

# TEAM MINNESOTA 2024

## JUNIOR PAPER

**"The Creation of the Birth Control Pill: A Turning Point for American Women's Educational, Economic, and Cultural Experience"**  
Zania (Open World Learning Community, St. Paul)

**"A "Monster Petition": The 32,000 Signatures that Sparked Women's Enfranchisement"**  
Veronica (Roseville Area Middle School, Roseville)

## JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL DOCUMENTARY

**"Katherine Johnson: Freedom 7 and NASA Trailblazer"**  
Divya (South View Middle School, Edina)

**"Sunny Days: A Turning Point in Children's Television"**  
Maeve (Murray Middle School, St. Paul)

## JUNIOR GROUP DOCUMENTARY

**"The Seven Countries Study"**  
Charlie, Emmett, Peter (Murray Middle School, St. Paul)

**"The Power of the Powerless": How Students Created a Turning Point in the Resistance of Communism in Czechoslovakia"**  
Helen, Sara (Sanford Middle School, Minneapolis)

## JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL EXHIBIT

**"The Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement: Making Waves in Environmental Protection"**  
Samuel (Salk STEM Middle School, Elk River)

**"Griswold v. Connecticut: Legalizing Birth Control"**  
Scout (Murray Middle School, St. Paul)

## JUNIOR GROUP EXHIBIT

**"Brown v. Board of Education"**  
Dylan, Sam, Sammy, Tyler (Sunrise Park Middle School, White Bear Lake)

**"CLICK IT - BUCKLE UP AMERICA"**  
Harrison, Miles, Parker (Sunrise Park Middle School, White Bear Lake)

## JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE

**"Ida Tarbell: A Turning Point in Journalism, Politics, Business, and Law"**  
Grace (Salk STEM Middle School, Elk River)

**"The New York Newsie Strike of 1899"**  
Layne (Byron Middle School, Byron)

## JUNIOR GROUP PERFORMANCE

**"Griswold v. Connecticut: A Turning Point in Reproductive Rights"**  
Abby, Beatrice, Charley, Maisy (Open World Learning Community, St. Paul)

**"The Hello Girls: America's First Women Soldiers"**  
Cecilia, Marissa, Paxton (Christ's Household of Faith School, St. Paul)

## JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL WEBSITE

**"Life is a Highway: How the Interstate Highway System Transformed Everyday Life in America"**  
Steven (Olson Middle School, Bloomington)

**"Courage and Grit: Virginia Hall The Spy That Helped Win World War II"**  
Sylvia (Murray Middle School, St. Paul)

## JUNIOR GROUP WEBSITE

**"Taking Flight: How Aviation Changed the World"**  
Gabe, Josiah (Olson Middle School, Bloomington)

**"The First Insulin Pump: A Turning Point in Diabetic Treatment History"**  
Kaya, Violeta (South View Middle School, Edina)

## SENIOR PAPER

**"A New Colossus: The Johnson-Reed Act of 1924"**  
Caroline (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

**"The Burning Monk"**  
Evan (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

## SENIOR INDIVIDUAL DOCUMENTARY

**"Brown v. Board of Education: Putting Segregation on its Deathbed"**  
Edric Duffy (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

**"From Enemy Alien to Model Minority: Japanese American Internment Camps"**  
Amy (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

## SENIOR GROUP DOCUMENTARY

**"The Pinnacle of Profound: The Films of Stanley Kubrick"**  
Karu, Owen (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

**"The Minneapolis Trucker Strike of 1934: A Turning Point for Labor Rights"**  
Anya, Claire (Open World Learning Community, St. Paul)

## SENIOR INDIVIDUAL EXHIBIT

**"Fannie Lou Hamer: Inextinguishable Light of Truth and Freedom"**  
Lauren (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

**"Ms. Magazine: A Turning Point in Feminist Media"**  
Anna (East High School, Duluth)

## SENIOR GROUP EXHIBIT

**"Elizabeth Blackwell: Paving a Path for Women in Medicine"**  
Katie, Maya (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

**"Manhattan Project: Security Breach"**  
Caleb, Christopher, Fabricio (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

## SENIOR INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE

**"Not A Man Waivered: The First Minnesota at Gettysburg"**  
Jesse (Creekside Christian Homeschool, Elk River)

**"The Americans with Disabilities Act: A Stimulant for Disability Compliance"**  
Margaret (Open World Learning Community, St. Paul)\*

## SENIOR GROUP PERFORMANCE

**"Then They Came for Me: The Separation of the German Church and the Resistance Against the Nazi Regime"**  
Colten, Dexter, Sawyer, Sedona, September (Christ's Household of Faith School, St. Paul)

**"The Smoking Gun: How United States v. Philip Morris Turned the Tide against Big Tobacco"**  
Andrew, Ben, Marshall (St. Thomas Academy, Mendota Heights)

## SENIOR INDIVIDUAL WEBSITE

**"A Turning Point in Native American Spirituality: The American Indian Religious Freedom Act of 1978"**  
Margaret (East High School, Duluth)

**"A City of Hope for Those Who Toil": How Minneapolis Teamsters Forged a New Era in Worker's Rights"**  
Nico (Eden Prairie High School, Eden Prairie)

## SENIOR GROUP WEBSITE

**"The Story of Thalidomide: A New Chapter in Drug Regulation"**  
Ming, Taletta (DeLaSalle High School, Minneapolis)

**"The Six Who Sat: Turning Points in Long Distance Running"**  
Alayna, Renn (Mankato West Senior High School, Mankato)

\*Note: Minnesota Historical Society and Minnesota History Day policy is to list participants' first names only.



\*Indicates an Alternate entry attending nationals



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