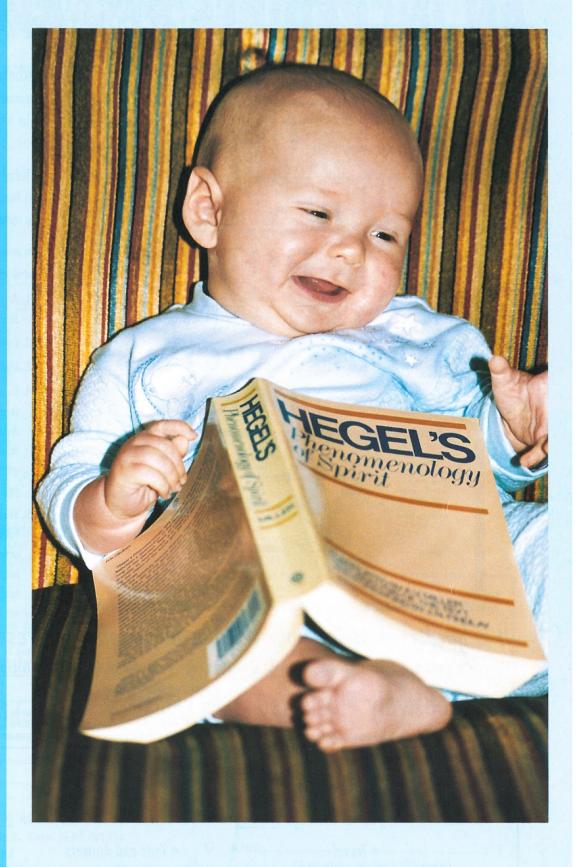
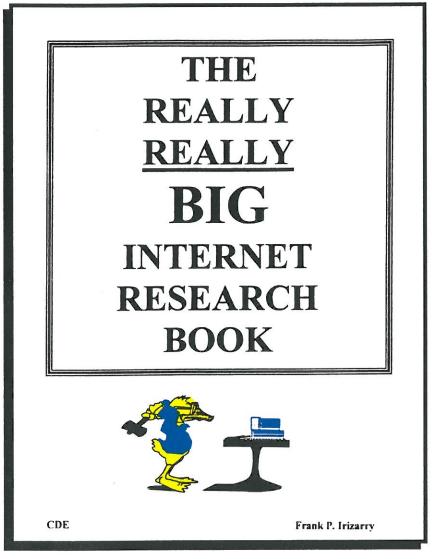
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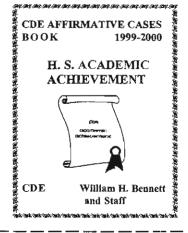
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Daniel Conner Mauser
June 25, 1983 - April 20, 1999

Dan, a sophomore, competed for the

Columbine High School Forensics team in Cross-Examination Debate, Lincoln Douglas Debate, and student Congress. He was a member of the National Forensic League and had earned 176 points. With his love for detail, Dan was a born debater. Although he switched from CX to LD, that didn't stop him from becoming the big brother to our novice CXers. Dan taught us to look for what was best and most worthwhile in oth-

ers, and we will always carry that lesson

with us.



Rachel Joy Scott August 5, 1981 - April 20, 1999

Rachel, a junior, competed for the Columbine High School Forensics Team in Interpretation of Poetry, Humor, and Drama. She was a member of the National Forensic League and had earned 138 points. On any other face, it would be an oxymoron, but Rachel had the most beautiful smirk. Her quick wit kept us on our toes, and in her open spirit, everyone found a friend. We will miss her laugh, her light, her love.

Columbine High School had thirteen precious lives taken from us on April 20, 1999.

The Columbine Forensics family lost two treasured members that will always be remembered.

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SEPTEMBER: Lincoln Financial Group National Finals Results

# COUNCIL ADOPTS LITTLEFIELD NJFL PROPOSAL

Allow a portion of the NJFL member's points to transfer to a student's initial application into the NFL.

Whereas: The National Junior Forensic League chapters expose students to the National Forensic League due to the inherent relationship between the two groups; and,

Whereas: Students who participate in the NJFL earn points for participation and presentations, just as do student members of the NFL; and,

Whereas: Allowing NJFL members to carry over a portion of their NJFL points into their initial 25 points needed for membership in the NFL would provide a tangible link between the NJFL and the NFL; and,

Whereas: Providing a link between the NFL and NJFL programs has the potential to increase the growth of both organizations, therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the NFL National Council that a portion of an NJFL member's points be transferrable to the initial 25 points required for membership in the NFL. (*Passed*, 7-2 at the Spring Council Meeting)

# Logistics:

1. Allow an NJFL student seeking membership in the NFL to transfer 10 percent of up to 100 points (100 points is the highest benchmark for degree recognition currently in the NJFL) toward the initial 25 points needed for NFL membership. Points will be rounded up or down. For example, a

student with 46 NJFL points transfers 5 points toward initial membership in the NFL. A student with 81 points transfers 8 points toward initial membership in the NFL. The maximum number of points allowed for transfer is 10. The student seeking NFL membership still needs to earn at least 15 points through activity or competition at the high school level.

2. The NJFL points being transferred would be recorded under "service projects." For example, the following information would be recorded.

Date	Audience Addressed	Type of Speaking	Points
1999	NJFL Membership Transfer	NJFL #	10 points

If the coach or student does not have the NJFL number of known current points, those areas may be left blank and filled in by the National NFL office.

- 3. A NJFL member transferring points toward initial NFL membership is still required to pay all membership fees required by the NFL. There is no credit for NJFL membership fees paid prior to NFL membership.
- 4. The NFL National Council has the right to change or modify any procedures to facilitate a smooth transition to the new system.

(Robert S. Littlefield, Ph.D., is Coordinator of the NJFL Committee)

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# XJFL

# CHAPTER ACTIVITY REPORT

# Shelbyville Middle School, Shelbyville, IN

Summary: This is a new chapter this year. Chapter membership, 9. Three students attended the first Speech Meet in December at Brebeuf Middle School. By February, eight students participated in the Speech Meet at Carmel Jr. High. Five of the eight

students won a ribbon for their category. Shelbyville Middle School's duo interp gentlemen received first place for their skit, "The Bookshop", by Monty Python.

Accomplishments: Sparked the interest of more students within the school and looking forward to a good year for '99-2000! The high school is starting a Speech Team next year, especially with freshmen fired up and ready to continue competing.

<u>Details/Comments:</u> Shelbyville Middle School joined NJFL as a school, but each student did not join. Is it necessary in order for the points students have earned to count? (All students should join)



Andrew Newkirk & Joshua Owens, performing their duo interp,
"The Book Shop" by Monty Python

# Freed Middle School, Pueblo, CO

Summary: Chapter membership this year, 19.

Accomplishments: Seventh grade students introduced to the following speech contests: Humorous and Dramatic Interpretation, duet acting, and duo. The team competed successfully where it culminated in the La Junta invitational.

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# Mountain Brook Jr. HS, AL

Summary: This has been an exciting year for Mountain Brook Jr. High. Student membership and student interest is increasing and "we're thrilled to be part of the organization." Among the activities this year has been several in-class debate tournaments. Each student has a partner and the class selects a topic. Each team debates two debates (one per side) and then the top six teams go into a single elimination bracket upon which a class champion is named.

Accomplishments: Debaters visited a nearby campus (Samford University), toured the debate facilities, and performed a demonstration debate critiqued by the Samford coaches. A number of Mountain Brook students have been active as well in the Alabama JUNA (Junior United Nations Assembly) competition. The group represented Israel and was able to present a resolution and defend it as well as to cross-examine other groups presenting resolutions.

"We look forward to adding student congress to the classroom activities next year. We are also pleased that two social studies teachers have added variations of debate to their classes."







Students Using Courtroom Motif

# XJFL

# CHAPTER ACTIVITY REPORT

# Columbia Middle School, IN

Summary: Chapter membership, 23. The speech team competed in seven meets this year. "We plan our 5th annual speech meet to be January 22, 2000."

Accomplishments: Placed in the top five in every speech meet.

## Sullivan Middle School, ND

Summary: The Sullivan Middle School Chapter of the NJFL losted two middle school tournaments. The debate tournament was held in late January as part of the North Dakota "East-West" Classic. The speech tournament was held in February. The NJFL Chapter was involved with the Shanley NFL Chapter fundraiser for the Rape and Abuse Crisis Center.

Accomplishments: Chapter membership, 25. Three Sullivan students received speaker or gavel awards at the State Student Congress. Two Sullivan novice policy teams were 1st and 2nd in the novice division at the State Debate Tournament. Two Sullivan students earned all-state honors in forensics by placing in four different events at designated tournaments.

<u>Details/Comments:</u> "It is a good idea for students to be able to transfer 10% of the NJFL points (up to 10 points) they have earned as start-up points when they join an NFL chapter. We would like to see a "show case opportunity" for NJFL members at the National NFL Tournament.

### St. Jude School, IN

Summary: "We presented NJFL speech to Middle School teachers at the Indianapolis Archdiocesan Leadership Conference on June 16, 1998. The purpose was to attract more Middle School participation. Our NJFL chapter also hosts the Cathedral High School Debate Team annually. This year's clinic was held on November 13, 1998 at St. Jude School. We are fortunate to receive peer coaching from Roncalli High School. Our student coaches this year were Kristina Jansen, Janet Patterson, and Kevin Sahm. These students were former St. Jude team members."

Accomplishments: St. Jude School received fourth place at Canterbury Middle School. Eighteen of the twenty-four students finished in the top eight. In a meet at Brebuef Jesuit Prep, St. Jude School finished second in the parochial school division and sixth in state participation. Five out of the twenty-five students placed in the top five. At Carmel Jr. HS., the school finished third. Eighteen out of twenty-five students finished in the top eight. In the speech category, part of the Quest for Excellence competition at Roncalli High School, St. Jude finished second. Six members of the St. Jude team participated in the Carmel meet.

<u>Details/Comments:</u> Membership continues to grow. The St. Jude School Chapter was established during the 1995-96 school year with 12 members; 1996-97, membership grew to 22; 1997-98, 9 new members were added; 1998-99, 21 new members joined. Presently, St. Jude School has 34 active members. These students all have the opportunity to participate at one or more meets depending on extracurricular involvement.

St. Jude School, (IN) Team



# Los Altos Middle School, CA

Summary: The SPEECH KIDS of Los Altos are about to conclude a very successful school year. With a 60-member team of talented and focused 7th and 8th graders, the SPEECH KIDS managed to dominate the monthly tournaments of El Camino Real Middle School Speech League. This is a 14-member league of public and private schools from Los Angeles and Ventura Counties in California. This league encourages versatility in speaking and offers 12 different categories from which to choose. The final tournament of the school year is the Championship Tournament hosted by Pasadena City College in May and only those students who have won at least a certificate of excellence during the year may participate in this tournament. The SPEECH KIDS have 44 of their members who qualified for this exciting tournament.

Accomplishments: Speaking is not the only activity of the SPEECH KIDS during the school year. Other activities include: one-act plays; assist coach, Marilyn Bjork in running a district-wide speech program for grades Kgn - 6; motivational speech assemblies; after-school workshops; run the 4th, 5th & 6th grade tournaments; judge 3 rounds at the tournament; in May, run a "Celebration of Speech" for kindergarteners

<u>Details/Comments:</u> Several videos were sent to the Calif. Headquarters for the 1999 National Story Telling Youth Olympics. California sent three of the videos to the Olympics Headquarters. Twelve storytellers were selected from every state, two of these twelve were Los Altos SPEECH KIDS.



# CHAPTER ACTIVITY REPORT

# X J F L

# Los Altos SPEECH KIDS



Standing: Catherine Whittinghill, Nick Davis, Jake Wilburn, Amy Moore, Nick Kory (Pres)

Kneeling: Nykki Clark, (Sec.) and Lara Meeker, (V.P.)

# Henry McNeal Turner Middle School, GA

<u>Summary:</u> This year the Henry McNeal Turner Middle School has 14 participating students. Twelve of the students are 6th graders. Practice is held after school, 2-3 days for an hour. The curriculum features instruction in public speaking, cross-examination, research and argumentation.

Accomplishments: Students have learned how to apply during practice what is taught in theory. This has encouraged the students at Henry McNeal Turner Middle School to learn more about the U.S.'s foreign policy toward Russia. The school has access to materials from the Emory University Library System and the World Wide Web.

On March 31 the school hosted their Third Annual Debate Tournament. It was very successful! Students placed 21st, 13th and 4th. Also, placed 2nd at Woodward Academy State Championship Tournament and also won the top speaker award.

<u>Details/Comments:</u> Mrs. D. L. Murrell-Speed, coach, comments, "We have enjoyed many successes since participating on the debate circuit. The students are very enthusiastic about using their acquired skills during their regular education classes. Many of the instructors have given rave reviews about the developing skills of organization, concentration, exposition, and public speaking. To say that I am proud is an understatement of the facts. I love it when a plan comes together! Especially when the children buy into the plan, I Love It!

### Students from Henry McNeal Turner Middle School





Monte Vista Middle School of Camarillo, CA

Summary: Monte Vista Middle School has been a member of the NJFL for the last three years. With twelve types of speech, Monte Vista's two speech classes are always busy. Students select Competitive Speech as an all-year elective. The league's program of awarding points and participation certificates has added an additional layer of recognition to a school program that was designed to award individual speakers as well as provide a club program for any student interested in public speech. Coach Mrs. Pat Craig comments, "I'm very proud to have both levels of awards to motivate my team to greater success."

Monte Vista Middle School is a member of the Camino Real Speech League that offers opportunities for competitive public speech to students grades 6-8. The league offers twelve styles of speech and six tournaments a school year as well as an annual championship tournament hosted by Pasadena City College.

Accomplishments: Monte Vista has had a record of placing 1st or 2nd overall in the Camino Real Speech League events over the last six years. Monte Vista are proud to announce that so far, they have five gold medal winners and all are second year team members.

# X J F L

# CHAPTER ACTIVITY REPORT

## Monte Vista Middle School Students



Mat Morgan wins in 7 categories



Trine Lassen wins in 8 categories



Rebecca Pettit wins in 10 categories

# Muldrow Middle School, OK

Summary: NJFL member Kyle Alderson, a 7th grader at Muldrow Middle School, performs his Original Oratory, "I Believe I Can Fly" to an audience of approximately 500 community members at the Muldrow Public Schools "Showcase 99". This event showcased the Fine Arts Programs and students. Kyle holds a degree of Outstanding Achievement and competes on the MMS Novice team.



### Chinese American International School, CA

<u>Summary:</u> The Chinese American International School -- the only school in the country offering a fully bilingual Mandarin Chinese & English curriculum Pre-K through 8 -- launched its "Speech and Debate Club" last fall.

CAIS students have participated in NJFL activities in the Bay area in the past. 1998-1999, however marks the first time interested students have had an opportunity to attend a lunch-time meeting every Wednesday to work on voice exercises, impromptu speaking, or prepare for speech compositions. Under the supervision of 8th gr. English and Drama teacher Nitza Agam, two parent volunteers work with a core of about 15 students from 6-8 grades.

Accomplishments: On Nov. 7 Student Congress hosted by Convent of the Sacred Heart HS, 8th graders Rachel Fleitman and Tanya Natzke placed 3rd & 4th respectively in their chambers, while 7th grader Yuri Sobolev placed 1st in his chamber. Feb. 13, at Mercy High School's 9th Annual Grammar School Tournament, Rachel Fleitman placed 4th in Dramatic Interpretation, 7th grader Jajy Zhao placed 5th, and Tanya Natzke had an Honorable Mention. March 13 at St. Ignatius High School, Rachel Fleitman took 1st in Impromptu, while Jajy Zhao and Tanya Natzke were semifinalists (12 outs of a field of 54 competitors.)

<u>Details/Comments:</u> Coach Margaret Tcheng Ware comments, "We are very proud of the progress of all our Speech & Debate Club members, especially the 6th graders who have been "waiting in the wings", eager to challenge themselves in competition next year!"

## Students from Chinese American International School



Pictured left to right:

Rachel Fleitman, Tanya Natzke, and Jajy Zhao

### Sanford-Fritch Jr. High School, TX

Summary: Formed chapter this year -- competed as part of the High School speech team. Two students achieved Degrees of Recognition. Students competed on High School level, breaking to semi-finals several times and one student (6th) grade took 5th place in Poetry Interp out of 300+ high school students.

<u>Details/Comments</u>: Two students were featured in the nearby Borger News-Herald (front page). The two students featured were: Shawna Kellogg and Jordon Cole who have advice for future speech competitors, "If you think something is impossible, don't think it, because you can do anything." Kellogg has competed three times and made it to semi-finals twice and finals once. Cole has competed in three competitions and has made semi-finals once.



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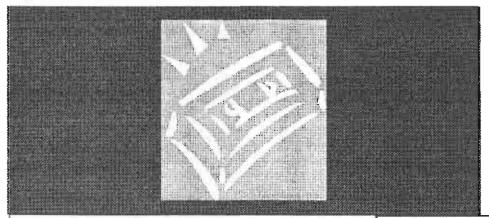


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## Douglas Byrd Middle School, NC

Accomplishments: The Douglas Byrd Middle School Forensics Team participates in one festival and three tournaments throughout the year. We participate in six events: Dramatic and Humorous Interpretation, Duo Interpretation, Original Oratory, Storytelling, and Extemporaneous Speaking. Our chapter has 18 members in grades six through eight. Because forensics is an extracurricular activity, we practice after school. This requires commitment on the part of members.

"At practice we work hard and enjoy ourselves." In addition to competition, team members perform their pieces for different classes in school, PTA meetings, and special events. Names of participants are announced at the school's wrestling matches. This year there were two team members, Kristen Barney and Amanda Mitchell who earned pins for accumulating 100 points.

<u>Details/Comments:</u> Sixth grade NJFL member Brittany Bergeron comments, "Being an NJFL member has helped others and myself with our language, interpersonal skills, and public speaking. All of us feel as if we are a family and a team. We understand that in order to be successful we need to rely on each other."



Douglas Byrd Middle School 6th grade team members receive a certificate of recognition at year-end celebration.

## Jonesborough Middle School, TN

Summary: Jonesborough Middle School holds a charter membership in the National Junior Forensic League. Forty students in grades 6-8 meet after school two Fridays per month to rehearse monologues and skits. The club is sponsored by Judy Markwood, a teacher at Jonesborough Middle School. A Christmas program and a spring program are given for the student body each year. Additionally, students have performed for area events such as Earth Day celebrations, The Jonesborough Christmas Parade, the Jonesborough Civic Trust's Tour of Historic Homes and local civic clubs. Field trips to area theaters develop an appreciation of live theater. These include Friday evenings at local community theaters and Saturday matinees at the famous Barter Theater in Abingdon, VA.

<u>Details/Comments:</u> A future goal for the school includes participation in an annual regional forensic competition for middle school students. Mrs. Markwood invites any sponsor in the area interested in competition to contact her at the school (423-753-1190).



Jonesborough Middle School NJFL students performing an environmental skit written by a JMS NJFL member at the Earth Day celebration in Johnson City, TN.



8th Grade team members receive their NJFL certificates framed as they "graduate" at year-end celebration.



Jonesborough Middle School NJFL students performing at the Historic Jonesborough Visitors Center in Jonesborough, TN.

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### Bunche Middle School, GA

Summary: The Ralph Bunche Middle School Debate Program has been a very successful middle school program. Its success can be measured in the growth of the team's participants, as well as, city and state titles.

Three years ago, the debate team debated with three teams and went on to place 2nd in the state tournaments and 2nd in the Atlanta City Tournaments. Last year, our team increased to five teams and placed first place in the Atlanta City Tournaments both for teams and speaker. We are recipients of the Sweepstakes Award for '98 and '99.

Accomplishments: This year's participation has been excellent. The team has grown to 16 teams, and has already recruited 12 additional teams for next year's participation. This year our school, Ralph Bunche Middle, was awarded the Outstanding Program award for Best Middle School Program.

<u>Details/Comments:</u> Between semesters, our debate team sponsored a 10-hour debate academy and invited competing schools to share in the art of debate. We attribute our success to dedicated coaches like Evelyn Mobley and Esther Walters. Also, our principal, Dr. Jacquelyn George has served as a wonderful support system.

### Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic School, NC

Summary: The following presentations were made: presentation with Duke Middle School; presentation for Home & School meeting; presentation with Music Program for Parent's night; and a presentation for 6th & 7th graders.

Accomplishments: Start up of Forensics and Debate for Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic School with the main goal of having fun developing speaking skills. Duke Middle School's debate team was invited to perform for Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic School. The school is looking strongly at offering an elective time period during the school day when students can choose to participate in forensics, rather than after school or weekends.

Details/Comments: "We are hoping to find other schools in Raleigh to help build a program in this area. We are proud of our students and look forward to continuing our program next year. Every one of the students earned at least 10 points for the year and was acknowledged at an end of the ceremony where they received NJFL pins. With some experience under their belt, supportive teachers and most importantly, talented, willing students, how can we miss? Thank you to NJFL for your support in getting us started in forensies!"



Pictured: Our Lady of Lourdes '99 Charter Forensic Team: Natalie Clark, Tess DeFilippo, Brittany Farrell, Dan Ferguson, Chantal James, Mike Kerr, Antonia Logue, Laurie Mannette, Kahla McSherry, Margie Merod, Dan Monahan, Emily Nelson, Tim O'Connor, Sara Poyo, Emily Proctor, Rhodes Proctor, Kendra Quigg, Allison Russell, Andrea Stroud, Ann Wagner, Susan Yanik

### St. Joseph Hill Academy, New York

Summary: Beginning this school year, St. Joseph Hill Academy implemented a story telling program for pre-kindergarten and kindergarten students. The program is quite simple and has been a remarkable success. Volunteers in the 7th and 8th grade go into the classes twice a week for a 20-minute period. During this time, the older students read stories to the younger children. When the story is complete, the readers ask questions to the listeners on the content and meaning of the stories. The young listeners look forward to the readers arrival. The program has effectively introduced reading and listening skills in a fun-filled manner. As for the participating 7th and 8th graders, they have had the opportunity to develop their interpretive reading skills and public speaking skills. Of course they will all use these new found tools in the future.

Accomplishments: Many students have participated in the program to overcome their fear of speaking in front of an audience. Others students served to participate in a school service project. As the program developed the readers wanted to be more involved because they found so much pride and joy in the response the young children gave them.

Details/Comments: "To know that a group of people can look at you and hope to be like you means more to me than anything, " said Alyson Reed. "We never know how much fun we would have reading to little kids." recalled Georgina and Christina Ferzili. The program was a confidence builder for all the students who participated and gave them an opportunity to take pride in a job well done.



Students who participated in the Story Tellers Program: Stephen Volpe, Yousaf Khalid, Lindsey Clarke, Georgina Ferzli, Christina Ferzli, Diana Gesualdi, Bobbie Pellegrino and Alyson Reed.

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# GOODWILL NIL AMBASSADORS AT WORK



Check presented to the Rape and Abuse Crisis Center, Fargo (ND). Monies raised through a fund-raising speech tournament.

Although NFL 1998 All-American Lindsay Littlefield from Shanley High School in Fargo (ND.), does her fair share of winning debate, oratory, and extemporaneous speaking finals, she has more than winning on her mind. This spring, she and her coach (who doubles as her father) planned an invitational speech tournament to raise money for the Rape and Abuse Crisis Center in Fargo, (ND). Nearly 100 students from five NFL schools (Fargo North, Fargo South, West Fargo, Grand Forks Red River, and Shanley) and five NJFL middle school programs (Agassiz, Discovery, Ben Franklin, West Fargo, and Sullivan Middle School) participated.

Always concerned about the growing problem of domestic violence in our society, Lindsay and her partner Kathleen Curtis, another NFL point leader, were determined to make a difference. They began researching domestic violence in Russia and learned that there is no consistent U.S. foreign policy regarding domestic violence world-wide. This interest translated into action when the Rape and Abuse Crisis Center was selected as the recipient of the funds raised by the tournament.

The invitational was termed a "jeans" tournament. This means students could wear jeans, instead of dressing up, if they paid a \$4.00 donation. The donation covered all entry fees for the student. To further the cause, the Lincoln Speech and Debate Society, a group of forensic competitors from North Dakota State University, were organized by former NFL member from Fargo South, Elizabeth Challey, to donate any rounds needing to be covered by hired judges. In all, 37 rounds of competition were provided at no cost to the tournament. Other judges and coaches added their own donations to the coffers.

A local trophy company, Insignia Products, donated \$357 worth of medals which were used as awards. Shanley High School donated paper products, postage, duplication costs, and provided a DJ so the students could "party" until the results were ready.

When the evening was over, happy competitors claimed that they really enjoyed being able to compete, have some fun, and contribute to a worthwhile cause. Mary Tollefson, Volunteer Coordinator for the Rape and Abuse Crisis Center was present to receive a "check" for \$715 from Lindsay and the other students and coaches who participated. Tollefson commented, "As a

non-profit organization, we are always happy to receive a check. But, when we see students working together to plan and carry out an event like this, it is really wonderful. You deserve the thanks of those people in our community who suffer from the effects of domestic violence."

Lindsay and Kathleen have qualified for the 1999 National Tournament in policy debate, making Lindsay North Dakota's first four-time qualifier to Nationals. It's young people like these who stand out as representatives of what the best of the National Forensic League is all about.

(Report by Cheryl A. Watkins)

NFL ALL-American has more than winning on her mind. Student takes debate topic to an action project.



[Pictured left to right]

Lindsay Littlefield, Marry Tollefson, and Robert Littlefield (father and coach)



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# MAKING REBUTTAL OVERVIEWS MORE EFFECTIVE by David M. Cheshier

In the past ten years, the tactic of starting each of the last two rebuttals with a short overview has become popular almost everywhere. Students now routinely instruct judges to set aside extra paper for their introduction, and many judges are enthusiastic about them: if done well, overviews add an element of real eloquence to the rebuttal, and more importantly, they provide debaters an opportunity for synthesis, a chance to offer a more fully elaborated "big picture."

Of course, these overviews aren't perfect. Sometimes they run on too long, diverting time from critical line-by-line coverage. At other times they feel a bit perfunctory, as if tacked on at the top, repetitive of more nuanced explanations that will come later. Sometimes even outstanding debaters get a bit derailed when they end up spending a full minute or more explicating the "five reasons we're winning."

A word about my own bias: Like many judges I like the summation section at the top of the rebuttal. But, and perhaps this puts me in the minority, I believe introductory overviews tend to be too long, frequently contributing too little to the overall tactical work a great rebuttal must accomplish. My purpose in writing is to invite you to consider how the introductory overview can be improved.

A note too about terminology: In what follows, I want to distinguish between short introductions that start off an entire rebuttal, and introductory assessments offered along the way in a speech, such as at the top of a major position. So when a student starts off his or her rebuttal with an assessment ("The case turn nullifies the advantage,

meaning any risk of Clinton outweighs"), I refer to that kind of speech starter as a "rebuttal overview," or RO. I aim to contrast that sort of global introduction with internal overviews ("On Clinton, remember: all their uniqueness arguments actually feed the disadvantage. Now on the 2AC #1: No link..."), and refer to those as IO's. The basic gist of this essay is a recommendation that RO's be used sparingly, and that IO's be used more frequently.

### What Goes Into a Good Overview

Rebuttal overviews, RO's, should only be used if they make strategic choices more powerfully clear for your judge, and if they free up time you would otherwise have to expend elsewhere. Unless they meet both criteria, in my opinion, you should think about eliminating the overview.

To see why this is so, consider that a major benefit, perhaps the overriding benefit, of the RO is how it provides debaters with an opportunity to escape the sometimes straightjacketing constraints of the flowsheet. If rebuttalists simply follow the previous sequence of arguments, or argue methodically line by line, a kind of deadening and equalizing effect sometimes results where everything blurs together and all claims appear equal in significance. The RO allows speakers to pull one or two major ideas out of this morass and call them to the attention of a judge who might not appreciate their real importance to his or her decision. Given this, the major question you should consider in formulating your overview should be: What arguments are most productively pulled to the top of the flow? And, relatedly, will moving this claim around on the flowsheet benefit our position (both with respect in time and strategy), or will it end up costing us in both areas?

In the couple seconds time you have to think about your rebuttal introduction, think about using these rules of thumb:

In thinking about the round, if you find yourself returning to the same central point over and over as you prep major positions, move that point into the overview. Does the counterplan have a transforming effect on every other argument? Do you find yourself making such a point on every disadvantage? Then move the thought to the top. Say it once, explain it fully, and move on to the line by line. Then, when you get to the same point later, your reference can be speedier and even a bit cryptic, since the idea has been explained in full from the start. Do all the disadvantages suffer the same uniqueness flaw? Instead of making the

point elaborately on every disadvantage, put it at the top.

If time permits, think about what one argument your opponent has most screwed up, and consider discussion of it at the top. Or conversely, decide what one argument in the debate most favors your position, and move that to the top. If a major response has been mishandled from the beginning of the round, make it the RO ("From the start, they've never understood that our plan does not require Russia to do anything - it only makes an offer. This takes out their disadvantage links!"). Or if a major aspect of the case has been dropped all along, make that the RO ("At no point in this debate have they even tried to answer the nuclear accidents scenario. A totally conceded nuclear war!").

You might also consider using the RO to address glaring weaknesses in your own position. Has an argument been mishandled or dropped by your partner? Sometimes it can be quite effective to acknowledge the problem at the beginning of the rebuttal, get it out of the way, and then move on to other issues that favor you.

If there is an issue of great remaining complexity, consider a full explanation of your position in an RO. I often seen rounds where students introduce a smart counterplan, specific to the affirmative and designed to nullify some major part of the case. But because counterplan texts are read at top speed, the strategic brilliance of the maneuver can become confused in the judge's mind until too late in the debate, and judges sometimes find themselves wondering how, for example, the counterplan you've designed escapes your own disadvantages. In cases like this, where either the strategic complexity or argumentative sophistication of your claims might leave the less informed behind, consider allocating time in an RO to a quick summary explanation of your strategy.

### Making the Overview More Powerful

Once you decide to use a rebuttal summarizing overview and what to include in it, how can it be made more effective and powerful?

First, keep it short. At the start of a rebuttal you have the judge's full attention. There is no need to orate at length about your argument. Say what must be said once, explain the point clearly, and move on. Guard against letting valuable rebuttal time slip away. And, related to this, keep the overview as simple as possible. Overviews which start with words like, "There are seven rea-

sons why..." will almost always prove a disastrous misallocation of time later in the speech.

Use the overview to make impact assessments. Overviews are often most powerful when they make assessments across arguments which could not successfully be made on the impact subpoint of any particular position. The overview can even provide some limited opportunities for making new impact calculations. Stress what is exceptional about case or disadvantage impacts, or alternatively, lay out a brief framework for judge decisionmaking (e.g., use the summary to remind the judge of the critique's a priori status).

Think about scripting out the rebuttal overview in advance of the speech. The 2AR often has some time to think about the larger issues in the round while the second negative rebuttalist prepares. While the critical issues sometimes change given radical 2NR choices, usually they don't. Therefore, if you give the 2AR, consider scripting out word for word what you might want to say at the start of your speech. It will only take a couple seconds to modify the script right before you speak, if necessary. An advantage of such advance scripting is how it keeps you focused on moving quickly through the overview, and minimizes the need for extensive elaboration and repetition. Obviously such scripts are not to be read at hyperspeed, but should be delivered with eloquence and a sense of urgency and forcefulness.

Think about your summaries after the debate. Often judge critiques will use rebuttal overviews as the starting point for decision explanations. Listen carefully to how your critics interpreted what you said, where they seemed to diverge from your own assessments, and where they accepted your analysis. At home, consider how you could have more persuasively overviewed the rebuttal. How could putting the point differently have swayed the judge to your point of view? What might have been emphasized to clarify judge confusion about the strategy you defended? Spending time at home focused on big picture questions and their clear articulation will strengthen your big picture and scenario-construction skills in future debates.

# Conclusion:

# Why Overreliance on Rebuttal Overviews Can be Dangerous

Back to the beginning: rebuttal overviews are popular for many reasons. Some love them because they like how introduc-

tions appeal to lay judges who might be less inclined to carefully follow the line by line execution of major positions. Others like the freedom summaries give debaters to escape the sheer technical work involved in arguing line by line. And of course others appreciate the occasion it provides for "big picture" debating, where everything is "put together" for the judge.

But sometimes forgotten are the dangers in allocating substantial time to the eloquent overview. Some judges feel the need to give RO's extra scrutiny, since new claims can easily be hidden there and left unchallenged directly by opposing debaters. Rebuttalists tend to overallocate time to the first issues they address (after all, as one speaks during the first minute, it seems the rebuttal will last forever), and so critical line by line coverage is too easily shortchanged at the bottom of the speech.

It is worth considering the possibility that the RO might not actually be the best vehicle for a student to communicate the "big picture." This is so because the big picture is necessarily and best conveyed throughout a speech, and not just at its start. In my experience, judges are most impressed with students who, at every moment in the rebuttal, convey a grasp of their arguments and the interrelationships between those positions. If this is true, moving all big picture assessments to the start of the speech can actually hinder strategic clarity and execution to the extent it trades off with argument-by-argument assessment.

Even lay judges may not be best served by short eloquence bursts at the top

of the speech. I've noticed that many inexperienced judges don't even write down the overview. They'll sit there with their hands neatly folded together, and wait to start flowing until the line-by-line arguing begins.

These combined risks, that time will be misallocated, that overviews will divert from better "big picture" conveyance elsewhere, and that judges may not flow the overview or understand its role, lead me to recommend a modified approach which still has a place for limited rebuttal overviews, but which minimizes their use.

Many of the best debaters prefer to put short introductory sections of analysis at the top of each main issue, as opposed to grouping it all together at the start of the speech. Thus there will be short introductions at the top of each advantage, disadvantage, topicality position or critique still being extended. This is the better way to go. First, since these internal overviews (IO's) are directly pertinent to the issue at hand, the judge is likely to write your points down; after all, he or she is looking at the Clinton flow as you offer an assessment about the Clinton debate, so it only makes sense to flow. Second, 10's provide debates with more frequent occasions to articulate connections and convey the big picture, and thereby send a constantly reinforced message that the rebuttalist understands the intricacies of argumentative interaction. Third, 10's are less likely to derail overall time allocation, since they are not all assembled into the very start of the speech.

The habit of generating internal overviews on, say, each disadvantage improves

your strategic skill as well, in part because the practice requires more mental work than just coming up with a pithy rebuttal opener. The practice forces one to give specific thought to each position, and to think about the strengths and weaknesses of that argument and an opponent's responses to it. The hyper-generality of most RO's too often lets debaters off the hook, and permits ultimately unpersuasive and banal summary claims, of the "Call for our cards!" or "We're winning topicality, killing them on nationalism, and the counterplan solves the case!" variety.

Of course, IO's do not foreclose the option of rebuttal introductions, But as you learn to introduce each major position, and declare your view of its strategic centrality to the debate, you'll find how little exposition needs to be productively moved to the very start of the speech. The result will be shorter and more powerful rebuttal overviews, supplemented by compelling issue-specific analysis; in short, the best of both worlds.

All of this is Iess relevant when debating before a judge who has explicitly stated a preference for extended rebuttal overviews. Obviously, for such critics you will best succeed by adapting to their bias. But my guess is that for the vast majority of other judges, you'll do better by offering very brief and powerful rebuttal introductions, elaborated along the way with issueby-issue assessments.

(David M. Cheshier is Assistant Professor of Communications and Director of Debate at Georgia State University. His column appears monthly in the Rostrum.)



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Lawrence C. Brown, retired debate coach at Shawnee Mission East High School died January 7, 1999 from cancer. Mr. Brown earned five NFL diamonds while qualifying 6 debate teams to the national tournament (Qualified 37 students to 18 national tournaments) His chapter earned 3 Leading Chapter Awards, 5 district plaques and 3 district trophies. Larry served 3 terms as district chair, earning the NFL Gold Award. Six times his chapter placed in the U.S. top 10 largest NFL chapters.

Glenn Cavanaugh from Derry High School has earned the Triple Diamond and has coached students to 13 Xational Tournaments. Under his direction the school has earned the Leading Chapter Award 3 times; the District Sweepstakes Plaque and the District Trophy each twice. One of the longest serving district chairs in XFL history (28 terms), Glenn has earned the District Chair Gold Award two times and the Distinguished Service Key and Plaque. For the past several years he has co-chaired Impromptu Speaking at the Xational Tournament.



Glenn Cavanaugh Pennsulvania



Steven Davis North Carolina

Steven Davis has achieved 4 XFL Diamonds. One of only four coaches in XFL history to place 3 debate teams in the national final round, Steven Davis coached the XFL debate champion in 1974 and the runners-up in 1978 and 1988. He also coached the runners-up in Extemp in 1978 and 1988, coaching 37 national qualifiers to 16 tournaments. Steven has coached in Illinois & Texas (served two terms as district chair), Minnesota (previous recipient of the Distinguished Service Key & Plaque), South Dakota, Oklahoma, Alabama, North Carolina, Kansas, Missouri and Iowa. Steven prepares the debate and LD judge paradigm booklets at Nationals and serves on the computer judges committee.

# HALL OF FAME CLASS OF 1999

Mildred Peveto coached at Arlington Sam Houston ('65-'77) and Newman Smith ('77-'95). She has earned a Double Diamond and coached 72 students to the National Tournament. Mildred coached a National Champion in Humorous Interpretation and 16 finalists. Under her direction her team has earned the Leading Chapter Award 3 times, the District Sweepstakes Plaque 6 times and the District Tournament Trophy 3 times. She has earned the District Chair Bronze Award.

Mildred Peveto has also served as Past President of the Texas Forensic Association and honored by the Texas Forensic Association in 1998 as an Emeritus Member; past Chairperson/Committee member of North Texas District; past Chairperson/Committee Member of Long Horn District and was elected Speech Teacher of the Year.



Mildred Peveto Texas



An XFL coach for 28 years, 26 of those years at Modesto H.S., (CA). Mary became an XFL member in 1933 as a senior at Washington H.S., Sioux Falls, S.D. After college Mary returned to Washington H.S. and taught there from 1939-41. Mary had a student at Xationals in 1940.

In 1950, Mary began her tenure at Modesto H.S. Her team consisted of only 4 students with very few schools in northern California participating in the XFL. Mary was very instrumental in establishing the Central California District. During Mary's 26 years of coaching at Modesto H.S., she earned the Triple Diamond Award. In 1956 Mary qualified students to 10 Xational Tournaments, taking first in DI. Her student, Dan McCall, also won American Legion Oratory.

Modesto H.S. won the Leading Chapter Award 3 times and the District Tournament Trophy. Mary served as District Chair 6 times, served on the District Committee for the Northern California District, won the District Chair Gold Award, and the Distinguished Service Key and Plague.



Mary Ritter California

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# SPRING EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING FT. WAYNE, IN APRIL 18, 1999

**Present:** Billy Tate, President; Frank Sferra, Vice President; Councilors Bro. Rene' Sterner FSC, Donus Roberts, Roger Brannan, Glenda Ferguson, Ted Belch, Harold Keller, and alternate Mike Burton (for Don Crabtree, Councilor, absent and Kandi King, alternate, absent)

### Election

Moved by Sferra, seconded by Roberts: The Council reappoint Brother Rene' Sterner FSC as the school administrator representative on the NFL Executive Council. Passed: Unanimous

### **Nationals**

Moved by Belch, seconded by Sferra: Accept the design and bid for national tournament trophies from Colorado Badge Co. **Defeated:** 3-5-1. **Aye**: Belch, Ferguson, Sferra. **Nay**: Keller, Brannan, Roberts, Sterner, Tate. **Abstained:** Burton.

Moved by Keller, seconded by Sterner: Accept the design and bid for national tournament trophies from Spike's Trophies. **Passed:** 6-3. **Aye:** Burton, Keller, Brannan, Roberts, Sterner, Tate. **Nay:** Belch, Ferguson, Sferra.

Moved by Brannan, seconded by Burton: Accept the clear satin finish (not the black finish) of the Spike's design. Passed: 7-2. Nay: Keller, Sferra.

Moved by Belch, seconded by Roberts: Accept the bid of Dr. David Cheshire and Georgia State University for the 2003 NFL National Tournament. **Passed: Unanimous**.

Moved by Sferra, seconded by Sterner: Authorize NFL Secretary James Copeland and National Host Wayne Gessford to establish financial accounts at Centennial Bank of Portland, Oregon for the 2000 National Tournament. Passed: Unanimous

Moved by Roberts, seconded by Sferra: Postpone discussion of changes in NFL Congress qualifications to the fall meeting. **Passed: Unanimous.** 

Moved by Belch, seconded by Sferra: Decline the University of Pittsburgh proposal for a public debate on the Russia topic at the 1999 Nationals (cost, \$5,000). Passed: Unanimous.

### **Petitions**

Moved by Belch, seconded by Ferguson: Deny the East Kansas district debate petition. **Passed:** 5-4. **Aye:** Burton, Belch, Ferguson, Sferra, Sterner. **Nay:** Tate, Keller, Brannan, Roberts.

Moved by Belch, seconded by Sferra: Deny the San Francisco Bay district Lincoln Douglas debate petition. Passed: Un.

### District

Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Roberts: A contestant may use only a <u>single</u> cutting in each interp event at the district tournament. **Passed:** 5-4. **Aye:** Tate, Burton, Ferguson, Roberts, Keller. **Nay:** Belch, Sferra, Sterner, Brannan.

Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Brannan: Allow double entry in solo interp and duo interp at the district tournament <u>only</u> and winners in duo must attend nationals in duo.

Moved by Keller, seconded by Roberts: Postpone motion to Fall meeting. **Passed:** 5-4. Aye: Keller, Roberts, Sferra, Sterner, Tate. **Nay:** Burton, Belch, Ferguson, Brannan.

Moved by Burton: Repeal national rule I:2 (withdrawal of a double entered student from <u>one</u> event does not permit the alternate to move up). Failed. No second.

### **Events**

Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Belch: An orator who commits plagiarism at NFL district or nationals is disqualified from that tournament in <u>all</u> events. **Passed:** 7-2. **Nay:** Roberts, Sferra.

Moved by Belch, seconded by Ferguson: Adopt Story Telling as an <u>additional consolation</u> event for a trial at the 2000 Portland Nationals. **Passed:** 7-2. **Nay:** Roberts, Sferra.

### **Awards**

Moved by Roberts, seconded by Belch: Accept the proposal for an Academic All American award as amended. **Passed:** Unanimous, except Sterner, abstain. [Program will be featured in a future Rostrum]

Moved by Sferra, second by Roberts: Begin Academic All American awards in year 2000 but awards may be retroactive to 1998-1999 School Year. **Passed:** 6-2-1. **Aye:** Tate, Belch, Sterner, Roberts, Keller, Burton. **No:** Sferra, Brannan. **Abstained:** Ferguson

Moved by Brannan, seconded by Burton: Accept Academic All American certificates as presented by Josten's.

Moved by Sferra, seconded by Ferguson: Amend Main Motion: Replace signature of NFL Secretary with signature of coach. Passed: 7-2. Aye: Belch, Burton, Ferguson, Roberts, Sferra, Sterner, Tate. Nay: Keller, Brannan. Vote on motion as Amended. Passed: 8-1. Nay: Keller

Moved by Burton, seconded by Sferra: Adopt a gold bar award with NFL initials to present to multi year participants for their NFL chenille "letter" or high school letter. **Passed:** 8-1. **Nay:** Brannan.

### **NJFL**

Moved by Roberts, seconded by Tate: Allow transfer of 10% of NJFL points (up to a maximum of ten) to a student's high school NFL record. **Passed:** 7-2. **Aye:** Burton, Keller, Ferguson, Brannon, Roberts, Sterner, Tate. **Nay:** Belch, Sferra.

### Financial

Moved by Sferra, seconded by Sterner: Renew NFL car lease for two years. Passed: Unanimous.

## Hall of Fame

Moved by Sferra, seconded by Tate: To elect a person to the Hall of Fame (announced in June). Passed: Unanimous.

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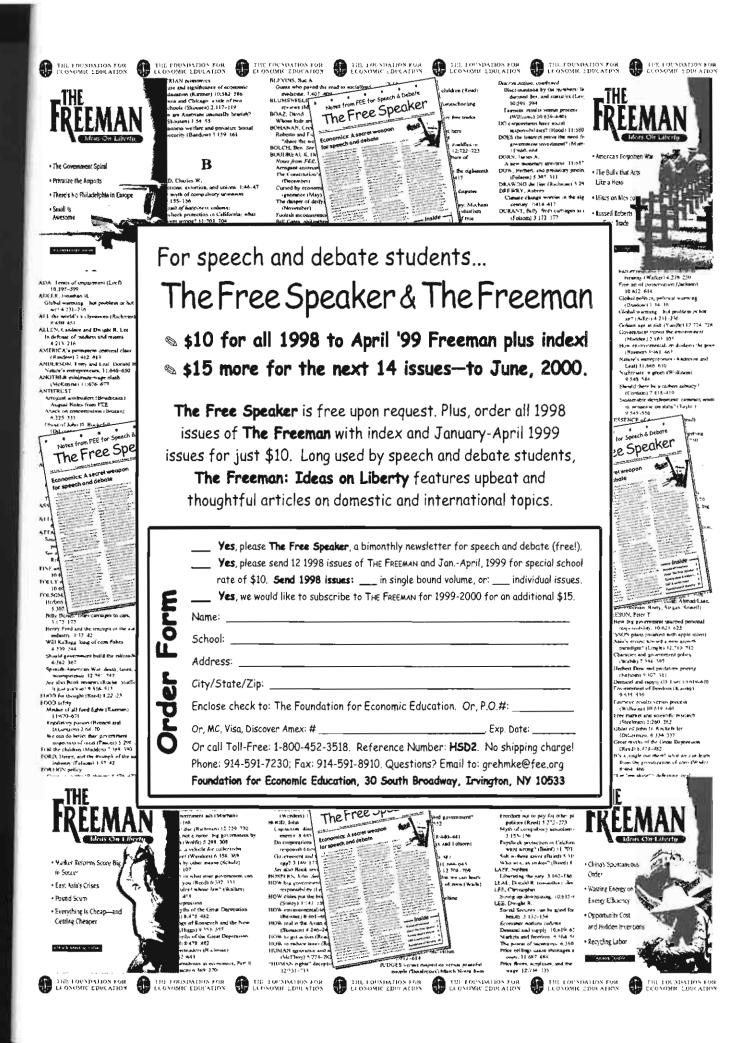
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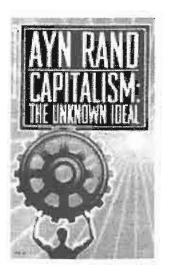
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Aysha Davis, Mount Miguel	Plaque – Troy	Stephanie Harris end Tareek Brown, Malcolm X	FX
Rahim Aimaq, Ml. Carmel	Trophy Richfield Springs-Central	Shabazz	Paul Musgrave, Evansville-Reitz
USX		OO	Jami Cates, Evansville-Reitz
Erik Jorgensen, Redlands	Northern Illinois	Nicole DiDonato, Elizabeth	DI
Zachary Amendi, Yucalpa	CX	Maral Usefi, Montville	David Nagel, Evansville-Reitz
FX	Shawn Powers and Dan Shaimon, Glenbrook-	USX	Adam Henze, Evansville-Reitz
Harsha Dandamudi, Redlands	North	Katherine Reilly, Millbum	HI
Tom Nolin, Redlands	Michael Lewis and Marissa Silber, Glenbrook-	Lauren Sidiano, Freehold Township	Nancy Giesman, Evansville-Reitz
D1	North Todd David Fine and Julie Bashkin, Glenbrook-	FX	LD
Sally Rice, Oceanside		Gilbert Lee, Bridgewater-Rarilan Reg.	Amartya De, Evansville-Harrison
Heather Ibey, Mount Miguel	South	Sarah Owendoff, Monmouth Reg.	Allsha Gaddis, Evansville-Reitz
HI	DUO ~	DI	Plaque – Evansville-Reitz
Jason Hoover, Mount Miguel	Stacey Dembo and Chris Winand, Glenbrook-	Erika Hicks, Elizabeth	Trophy – Chrysler
Jason Cencirulo, Rediands	South	Deon Laster, Long Branch	Southern WisconsIn
LD	Kevin Millor and Kelly Klein, Glenbrook-South	Ht	
Luke Mortensen, LaCosta Canyon	00	Tim Ginbach, Elizabeth	CX ~
Melanie Knowlton, Mt. Carmel	Kelly Falls, Glenbrook-South	Bradford Holt, Phillipsburg	Paul Fialg and Kevin Thom, Marquette Univ.
Plaque – LaCosta Canyon	Marc Rosenmutter, Glenbrook-North	LD ~	William Schwartz and Ankur Shah, Brookfield-
Trophy - Oceanside	USX	Julie Ajinkya, Randolph	Central
	Mary Candioto, Loyola Academy	Martsa Henriques, Easl Side	DUO
Ozark	Danny Kohn, Highland Park	Aditya Kumar, Randolph	Lindsay Pier and Ryan Dance, Milwaukee HS of
CX	FX	Plaque – Bergenfield	the Arts
Nick Sloan and Adam Brown, Springfield-	Steven Abramowitz, Glenbrook-South	Trophy Montville & Bergenfield (TIE)	Mandy Weiterman and Neil Flanders, West
Hillcrest Sara Telthorst and Lindsey Saunders, Spring-	Brian Netter, Glenbrook-North DI	ldaho	Bend-West
fleld-Parkview	Kelly Falls, Glenbrook-South	CX -	Lindsey Compton, Cedarburg
Josh Hillon and Brad Phillips, Camdenton	Hunter Seamons, Glenbrook-North	Matthew Williams and David Peterson, Idaho	Todd Beattie, Brookfield-East
DUO	HI	Fails-Bonneville	USX
Tyler Vickers and Dan May, Springfield-Hillcrest	Scott Burman, Glenbrook-South	Ira Bunch and Jeff Dearing, Centennial	Ted Kolberg, Marquette Univ.
Tyler Moore and Elliot Kellner, Kickapoo	Chris Yonan, New Tner Twp,	Drew Nieslanik and Felicia Little, Idaho Falls-	Matthew Langer, Nicolet
QO	LD	Skyline	FX ~
Nathan Correll, Springfield-Hillcrest	Jason Gordon, Glenbrook-North	DUO	Gopi Kurnar, Marquelle Univ.
Erica Lee Spyres, Mansfield	Kevin Farrell, Elk Grove	Blake Hansen and Ryan Harper, Teton	Bill Ballerman, West Bend-East
Suzanne Whisler, Bolivar R-1	Plaque – Glenbrook-North	Ryan Wood and Brant Wadsworth, Sugar-Sa-	DI
USX –	Trophy – Loyola Academy	lem	Roseanne Clark, Milwaukee HS of the Arts
Nathan Corrall, Springfield-Hillcrest		QO	Christine Bielke, Brookfield-East
Tyson Kopp, Springfield-Central	Big Valley	Richard B. Call Jr., Burley	HI
FX	CX	Amy Collinge, Centennial	Thornas Kilgore, Marquette Univ.
Brian Muegge, Greenwood Lab School	Amanda Heiner and Nicholas Cameron,	USX	Emily Wacker, Brookfield-East
Clark Quigley, Springfield-Glendale	Modeslo-Beyer	Ruth Harper, Blackfoot	LD
DI	Matthew While and Andrew Moshimia, Stock-	Eric Jackson, Idaho Falls-Skyline	Tim Romanowich, Marquette Univ.
Erica Lee Spyres, Mansfield	ton-Lincoln	FX —	Bill Batterman, West Bend-East
Jenniler Fleicher, Buffalo	DUO	Ira Bunch, Centennial	Plaque Marquette University
Sarah Bennett, Kickapoo	Anthony J. Zachary and Nichole Rocero, Bear	Andrew Orr, Centennial	Trophy Cedarburg
HI	Creek	D(	
Cameron Menzie, Kickapoo	Tim Worman and Mike Amaya, Turlock OO	Kimberly K. Hadden, Burley	Rocky Mountain North
Emily Compton, Springfield-Parkview		Jason Bills, Sugar-Salem	CX
LD	Morgan Grunerud, Johansen	н	Alyssa Brown and Ryan Hooper, Rocky Moun-
Beth Prevedel, Kickapoo	Theodore Wold, Stocklon-Lincoln USX	Jaron Raybould, Sugar-Salem	tain
Anne Twitty, Springfield-Glendale		Andy Slumme, Sugar-Salem	Brian Glesson and Eric Hullgren, Centaurus
Sarah Bennett, Kickapoo	Theodore Wold, Stockton-Lincoln	LD	DUO
Piaque – Kickapoo	Christina Stetson, Modesto-Beyer	Brandon Betty, Blackfoot	Bryan Bulhaup and Grace Zaiman, Skyline
Trophy – Kickapoo	FX	Ruth Harper, Blackfoot	Ryan Lee and Justin Schupp, Niwol
Northern Lights	George Hightower, Stockton-Lincoln	Jessica L. Ward, Idaho Falls	OO
	Matthew White, Stockton-Lincoln	Plaque Hillcrest	Johannes Barthei, Greeley-West
CX	DI	Trophy Twin Falls	Shannon Schaefer, Moffat County
Francis Jackulke and Benjamin Woster, St.	Adam Woolley, Stockton-Stagg		USX
Francis	Renee Crug, Lodi	Louisiana	Tisha Whilmill, Skyline
Andrea Karpe and Jeffrey Pearson, St. Francis DUO	HI –	CX	Logan Stortz, Longmont
	Orion Jenks, Johansen	Caissy Roger and Julie Gremillion, Lafayette	FX
Kindy McGrane and Aaron Perkins, Chisago	Molly Erwin, Lodi	Loe Hombuckle and Adam Savoie, Caddo Mag-	Cash Parker, Longmont
Lakes Sr.	LD	net	Tehnial Cheema, Ranum
Brian Neizel and Dan Dwyer, Duluth-Denfield	Amisha Patel, Modesto-Beyer	DUO	DI –
OO	Matthew Michelini, Modesto-Beyer	Joshua Thomas and Carrie Boudreaux, Carencro	Michael Aguilar, Greeley-Central
Megan Collins, Moorhead	Plaque – Modesto-Beyer	Steven Landry and Ashley Coy, St. Thomas More	Ben Koucherik, Moffat County
Sandra Japuntich, Highland Park Sr.	Trophy Modesto-Downey		HI Nick Weber, Steamboat Springs
			Micah North-Shea, Greeley-Central

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Jonalhan Hudson and Chris Hammond, North

DHO ~ DUO --LD -Geoff Wexier and Scott Carlisle, Providence Micky Corporon, Neosho Brian Smith and Jason Gordon, Heyworth Ian O'Connell, Ranum Jeremy Meyer, Aurora Gina Nicewonger and Nell Haynes, Heyworth Seth King and Jessica Cecil, Freedom John Anderson, Poudre 00 --LD -00 --Plaque -- Longmont Shelly Slover, Providence Derek Ozkal, Nevada Gina Nicewonger, Heyworth Trophy - Longmont Thomas Powers, Harding University Amber Davisson, Nevada Nell Haynes, Heyworth USX --James Rigdon, Neosho USX -San Fran Bay Erica Heeg, Pekin Comm. Annabelle Pereira, Myers Park Plaque -- Neosho Jake Foster and Tina Valkanoff, Head Royce Trophy -- Monatt Christopher A. Henry, Southeast Guilford John Mell, Granite City Sr. FX --FX --School Amy McIntyre and Dan McKenzie, El Cerrito J. D. Shipman, Providence Ben Eberle, Belleville-East Malne Matthew Bunn, Zebulin B. Vance DUO --Brugh Lower, Heyworth DI --Alphonso Thompson and Cory Randolph, James Celine Janelle and Esther Johnson, Thornton DI -Kelli Davis, North Mecklenburg Natasha Murry, Heyworth Locan Eugene Brooks and Prentice Powell, James Lo-Maryam Foye, High Point-Central Lisa M. Craigs and Sarah A. Sawyer, St. Dominic Joe Bennett, Pekin Comm. HI --Н1 -gan -- 00 Reg. David Stone, Crystal Lake-South Shelly Stover, Providence Rebecca Bonneville, Miramonte Christina Stephens, North Mecklenburg Gregory Beam, St. Dominic Reg Ben Thomas, Pekin Comm. Nicolas B. Cornell, Brunswick LD --LD --Gerren Kelsaw, James Logan -Slacy K. Gomes, Myers Park Martha Fernandez, Danville-Monte Visla Kevin Cooley, Freeport Robert Rutherford, Myers Park USX --Michael Smith, Maranacook Community School Chris Rhyne, Belleville-East Jason Norris, Providence FX -Plaque -- Belleville-East Joseph Kim, James Logan Andrew Swan, San Ramon Valley Plaque -- Providence Douglas A. Livermore, Brunswick Trophy - Crystal Lake-South Audrey Seetho, James Logan Trophy -- West Chartotte DI -Hannah W. Matis, Brunswick Hole in the Wall Meghna Subramanian, Danville-Monte Vista Great Salt Lake Elizabeth Schulz, Maranacook Community Jay Payne and Aaron Lyllle, Cheyenne-East Naha Joshi, Danville-Monte Vista School D! --Erin White and Kathleen Gurr, Lone Peak Charlie Tarver and Craig Lance, Sheridan Nefertari Rossel, James Logan Josh Bentley and Josh Earnes, Keams Gregory Beam, St. Dominic Reg DUO --DUO --Trevor Schmidt and Shawn Grant, Chadron Roy Pacumio, James Logan Paul Ruopp, Monmouth Academy Edmund Brooks, James Logan Jaran Anson and Trevor Banks, Lone Peak Berl Maxfield and Dorek Gentert, Wauneta-Palj-00 --Anna Vaillancourt, Thornton Academy HI-Megan Tschacher and Jill Thompson, Alliance Rohit Nambisan, Miramonte Jaran Anson, Lone Peak Stephanie Jenkins, Bangor Amry Parker, Lone Peak Nicolas B. Comell, Brunswick Nathan Feingersh, James Logan Plaque -- Brunswick LD --USX -Ryan Morey, Cheyenne-East Anıta Wu, Danville-Monte Vısta Jamie Hacker, Keams Kristina Stewart, Shendan Trophy -- Bangor Ryan Toso, Danville-Monte Vista Maile Vest, Selt Lake City-Skyline Jessica Smith, Campbell County Adam Preiss, Danville-Monte Vista Sundance Michelle Bullough, Salt Lake City-Skyline Michael Owens, Sheridan Plaque - James Logan CX -Trophy -- Miramonte Bekah Jeffreys and Jon Kempton, Mountain View Chris Hunt, Taylorsville Adam Shaver, Scottsbluff Desaray Brown and Breanno Tusi, Bingham Ŋί FX --California Coast Ashley Ruesch, Lone Peak Nick Barker and Desiree A. Moore, Carbon Robbie Galbreath, Shendan н. DUO Cassidy Bolln, Newcastle Michael Ojala, Park Cily Jes B. Young and Marshall Emsley, Jordan DI. Tejinder Singh and Brad Simmons, Bellarmine College Prep. LD -Mandie E. Shattuck, Cheyenne-Central Nita Singh and Emily Trieu, Leland Rob Gordon, Sall Lake City-West Kristine Hall, Carbon Jovan Lewis, Campbell County Lindsey R. Rolf, Alta DUO --Elisabeth Page, Rowland Hall-St, Mark's Jessica McGahan, Sheridan Lily Sarafan and Shalini Samat, Leland Kamie Bowout, Lone Peak Lee Lewis, Pleasant Grove Brooks Reeves, Cheyenne-East Brian Luskey and Chelsea Purvis, Saratoga Plaque - Taylorsville Trophy - Hunter Tyson W. Smith, Jordan 00 ~ Brian Griffith, Chadron Patrick Hammon, Letand Gabe Cook, Wheatland Fana Aragaw, Campbell-Westmont Northern Wisconsin Ryan Steadman, Jordan LD --USX --Jeffrey McCombs, Alla Cassidy Bolin, Newcastle Rajiv Batra, Leland Charlie Lauters and Mike Suomi, Hortonville Michael Owens, Sheridan Brad Simmons, Bellarmine College Prep. Christopher Harwood and David Hager, Neenah Deland Moghimi, Granger Kristen M. Barton, Cheyenne-Central FX-DUO -LD --Plaque - Chevenne-East & Shendan (TIE) Ankur Luthra, Saratoga Veronica Heffron and Jerry Balestrieri, Appleton-Ryan Anderson, Mountain View Trophy -- North Platte Sr. Johnny Yeh, Bellamine College Prep Benjamin R. Wamer, Carbon Grady Teske and Dustin Teske, Hortonville D! --New Mexico Plague - Jordan Pinar Aybar, Campbell-Westmont 00 -Trophy -- American Fork CX -Elizabeth Wautlet, Algoma Karan Suri, Bellarmine College Prep. Sam Brown and Ilana Blankman, Albuquerque West Oklahoma Matt Hipp, Hortonville Dave Mount, Beltarmine College Prep. Nathan K. Gorelick and Ryan C. Glinski, La Cueva David Herman, Saratoga Jeff Billings, Sheboygan-South Jonathan T. Kurkjian and Chris White, Okla City-DUO -Skip Rather, Winneconne LD -Heritage Hall Chris Marianetti and Diana Marianetti. Albuquer-Eric Pai, Saratoga Matt Browne and Daniel Reineke, Okla Cityque Academy Bill Heil, Bellarmine College Prep. John Larson, New London Sr. Heritage Hall Mercedes Allen and Emily Hicks, Albq.-High-Plaque -- Bellarmine College Prep. Theodora Texlor, Sheboygan-South Geneva Murray and Melanie Wilson, Edmondland Trophy - Saratoga DΙ Jenna Grambort, Albuquerque Academy Katrina Grasley, Winneconne DUO ~ Jerad Bradt and Nicholas Bradt, Alva Kentucky Sara Monson, Appleton-East Hillary Ingber, Albuquerque Academy DUO -Valerie Curry and Tya Smith, Enid Neil Rhodes, Farmington Ryan Ray and William Johnston, Pike County Earl Kavanaugh, Appleton-East 00 -Frank Korf, Waupaca Healther Adkins and Roderick Justice. Pike Brady Henderson, Enid Isaac Potter, Taos County Brooke McCorkle, Norman 00 -Courtney Cloment, Appleton-West USX -Matt Barrett, Albuquerque Acedemy John Pollom, Danville Jessica Jankiewicz, Appleton-East Brady Henderson, Enid Elizabeth Kistin, Albuquerque Academy Plaque -- Appleton-East Christina Elmore, Norman HS North Amanda Howes, Rowan County Sr. USX --Trophy -- Sheboygan-North Elizabeth C. Haynes, Duncan Lauren Weeth, Albuquerque Academy Jenny Jalaion, Rowan County Sr Sadie Hays, Albuquarque Academy Ryan Martin, Lloyd Memorial Carver Truman Brett Murphy, Norman HI -FX -Shain Alexander, Norman CX --Alex Brown, Albuquerque Academy Greg Scott, Rowan County Sr. Timothy Kenny and Justin Covey, Neosho Rohil Kukreli, Norman Ed Chavez, Albuquerque Academy LD -Sarah Mincey, Rowan County Sr. Silas Aliard and Nicholas Taylor, Neosho DI. Matthew Brock and Molly Schmit, Monett Lindsay Patterson, Guymon Dane Roberts, La Cueva Laura Williams, Rowan County Sr. Adam Brummitt, Norman Kellen Backer, Taos Emily Noble, Murray Ben Thomas and Jason Edgar, Aurora HI . Plaque -- Albuquerque Academy Josh Reid and Anthony Cross, Purdy Kiley Patterson, Guymon Trophy -- Albuquerque Academy 00 -Wesley Hart, Murray Ryan Caimano, Enid Drew Thompson, Murray Laura Cartmill, Nevada ID --South Florida Brell Murphy, Norman Marlena Sweeney, Monett CX -Brandon Kallie, Murray USX --John Vollbrecht, Bishop McGuinness Carlos Salup and Richard Vivero, Chrislopher Marci Jacobs, Bishop McGuinness Plaque - Danville Gabe Cook, Neosho Columbus Trophy -- Murray Cristy Bennett, Monett Plaque -- Norman Gina Cabrera and Sara Poster, Miami-Palmetto Trophy -- Edmond-North FX -Carolina West Bethany Kenny, Neosho Antonio Planas and Jonathan Gary, Michael Krop Greater Illinois Silas Allard, Neosho Felice Gorordo and Gabriel Gutierrez, Belen Madhu Kumar and Chris Larson, Westchester DI -Jesuit Prep Jeffrey Hemmer and Jeremy Stanley, Belleville-

Erin Singleton, Monett

Marlena Sweeney, Monett

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Laura Gall and Aaron Winters, Pontiac Township

Lovensky Jean-Baptiste, North Miami Beach

Matthew Katz, Miami-Palmetto

USX -West Texas HSX --Shagran Hassan, North Miami Trevor Hartman, Mc Neil Cameron Eickmeyer, Flagstaff Alex Maidonado, Westlake Jorge Herrera, Braddock Adam Stroud and Bryson Sanlaguida, Irvin James Stinebaugh, Gilbert FY -LD ~ Daniel Ortiz and Robert Almonte, El Paso-Ca-FX --Wilbert Vancol, North Miami Beach Raymond Andrews, Pflugerville Benjamin Thelen, McClintock thedral Brad Grossman, North Miami Beach Tommy Clancy, Westwood Matt Williams, Peyson DIIG .. DI ~ Michelle Graham, Havs Frank Rivera and Jeremy Guidry, El Paso-DI --. Felix Barker, Red Mountain Lovensky Jean-Baptiste, North Miami Beach Plaque -- Round Rock Coronado HI -Trophy -- Round Rock 00 --Karen Albins, Flagstaff Vanessa Medina, Riverside Julie Glasser, Chaparral Winston Carty, North Miami Frank Garcia, Belen Jesuit Prep Northwest Indiana Stephanle Briner, Hanks LD-USX -Tony Cruz, Phoenix-Central David Miller and Jessica Goethals, Valparaiso Taron Johnson, Andress Carty Celmer, Our Lady of Lourdes Acad. Antonio J. Morehead, Red Mountain David Vivero, Christopher Columbus Patrick O'Hara and Prajawal Rajappa, Valparaiso Amanda Vasquez, Hanks Matt Bopp, Mountain View Plaque - North Miam! Beach DUO -LD --Trophy - Miami-Palmelto Greg Waksmulski and Rebecca Phend, Ply-Christena Flint, Mountain View Austen Irbobal, Andress Michelle Conroy, Silva/Jefferson JIII Cooper, Dobson Jeff Van Vactor and Mitch Lawrence, Plymouth Joshua A. Deahl, Mountain View Colorado Grande D1 -00 --Francisca Zimmerman, Silva/Jefferson Plaque - Mountain View Todd Hildebrandl and Drew Soderborg, Fruita Adam Lukenbill, Plymouth Celina Mendez, Montwood Trophy - Mountain View Monument Nina Bilimoria, Munster HI --Michaela Hoffman and Zac Frank, Palmer Rachel Heller, Riverside Lone Star DUO --Gregory Zeck, Munster Anil Kumar, El Paso-Coronado Kirk Waters and Davram Sliefler, Fruita Monu-Rina Doshi, Munster LD -Michael Garemko and Omar Usman, Grape-Jennifer Fallett, Franklin ment vine Ryan McClelland and Colin Means, Montrose Hìral Shah, Munster Emiliano Rodriguez, Sllva/Jefferson Shane Dinneen and Anand Veeravagu, Grape-Plaque - Hanks 00 -Daniel Chakraborty, Munster vine Traphy - Montwood Erin Bray, Canon City DΙ DUO -Andrew Moore, Elkhart-Central Steve Quinn and Caleb Stewart, Grapevine Chris Flores, Doherty USX -Kate L. Schoen, Munster Central Texas Hunter Wood and Eric Steele, Dalias-Highland Brian Miller, Sierra ш Park Barry Miller, Sierra Nicole Pellegrino, Munster Rishi Agrawal and Pradeep Panketh, San Anto-00 --Anne F. Ellis, Munster Ryan Short, Plano Sr. nio-Churchill Nick Mayle, Sierra LD ~ Crystal Johnson and Jordon McCoy, San Anto-Laura Bufford, Plano Sr. Thomas Noah, Canon City James Rebesco, Munster nio-Churchill USX --Victoria Bembenista, Munster Jason Warren, Plano Sr. DUO --Brittany Henderson, Liberty Plaque – Plymouth Will Rogers and Jack Pearson, San Antonio-Amy Moffett, The Colony Ryan Moore, Rampart Trophy - Munster Stephanie Court and Samantha Daniel, San An-Rick Cofer, Plano Sr. Rebecca Stump, Liberty Rocky Mountain South tonio-Madison Sean Hsu, Plano Sr Paula Richards, Durango 00 --DI w Ted Burke and Ryan King, Golden Richard Barth, Canon City Martha Bartle, Texas Military Institute Haylene Morales, Duncanville Quentin Wheeler-Bell and Justin Segall, Den-LD Katie Gordon, San Antonio-Churchill Scott Mechlowicz, Plano Sr Jon Moore, Canon City ver-Fast HI-Sara Wannamaker, Liberty DUO -Christopher Castillo, San Antonio-Madison Lana Woostenhulme, Plano Sr. Adam Hurst, Plano Sr Plaqua -- Canon City Charles Wood and Shahada Abdal-Rahman, Ashley Moreno, San Antonio-Madison Trophy -- Fruita-Monument Denver-East FX -LD -Jennifer Gillespie, San Antonio-MacArthur Paul Gravley, Grapevine Alisa Frazzini and Joshua Poole, Wheat Ridge 00 --Poornima Vijayashanker, San Antonio-Churchill Louis Provost, Grapevine Kansas Filnt-Hills Miranda Ward, Wheat Ridge ומ Chad Bush, Granevine Victor R. Petty IV and Basit Mustafa, Washbum Meghan Caruthers, Pornona Blake Walker, San Antonio-ChurchIII Plaque -- Grapevine USX -Jamle Hoppe, San Antonio-MacArthur Trophy - Tumer Jacquelyn Brown, Eaglecrest School Edward K. Sebelius and Adam J. Obley, Topeka HI -TErrance Favors, Denver-Washington Dane Charbeneau, Texas Military Institute Kathryn E. Bandy and Benjamin R. Straus, To-North Texas Longhorns Richard Francis, San Antonio-Churchill FX -Peter Renn and Michael Linford, Colleyville-DUO -Swati Patel, Denver-Washington LD -Jason Jones and Darren M. Canady, Topeka Randy Navarro, Eaglecrest School Max Clark, San Antonio-Lee Heritage Clare E. Parry and Josua W. Ketter, Washburn DI -Stephen Babb, Texas Military Institute Ben Hoffman and Morgan Hughes, St. Mark's Gia M. Chinisci, Wheat Ridge Rural Plague -- San Antonio-Churchill School Amanda Jorgensen, Conifer Trophy - Taff DUO --Laura Fangman, Silver Lake HI -Danny O'Connor and Justin Sundstrom, Newman Matthew A. Zambrano, Wheat Ridge Jeff Kready, Washburn Rural Colorado Smith Greg Richardson, Wheat Ridge CX -Erin Sloey and Jordan Tomenga, Newman Smith LD-Jeff Kirkwood and Raaen Stewart, Cherry Creek Edward K. Sebelius, Topeka 00 -Lindy Baldwin, Lakewood Zack Coseglia, Newman Smith Adam J. Obley, Topeka Wonnie Ryo and Ashok Basawapatna, Cherry Sarene Khader, Evergreen Creek Caleb Williams, Lewisville USX -Bryce J. Dietrich, Topeka Plaque -- Lakewood DUO -Reid Levin and Loren Knaster, Cherry Creek Kalhryn E. Bandy, Topeka Trophy - Pomona Chandra Claycamp, Colleyville-Hentage Josh Billig and Mark Whilten, Cherry Creek Justin Hemdon, Newman Smith 00-Brady K. Miller, Topeka East Texas FX -Jonathan Von Stroh, Highlands Ranch James Ficaro, Lewisville Daniel Vansickle, Topeka-West CX --Rebecca Eaton and Justin Whyle, Oak Ridge Andrea K. Maikovich, Smoky Hill Bryan Gray, Lewisville Sara Izfar and Cindy Kim, Houston-Memorial USX --DI -Jeff Kready, Washbum Rural Esther Etuk, Newman Smith Courtney L. Self, Topeka Justin W. Kirk and Caleb M. White, Barbers Hill Scott Wisor, Cherry Creek DUO --David Gallivan, Smoky Hill Jonathan Chavez, Creekview Benjamin D. Sharp, Rossville н --Vanessa Proctor and Jamie Milward, Spring Benjamin Bammes, Washbum Rural Lydia De Souza and Mia De Pinto, Spring David Asarch, Cherry Creek Carey Moore, James Martin Plaque - Topeka 00´~ Yumi Kim, Fairview James O'Connell, Newman Smith Demond Robertson, Alief-Esik Trophy -- Hayden DI -LD -Sara J. Martin, Columbine Matt Caster, Kety Chandra Claycamp, Colleyville-Heritage Heart of Texas USX --Emily Jerez, Cherry Creak Justin Hemdon, Newman Smith Peymon Momeni, Alief-Hastings Steffany Oravetz, Colleyville-Henlage HI-Ben Durham and David Leung, Georgetown Plaque -- Colleyville-Hentage Aniana Dwived!, Alief-Hastings Brian Larson, Highlands Ranch Stephen Anderson and Loren Dent, Georgetown Andrew Rothschild, Cypress Creek David May, Overland Trophy - Shepton Marcus Pope and Paulina Woo, Round Rock FX ~ LD --Sean Yorn, Kingwood Eiman Abdel-Azim, Cherry Creek East Kansas Liz Parrolt and Lois Wright, Georgetown Amol Jain, Alief-Hastings Mark Filarowicz, Cherry Creek 00 -Rajil Marwah, Alief-Hastings Plaque - Cherry Creek Kimberly B. Bozich and Becca Scott, Blue Valley Meghan Leary, Mc Neil DI -Trophy -- Chatfield Northwest Trevor Harlman, Mc Neil Fabienne Harford, The Woodlands' Andrew Schandel and Kavilha Dileepan, Blue Sachin Patel, Alief-Hastings Arizona Valley Northwest Michelle Graham, Hays Н( --CX -Jeff Cambiano and Jason Kander, Bishop Miege Lucy Lea Blaney and Christopher D. Martin, Robert Perez, Stephen F. Austin Sean O'Brien, Klein Matt Williams and Aspen Gorry, Payson Nicole Heffner, The Woodlands' Meghan Leary, Mc Neil Takis Makridis and Ivan Susak, Brophy College Shawnee Mission East FX -LD Ртер. David Ransom, Kingwood Sleve Pattyn, Westwood Diontey Moore and Timothy Adams, Kansas City-DUO -Todd Baulch, Hays Sarah Frechetta and Brittany Hilgers, Dobson Anjana Dwivedi, Alief-Haslings Washington Siephen Hansen, Westlake Alison Gardner, Alief-Elsik Ryan Keller and Billy Irwin, Dobson Heather Heideman and Jason Jaggard, Olathe-DI

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Joshua A. Deahl, Mountain View

Emily Cuatto, Phoenix-Central

Jon Gandomi, Dobson

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Amber Mobiley, Sumner Academy

Justin Bailey, Olathe-South

Rajit Marwah, Alief-Hastings

Plaque - Alief-Hastings

Trophy - Kingwood

Geena Doig, Mc Neil

Bobby Greene, Mc Neil

Kelli Bumpas, Wichita-Southeast

Joseph D.L. McHugh, Andover

Ryan C. Rollings, Field Kindley

Todd Waits, Valley Center

Ashley Major, Goddard

DITO --

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Lamar Turner and Christina Hausia, Radford

Lauren Shim, Mieko Treaster, Punahou

Maka Nazarro, Kamehameha Schools

William Du, Honolulu-Roosevelt

USX -Plaque -- Wichila-Fast USX -Craig Pirner, Shawnee Mission West Trophy -- Wichita-Campus David Wakukawa, Iolani School Kara Bastos, Porlage-Northern Beth Finney, Sumner Academy LD --Reid Palmeira, Kamehemeha Schools North East Indiana Aman Ansani, Portage-Northern Jason Kander, Bishop Miege Plaque -- Portage-Northern Stanley Chang, Iolani School Mike Rowe and Chris Lowery, Chesterton Cortney Moriarty, Blue Valley Trophy -- Portage-Central DI Kalie Hurley and Aaron Dartz, Chesterton Slacey Pulmano, McKinley Tyler Woods, Fort Scott DUID --Daniel Viloria, Damien Memonai tillol Christina Schafer, Blue Valley Sarah Penrose and Josh Craig, Chesterton HI -Jonathan Shih and Corey Turoff, Buffalo Grove Scott Tidwell, Fort Wayne-South Side Anthony Nigrelli, Honolulu-Roosevelt Brandon H. Morgan, Sumner Academy Andrea Deaver, Shawnee Mission South 00 --Adam Shafran and Mike Colonna, Buffalo Grove Wesley Freilas, Kamehameha Schools Kinisha McKeel, Snider ID-LD Kelly Rolf, Fort Wayne-Northrop Hyoп Ju Park, Honolulu-Roosevelt Jeff Dalo and Kate Mulligan, Downers Grove-Daniel Evans, Kahuku Jenn Daniel, Blue Valley USX -Laura Burton, Blue Valley Kelly A. Whiteman, Norwell Plaque - Punahou School Le'mil Eiland and Nicole Franklin, Thomridge Plaque -- Blue Valley Mike Rowe, Chesterton Trophy -- Radford 00 -Trophy - Shawnee Mission East FX -Jenny Bulla, Downers Grove-South John Jemigan, Chesterton West Kansas Le'Mil Eiland, Thomridge Chris Lowery, Chesterton Mid-Atlantic USX --DI --Jessica Hoffmeier, Wheaton-North Adam R. Frost and Kavin Zhao, Manhatlan CX -Brian P. Murphy and Jonathan M. O'Connor, Kinisha McKeel, Snider Jesse Crupper and Rick Miller, Haven Kale Rockwood, Carl Sandburg Rob Blumenthal, Chesterton Prince Edward County Elizabeth Richardson and Ryan Schlezbaum, DUO --HI -Hutchinson Steve Ford, Carl Sandburg Adam Wagner, Chesterton Issac Dennis and Caleb Kruchenburg, Hutchinson Adam Breske and Ashley Hirt, Blacksburg Vihang Shah, Downers Grove-South John Kirby and John Brown, W. T. Woodson Brendan Baife, Chesterton DI. OO --I D --Roger Briggs and Scott Johnson, El Dorado Mary Peters, Downers Grove-South Jenny Byrd, W. T. Woodson Jenny Dagoslaro, Chesterton Delena Chastain and Danial Porter, El Dorado Sasha Geoppo, Carl Sandburg Jennifer Chow, W. T. Woodson Matthew Gregoline, Chesterton Tiffany Yearout, El Dorado Julie Quackenbush, Salina-South USX ~ Plaque - Chesterion Josh Green, Homewood-Flossmoor Phoebe Connelly, Blacksburg Trophy -- Fort Wayne-Northrop Wendy Lindenmeyer, Downers Grove-South Ariel Schneller, Blacksburg Beth Classen, McPherson Capitol Valley USX --Manna Shpreyregina, Buffalo Grove Plaque – Downers Grove-South Yoni Schneller, Blacksburg Zachary McClure, Lyons Lucas Kline, Blacksburg Joey Washburn and Trevor Haskell, Nevada Dusty Gann, Buhler Trophy -- Downers Grove-South DI -Union Jeremy Schrag, Buhler Rachel Lewis, Abingdon Sarah Epstein and Sarah Joye, McClatchy Sagebrush Jessica Guerra, Abingdon DUO --Jesse Nathan, Moundridge HI --Lauren Kuhn and Jon Pinney, Granite Bay Steve Thomton, Haven Justin Rusk and Adam Hosmer-Henner, Brandon McConnell, Abingdon Robert prichard and T. J. Fassler, Gelt McQueen Katie Fricas, W.T. Woodson 00 -Kristina Von Fange, Salina-South Amanda Burke and Mary E. 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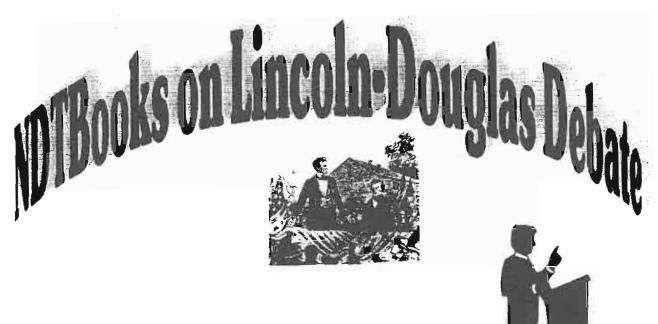
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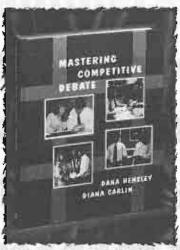


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### **NFL'S TOP 50 DISTRICTS**

(May 3, 1999)

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1.	Chan	ge District Northern South Dakota	Ave. No. Degrees	Trophy Contender	Rounds
1. 2.		Northern Ohio	205.55	Brookings	674
2. 3.		Rushmore	183.81	Austintown-Fitch	429
			175.00	Sioux Falls-Washington	721
4.		Heart of America	170.68	Kansas City-Oak Park	552
5.		Kansas Flint-Hills	169.94	Topeka	854
6. 7	+5	Northwest Indiana	160.69	Munster	581
7.		San Fran Bay	149.94	College Prep School	425
8.	-2	Show Me	148.94	Kansas City-Center	379
9.		West Kansas	146.75	Hutchinson	676
10.	-2	East Los Angeles	142.80	Damien	474
11.	-1	East Kansas	140.90	Shawnee Mission West	549
12.	+10	Central Minnesota	138.68	Forest Lake Sr.	606
13.		Florida Sunshine	137.30	Sarasota-Riverview	221
14.	-2	California Coast	137.14	Bellarmine College Prep	738
15.	-1	Hole in the Wall	133.93	Cheyenne-Central	442
16.	-1	South Kansas	132.75	Wichita-Southeast	304
17.	+7	Hoosier South	131.53	Evansville-Reitz	799
18.	-2	New York City	130.29	Regis	620
19.		Southern Nevada	124.71	Bonanza	419
20.	-3	Carver-Truman	124.66	Nevada	486
21.	-1	Nebraska	120.00	Millard-North	448
22.	-4	Montana	119.42	Bozeman	510
23.	-2	Northern Illinois	116.00	New Trier TWP	498
24.	+23	Michigan	114.71	Portage-Northern	283
25.	-2	Sierra	113.11	Bakersfield	466
26.		Rocky Mountain-South	112.62	Lakewood	464
27.	-2	Florida Manatee	112.60	Nova	528
28.	-1	Eastern Ohio	110.34	Wooster	575
29.	+21	General	106.00	Plymouth Canton Educ. Park	16
30.		Southern Wisconsin	105.07	Marquette Univ.	844
31.	-3	West Los Angeles	104.69	Cleveland	278
32.	-3	Western Washington	104.45	Federal Way	387
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35.	-2	Northern Wisconsin	101.78	Appleton-East	647
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40.	-6	North Coast	97.07	St. Ignatius	363
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42.	-2	East Texas	95.13	The Kinkaid School	645
43.	-4	Chesapeake	95.00	Calvert Hall College	119
44.	-6	Colorado	93.88	Mullen	465
45.	-8	Ozark	93.66	Springfield-Parkview	765
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52.	+3	South Carolina	89.57	Spring Valley	391
53.	-9	Big Valley	89.50	Modesto-Beyer	578
54.	-11	Eastern Washington	89.11	Mead	613
55.	-4	Tennessee	88.66	Montgomery Bell Academy	611
56.	-7	New York State	86.92	Lakeland	409
<b>57</b> .	-4	North Oregon	86.64	Gresham-Barlow	315
58.	-4	Wind River	86.36	Casper-Natrona County	413
59.	-7	Rocky Mountain-North	85.82	Niwot	305
60.	-1	West Oklahoma	85.21	Putnam City	524
61.	+7	Tall Cotton	85.00	Midland-Lee	272
62.	-5	Pittsburgh	84.70	Mercer Area	310
63.	-7	Valley Forge	84.44	Holy Ghost Prep	722
64.	-6	Deep South	84.35	Vestavia Hills	410
<b>65</b> .	+2	Great Salt Lake	84.23	Salt Lake City-Skyline	347
66.	-6	Louisiana	83.85	St. Thomas More	453
67.	-5	Heart of Texas	83.17	Waco	281
68.	-2	West lowa	82.57	Des Moines-Roosevelt	220
69.	+11	North Dakota Roughrider	81.89	Fargo-Shanley	454
70.	-1	Lone Star	81.65	Plano Sr.	575
71.	+18	Central Texas	81.26	San Antonio-Churchill	658
72.	-9	Sundance	80.80	Bingham	282
73.	+4	Greater Illinois	78.46	Pekin Comm.	629
74.	-3	Colorado Grande	77.80	Pueblo-Centennial	249
75.	-3	Western Ohio	77.70	Centerville	776
76.	+19	Sagebrush	76.30	Reno	349
77.	+1	Arizona	76.07	Dobson	417
78.	-2	Utah-Wasatch	75.73	Bountiful	330
79.	-5	East Oklahoma	75.48	Tulsa-Washington	523
80.	-5	Maine	75.00	Cape Elizabeth	262
80.	-10	West Virginia	75.00	Duvai	255
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83.	-4	Carolina West	71.38	High Point-Central	354
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85.	-4	New Jersey	70.22	Montville	393
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87.	-4	South Florida	69.28	Miami-Palmetto	811
88.	-4	Big Orange	67.42	Cypress	247
89.	-2	Kentucky	66.56	Murray	401
90.	-2	Georgia Northern Mountain	63.57	Westminster Schools	562
91.		Capitol Valley	62.75	Sacramento-Kennedy	116
92.	+1	Mid-Atlantic	61.31	Blacksburg	308
93.	-3	Mississippi	60.21	Hattiesburg	455
94.	-2	Puget Sound	55.12	Mount Vernon	173
95.	-1	Tarheel East	54.83	Enloe	273
96.	+4	WestTexas	54.47	Eastwood	263
97.		Gulf Coast	51.57	Gregory-Portland	460
98.	-2	Iroquois	48.00	Webster Sr.	218
99.	-1	Georgia Southern Peach	46.78	Carrollton	148
100.	-1	Patrick Henry	40.88	First Colonial	124
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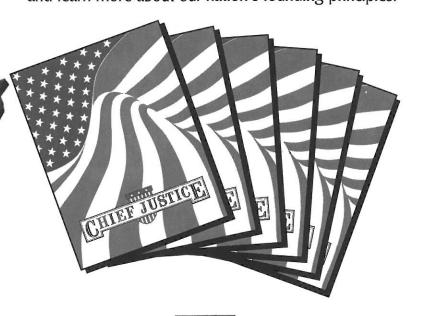
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