2002 MINNESOTA STATE HISTORY DAY
NATIONAL FINALISTS AND ALTERNATES

Junior Individual Exhibit

• First Place: Julianna Kolb, Cedar Creek Community School, “Hubert Humphrey: His Reaction, the Reform, and a Revolution in Civil Rights”

• Second Place Eva Mitchell, Anthony Middle School, “The Pony Express”

• Third Place Lilli Johnson-Moffet, Anthony Middle School, “Foreign Devils”

Junior Group Exhibit

• First Place: Kyle Parsons, Chris Hirsch, Charlie Smith, and Evan Good, Anthony Middle School, “Charles Lindbergh”

• Second Place: Madeline Kreider Carlson and Caitlyn Ngam, Capitol Hill Magnet School, “Up in Smoke: Tobacco Reform in Minnesota”

• Third Place: Foua Vang, Ping Hoang, and Coua Vang, Washington Technology Magnet School, “The Ojibwe Nation and the Fur Trade: A Destructive Revolution”

Junior Individual Documentary

• First Place: Dana Lundberg, Breck School, “The Berlin Wall”

• Second Place: Katie Bjorkman, Homeschool, “Gregor Mendel: Planting a Seed of Revolution in Science”

• Third Place: Sena Shellenberger, Highland Park Jr. High, “Women’s Fashions in the 1920s”

Junior Group Documentary

• First Place: Meredith Pain and Kirsten Slungaard, Capitol Hill Magnet School, “Tibet: A Nation in Exile”

• Second Place: Kate Moss and Sarah Stone, Cyber Village Academy, “The Americans with Disabilities Act: Reform Removes Barriers and Opens Doors”

• Third Place: Velin Dimitrov and Idriss Fofana, Valley View Middle School, “The Darwinian Revolution: 140 Years of Controversy”

Junior Individual Performance
• First Place: Mackenzie Cramblit, Capitol Hill Magnet School, “MADD: A Reaction that Instigated Revolution and Reform”

• Second Place: Addie Gorlin, Breck School, “Sesame Street: A New Standard in Children’s Television”

• Third Place Madeline Graber, St. Paul Academy and Summit School, “Martha Graham: A Revolution in Dance”

Junior Group Performance

• First Place: Peter Sarbacker, Hilary Geerdes, Courtney Okerstrom, Jason Rohlf, and Duane Bluhm, CHOF School, “The Minneapolis Truckers Strike of 1934”

• Second Place: Melissa Brown, Kaitie Cochrane, and Lindsay Jans, Sunrise Park Middle School, “Separate But Not Equal”

• Third Place Alyssa Diamond, Emilie Gein, Lydia Wright, and Cedar Schimke, Anthony Middle School, “Dorthea Dix and the Asylum Movement”

Junior Paper

• First Place: Casey O’Malley, O’Malley Homeschool, “Uncle Tom’s Cabin: The Reaction to a Revolutionary Novel”

• Second Place: Emma Schlatter, Anne Sullivan Communication Center, “In the Name of Peace: How Vietnam War Draft Resisters Affect Today’s Youth”

• Third Place Holly Klejeski, Sacred Heart Academy Homeschool, “The Food and Drug Administration: Revolutionizing Safe Products for American Consumption”

Senior Individual Exhibit

• First Place: Christa Anderson, Century High School, Rochester, “The Boxer Rebellion”

• Second Place: Sadie Jelinek, South High School, Minneapolis, “The Black Panther Party”

• Third Place Julie Cristea, Mankato West High School, “Breaking the Box: The Work of Frank Lloyd Wright”

Senior Group Exhibit

• First Place: Anna Mebust, John Schmitt, Chris Horns, and Trevor Hicks, South High School, Minneapolis, “Hangul: A Revolution in Literacy”
• Second Place: Adam Nelson and John Hanson, Fergus Falls High School, “Radicals in the Midwest: Communism in Otter Tail County”

• Third Place: Justine Marosi and Lydia Stone, Southwest High School, “You are Now on Indian Land: The Revolutionary Occupation of Alcatraz”

Senior Individual Documentary

• First Place: Laura Zeccardi, Chatfield High School, “The Indian Reorganization Act”

• Second Place: Winter Shaler, Chatfield High School, “The Luddites”

• Third Place: Mark Dyson, St. Paul Open School, “West Side Revolution: The Brown Berets in St. Paul”

Senior Group Documentary

• First Place: Conrad Jacox, Nathan Otten, and James Bluhm, CHOF School, “Up From the Ashes: The Marshall Plan”

• Second Place: Matt Klaber, Andrew Kuzma, Ben Otopalik, Mankato West High School, “Inquire, Learn, Reflect – Kent State”

• Third Place: Emily Krouse-Gagne, Elianna Lippold-Johnson, and Julianna Rosenfeld, South High School, “Business with a Conscience: The History of the Franklin Creamery and the Cooperative Movement”

Senior Individual Performance

• First Place: Kristina Bjorkman, Homeschool, “Freedom’s Reform – From a Man to a Nation: John Newton and the British Abolition Movement”

• Second Place: Chloe Woodward, Southwest High School, “The Woman Rebel: Margaret Sanger, the Law, and the Birth Control Revolution”


Senior Group Performance

• First Place: Rose Fricke, Azalea Fricke, Jevon Sacarelos, Zane Sacarelos, and Dominique Scheeler, CHOF School, “Holy Seduction of the Innocent, Batman! The Revolution of the Comic Code Authority”
• Second Place: Aaron Betzer, Sokham Seneyakone, Mai Ka Moud, Pa Houa Lee, and Alyssa Johnson, Patrick Henry High School, “We Shall Overcome”

• Third Place: Ellie Wiener, Rachel Brammer-Shlay, and Emily Callerstrom, South High School, “Las Voces de la Revolucion: Voices of Nicaragua”

Senior Paper

• First Place: Brigitte Friedenson, Bais Yaakov High School, “Miracle of Miracles: Revolution, Reaction, and Reform in Medical History”

• Second Place: Anna Rice, Central High School, St. Paul, “General Christopher C. Andrews: Leading the Minnesota Forestry Revolution”

• Third Place: Nicole Ali, St. Paul Academy and Summit School, “This Struggle is a Struggle for Freedom: The Bloody Birth of Bangladesh as a Case Study of Democratic Revolution”