Hayden Catholic High School: Ron Vinduska, teacher

JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITS

1st PLACE: Communication in the Women’s Suffrage Movement Leading Up to the 19th Amendment
By Riley McMillan
Topeka Collegiate

2nd PLACE: The Black Press and the Murder of Emmett Till
By Diana Wolgast
Topeka Collegiate

3rd PLACE: Big Daddy: The Art of Advocating
By Abby Poage
Washburn Rural Middle School: Lindsey Dowell and Alice Bertels, teachers
JUNIOR GROUP EXHIBITS

1st PLACE: The Battle of Midway
By Harper Yeary and Ashlyn Prokop
Seaman Middle School: Jeffrey Schuh, teacher

2nd PLACE: “We Will Not Remain Silent”
By Mary Mena Berland and Abagail Soppe
Seaman Middle School: Jeffrey Schuh, teacher

3rd PLACE: Give Us Free
By Jordan Davenport and Nevaeh Moritz
Seaman Middle School: Jeffrey Schuh, teacher

SENIOR INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITS

1st PLACE: The Cat Behind the Hat
By Bethany Dedonder
Northern Heights: Ana Neil, Teacher

SENIOR GROUP EXHIBITS

1st PLACE: Apollo 13, Houston, We’ve Had a Problem
By Cole Scheer, Daniel Funk, Aiden Butcher, Conner White & Sophia Kramer
Hayden Catholic High School: Ron Vinduska, teacher

2nd PLACE: Edmonia Lewis: The Groundbreaking Sculptress of the 19th Century
By Ellie Noble and Quinn Emert
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nathan McAlister, teachers

3rd PLACE: Space Communication and Development
By Quincy Kennedy and Renae Sturgeon
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nathan McAlister, teachers

JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES

1st PLACE: Why Would They Try to Kill Me For Something I Didn’t Do?
By Jeremiah Moylan
Seaman Middle School: Jeffrey Schuh, teacher

SENIOR INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE—NO ENTRIES
**JUNIOR GROUP PERFORMANCES**

1st PLACE: Hedy Lamarr: More Than Just a Pretty Face  
By Emily Payne, Miley Proplesch, Emma Nord & Ella Shipley  
Seaman Middle School: Jeffrey Schuh, teacher

2nd PLACE: Political Communication in Ancient Rome  
By Jack Ludlum and Sophia Byers  
Robinson Middle School: Jasmine Puderbagh, teacher

3rd PLACE: I Shall Speak: Emma Goldman and Free Speech  
By Campbell Hight and Audrey Appuhn  
Washburn Rural Middle School: Lindsey Dowell and Alice Bertels, teachers

**SENIOR GROUP PERFORMANCES**

1st PLACE: The Women’s Suffrage Movement  
By Anna Brown, Ella Widen, Samantha Resch and Sandra Anguiano  
Hayden Catholic High School: Ron Vinduska, teacher

2nd PLACE: Emeline Piggott: Confederate Spy  
By Miranda Hillebert, Isaac Mead and Trinity Abril  
Hayden Catholic High School: Ron Vinduska, teacher

**JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL DOCUMENTARY**

1st PLACE: A Crusader with a Camera  
By: Bristol Karr  
Washburn Rural Middle School: Lindsey Dowell and Alice Bertels, teachers

2nd PLACE: Lies of the Silver Screen  
By Ava Von Lintel  
Washburn Rural Middle School: Lindsey Dowell and Alice Bertels, teachers

3rd PLACE: Martin Luther: Using Communication Throughout the Reformation  
By Kylie Weir  
Seaman Middle School: Jeffrey Schuh, teacher

**JUNIOR GROUP DOCUMENTARY**

1st PLACE: The Most Dangerous Jew in L.A. Stopping Nazi Communications  
By Anna McLaughlin and Danika Szopinski  
Seaman Middle School: Jeffrey Schuh, teacher

2nd PLACE: The Evolution of the C.I.A.: From None to Number One  
By Grace Everett and Ashley Lee  
Mater Dei Catholic School: Andrea Hillebert, teacher
3rd PLACE  Radar and Sonar: Communicating a Change in War
By Kaelin Loy and Tytus Beam
Seaman Middle School: Jeffrey Schuh, teacher

SENIOR INDIVIDUAL DOCUMENTARY

1st PLACE:  “Love of a Moment”: The Untold Story of Corita Kent
By Anna Brodine
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nathan McAlister, teachers

SENIOR GROUP DOCUMENTARY

1st PLACE:  Richard Nixon’s Visit to China
By Ryan Wurtz, Curtis Morrissey and Alexis Vu
Hayden Catholic High School: Ron Vinduska, teacher

2nd PLACE:  The Tap Code
By Jackson Stuewe and Braden Colley
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nathan McAlister, teachers

3rd PLACE:  Jackie Robinson: An American Hero
By Gavin Wilhelm, Ty Henry and Jake Hilliard
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nathan McAlister, teachers

JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL WEBSITES

1st PLACE:  Cracking the Un crack able
By River McCoy
Washburn Rural Middle Schoo: Lindsey Dowell and Alice Bertels, teachers

2nd PLACE:  Stonewall’s Impact
By Holly Sor renti
Topeka Collegiate: Hayley Smith. teacher

3rd PLACE:  Space Shot
By Zak Ayella
Mater Dei Catholic School: Andrea Hillebert, teacher

JUNIOR GROUP WEBSITES

1st PLACE:  Golden Record: The Search for Interstellar Life
By Stella Kelly and Aliyah Griffith
Topeka Collegiate
2nd PLACE:  Momentous Military Members: Wildlife Assisting Mankind  
Violet White and Emily Lee  
Mater Dei Catholic School

3rd PLACE:  Salem Witch Trials- Miscommunication in History  
By Aditi Nimishakavi and Josie Linn  
Topeka Collegiate

SENIOR INDIVIDUAL WEBSITES

1st PLACE:  Opening the Line of Communication on Racial Inequality in Medicine  
By Alexandra Cannon  
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nate McAlister, teachers

2nd PLACE:  Tulsa Race Riot of 1921  
By Madyson Hardesty  
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nate McAlister, teachers

3rd PLACE:  Calling the Klan  
By Kevin Nguyen  
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nate McAlister, teachers

SENIOR GROUP WEBSITES

1st PLACE:  K-Syndrome: The Disease That Saved  
By Jace Moore and Taylor Tenpenny  
Seaman High School: Susan Sittenauer and Nate McAlister, teachers