

# **STATE ORAL INTERPRETATION FESTIVAL**

## **Class AA Session I**

**9:00 a.m. Friday, December 3, 2021**

**Room: A-120**

## **Class AA Non-Original Oratory**

- 1. Rachael Spencer, Brandon Valley -- The Optimism Bias**
- 2. Hailey Syhre, Watertown -- The Long American History of “Missing White Woman Syndrome”**
- 3. McCabe Wenande, O'Gorman -- Why We All Need Emotional First Aid**
- 4. Meridian Hailu, Sioux Falls Jefferson -- 2015 United Nations Speech**
- 5. Alayna Lemcke, Sturgis Brown -- Save the World, Buy a Placemat**
- 6. Athena Johnson, Aberdeen Central -- Strange Answers to the Psychopath Test**
- 7. Emily Helgeson, Rapid City Stevens -- There's More to Life than Being Happy**

***\*\*\*There will be a ten minute intermission\*\*\****

- 8. Laina Juergens, Sioux Falls Roosevelt -- Our Failing Schools. Enough is Enough**
- 9. John (Jack) Hinrichs, Sioux Falls Washington – Harvey**
- 10. Ava Hilmoie, Brookings -- Confessions of a Depressed Comic**
- 11. Emma Cole, Sioux Falls Lincoln -- Women and Other Monsters**
- 12. Jasmin Peitz, Yankton -- 2018 Democratic Response to the State of the Union "This is not who we are"**
- 13. Angel Olivo Porcayo, Huron -- The Next Outbreak? We're Not Ready**
- 14. Angelo Ceretto, Harrisburg -- The Transformative Power of Video Games**
- 15. Ain Petersen, Pierre T.F. Riggs -- The Danger of Hiding Who You Are**

**Judges: Mary Begley, Dennis Chandler, Shirlene Joseph**

# **STATE ORAL INTERPRETATION FESTIVAL**

**Class AA Session II**

**1:30 p.m. Friday, December 3, 2021**

**Room: A-123**

## **Class AA Serious Reading**

- 1. Ariana A. Edwards, Sioux Falls Jefferson – Girl**
- 2. Sarai Gracia, Sioux Falls Roosevelt -- The Color of Fire**
- 3. Daisy Lassodelavega, Rapid City Stevens – Scars**
- 4. Grace Davis, Brookings -- Dear Zoe**
- 5. Vivian Hughes, Watertown -- Notes form the Night Shift**
- 6. Josie Kimball, Sioux Falls Lincoln -- The Good Mother**
- 7. Olivia Hunhoff, Yankton -- The Book Thief**

***\*\*\*There will be a ten minute intermission\*\*\****

- 8. Ellen Joseph, Brandon Valley -- My Child, Mothers of War**
- 9. Suzanna Sejnoha, O'Gorman -- Accidentally Brave**
- 10. Brooke Holly, Sturgis Brown -- The Good Mother**
- 11. Jayden Lenz, Sioux Falls Washington -- Forever as the Stars**
- 12. Amara McPherson-Bassey, Harrisburg -- "Cookie-Cutter Hands" from Chicken Soup for the Teenage Soul on Tough Stuff**
- 13. Cameron Cutshaw, Huron -- So, I Killed a Few People**
- 14. Sadie Raap, Aberdeen Central -- The Bridge**

**Judges: Virginia Anderson, Nancy Heidenreich, Shirlene Joseph**

# **STATE ORAL INTERPRETATION FESTIVAL**

**Class AA Session III  
6:00 p.m. Friday, December 3, 2021  
Room: B-121**

## **Class AA Readers Theatre**

- 1. Watertown -- Motel California 3: The Cruise of Disney**  
Noelle Dunn, Gerrit VonEye, Andrew Dalke, Vivian Hughes, Justine Schwanke, Lucas Saraceni
- 2. Pierre T.F. Riggs -- Widow's Mites**  
Maren Houdyshell, Lillie Kellar, Marissa Bauder
- 3. Harrisburg -- Crummy Cops**  
Angelo Ceretto, Parker Fitzgerald, Logan Hammer, Blake Hovaldt
- 4. Sioux Falls Jefferson -- The Real Princesses of New Jersey**  
Ashlyn Monson, Kyra Rivera, Ariana A. Edwards, Teonna Randle, Meridian Hailu
- 5. Yankton -- Hillary a Modern Greek Tragedy with a (Somewhat) Happy Ending**  
Anna Carda, Lily Lawrence, Kendra Lemberg, Kayla Marsh, Camryn Zoeller
- 6. Sioux Falls Washington -- Quitters**  
John (Jack) Hinrichs, Sage Clark, Meara McIntyre, Jenisha Gurung, Noah Sorgdrager, Ariana Edwards
- 7. Sioux Falls Lincoln -- Eating Out**  
Emma Cole, Reese Duncan, Audrey Akkerman

***\*\*\*There will be a 10 minute intermission\*\*\****

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**Class AA Session III - CONTINUED**

**6:00 p.m. Friday, December 3, 2021**

**Room: B-121**

## **Readers Theatre**

**8. Aberdeen Central -- Playwriting 101: The Rooftop Lesson by Rich Orloff**

**Damon Sheets, Gabriel Harmel, Athena Johnson**

**9. Sioux Falls Roosevelt -- Access For All**

**Jemma Landry, Tiffany Kruse, Laina Juergens, Sarai Gracia**

**10. O'Gorman -- Florida Man**

**Wilainu Farhat, Paige Lewison, Jonah Astrup, Katie Lewison, Anisah**

**LaPlante**

**11. Brandon Valley -- Spooky Dog and the Teenage Mystery Gang**

**Aiden Kasten, Tara Rolph, Ellen Joseph, Ian Candy, Hannah Hageman**

**12. Sturgis Brown -- The Princess Bride**

**Alayna Lemcke, Carlie Johnson, Jag Weyer, Brooke Holly**

**13. Brookings -- The Solve It Squad**

**Olivia Anderson, Kaitlyn Doom, Tyler Livermont, Gavin DuBray**

**Judges: Toby Uecker, Shirlene Joseph, Mary Begley**

# STATE ORAL INTERPRETATION FESTIVAL

Class AA Session IV  
9:00 a.m. Saturday, December 4, 2021  
Room: A-120

## Class AA Humorous Reading

1. Ian Candy, Brandon Valley -- Fully Committed
  2. Gianna Hans, Yankton -- The Stinky Cheese Man and Other Fairly Stupid Tales
  3. Alayna Lemcke, Sturgis Brown -- Malcolm X. Jefferson Elementary Proudly Presents a Fifth-Grade Production of a Chorus Line
  4. Tessa Gogolin, Huron -- Disney Heroine Round Table or "But I Digress"
  5. Jonah Astrup, O'Gorman -- Heavyweights
  6. Blake Hovaldt, Harrisburg -- Believing in Bruce
  7. Jackson Klawonn, Sioux Falls Lincoln – Gums
- \*\*There will be a 10 minute intermission\*\*\**
8. Olivia Anderson, Brookings -- Like You Like It
  9. Carmen Huber, Aberdeen Central -- How to Stay Bitter Through the Happiest of Times
  10. Sage Clark, Sioux Falls Washington -- Power Line: The Story of Mario, Me, and Your Mom
  11. Mattisyn McDonnell, Watertown -- Mary Choppins
  12. Tiffany Kruse, Sioux Falls Roosevelt -- Ruthless! The Musical
  13. Daniel Dunnigan, Rapid City Stevens -- Dr. Wilderness

Judges: Virginia Anderson, Kim Bartling, Matt Nesmith

# STATE ORAL INTERPRETATION FESTIVAL

**Class AA Session IV**  
**9:00 a.m. Saturday, December 4, 2021**  
**Room: A-227**

## **Class AA Storytelling**

- 1. Ashlyn Monson, Sioux Falls Jefferson -- Hooway for Wodney Wat**
- 2. Tara Rolph, Brandon Valley -- Little Mole Finds Hope**
- 3. Meara McIntyre, Sioux Falls Washington -- Maybe Something Beautiful: How Art Transformed a Neighborhood**
- 4. Sanjana Chandran, O'Gorman -- The Turtle Queen**
- 5. Brittany Briggs, Watertown -- The Princess Bride**
- 6. Morgan Sabers, Rapid City Stevens -- Lord of the Rings:The Two Towers**
- 7. Madison Wollman, Harrisburg -- "The Sphinx" from The Children's Book of Heroes**

***\*\*\*There will be a 10 minute intermission\*\*\****

- 8. Jag Weyer, Sturgis Brown -- The North Star**
- 9. Damon Sheets, Aberdeen Central -- Ish**
- 10. Lily Lawrence, Yankton -- Leo the Lightning Bug**
- 11. Audrey Akkerman, Sioux Falls Lincoln -- Dream Big Little Pig**
- 12. Tessa Gogolin, Huron -- The Next Place**
- 13. Faith McDougal, Sioux Falls Roosevelt -- The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr. Morris Lessmore**
- 14. Gavin Black Bear, Pierre T.F. Riggs -- Last Stop on Market Street**
- 15. Tyler Livermont, Brookings -- The Secret Heart of the Tree**

**Judges: Mary Begley, Dennis Chandler, Nancy Heidenreich**

# STATE ORAL INTERPRETATION FESTIVAL

Class AA Session V  
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## Class AA Duet Interpretation

1. Tiffany Kruse & Evan Kruse, Sioux Falls Roosevelt -- Get Smart
2. Sage Clark & Jenisha Gurung, Sioux Falls Washington -- Play Dates
3. Kyra Rivera & Ariana A. Edwards, Sioux Falls Jefferson -- The Shape of a Girl
4. Christine Crouch & Carmen Huber, Aberdeen Central -- Assault Toast
5. Aiden Geiver & Bella Puetz, O'Gorman -- The Absolute Brightness of Leonard Pelkey
6. Jag Weyer & Alayna Lemcke, Sturgis Brown -- Human Interest Story
7. Ashlyn Pitlick & Kale Eckstine, Pierre T.F. Riggs – Smokefall

*\*\*\*There will be a 10 minute intermission\*\*\**

8. Josie Kimball & Jackson Klawonn, Sioux Falls Lincoln -- Open to Interpretation
9. Hannah Hageman & Isaac Fode, Brandon Valley -- Puberty: The Game Show
10. Katie Schoenfelder & Samantha Swanson, Huron -- The Last Nickel
11. Daniel Dunnigan & Ian Steiner, Rapid City Stevens -- Black Fedora
12. Anna Carda & Maggie Schaefer, Yankton -- Investment Dating
13. Noelle Dunn & Gerrit VonEye, Watertown -- Dr. Horrible's Sing-Along Blog
14. Grace Davis & Jasmine Anawski, Brookings -- The Unknown Part of the Ocean
15. Logan Hammer & Parker Fitzgerald, Harrisburg -- Bottled Up

Judges: Nancy Heidenreich, Trisha Burke, Matt Groce

# STATE ORAL INTERPRETATION FESTIVAL

Class AA Session V  
1:30 p.m. Saturday, December 4, 2021  
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## Class AA Poetry Reading

1. Christine Crouch, Aberdeen Central -- It Takes a Village
2. Nic Schran, Brookings -- We Will Make It Better
3. Anna Carda, Yankton -- If My Body Could Speak
4. Madelyn Frangenberg, Harrisburg -- Behind the Smile
5. Reese Duncan, Sioux Falls Lincoln -- Wild Embers
6. Jemma Landry, Sioux Falls Roosevelt -- Let the survivors speak
7. Hannah Dayaget, Sioux Falls Washington -- Behind Locked Doors: A Collection of Poetry About Being Gay and the Fear of Finally Coming Out

*\*\*\*There will be a 10 minute intermission\*\*\**

8. Taryn Borman, Pierre T.F. Riggs -- Shark Girl
9. Ellen Joseph, Brandon Valley -- I Miss You Everyday
10. Melinda Darnell, Rapid City Stevens -- Home Body
11. Aleah Shepherd, Watertown -- Story on Page Six
12. Sanjana Chandran, O'Gorman -- Death By A Thousand Cuts
13. Carlie Johnson, Sturgis Brown -- Cap'n Crunch and 2% Milk
14. Teonna Randle, Sioux Falls Jefferson -- Black Girls Have Wings- A Collection
15. Mia Kesterson, Huron -- From Accidents to Wonders

**Judges: Virginia Anderson, Toby Uecker, Andrew Henrickson**