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IOWA HIGH SCHOOL  
**MUSICAL THEATER**

## AWARDS SHOWCASE

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**DES MOINES  
PERFORMING ARTS**

# ABOUT THE IOWA HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL THEATER AWARDS

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The Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards (IHSMTA) program celebrates the extraordinary achievements of Iowa's young musical theater artists – from the performers on stage to the musicians and technical crew. We celebrate every school that makes musical theater a part of their students' learning experience.

*"I am so grateful that this program exists! It is growth-focused and helps students (and directors) develop their craft. We've already 'won' when our curtain goes up on opening night."*

**-Kelsey Dinkla,  
Adair-Casey/Guthrie Center**

Throughout the year, students and educators benefit from:

- **LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES** which provide practical instruction.
- **EXPERT FEEDBACK** provided by theater professionals who attend musicals across the state.
- **AWARDS SHOWCASE** uplifting the achievements of schools and students.

The IHSMTA program is designed to be celebratory rather than directly competitive. Any student or school at an outstanding level is recognized for their achievements and multiple honorees may be named in each category as performances merit.



## 2024-2025 SCHOOLS AND PRODUCTIONS



**Adair-Casey/Guthrie Center High School**  
THE SOUND OF MUSIC



**Adel DeSoto Minburn High School**  
DISNEY'S NEWSIES



**Albia High School**  
YOU'RE A GOOD MAN,  
CHARLIE BROWN (REVISED)



**Ames High School**  
DISNEY AND CAMERON  
MACKINTOSH'S MARY  
POPPINS



**Anamosa High School**  
THE HUNCHBACK OF  
NOTRE DAME



**Ankeny Christian Academy**  
MY FAIR LADY



**Ankeny High School**  
MAMMA MIA!



**Aplington-Parkersburg High School**  
GODSPELL - 2012  
REVISED VERSION



**Assumption High School**  
THE SOUND OF MUSIC



## 2024-2025 SCHOOLS AND PRODUCTIONS



**Ballard High School**  
**THE ADDAMS FAMILY**



**Bishop Garrigan High School**  
**THE DROWSY CHAPERONE**



**Bondurant-Farrar High School**  
**ONCE UPON A MATTRESS**



**Boone High School**  
**SHREK THE MUSICAL**



**Boyer Valley High School**  
**THE ADDAMS FAMILY**



**Calamus Wheatland High School**  
**YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN (REVISED)**



**Carlisle High School**  
**ONCE UPON A MATTRESS**



**Carroll High School & Kuemper Catholic High Schools**  
**WEST SIDE STORY**



**Cedar Rapids George Washington High School**  
**HELLO, DOLLY!**





**Charles City High School**  
THE DROWSY CHAPERONE



**Clarion-Goldfield-Dows High School**  
DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST



**Clarke Community High School**  
THE ADDAMS FAMILY



**Clear Creek Amana High School**  
DISNEY'S NEWSIES



**Coon Rapids-Bayard**  
BIG FISH



**Creston High School**  
CATCH ME IF YOU CAN



**Dallas Center-Grimes High School**  
ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL



**Danville Community High School**  
ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL



**Davenport Central High School**  
HAIRSPRAY

## 2024-2025 SCHOOLS AND PRODUCTIONS



**Davenport North High School**  
SWEENEY TODD:  
THE DEMON BARBER  
OF FLEET STREET



**Des Moines Abraham Lincoln High School**  
GREASE: SCHOOL EDITION



**Des Moines Christian School**  
DISNEY'S THE LITTLE  
MERMAID



**Des Moines East High School**  
RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S  
CINDERELLA (BROADWAY  
EDITION)



**Des Moines Hoover High School**  
DISNEY'S NEWSIES



**Des Moines Theodore Roosevelt High School**  
ANNIE



**Dowling Catholic High School**  
SHREK THE MUSICAL



**Dubuque Senior High School**  
DIRTY ROTTEN  
SCOUNDRELS



**Earlham High School**  
SCHOOL OF ROCK





**Edgewood-Colesburg High School**  
**HORROR HIGH:**  
**THE MUSICAL**



**Exira-EHK High School**  
**FREAKY FRIDAY**



**Forest City High School**  
**ONCE UPON A MATTRESS**



**Fort Dodge Senior High School**  
**ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL**



**Gilbert High School**  
**THE SECRET GARDEN**



**Gladbrook-Reinbeck High School**  
**SISTER ACT**



**Grand View Christian School**  
**THE MUSIC MAN**



**Greene County High School**  
**DISNEY'S THE LITTLE MERMAID**



**Griswold High School**  
**LEGALLY BLONDE JR.**



## 2024-2025 SCHOOLS AND PRODUCTIONS



**Grundy Center High School**  
HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL:  
ON STAGE



**Hudson High School**  
ANYTHING GOES (2022  
REVISION)



**Humboldt High School**  
THE MUSIC MAN



**Indianola High School**  
FOOTLOOSE



**Iowa City West High School**  
THE SOUND OF MUSIC



**Iowa Falls-Alden High School**  
ANYTHING GOES



**Johnston High School**  
MEAN GIRLS



**Knoxville Community  
High School**  
SEUSSICAL



**Lewis Central High School**  
INTO THE WOODS



**MFL MarMac Community High School**  
FREAKY FRIDAY



**Mid-Prairie High School**  
ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA  
THE MUSICAL



**Montezuma Jr/Sr High School**  
DISNEY'S BEAUTY  
AND THE BEAST



**Nevada High School**  
DISNEY'S NEWSIES



**North Linn Community High School**  
CHARLIE AND THE  
CHOCOLATE FACTORY



**North Polk High School**  
LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS



**North Scott High School**  
9 TO 5



**Northeast Community High School**  
ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA  
THE MUSICAL



**Northwest Waukee High School**  
ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL

## 2024-2025 SCHOOLS AND PRODUCTIONS



**Norwalk High School**  
RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S  
CINDERELLA (BROADWAY  
EDITION)



**Odebolt Arthur Battle Creek  
Ida Grove High School**  
ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA  
THE MUSICAL



**Ogden High School**  
URINETOWN



**Okoboji High School**  
DREAMLAND



**Osage Community  
High School**  
BYE BYE BIRDIE



**Pella Christian High School**  
FIDDLER ON THE ROOF



**Pella Community High School**  
FREAKY FRIDAY



**Perry High School**  
THE 25TH ANNUAL PUTNAM  
COUNTY SPELLING BEE



**Pleasant Valley High School**  
THE SPONGEBOB MUSICAL





**Pleasantville High School**  
MARY POPPINS JR.



**Red Oak High School**  
INTO THE WOODS



**Regina Catholic High School**  
THE ADDAMS FAMILY



**Roland-Story High School**  
ANYTHING GOES



**Shenandoah High School**  
GUYS AND DOLLS



**Sioux City North High School**  
LITTLE WOMEN



**Sioux City West High School**  
DISNEY'S THE LITTLE  
MERMAID



**Siouxland Christian School**  
RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S  
CINDERELLA (BROADWAY  
EDITION)



**South Hardin High School**  
FREAKY FRIDAY

## 2024-2025 SCHOOLS AND PRODUCTIONS



**Southeast Polk High School**  
THE ADDAMS FAMILY



**Southeast Valley High School**  
ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL



**Southeast Warren High School**  
THE WIZARD OF OZ  
(YOUTH EDITION)



**Spencer High School**  
GUYS AND DOLLS



**Tipton High School**  
DISNEY'S NEWSIES



**Union High School**  
FREAKY FRIDAY



**Urbandale High School**  
MAMMA MIA!



**Van Meter High School**  
DISNEY'S BEAUTY  
AND THE BEAST



**Wahlert Catholic High School**  
ANYTHING GOES





**Wapsie Valley High School**  
GREASE



**Waukee High School**  
PIPPIN



**Waukon High School**  
DISNEY AND CAMERON  
MACKINTOSH'S MARY  
POPPINS



**West Des Moines Valley High School**  
ANYTHING GOES  
(2022 REVISION)



**Williamsburg Jr/Sr High School**  
DISNEY'S NEWSIES



**Winterset High School**  
BETWEEN THE LINES



**Woodward-Granger High School**  
CLUE: THE MUSICAL



**Xavier High School**  
RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S  
STATE FAIR

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Ankeny Centennial High School\*  
Cedar Rapids John F. Kennedy High School\*  
Cedar Rapids, Prairie High School\*  
Centerville High School,  
LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS  
Central DeWitt High School\*  
Davenport West High School\*  
Gehlen Catholic High School\*  
Harlan Community High School\*  
Iowa City High School\*  
Le Mars High School\*  
Sioux City East High\*  
West Delaware High School\*

\*Denotes a school that participated through access to learning opportunities only.





## ACT ONE

**Opening** ..... Representatives from Participating Schools

**Ensemble Medley** ..... “Magic to Do” from PIPPIN, Waukee  
“Under the Sea” from DISNEY’S THE LITTLE MERMAID, Sioux City West  
“Seize the Day” from DISNEY’S NEWSIES, Clear Creek Amana

**Spotlight Medley** ..... “Be Our Guest” from DISNEY’S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST,  
Montezuma  
“Magic Foot” from THE 25TH ANNUAL PUTNAM COUNTY SPELLING BEE, Perry  
“Something to Believe In” from DISNEY’S NEWSIES, Williamsburg  
“Poor Unfortunate Souls” from DISNEY’S THE LITTLE MERMAID, Greene County  
“I Know Where I’ve Been” from HAIRSPRAY, Davenport Central

### Behind-the-Scenes Student Features

#### Recognition of Outstanding Community Engagement Recipients

**Ensemble Medley** . . . “Here I Am” from DIRTY ROTTEN SCOUNDRELS, Dubuque Senior  
“Under the Sea” from DISNEY’S THE LITTLE MERMAID, Des Moines Christian  
“Blow, Gabriel, Blow” from ANYTHING GOES, Wahlert Catholic

#### Recognition of Outstanding Overall Performance Recipients

**Spotlight Medley** ..... “A Lovely Night” from RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN’S  
CINDERELLA (BROADWAY EDITION), Siouxland Christian  
“Some Things Are Meant to Be” from LITTLE WOMEN, Sioux City North  
“No More” from INTO THE WOODS, Lewis Central  
“Live Before We Die” from THE ADDAMS FAMILY, Southeast Polk  
“Cop Song” from URINETOWN, Ogden  
“Chop to the Top” from THE SPONGEBOB MUSICAL, Pleasant Valley

#### Recognition of Behind-the-Scenes Award Recipients

**Spotlight Medley** ..... “Easy Street” from ANNIE, Des Moines Theodore Roosevelt  
“My House” from ROALD DAHL’S MATILDA THE MUSICAL, Mid-Prairie  
“In a Crowd of Thousands” from ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL, Fort Dodge  
“Goodbye” from CATCH ME IF YOU CAN, Creston  
“Shy” from ONCE UPON A MATTRESS, Carlisle  
“Santa Fe” from DISNEY’S NEWSIES, Nevada

#### Recognition of Technical Theater Scholarship Recipients and Announcement

**Ensemble Medley** ..... “Megamix” from FOOTLOOSE, Indianola  
“Paris Holds the Key” from ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL, Waukee Northwest  
“Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious” from DISNEY AND CAMERON MACKINTOSH’S  
MARY POPPINS, Ames

INTERMISSION

## ACT TWO

**Ensemble Medley** ..... “9 to 5” from 9 TO 5, North Scott  
“Sit Down, You’re Rockin’ the Boat” from GUYS AND DOLLS, Spencer  
“Put on Your Sunday Clothes” from HELLO, DOLLY!, Cedar Rapids George Washington

### Recognition of Outstanding Overall Technical & Creative Achievement Recipients

**Spotlight Medley** ..... “Put on a Happy Face” from BYE BYE BIRDIE, Osage  
“Under Attack” from MAMMA MIA!, Ankeny  
“Save the People” from GODSPELL – 2012 REVISED VERSION, Aplington-Parkersburg  
“My Petersburg” from ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL, Southeast Valley  
“Don’t Let Me Go” from SHREK THE MUSICAL, Boone  
“You’re The Top” from ANYTHING GOES (2022 REVISION), Hudson

### Behind-the-Scenes Student Features

#### Recognition of Impact Award Recipients

**Spotlight Medley** ..... “Watch What Happens” from DISNEY’S NEWSIES,  
Adel DeSoto Minburn  
“Epiphany” from SWEENEY TODD: THE DEMON BARBER OF FLEET STREET,  
Davenport North  
“I Feel Pretty” from WEST SIDE STORY, Carroll & Kuemper Catholic  
“Sexy” from MEAN GIRLS, Johnston  
“Friendship” from ANYTHING GOES (2022 REVISION), West Des Moines Valley

**Triple Threat Award Medley** ..... 2025 Nominees

#### Announcement of Triple Threat Award Recipients

**Finale** ..... Representatives from Participating Schools

\*Program order as of May 28, 2025. Subject to change.

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Material from the musical THE ADDAMS FAMILY is presented through special arrangement with TRW, [www.theatricalrights.com](http://www.theatricalrights.com).

OPENING selections: “Overture” from GYPSY, “Broadway” from GYPSY, “Let Me Entertain You” from GYPSY, “Puttin’ On the Ritz” from TOP HAT, “Steppin’ Out” from IRVING BERLIN’S HOLIDAY INN, “Tonight” from WEST SIDE STORY, “Something’s Coming” from WEST SIDE STORY, “One” from A CHORUS LINE

TRIPLE THREAT selections: “Waves and Wires” from HOW TO DANCE IN OHIO, “A Soft Place to Land” from WAITRESS, “Oh, The Things You Can Think!” from SEUSSICAL, “Seize the Day” from DISNEY’S NEWSIES, “La Vie Bohème” from RENT, “Roaring On” from THE GREAT GATSBY, “The Lion Has Got No Teeth” from WATER FOR ELEPHANTS, “Nobody” from BANDSTAND, “The Key Is...” from ALICE BY HEART, “Defying Gravity” from WICKED, “Dancing Through Life” from WICKED

FINALE selections: “C’mon, Everybody” from ALL SHOOK UP, “Disco Inferno” from SATURDAY NIGHT FEVER, “Just Like Paradise” from ROCK OF AGES, “Nothin’ But a Good Time” from ROCK OF AGES, “Larger Than Life” from & JULIET

# GUEST ARTISTS

The Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards invites Iowa students to work alongside musical theater professionals to prepare for and execute the Awards Showcase.



**TIGER BROWN** (*Director & Choreographer*) is a choreographer, director, and educator based in NYC. Recent credits include *Ride The Cyclone* (co-pro Arena Stage/McCarter Theater), *Matilda* (Forestburgh Playhouse), *The Lesson* (NY Theater Barn), *Stars in the House* with Seth Rudetsky, and the Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards. Recent associate credits include *Legacy of Light*, *Choice* (McCarter), *Mystic Pizza*, *Rock of Ages*, *Matilda*, *Elf* (John W. Engeman), *Matilda* (1st Regional at Tuacahn Amphitheater), and *Holiday World* (RWS). As a performer, she's worked on the Broadway Nat'l tours of *Beauty and the Beast* and *Elf the Musical*, along with off-broadway and regional credits spanning some of the most prestigious theaters in the US. She has taught numerous master classes across the country and is currently on dance faculty at AMDA and guest faculty at Broadway Dance Center in NYC. Tiger proudly holds a BFA in Drama from NYU Tisch School of the Arts. Oodles of gratitude to Bonnie, Chris, Karoline, and the entire IHSMTA team. Collaborating with you is always a dream. This show is dedicated to every educator that has made an indelible impact in my life. Check out Tiger-Brown.com and @stigerb on IG/Tiktok!



**BONNIE KELLY** (*Associate Choreographer*) is so happy to be back in Des Moines to celebrate another year of the Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards! Director/choreographer credits include *Grease* and *Disney's Newsies* (Ocean City Theater Company) Choreography: *Singin' in the Rain*, *13 the Musical*. Bonnie is on staff at Ovation Dance Studio in Oaklyn, NJ working with their award-winning competitive teams. Most recently Bonnie's choreography has been nominated for the Industry Dance Awards People's Choice. She is also on staff at Powerhouse Dance in Cherry Hill, NJ and both The Walnut Street Theater School of Education and the Kimmel Center in Philadelphia. Bonnie holds her BFA in Musical Theater from Montclair State University. As a performer she has toured the country with *Disney's Beauty and the Beast* (Silly Girl/Babette US/Asst. DC) and *A Chorus Line* (Bebe) under the direction of legendary Baayork Lee. Other Regional Credits: *Nice Work If You Can Get It* (Sacramento Music Circus) and 13 productions at The Walnut Street Theatre in Philadelphia, PA. Most recently the ensemble of *Dreamgirls* and Deb in *Elf*. Many thanks to the incredible team that puts the IHSMTA together and Tiger for bringing me on board.



**MICHAEL KLAERS** (*Lighting Designer*) has served as the lighting designer for the Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards since 2013. Other Des Moines credits include *Triple Espresso*, *Mr. Wonder Boy*, *An Evening with Sutton Foster*, *An Evening with Ashley Brown*, and *Marilyn Maye: Her Own Kind of Broadway* (all at the Temple Theater). Michael's work has been featured at the Idaho Shakespeare Festival, Milwaukee Repertory Theater, Great Lakes Theater Festival, Shakespeare Festival of St. Louis, Shakespeare Santa Cruz, Pacific Conservatory of the Performing Arts, Missouri Repertory Theatre, Indiana Repertory Theatre, Guthrie Theater, Madison Repertory Theatre, The Cricket Theatre, Mixed Blood Theatre, Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park, Seattle Children's Theatre and many others.



**CHRISTOPHER D. LITTLEFIELD** (*Music Director/Conductor/Arranger/Orchestrator*) feels so blessed to be returning to music direct his sixth IHSMTA showcase with so many incredibly talented, kind, and generous people, and beautifully amazing students! His credits include - Broadway: *Spongebob* (vocal coach, rehearsal pianist). Off-Broadway: *Under the Bodhi Tree* (music director, conductor), *Shout!* (keyboard), *Naked Boys Singing* (piano). Nat'l Tours: *The Addams Family*, 9 to 5 (associate conductor, keyboard). Film: *Leonard Soloway's Broadway* (music supervisor, composer, arranger, pianist). Television: *My Time - Oprah Winfrey Network* (music director, arranger, pianist). Studio Recordings: *Glory Days* - Original Broadway cast, *Nikkie Renée Daniels* - "Home," *Scott Alan* - "What I Wanna Be When I Grow Up" (piano, keyboard), *Melissa Maricich* - "Incandescent" (producer, music supervisor, pianist, arranger, orchestrator). For Buckley.



# 2024-2025 AWARDS AND HONORS

## OUTSTANDING MUSICAL PRODUCTION

Ames, DISNEY AND CAMERON MACKINTOSH'S MARY POPPINS  
Cedar Rapids George Washington, HELLO, DOLLY!  
Clear Creek Amana, DISNEY'S NEWSIES  
Des Moines Christian, DISNEY'S THE LITTLE MERMAID  
Dubuque Senior, DIRTY ROTTEN SCOUNDRELS  
Indianola, FOOTLOOSE  
North Scott, 9 TO 5  
Northwest Waukeke, ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL  
Sioux City West, DISNEY'S THE LITTLE MERMAID  
Southeast Polk, THE ADDAMS FAMILY  
Spencer, GUYS AND DOLLS  
Wahlert Catholic, ANYTHING GOES  
Waukeke, PIPPIN

## OUTSTANDING OVERALL PERFORMANCE

Adair-Casey/Guthrie Center, THE SOUND OF MUSIC  
Aplington-Parkersburg, GODSPELL - 2012 REVISED VERSION  
Davenport Central, HAIRSPRAY  
Davenport North, SWEENEY TODD: THE DEMON BARBER OF FLEET STREET  
Des Moines Theodore Roosevelt, ANNIE  
Fort Dodge High School, ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL  
Grand View Christian, THE MUSIC MAN  
Iowa City West, THE SOUND OF MUSIC  
Johnston, MEAN GIRLS  
Lewis Central, INTO THE WOODS  
Montezuma, DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST  
Nevada, DISNEY'S NEWSIES  
Shenandoah, GUYS AND DOLLS  
Siouxland Christian, RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN'S CINDERELLA  
(BROADWAY EDITION)  
West Des Moines Valley High School, ANYTHING GOES (2022 REVISION)

## OUTSTANDING OVERALL TECHNICAL AND CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENT

Carroll & Kuemper Catholic, WEST SIDE STORY  
Odebolt Arthur Battle Creek Ida Grove, ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL  
Okoboji, DREAMLAND  
Pleasant Valley, THE SPONGEBOB MUSICAL  
Red Oak, INTO THE WOODS  
Tipton, DISNEY'S NEWSIES  
Williamsburg, DISNEY'S NEWSIES

## DISTINGUISHED SCENE

Adel DeSoto Minburn, "Seize the Day" in DISNEY'S NEWSIES  
Albia, "Schroeder" in YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN  
Anamosa, "Made of Stone" in THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME  
Ankeny, "Take a Chance on Me" in MAMMA MIA!  
Ankeny Christian, "Ascot Gavotte" in MY FAIR LADY  
Assumption, "Do-Re-Mi" in THE SOUND OF MUSIC  
Ballard, "When You're an Addams" in THE ADDAMS FAMILY  
Bishop Garrigan, "As We Stumble Along" in THE DROWSY CHAPERONE  
Bondurant-Farrar, "Song of Love" in ONCE UPON A MATTRESS  
Boone, "I Think I Got You Beat" in SHREK THE MUSICAL  
Boyer Valley, "Full Disclosure" in THE ADDAMS FAMILY

Calamus Wheatland, "My Blanket and Me" in YOU'RE A GOOD MAN,  
 CHARLIE BROWN (REVISED)  
 Carlisle, "Shy" in ONCE UPON A MATTRESS  
 Centerville, "Skid Row OR Grow for Me" in LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS  
 Charles City, "Fancy Dress" in THE DROWSY CHAPERONE  
 Clarion-Goldfield-Dows, "Gaston" in DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST  
 Clarke, "Full Disclosure" in THE ADDAMS FAMILY  
 Coon Rapids-Bayard, "Be the Hero" in BIG FISH  
 Creston, "Live in Living Color" in CATCH ME IF YOU CAN  
 Dallas Center-Grimes, "The Smell of Rebellion" in ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA  
 THE MUSICAL  
 Danville, "When I Grow Up" in ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL  
 Des Moines Abraham Lincoln, "Greased Lightnin'" in GREASE: SCHOOL EDITION  
 Des Moines East, "Ten Minutes Ago" in RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S  
 CINDERELLA (BROADWAY EDITION)  
 Des Moines Hoover, "The World Will Know" in DISNEY'S NEWSIES  
 Dowling Catholic, "I Think I Got You Beat" in SHREK THE MUSICAL  
 Earlham, "Stick It to the Man" in SCHOOL OF ROCK  
 Edgewood-Colesburg, "Sort of a Complete Genius OR Perfect Senior Year" in  
 HORROR HIGH: THE MUSICAL  
 Exira-EHK, "Just One Day" in FREAKY FRIDAY  
 Forest City, "Swamps of Home" in ONCE UPON A MATTRESS  
 Gilbert, "How Could I Ever Know" in THE SECRET GARDEN  
 Gladbrook-Reinbeck, "Raise Your Voice" in SISTER ACT  
 Greene County, "Poor Unfortunate Souls" in DISNEY'S THE LITTLE MERMAID  
 Griswold, "Omgod You Guys" in LEGALLY BLONDE JR.  
 Grundy Center, "We're All In This Together" in HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL  
 Hudson, "Blow, Gabriel, Blow" in ANYTHING GOES (2022 REVISION)  
 Humboldt, "Trouble" in THE MUSIC MAN  
 Iowa Falls-Alden, "Anything Goes" in ANYTHING GOES  
 Knoxville, "Alone in the Universe" in SEUSSICAL  
 MFL MarMac, "After All of This and Everything" in FREAKY FRIDAY  
 Mid-Prairie, "Revoluting Children" in ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL  
 North Linn, "If Your Father Were Here" in CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE  
 FACTORY  
 North Polk, "Suddenly Seymour" in LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS  
 Northeast Community, "Revoluting Children" in ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE  
 MUSICAL  
 Norwalk, "In My Own Little Corner" in RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN'S  
 CINDERELLA (BROADWAY EDITION)  
 Ogden, "Run, Freedom, Run" in URINETOWN  
 Osage, "Put on a Happy Face" in BYE BYE BIRDIE  
 Pella, "Just One Day" in FREAKY FRIDAY  
 Pella Christian, "To Life" in FIDDLER ON THE ROOF  
 Perry, "The I Love You Song" in THE 25TH ANNUAL PUTNAM COUNTY  
 SPELLING BEE  
 Pleasantville, "Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious" in MARY POPPINS JR.  
 Regina, "Just Around the Corner" in THE ADDAMS FAMILY  
 Roland-Story, "Blow, Gabriel, Blow" in ANYTHING GOES  
 Sioux City North, "Some Things Are Meant to Be" in LITTLE WOMEN  
 South Hardin, "Bring My Baby (Brother) Home" in FREAKY FRIDAY  
 Southeast Valley, "In My Dreams" in ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL  
 Southeast Warren, "Munchkinland" in THE WIZARD OF OZ (YOUTH EDITION)  
 Union, "Just One Day" in FREAKY FRIDAY  
 Urbandale, "Knowing Me, Knowing You" in MAMMA MIA!  
 Van Meter, "Be Our Guest" in DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

Wapsie Valley, "You're The One That I Want" in GREASE  
Waukon, "Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious" in DISNEY AND CAMERON  
MACKINTOSH'S MARY POPPINS  
Winterset, "Allie McAndrews" in BETWEEN THE LINES  
Woodward-Granger, "Corridors and Halls" in CLUE: THE MUSICAL  
Xavier, "Our State Fair" in RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S STATE FAIR

### **OUTSTANDING ENSEMBLE**

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Sioux City West, DISNEY'S THE LITTLE MERMAID  
Siouxland Christian, RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN'S CINDERELLA  
(BROADWAY EDITION)  
Southeast Polk, THE ADDAMS FAMILY  
Spencer, GUYS AND DOLLS  
Van Meter, DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST  
Wahlert Catholic, ANYTHING GOES  
West Des Moines Valley, ANYTHING GOES

### **OUTSTANDING STUDENT ORCHESTRA**

Cedar Rapids George Washington, HELLO, DOLLY!  
Davenport North, SWEENEY TODD: THE DEMON BARBER OF FLEET STREET  
Dubuque High School, DIRTY ROTTEN SCOUNDRELS  
Gilbert, THE SECRET GARDEN  
Indianola, FOOTLOOSE  
Iowa City West, THE SOUND OF MUSIC  
Lewis Central, INTO THE WOODS  
North Polk, LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS  
Northwest Wauke, ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL  
Okoboji, DREAMLAND  
Urbandale, MAMMA MIA!  
Wahlert Catholic, GREASE  
Wauke, PIPPIN  
West Des Moines Valley, ANYTHING GOES (2022 REVISION)  
Winterset, BETWEEN THE LINES  
Xavier, RODGERS & HAMMERSTEIN'S STATE FAIR

### **OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

Lewis Central, INTO THE WOODS  
North Scott, 9 TO 5  
Siouxland Christian High School, RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN'S CINDERELLA  
(BROADWAY EDITION)



### OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE IN A PRINCIPAL ROLE

**Emmarae Ellis** as *Maria Rainer*, Adair-Casey/Guthrie Center  
**Ava Campbell** as *Liesl Von Trapp*, Adair-Casey/Guthrie Center  
**Reyna Shirley-Brown** as *Katherine*, Adel DeSoto Minburn  
**Jordyn Hafer** as *Lucy Van Pelt*, Albia  
**Rashaun Boyer** as *Snoopy*, Albia  
**Zachary Peters** as *Bert*, Ames  
**Elijah Hufford** as *George Banks*, Ames  
**Madie Fischer** as *Mary Poppins*, Ames  
**Naomi Stevens** as *Winifred Banks*, Ames  
**Lilian Monthei** as *Sophie Sheridan*, Ankeny  
**Evan Huegel** as *Rosie*, Ankeny  
**Lucas Weathers** as *Henry Higgins*, Ankeny Christian  
**Jonah Carney** as *Jesus*, Aplington-Parkersburg  
**Katelyn O'Brien** as *Maria Rainer*, Assumption  
**Alyssa Knepel** as *Mother Abbess*, Assumption  
**Isla Van Bergen** as *Morticia Addams*, Ballard  
**Aidan Deitering** as *Aldolpho*, Bishop Garrigan  
**Sacha Alesch** as *Drowsy Chaperone*, Bishop Garrigan  
**Isabelle Edge** as *Princess Winnifred the Woebegone*, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Paige Gossard** as *Queen Aggravain*, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Max Allen** as *Donkey*, Boone  
**Paxton Burch** as *Pinocchio*, Boone  
**Liliana Perry** as *Morticia Addams*, Boyer Valley  
**Peyton Lenhart** as *Princess Winnifred*, Carlisle  
**Logan Rial** as *Tony*, Carroll & Kuemper Catholic  
**Laura Steinkamp** as *Maria*, Carroll & Kuemper Catholic  
**Eloise Prince** as *Irene Molloy*, Cedar Rapids George Washington  
**Jacob Jones** as *Aldolpho*, Charles City  
**Kaity Heckers** as *Janet Van De Graaf*, Charles City  
**Peyton Shields** as *Uncle Fester*, Clarke  
**Carson Brandt** as *Jack Kelly*, Clear Creek Amana  
**Mackenzie Burnett** as *Katherine*, Clear Creek Amana  
**James Cavanary** as *Joseph Pulitzer*, Clear Creek Amana  
**Sariah Sherman** as *Crutchie*, Clear Creek Amana  
**Karley Griffin** as *Medda Larkin*, Clear Creek Amana  
**Lucas Obert** as *Edward Bloom*, Coon Rapids-Bayard  
**Carson Beer** as *Frank Abagnale Jr.*, Creston  
**Hunter Quandt** as *Mr. Wormwood*, Dallas Center-Grimes  
**Ella Christensen** as *Miss Honey*, Dallas Center-Grimes  
**Keith Wright** as *Seaweed J. Stubbs*, Davenport Central  
**Baylee Parker** as *Motormouth Maybelle*, Davenport Central  
**Emily Winn** as *Velma Von Tussle*, Davenport Central  
**Micah Roldan** as *Link Larkin*, Davenport Central  
**Elena Harper** as *Tracy Turnblad*, Davenport Central  
**Reece Riewerts** as *Sweeney Todd*, Davenport North  
**Carter Owens** as *Anthony Hope*, Davenport North  
**Milliana Jimenez** as *Mrs. Lovett*, Davenport North  
**Diego Bejarano** as *Danny Zuko*, Des Moines Abraham Lincoln  
**Deacon Menninga** as *Sebastian*, Des Moines Christian  
**Sydney Estrem** as *Ariel*, Des Moines Christian  
**Taylor Ferrell** as *Scuttle*, Des Moines Christian  
**Andrew Geerdes** as *Jack Kelly*, Des Moines Hoover

**Scarlett Walker** as *Annie*, Des Moines Theodore Roosevelt  
**J.T. Dix** as *Rooster Hannigan*, Des Moines Theodore Roosevelt  
**Elizabeth James** as *Fiona #1*, Dowling Catholic  
**Ben Hall** as *Donkey*, Dowling Catholic  
**Colin Heaston** as *Shrek*, Dowling Catholic  
**Ami Bellings** as *Christine Colgate*, Dubuque Senior  
**Riley Beck** as *Freddy Benson*, Dubuque Senior  
**Kate Doud** as *Zack Mooneyham*, Earlham  
**Melanie Carrion** as *Anya*, Fort Dodge  
**Owen Hamlow** as *Dmitry*, Fort Dodge  
**Abigail Casciato** as *Dowager Empress Maria Feodorovna*, Fort Dodge  
**Amelia Stephan** as *Countess Lily Malevsky-Malevitch*, Fort Dodge  
**Kate Hansen** as *Mary Lennox*, Gilbert  
**Lydia Weiler** as *Lily*, Gilbert  
**Thomas Barbier** as *Archibald Craven*, Gilbert  
**Vanessa Arvizu-Ersland** as *Deloris Van Cartier*, Gladbrook-Reinbeck  
**Titus Jordan** as *Harold Hill*, Grand View Christian  
**Caly Benigni** as *Marian Paroo*, Grand View Christian  
**Daniele Madsen** as *Ursula*, Greene County  
**Hailei Hoyt** as *Paulette*, Griswold  
**Kathryn Tischer** as *Elle Woods*, Griswold  
**Riah Schrage** as *Gabriella Montez*, Grundy Center  
**Vinace Del Castillo** as *Ryan Evans*, Grundy Center  
**Jaelynn Mentel** as *Reno Sweeney*, Hudson  
**Kate Holton** as *Hope Harcourt*, Hudson  
**Rob Watson** as *Billy Crocker*, Hudson  
**Brady Meyers** as *Ren McCormack*, Indianola  
**Nadia Gioffredi** as *Ariel Moore*, Indianola  
**Kyle Roberson** as *Willard Hewitt*, Indianola  
**Caitlin Brodie** as *Rusty*, Indianola  
**Gabe Sinclair** as *Reverend Shaw Moore*, Indianola  
**Rana Saba** as *Maria Rainer*, Iowa City West  
**Conrad Osman** as *Moonface Martin*, Iowa Falls-Alden  
**Gavin Wachal** as *Lord Evelyn Oakleigh*, Iowa Falls-Alden  
**Marla Wirt** as *Janis*, Johnston  
**Luke Fongkhamdeng** as *Damian*, Johnston  
**Malia Thompson** as *Cady*, Johnston  
**Edie Musgrave** as *Gretchen*, Johnston  
**Maraya Wiltfang** as *Karen*, Johnston  
**Rebekah Bennett** as *Jojo*, Knoxville  
**Jamison Olson** as *The Baker*, Lewis Central  
**Marne Kyndesen** as *The Witch*, Lewis Central  
**Chloe Nash** as *The Baker's Wife*, Lewis Central  
**Maria Stavroplus** as *Katherine Blake*, MFL MarMac  
**River Gehling** as *Miss Honey*, Mid-Prairie  
**Addyson Probasco** as *Belle*, Montezuma  
**Ethan Desrochers** as *Gaston*, Montezuma  
**Jayden Doll** as *Lumiere*, Montezuma  
**Owen Desrochers** as *Beast*, Montezuma  
**Jackson Baker** as *Jack Kelly*, Nevada  
**Eayon Phipps** as *Davey*, Nevada  
**Simon Mills** as *Crutchie*, Nevada  
**Aurden Selmecki** as *Audrey*, North Polk  
**Liam Triplett** as *Orin*, North Polk  
**Lucas Bakken** as *Mushnik*, North Polk  
**Ryenne Lacher** as *Judy Bernly*, North Scott

**Natalie Sierk** as *Doralee Rhodes*, North Scott  
**Isaiah Serrano** as *Franklin Hart, Jr.*, North Scott  
**Gabrielle Andersen** as *Roz Keith*, North Scott  
**Greta Paulsen** as *Anya*, Northwest Waukee  
**Avi Ganti** as *Dmitry*, Northwest Waukee  
**Karlie Latterell** as *Marie*, Norwalk  
**Anna Hoffman** as *Mrs. Wormwood*, Odebolt Arthur Battle Creek Ida Grove  
**Cecily Jacobson** as *Matilda*, Odebolt Arthur Battle Creek Ida Grove  
**Gavin Siler** as *Officer Lockstock*, Ogden  
**Asher Knudtson** as *Eliot Chambers*, Okoboji  
**Josephine VanWyhe** as *Aurora*, Okoboji  
**Henry Mauser** as *Albert*, Osage  
**Aurelia Zylstra** as *Ellie*, Pella  
**Joeley Helle** as *Katherine*, Pella  
**Hunter Ayers** as *William Barfee*, Perry  
**Kailee McCaw** as *Sandy*, Pleasant Valley  
**Lauren Lundie** as *Squidward*, Pleasant Valley  
**Will Emerle** as *SpongeBob*, Pleasant Valley  
**Lena Torbett** as *Baker's Wife*, Red Oak  
**Grace Goldapp** as *Witch*, Red Oak  
**Lily Marsden** as *Cinderella*, Red Oak  
**Madilynn Parker** as *Little Red Ridinghood*, Red Oak  
**Melia Pursley** as *Morticia Addams*, Regina  
**Lucy Schmidt** as *Reno Sweeney*, Roland-Story  
**Mason Schnurstein** as *Lord Evelyn Oakleigh*, Roland-Story  
**Summer Maher** as *Miss Adelaide*, Shenandoah  
**Drew Morelock** as *Sky Masterson*, Shenandoah  
**Jack Murren** as *Nicely-Nicely Johnson*, Shenandoah  
**Annaliese Hoekstra** as *Jo March*, Sioux City North  
**Allen Qasim** as *Professor Bhaer*, Sioux City North  
**Claire Henneman** as *Beth March*, Sioux City North  
**Cadyse Franklin** as *Ariel*, Sioux City West  
**Isabel Weber** as *Ursula*, Sioux City West  
**Larken Saint** as *Sebastian*, Sioux City West  
**Taya Eisenga** as *Ella*, Siouxland Christian  
**Makenna Maise** as *Charlotte*, Siouxland Christian  
**August Nau** as *Gomez Addams*, Southeast Polk  
**Grace Corwin** as *Alice Beineke*, Southeast Polk  
**Maddie Davis** as *Morticia Addams*, Southeast Polk  
**Peyton Haacke** as *Uncle Fester*, Southeast Polk  
**Shea Baxter** as *Wednesday Addams*, Southeast Polk  
**Aurora Dencklau** as *Anya/Princess Anastasia*, Southeast Valley  
**Steven Fisher Jr.** as *Dmitry*, Southeast Valley  
**Abbey Crew** as *Miss Adelaide*, Spencer  
**Levi Lane** as *Nicely-Nicely Johnson*, Spencer  
**Robbie Gerlock** as *Nathan Detroit*, Spencer  
**Liam Newell** as *Lumiere*, Van Meter  
**Addison Schultz** as *Hope Harcourt*, Wahlert Catholic  
**Marshall Weepie** as *Danny Zuko*, Wapsie Valley  
**Addisyn McElhose** as *Sandy Dumbrowski*, Wapsie Valley  
**Mae Wedemeier** as *Betty Rizzo*, Wapsie Valley  
**Ryker Oberle** as *Kenickie*, Wapsie Valley  
**Colin Gach** as *Leading Player*, Waukee  
**Will Howg** as *Pippin*, Waukee  
**Josephine Hallagin** as *Catherine*, Waukee  
**Molly Peake** as *Mary Poppins*, Waukon



**Savannah McBride** as *Reno Sweeney*, West Des Moines Valley  
**Juan Ramirez** as *Billy Crocker*, West Des Moines Valley  
**Ridge Rutherford** as *Moonface Martin*, West Des Moines Valley  
**Cooper Bott** as *Jack Kelly*, Williamsburg  
**Maelyn Parsons** as *Katherine Plumber*, Williamsburg  
**Celia Olerich** as *Delilah*, Winterset  
**Jillian Brock** as *Margy Frake*, Xavier  
**Nathaniel Perreault** as *Pat Gilbert*, Xavier

## OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT FOR A BEHIND-THE-SCENES ROLE

**Markus Graber, Emilee Robinson, Carli Bonnett, Aiden DeMoss, Brody DeMoss, Cole DeMoss, Hunter Graber, Jordyn Hafer, Noah Matt, and Mariasofia Pullara** for Scenic Design, Albia  
**Kaylee McClure** for Publicity, Ames  
**Lily Klindt** for Costume Design, Ames  
**Neve Sprecher** for Choreography, Ames  
**Norah Klocke** for Stage Management, Ames  
**Miles Peterson** and **Norah Klocke** for Scenic Design, Ames  
**Addison Jurgens** and **Neve Sprecher** for Choreography, Ames  
**Evee Gade** and **Sammy Bryan** for Choreography, Ankeny  
**Lindy Aswegen** for Dramaturgy, Aplington-Parkersburg  
**Lucas Hagen** for Choreography, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Claire Thompson, Chad Engle, Lillian Ingrassia, Layla Pyle, and Morgan Vanderlinden** for Stage Management, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Nicholas Schieltz** for Dramaturgy, Clear Creek Amana  
**Karley Jean Griffin** for Hair & Makeup, Clear Creek Amana  
**Hayden Bailey, Mackenzie Burnett** and **Sariah Sherman** for Marketing, Clear Creek Amana  
**Sina Thomas** and **Karley Griffin** for Hair & Makeup, Clear Creek Amana  
**Ella Heithoff** for Choreography, Coon Rapids-Bayard  
**Carson Beer** for Publicity, Creston  
**Karlee Capson** for Lighting Design, Creston  
**Malachi Webber** for Stage Management, Creston  
**Ethan Holliday, Colby Brammer, Candyn Danielson, Kayden DeLong, Ethan Holliday, Mark Kasha-Watson, Gunner Martwick, Trevor McClain, Jana Peavler, Alex Ramirez, Shyann Richards-Smith, Rey Saturno-Hernandez, and Shannon Schlapia** for Scenic Construction, Creston  
**Anna McKernan** for Choreography, Dallas Center-Grimes  
**Hayden Wagner, Johanna Bonefas, Aizlyn Greathouse, Sabrina Macke, and Drew Sonberg** for House Management, Dallas Center-Grimes  
**Arianna Freitas** and **Addison Ramirez** for Scenic Design, Dallas Center-Grimes  
**Jewel Perkins, Addalee Snoberger, and Miara Steir** for Hair & Makeup, Dallas Center-Grimes  
**Gwendolyn Goodrich** for Choreography, Des Moines Hoover  
**Alana Cooper** and **Sydney Ho** for Costume Design, Des Moines Hoover  
**Dulce Miron-Lopez** for Stage Management, Des Moines Theodore Roosevelt  
**Gabby Little** for Scenic Design, Earlham  
**Haley Coil** for Stage Management, Earlham  
**Gwendolyn Pistilli** for Publicity, Gilbert  
**Mailea McLean** for Stage Management, Gladbrook-Reinbeck  
**Bridget Hansen** for Stage Management and Costuming, Hudson  
**Walker Thomas** for Choreography, Indianola  
**Collin Skaggs** for Lighting Design, Nevada  
**Jude Tucker** for Sound Design, Nevada  
**Ryan Wessels, Jacob Condon, Miles Engstrom, Cael Ferguson, Grace Heginger,**

**Henry Little, Josh Mann, Levi Mills, Simon Mills, Chloe Moffitt, Cooper Moffitt, Collin Skaggs, Emilia Stage, Libby Thomas, Peter Thomas, Brady Tscherter, George Tscherter, Jude Tucker, Miles Unruh, and Dexter Walker** for Scenic Design, Nevada

**Natalie Emery** and **Allison Gruhn** for Stage Management, Nevada

**Aiden Kelsey** for Lighting Design, North Scott

**Madilyn Brus** for Stage Management, North Scott

**Gabrielle Andersen, Riley Johnson, Kaitlyn Knepper, and Addyson Yanke** for Business, North Scott

**Haidyn Koberg** and **Emma Zrostlik** for Properties and Painting, North Scott

**Miles Cue** for Lighting Design, Northwest Waukee

**Nolan Craig, Alyce Ayala, Lily Bailiff, Allison DaLuga, Ryker Haas, Sydney**

**LePorte, Frank Morris** for Publicity, Northwest Waukee

**Krista Giltner, Lucas Barr, Aiden Berrier, and Hiya Shah** for Props Design, Northwest Waukee

**Ella Friedel, Molly Carson, Allison Goode, Ava Hansen, Anya Koehler, Bella Kuhl, Melanie Marks, and Zaida Wetzel** for Stage Management & Direction, Northwest Waukee

**Sophie Bumgardner, Anna Coffey, Rin Evans, Lola McCurnin, Reese Vande Krol, and Draya Wasson** for Costume Construction, Northwest Waukee

**Billie Oxendale** for Stage Management, Odebolt Arthur Battle Creek Ida Grove

**Caitlin Todd** for Lighting Design, Odebolt Arthur Battle Creek Ida Grove

**Jilian Garris** for Stage Management, Pleasant Valley

**Peyton Salberg** for Properties, Sioux City West

**Alexandria Palmer** for Costuming, Spencer

**Braxton Nachtigal** for Music Direction, Spencer

**Maggie Moser** for Publicity, Spencer

**Rachel Bare** for Lighting Design, Spencer

**Briar Cuttall** and **Sydney Burns** for Stage Management, Spencer

**Evan Storley** and **Robbie Gerlock** for Scenic Design, Spencer

**Miley Seliquini** for Direction, Urbandale

**Ava LaMarre** for Scenic Design, Urbandale

**Sophia Reece, Hailey Foster, Brooke Jarrett, and Quinn Trotter** for Stage Management, Urbandale

**Orion Vaughn** and **Brody Wiederholdt** for Sound and Lighting Design, Van Meter

**Rain Hall** for Hair & Makeup, Waukee

**Atiana Pilipovic** for Outreach Coordination, Waukee

**Josephine Hallagin** for Dramaturgy, Waukee

**Selma Fetic** for Costume Design, Waukee

**Evelyn Jordan, Brynna Baxter, Charlotte Blakley, Kyla Blume, Felix Courtright, Noah Duff, Maddi Freeman, Liz Kratky, Jack Ranes, and Brogan Turcotte** for Props Coordination, Waukee

**Lola Costello** for Audio Design, West Des Moines Valley

**Samuel Johnson** for Lighting Design, West Des Moines Valley

**Ash Scarbrough** for Costumes Design, West Des Moines Valley

**Johnathan Henn** for Soundboard Operation, West Des Moines Valley

## **SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR ENSEMBLE**

Albia, YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN

Ankeny, MAMMA MIA!

Ankeny Christian, MY FAIR LADY

Carroll & Kuemper Catholic, WEST SIDE STORY

Dallas Center-Grimes, ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL

Davenport Central, HAIRSPRAY

Earlham, SCHOOL OF ROCK

Hudson, ANYTHING GOES (2022 REVISION)

Johnston, MEAN GIRLS  
 Lewis Central, INTO THE WOODS  
 MFL MarMac, FREAKY FRIDAY  
 Montezuma, DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST  
 Nevada, DISNEY'S NEWSIES  
 Ogden, URINETOWN  
 Okoboji, DREAMLAND  
 Shenandoah, GUYS AND DOLLS  
 Southeast Valley, ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL  
 Tipton, DISNEY'S NEWSIES  
 Wapsie Valley, GREASE  
 Waukee, PIPPIN  
 Waukon, DISNEY AND CAMERON MACKINTOSH'S MARY POPPINS  
 Williamsburg High School, DISNEY'S NEWSIES

### **SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR STUDENT ORCHESTRA**

Des Moines Theodore Roosevelt, ANNIE  
 Johnston, MEAN GIRLS  
 Norwalk, ANASTASIA: THE MUSICAL  
 Osage, BYE BYE BIRDIE  
 Pella, FREAKY FRIDAY  
 Pleasant Valley, THE SPONGEBOB MUSICAL  
 Southeast Polk, THE ADDAMS FAMILY

### **SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

Aplington-Parkersburg, GODSPELL- 2012 REVISED VERSION  
 Boone, SHREK THE MUSICAL  
 Clear Creek Amana, DISNEY'S NEWSIES  
 Dallas Center - Grimes, ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL  
 Earlham, SCHOOL OF ROCK

### **SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR PERFORMANCE IN A PRINCIPAL ROLE**

**Rohnin Grasty** as *Captain Georg Von Trapp*, Adair-Casey/Guthrie Center  
**Andrew Pickens** as *Linus Van Pelt*, Albia  
**Carver Reiss** as *Quasimodo*, Anamosa  
**Luca Fratella** as *Harry Bright*, Ankeny  
**Trevan Thomas** as *Judas*, Aplington-Parkersburg  
**Tristan Kelly** as *Gomez Addams*, Ballard  
**Caleb Hill** as *Fester Addams*, Ballard  
**Samara Roush** as *Wednesday Addams*, Ballard  
**Amaury Thomas** as *Robert*, Bishop Garrigan  
**Isabella Waechter** as *Janet Van De Graaf*, Bishop Garrigan  
**Osiris Castro-Escareño** as *Minstrel*, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Emmitt Reyerson** as *Prince Dauntless the Drab*, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Lucas Hagen** as *Sir Harry*, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Effie Hennesy** as *Lady Larken*, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Jonathan Aucker** as *Lord Farquaad*, Boone  
**Zofia Salter** as *Fiona*, Boone  
**Lucas Lantz** as *Gomez Addams*, Boyer Valley  
**Karley Hagge** as *Wednesday Addams*, Boyer Valley  
**Jaxson Rosburg** as *Fester Addams*, Boyer Valley  
**Deanna Anderson** as *Alice Beineke*, Boyer Valley  
**Joseph Mast** as *Minstrel*, Carlisle  
**Claire Pudenz** as *Anita*, Carroll & Kuemper Catholic  
**Louis Meyers** as *Riff*, Carroll & Kuemper Catholic  
**Luke Lavana** as *Bernardo*, Carroll & Kuemper Catholic



**Aaron Butikofer** as *Barnaby Tucker*, Cedar Rapids George Washington  
**EJ Miller** as *Horace Vandergelder*, Cedar Rapids George Washington  
**Leyla Roosa** as *Mrs. Dolly Gallagher Levi*, Cedar Rapids George Washington  
**Luka Smith** as *Seymour Krelborn*, Centerville  
**Andrew White** as *George*, Charles City  
**Blake Dean** as *Robert Martin*, Charles City  
**Blake Hoeft** as *Man in Chair*, Charles City  
**Kati Haglund** as *The Drowsy Chaperone*, Charles City  
**Gabrielle Oppman** as *Belle*, Clarion-Goldfield-Dows  
**Natalie Greving** as *Mrs. Potts*, Clarion-Goldfield-Dows  
**Niklas Solis** as *Lumiere*, Clarion-Goldfield-Dows  
**Ethan Krieger** as *Davey*, Clear Creek Amana  
**Macy Thompson** as *Sandra Bloom*, Coon Rapids-Bayard  
**Rhianna Weems** as *Brenda Strong*, Creston  
**Taylor Gray** as *Trunchbull*, Dallas Center-Grimes  
**Addilyn Stine** as *Matilda*, Dallas Center-Grimes  
**Ryan Driscoll** as *Corny Collins*, Davenport Central  
**Ellerie Hurley** as *Penny Pingleton*, Davenport Central  
**Eli Swalles** as *Tobias Ragg*, Davenport North  
**Avenue Meumann** as *Judge Turpin*, Davenport North  
**Mary Van Speybroeck** as *Johanna*, Davenport North  
**Bergin Kleis** as *Prince Eric*, Des Moines Christian  
**Cora Murphy** as *Ursula*, Des Moines Christian  
**Kieran Seeley** as *King Triton*, Des Moines Christian  
**Ben Hodges** as *Joseph Pulitzer*, Des Moines Hoover  
**Caroline Ramsey** as *Grace Farrell*, Des Moines Theodore Roosevelt  
**James Martin** as *Lord Farquaad*, Dowling Catholic  
**Jacqueline James** as *Peter Pan/Duloc Dancer/Skeleton/Sunflower/Rat/Blind Mouse*, Dowling Catholic  
**Bella VandenBerge** as *Jolene Oakes*, Dubuque Senior  
**Chase Kreimeyer** as *Andre Thibault*, Dubuque Senior  
**Jameson Norton** as *Lawrence Jameson*, Dubuque Senior  
**Warren Sigwalt** as *Dewey Finn*, Earlham  
**Lily Bricker** as *Fletcher Blake*, Exira-EHK  
**Shaylee Ostercamp** as *Princess Winnefred*, Forest City  
**Aidan Recker** as *Vlad Popov*, Fort Dodge  
**Jayden Lennon** as *Gleb Vaganov*, Fort Dodge  
**Audrey Hilleman** as *Martha*, Gilbert  
**Evan Goetz** as *Neville Craven*, Gilbert  
**Calb Hight** as *Mayor Shinn*, Grand View Christian  
**Hailey Carman** as *Ariel*, Greene County  
**William Graham** as *King Triton*, Greene County  
**Lucy Vander Linden** as *Flounder*, Greene County  
**Tallula Lamp** as *Sharpay Evans*, Grundy Center  
**Clare Wetzel** as *Erma*, Hudson  
**Justin Gavigan** as *Moonface Martin*, Hudson  
**Preston Olson** as *Lord Evelyn Oakleigh*, Hudson  
**Alyssa Kinder** as *Alma Hix*, Humboldt  
**Matthew Hunter** as *Harold Hill*, Humboldt  
**Kelci Petersen** as *Vi Moore*, Indianola  
**Oliver Miller** as *Captain Georg von Trapp*, Iowa City West  
**Addison Cribbs** as *Mother Abbess*, Iowa City West  
**Luke Reimer** as *Max Detweiler*, Iowa City West  
**Mary Danielle Gross** as *Elsa Schraeder*, Iowa City West  
**Grace Bartlett** as *Liesl von Trapp*, Iowa City West  
**Joey Woods** as *Cat in the Hat*, Knoxville

**Ethan Bortmess** as *Jack*, Lewis Central  
**Leah Knudsen** as *Cinderella*, Lewis Central  
**Taryn Moser** as *Ellie Blake*, MFL MarMac  
**Jeremiah Rempel** as *Trunchbull*, Mid-Prairie  
**Logan McClellen** as *Mr. Wormwood*, Mid-Prairie  
**Bryn Fantazia** as *Lefou*, Montezuma  
**Gracie Wilson** as *Mrs. Potts*, Montezuma  
**Samantha Garcia** as *Medda Larkin*, Nevada  
**Jordan Rasmussen** as *Seymour*, North Polk  
**Will McConnell** as *Audrey 2*, North Polk  
**Lauren Pawloski** as *Violet Newstead*, North Scott  
**Keegan Panther** as *Joe*, North Scott  
**Rebekah Lower** as *Miss Trunchbull*, Northeast Community  
**Holly Lamp** as *Mrs. Wormwood*, Northeast Community  
**Isaac Middendorp** as *Mr. Wormwood*, Northeast Community  
**Gehrig Lachenmaier** as *Vlad*, Northwest Waukee  
**Miles Burrell** as *Gleb*, Northwest Waukee  
**Leila Eddington** as *Dowager Empress*, Northwest Waukee  
**Chase Coburn** as *Topher*, Norwalk  
**Elizabeth Winters** as *Charlotte*, Norwalk  
**Julia Palen** as *Madame*, Norwalk  
**Kennedy Lerssen** as *Miss Honey*, Odebolt Arthur Battle Creek Ida Grove  
**Kady Brelsford** as *Little Sally*, Ogden  
**Mirrka Taylor** as *Penelope Pennywise*, Ogden  
**Owen Bergstrom** as *Bobby Strong*, Ogden  
**Aiden Gehrke** as *Randy*, Okoboji  
**Bella Sandbulte** as *Rebecca*, Okoboji  
**Emersyn Blanco** as *Rosie*, Osage  
**Hampton Arciniega** as *Conrad*, Osage  
**Alex Demuth** as *Mike*, Pella  
**Bella Haan** as *Chava*, Pella Christian  
**Evan Tschetter** as *Tevye*, Pella Christian  
**Olivia Christensen** as *Olive Ostrovsky*, Perry  
**Cate Bestold** as *Plankton*, Pleasant Valley  
**Dawson Schrader** as *Bert*, Pleasantville  
**Donald McCormick** as *Mr. Banks*, Pleasantville  
**Sydney Ask** as *Jane Banks*, Pleasantville  
**Ethan Strunk** as *Baker*, Red Oak  
**Will Pollock** as *Jack*, Red Oak  
**Max Franklin** as *Gomez Addams*, Regina  
**Evan Schemmel** as *Fester Addams*, Regina  
**Elsie Gavin** as *Wednesday Addams*, Regina  
**Luccas Hart** as *Billy Crocker*, Roland-Story  
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**Annalise McIntosh** as *Benny Southstreet*, Shenandoah  
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**Leo Loeffler** as *Gleb*, Southeast Valley  
**Lyra Lane** as *Vlad Popov*, Southeast Valley

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#### **SPECIAL RECOGNITION IN A FEATURED ENSEMBLE ROLE**

**Easton Drew** as *Jamie, ensemble*, Ankeny Christian, MY FAIR LADY  
**Olivia Kahler, Alex Hady, Julia Reagan, Quinn Cavanaugh, Mary Huber,**  
**Atalyssa Sodawasser** and **Vivian Kahler** as *von Trapp Children*, Assumption  
*The School Board Quartet*, Grand View Christian  
**Sylvia Dresen, Stefani Haus** and **Madi Pratt** as *Chiffon, Crystal, Ronnette,*  
*North Polk*  
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*Battle Creek Ida Grove*

#### **SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR A BEHIND-THE-SCENES ROLE**

**Emilee Robinson** and **Markus Graber** for Stage Management, Albia  
**Ezra Adams** for Sound, Bondurant-Farrar  
**Ella Chatham, James Cavanary** and **Ryan Kruze** for Front of House, Clear Creek  
*Amana,*  
**Ally Schumacher** for Prop Design, Clear Creek Amana  
**Trevor McNelly** for Sound Design, Coon Rapids-Bayard  
**Jameson Hanson** for Sound Design, Creston  
**Johanna Bonefas, Aizlyn Greathouse, Sabrina Macke, Drew Sonberg,** and  
**Hayden Wagner** for Marketing, Dallas Center-Grimes



**Jayden Champagne** for Light Board Operation, Des Moines Abraham Lincoln  
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**Sylviah Ho** for Scenic Design, Des Moines Hoover  
**Kaylee Sand** for Hair & Makeup Design, Earlham  
**Morgan Mapes** for Lighting Design, Earlham  
**Marin Blankenship** for Lighting Design, Gilbert  
**Olivia Burnett** for Lighting Design, Montezuma  
**Gabriel Kramer** for Marketing, Nevada  
**Nick Gudenkauf** for Scenic and Sound Design, North Linn  
**Logan Sanger, Beckett Anderson, David Barr, Emma Bensley, Lucas Clefisch, Reagan Crowdis, Aly Dority, Kady Fry, Jacob Houser, Natalie Kalvik, Addison Oleson, Emmerson Oleson, Hallie Moenkhaus, Gavin Torres, A.J. Triplett,** and **Greenlee Williams** for Stage Management, North Polk  
**Kyla Stone** for Choreography, North Scott  
**Eva Wyatt, Chloe Blair and Riley Johnson** for Costume Design, North Scott  
**Cooper Olderog** for Sound Design, Pleasant Valley  
**Reygan Mann** for Choreography, Sioux City West  
**Grant Farnham** for Stage Management, Southeast Valley  
**Marah Levi and Aurora Harcey** for Stage Management, Van Meter  
**Kai Eilers** for Scenic Design, West Des Moines Valley  
**Brody Hawk** for Lighting Design, Williamsburg

## 2025 TECHNICAL THEATER SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

The Technical Theater Scholarship program recognizes student leaders in various areas of technical theater contribution. Each recipient will receive a \$2,000 scholarship; one of the students will receive a \$5,000 scholarship in recognition of their extraordinary skill level and leadership.



**GABRIELLE ANDERSEN**

*Makeup Designer, North Scott High School*

Gabrielle Andersen is a senior at North Scott High School in Eldridge, Iowa. She has designed makeup for many shows, including DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST, JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH, and 9 TO 5. Outside of makeup design, Gabrielle serves on her theatre's student board, manages public relations, and performs on stage. She also enjoys performing and working with community theatres across the Quad Cities. In the fall, she is attending DePaul University for film and television.



**HALEY COIL**

*Stage Manager, Earlham High School*

Haley Coil is a senior at Earlham High School in Earlham, Iowa. She has stage managed her school's production of SCHOOL OF ROCK, as well as the plays MURDER ON THE 518 and MMMBETH. Haley also served as her school's choreographer in ONCE UPON A MATTRESS, SHREK: THE MUSICAL, and SCHOOL OF ROCK. Outside of theater she is involved in many things, including jazz band, student council, Spanish club, National Honor Society and competition dance. She plans to attend the University of Northern Iowa to study Theater Production and Design.



**LOLA COSTELLO**

*Audio Designer and Engineer, West Des Moines Valley High School*

Lola Costello is a senior at Valley High School in West Des Moines, Iowa. She co-designed audio for ROGER AND HAMMERSTEIN'S CINDERELLA and designed audio for ANYTHING GOES. She also co-founded Valley's audio sub-crew within the tech crew at the beginning of her junior year, which she has led and taught since. She is also involved with marching band, show choir, and IHSSA. She spent her junior year getting her Nursing Assistant certification and intends to attend the University of Iowa to study Nursing.



**SELMA FETIC**

*Costume Designer, Waukee High School*

Selma Fetic is a senior at Waukee High School with a deep passion for costume design. She has served as the lead costume designer for productions such as PIPPIN, MONTY PYTHON'S SPAMALOT, MARY POPPINS, and more. Selma is excited to continue pursuing her love for costume design and construction as she heads to the University of Iowa this fall.



**AIDEN KELSEY**

*Lighting Designer, North Scott High School*

Aiden Kelsey was an ensemble actor for DISNEY'S FROZEN JR., and stage crew for ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL, THE PLAY THAT GOES WRONG, DR. SEUSS'S CAT IN THE HAT, ANYTHING GOES, CHARLOTTE'S WEB, and JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH. He has also been the lighting designer for RADIUM GIRLS and 9 TO 5. Aiden is also part of the speech team. Aiden plans to go to the University of Iowa to major in Theater Arts and Data Science.

## 2025 IMPACT AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Impact Award recognizes educators and community members who go above and beyond to support the high school musical theater experience. Student nominations and testimonials from colleagues, parents and administrators were reviewed to determine this year's honored recipients.



### **ALAN ERICKSON**

*Technical Theater Director, Nevada High School*  
Nominated by Miles Engstrom, 11<sup>th</sup> Grade

Nevada technical theater students have benefited from the mentorship and leadership that Alan Erickson provides. From designing all the program's sets, to leading the tech booth and more, Erickson allows Nevada students to grow into leadership positions and encourages them to try new things. Student Miles Engstrom expresses gratitude for the "responsibility, problem-solving, and curiosity" that Erickson has instilled in him.



### **LUKE BROWN**

*Scenic Designer & Theater Maintenance, Earlham High School*  
Nominated by Haley Coil, 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

Luke Brown puts his engineer training and skills to use for Earlham's technical theater needs. While his focus is designing and building sets, Brown is willing to do whatever is needed to make the production happen. This includes hanging lights and coming to the rescue by fixing a rope that broke less than 24 hours before opening, student Haley Coil reminisces. Above all, Brown makes everything a learning opportunity for Earlham students.



### **CHRISTINA MYATT**

*Director, Pleasant Valley High School*  
Nominated by Jilian Garriss, 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

In her 24 years as Theater Director at Pleasant Valley, Christina Myatt has transformed the drama club into a community. She leads with patience, vision, and heart, as she helps students grow in their performance and technical skills. She continues to push students to learn and go beyond their comfort zone. Student Jilian Garriss expresses that Myatt's "patience and dedication bring out the best in each student, building their talents."



### **ANGIE SPAKE**

*Assistant Director & Community Volunteer, Siouxland Christian School*  
Nominated by Rianne Nelson, 9<sup>th</sup> Grade

Siouxland Christian celebrates the commitment of Angie Spake, or "Mama Spake," as most students call her. Spake takes pride in her role as assistant director and as "queen of props." She will spend hours finding the perfect table, loaf of bread, or other essential prop. Student Rianne Nelson highlights Spake's role as a mentor to students, "building their talents - but just as important, building their confidence and sense of self-worth."



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**Creston:** Carson Beer, **Des Moines Roosevelt:** JT Dix, **Fort Dodge:** Owen Hamlow, Melanie Carrion, **Nevada:** Jackson Baker, **Carlisle:** Peyton Lenhart, **Mid-Prairie:** River Gehling

## BEHIND-THE-SCENES RECOGNITION

**Albia:** Emilee Robinson, Markus Graber **Ames:** Addison Jurgens, Kaylee McClure, Lily Klindt, Miles Peterson, Neve Sprecher, Norah Klocke **Ankeny:** Evee Gade, Sammy Bryan **Aplington-Parkersburg:** Lindy Aswegen **Bondurant-Farrar:** Claire Thompson, Layla Pyle, Lucas Hagen **Clear Creek Amana:** Hayden Bailey, Karley Griffin, Mackenzie Burnett, Nic Schieltz, Sina Thomas **Coon Rapids-Bayard:** Ella Heithoff **Creston:** Carson Beer, Karlee Capson, Malachi Webber **Dallas Center-Grimes:** Addelay Snoberger, Addison Rameirez, Anna McKernan, Johanna Bonefas, Zoe Frazier **Des Moines Hoover:** Alana Cooper, Gwen Goodrich, Sydney Ho **Des Moines Roosevelt:** Dulce Miron-Lopez **Earlham:** Gabby Little, Haley Coil **Gilbert:** Gwen Pistilli **Gladbrook-Reinbeck:** Mailea McLean **Hudson:** Bridget Hansen **Indianola:** Walker Thomas **Nevada:** Allison Gruhn, Collin Skaggs, Jacob Condon, Jude Tucker, Natalie Emery, Ryan Wessels **North Scott:** Aiden Kelsey, Emma Zrostlik, Gabrielle Andersen, Haidyn Koberg, Madielyn Brus, Riley Johnson **Northwest Waukee:** Aiden Berrier, Krista Giltner, Lily Bailiff, Miles Cue, Rin Evans, Ryker Haas, Sophie Bumgardner **OABCIG:** Billie Oxendale, Caitlin Todd **Pleasant Valley:** Jillian Garris **Sioux City West:** Peyton Salberg **Spencer:** Alex Palmer, Braxton Nachtigal, Briar Cuttall, Evan Storley, Maggie Moser, Rachel Bare, Robbie Gerlock, Sydney Burns **Urbandale:** Ava LaMarre, Miley Seliquini, Quinn Trotter, Sophia Reece **Van Meter:** Brody Wiederholt, Orion Vaughn **Waukee:** Atiana Pilipovic, Evelyn Jordan, Felix Courtright, Josephine Hallagin, Rain Hall, Selma Fetic **West Des Moines Valley:** Ash Scarborough, Johnathan Henn, Lola Costello, Sam Johnson

## ENSEMBLE MEDLEY

**Ames:** Addison Jurgens, Avie Niemi, Dillan Cochran, Dunkin Bearson, Ella Gorman, Emma Warme, Gabriella Teske, Gracie Hopkins, Katie Heerema, Kaylee McClure, Kora Britten, Leif Haug, Leo Sullivan, Liesl Snyder, Lisette Gunst, Madie Fischer, Naomi Stevens, Nathan Kelly, Neve Sprecher, Quin Barker, Zachary Peters, Zane Wickenkamp **Indianola:** Alana Moser, Arowen Garcia, Aubri Kruse, Ben Burns, Brady Meyers, Caitlin Brodie, Carrigan Parkins, Connor Lloyd, Eli Paxson, Emelia Duey, Emily Wiese, Gabe Sinclair, Jackson Kinman, Jayce Fox, Jordan LoVan, Karlee Budding, Kate Jones, Katy O'Meara, Kelci Petersen, Kyle Roberson, Maggie Halligan, minna lickiss, Morgan Marchant, Nadia Gioffredi, Nate Borlaug, Nate Koziczowski, Nicole Ruby, Olivia Jackson, Peyton Weeks, riley holmes, Sawyer Chapman, Walker Thomas **Northwest Waukee:** Avi Ganti, Bella Kuhl, Camryn Jaworski, Claire Sargent, Gehrig Lachenmaier, Greta Paulsen, Justin Ketterl, Keerthy Vanukuri, Kim Cruz, Nina Spahr, Sahana Lakshmanan, Sophia Towns, Sydney LePorte

## ENSEMBLE MEDLEY

**Cedar Rapids George Washington:** Aaron Butikofer, Airi Urano, Annie Farnum, Ash Reid, Ayva Kemper, Daniel Serrot, Devan Earl, EJ Miller, Eleanor Cervantes, Eloise Prince, Evan Schmidt, Finley Holt, Grace Byrnes, Graci Heinrich, Hazel Parsons, Isaiah Miller, Izabella McCormick, Jaselle Jones, Jordan Sweet-Landfair, Josh Ketcham, Leo Olson, Leyla Roosa, Lily Parsons, Luke Lauderdale, Malaika Caldwell, Matthew Buckaloo, McKenna Long, Molly Buresh, Phoebe Prince, Ryan Farnum, Sebastian Young, Yui Aoki, Zoe Davis **North Scott:** Abigail La Plante, Addalie Reese, Addyson Yanke, Adison Greer, Bella Suarez, Ben Lightle, Benjamin Hill, Brayden Serrano, Brooklyn Lacher, Charli Conner, Charlotte Madden, Collin Meinert, Emma Zrostlik, Emme Plett, Gabrielle Andersen, Grady Kirst, Hannah Nelson, Jack McCarthy, Jane Nichols, Jax Martin, Katelyn Peck, Keegan Panther, Kyla Stone, Lauren Pawloski, Madelyn La Plante, Madi Hillmann, Micah Webb, Natalie Sierk, Nora Davis, Oliver Olsen, Riley Plymale, Ryenne Lacher, Sophia Steiner, Sydney Groene, Taylor Vondal **Spencer:** Abbey Crew, Annabelle Thompson, Ava Michels, Braxton Nachtigal, Cameron Ten Kley, Dylan Bjurstrom, Evalyn Simpson, Evan Storley, Garrett Hurst, Graham Hurst, Haedden Slawson, Jack Ray, Joey Ruden, Jolene Hollingsworth, Jozefin Kierscht, Levi Lane, Maggie Moser, Martina Harmon, Mia Schwartz, Mikalah Prickett, Millie Hemann, Molly Lowder, Natalie Poncy, Oliver Hansel, Owen McNea, Robbie Gerlock, Sahar Arbabha, Sarah Wilkerson, Scarlett Dupic, Simon Graham, Sophia Hanges, Sylvia Ruden, Thomas Ray, Tori Kenny, Vivienne Lange

## SPOTLIGHT MEDLEY

**Ankeny:** Lilian Monthei, **Aplington-Parkersburg:** Jonah Carney, **Boone:** Max Allen, **Hudson:** Rob Watson, Jaelynn Mentel, **Osage:** Henry Mauser, **Southeast Valley:** Steven Fisher Jr.

## IMPACT AWARD RECIPIENTS

**Luke Brown, Earlham:** Nominated by Haley Coil  
**Alan Erickson, Nevada:** Nominated by Miles Engstrom  
**Christina Myatt, Pleasant Valley:** Nominated by Jillian Garris  
**Angie Spake, Siouxland Christian:** Nominated by Scarlett McGuiness

## SPOTLIGHT MEDLEY

**Adel DeSoto Minburn:** Reyna Shirley-Brown, **Davenport North:** Reece Riewerts, **Kuemper Catholic:** Laura Steinkamp, **West Des Moines Valley:** Savannah McBride, Ridge Rutherford, **Johnston:** Maraya Wiltfang

## TRIPLE THREAT MEDLEY

### 2025 TRIPLE THREAT AWARD PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

**Ames:** Madie Fischer, Zachary Peters, Naomi Stevens **Ankeny:** Evan Huegel, Lilian Monthei  
**Aplington-Parkersburg:** Jonah Carney **Bishop Garrigan:** Sacha Alesch **Bondurant-Farrar:** Isabelle Edge  
**Cedar Rapids Washington:** Eloise Prince **Charles City:** Kaity Heckers, Jacob Jones **Clear Creek Amana:** Carson Brandt, Mackenzie Burnett, James Cavanary, Sariah Sherman **Coon Rapids-Bayard:** Lucas Obert **Creston:** Carson Beer **Davenport Central:** Micah Roldán, Emily Winn, Keith Wright **Davenport North:** Milliana Jimenez, Carter Owens, Reece Riewerts **Des Moines Christian:** Sydney Estrem, Deacon Menninga **Des Moines Hoover:** Andrew Geerdes **Dubuque Senior:** Riley Beck, Ami Bellings **Fort Dodge:** Melanie Carrion, Abigail Casciato, Owen Hamlow **Gladbrook-Reinbeck:** Vanessa Arvizu-Ersland **Grand View Christian:** Titus Jordan **Greene County:** Daniele Madsen **Grundy Center:** Vinace Del Castillo **Hudson:** Jaelynn Mentel, Robert Watson **Indianola:** Nadia Gioffredi, Brady Meyers **Iowa Falls-Alden:** Conrad Osman **Johnston:** Luke Fongkhamdeng, Marla Wirt **Lewis Central:** Marne Kyndesen, Chloe Nash, Jamison Olson **Montezuma Jr/Sr:** Owen Desrochers, Jayden Doll **Nevada:** Jackson Baker, Simon Mills, Eayon Phipps **North Polk:** Aurdren Selmecki, Liam Triplett **North Scott:** Ryenne Lacher, Natalie Sierk **Pleasant Valley:** Will Emerle **Red Oak Jr/Sr:** Madilyn Parker, Lena Torbett **Regina Jr/Sr:** Melia Pursley **Roland-Story:** Lucy Schmidt **Shenandoah:** Summer Maher, Jack Murren **Sioux City North:** Claire Henneman, Annaliese Hoekstra, Allen Qasim **Southeast Polk:** Shea Baxter, Maddie Davis, Peyton Haack **Southeast Valley:** Steven Fisher Jr. **Spencer:** Abbey Crew, Robert Gerlock, Levi Lane **Waukee:** Colin Gach, Josephine Hallagin, Will Howg **Waukee Northwest:** Avi Ganti, Greta Paulsen **West Des Moines Valley:** Savannah McBride, Juan Ramirez **Williamsburg Jr/Sr:** Cooper Bott **Winterset:** Celia Olerich

## FINALE

### REPRESENTATIVES FROM PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

**Adel Desoto Minburn:** Reyna Shirley-Brown, Tate Truitt **Anamosa:** Adam Brophy, Brooke Heying, Carver Reiss, Griffin Embree **Ankeny Christian:** Hannah Burrows **Bondurant-Farrar:** Paige Gossard, Quinn McMurray **Boone:** Jonathan Aucker **Carroll:** Claire Pudenz, Will Blackwill **Centerville:** Carson Shinn, Lahela Oldfield **Charles City:** Andrew White, Blake Hoeft **Clarke Community:** Abbie Schlichte, Danika McCloney, Easton Brokaw, Zeke Lundquist **Coon Rapids-Bayard:** Ella Heithoff, Izzy Reiling, Rylee List, Samuel Larsen **Creston:** Rhianna Weems, Wyatt Hitz **Danville Community:** Greyson Schuff, Riley Shanstrom, Zoey Rogers **Davenport North:** Alex Colton, Avenue Meumann, Eli Swailles, Mary Van Speybroeck **Des Moines Lincoln:** Anthony Galvan-Rodriguez, Lola Vincent **Des Moines Christian:** Bea Varble **Edgewood-Colesburg:** Alyson Meyer **Gilbert:** Kate Hansen **Grundy Center:** Lincoln Lewis, Tallula Lamp **Hudson:** Ava Slade, Preston Olson **Johnston:** Jonah Pooch, Malia Thompson **Kuemper Catholic:** Louis Meyers, Sophie Christensen **Lewis Central:** Emma McCool, Morgynn Adams **MFL Mar-Mac:** Maria Stavroplus, Taryn Moser **Mid-Prairie:** Jeremiah Rempel, Jillian Clark, Logan McClellan **Montezuma Jr/Sr:** Bryn Fantazia, Ethan Desrochers, Gracie Wilson **Nevada:** Chiara Chappell, Sam Garcia **North Scott:** Keegan Panther, Lauren Pawloski **Northwest Waukee:** Kim Cruz, Leila Eddington **Ogden:** Gavin Siler, Kady Brelsford **Okoboji:** Josephine Van Wyhe **Pella Community:** Aurelia Zylstra, Joeley Helle **Perry:** Ethan Jackson, Hunter Ayers, Jeancarlos Santiago Puente, Oneida Hernandez **Pleasantville:** Colby Boza, Dawson Schrader, Kayleigh Seaman **Shenandoah:** Annalise McIntosh, Davin Holste **Southeast Valley:** Aurora Dencklau, Taylor Willardson **Southeast Warren:** Nicholas Geelan, Olivia Harrington **Wahlert Catholic:** Addison Schultz **West Des Moines Valley:** Connor Wall, Sofia Gilbert

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