



## 2025 National Results

### Top 10 Finalists

#### 4<sup>th</sup> Place- Junior Group Exhibit

**Students:** Jerry Jiang and Samuel Chen

**Project Title:** *Bigotry at the Beach: Unequal Rights and Denied Responsibilities of the Euclid Beach Park Riots*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

#### 8<sup>th</sup> Place- Junior Group Performance

**Students:** Pearl Zhu, Saira Kakumanu and Virginia Bardwell

**Project Title:** *The Glow of Justice: Rights and Responsibilities of the Radium Girls*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

#### 2nd Place- Junior Group Performance

**Students:** Corrado Naples, Nathan Thomas and Yianni Gountis

**Project Title:** *Pieces of the Parthenon: How the Elgin Marbles Carved Controversy Between the Rights and Responsibilities of Cultural Artifacts*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

#### 8<sup>th</sup> Place- Junior Group Website

**Students:** Niko Constantinou and Noah DeLuca

**Project Title:** *From Profit to Protection: How Ralph Nader Championed Consumer Rights and Pressured the Auto Industry into Responsibility*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

#### 2nd Place- Senior Paper

**Student:** Omar Elbadawy

**Project Title:** *The Lane Seminary Rebels: Balancing Rights and Responsibility in the Fight for Abolition and Free Speech*

**School:** Hawken Upper School

**Teacher:** Kenneth Clark

#### 10<sup>th</sup> Place- Senior Paper

**Student:** Victor Wang

**Project Title:** *The Dawn of Diverse Drug Clinical Trials*

**School:** Western Reserve Academy

**Teacher:** Sarah Horgan



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## 7<sup>th</sup> Place- Senior Group Performance

**Students:** Elizabeth Liu, Lyndia Zheng and Shreya Chellu

**Project Title:** *Truth on Trial: The Legacy of Elizabeth Loftus*

**School:** Independent Entry

## Outstanding Entries

### Junior Division

**Students:** Bodi and Gabe Elliott

**Project Title:** *Drawing Change: Charles Schultz, Franklin, and Responsibility in the Fight for Civil Rights*

**School:** Bishop Flaget Middle/High School

**Teacher:** Dana Wiseman

### Senior Division

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**School:** Independent Entry

## Special Award Winners

### Untold Stories in US History

**Students:** Jerry Jiang and Samuel Chen

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**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

## 2025 National Qualifiers

### Junior Group Documentary

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**School:** Bishop Flaget Middle/High School

**Teacher:** Dana Wiseman

**Students:** Danah Jang and Tzurielle Parrino

**Project Title:** *A Responsible Patriot: John Adams and the Rights of Redcoats*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

### Senior Group Documentary



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**Students:** Joshua Chen, Joshua Gordon and Joshua Thomas

**Project Title:** *The Capitol Crawl: Fighting for Disability Rights One Step at a Time*

**School:** St. Ignatius High School

**Teacher:** Joe Ptak

**Students:** Tommy Harkelroad and Will Ferenczy

**Project Title:** *The World's Champion: How Muhammad Ali's Views on War and Equality Impacted the World*

**School:** Huron High School

**Teacher:** John Harkelroad

## Junior Group Exhibit

**Students:** Ingrid Hegley and Ziva Botkin

**Project Title:** *The Anthem that Inspired the World*

**School:** Dominion Middle School

**Teacher:** Lauren Noble

**Students:** Jerry Jiang and Samuel Chen

**Project Title:** *Bigotry at the Beach: Unequal Rights and Denied Responsibilities of the Euclid Beach Park Riots*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

## Senior Group Exhibit

**Students:** Olivia Panciu and Sophia Panciu

**Project Title:** *The Right to Vote: How the 19<sup>th</sup> Amendment Transformed Democracy*

**School:** Independent Entry

**Students:** Bridget Barragate, Demi Burke, Ellie White and Zoeya Chowdhry

**Project Title:** *Plyler v. Doe: Education Without Borders*

**School:** Shaker Heights High School

**Teacher:** Joseph Konopinski, Sarah Davis

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**School:** Independent Entry

**Students:** Nan Auten and Penda Gassama

**Project Title:** *I Speak as an American*

**School:** Shaker Heights High School

**Teacher:** Sarah Davis

## Junior Group Website

**Students:** Henry Petric-Black and Viyan Kshettry

**Project Title:** *Ramp It Up! How the ADA Was Responsible for Granting Rights to Millions of Americans with Disabilities*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

**Students:** Niko Constantinou and Noah DeLuca

**Project Title:** *From Profit to Protection: How Ralph Nader Championed Consumer Rights and Pressured the Auto Industry into Responsibility*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

## Senior Group Website

**Students:** Emma Rush and Scarlet Price

**Project Title:** *Blood Sisters, Roll Up Your Sleeves!: Lesbian Community Action in Spite of Government Inaction During the AIDS Crisis*

**School:** Maysville High School

**Teacher:** Lance McGee

**Students:** Ayat Jaffar, Leanne Zheng, Leen Akas and Linchang Zhao

**Project Title:** *Printing Rights: How Black Newspapers Advocated for Justice in the Jim Crow South*

**School:** Hawken Upper School

**Teacher:** Kenneth Clark



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## Junior Individual Documentary

**Student:** Pricilla Fernandes

**Project Title:** *How Students Changed History: The East LA Walkouts of 1968*

**School:** Genoa Middle School

**Teacher:** Sara Bengé

**Student:** Gabriel Heard

**Project Title:** *Nina Simone: Enforcing the Power of the Human Voice (The Power to Make a Change)*

**School:** Toledo Early College

**Teacher:** Allison Edler

## Senior Individual Documentary

**Student:** Will Stoepfel

**Project Title:** *Coal Run: A Half-Century Struggle for Clean Water*

**School:** Maysville High School

**Teacher:** Lance Mcgee

**Student:** Thomas Worley

**Project Title:** *Beyond the Diamond: How Roberto Clemente Inspired the Next Generation*

**School:** Shaker Heights High School

**Teacher:** Sarah Davis

## Junior Individual Exhibit

**Student:** Jaxon Brobst

**Project Title:** *The Ford Pinto Dilemma: Corporate Responsibility vs. Consumer Rights*

**School:** Toledo Technology Academy

**Teacher:** Katerina Asmus

**Student:** Mira Patel

**Project Title:** *Excavating Rights and Remains: The Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act of 1990*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

## Senior Individual Exhibit

**Student:** Jonathan Pratt

**Project Title:** *Cleveland Public Schools: The Fight For Integration*

**School:** Lutheran West High School

**Teacher:** Dave Ressler



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**Student:** Clare Park

**Project Title:** *Social Security Act: Rights of People and Responsibility of the Government*

**School:** Jerome High School

**Teacher:** Mary Bezbatchesenko

## Junior Individual Performance

**Student:** Zora Asalu

**Project Title:** *Resilient Like a Raisin in the Sun: How Ruby Dee and Ossie Davis Dramatized Theatre to Advance Civil Rights for African-Americans*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

**Student:** Rockam Parrino

**Project Title:** *Howard Lyman: A Mad Cowboy Takes Responsibility for Livestock Rights and Healthy Living*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

## Senior Individual Performance

**Student:** Greyson Hearing

**Project Title:** *Disney's Neglect: How "Song of the South" Distorted the Legacy of the Uncle Remus Story*

**School:** Maysville High School

**Teacher:** Lance McGee

## Junior Individual Website

**Student:** Jana Alzoubi

**Project Title:** *Rupture and Restoration in the Balkans: How the United Nations Took On the Responsibility to Secure Bosnian Rights*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

**Student:** Nelson Kude

**Project Title:** *United States v. Johnson and the Sherley Amendment: Rights and Responsibility in Drug Labeling*

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**Student:** Calvin Lei

**Project Title:** *Ignored Warnings, Lost Lives: NASA's Responsibility in the Challenger Disaster (1986)*

**School:** Hawken Upper School

**Teacher:** Kenneth Clark

**Student:** Yunwoo Choi

**Project Title:** *Medgar Evers: Igniting a Unified World*

**School:** Western Reserve Academy

**Teacher:** Sarah Horgan

## Junior Paper

**Student:** Chrysanthi Constantinou

**Project Title:** *Hazelwood v. Kuhlmeier and Rights v. Responsibilities: Student Journalists Put Their Foot in a Closing Schoolhouse Gate*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

**Teacher:** Joseph Parrino

**Student:** Sofia Sideris

**Project Title:** *Downstream Consequences: Rachel Carson's Silent Spring and the Irresponsible Use of D.D.T.*

**School:** Birchwood School of Hawken

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