

Connecticut History Day 2020 New Haven Regional Contest Results

Junior Division

Category: Junior Papers

First Place: 1968 Olympics Black Power Protest

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Aki Hussain

Second Place: The Native American Occupation of Alcatraz Island; Breaking National Barriers in Indian Rights and Activism

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Rosie Hampson

Third Place: Kathrine Switzer: The Boston Marathon of 1967

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Sophia Zhang

Category: Junior Group Documentary

First Place: Celebrating Temple – a Woman with Unique Personality

School: Memorial Middle School

Students: Anna Tavoletti, Caitlin Flaherty, Nihitha Nelakudity, and Kate Hawn

Second Place: Amelia Earhart's Forgotten Past in Activism

School: Worthington Hooker School

Students: Sebastian Halpern and Isaac Kleppner

Category: Junior Individual Documentary

First Place: Maria Montessori: From Doctor to Education Innovator

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Saidan Thapa

Second Place: Alexander Fleming: Discovering Penicillin

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Ranya Tarabar

Third Place: Stonewall: Before The Parade There Was A Riot!

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Sebastian Bianchine

Category: Junior Group Website

First Place: Deborah Sampson, The First Woman to Take a Bullet For America

School: Worthington Hooker School

Students: Suki Sze and Claire Zenisek

Second Place: Gateway To The West: Transformation of a Nation

School: Memorial Middle School

Students: Liam Quinn, Michael Tutoli, Owen Broadwater, and Jonah Turner

Third Place: The First Pride Parade: Marching for Equality

School: Roton Middle School

Students: Ruby Lesson and Kyla McGovern

Category: Junior Individual Website

First Place: Skokie: A Barrier Broken in the Courts

School: Sedgwick Middle School

Student: Lillian Fletcher

Second Place: Frances Perkins: The New Deal of 1933

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Anna Omelchenko

Third Place: Soaring Through the Skies: The Journey of Two Brothers

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Md Rahid Ahsan

Category: Junior Group Exhibit

First Place: The Good Comrade: Mikhail Gorbachev Breaks Barriers

School: Rochambeau Middle School

Students: Sammy Zackin and Avinaash Thillaikumaran

Second Place: Shirley Chisholm: A Woman Who Dared to Be Herself

School: Worthington Hooker School

Students: Anna Kim and June Lanpher

Third Place: Norgay and Hillary On Mount Everest – breaking geographic and atmospheric limits

School: Rochambeau Middle School

Students: Sydney Langsam, Stephanie Gleissner, Shannon White, and Charlotte Murphy

Category: Junior Individual Exhibit

First Place: Cycling On the Road To Freedom: How the Safety Bicycle Broke Barriers for Women in the United States

School: Sedgwick Middle School

Student: Claire Flynn

Second Place: Sesame Street

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Hannah Ziesche

Third Place: Freedom of Mad

School: Rochambeau Middle School

Student: Ethan Hocking

Category: Junior Group Performance

First Place: Trespassing Troubadours: How Woody Guthrie and Pete Seeger Broke Barriers of Social Injustice in History Through the American Folk Revival

School: Roton Middle School

Students: William Traub and Laszlo Balazs

Second Place: Debbie Allen: Breaking Barriers Through The Arts

School: Worthington Hooker School

Students: Zara BadenEversman and Clara Causa

Third Place: Coco Chanel Fashion Show: How Chanel modernized the world

School: Worthington Hooker School

Students: Lucy June Dunn and Lily Sutton

Category: Junior Individual Performance

First Place: Body and Soul: How One Take Changed the Course of Jazz

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Alec Pedersen

Second Place: How The Joy Luck Club Changed The Stereotypes of Asian Americans in Hollywood

School: Worthington Hooker School

Student: Kate Kim

Senior Division

Category: Senior Papers

First Place: “We Too are Americans”: The Double V Campaign

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Student: Eleanor Polak

Second Place: The Mortar Between the Bricks: Ella Baker, the Civil Rights Movement, and How Change Really Happens

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Student: Simon Bazelon

Third Place: The Lowell Mill Girls: Industrialist Society as a Catalyst for Injustice and Reform

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Students: Emily Lathers

Category: Senior Group Documentary

First Place: Woodstock: The Counterculture Movement that Rocked the World

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Students: Young In Kim and Marlon Coon

Second Place: Breaking Racial Barriers Through Science

School: Pomperaug Regional High School

Students: Nathan Holland, Douglas Muratori, and Ryan Sokol

Third Place: Carrie Welton

School: Pomperaug Regional High School

Students: Carolyn Bonomo and Kat Bonomo

Category: Senior Individual Documentary

First Place: Harvey Milk: Breaking Barriers and Breaking out of the Closet

School: Engineering-Science University Magnet School

Student: Lucy O’Brien

Second Place: Berry Gordy: Breaking Barriers Putting The Soul In American Music

School: High School In The Community

Student: Leo Podgwaite

Third Place: Shirley Chisholm's Great Impact on Breaking Barriers in History

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Student: Gabriella Xavier

Category: Senior Group Website

First Place: Shirley Chisholm Breaking Barriers

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Students: Adrianna Johnson and Alana Bigard

Second Place: Malala Yousafzai

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Students: Paras Pandey, Md Hoque, and Joshua Munoz

Third Place: The Black Panther Party

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Students: Lyric Miller and Skye Council

Category: Senior Individual Website

First Place: The Scottsboro Trials

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Student: Sadie Turner

Second Place: Marie Curie: The Most Recognized, Unrecognized Feminist

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Student: Joseph Choi

Third Place: Italian Immigrant Women: Weaving their Way into the Multi-Cultural Society in Connecticut

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Student: Gabriel Festa

Category: Senior Group Exhibit

First Place: Bayard Rustin: Breaking the Barriers of Intolerance

School: Staples High School

Students: Gabby Lantier, Gaby Gonzalez, and Maya Markus-Malone

Second Place: Dr. Alice Hamilton: Breaking Workplace Barriers, Improving Conditions and Health Hazards

School: Pomperaug Regional High School

Students: Emma Williams and Caroline Parrott

Third Place: Brown v. Board of Education

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Students: Katelynn Delima and Jennifer Gonzalez

Category: Senior Individual Exhibit

First Place: Elizabeth Blackwell: A Leader in the Medical Field for Women Everywhere

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Student: Lily Walton

Second Place: Turn of the Century Irish Immigration

School: Pomperaug Regional High School

Student: Catherine Tavoletti

Third Place: Althea Gibson Breaking Racial Barriers in Tennis

School: East Haven High School

Student: Doreen Alberino

Category: Senior Group Performance

First Place: Breaking Barriers: The Sounds That Shape Our Society

School: Staples High School

Students: Derek Ye and William DeRocco

Second Place: Loving beyond the Barriers

School: High School in the Community

Students: Alani Calderon, Helen Avila, and Yeuris Asencio

Category: Senior Individual Performance

First Place: DiaHann Carroll: The Pioneer Who Broke Barriers On Stage and Off

School: Wilbur Cross High School

Student: Shelagh Laverty

Second Place: Gideon v. Wainwright and the Barriers to Representation

School: High School in the Community

Student: Genesis Bendolph