ONE-ACT PLAYS

Schools participating in the One-Act Play program are divided into three classes. Class “A” and Class “B” schools initiate competition at the region level. The winners from the region contests advance to the State Festival. The Class “AA” schools automatically qualify for the State Festival.

In 2017-18, Class “A” schools presented plays which were serious in nature while Class “B” schools presented plays which were humorous. Class “AA” schools presented plays without regard to whether the play was humorous or serious in nature.

Statistics

REGION CONTESTS ("A" & "B" Schools)
Number of participating Class “A” schools from 6 Regions ........ 36
Number of participating Class “B” schools from 8 Regions ....... 56

STATE FESTIVAL
Number of participating “B” schools ................. 16
Number of “Superior” Class “B” plays .............. 10
Number of participating “A” schools ............... 12
Number of “Superior” Class “A” plays .............. 8
Number of participating “AA” schools .......... 17
Number of “Superior” Class “AA” plays ............ 8

62nd ANNUAL STATE ONE-ACT PLAY FESTIVAL RESULTS
Brandon Valley High School
Brandon, South Dakota
February 1-3, 2018

STATE FESTIVAL CLASS “AA” SUPERIOR PLAYS

Aberdeen Central: Roger McCafferty and Tiffany Straley
Brandon Valley: Melanie Sittig and Brian Hardie
Harrisburg: Michael Smith and Paige Wright
Huron: Molly Perry and Chris Stahly
Rapid City Central: Justin Speck and Joey Lore
Sioux Falls Lincoln: Lance DeRoos and Lori Dahlquist
Sioux Falls O’Gorman: Teresa Fester, Kevin Humke, and Meredith Molseed
Yankton: Keith Goeden and Pam Kallis

(Courtesy of SDPB)
Huron High School Presents:  
**Our Place**  
By: Terry Gabbard  
Setting: A wooden dock on a lake  
Directed By: Molly Perry, Chris Stahly  
Student Director(s): Claire Gilbert  

**The Cast**  
Jake.....Jack Kluth  
Holly.....Asia Bindert  
Anne.....Kendra Paye  
Lyle.....Jackson Trandall  
Beth.....Jasmine Snow  
Jonathan.....Jonathan Forrest  
Al.....Sam Gilbert  
Brenda.....Jemma Keleher  
Nicky.....Nathan Farmer  
Sherry.....Hei Say  
Corey.....Reese Uecker  
Liberty.....Emerson Mitchell  

**The Crew**  
Shelby VandenHoek, Katelyn Calkins, Brenden Schlader, Carli Keefe, Spencer Hershmen, William Meyer, Juden Kinney, Maei Berquist, Nick Hein, Eh Poh, Frank Hines, Nate Lyons  

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Aberdeen Central High School Presents:  
**The Addams Family**  
By: Book by Marshall Brickman and Rich Elice, Music and Lyrics by Andrew Lippa  
Setting: Central Park, NYC  
Directed By: Roger McCafferty, Tiffany Straley  

**The Cast**  
Gomez Addams.....Briggs Tople  
Morticia Addams.....Symonne Gauer  
Wednesday Addams.....Claire Vetter  
Uncle Fester.....Jacob Smilloff  
Pugsley Addams.....Jacob Usselman  
Grandma Addams.....Zoe Douglas  
Lurch.....Tanner Pietz  
Lucas Beineke.....Eric Jacobsen  
Alice Beineke.....Hannah Johnson  
Mal Beineke.....Rawley Moore  
Ancestor.....Hannah Hovel  
Ancestor.....Faith Crissman  
Ancestor.....Luke Reieerson  
Ancestor.....Deryn Lewis  
Ancestor.....Peyton Johnson  
Ancestor.....Callie Levell  
Ancestor.....Tucker Morgart  
Ancestor.....Austin Kingruter  
Ancestor.....Jaye Gauer  
Ancestor.....Caitlyn Hauck  
Ancestor.....James Johnson  

**The Crew**  
Helen Murray, Greta Maier, Julia Orr, Meana Shairsky  

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Harrisburg High School Presents:  
**Game of Thrones**  
By: Don Zolidis  
Directed By: Michael Smith, Paige Wright  

**The Cast**  
Narrator 1.....Kyja Norris  
Narrator 2.....Liz Aragon-Smith  
Narrator 3.....Annika Paulsen  
King.....Noah Hovorka  
Cinderella.....Kailey Bechtold  
Belle.....Autumn Spyksma  
Elfie.....Madeline VanVoost  
Snow White.....Katherine Doubleday  
Blood Packet Girl.....Evelyn Ducheneaux  
Executioner.....Zach Taylor  
Smeagol.....Grant Tiede  
Prince Charming.....Josh Muth  
Guard 1.....Logan Cotter  
Guard 2.....Lexi May  
Guard 3.....Maddie McElroy  
French Prince.....Kyles Bechtold  
Soldier 1.....Miah Nielson  
Soldier 2.....Rylin Yerdon  
Soldier 3.....Ellisia McElroy  
Animated Snowman.....Winter VanVeldhuizen  
French Soldier 1.....Izabel Reynolds  
French Soldier 2.....Megan Simonich  
French Soldier 3.....Mia Adams  
Talking Candle Man.....Carter Simonich  
Talking Teapot Lady.....Kailey Jucht  
Dwarf.....Corey Muth  
Animal/Crowd.....Noah Green  
Animal/Crowd.....Tucker Morgart  
Animal/Crowd.....Tamila Kosdautetova  
Animal/Crowd.....Madison Stucky  
Animal/Crowd.....Cody VanBerkum  
Animal/Crowd.....Elena Zulas  

**The Crew**  
Yankton High School Presents:  
*Failure: A Love Story*  
By: Philip Dawkins  
Setting: Chicago  

Directed By: Keith Goeden/Pam Kallis  
Student Director(s): Kay Wagner

**The Cast**  
Mortimer Mortimer.....Sky Nockels  
Nelly Fail.....Reagan Kolberg  
John N. Fail.....Miguel Tejero  
Mae.....Claire Kouri  
Moses.....Cassidy Johnson  
December.....Zoie Lee Marcotte  
Chorus.....Sarah Pedersen  
Chorus.....Jackie Holman  
Chorus.....Ellie Clark  
Grace Phone.....Maddie Smith  
Chorus.....Oliver Dickman  
Chorus.....Zayne King  
Chorus.....Lilly Purzol  
Moses.....(chorus)  

The Crew  
Peter Upton, Joe Hebda, Cece Kouri, Levi Zimmerman, Sam Slowey,  
Brock Hawkins

Sioux Falls O'Gorman High School Presents:  
*UG: The Caveman Musical*  
By: Jim Geoghan, Rick Rhodes, and Vivian Rhodes  
Setting: A Cave: Long, long ago.

Directed By: Ms. Teresa Fester, Mr. Kevin Humke, and Ms. Meredith Molseed  
Student Director(s): Daniel Kooima, Marvin Moser, and Zoe Matheson

**The Cast**  
Rock of Ages Band: Drums/ Narrator.....Bennett Anderson  
Rock of Ages Band: Piano.....Aiden Diedrich  
Rock of Ages Band: Guitar.....Nicholas Maxwell  
Ug.....John Walker  
Arg/Ensemble.....Adam Catangui  
Bandala/ Ensemble.....Gabby Sudenga  
Tatata/ Ensemble.....Carli Tomac  
Ig/ Ensemble.....Caryn Piatt  
Bob/ Ensemble.....David Berman  
Chief Oolooki/ Ensemble.....Gerrit Heyer  
Fataalata/ Ensemble.....Anthony Reiland  
Ensemble.....Cecilia Gillen  
Ensemble.....Channing Benz  
Ensemble.....Seth Hart  
Ensemble.....Teresa Kayser  
Ensemble.....Michael Kovash  
Ensemble.....Gabe Dally  
Ensemble.....Maggie Lynch  
Ensemble.....Luke Humke  
Ensemble.....Emily Kassing  
Ensemble.....Mattie Schreck  
Ensemble.....Miles Cowan  
Ensemble.....Rima Jamous  
Ensemble.....Tory Bjorkman  
Ensemble.....Scott Shlanta  
Ensemble.....Mary Wilka  
Ensemble.....Eli Richardson  
Ensemble.....Julia Baker

The Crew  
Jennifer Kroon-Nelson, Dominic Arnett, Nathan Angerhofer, John  
Brule, Sophia Cinco, Joy Dahle, Colton Maslowski, Ali North, Anita  
Schulte, Joe Shlanta, Elaina Wegleitner, Dean Workman, Carter  
Gordon, Miles Hagen

Sioux Falls Lincoln High School Presents:  
*The Blue Brook Bridge Baptist Women's Bake-Off*  
By: Lance DeRoos and Cast  
Setting: Blue Brook Bridge Baptist Fellowship Hall--Present Day  

Directed By: Lance DeRoos Lori Dahlquist  
Student Director(s): Grace Gordon

**The Cast**  
Dotty "Dot" Perkins.....Maddie Paul  
Norman Andrews.....Jakob Forster  
Wayne Wise.....Court Anderson  
Bradford Newman.....Tristan Hier  
Adam Hopkins.....Ryan Olson  
Vivian Freeman.....Danielle Koang  
Amie Underwood.....Charlie Ellingson  
Gladys Lynch.....Cat Paul  
Luella Sherman.....Makhiya Highstrom  
Faith Hopkins.....Ella Olsen  
Abigail Hopkins (Voice).....Taya Freeman  
Rev. Harvey Holloway.....Dylan Antaya  
Melissa Holloway.....Ceil Stoll  
Emmett Porter.....Matthew Frohwein

The Crew  
Richard Dennis, JD Folsland, Cash Lapour, Hunter Olesen, Zane Ross,  
Ben Scaturro, Aiden Schramm, Gage Sigl, Jesse Snow, Kieran Swart,  
Suzi Fitterer
Brandon Valley High School Presents:
Peter and the Starcatcher
By: Rick Elice; Novel by Dave Barry and Ridley Pearson
Setting: The Wasp, The Neverland, Mollusk Island

Directed By: Melanie Sittig and Brian Hardie
Student Director(s): Jordyn Christensen, Abby Christensen, Victoria Rise

The Cast
Peter.....Anthony Klinner
Molly.....Isabelle DeWitt
Stache.....Jonas Kulzer
Snee.....Brayden Harris
Lord Aster.....Jimmy Hoffmann
Mrs. Bumbrake.....Kianna Thelen
Alf.....Mack Johnson
Prentiss.....Kayden Hoeke
Ted.....George Kellogg
Slank.....Nick Moeller
Teacher.....Sierra Rima
Fighting Prawn.....Nathan Holm
Hawking Clam.....Kelsey Pottebaum
Ensemble.....Ally Boerhave
Ensemble.....Emily Hensley
Ensemble.....Abby Jacobsen
Ensemble.....Olivia Kern
Ensemble.....Maryn Duncanson
Ensemble.....Mackenzie Hochhalter
Ensemble.....Kira Van Roekel
Ensemble.....Ross Oren
Ensemble.....Garrett Lien
Ensemble.....Tucker Trout
Ensemble.....Jordyn Christensen
Ensemble.....Abby Christensen
Ensemble.....Victoria Rise

The Crew
Malory Lacey, Freya Gayken, Maryn Duncanson, Sydnee Pottebaum, Mackenzie Hochhalter, Annika Potratz, Morrigan Craps-er, Theresa Aaseng, Kira Van Roekel, Ross Oren, Jordynn Schumacher, Belle Evans, Garrett Lien, Garret Stellinga, Tucker Trout, Ethan Wright

Rapid City Central High School Presents:
BELFAST, a musical
By: Justin Speck, Joey Lore and Cast
Setting: Belfast, and other locations in Northern Ireland and England

Directed By: Justin Speck and Joey Lore
Student Director(s): Emily Toms, Caden Lefler

The Cast
The Woman at the Wall.....Rose Lamoureux
Priest/Hume/Attorney/Doherty.....Riley Riggs
Finn/McGuinness/Band (cello).....Albert Williams
Jamie/Connor/Band (drums).....Christopher Schilling
Barkeep/Paisley/British Officer 1.....Stephen DeWitt
Krya/Betha/Protester.....Remington Redetzke
Quinn/Dockworker/Funeral Marcher.....Mitchell Emory
Marcus/Heath/Dockworker/Funeral Marcher.....Kayleb Twomey
Alleen/Talin/Protester.....Emily Washington
Regan/Evelyn/Protester.....Olivia Perli
Murphy/Protester.....Lex Kuske
Fergus/Child/Band (guitar).....Joseph Robles
Fallon/Mother/Protester.....Shelbi Blankartz
Peader/Dockworker/Cop/British Officer 2.....Trent Counsellor
Rour/Ira Member/Judge/Cop/Band (drums).....Jhet Birchmen
Faulkner/Liam/Band (traps).....Adam Jerzak
Adams/Duddy/Marcher/Band (violin, guitar, mandolin).....Tyler Weddle
Cahill/Band (bass & accordion).....Nic Benson
Advisor/Dockworker/Cop/Ira Member/Student.....Aaron Iverson
McKenna/Student/Protester.....Emma Petermann
Mary/Wife/Student/Protester.....Mary Duncan
Dani/Student/Protester.....Madison Quade
Kaleb/Husband/Band (piano).....Kaleb Wilkening
Mother/Student/Immigrant/Protester.....Leah Anderson
Student/Protester/Ira Member/Band (percussion).....Izabelle Quilt
Student/Protester.....Trinity Morrison
Student/Protester.....Caitlyn Riggs
Student/Protester.....Gretchen Lindenberg

The Crew
Ayden Whitney, Eli Oyler, Hayden Kaleda, Trevor Bradford, Nathan Tippman, Mackenzie Handley, Carson Levin, Jon Bader, Rene Crandall
CLASS “AA” SUPERIOR PERFORMER AWARDS TO INDIVIDUALS

Sioux Falls Washington - Jane Walsh, Reanna Rohrer, Kirby Kenneddy
Mitchell - Neythan Ortiz, Calli Mah, Angela Baker, Hannah Hetland
Huron - Jack Kluth, Jasmine Snow, Sam Gilbert, Jemma Keleher
Watertown - Jacob Walker, Rachel Holien, Zach Lopez, Isabelle Thorson, Hannah Mielitz
Brookings - Olivia Davis, Zen Fauth
Harrisburg - Noah Hovorka, Kailey Bechtold, Autumn Spyksma, Madeline VanVoorst, Evelyne Ducheneaux, Grant Tiede, Josh Muth, Kyler Bechtold
Aberdeen Central - Briggs Tople, Symmone Gauer, Claire Vetter, Jacob Smilloff, Zoe Douglas
Rapid City Stevens - Shayna Bradford, Noah Lytle, Carson Schwalbe
Yankton - Sky Nockels, Reagan Kolberg, Taylor Wesseln, Tori Cass, Miguel Tejero
Sioux Falls O’Gorman - John Walker, Adam Catangui, Gabby Sudenga, Carli Tomac, Caryn Piatt, David Berman, Anthony Reiland
Sturgis Brown - Rileigh Kronmiller
Brandon Valley - Anthony Klinner, Isabelle DeWitt, Jonas Kulzer, Brayden Harris, Jimmy Hoffmann, Kayden Hoeke, George Kellogg
Spearfish - Chase Huseby, Jay Sayler, Justin Schultz
Douglas - Alissa Wieman, Jace Canaan, Seraphim Huetson, Josh Hauf
Pierre T.F. Riggs - Tim Walsh, Judah McKinley
Sioux Falls Lincoln - Maddie Paul, Danielle Koang, Cat Paul, Ella Olsen, Matthew Frohwein

CLASS “AA” SUPERIOR ENSEMBLE AWARDS

Brookings – The Monkey King (Demons)
Harrisburg - Game of Tiaras (Narrators)
Harrisburg - Game of Tiaras (Snow Queen Soldiers)
Harrisburg - Game of Tiaras (Guards)
Harrisburg - Game of Tiaras (French Soldiers)
Yankton - Failure: A Love Story (Cast Ensemble)
Sioux Falls O’Gorman - UG: The Caveman Musical (Band)
Sioux Falls O’Gorman - UG: The Caveman Musical (Cast Ensemble)
Brandon Valley - Peter and the Starcatcher (Cast Ensemble)
Rapid City Central - BELFAST, a musical (Cast Ensemble)
STATE FESTIVAL CLASS “A” SUPERIOR PLAYS

Bon Homme: Linda Haar and Kellie Pickner
Chamberlain: Trisha Burke and Lynn Herder
Custer: Susan Bowen, Jesse Hamer, and Michaela Doyle
Hill City: Bryon Christian and Lori Jones
Milbank: Holly Hilbrands
Sioux Falls Christian: Matthew Groen
Sisseton: Sharon Prendergast
Stanley County: Jennifer Milliken and Shirley Swanson

(Courtesy of SDPB)

CLASS “A” PLAYS RATED SUPERIOR

Hill City High School Presents:
*Hush*
By: Bryon Christian
Setting: Contemporary
Directed By: Bryon Christian & Lori Jones

The Cast
Mrs. Danning.....Tori Lind
Kate.....Jessica Welu
Audrey.....Jada Bell
Jeremy.....Michael Patton
Aaron.....Carter Sandven
Jackie.....Maddy Hohn
Kyle.....Hunter Schroeder
Justin.....Jaydon Rogers
Emily.....Rebecca Cutler
Melissa.....Mercedes Reed

The Crew
Brandy Straw

Bon Homme High School Presents:
*A Piece of My Heart*
By: Shirley Lauro
Setting: various places before and after the Viet Nam experience
Directed By: Linda Haar; Kellie Pickner
Student Director(s): Madi Hall

The Cast
Martha .....Brittany Price
Mary Jo .....Elita Eastman
Sissy .....Mary Mathews
Whitney .....Samantha Soukup
LeeAnn .....Erika Bruna
Steele .....Brittany Karge
All the American Men .....Riley Hellmann
Musician/guitar .....Zakk Bertrand
Musician/Percussion .....Kody Pickner

The Crew
Tanner Carda, Anton Hejna, Lacey Witmeier, Kara Fiedler, Jesselyn Gar-ness, Mekayla Ray, Maicee Lanphear
CLASS “A” PLAYS RATED SUPERIOR cont’d

Chamberlain High School Presents:
The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time
By: Based on the Novel by Mark Haddon Adapted by Simon Stephens
Setting: Moments and Memories from Christopher’s Journey

Directed By: Trisha Burke and Lynn Herder
Student Director(s): Bailey Mayer, Hayes Miller

The Cast
Mrs. Shears; Voice 1.....RaeAnna Lewis
Siobhan.....MiKayla Meyer
Christopher.....Ashton Burke
Policeman; Voice 3; Station Policeman; Information; London Police-
man.....Breckin Steilen
Duty Sergeant; Voice 2; #40; Mr. Gascoyne; Man Behind Counter; Rog-
er.....Tommy Redig
Ed.....Jerrod Waterbury
Voice 4; Mr. Wise; Man in the Street; Reverend Peters.....Elvis Onyekwe
Voice 5; Information Girl.....Meya Bohlen
Voice 6; Mrs. Alexander.....Delaney Peterson
Judy.....Mariah Koenig

The Crew
Izzy Tyrell, JJ Martin, Jamie Pazour, Gracie Swanson, Justin Solberg,
Darynn Burke, Ethan Lein, Katie Steckelberg

Custer High School Presents:
Nature’s Condition
By: Kevin Plooster
Setting: The ever-changing planet Earth

Directed By: Susan Bowen, Jesse Hamer, Michaela Doyle

The Cast
Boy.....Logan Block
Girl.....Haleigh Bebbington
Ensemble #1/ Temptation/ Snake.....Lizzie Anderson
Ensemble # 2/ Pride .....Ben Wahlstrom
Ensemble # 3/ Greed.....Ember Fluck
Ensemble # 4/ Sloth.....Taylor VanDerSys
Ensemble # 5/ Wrath.....Danny Nelson
Ensemble # 6/ Gluttony .....Nathan Steele
Ensemble # 7 Envy.....Lily Fridell
Ensemble # 8/ Lust.....Kori Teasley
Ensemble # 9/ Mother .....Anna Marie Riner
Ensemble # 10/ Father.....Justus Kramer

The Crew
Jasper Watland, Hanna Honors, Sam Nelson , Cori Philips , Mariah Ker-
sey, Jon Anker

Milbank High School Presents:
Dark Road
By: Laura Lundgren Smith
Setting: A holding cell, a home, a concentration camp

Directed By: Holly Hilbrands
Student Director(s): Joe Harstad, Taylor Bray

The Cast
Protester.....Lars Andersen
Protester.....Aiden Boerger
Protester.....Andrew Falk
Protester.....Yami Arano
Protester.....Tori Hooth
Protester.....Eric Van Sambeek
Protester.....Joe Harstad
Protester.....Logan Meyer
Greta.....Kassidy Wellnitz
Guard.....Ben Harstad
Daimler.....Shawn Stemsrud
Lise.....Hope Osborn
Commandant.....Tanner Kettwig
Marga.....Caitlin Kroemer
Ingrid.....Kellie Christians
Prisoner 1.....Heidi Capp
Prisoner 2.....Devon Balling
Prisoner 3.....Sara Capp
Prisoner 4.....Catrina Jantschke
Girl.....Peyton Wiese
Doctor.....Alex Popowski
Observer.....Nathan Loutsch
Woman 1.....Sadie Holland
Woman 2.....Rhianna Folk
Woman 3.....Rebecca Loehrer

The Crew
Landon Brown, Keaton Hagen
Sioux Falls Christian High School Presents:

*Lettres et Cafe*

By: Abby Day  
Setting: Summer of 1946. France. Two years after Paris was liberated from the Nazis Occupation.

Directed By: Matthew Groen

**The Cast**

- Evalyn Morand.....Liana Johnson  
- Seymour Castel.....Jordan Holthe  
- Lilli Lebrun.....Autumn Mortenson  
- Prunilla Motte.....Mackenzie Todd  
- Picasso.....Daniel Strand  
- Sylvester Leblanc IV.....Damon Pater  
- Waiter.....Bryce Enger  
- Joan.....Katie Schultz  
- Chorus.....Carolyn Rayhons  
- Chorus.....Kassidy Van Surksum  
- Chorus.....Kaylee Brouwer  
- Chorus.....Anna DeYoung  
- Chorus.....Lauren Tousignant  
- Chorus.....Micah Wimmer  
- Chorus.....Jack Gilley

**The Crew**

Lydia Ackerman, Amy Harr, Lauren Tousignant, Mackenzie Todd, Madison Almquist

Stanley County High School Presents:

*Dark Road*

By: Laura Lundgren Smith  
Setting: Germany

Directed By: Jennifer Milliken, Shirley Swanson

**The Cast**

- Greta.....Abigail Arhart  
- Daimler.....Kade VanDusseldorp  
- Lise.....Brittany Pilien  
- Guard.....Dakoda Stevens  
- Crowd.....Trace Newbold  
- Crowd.....Trey Stroup  
- Crowd.....Dustin Waldron  
- Overseer.....Talis Smith  
- Marga.....Ella Hand  
- Ingrid.....Jayda Boxley  
- Prisoner 1/Woman 1/Girl.....Katelynn VanDusseldorp  
- Prisoner 2/Woman 2.....Shantay Waldron  
- Prisoner 3/Woman 3.....Amy Johnson  
- Prisoner 4/Woman 4.....Kaylie Rathbun  
- Doctor.....Will Spangenberg  
- Observer.....Madison Serbousek

**The Crew**

Brody Wilson, Liz Duffy, Kate Spangenberg

Sisseton High School Presents:

*Grief-Struck*

By: J.J. Jonas  
Setting: A Hospital Room

Directed By: Sharon Prendergast

**The Cast**

- Jamie.....Olivia Heinecke

**The Crew**
CLASS “A” SUPERIOR PERFORMER AWARDS TO INDIVIDUALS

Hill City - Jessica Welu, Michael Patton, Maddy Hohn
Bon Homme - Mary Mathews, Samantha Soukup
Chamberlain - MiKayla Meyer, Ashton Burke, Jerrod Waterbury, Mariah Koenig
Dakota Valley - Andrew Jensen, Courtney Chryystal, Eryn Sandwell
Milbank - Kassidy Wellnitz, Shawn Stemsrud, Hope Osborn
McCook Central - Kyle Butzke, Christian Westhoff, Haylee Ecklein
Sioux Falls Christian - Liana Johnson, Autumn Mortenson, Daniel Strand
Stanley County - Abby Arhart, Brittany Pillan
Madison - Caroline Graham, Ailin Montgomery, Madison Pauli, September Johnson
Custer - Lizzie Anderson
Sisseton - Olivia Heinecke
West Central - Charlie Berg

CLASS “A” SUPERIOR ENSEMBLE AWARDS

Dakota Valley - Property Rites (Figures & Dancers)
Milbank - Dark Road (Prisoners)
Stanley County - Dark Road (The Prisoners)
Custer - Nature’s Condition (Nature’s Ensemble)
West Central - The Princess Who Lost Her Hair (Villagers)
STATE FESTIVAL CLASS “B” SUPERIOR PLAYS

Bridgewater-Emery: Valerie Marsh
Castlewood: Jennifer and Adam Rudebusch
Chester Area: Velda Schneider and Jen Nelson
De Smet: Beth Poppen
Highmore-Harrolld: Jackie and Jay Miller
James Valley Christian: Kathy Hofer and Jill Mendel
Lemmon: Jenny Dirk
Menno: Betsy Knodel and Kay Smidt
Montrose: Chelsea Kruse
New Underwood: JLynn Bear

(Courtesy of SDPB)

CLASS “B” PLAYS RATED SUPERIOR

Bridgewater-Emery High School Presents:
Hamlette
By: Allison Williams
Setting: A castle in Elsinore, Denmark
Directed By: Valerie Marsh

The Cast
Actor 1 (Host, Francisco, Queen/King, Referee).....Mercedes Mesman
Actor 5 (Hamlette).....Lindsey Weeldreyer
Actor 2 (Horatio, 2nd Player).....Sarah Schultz
Actor 3 (Ghost, Polonius).....Zachary Weaver
Actor 4 (Barnardo, Laertes, Ophelia, Player).....Katrina Weber
Stagehand.....Sharlene Glanzer

The Crew
Taylor Clark, Sharlene Glanzer, Kori Heezen, Cassie Kerkhove

New Underwood High School Presents:
Genre
By: Wade Bradford
Directed By: JLynn Bear

The Cast
Narrator.....Ragan Luthy
Princess.....Cerington Jones
Mama Bear.....Taylin Montague
Papa Bear.....Caleb Hodo
Baby Bear.....Radley Reichert
Goldilocks.....Grace Brose

The Crew
Justin Bale, Jaden Crowser
Montrose High School Presents:
BATTLE OF THE FANDOMS: WHO DONE IT?
By: Chelsea Kruse
Setting: South Dakota Comic Con
Directed By: Chelsea Kruse
Student Director(s): Genna Catrett, Jeannie Serbousek

The Cast
Harper.....Maddie Cheever
Sam Hill.....Jake Cheever
Jimmy.....Jayden Flannery
Jean.....Maleah Gordon
Paisley.....Sammy Behrens
Charlotte.....Denna Dunn
Melanie.....Emma Johnson
Chloe.....Haylie Tysdal
Leah.....McKenzie Schwans
Zoe.....Cyrene Paulsen
Rebecca.....Harley Ihnen
Mia Done.....Kyliee Dunn
Bella.....Ellie Cleveland
Faith.....Courtney Vander Woude
Lucy.....Sarah Kipp
Violet.....Elise Oteri
Anna.....Grace Reynolds

The Crew
Logan Hass, Fayth Larson, Kendra Hofeman, Ella Schmidt

CLASS “B” PLAYS RATED SUPERIOR cont’d

Highmore-Harrold High School Presents:
That’s Not How I Remember It
By: Don Zolidis
Setting: 1985, 1999
Directed By: Jackie & Jay Miller

The Cast
Lola.....Brianna Beckler
Barry.....Dylan McDonnell
Mom.....Shantay Werdel
Dad.....Mark Hague
Lola's Mom.....Riley Aasby
Lola's Dad.....Henry Knippling
Karl.....Remington Paynter
Tricia.....Madison Bollweg
Yann 1.....Thomas Semmler
Yann 2.....Peyton McDonnell
Melissa.....Elora Domke
Jessica.....Emily Semmler
Waiter.....Colby Rittel
Key Master.....Velvet Jessen
Thug 1/3-Madison Wieseler
Thug 2.....Madison Wieseler
Nurse 1.....Haley Husted
Nurse 2.....Lainey Aasby
child.....Drew Kroeplin

The Crew
Kassie Hale, Wendy Sherwood, Kaydence Wentlandt, Coby Aasby

Lemmon High School Presents:
13 Ways to Screw up Your College Interview
By: Ian McWethy
Setting: The present
Directed By: Jenny Dirk
Student Director(s): Abby Flatmoe

The Cast
Interviewer 1, Melvin.....Jake Ellison
Interviewer 2.....Macyn Flatmoe
Hannah, Becky.....Sierra Sattler
Lily.....Sage Peterson
Maria, Eve.....Jasmine Styles
Brett.....Dillon Reede
Kimberly.....Jade Witt
Producer.....Ronny Nehl
Kelly.....Alena Mollman
Steff.....Taylor Drayton
Elizabeth.....Camryn Shockley
Magician.....Kaitlyn McCartney
Emily.....Jessica Colville

The Crew
Aubrey Weishaar

Chester Area High School Presents:
The Snow White Variety Show
By: Brian D. Taylor
Setting: Shortly after happily ever after. The TV studio for the show Real Talk with Fairytale Legends
Directed By: Velda Schneider, Jen Nelson
Student Director(s): Avery Schut, Chriissy Masterson

The Cast
Announcer.....Elizabeth Selman
Heidi Perbole.....Jadon Wages
Applause Girl.....Chloe Hass
Wordy.....Macayla Overboll
Rowdy.....Ethan Geraets
Nerdy.....Lily Kenton
Weepy.....Madi Larson
Creepy.....Emma Roling
Bob.....Allison VanEgdom
Howdy.....Peyton Brown
Evil Queen.....Hannah Nelson
Snow White.....Avery Mersch
Huntsman.....Bayden Schneider
Snow White's Mother, Little Red Riding Hood, The Real Snow White.....Lucy Fods
King, Ogre, Hansel, Guard 1.....Colton Foster
Magic Mirror, Sasquatch, Donkey, Prince Charming.....Jaron Sagmoe
Rumpelstiltskin, Ghost 4.....Carson Eppard
Big Bad Wolf, Gretel.....Julia Petuker
Pacman, Baby Bear.....McKenna Kryger
Ghost 1.....Destyne Larson
Ghost 2, Mama Bear.....Bailee Anderson
Ghost 3, Rapunzel, Huntsman's Manager.....Kyler Nilsen
T-Rex, Papa Bear.....McKenna Larson
Troll, Igor, Guard 2.....Bailey Kontz

The Crew
Dylan Paulsen, Masen Reynolds, Bailey Katzer, Garrett Miles, Ruby Hoiten, Natalie Crockett
James Valley Christian High School Presents:
*All the Bases*
By: Alan Haehnel
Setting: The Present
Directed By: Kathy Hofer, Jill Mendel

The Cast
Peter.....Jaime O'Neill
Holly.....Emily Wedel
Delia.....Blake Mendel
Zack.....Mitchell Wipf
Checker.....Matthew Krogstad
Mary.....Angelina Zuccaro
Abby.....Marissa Brondsema
Kaitlyn.....Madison Aughenbaugh
Sarah.....Julia Blom
Hannah.....Katrina Baltzer
Jane.....AbbyRose Miller
Dawn.....Keziah Appel

The Crew
Justin Gross, William Waldner, Zane Zuccaro

Menno High School Presents:
*The 9 Worst Breakups of All Time*
By: Ian McWethy
Setting: Various places and time periods
Directed By: Betsy Knodel and Kay Smidt

The Cast
Katie.....Paige Heckenlaible
Billy/Chesterfield.....Logan Klaudt
Eve.....Hailey Fergen
Tina.....Carlly Herrboldt
Teddy.....Kyle Kyriss
Waitress 1.....Adrian Nusz
Betty.....Kia Ahalt
Calvin/Charlie/Extra.....Aidan Friesen
Denny's Manager.....Devin Rich
Rah.....Breanna Mehlhaf
Ug/Extra.....Dawson Ulmer
Eli.....Brady Fergen
Emcee/Backup Singer.....Eisley Sayler
Jennifer/Backup Singer.....Anadia Gibson
Louis.....Brandon Ahalt
Mandy.....Hilaray Wade
Mandy Flappersmilk.....Jaedyn Oplinger
Alarmist Girl.....Paige Dyk
Julie.....Tess Oplinger
Tyler.....Kyle Munkvold
Bill/Extra.....Hunter Haberman
Wilma.....Kari Nusz
Waitress 2.....Madelyn Heckenlaible
Guy.....Caden Fischer
Young Eve.....Ashton Vaith
Extra/Backup Singer.....Victoria Lehr
Extra/Backup Singer.....Jordan Fischer
Extra/Backup Singer.....Trinity Kocourek
Extra/Backup Singer.....Carol Johnson

The Crew
Tanner Hanson, James Mickey, Justin Heyn, Grace DeWall, Anna Flisrand, Kendra Rowe, Brody Popham, Ashley Shepherd, Sierra Schofield

Castlewood High School Presents:
*A Midsummer Night's Dream*
By: William Shakespeare (Adapted by Jennifer & Adam Rudebusch)
Setting: Various places in and near Athens, Georgia (Eve of Duke Theseus and Hippolyta’s wedding, c. 1932)
Directed By: Jennifer & Adam Rudebusch

The Cast
Hippolyta, fiancé of Theseus/Titania, Queen of the Fairies.....Mickaela Boyd
Theseus, Duke of Athens/Oberon, King of the Fairies.....Aric Cordell
Egues, father of Hermia.....Hannah Mickey
Lysander, in love with Hermia.....Andrew Greene
Demetrius, also in love with Hermia.....Zach Dufek
Hermia, in love with Lysander.....Layce Kooima
Helena, in love with Demetrius.....Lauren Zimney
Peter Quince, carpenter and director of the mechanics.....Julie Fischer
Nick Bottom, weaver and over-eager local actor who plays Pyramus.....Jakeb Hunter
Francis Flute, bellows-mender who plays Thisbe.....Spencer Boner
Robin Starveling, a tailor.....Grace Cordell
Tom Snout, a tinker.....Logan Ries
a joiner who plays a Lion.....Booker Schooley
Puck, or Robin Goodfellow, mischievous servant of Oberon.....Kristin Schwartz
First Fairy, Peasblossom.....Olivia Akin
Second Fairy, Cobweb.....Breanna Mehlhaf
Third Fairy, Mustardseed.....Alexzaria Flisrand

The Crew
Kami Buchholz, Broden Sullivan-Lesch
CLASS “B” SUPERIOR PERFORMER AWARDS TO INDIVIDUALS

Bridgewater-Emery - Mercedes Mesman, Lindsey Weeldreyer, Katrina Weber
Armour - Grady Harrington, Parker Dally, Gracie Wold
Highmore-Harrold - Briana Beckler, Dylan McDonnell, Shantay Werdel, Henry Knippling, Madison Bollweg, Thomas Semmler
De Smet - Maxwell Poppinga, Aria Gruenhagen, Sydnee Winter
Deubrook Area - Nathan Schoenfeld, Gloria Koch
Chester Area - Elizabeth Selman, Hannah Nelson, Avery Mersch, Bayden Schneider
Viborg-Hurley - Liz Benavente, Patrick Simonsen, Shane Andersen, Skyler Kludt, Tori Hansen
Lemmon - Jake Ellison, Macyn Flatmoe, Sierra Sattler, Sage Peterson, Alena Mollman
James Valley Christian - Matthew Krogstad
Northwestern - Sadie Vander Wal, Mitchell Vander Wal
Timber Lake - Elsie DuBray, Jakways Mendoza, Cody Marshall, Callie Schaffer, Alex Peterson, Allison Gross, Olivia Linderman
Montrose - Maddie Cheever, Jake Cheever, Maleah Gordon, Sammy Behrens, Kyliee Dunn
Rosholt - Molly Anderson, Erik Braley, Kym Braun
New Underwood - Ragan Luthy, Grace Brose
Castlewood - Mickaela Boyd, Hannah Mickey, Andrew Greene, Zach Dufek, Lauren Zimney, Jakeb Hunter, Kristin Schwartz
Menno - Paige Heckenlaible, Logan Klaudt, Carly Herrboldt, Kyle Kyriss, Kia Ahalt, Breanna Mehlhaf, Dawson Ulmer, Anadia Gibson, Hilaray Wade, Jaedyn Oplinger, Kyle Munkvold, Hunter Haberman, Kiara Nusz, Caden Fischer

CLASS “B” SUPERIOR ENSEMBLE AWARDS

Highmore-Harrold - That’s Not How I Remember It (Nurses)
Deubrook Area - Extra Ordinary (Rocks and Trees and Techies Oh My!)
Chester Area - The Snow White Variety Show (Dwarves)
James Valley Christian - All the Bases (All the Bases)
Northwestern - Don’t Touch That Dial (Doctors)
Northwestern - Don’t Touch That Dial (Anchors)
New Underwood - Genre (The Bears)
Castlewood - A Midsummer Night’s Dream (Fairies)