



**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**STATE CONFERENCE**

**2019**

**RESULTS & AWARDS**





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**JOHN KAEMPF**

**HONOREE**

**OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER**



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Tim Sinnott





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

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**HONOREE**

**OUTSTANDING STAFF**

**MEMBER**



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JaMonica Washington





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**MEDIA**

**AWARDS**



# MEDIA AWARDS

## SOCIAL MEDIA

### DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES:

Maryfer Nuñez

Benji Arellano



# MEDIA AWARDS

## BROADCAST MEDIA DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES:

Leila Gottlieb

Amy Ekechukwu





# MEDIA AWARDS

## PRINT MEDIA

### DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES:

Noor Mohamed

Ava Motes

Auyana Aird

Ivan Kipp



# MEDIA AWARDS

## PHOTOJOURNALISM

### DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES:

Gabrielle Jensen

Elijah Merritt





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**STATE AFFAIRS**

**AWARDS**



# OUTSTANDING PROPOSALS – STATE AFFAIRS

#5 – Brunk

#42 – Ganta/Crowl

#49 – Ali/Taylor

#46 – Hall

#60 – Maciel

#14 – Harapanahalli



# STATE AFFAIRS FORUM DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES

Adam Sucy

Kamryn Crowder

Abigail Kerr

Samuel Busbee

Sameer Ali

Chance Hall

Madison Irvin

Kirby Cabler

Ben Gillman

Kayla Garza

Presley Taylor

Isabella Nieto

Matthew Garcia

Madison Davis





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**APPEALS COURT  
AWARDS**



# TOP FIVE APPEALS COURT TEAMS

- 5<sup>th</sup>: #18 – Onic/Ford – Duncanville High School
- 4<sup>th</sup>: #26 – Arouse/Rolon – Cleburne High School
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: #5 – Perez/Nieto – Del Valle High School
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: #10 – Miller/Baldizon – Creekview High School
- 1<sup>st</sup>: #9 – Boyer/Bremer – Creekview High School

# TOP APPEALS COURT STUDENTS

## TOP JUSTICES:

- 3<sup>rd</sup>:** I – Samantha Watkins – Creekview High School  
**2<sup>nd</sup>:** K – Graham Wolfe – Christian Life Prep School  
**1<sup>st</sup>:** A – Amena Tep – Creekview High School





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**COUNTY COURT**

**AWARDS**



# TOP TEN COUNTY COURT TEAMS

- 10<sup>th</sup>: #12 – Baker/Goldsmith – Lee High School
- 9<sup>th</sup>: #23 – Cockrell/Hewitt – DeSoto High School
- 8<sup>th</sup>: #30 – Avalos/Jackson – Keller High School
- 7<sup>th</sup>: #14 – Lee/Kang – Creekview High School
- 6<sup>th</sup>: #17 – Piepgras/Jejurikar – Highland Park High School
- 5<sup>th</sup>: #7 – Perez/Cante – Wimberley High School
- 4<sup>th</sup>: #19 – Cereva/Mills/Randall/Mills – Waxahachie YMCA Club
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: #26 – Hellstern/Turner – Christian Life Prep School
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: #9 – Rodriguez/Parades – North Shore Senior High School
- 1<sup>st</sup>: #5 – Morosky/Buntz – Liberal Arts and Sciences Academy



# TOP COUNTY COURT STUDENTS

## TOP PROSECUTION TEAMS:

- 3<sup>rd</sup>: #9 – Rodriguez/Parades – North Shore Senior High School
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: #7 – Perez/Cante – Wimberley High School
- 1<sup>st</sup>: #5 – Morosky/Buntz – Liberal Arts and Sciences Academy

## TOP DEFENSE TEAMS:

- 3<sup>rd</sup>: #5 – Morosky/Buntz – Liberal Arts and Sciences Academy
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: #9 – Rodriguez/Parades – North Shore Senior High School
- 1<sup>st</sup>: #26 – Hellstern/Turner – Christian Life Prep School

## TOP JUDGES:

- 3<sup>rd</sup>: #4 – Andrew Macias – Foy H. Moody High School
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: #3 – Sophia De Leon – Liberal Arts and Sciences Academy
- 1<sup>st</sup>: #12 – Lauren Graham – Timber Creek High School





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**DISTRICT COURT  
AWARDS**



# TOP TEN DISTRICT COURT TEAMS

- 10<sup>th</sup>: 24C – Mavrakis/Reddy – Keller High School
- 9<sup>th</sup>: 7A – Muller/Jones – Hays High School
- 8<sup>th</sup>: 11A – Harmon/Vrielink – Fort Bend YMCA
- 7<sup>th</sup>: 8B – Tovar/Rivera/Rolon/Ritter – Akins High School
- 6<sup>th</sup>: 22B – Bond/Collins – JBS Law Magnet
- 5<sup>th</sup>: 24A – Reeves/Barton – Keller High School
- 4<sup>th</sup>: 20 – Naguib/Greenleaf – Bishop Lynch High School
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: 25A – Winchester/Cheek – Christian Life Prep School
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: 22A – Lazalde/Nickerson – JBS Law Magnet
- 1<sup>st</sup>: 11B – Noltensmeyer/Steinman – Fort Bend YMCA



# TOP DISTRICT COURT STUDENTS

## TOP ATTORNEY TEAMS:

**2<sup>nd</sup> (tie):** 22A – Lazalde/Nickerson – JBS Law Magnet

**2<sup>nd</sup> (tie):** 11B – Noltensmeyer/Steinman – Fort Bend YMCA

**1<sup>st</sup>:** 25A – Winchester/Cheek – Christian Life Prep School

## TOP JUDGES:

**3<sup>rd</sup>:** 15 – London Jones – Creekview High School

**1<sup>st</sup> (tie):** 35 – Gabe Magaña – Trinity High School

**1<sup>st</sup> (tie):** 3B – Qasim Aziz – Dripping Springs HS





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**LEGISLATIVE**

**AWARDS**



# OUTSTANDING BILLS

## **PASSED:**

HB 109 - Prado

HS 013 - Evanhar

HH 009 - Childs

FS 018 - Dodanari

HB 076 - Le

HS 010 - Amirtharaj

HH 028 - Kaur

FS 062 - Zhang

HS 015 - Ghoshal

FS 023 - Hoff

FS 051 - Smith

FS 043 - Rosenbalm

HS 023 - Joshi

## **POCKET VETO:**

HH 038 - Masley



# GOV CAB/LOBBYIST AWARDS

**GOVERNOR'S CABINET  
DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES:**

Armaan Sood

**LOBBYISTS DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES:**

Malaika Gathuru

Taha Naghshineh



# OUTSTANDING HEARING COMMITTEE TEAMS – LEGISLATIVE

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Clerk: Michelle Murata

**Education A**      Chair: Kaley Niette  
Clerk: William Ashcraft



# HYDE HOUSE DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES

Sarah McNeely

Samir Davis

Jaspreet Kaur

Katrina Buchanan

Aimon Ibssa

**Outstanding Statesman:** Peyton Childs



# HYDE SENATE DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES

Nathan Evanhar  
Ananda Ghoshal  
Marie McGrew  
Hanseo Kim

**Outstanding Statesman:** Akhil Vinjamaram



# HOUSE DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES

Chase Patterson

Christopher Speed

Shea Berthelot

Alfredo Acuna

Amaris-Lynn Jorbert

Jose Moreno

Vivienne Garner

Isaac Euceda

Sarah Kelly

Chloe McBride

Griffin White

Zander Knight

Sam Mills

Amber Siddiqui

**Outstanding Statesman:** Eric Li



# SENATE DISTINGUISHED DELEGATES

Kaylen Ruiz

Arjun Dodanari

Christine Wu

Nicholas Noble

Athena Bruess

Dylan Cousins

**Outstanding Statesman:** Nicole Bruner





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**OUTSTANDING**

**CLUB LEADERS**





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**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**2019-2020**

**PREMIER**

**DELEGATIONS**



# PREMIER DELEGATIONS - MIDLAND

Lee High School



# PREMIER DELEGATIONS

## – AUSTIN

Akins High School  
Ann Richards School  
Del Valle High School  
Dripping Springs High School  
Fox Tech High School  
Foy H. Moody High School  
Jack C. Hays High School  
Hutto High School  
Leander High School  
Liberal Arts and Sciences Academy  
NYOS Charter School



# PREMIER DELEGATIONS – HOUSTON

MacArthur 9<sup>th</sup> Grade School  
First Baptist Christian Academy  
Fort Bend YMCA Branch  
Frassati Catholic High School  
Oak Ridge High School  
Glenda Dawson High School  
North Shore High School



# PREMIER DELEGATIONS

## – FT WORTH

Christian Life Preparatory School

North Central Texas Academy

Keller High School

Cleburne High School

Bill R. Johnson CTE

Keller Central High School

ILT Keller Saginaw

Temple Christian School

Timber Creek High School



# PREMIER DELEGATIONS

## – DALLAS

Allen High School  
Boyd High School  
Creekview High School  
Duncanville High School  
Episcopal School of Dallas  
Garland High School  
Highland Park High School

Imagine International Academy  
Independence High School  
Jack E. Singley Academy  
Lakeview Centennial High School  
Liberty High School  
Richardson High School  
Westwood High School





**TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

**2020 STATE  
OFFICERS**





# 2020 STATE OFFICERS

**Youth Governor:** Tadiwa Mujokoto

**Lieutenant Governor:** Alex Searles

**Secretary of State:** Divyam Bansul

**Attorney General:** London Jones

**Chief Justice:** Sebastiane Caballes

**State Affairs Forum Chair:** Nikash Harapanahalli

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