Connecticut History Day
2017 New Haven Regional Contest Results

Junior Division

Category: Junior Papers

First Place: Patriots or Traitors: The Citizens' Commission to Investigate the FBI
School: E.C. Adams Middle School
Student: Veronica Zimmer

Second Place: Daniel Ellsberg: Patriot or Traitor
School: Worthington Hooker School
Student: Mateo Balbarin

Third Place: Erwin Rommel and the Atlantic Wall
School: Worthington Hooker
Student: Taivan Jargalan

Category: Junior Group Documentary

First Place: Billie Jean King
School: Worthington Hooker
Students: Amelia Cox, Alena Gutierrez

Second Place: 241 Miles for Freedom
School: Worthington Hooker Middle School
Students: Sophia Kang, KeQing Tan

Third Place: Railroad to Freedom: Harriet Tubman's Stand Against Slavery
School: Memorial Middle School
Students: Ava Messina, Stella Bandak

Category: Junior Individual Documentary

First Place: Helen Keller Taking a Stand for the Disabled
School: Rochambeau Middle School
Student: Sabina Wilson
Category: Junior Group Website

First Place: Simon Bolivar: Taking a Stand from Spanish Rule  
School: Haddam--Killingworth Middle School  
Students: John Bosco, Matthew Pray, Max Cozean, Andrew Pearson

Second Place: Roger Williams Taking A Stand For Religious Freedom  
School: Rochambeau Middle School  
Students: Emily Clark, Lauren SanFanAndre, Sarah Jensen, Aisling Gowen

Third Place: Galileo and Bruno: An in-depth look into medieval persecutions of scientific advancement  
School: East Rock Community Magnet School  
Students: Wilson Coronel, Shiv Patel, Javier Nohpal

Category: Junior Individual Website

First Place: Loving v. Virginia Supreme Court Case: Taking a Stand for Interracial Relationships  
School: Rochambeau Middle School  
Student: Evelyn Kuo

Second Place: Knud Pedersen: Resistance Against The Nazi Occupation  
School: Worthington Hooker School  
Student: Gabriel Festa

Third Place: Taking A Stand On Salt: The Salt March  
School: Worthington Hooker School  
Student: Yash Thakur

Category: Junior Group Exhibit

First Place: The Flower That Planted A Seed In History; The White Rose Who Took a Stand Against Nazi Oppressors  
School: Memorial Middle School  
Students: Amanda Graziano, Isabella Guerrera

Second Place: Dietrich Bonhoeffer; Tragedy Becoming a Source of Hope  
School: Memorial Middle School  
Students: Catherine Tavoletti, Samantha Grayson, Ryan Grayson, James G. Pattillo V, William Ruff
Third Place: Ronald Reagan Takes A Stand Against the Berlin Wall
School: Memorial Middle School
Students: Meaghan Yale, Lucy Schnyder, Elizabeth Sullivan

**Category: Junior Individual Exhibit**

First Place: Mohammed Bouazizi: The Man Whose Fire Sparked Revolution
School: Bedford Middle School
Student: Samira Saad

Second Place: “Eppur si Muove”: Galileo Galilei Takes a Stand for the Heliocentric Theory
School: Worthington Hooker School
Student: Andrei Alesandrov

Third Place: Tracey Thurman
School: Rochambeau Middle School
Student: Ashley Carter

**Category: Junior Group Performance**

First Place: A Fight For Reproductive Rights
School: Worthington Hooker School
Students: Lila Kleppner, Georgiana Clark,

Second Place: FDR’s New Deal
School: Rochambeau Middle School
Students: Ryan Sokol, Doug Muratori, Nathan Holland, Tyler Flood, Joey Nihill

Third Place: Ida B. Wells and the Campaign Against Lynching
School: Worthington Hooker
Students: Beatrix Coleman, Athena Brown

**Category: Junior Individual Performance**

First Place: Mother Jones: A Child Labor Activist
School: Worthington Hooker
Student: Millie Sunshine Carlson

Second Place: The Revolution of Juliette Gorden Low
School: Haddam-Killingworth Middle School
Student: Jessica Duffield
Third Place: Jack's Death March: Holocaust Survivor
School: North Haven Middle School
Student: Finn O'Shaughnessey
Senior Division

Category: Senior Papers

First Place: Al-Kindi – Taking a Stand to Preserve Ancient Greek History During the Islamic Golden Age
School: Engineering and Science University Magnet School
Student: Prastik Mohanraj

Second Place: You Can’t Say That Here: A History of The Comics Code Authority and its Role in American Comics Censorship
School: Saint Bernard School
Student: Margaret Maher

Third Place: John Lennon: Taking a Stand for Peace through Rock & Roll
School: Pomperaug High School
Student: Samantha Buckley

Category: Senior Group Documentary

First Place: The Controversy of Southbury versus the Bund
School: Pomperaug High School
Students: William Miller, Griffin Wolf, David Roper, Emmett Reilly

Second Place: Attica
School: Wilbur Cross High School
Students: Laura Rosado, Liam O'Donnell, Quincy Ponvert

Third Place: Childrens March: Unsung Heroes
School: Daniel Hand High School
Students: Tyler Bennard, William Lloyd Akers III, Kijana Richmond, Maxwell Liu

Category: Senior Individual Documentary

First Place: New Haven Rising: Center of Local Unions
School: Wilbur Cross High School
Student: Cowiya Arouna

Second Place: Vivien Thomas: Pioneer of Cardiac Surgery
School: Career High School
Student: Sreya Nagumalla
Category: Senior Group Website

First Place: The Black Panther Party: Taking a Stand for Black Rights in the 20th Century
School: East Haven High School
Students: Michael Gaudioso, Kelianne Deko

Category: Senior Individual Website

First Place: Mohammohammad Mosaddeq: Taking A Stand Against Foreign Powers
School: Wilbur Cross High School
Student: Musa Hussain

Second Place: The Fight for Racially Equal Immigration Laws
School: Wilbur Cross High School
Student: Mi Nawabutsitthirat

Third Place: Fly Girls of WWII
School: Wilbur Cross High School
Student: Mary Gilbert

Category: Senior Group Exhibit

First Place: Taming the Jungle
School: Daniel Hand High School
Students: Ethan Coe, Ethan Haberman, Liam Regan, Dylan Edwards, Ben Donofrio

Second Place: No Taxation Without Representation
School: Haddam-Killingworth High School
Students: Haley Phelps, Corinne Ruocco, Landon Ghiroli

Third Place: Deeds Not Words: Alice Paul and the Pugnacious Battle for the Ballot
School: Hill Regional Career High School
Students: Nyla Harrison, Josie Hill

Category: Senior Individual Exhibit

First Place: John Brown: Dedicated to God and His People
School: Daniel Hand High School
Student: Lauryn Braxton
Second Place: Disability Accessibility and Inclusion  
School: Saint Bernard School  
Student: Sadriana Peek

Third Place: Tecumseh and Tenskwatawa  
School: Saint Bernard School  
Student: Robbie Justice

Category: Senior Individual Performance

First Place: Marjory Stoneman Douglas: Taking a Stand to Protect the Everglades  
School: Wilbur Cross High School  
Student: Maya Geradi