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Digital Showcase

The 2026 Scholastic Writing Awards – Pittsburgh Region Digital Showcase welcomes students, families, educators, school administrators, and community members to view student work from across the county.

The 2026 winning submissions include students of the following categories:

American Voice Nominees

National Medalists

Critical Essay

Flash Fiction

Journalism

Novel

Personal Essay

Poetry

Portfolio Writing

Screenplays & Scripts

Short Story

Speculative Fiction

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American Voice Nominees

+National Medalist

Salam Alwan

Poetry – *Window Climbing+*

Giana Freyer

Personal Essay – *How To: Feel Like Yourself Again*

Hazel Pearson

Screenplays & Scripts – *Chess and Charades*

Heer Singh

Poetry – *the imminent and glimmering tomorrowland*

Caden Zhao

Critical Essay – *What is Self-Deceit?*



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National Medalists

Salam Alwan

Poetry – *Window Climbing*
National Award – *Gold*

Rebecca Dorneich

Flash Fiction – *The Half-Life of a Hug*
National Award – *Silver*

Tika Gill

Portfolio Writing – *Fanfic*
National Award – *Gold*

Liv Mason

Flash Fiction – *Queen of the Stars*
National Award – *Silver*

Veronika McCarl

Poetry – *The Stillness That
Knows Too Much*
National Award – *Silver*

Kaelyn Nguyen

Portfolio Writing – *The Nature of Me*
National Award – *Honorable Mention*

Adithri Pingali

Poetry – *5 Bollywood Movies
for Letting Go*
National Award – *Gold*

Lily Stefanik

Critical Essay – *Greer Lankton:
The Artist Who Changed Us
Before We Noticed*
National Award – *Silver*



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Portfolio Recognition

Gold Key Winners

Teresa Cauda

Portfolio Writing – *Hymns*

Tika Gill

Portfolio Writing – *Fanfic*

Addison Gladstone

Portfolio Writing – *Disoriented*

Irmak Kucukaskoy

Portfolio Writing – *Dual Identities*

Kaelyn Nguyen

Portfolio Writing – *The Nature of Me*

Andreas Wieszorek

Portfolio Writing – *Beaux Gosses*



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Portfolio Recognition

Silver Key Winners

Fiona Connell

Portfolio Writing – *Dear Diary*

Lydia Csokai

Portfolio Writing – *Secrets of Growing Up*

Basil Lee

Portfolio Writing – *Earthly Movies*

Lucy Myers

Portfolio Writing – *The House at the Top of the Hill*

Avery Pollock

Portfolio Writing – *Don't Ask Me Why*

Emma Rinaman

Portfolio Writing – *To Find the Light*

Ashley Shim

Portfolio Writing – *live your seventeen*

Luke Sigal

Portfolio Writing – *Hidden Gifts*



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Portfolio Recognition

Honorable Mention Awardees

Shyla Bessko

Portfolio Writing – *Anomalous Adolescence*

Chloe Crawford

Portfolio Writing – *Reckless Running*

Annmarie George

Portfolio Writing – *How Great Thou Art*

Macklin Monaghan

Portfolio Writing – *A Year's Worth of Thought*

Ruby Rinehart

Portfolio Writing – *The Dirt Under My Nails*

Dylann Segers

Portfolio Writing – *Within the Mundane
is the Start to Extraordinary*



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Gold Key Winners

*American Voice Nominee
+National Medalist

Shannon Acerra

Critical Essay – *Ms. Magazine: The Shaping of Feminism through Literature*

Julia Aiken

Critical Essay – *Mother is Me*

Sami Alissa

Critical Essay – *Winners, Losers, and the Fight between Equity and Equality from SFFA v. Harvard*

Salam Alwan

Poetry – *Window Climbing*+*

Madison Barton

Poetry – *In 2084*

Joanna Bi

Personal Essay – *Dear Mr. Garbage Man*
Poetry – *Ephemeral*
Flash Fiction – *Will It Hurt?*

Didi Bobo

Critical Essay – *Why Polynesian Wayfinding Techniques Contributed to the Expansion of Land*

Isla Bower

Personal Essay – *The Epidemic of Disinterest*

Alexa Campbell

Short Story – *Angel of Death*

Teresa Cauda

Portfolio Writing – *Hymns*

McKenzie Cipriani

Short Story – *The Real Life of a Christmas Tree*

Emily Dean

Flash Fiction – *Spin*



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Rebecca Dorneich

Flash Fiction – *The Half-Life of a Hug+*

Lillian Duwall

Short Story – *Open Your Eyes*

Samuel Ettinger

Poetry – *Freedoms*
Poetry – *A Drop of Water*

Jordan Evans

Critical Essay – *Women and Public Shaming: How Puritan Ideals Have Placed Them at the Forefront of this Controversy*

Mira Frawley

Poetry – *The Perfect Poem*

Giana Freyer

Personal Essay – *How To: Feel Like Yourself Again**

Julia Frye

Poetry – *Strained Trust*

Annmarie George

Short Story – *The Sound of Falling*

Tika Gill

Portfolio Writing – *Fanfic+*

Addison Gladstone

Portfolio Writing – *Disoriented*

Sarah Hoerster

Poetry – *Salt the Wound Before Lick It*

Mary Hutchinson

Poetry – *We Bleed Black and Gold*



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Gold Key Winners

*American Voice Nominee
+National Medalist

Kate Jeon

Poetry – *Two Withered
Flowers Once Beautiful*

Alisa Jirachertchoowong

Personal Essay – *Two
Centuries, One Story*

Irmak Kucukaksoy

Portfolio Writing – *Dual
Identities*

Greta Littell

Novel – *Pandemic*

Liv Mason

Flash Fiction – *Queen of
the Stars+*

Veronika McCarl

Poetry – *The Stillness That
Knows Too Much+*

Poetry – *Copper on my Tongue*

Poetry – *Unfinished*

Sally Nalevanko

Poetry – *Beesting*

Joya Nasr

Critical Essay – *German
Influence on Persepolis
as a Discreet Rebellion*

Kaelyn Nguyen

Portfolio Writing – *The Nature
of Me+*

Kayden Offner

Critical Essay – *The Vivid
Horrors of the Holocaust*

Eira Pathe

Critical Essay – *The Illusion of
Independent Thought in the
Age of Media*

Hazel Pearson

Screenplays & Scripts –
*Chess and Charades**



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Gold Key Winners

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+National Medalist

Adithri Pingali

Poetry – report card, with notes
Poetry – 5 Bollywood Movies for Letting Go+

Heer Singh

Poetry – the imminent and glimmering tomorrowland*
Poetry – a white lie

Hanna Singhi

Critical Essay – Greed, Power, and Apathy: How White Elites in Revolutionary France Oppressed People of Color

Lily Stefanik

Critical Essay – Greer Lankton: The Artist Who Changed Us Before We Noticed+

Sara Stoeckle

Poetry – Fragile Resilience

Jack Teschke

Poetry – Hymns to the Goddess of Tau-Maril

Laila Tobe

Flash Fiction – The Mirror

Lillian VanKoudnos

Poetry – The Edge

Andreas Wieszorek

Portfolio Writing – Beaux Cosses

Casey Yang

Critical Essay – From Weddings to Funerals: The Ramifications of Human-Chatbot Relationships

Pamela Yang

Poetry – Distortions

Seolri Yun

Poetry – pred

Caden Zhao

Critical Essay – What is Self-Deceit?*



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Silver Key Winners

Julia Aiken

Poetry – *The Wind and Me - Villanelle*

Nazhet Al-Khafaji

Critical Essay – *Why are the 2000s trending right now?*

Julia Antunes

Critical Essay – *Cultural Identity: The Layered Nature of Belonging*

Critical Essay – *The Miracle of Choice: The Freedom and Responsibility of Becoming a Leader*

Critical Essay – *The Next Great Minds: A Whole Person Approach to Education*

Critical Essay – *The Gallery of Wife*

Critical Essay – *The Road Well-Known: How Ambiguity Theory and Victorian Norms Explain a Woman's Choice*

Alessandra Arugeta

Flash Fiction – *El Yunque*

Connor Asti

Poetry – *The Music*

Lucy Bair

Critical Essay – *The Hunger Games Anomaly: Where the Books Fall Short*

Madison Barton

Poetry – *(Self-Surgical Autopsy)*

Brigid Bemer

Personal Essay – *Under the Harvest Moon*

Joanna Bi

Critical Essay – *The Absence of Women's Rights During the French Revolution*

Margherita Bisello

Personal Essay – *The Beeping Between Breaths*

Didi Bobo

Personal Essay – *When a Movie Becomes a Mirror*

Critical Essay – *Lessons in Acceptance and Integrity: Insights from Chinese Literature*



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Isla Bower

Critical Essay – *Tomorrow's Women: How the New Mothers Captures a Shift in the American Female Identity*

Simone Boyiadzis

Journalism – *The High Cost of Chasing Status*

Alice Bussler

Personal Essay – *Anticipation: Smudging Before the First Stroke*

Jovie Cagnacci

Short Story – *The Battle of the Genders*

Alexa Campbell

Speculative Fiction – *Doomsday*

Nancy Cao

Poetry – *A China Man's American Dream*

Personal Essay – *My Grandma's Condo: The Constancy and the People*

Harper Carenbauer

Poetry – *"My Letter to You"*

Emelyn Caretti

Poetry – *broken.*

Poetry – *innocence.*

Poetry – *the light is on.*

Poetry – *falling.*

Poetry – *don't say.*

Zoe Casci

Short Story – *The Meeting*

Madison Chen

Poetry – *queen be*

Speculative Fiction – *a change of weather*

Poetry – *the Oscar winning actress*

Poetry – *frost thawing*

Poetry – *the color that wasn't there*

Adwen Cherington

Poetry – *Comedic Relief*

Dariana Choisea

Poetry – *WORD VOMIT*

Flash Fiction – *Crown Jewel*



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Silver Key Winners

Mahika Chopra

Poetry – *a bouquet of silence*

Poetry – *when paper wasn't enough*

Elodie Clark

Flash Fiction – *Mama's Boy*

Adel Colvin

Poetry – *Art Linkletter Ranch near Darwin, Australia*

Fiona Connell

Portfolio – *Dear Diary*

Mackenzie Costanzo

Novel – *The Beasts of Ruin*

Rubrielle Costic

Critical Essay – *Rhetorical Analysis Essay of "Letter from Birmingham Jail"*

Lydia Csokai

Portfolio Writing – *Secrets of Growing Up*

Brooke Deegan

Poetry – *when beats a heart*

Poetry – *enmity*

Norah Delaney

Short Story – *Soundspeed*

Phoebe Desilva

Short Story – *Two Months Underground*

Sofia DiCicco

Critical Essay – *A New Actress to Throw Tomatoes At*

Nadire Digbohau

Poetry – *DEET!*



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Claire Ding

Poetry – *What it becomes*

Talia Dubowitz

Critical Essay – *An Exploration of Evie' Balance of Innocence and Cognizance in A Children's Bible*

Maeve Eddy

Personal Essay – *The Duck Incident*

Samuel Ettinger

Poetry – *History Lesson*

Poetry – *Religious Beliefs*

Poetry – *I Believe*

Jordan Evans

Journalism – *The Top 1% Doesn't Care About You*

Dagny Farrin

Personal Essay – *Reflections: My College Essay*

Maya Finke

Personal Essay – *Orange Juice: What Food Remembers*

Personal Essay – *From the Walls of Familiarity: My Journey Through My Bathroom*

Asher Ford

Poetry – *The Girl and the Jailed Man*

Poetry – *Pareidolia in the Peripheral*

Fiona Foy

Critical Essay – *The Illusion of Objectivity: Algorithmic Bias and the Limits of Automation*

Mira Frawley

Critical Essay – *The Women of The Odyssey: Parallels Between Penelope and the Twelve Mysteriously Hanged Maids' Stories*

Personal Essay – *Stickered: My Water Bottle as my Canvas*

Personal Essay – *Lessons from the Lake*

Eva Friedlander

Poetry – *Viva Venezuela, Mi Patria Querida*

Critical Essay – *Microfinance in Africa: The Poverty Band-Aid*

Critical Essay – *Democracy is Fragile: The Instability of Israel's Government*

Kai Galyardt

Poetry – *White Linoleum*

Short Story – *A Horror in Two Parts*

Poetry – *Hypocrite Hypothesis*



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Sambhitha Ganesan

Critical Essay – *Money Talks, Literacy Wins*

Samuel Ettinger

Poetry – *History Lesson*

Poetry – *Religious Beliefs*

Poetry – *I Believe*

Tika Gill

Screenplays & Scripts – *Home*

Poetry – *Eros (Not Agape)*

Personal Essay – *Gateway Drug to Literacy*

Flash Fiction – *Fix-It-Fic*

Screenplays & Scripts – *The Fanfic Writer Curse*

Annmarie George

Personal Essay – *I Know I Talk Too Much*

Critical Essay – *The Champion of Persistence*

Short Story – *The Static in the Glass*

Poetry – *Screaming Does Nothing When You Have No Voice*

Poetry – *The Way A Wound Learns to Say Your Name*

Short Story – *Canyon Fire*

Lilly Gibson

Poetry – *Oblivion*

Dagny Farrin

Personal Essay – *Reflections: My College Essay*

Avantika Goswami

Poetry – *Into the Abyss*

De'Monie Graham-Reese

Personal Essay – *Daddy's Little Girl*

Ethan Gredler

Critical Essay – *You Should Cook For Someone*

Jamirah Hailsham

Poetry – *Maybe It's Me*



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Silver Key Winners

Fayza Hamilton

Critical Essay – *The Rise of Indie Animation*

Leah Heffley

Poetry – *Slow Down*

Zhiqing Hou

Poetry – *Blink*
Flash Fiction – *Something Sweet*

Natasha Huen

Short Story – *The Writing Game*

Jackie Hutchinson

Poetry – *The Seasons of Change*

Sara Inieki

Poetry – *The Lonely House and the Man*

Vanshika Jain

Poetry – *A Future That Speaks*

Miliana Jaramilo

Poetry – *Predictable*

Cece Johnson

Poetry – *Blue*

Lyra Klinedinst

Poetry – *My Letter to You*

Poetry – *To Have a Heart*

Theo Knowles

Poetry – *to whomever this may concern*

Short Story – *The Thing in the Trees*

Harper Kuzmanko

Poetry – *Tea and Butterknife Honey*



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Silver Key Winners

Melanie Lam

Personal Essay – *River Between Worlds*

Saniya Lavelle

Poetry – *With My Eyes Open*

Sierra Ledwich

Poetry – *The Man Under the White Caps*

Basil Lee

Portfolio Writing – *Earthly Movies*

Gabriela Lee

Poetry – *The Lessons Not Learned*

Katie Lee

Personal Essay – *Weird Girl, Quiet Pains*

Olivia Lee

Flash Fiction – *Iblis*

Victoria Lee

Poetry – *Too Much*

Simone Leong

Critical Essay – *Mastering the Magic Eye*

London Lewis

Poetry – *Lunch*

Emma Li

Personal Essay – *No Cashews*

Poetry – *the railroads drove right past*

Haley Liddell

Critical Essay – *How A Children's Bible Emphasizes Concern About the Future of the Climate Crisis*



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Silver Key Winners

Kenna Liddell

Critical Essay – *The Dangers of Suppressing Women’s Voices in History: Life as a Woman Under the Imperial Japanese Systemized Sexual Slavery Policy*

Kennedi Lindsey

Novel – *Good Morning, Wilcox*

Greta Littell

Speculative Fiction – *Forewarning AI*

Noa Litwin

Poetry – *quadratic formula*

Poetry – *1 + 1*

Zilin Liu

Critical Essay – *The Racism Towards Magic*

Emily Long-Lewis

Poetry – *Echoes of Lost Love*

Genevieve MacCarthy

Poetry – *I Remember*

Daphne Macedonia

Poetry – *The Wreckage Hums*

Poetry – *The World We Paved Over*

Abigail Maher

Personal Essay – *“Sonderful” Collections*

Gisele Mancing

Journalism – *Rich People Don’t Read*

Juliet Marinelli

Short Story – *Grace*

Mae Martin

Short Story – *The Warmest Sunday*



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Lio Mason

Poetry – *Ascent*

Lilyana Maxwell

Personal Essay – *Mr. Whiskers*

Veronika McCarl

Poetry – *The Smoke Knows My Name*

Poetry – *More Than You Do*

Poetry – *Kitchen Flame*

Poetry – *One Day, Maybe*

Poetry – *Weightless & Wanting*

Poetry – *HEAD GROUNDED*

Poetry – *Husky Fortune*

Poetry – *All the Things I Never Said*

Poetry – *I Remember the Light*

Poetry – *Bones That Burn Beautifully*

Freda McKale

Poetry – *Key Lime Pie Tube*

Paul Mocker

Personal Essay – *The Real Pittsburgh*

Critical Essay – *The Dissolving Wall Between Church and State*

Sadie Mollen

Poetry – *The Way I Raise My Pen*

Hayden Morehouse

Critical Essay – *The Big Canadian Question: To Bedard or Not to Bedard*

Nicole Mroczkowski

Screenplays & Scripts – *Enough*

Soleli Muller

Flash Fiction – *In the Shadows*

Lucy Myers

Portfolio Writing – *The House at the Top of the Hill*

Ashlyn Nguyen

Poetry – *My Mother is a Firework*



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Silver Key Winners

Layla Niggel

Poetry – *The Flower*

Indie Pascal

Critical Essay – *The Subaltern Speaks*

Otis Pascal

Critical Essay – *The Shifting Impact of UAV Warfare*

Eira Pathe

Flash Fiction – *The Debt Collector*

Short Story – *Candyglass*

Poetry – *A Very Legitimate Business*

Uma Pathe

Personal Essay – *The Day Courage Began to Rain*

Eric Peng

Personal Essay – *A Bowl of Dreams*

Lula Petty

Poetry – *Purpose*

Adithri Pingali

Poetry – *glass houses*

Martha Pitarà

Poetry – *a snow day*

Flash Fiction – *Loneliness as a Function of You and I*

Poetry – *requiem*

Short Story – *Only a Woman Can Into Nothing*

Poetry – *self-portrait of the poet's own literacy*

Avery Pollock

Portfolio Writing – *Don't Ask Me Why*

Kavin Puri

Speculative Fiction – *The Last Sign of Green*



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Silver Key Winners

Cara Rackoff

Poetry – *Inspired*

Penegrine Ramsay

Poetry – *Flowers: A Villanelle*

Yuehan Ren

Poetry – *tick, tick, tick*

Mira Resnick

Personal Essay – *From the Windowsill*

Alice Ricci

Screenplays & Scripts – *STRANDED*

Emma Rinaman

Portfolio Writing – *To Find the Light*

Scar Rock

Poetry – *Success*

Leni Romanyak

Poetry – *Nora*

Jillian Ryba

Screenplays & Scripts – *Monthly Meeting*

Simon Schmidt

Flash Fiction – *Housekeeper*

Lyla Sebeck

Poetry – *Dear Machine Girl*

Varshini Senthilkumar

Personal Essay – *Surface Tension*

Critical Essay – *Progeny's Amendment: Manifestations of Intense Trauma in Star Trek Prodigy: Supernova*



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Silver Key Winners

Nia Sharath

Critical Essay – *Laments of the Last Human Stranger*

Allison Shi

Critical Essay – *The Constitution: The Means to Discriminate*

Critical Essay – *Steven Burd: Demonstrating How Bias and Negligence Empower the Wrong*

Personal Essay – *Ivory Eyes*

Ashley Shim

Portfolio Writing – *live your seventeen*

Luke Sigal

Portfolio Writing – *Hidden Gifts*

Evelyn Singh

Short Story – *Sector 234*

Heer Singh

Critical Essay – *Breaking Glass to Make Stone: The Benefits of Catharis Through Arts*

Abigail Smith

Poetry – *INSPIRE*

Rebecca Smith

Poetry – *The Spider Loves the Flies*

Syree Spencer

Personal Essay – *String Bean*

Ashley Starck

Poetry – *An Artist's Palindrome*

Marley Stitt

Poetry – *A Chance to be Free*



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Silver Key Winners

Sara Stoeckle

Poetry – *mother*

Ashlesha Sumant

Flash Fiction – *12 Minutes Till the Incident*

Genevieve Sweterlitsch

Flash Fiction – *A Painting for Emma*

Amelia Tedesco

Poetry – *Ode to a Narcissist*

Jack Teschke

Speculative Fiction – *Strix Herding in the Frostveil Wastes*

Fiona Teufel

Critical Essay – *Mobilizing Against the Epidemic: The ACT UP Movement and the Fight for AIDS Awareness and Policy Change*

Divya Thirumala

Poetry – *the red dot.*

Poetry – *the laws of it all*

Poetry – *sunshine, lollipops, and rainbows*

Je'Meya Thomas

Personal Essay – *Youngest always means last*

Personal Essay – *In the Name of Girlhood*

Flash Fiction – *Pink Skin*

Rebecca Tirpak

Poetry – *Wild Goose Chase*

Peri Urabel

Poetry – *Fragments*

Leo Warner

Short Story – *A Fairytale*

Addison Will

Flash Fiction – *Overtaken*



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Silver Key Winners

Sarah Beth Winikoff

Flash Fiction – *Rose*

Kara Yackoski

Flash Fiction – *Waiting*

Maddie Yen

Journalism – *Money Can't Buy Everything: Why Old Money Still Rules*

Hanying Zhang

Critical Essay – *Medicine or Monopoly? The Moral Dilemma of Prescription Drug Pricing*

Caden Zhao

Poetry – *A Meteor's Fall*

Critical Essay – *Improvised Atrocity: Fear, Failure, and the Path of Genocide*

Poetry – *Flux*

Poetry – *The Fickle Bliss of Young Love*

Personal Essay – *Those We Choose Not to See*



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Naisha Agarwal

Short Story – *THE TOY*

Arman Alborzi

Speculative Fiction – *The Other Son of Daedalus*

Sami Alissa

Critical Essay – *The Environmental Collapse*

Alessandra Argueta

Screenplays & Scripts – *Close Enough*

Flash Fiction – *Have I Ever Loved*

Novel – *The Cure*

Ruby Arnt

Screenplays & Scripts – *Think Outside the Box*

Andrei Balean

Personal Essay – *Easter Vigil*

Amelia Balet

Critical Essay – *Hester's Transformation: How Nathaniel Hawthorne Expresses His Stance on Public Shaming and the Repression of Identity*

Elizabeth Balet

Personal Essay – *Fortunately Unfortunate*

Madeline Barber

Personal Essay – *A Blessing in Disguise*

Sara Barreto

Short Story – *Ash in the Wind*

Madison Barton

Short Story – *Joke*

Poetry – *Memory (12.24.25)*

Poetry – *Reports Vary*

Shyla Bessko

Portfolio Writing – *Anomalous Adolescence*



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Violet Bevington

Personal Essay – *Summers Ghost in Winters Arms*

Melanie Brown

Poetry – *roots*

Alice Bussler

Poetry – *Strangers*

Poetry – *Childhood: The Loop of Reminiscence*

Naveen Chakrabar

Screenplays & Scripts – *All for a 12 Watch*

Joanna Bi

Speculative Fiction – *But Beauty is the Beast*

Poetry – *a light I missed*

Poetry – *friendship*

Critical Essay – *Ecofeminism in India and Economic Turmoil*

Poetry – *But Winter Comes*

Poetry – *your offer to mine*

Alexa Campbell

Personal Essay – *The Tryout*

Aubrey Chamberlain

Poetry – *Fractured*

Didi Bobo

Critical Essay – *The Ancient Perspective of Women: The Similarities and Differences of Ancient China and Ancient Greece*

Maddie Burgess

Flash Fiction – *The Monster and the Scream*

Zoe Casci

Poetry – *Wildflower*

Poetry – *Polaroid*

Phoebe Charlson

Personal Essay – *Strong Prey*



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Honorable Mention Awardees

Madison Chen

Poetry – *Failure*

Speculative Fiction – *The Mask and the Massacre*

Poetry – *brutally honest*

Poetry – *the mask of mirrors and space*

Siyi Chen

Critical Essay – *The Role of Mary Bennet in Pride and Prejudice*

Max Cheng

Poetry – *Art is Suffering and Suffering is Art*

Otto Clayton

Poetry – *Morning Blues*

Waverly Cohen

Journalism – *Have We Really Moved on from the 1920s?*

Chloe Crawford

Portfolio Writing – *Reckless Running*

Grady Davis

Flash Fiction – *Snake of three heads*

Frankie Dereume

Personal Essay – *Finding Peace in the Dark*

Sofia DiCiccio

Screenplays & Scripts – *Continuation of "A Raisin in the Sun"*

Nadre Digbohoun

Poetry – *Ditto*

Claire Ding

Personal Essay – *Between Swings*

Poetry – *The Big, Bad Wolf*



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Honorable Mention Awardees

Maura Dolan

Poetry – *My Dear Friend*

Samantha Durisko

Personal Essay – *The Feeling
Woods Behind the Little Creek*

Rosario Echeverria

Flash Fiction – *The Escalator*

Poetry – *Block*

Poetry – *Distance*

Samuel Ettinger

Poetry – *Life's a Journey*

Poetry – *My Fears*

Poetry – *My Home*

Poetry – *What Makes A Boy Cry*

Josephine Fairman

Short Story – *The Storm*

Mira Frawley

Personal Essay – *7 AM
Sunrises: Why I Love My
Morning Bus Rides*

Eva Friedlander

Poetry – *Woman*

Poetry – *The Gift*

Poetry – *Infinite Memories*

Critical Essay – *Seeds of Destruction:
Understanding the Intentionality
Behind the Holocaust*

Critical Essay – *A Woman's Choice:
Daisy and Janie's Journey to Reclaim
Individual Power*

Poetry – *Bobby*

Poetry – *Write Happy*

Critical Essay – *Imperfection Under
the Pressures of Love and War*

Julia Frye

Flash Fiction – *Falling
on Apathy*

Tatenda Gardner

Flash Fiction – *A mother's love*

Myria Gates

Flash Fiction – *Mere Worries of
an (Almost) Adult*

Annmarie George

Personal Essay –
Smashkarts & Boxes

Personal Essay – *Bridges*

Portfolio Writing – *How
Great Thou Art*

Personal Essay – *The Shape
of Desire*



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Seth Gibson

Flash Fiction – *The Mask of Soul*

Tika Gill

Poetry – *Weight of Writing*

Poetry – *Brain Rot*

Screenplays & Scripts – *Mpreg*

Katherine Gillard

Poetry – *Texture*

Ori Goldin

Flash Fiction – *A Way Out*

Raina Greper

Screenplays & Scripts –
HANKSGIVING (scene 5)

Ethan Gredler

Personal Essay – *What a Yard
Can Be*

Eleanor Gunn

Short Story – *Nowhere to Run
- Scene One*

Hudson Hallam

Short Story – *On the
Other Side*

Fayza Hamilton

Personal Essay – *Me, the
Sunflower, and the
Conditionality of Forgiveness*

Leah Heffley

Poetry – *Always Awake,
Never Can Sleep*

Poetry – *the old days*

Sophia Helton

Short Story – *Hot Air Balloon*

Willa Hensley

Poetry – *Davidson Road*



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Rose Highfield

Personal Essay – *Grief Through Growth*

Katherine Hollaway

Short Story – *Jessica's Mirror*

Katherine Huang

Critical Essay – *Lingering Magic*

Emily Hummert

Personal Essay – *My Underserved Power*

Kaylinn Hurt

Screenplays & Scripts – *Her Second Youth*

Vanshika Jain

Poetry – *Pieces of People*

Charlotte Kaplan

Poetry – *It's Fine*

Naima Karuga

Journalism – *When Wealth Hoards Power: Is Socialism Really That Radical?*

Yalkin Kaynar

Personal Essay – *Microgreens: Just a Gimmick?*

Hyunsoo Kim

Poetry – *What I was and What I Wasn't*

Poetry – *The Ivory Elephant*

Personal Essay – *Manji: A Walk Down Memory Lane*

Lyra Klinedinst

Short Story – *Medusa's Truth*

Theo Knowles

Poetry – *Seasons*

Poetry – *The Quiet Presence*



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Leah Krifecher

Personal Essay – *Nostalgia: Why We Experience It And Why It's So Important*

Emma Kuhns

Poetry – *To Be Unrequited*

Gabriela Lee

Critical Essay – *Redefining Heroism in Moby Dick*

Leshan Li

Personal Essay – *The Worlds in My Pockets*

Benjamin Lin

Novel – *Hand of Glory*

Noa Litwin

Personal Essay – *Missing Objects*

Zilin Liu

Speculative Fiction – *Countdown*

Critical Essay – *A Book Filled with Words*

Lucia Lucchi

Poetry – *Green Bird of Brazil*

Daphne Macedonia

Poetry – *Residual Love*

David Mao

Poetry – *The Sieve of Thoughts*

Poetry – *Crescendos of Emotions*

Critical Essay – *The Hero of the Pequod*

Ruby Masterson

Poetry – *The Girl in the Red Dress*

Speculative Fiction – *Ashen Sunset*

Annelise Mayer



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Veronika McCarl

Poetry – *Let It Spill*
Poetry – *On Cloud Nine without You*

Avery Mills

Critical Essay – *Transcendentalism, Romanticism, and Teenage Identity in Lydia Millet's A Children's Bible*

Sadie Mollen

Poetry – *Something to Talk About*

Macklin Monaghan

Portfolio Writing – *A Year's Worth of Thought*

Anna Morowitz

Critical Essay – *When Hope Is Not Enough: An Examination of the Differing Responses to Environmental Disaster in A Children's Bible*

Sally Nalevanko

Poetry – *There in the Meadow*

Riya Negi

Poetry – *your own worst critic*

Tanya Nguyen

Flash Fiction – *The Butterfly Sanctuary*

Kayden Offner

Critical Essay – *AI Job Replacement Essay*

Poetry – *Lyra Hoop*

Gabriella Oley

Poetry – *The Monster You Become*

Eva Palladino

Short Story – *London at War*

Alexandra Palombia

Poetry – *The Girl with a Pearl Earring*



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Indie Pascal

Personal Essay – *Forgiving the Unforgivable*

Eira Pathe

Speculative Fiction – *The God Who is Tired*

Isabelle Pecosh

Poetry – *The Beginning of the End*

Poetry – *Amber*

Jaxon Pena

Flash Fiction – *The Station's Final Destination*

Eric Peng

Flash Fiction – *The Descent*
Personal Essay – *Success in Simplicity*

Lula Petty

Poetry – *Dawn is the Color of my Soul*

Khanh Pham

Critical Essay – *How French Colonialism in Indochina Led to the Rise of Communism in Vietnam*

Karthik Pillai

Critical Essay – *Why Middle Eastern Airlines Are So Much Better?*

Martha Pitarà

Poetry – *The Little Mermaid*

Erin Pitkow

Critical Essay – *Mrs. Dalloway and Hereonormativity*

Haylee Poploski

Novel – *Vanished*

Kavin Puri

Short Story – *Two Voices at Dusk*

Poetry – *My Song*



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Logan Rapp

Poetry – *The World Hasn't Fallen Yet.*

Annalyse Raulerson

Poetry – *A Raindrop's Journey*

Yuehan Ren

Poetry – *Raindrops*

Poetry – *Yuehan*

La'Niyah Richards

Journalism – *Money Won't Fix the American Dream*

Ruby Rinehart

Portfolio Writing – *The Dirt Under My Nails*

Lilliana Roberts

Personal Essay – *Between Sleep and Reality*

Ayla Roden

Poetry – *Our Cemetery Walks*

Kaya Rodgers

Short Story – *Fire in the Rain*

Critical Essay – *Forest Gloom: A Narrator's Skepticism of Public Shame*

Millie Rothstein

Critical Essay – *The Four Horsemen: A Reimagining of the Apocalypse*

Cora Russell

Speculative Fiction – *A Life Without My Sister*

Jillian Ryba

Poetry – *For the Best*

Flash Fiction – *The Laugh Button*

Ayushi Saxena

Personal Essay – *The Box*

Poetry – *Chocolate Scar*



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Rosina Sciulli

Poetry – *I hate holidays.*

Dylann Segers

Portfolio Writing – *Within the Mundane is the Start to Extraordinary*

Aarya Senn

Poetry – *I FIND MYSELF LACKING IN i*

Anaia Shehzad

Poetry – *One Day*

Poetry – *Diagnosis Part 1: Tortured*

Allison Shi

Critical Essay – *French Women: The Unacknowledged Citizens*

Critical Essay – *Emotion: Up to Interpretation*

Jersie Sifers

Flash Fiction – *Shadow Lingers*

Keith Skirpan

Short Story – *The Clock*

Rebecca Smith

Poetry – *I Swear I'm Dying*

Nora Spector

Flash Fiction – *The Knock*

Broden Spiegel

Short Story – *Smoke*

Lily Stefanik

Journalism – *Cognitive Chronicles: How Neurotechnology Can Impact High School Students*

Sara Stoeckle

Poetry – *Time Slipping*



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Alexandra Straub

Personal Essay – *The Field That Built Me*

Rebecca Sun

Poetry – *The Garden I Tend*

Alexa Spirbly

Poetry – *Peace*

Emilie Swartz

Personal Essay – *The Art of Being Forgotten*

Ellie Tang

Poetry – *Lily*

Amelia Tedesco

Flash Fiction – *I am not one of them.*

Gianna Terzolino

Personal Essay – *My Memoir*

Jack Teschke

Short Story – *Red Soil and Strange Creatures*

Je'Meya Thomas

Flash Fiction – *Time and Time Again*
Screenplays & Scripts – *Bread*

Ember Tomlinson

Short Story – *A Glimpse of Wonderland*

Samvit Tyagi

Short Story – *Damp Streets, Cats, and a Water Seller.*

Jules Vilkner

Speculative Fiction – *The Blossom*



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Magda Walter

Critical Essay – *Fake it 'Til You Make It: What The Great Gatsby Shows Us About the Value of Honesty*

Hongyi Wang

Short Story – *Let it Be*

Mae Waters

Short Story – *The Stranger Who Rewrote My Life*

Cami Weinbaum

Novel – *Gabriel*

Novel – *Summus Novus Mundus (We Are The Newest World)*

Eliana Wellman

Poetry – *Ice Cream*

Keiame Williams

Short Story – *Vampires Will Never Hurt You*

Sarey Winston

Flash Fiction – *The Hidden Smile*

Lyila Wirth

Speculative Fiction – *The Valley (Excerpt)*

Casey Yang

Critical Essay – *A Leg of Ivory and a Will of Steel*

Seolri Yun

Poetry – *In the morning, I wake up*

Penelope Zebley

Personal Essay – *A Letter to Kids Like Me*

Elena Zevallos

Personal Essay – *The Vital Factors of Communication and Presence*

Hanying Zhang

Critical Essay – *An Overview of Power Imbalances and Patriarchal Oppression in Ibsen's A Doll's House*

Caden Zhao

Poetry – *Echoes in my Mind*



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Young Writers Summer Institute at the University of Pittsburgh

Date: 06/22/2026 - 07/01/2026

Open to: Rising 5th/6th graders, rising 7th/8th graders, 9th-11th grade

2026 Theme: Writers and Makers



Write Pittsburgh

Date: Spring 2026 (see *teens page* for upcoming spring workshops)

Open to: Ages 13 - 18

Workshops are *Virtual*



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Writing Resources

City of Asylum / Allegheny County Youth Poet Laureate Program

Date: Applications for 2026-27 Youth Poet Laureate will open *Fall 2026*

Open to: High school students in Allegheny County

Other Info: Monetary and professional opportunities, as well as entry into National Poet Laureate Program



SLB - Saturday Light Brigade - Radio Productions

Date: Saturdays Spring 2026; **Summer Programming:** 7/20/26 - 7/31/26

Open to: Scholastic participants eligible for on-air interviews; Summer programming is for **ages 14 - 18**

Other Info: After-school programming at Youth Media Center, using professional recording equipment, working w/ professional staff

*Interviews on Saturday Light Brigade can be made by reaching out to *Tai Chirovsky* at tai@slbradio.org



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2025-26 Award Winners

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Naisha Agarwal
Julia Aiken
Arman Alborzi
Sami Alissa
Nazhet Al-Khafaji
Salam Alwan*+
Julia Antunes
Alessandra Argueta
Ruby Arnt
Connor Asti
Lucy Bair
Andrei Balcan
Amelia Balet
Elizabeth Balet
Madeline Barber
Sara Barreto
Madison Barton
Brigid Bemer
Shyla Bessko
Violet Bevington
Joanna Bi
Margherita Bisello
Dido Bobo
Isla Bower
Simone Boyiadzis
Melanie Brown
Maddie Burgess
Alice Bussler
Jovie Cagnacci
Alexa Campbell
Nancy Cao
Harper Carenbauer
Emelyn Caretti
Zoe Casci
Teresa Cauda
Naveen Chakrabarti
Aubrey Chamberlain
Phoebe Charlson
Madison Chen
Siyi Chen
Max Cheng
Adwen Cherington
Dariana Chiosea
Mahika Chopra
McKenzie Cipriani
Elodie Clark
Otto Clayton
Waverly Cohen
Adel Colvin
Fiona Connell
Mackenzie Costanzo
Aubrielle Costic
Chloe Crawford

Lydia Csokai
Grady Davis
Emily Dean
Brooke Deegan
Norah Delaney
Frankie Dereume
Phoebe Desilva
Sofia DiCicco
Nadre Digbohoy
Claire Ding
Maura Dolan
Rebecca Dorneich+
Talia Dubowitz
Samantha Durisko
Lillian Duvall
Rosario Echeverria
Maeve Eddy
Samuel Ettinger
Jordan Evans
Josephine Fairman
Dagny Farrin
Maya Finke
Asher Ford
Fiona Foy
Mira Frawley
Giana Freyer*
Eva Firedlander
Julia Frye
Kai Galyardt
Samhitha Ganesan
Tatenda Gardner
Myria Gates
Annmarie George
Lilly Gibson
Tika Gill+
Katherine Gilliard
Addison Gladstone
Ori Goldin
Avantika Goswami
Raina Graeper
De'Monie Graham-Reese
Ethan Gredler
Eleanor Gunn
Jamirah Hailsham
Hudson Hallam
Fayza Hamilton
Leah Heffley
Sophia Helton
Willa Hensley
Rose Highfield
Sarah Hoerster
Katherine Hollaway
Zhiqing Hou
Kathering Huang

Natasha Huen
Emily Hummert
Kaylenn Hurt
Jackie Hutchinson
Mary Hutchinson
Sara Ilnicki
Vanshika Jain
Miliana Jaramillo
Kate Jeon
Alisa Jirachertchoowong
Cece Johnson
Charlotte Kaplan
Naima Karuga
Yalkin Kaynar
Hyunsoo Kim
Lyra Klinedinst
Theo Knowles
Leah Krifcher
Irmak Kucukaksoy
Emma Kuhns
Harper Kuzmanko
Melanie Lam
Saniya Lavelle
Sierra Ledwich
Basil Lee
Gabriela Lee
Katie Lee
Olivia Lee
Victoria Lee
Simone Leong
London Lewis
Emma Li
Leshan Li
Haley Liddell
Kenna Liddell
Benjamin Lin
Kennedi Lindsey
Greta Littell
Noa Litwin
Zilin Liu
Emily Long-Lewis
Lucia Lucchi
Genevieve MacCarthy
Daphne Macedonia
Abigail Maher
Gisele Mancing
David Mao
Juliet Marinelli
Mae Martin
Liv Mason+
Ruby Masterson
Lilyana Maxwell
Annelise Mayer
Veronika McCarl+

Freda McHale
Avery Mills
Paul Mocker
Sadie Mollen
Macklin Monaghan
Hayden Morehouse
Anna Morowitz
Nicole Mroczkowski
Soleil Muller
Lucy Myers
Sally Nalevanko
Joya Nasr
Riya Negi
Ashlyn Nguyen
Kaelyn Nguyen+
Tanya Nguyen
Layla Niggel
Kayden Offner
Gabriella Oley
Eva Palladino
Alexandra Palombia
Indie Pascal
Otis Pascal
Eira Pathe
Uma Pathe
Hazel Pearson*
Isabelle Pecosh
Jaxon Pena
Eric Peng
Lula Petty
Khanh Pham
Karthik Pillai
Adithri Pingali+
Martha Pitard
Erin Pitkow
Avery Pollock
Haylee Poploski
Kavin Puri
Cara Rackoff
Ziyad Rahman
Peregrine Ramsay
Logan Rapp
Annalyse Raulerson
Yuehan Ren
Mira Resnick
Alice Ricci
La'Niyah Richards
Emma Rinaman
Ruby Rinehart
Lilliana Roberts
Scar Rock
Ayla Roden
Kaya Rodgers
Leni Romanyak

Millie Rothstein
Cora Russell
Jillian Ryba
Ayushi Saxena
Simon Schmidt
Rosina Sciulli
Lyla Sebeck
Dylann Segers
Aarya Senn
Varshini Senthilkumar
Nia Sharath
Anaia Shehzad
Allison Shi
Ashley Shim
Luke Sigal
Evelyn Singh
Heer Singh*
Hanna Singhi
Jersie Siters
Keith Skirpan
Abigail Smith
Rebecca Smith
Nora Spector
Syree Spencer
Brodren Spiegel
Josephine Squillante
Ashley Starck
Lily Stefanik+
Marley Stitt
Sara Stoeckle
Alexandra Straub
Ashlesha Sumant
Rebecca Sun
Alexa Svirbly
Emilie Swartz
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Ember Tomlinson
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Lillian VanHoudnos
Jules Vilknor
Peri Vrabel
Magda Walter
Hongyi Wang
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Addison Will
Keiame Williams
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Lyila Wirth
Kara Yackoski
Casey Yang
Pamela Yang
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Representatives from Saturday Light Brigade (SLB)

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2025-26 Scholastic Awards Faculty and Staff

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Silver Key Winners

Julia Aiken, Nazhet Al-Khafaji, Julia Antunes, Alessandra Argueta, Connor Asti, Lucy Bair, Madison Barton, Brigid Bemr, Joanna Bi, Margherita Bisello, Didi Bobo, Isla Bower, Simone Boyiadzis, Alice Bussler, Jovie Cagnacei, Alexa Campbell, Nancy Cao, Harper Carenbauer, Emelyn Caretti, Zoe Casci, Madison Chen, Adwen Cherington, Dariana Chiosea, Mahika Chopra, Elodie Clark, Adel Colvin, Fiona Connell, Mackenzie Costanzo, Aubrielle Costic, Lydia Csokai, Brooke Deegan, Norah Delaney, Phoebe Desilva, Sofia DiCiccio, Nadre Digbohohou, Claire Ding, Tailla Dubowitz, Maeve Eddy, Samuel Ettinger, Jordan Evans, Dagny Farrin, Maya Finke, Asher Ford, Fiona Foy, Mira Frawley, Eva Friedlander, Kai Galvardi, Samhitha Ganesan, Annmarie George, Lilly Gibson, Tika Gill, Avantika Goswami, De'Monie Graham-Reese, Ethan Gredler, Jamirah Hailsham, Fayza Hamilton, Leah Heffley, Zhiqing Hou, Natasha Huen, Jackie Hutchinson, Sara Ilnicki, Vanshika Jain, Miliana Jaramillo, Cece Johnson, Lyra Klinedinst, Theo Knowles, Harper Kuzmanko, Melanie Lam, Sanhya Lavelle, Sierra Ledwich, Basil Lee, Gabriela Lee, Katie Lee, Olivia Lee, Victoria Lee, Simone Leong, London Lewis, Emma Li, Haley Liddell, Kenna Liddell, Kennedy Lindsey, Greta Littell, Noa Litwin, Zilin Liu, Emily Long-Lewis, Genevieve MacCarthy, Daphne Macedonia, Abigail Maher, Gisele Mancing, Juliet Marinelli, Mae Martin, Liv Mason, Lilyana Maxwell, Veronica McCarl, Freda McHale, Paul Mocker, Sadie Mollen, Hayden Morehouse, Nicole Mroczkowski, Soleil Muller, Lucy Myers, Ashley Nguyen, Layla Niggel, Indie Pascal, Otis Pascal, Eira Pathe, Uma Pathe, Eric Peng, Lula Petty, Adithri Pingali, Martha Pitard, Avery Pollock, Kavin Puri, Cara Rackoff, Peregrine Ramsay, Yuehan Ren, Mira Resnick, Alice Ricei, Emma Rinaman, Sear Rock, Leni Romanyak, Jillian Ryba, Simon Schmidt, Lyla Sebeck, Varshini Senthilkumar, Nia Sharath, Allison Shi, Ashley Shim, Luke Sigal, Evelyn Singh, Heer Singh, Abigail Smith, Rebecca Smith, Syree Spencer, Ashley Starck, Marley Sitt, Sara Stoeckle, Ashlesha Sumant, Genevieve Swerlitsch, Amelia Tedesco, Jack Teschke, Fiona Teufel, Diva Thirumala, Je'Meya Thomas, Rebecca Tippak, Peri Vrabel, Leo Warner, Addison Will, Sarah Beth Winikoff, Kara Yackoski, Maddie Yen, Seolri Yun, Hanying Zhang, Caden Zhao

Gold Key Winners

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