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SMALL ENSEMBLE MUSICAL PRODUCTION

A New Brain - HAWTHORNE PLAYERS
The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee - O’FALLON THEATREWORKS

LARGE ENSEMBLE MUSICAL PRODUCTION

Hello, Dolly! - WENTZVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Nice Work If You Can Get It - KIRKWOOD THEATRE GUILD
Oklahoma! - CHRIST MEMORIAL PRODUCTIONS
Oklahoma! - MONROE ACTORS STAGE COMPANY
The Bridges of Madison County - ALPHA PLAYERS OF FLORISSANT

---------  "Best Performance in a Large or Small Ensemble Musical Production"  ---------

DIRECTION
A New Brain (HP), Stephen Peirick
Hello, Dolly! (WCC), Tammy Rodenbaugh
Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG), Dani Mann
Oklahoma! (CMP), Kevin J Jones
The Bridges of Madison County (APF), Sharon Cotner

CHOREOGRAPHY
A New Brain (HP), Kate Frisina-White*/Stephen Peirick
Hello, Dolly! (WCC), Debbie Ladd
Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG), Laura Roth*
Oklahoma! (CMP), Kimberly Klick
Oklahoma! (MASC), Julie Petrabor/Maria Wilken/
Libby Ceradsky*

MUSICAL DIRECTION
A New Brain (HP), Colin Healy*
Freaky Friday (CUTC), Joel Hackbarth
Hello, Dolly! (WCC), Stacy Lemke*/Thythy Whitworth
Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG), Sean Bippenn
Oklahoma! (CMP), Kathy Eichelberger/Joseph Paule, Sr.

SET DESIGN
Little Shop of Horrors (MASC), John R Jass
Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG), Stephanie Draper
Oklahoma! (CMP), Jonathan Hartley
The Bridges of Madison County (APF), Jeff Pruett
The Wizard of Oz (ALT), Dennis Stephenson*/Lee Cox

COSTUME DESIGN
A New Brain (HP), Colin Healy*
Freaky Friday (CUTC), Joel Hackbarth
Oklahoma! (MASC), Todd Wilken/Maria Wilken

LIGHTING DESIGN
Little Shop of Horrors (MASC), John R Jass
Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG), Stephanie Draper
Oklahoma! (CMP), Jonathan Hartley
The Bridges of Madison County (APF), Jeff Pruett
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“Best Performance in a Large or Small Ensemble Musical Production”

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ACTOR IN A LEADING ROLE
Chandler Spradling*, "Pseudolus" A Funny Thing Happened... (ATT)
Marshall Jennings, "Judas Iscariot" Jesus Christ Superstar (LGP)
Steve Shingier*, "Miss Agatha Trunchbull" Matilda (LGP)
Evan Fornachon, "Jimmie Winter" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Scott Degitz-Fries, "Curly McClain" Oklahoma! (CMP)
Cole Gutman, "Robert" The Bridges of Madison County (APF)

ACTRESS IN A LEADING ROLE
Grace Costello, "Ellie Blake" Freaky Friday (CUTC)
Kate Schaefer*, "Katherine Blake" Freaky Friday (CUTC)
Heather Matthews, "Dorothy Sheridan" Mamma Mia (TTT)
Jaclyn Amber*, "Billie Bendix" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Heather Matthews, "Laurie Williams" Oklahoma! (CMP)
Stephanie Merritt, "Francesca" The Bridges of Madison County (APF)
“Best Performance in a Large or Small Ensemble Musical Production”

ACTOR IN A FEATURED ROLE
Ken Clark, "Rev Shaw Moore" Footloose (HP)
Stephen Henley*, "Adam" Freaky Friday (CUTC)
Kevin Hester, "Cornelius Hackl" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
John Lemon, "Horace Vandergelder" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
Michael Huelsmann, "Jad Fray" Oklahoma! (CMP)
Haden Hayse*, "Will Parker" Oklahoma! (CMP)

ACTRESS IN A FEATURED ROLE
Brittany Hester, "Mrs. Irene Molloy" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
Kimmie Kidd-Booker, "Estonia Dudworth" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Sarah Polizzi, "Ado Annie Carnes" Oklahoma! (MASC)
Savannah Fernelius*, "Ado Annie Carnes" Oklahoma! (MASC)
Stefanie Kluba, "Loganne Schwartzandgrubenniere" The 25th Annual... (OTW)
Melissa Felps, "Inga" Young Frankenstein (AP)

ACTOR IN A SUPPORTING ROLE
Danny Brown, "Roger" A New Brain (HP)
Dennis Mollitor*, "Caiphas" Jesus Christ Superstar (LGP)
Tim McWhirter*, "Audrey II" Little Shop of Horrors (MASC)
Ken Lopinot, "Chief Berry" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Caleb Long, "Slim/Dream Curly" Oklahoma! (CMP)
Joel Garrett Brown, "The Monster" Young Frankenstein (AP)

ACTRESS IN A SUPPORTING ROLE
Laura Kyro, "Homeless Woman" A New Brain (HP)
Dawn Schmid, "Rhoda" A New Brain (HP)
Andrea Brown*, "Jeanie Muldoon" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Dianne M Mueller, "Aunt Eller Murphy" Oklahoma! (MASC)
Gabi Maul, "Aunt Eller Murphy" Oklahoma! (MASC)
Ann Hier Brown, "Rona Lisa Peretti/Olive’s Mom" The 25th Annual... (OTW)

ACTOR IN A COMEDIC ROLE
John Emery, "Hysterium" A Funny Thing Happened... (ATT)
Kyle Rehme*, "Barnaby Tucker" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
Kent Coffel, "Cookie McGee" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Jason Meyers*, "Duke Mahony" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Keith Poppitz, "Ali Hakim" Oklahoma! (CMP)
George Doerr, Igor Young Frankenstein (AP)

ACTRESS IN A COMEDIC ROLE
Shannon Lanpkin, "Amy" Company (OFT)
Ali McDonald, "Minnie Fay" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
Jennelle Gilreath Owens*, "Eileen Evergreen" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Pam Geppert, "Marge" The Bridges of Madison County (APF)
Margery Handy, "Zekie/Cowardly Lion" The Wizard of Oz; (ALT)
Camile Fensterman, "Frau Blucher" Young Frankenstein (AP)

ACTOR IN A FEATURED ROLE
Laurie Robert, "Domina" A Funny Thing Happened... (ATT)
Maddie Hawes*, "April" Company (OFT)
Eleanor Humphrey, "Marta" Company (OFT)
Lisa Hirtle*, "Torrey" Freaky Friday (CUTC)
Chelsie Johnston*, "Marian" The Bridges of Madison County (APF)

ACTOR IN A CAMEO ROLE
Eileen Evergreen" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Zeke/Cowardly Lion" The Wizard of Oz; (ALT)

ACTRESS IN A CAMEO ROLE
Jennifer Kerner, "Mrs. Rose" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
Shari McDonald, "Court Clerk" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
Maria Wilken, "Millicent Winter" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Sophie Kluba*, "Gertie Cummings/All or Nuthin’ Dancer" Oklahoma! (MASC)
Stefanie Kluba, "All or Nuthin’ Dancer" Oklahoma! (MASC)

ACTOR IN A NON-SINGING ROLE
Mark Cummings*, "Emonius" A Funny Thing Happened... (ATT)
Marvin Rodenbaugh*, "Rudolph Reisenweber" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
DJ Wojciechowski, "Stanley" Hello, Dolly! (WCC)
Will Shaw*, "Senator Max Evergreen" Nice Work If You Can Get It (KTG)
Andrew Richards*, "Professor Marvel/Wizard" The Wizard of Oz; (ALT)

ACTRESS IN A NON-SINGING ROLE
Leontine Rickert*, "Lily St Regis/Rooster" Annie (TABS)

JUVENILE PERFORMER
Leontine Rickert*, "Annie" Annie (TABS)
Collin Sedabres*, "Fletcher" Freaky Friday (CUTC)
Bella Cram*, "Lavender" Matilda (LGP)

BEST FEATURED DANCER AWARD
Kayla Dresman, "Dream Laurey" Oklahoma! (CMP)

“Special Recognition”
“Best Performance and Best Achievement”

**YOUTH MUSICAL PRODUCTION**

**Les Miserables School Edition** - **GOSHEN THEATRE PROJECT**
**Matilda** - **GATEWAY CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS**
**Newsies** - **YOUNG PEOPLE'S THEATRE**
**Spring Awakening** - **GATEWAY CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS**
**The Drowsy Chaperone** - **RIVERBEND THEATRE**

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**DIRECTION - YOUTH MUSICAL PRODUCTION**
*S.O.S Sarthak/Alaina Bozarth/Conner Jones*
**Les Miserables School Edition** (GTP), Halli Pattison
**Newsies** (YPT), Samantha Stavely
**Spring Awakening** (GCPA), Paul Pagano
**The Drowsy Chaperone** (RBT), Kristi Doering

**YOUTH CHOREOGRAPHY**
*S.O.S Sarthak/Alaina Bozarth/Conner Jones*
**Matilda** (GCPA), Stephanie Fox
**Newsies** (YPT), Rebecca Loughbridge/Samantha Stavely
**Newsies** (SP), Kyle Rudolph
**Spring Awakening** (GCPA), Stephanie Fox
**The Drowsy Chaperone** (RBT), Alicia Dyer*

**YOUTH MUSICAL DIRECTION**
**Les Miserables School Edition** (GTP), Brad Hofeditz
**Newsies** (YPT), Sean Bippen/Jim Henry*/Suzanne Salmo
**Once Upon a Mattress** (SJUCC), Robert Gleason
**Spring Awakening** (GCPA), Paul Pagano
**The Drowsy Chaperone** (RBT), Michael Frazier/Alison Neace

**YOUTH SET DESIGN**
**Disney's The Little Mermaid** (GTP), Terry Pattison
**Les Miserables School Edition** (GTP), Terry Pattison
**Newsies** (YPT), Brissy Andrews/Greg Rackers*
**Seussical** (DSA), Jonathan Hartley
**The Drowsy Chaperone** (RBT), Julia Frazier/
**Khris Turnbull*/Chris Meyers*

**YOUTH LIGHTING DESIGN**
**Disney's The Little Mermaid** (GTP), Halli Pattison
**Les Miserables School Edition** (GTP),
**Halli Pattison/Blake Churchill**
**Newsies** (YPT), Brissy Andrews
**Seussical** (DSA), Jonathan Hartley
**Spring Awakening** (GCPA), Conner Jones*

**YOUTH COSTUME DESIGN**
**Disney's The Little Mermaid** (GTP), Terry Pattison
**Les Miserables School Edition** (GTP), Terry Pattison
**Newsies** (YPT), Brissy Andrews
**The Drowsy Chaperone** (RBT), Julia Frazier
**Titanic** (GCPA), Tracey Newcomb

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**LEADING ACTOR IN A YOUTH PRODUCTION**
*Nevan Bickel, “Javert” Les Miserables School Edition (GTP)*
*Isaiah Henry, “Jack Kelly” Newsies (YPT)*
*Kyle Rehme*, “Prince Dauntless” Once Upon a Mattress (SJUCC)
*Andrew Maroney, “Horton” Seussical (DSA)*
*Abram Wilson, “The Cat in the Hat” Seussical (DSA)*
*Jayson Heil, “Man in Chair” The Drowsy Chaperone (RBT)*

**SUPPORTING ACTOR IN A YOUTH PRODUCTION**
*Will Derry*, “Les” Newsies (YPT)
*Joseph Weidig*, “King Sextius” Once Upon a Mattress (SJUCC)
*Gabriel Maupin*, “Chopin Trouillefou” The Hunchback of Notre Dame (YPT)
*Noah Van En*, “Frederick Barrett/The Damicos” Titanic (GCPA)

**LEADING ACTRESS IN A YOUTH PRODUCTION**
*Teagan Short*, “Vivie” Disney’s The Little Mermaid (GTP)
*Abigail Ankrum, “Fantine” Les Misérables School Edition (GTP)*
*Alli McDonald, “Princess Winnifred” Once Upon a Mattress (SJUCC)*
*Kylie Rehme*, “Lina Lomont” Singin’ in the Rain (LGP)*
*Audrey Neace, “Drowsy Chaperone” The Drowsy Chaperone (RBT)*
*Alaina Bozarth*, “Janet Van De Graaff” The Drowsy Chaperone (RBT)*

**SUPPORTING ACTRESS IN A YOUTH PRODUCTION**
*Madeleine Cohil, “Frounder” Disney’s The Little Mermaid (GTP)*
*Natalie Cochran*, “Eponine” Les Misérables School Edition (GTP)*
*Holly Burckett*, “Mme. Thénardier” Les Misérables School Edition (GTP)*
*Arielle Pedersen, “Medda Larkin/Nun” Newsies (SP)*
*Mia Pollette, “Specs” Newsies (YPT)*

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**BEST YOUTH MUSICAL PERFORMANCE**
*Benett English, “Jean Valjean” Les Miserables School Edition (GTP)*

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**DSA/DaySpring School of Arts; GCPA/Gateway Center for Performing Arts; GTP/Goshen Theatre Project; LGP/Looking Glass Playhouse; RBT/Riverbend Theatre; SJUCC/St. John UCC Performing Arts Camp; SP/Spotlight Productions; YPT/Young People's Theatre**
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