

DEBATE AND INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

Schools participating in the Debate and Individual Events program are divided into two classes. Class "AA" represents the SDHSAA member schools with an A.D.M. enrollment of 625 and above while Class "A" involves all other schools. Any member school wishing to participate can directly enter the State Tournament in any of the debate or individual events without the necessity of participating in a regional tournament.

The 2022 State Tournament marked over 90 years for Extemporaneous speaking competition, the 88th year of competition in Original Oratory, the 42nd year of Lincoln-Douglas Debate competition, the 2nd year of Informative Speaking, and 20th year of Public Forum Debate Competition.

STATE DEBATE & INDIVIDUAL EVENTS TOURNAMENT RESULTS Harrisburg High School March 4-5, 2022

STATE TOURNAMENT SWEEPSTAKES TEAM CHAMPIONS (Based upon the total accumulated points earned by a school in each of the individual events and each of the debate divisions.)

CLASS "AA"	Champion Team	-	Aberdeen Central Kerry Konda, Coach
	Runner-Up Team	-	Sioux Falls Washington Travis Dahle, Coach
	Third Place Team	-	Brookings Sally Pies, Coach
CLASS "A"	Champion Team	-	Spearfish Bob Speirs, Coach
	Runner-Up Team	-	Sturgis Brown Eric Johnson, Coach
	Third Place Team	-	Lennox Mike Larson, Coach



**State Class “AA” Sweepstakes Team Champions
Aberdeen Central High School**
(Courtesy of SDPB)



**State Class “A” Sweepstakes Team Champions
Spearfish High School**
(Courtesy of SDPB)

STATE "AA" INDIVIDUAL EVENTS CONTESTS RESULTS

ORIGINAL ORATORY

CLASS "AA"	Champion	-	Meridian Hailu, SF Jefferson Coach: Travis Dahle
	Runner-up	-	Jordan Phillips, Aberdeen Central Coach: Kerry Konda
	3rd place	-	McCabe Wenande, O’Gorman Coach: Bob Stevens
	Finalists	-	Breanna Wollman, Aberdeen Central Tuba Ali, Harrisburg Siyanne Reddi, SF Washington

UNITED STATES EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING

CLASS "AA"	Champion	-	Jordan Phillips, Aberdeen Central Coach: Kerry Konda
	Runner-up	-	Madyson Fleckenstein, Aberdeen Central Coach: Kerry Konda
	3rd place	-	Alexis Korzan, Mitchell Coach: Madi Miller
	Finalists	-	Shawn Boehmer, Mitchell Noah Johnson, O’Gorman Trisha Sharan, Brookings

INTERNATIONAL EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING

CLASS "AA"	Champion	-	Joseph Gebel, Mitchell Coach: Madi Miller
	Runner-up	-	Abiah George, Aberdeen Central Coach: Kerry Konda
	3rd place	-	Drake Van Steenwyk, Aberdeen Central Coach: Kerry Konda
	Finalists	-	Drake VanSteenwyk, Brookings Prasoon Kharel, Brookings Abbie DeKramer, RC Stevens

INFORMATIVE SPEAKING

CLASS "AA"	Champion	-	John Hinrichs, SF Washington Coach: Angelica Mercado-Ford
	Runner-up	-	Paige Lewis, O’Gorman Coach: Bob Stevens
	3rd place	-	Olivia Johnson, Aberdeen Central Coach: Kerry Konda
	Finalists	-	Kayla Waltman, Aberdeen Central Ian Candy, Brandon Valley Amina Koch, Brandon Valley

STATE "A" INDIVIDUAL EVENTS CONTESTS RESULTS

ORIGINAL ORATORY

CLASS "A"	Champion	-	Max Ensor, Spearfish Coach: Bob Speirs
	Runner-up	-	Kaylee Bosma, Lennox Coach: Mike Larson
	3rd place	-	Carlie Johnson, Sturgis Brown Coach: Eric Johnson
	Finalists	-	Xavier Larson—Lennox Rio Snyder, Sturgis Brown Sofia Dalforte, Spearfish

UNITED STATES EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING

CLASS "A"	Champion	-	Martin Jones, Sturgis Brown Coach: Eric Johnson
	Runner-up	-	Max Schuelke, Milbank Coach: Kathy Tyler
	3rd place	-	Will Becker, Spearfish Coach: Bob Speirs
	Finalists	-	Wyatt Trohkimoinen, Sturgis Brown Cadence Jones, Spearfish Jameson Quimet, Beresford

INTERNATIONAL EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING

CLASS "A"	Champion	-	Christopher Shuman, Sturgis Brown Coach: Eric Johnson
	Runner-up	-	Sam King, Spearfish Coach: Bob Speirs
	3rd place	-	Ava Gooch, Spearfish Coach: Bob Speirs
	Finalists	-	Gunnar Geiken, Lennox Adam Wood, Sturgis Brown Laney Andrews, Beresford

INFORMATIVE SPEAKING

CLASS "A"	Champion	-	Halle Fjelland, Spearfish Coach: Bob Speirs
	Runner-up	-	Halli Rabenberg, Spearfish Coach: Bob Speirs
	3rd place	-	Jag Weyer, Sturgis Brown Coach: Eric Johnson
	Finalists	-	Brooke Holly, Sturgis Brown Kaylee Bosma, Lennox Laney Andrews, Beresford

STATE CLASS "AA" LINCOLN-DOUGLAS DEBATE RESULTS

Champion:

Kira Maldhalm, Harrisburg

Runner-up:

Samuel Markley, SF Washington

Semi-Finals:

John Hinrichs, SF Washington

Noah Johnson, O'Gorman

Quarter-Finals:

Brenna Wollman, Aberdeen Central

Dustin Hermansen, Aberdeen Central

Trisha Sharan, Brookings

Heidi Pan, Harrisburg



**Kira Maldhalm,
Harrisburg**
(Courtesy of SDPB)



**Martin Jones
Sturgis Brown**
(Courtesy of SDPB)

STATE CLASS "A" LINCOLN-DOUGLAS DEBATE RESULTS

Champion:

Martin Jones, Sturgis Brown

Runner-up:

Max Hinek, Sturgis Brown

Semi-Finals:

Sunnar Geiken, Lennox

Sam King, Spearfish

Quarter-Finals:

Ava Gooch, Spearfish

STATE CLASS “AA” PUBLIC FORUM DEBATE RESULTS

Champion Team:

Brookings:
 Sampled Nepal
 Emily Hua

Runner-up Team:

Harrisburg:
 Madeline Grabow
 Tuba Ali

Semi-Finals Teams:

Aberdeen Central:
 Drake VanSteenwyk
 Grant Aberle

Aberdeen Central:
 Madyson Fleckenstein
 Fiala Herceg

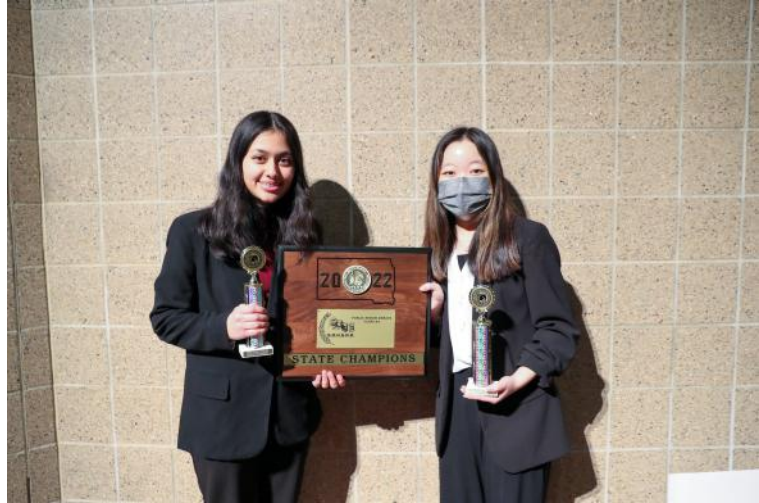
Quarter-Final Teams:

Watertown:
 Walker - Compton

SF Jefferson:
 Kane - Meayen

O’Gorman:
 Brennan - Buus

Brookings:
 Tummala - Shore



**Sampled Nepal, Emily Hua
 Brookings**
(Courtesy of SDPB)

STATE CLASS “A” PUBLIC FORUM DEBATE RESULTS



**Cadence Jones, Max Ensor, Halli Rabenberg, Halle Fjelland
 Spearfish**
(Courtesy of SDPB)

Co-Champs:

Spearfish:
 Cadence Jones
 Max Ensor

Co-Champs:

Spearfish:
 Halli Rabenberg
 Halle Fjelland

Semi-Final Team:

Spearfish:
 Bethany Kobes
 Anna Netjes
 SF Christian:
 Carson Weiner
 Blake Hoogeveen

Quarter-Final Teams:

Dakota Valley:
 Daniels – Wright

Sturgis Brown:
 Buchtel - Aston

Lennox:
 Bosma - Larson

Sturgis Brown:
 Shuman - Trohkimoinrn