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# THE TENTH ANNUAL APPLAUSE AWARDS

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## 2024 Winners

Winners notated with an asterisk(\*) are invited to perform at the 2024 Applause Awards on June 1 and participate in rehearsals May 20–June 1.

**OUTSTANDING MUSICAL WINNERS\***

**Curtains**

Lake Nona High School

**Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812**

Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Once on this Island**

Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Something Rotten!**

University High School

**Sunday in the Park with George**

Montverde Academy

**Xanadu**

Dr. Phillips High School

**OUTSTANDING LEAD WINNERS\***

**Adam Bouchachia**

Aaron Fox  
*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Addison Ochipa**

Wolf/Cinderella's Prince  
*Into the Woods*  
Viera High School

**Amelie Jamie**

Nancy  
*Oliver!*  
Montverde Academy

**Anderson Law**

Baker  
*Into the Woods*  
Viera High School

**Arianna Flores**

Sonya  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812* –  
Natasha Cast  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Brennan Mitchell**

Pierre  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812* –  
Natasha Cast  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Bryce Padilla**

Man in Chair  
*The Drowsy Chaperone*  
Hagerty High School

**Casey Tucker**

Sonya  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812* –  
Natasha Cast  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Cassia Freed**

Mary Poppins  
*Mary Poppins*  
Windermere High School

**Davi Vianna**

Seymour  
*Little Shop of Horrors*  
Freedom High School

**Edson Guerra-Guerrero**

Nigel Bottom  
*Something Rotten!* –  
Omelette Cast  
University High School

**Elizabeth Diez**

Gretchen Weiners  
*Mean Girls: High School Version*  
Cinderella  
*Into the Woods*  
Clio/Kira  
*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Elliana Berry**

Elizabeth Thatcher  
*When Calls the Heart*  
Circle Christian School

**Elliott Davidoff**

Elle Woods  
*Legally Blonde* –  
Harvard Cast  
Windermere Preparatory School

**Emma Cate Davis**

Natasha  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812* –  
Natasha Cast  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Evan Jarvis**

Glover  
*The Lightning Thief: The Percy Jackson Musical*  
Spruce Creek High School

**Evan John**

SpongeBob  
*The SpongeBob Musical*  
Timber Creek High School

**George Eastman**

Anatole  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812* –  
Pierre Cast  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Julia Register**

Janet Van De Graaff  
*The Drowsy Chaperone*  
Hagerty High School

**Kevin Wright**

Papa Ge  
*Once on this Island* –  
Daniel Cast  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Kimara Sapp**

Ti Moune  
*Once on this Island* –  
Daniel Cast  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Lily Downs**

Dot/Marie  
*Sunday in the Park with George*  
Montverde Academy

**Logan Everson**

Jack Kelly  
*Newsies* – Brooklyn Cast  
St. Augustine High School

**Madelynn Roberts**

The Chaperone  
*The Drowsy Chaperone*  
Hagerty High School

**Mekiah Thomas**

Cady Heron  
*Mean Girls: High School Version*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Miguel Palacios**

Danny Zuko  
*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Miles Melanson**

Pierre  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812 – Pierre Cast*  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Norah Perfetto**

Katherine Plumber  
*Newsies*  
University High School

**Olivia De Maio**

Natasha  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812 – Pierre Cast*  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Olivia Smith**

Helena  
*The Dream on Royal Street*  
St. Augustine High School

**Ricardo Rico**

Nick Piazza  
*Fame The Musical*  
Windermere High School

**Robert Myers**

Jack Kelly  
*Newsies*  
Shakespeare  
*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Ryan**

**Bagnolati-Camargo**  
Sonny  
*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Silviana Perrone**

Judy  
*9 to 5 The Musical*  
Cornerstone  
Charter Academy

**Thomas Swonger**

Nick Bottom  
*Something Rotten! – Omelette Cast*  
University High School

**Tyler Price**

Fagin  
*Oliver!*  
Montverde Academy

**OUTSTANDING YOUNG PERFORMERS WINNERS**

**Ariel Ponder**

Little Ti Moune  
*Once on this Island – Ti Moune Cast*  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Beckett Lee**

Oliver Twist  
*Oliver!*  
Montverde Academy

**Dylon Vosburg**

Les  
*Newsies*  
St. Augustine High School

**Jashir Pogue**

Daniel's Son  
*Once on this Island*  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Journee Rose**

Little Ti Moune  
*Once on this Island – Daniel Cast*  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**OUTSTANDING SUPPORTING WINNERS\***

**Aidan Cox**

Orin Scrivello  
*Little Shop of Horrors*  
Freedom High School

**Alejandra Reyes Ochoa**

Calliope  
*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Amelie Jaime**

Old Lady/Blair  
*Sunday in the Park with George*  
Montverde Academy

**Audrey Chang**

Miss Esther Sherman  
*Fame The Musical*  
Windermere High School

**Bianca Toledo**

Melpomene  
*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Charles Curry II**

Danny  
*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Davi Vianna**

Doody  
*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Edson Guerra-Guerrero**

Race  
*Newsies*  
University High School

**Eliza Sechler**

Linda  
*The Wedding Singer*  
Boone High School

**Emarra Hogan**

Mama Euralie  
*Once on this Island – Daniel Cast*  
Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

**Foster Kelly**

Bill  
*Mamma Mia!*  
St. Cloud High School

**Gabriela Gurreonero**

Amy March  
*Little Women*  
Bishop Moore Catholic School

**Haiden Matthews**

Mary  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812* –  
Pierre Cast  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Hamilton White**

George  
*The Wedding Singer*  
Boone High School

**Inna Lind**

Grandma Addams  
*The Addams Family: School Edition*  
East River High School

**Justin Brumell**

Ton Ton Julian  
*Once on this Island* –  
Ti Moune Cast  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Kennedy Kovacs**

Mary  
*Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812* –  
Natasha Cast  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Kensley Marc Cadet**

Lurch  
*The Addams Family: School Edition*  
Tohopekaliga High School

**Kyleigh Fernandez**

Jane Banks  
*Mary Poppins*  
Windermere High School

**Lina Nasr**

Clarisse/Aries  
*The Lightning Thief: The Percy Jackson Musical*  
Spruce Creek High School

**Micah Webster-Bass**

Mama Euralie  
*Once on this Island* –  
Ti Moune Cast  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Micah Wiggins**

Rapunzel's Prince  
*Into the Woods*  
Viera High School

**Morgan McIntyre**

Frenchy  
*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Mylie Mikesell**

Julie Thatcher  
*When Calls the Heart*  
Circle Christian School

**Ryan Bagnolati Camargo**

Aaron Samuels  
*Mean Girls*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Saoirse Brandjes**

Grandma Addams  
*The Addams Family: School Edition*  
Lake Highland  
Preparatory School

**Thomas Tedder**

Ton Ton Julian  
*Once on this Island* –  
Daniel Cast  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**OUTSTANDING SINGER WINNERS\***

**Alaysia Polen**

Matron Mama Morton  
*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
East Ridge High School

**Aubree Grintz**

Roxie Hart  
*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
East Ridge High School

**Caitlyn Nail**

Cinderella  
*Into the Woods*  
Viera High School

**Danielle Farrell**

Julia  
*The Wedding Singer*  
Boone High School

**Elliana Berry**

Elizabeth Thatcher  
*When Calls the Heart*  
Circle Christian School

**Elijah Simms**

Papa Ge  
*Once on this Island* –  
Ti Moune Cast  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Haven Benjamin**

Sam  
*Mamma Mia!*  
Matanzas High School

**Jordyn Kinard**

Jordyn  
*Godspell*  
The First Academy

**Jules Suarez**

Janis Sarkisian  
*Mean Girls*  
Lake Brantley High School

**Kaitlyn Hufstetler**

Catherine Parr  
*Six: Teen Edition*  
Melbourne High School

**Kayla Watson**

Katherine  
*Newises* – Brooklyn Cast  
St. Augustine High School

**Leila Holt**

Wednesday Addams  
*The Addams Family: School Edition* –  
Luna Cast  
East River High School

**Lusdany Molina**

Matron Mama Morton  
*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
Cypress Creek High School

**Marin Nagy**

Baker's Wife  
*Into the Woods*  
Winter Park High School

**Peyton Rios**

Cinderella's Prince  
*Into the Woods*  
Tocoi Creek High School

**Sarah Jordan**

Vivienne Kensington  
*Legally Blonde*  
Windermere  
Preparatory School

**OUTSTANDING ACTOR WINNERS\***

**Anderson Davis**

Emmett Forest  
*Legally Blonde*  
Windermere  
Preparatory School

**Bryce Macon**

Lieutenant Frank Cioffi  
*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Carlos Nunez Sosa**

Gomez Addams  
*The Addams Family:  
School Edition* –  
Luna Cast  
East River High School

**Charles Diestro**

Amos Hart  
*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
Cypress Creek High School

**Daniel Cain**

Christopher Belling  
*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Elijah D'Elena**

Davey  
*Newsies* –  
Brooklyn Cast  
St. Augustine High School

**Eros Sanchez**

Lieutenant Thomas  
*Lady Juliana*  
Montverde Academy

**Fabiana Ferrer-Negron**

Baker's Wife  
*Into the Woods*  
PK Yonge Developmental  
Research School

**Jackson Keller**

Schlomo Metzenbaum  
*Fame: The Musical*  
Windermere High School

**Sofia Gabard Rivera**

Nostradamus  
*Something Rotten!* –  
Tomato Cast  
University High School

**OUTSTANDING DANCER WINNERS\***

**Abigail Akam**

Ensemble  
*Newsies*  
St. Augustine High School

**Addison Burgos**

Ensemble  
*Mean Girls:  
High School Version* –  
Cast A  
Trinity Preparatory School

**Anna Padrino**

Bambi Bernet  
*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Bethany Clayton**

Ensemble  
*Mean Girls:  
High School Version*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Brendan Roop**

Neleus  
*Mary Poppins*  
Ensemble  
*Fame The Musical*  
Windermere High School

**Carly Hyers**

Ensemble  
*Mamma Mia!*  
Matanzas High School

**Carter Wegman**

Damian Hubbard  
*Mean Girls:  
High School Version*  
Hagerty High School

**De'Mari Marsh**

Harv Fremont  
*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Haley Dowd**

Hunyak  
*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
East Ridge High School

**Hayden Catral**

Can Can Dancer  
*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Jan Chacon**

Pepper  
*Mamma Mia!*  
St. Cloud High School

**Lauren King**

Mush  
*Newsies*  
University High School

**Riley Cokeley**

Ensemble  
*Newsies*  
St. Augustine High School

**Will Mrozek**

Featured Dancer  
*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
East Ridge High School

**OUTSTANDING ENSEMBLE WINNERS**

**Curtains**

Lake Nona High School

**Godspell**

The First Academy

**Into the Woods**

Viera High School

**Little Shop of Horrors**

Freedom High School

**Mean Girls:  
High School Version**

Dr. Phillips High School

**Natasha, Pierre, and the  
Great Comet of 1812**

Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Once on this Island**

Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Something Rotten!**

University High School

**The SpongeBob Musical**

Timber Creek High School

**Sunday in the Park  
with George**

Montverde Academy

**When Calls the Heart**

Circle Christian School

**Xanadu**

Dr. Phillips High School

**OUTSTANDING CHOREOGRAPHER WINNERS**

**DeWitt Cooper III**

*Once on this Island*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**EJ Reyes  
& Matthew Nash-Brown**

*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Elise Mele,  
Geri Weinbaum,  
Gladymar Rodriguez  
& Lauren King**

*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Ellie Potts Barrett**

*Natasha, Pierre, and the  
Great Comet of 1812*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Gina Hatch  
& Angel Burrell**

*The Addams Family:  
School Edition*  
East River High School

**Isabella Hutchinson**

*Little Shop of Horrors*  
Freedom High School

**Jason Whitehead**

*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Jenn Stewart**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
East Ridge High School

**Noel Bethea**

*Mamma Mia!*  
Matanzas High School

**Tami Uhrig  
& Danielle Towle**

*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**OUTSTANDING SET DESIGNER WINNERS**

**Alison Dimino**

*The Wedding Singer*  
Boone High School

**Ashley Fisher**

*Six: Teen Edition*  
Horizon High School

**Chip Batko-Medley**

*Beauty and the Beast*  
Tavares High School

**Ethan Roth**

*Mary Poppins  
Fame: The Musical*  
Windermere High School

**James Hinds**

*Six: Teen Edition*  
Melbourne High School

**Jonathan O'Leary**

*Into the Woods*  
Tocoi Creek High School

**Lydia DeBaggis**

*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Paul Denayer  
& Ava Geiger**

*Once on this Island*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Paul Denayer  
& Nick Benwick**

*Natasha, Pierre, and the  
Great Comet of 1812*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Robert Kohn**

*Stone Crossed*  
Trinity Preparatory School

**Sara Probst  
& Jacob Kesten**

*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Sarah Clark**

*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Tom Davis**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
Osceola County  
School for the Arts

**OUTSTANDING LIGHTING DESIGNER WINNERS\***

**Aiden Gjurich**

*SIX: Teen Edition*  
Horizon High School

**Alana Cooper  
& Bob Robins**

*Once on this Island*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Aneesah Fareeduddin  
& Jack Szymanski**

*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Diego Caso**

*Fame The Musical*  
Windermere High School

**Dylan Molitor**

*The Lightning Thief:  
The Percy Jackson Musical*  
Spruce Creek High School

**Jada Ferguson  
& Jennifer Kilgore**

*Natasha, Pierre, and the  
Great Comet of 1812*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Justin Horn**

*The SpongeBob Musical*  
Timber Creek High School

**Lydia Johnson**

*Newsies*  
*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Michael Citrinite**

*Sunday in the Park  
with George*  
Montverde Academy

**Sarah Clark**

*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**OUTSTANDING SOUND DESIGNER WINNERS\***

**Alana Cooper  
& Rick Painter**

*Natasha, Pierre, and the  
Great Comet of 1812*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Angel Cisneros  
& Emily Perez**

*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Elana Young  
& Zachary Lane**

*Sunday in the Park  
with George*  
Montverde Academy

**Ethan Rich**

*The Lightning Thief:  
The Percy Jackson Musical*  
Spruce Creek High School

**Jay Harriss  
& Naomi Buehler**

*Into the Woods*  
PK Yonge Developmental  
Research School

**Mahlee Sutherland**

*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Nicky Wilder  
& Roxy Squibbs**

*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Tyler Gavarinski**

*Godspell*  
The First Academy

**TBD**

*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**OUTSTANDING  
COSTUME DESIGNER  
WINNERS**

**Addi Light**

*When Calls the Heart*  
Circle Christian School

**Ava Geiger  
& Joe Kemper**

*Natasha, Pierre, and the  
Great Comet of 1812*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Casey Perez**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
Cypress Creek High School

**Chris Gagliardi**

*Little Women*  
Bishop Moore  
Catholic School

**Emery Fox  
& Mariana Pinto**

*Beauty and the Beast*  
Tavares High School

**Gail Bartell**

*Mean Girls:  
High School Version*  
Trinity Preparatory School

**Joy Smith**

*Into the Woods*  
Tocoi Creek High School

**Julia Ibarguen**

*The Addams Family:  
School Edition*  
Lake Highland  
Preparatory School

**Onielis Ortiz**

*The Addams Family:  
School Edition*  
Tohopekaliga High School

**Samantha Roberts**

*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Sarah Denise  
O'Quin-Cates**

*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Simone Fisher**

*Six: Teen Edition*  
Horizon High School

**OUTSTANDING HAIR  
& MAKEUP DESIGNER  
WINNERS**

**Ava Geiger & T.J. Foldy**

*Once on this Island*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Ciara McCurdy  
& Yasmin Jawad**

*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Hallington Smith**

*The Addams Family:  
School Edition*  
Lake Highland  
Preparatory School

**Kassandra Kaduru**

*Mary Poppins*  
Windermere High School

**Katie Rinaldi  
& Gauge Spurlock**

*Mean Girls:  
High School Version*  
Lake Brantley High School

**Madison Cortes**

*Into the Woods*  
Winter Park High School

**Olivia Vargas**

*The SpongeBob Musical*  
Timber Creek High School

**Sarah Denise  
O'Quin-Cates**

*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Toula Lovera,  
Gianna Zayas,  
Sofia Gabard Rivera  
& Emma Cutting**

*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Ashley Fisher**

*Urinetown*  
Horizon High School

**OUTSTANDING STAGE  
MANAGER WINNERS\***

**Abbey Griffin**

*Once on this Island*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Annabelle Grindle**

*Fame The Musical*  
*Mary Poppins*  
Windermere High School

**Aubrey Bowen  
& Aurora Gutierrez**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
Osceola County  
School for the Arts

**Brooklyn Croom**

*Newsies*  
St. Augustine High School

**Gia Bhatla**

*The Lightning Thief:*  
*The Percy Jackson Musical*  
Spruce Creek High School

**Isabella Sico**

*The SpongeBob Musical*  
Timber Creek High School

**Jacob Kesten  
& Maddie Freiburger**

*Grease*  
Freedom High School

**Lainey Willingham**

*9 to 5 The Musical*  
Cornerstone  
Charter Academy

**Lilly Gonzalez**

*Little Women*  
Bishop Moore  
Catholic School

**Mekensie Faust**

*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Miriam Mendez**

*The Wedding Singer*  
Boone High School

**Mylka Rosado Ortiz**

*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Phoenix Connick**

*Lady Juliana*  
*Sunday in the Park*  
*with George*  
Montverde Academy

**Victoria Caro**

*The Dream on Royal Street*  
St. Augustine High School

**OUTSTANDING  
ORCHESTRA  
WINNERS\***

**Brian Griffin**

*Natasha, Pierre, and the*  
*Great Comet of 1812*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Erin Mazza**

*Godspell*  
The First Academy

**Jay Dunn**

*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Laurie Bitters**

*Beauty and the Beast*  
Winter Park High School

**Mackenzie Dyckoff**

*Mean Girls:*  
*High School Version*  
Lake Brantley High School

**Michael Clemente**

*Into the Woods*  
Winter Park High School

**Mindy Curtis,  
Cameron Ivie  
& Tammie Combs**

*Mamma Mia!*  
St. Cloud High School

**Sarah Leaman**

*The SpongeBob Musical*  
Timber Creek High School

**Scott Freidberg**

*The Addams Family:*  
*School Edition*  
East River High School

**OUTSTANDING  
MUSIC DIRECTOR  
WINNERS**

**Anthony Felton**

*Once on this Island*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Dean Bell**

*Sunday in the Park*  
*with George*  
Montverde Academy

**Jason Whitehead**

*Mean Girls:*  
*High School Version*  
*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Jay Dunn & Alex Mendez**

*Something Rotten!*  
University High School

**Joshua Cook**

*Natasha, Pierre, and the*  
*Great Comet of 1812*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Justin Chase**

*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Michael Coppola**

*Into the Woods*  
Viera High School

**Robert Walker**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
East Ridge High School

**Theo Champagne**

*The Drowsy Chaperone*  
Hagerty High School



**OUTSTANDING  
DIRECTOR WINNERS**

**Alex Mendez**

*Something Rotten!*  
*Newsies*  
University High School

**Ashley Fisher**

*Six: Teen Edition*  
Horizon High School

**Christa Whittaker**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*  
East Ridge High School

**DeWitt Cooper III  
& Mike Beaman**

*Once on this Island*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Elizabeth Cortelyou**

*The Addams Family:  
School Edition*  
Lake Highland  
Preparatory School

**Gail Chase**

*Curtains*  
Lake Nona High School

**Jamaal K. Solomon**

*The Drowsy Chaperone*  
Hagerty High School

**Jason Whitehead**

*Xanadu*  
Dr. Phillips High School

**Joe Kemper**

*Natasha, Pierre, and the  
Great Comet of 1812*  
Douglas Anderson  
School of the Arts

**Jonathan O'Leary**

*Into the Woods*  
Tocoi Creek High School

**Ryan Skiles**

*The SpongeBob Musical*  
Timber Creek High School

**2024 LEGACY  
AWARD WINNERS**

**Lake Nona High School**

**Boone High School**

**Freedom High School**

**Lake Highland  
Preparatory School**

**Montverde Academy**

**University High School**

**Timber Creek High School**

**Windermere  
Preparatory School**

The Applause Awards  
*Legacy Award* recognizes  
schools that reach the 10 year  
milestone of participation  
in the program.

Welcome to the Applause Awards...

East River High School  
Viera High School

Congratulations to all of our  
2024 Applause Awards Winners!