

# **History Day in Connecticut**

**New Haven Regional Contest Results (6 Pages)  
March 14, 2015  
Wilbur Cross High School**

## ***Senior Division***

### **Category: Group Website**

First Place: *Margaret Mead's Impact on Anthropology*  
Students: Alyssa Pagan, Quincy Ponvert  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

### **Category: Individual Website**

First Place: *Paulo Freire: Educating the Oppressed*  
Student: Khadija Hussain  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Second Place: *Percy Julian: Pioneer in Medical Chemistry*  
Student: Allegra Ranelli  
School: Wilbur Cross Middle School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *Henry Ford: The Automobile and the Assembly Line*  
Student: Eusebio Matias  
School: Wilbur Cross Middle School, New Haven, CT

### **Category: Group Documentary**

First Place: *Igor Sikorsky: A Leader in the Aviation Industry*  
Students: David Roper, William Miller, Griffin Wolf, Emmett Reilly  
School: Pomperaug High School, Southbury, CT

**Category: Individual Documentary**

First Place: *U.S. Grant*  
Students: Stephanie Persiani  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Second Place: *Women's Contribution to the Civil War*  
Student: Yareim Flores  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *The Impact of Alfred Nobel*  
Student: Cindy Rodriguez  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

**Category: Group Exhibit**

First Place: *The Bayh-Dole Act: Bi-Partisan Leadership Creates the Legacy of Innovation*  
Students: Madeline Langdon, Claire Langdon, Emma Langdon  
School: Greenfield Hill Girls School

Second Place: *Margaret Sanger's Legacy*  
Students: Marina Gonzalez, Karina Aviles  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *The Evolution of the Black Panthers Throughout the Country*  
Students: Amaris Topper, Celina Staten  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

**Category: Individual Exhibit**

First Place: *N.O.R.D.: Leader in Orphan Drugs Changes Lives*  
Student: Danielle Meyers  
School: Nonnewaugh High School, Woodbury, CT

Second Place: *Evolution of the AIDS movement in the East Coast*  
Student: Willow Giannotti-Garlinghouse  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *Nelson Mandela*  
Student: Dimitria Woods  
School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

### **Category: Group Performance**

First Place: *A Terrible Beauty is Born: The Leadership of James Connolly and Patrick Pearse and the Controversial Legacy of the Easter Rising*

Students: Isabella Altherr, Annabel Barry, Quinn Barry, Maxwell Chung, Shannon Madden

School: Pequot Homeschool, Southport, CT

Second Place: *The Federal Theatre Project: Putting Artists Back to Work*

Students: Ella Rodems-Boyd, Martin Clark, Caden Rodems-Boyd

School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

### **Category: Individual Performance**

First Place: *Rachel Carson: Leadership in the Environmental Movement*

Student: Maya Geradi

School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Second Place: *Ella Fitzgerald*

Student: Jodi Walters

School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *The Evolution and Legacy of Spoken Word Poetry*

Student: Shauntasia Hicks

School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

### **Category: Senior Paper**

First Place: *"Daughters in Boxes": Kishida Toshiko's Feminism in Japan*

Student: Reina Matsuura

School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Second Place: *Lyndon B. Johnson*

Student: Angelica Rodriguez

School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *Roosevelt, the Great Depression, and the New Deal*

Student: Young Jae Kim

School: Wilbur Cross High School, New Haven, CT

## ***Junior Division***

### **Category: Group Website**

First Place: *Rosa Luxemburg*

Students: Minjae Ko

School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

Second Place: *Hammurabi's Code*

Students: Ryleigh Shortell, Alissa Hoffman, Anne Bekasi

School: Thomas Edison Middle School, Meriden, CT

Third Place: *Schindler*

Students: Jaylene Hernandez, Kimlyn Vo

School: Thomas Edison Middle School, Meriden, CT

### **Category: Individual Website**

First Place: *Restoring the Padauk: Aung San Sau Kyi and Her Crusade for Democracy*

Student: Mei Han

School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

Second Place: *Alan Turing: A Legacy in Mathematics and Computer Science*

Student: India Wolterstorff

School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *Charles de Gaulle: The Leader of France*

Student: Lily Walton

School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

### **Category: Group Documentary**

First Place: *Eleanor Roosevelt: Champion of Human Rights*

Students: Christina Dasilva, Aileen Zheng, Mary Muthersbaugh

School: Bethel Middle School, Bethel, CT

Second Place: *Legacy of Nelson Mandela*

Students: Sophia Islam, Pauline Galvin, Puneet Sidhu, Aliha Haider

School: Bethel Middle School, Bethel, CT

Third Place: *Nelson Mandela*

Students: Macy Morabito, Kate Johnson, Micaela Sepelak, Alyssa Milburn, Nageena Thind

School: Memorial Middle School, Middlebury, CT

**Category: Individual Documentary**

First Place: *The Delicious Life of Julia Child*

Student: Alexandra Northrup

School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

Second Place: *Rachel Carson: Not So Silent*

Student: Lena Macdonald

School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *Plagge*

Student: Jack Higgins

School: Thomas Edison Middle School, Meriden, CT

**Category: Group Exhibit**

First Place: *Thomas Hopkins: Leader in Educating the Deaf*

Students: Jackie Tavoletti, Jayde Zainc, Cassie Reilly

School: Memorial Middle School, Middlebury, CT

Second Place: *Gandhi*

Students: Samiha Haque, Diellza Ismaili

School: Memorial Middle School, Middlebury, CT

Third Place: *The Amistad*

Students: Paige Moffat, Lindsey McDonald, Sommer Miller

School: Memorial Middle School, Middlebury, CT

**Category: Individual Exhibit**

First Place: *Mother Teresa of Calcutta: Leadership through Personal Faith, Legacy of Global Charity*

Student: Brooks Barry

School: Pequot Homeschool, Southport, CT

Second Place: *Orphan Trains: Leading the Way to Social Services*

Student: Lindsay Meyers

School: Rochambeau Middle School, Southbury, CT

Third Place: *Mae Jemison*  
Student: Andrew Bengston  
School: Thomas Edison Middle School, Meriden, CT

**Category: Group Performance**

First Place: *Daisy Bates: Fighting for Integration with the Little Rock Nine*  
Students: Aysia Amoah, Victoria Aromolaran, Madalena Kombo, Nile Lee  
School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

Second Place: *Stan Lee: The Real Hero*  
Students: Albert Glowacki, Declan McGinley, Jaidyn Gambrell  
School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *Helen Keller: A Colorless, Silent World*  
Students: Carlin Eswarakumar, Sheila Hutchings, Melissa Cisija  
School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

**Category: Individual Performance**

First Place: *Clare Boothe Luce: Plays, Panty Hose and Politics*  
Student: Margo Pedersen  
School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT

**Category: Junior Paper**

First Place: *Oliver Ellsworth*  
Student: Carina Tyszka  
School: Thomas Edison Middle School, Meriden, CT

Second Place: *Ghandi: The Peaceful Warrior*  
Student: Melina Josesh  
School: Engineering Science University Magnet School, New Haven, CT

Third Place: *Genghis Khan: Mongol Ruler*  
Student: Taivan Jargalan  
School: Worthington Hooker Middle School, New Haven, CT