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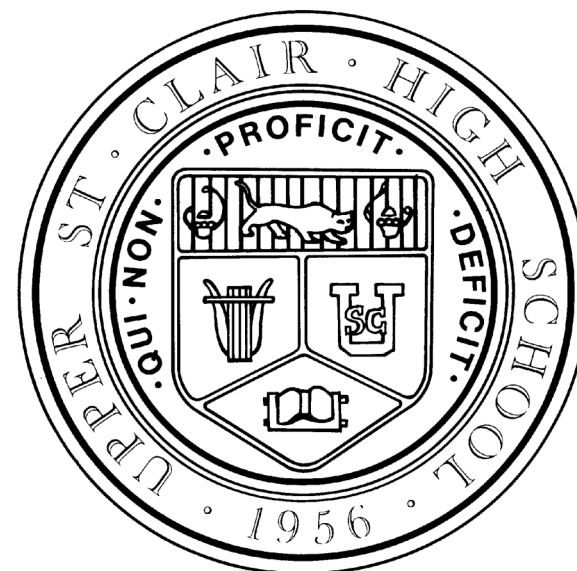
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UPPER ST. CLAIR HIGH SCHOOL

Annual Awards Program



TUESDAY, MAY TWENTY FOURTH

TWO THOUSAND SIXTEEN

SEVEN O'CLOCK P.M.

HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE

PROGRAM OF THE EVENING

Welcome and Opening Remarks..... Mr. Adam Heil
 Principal's Perfect Attendance AwardsDr. Lou Angelo
 Congressman Timothy F. Murphy
 Leaders of Tomorrow Award.....Mr. Michael D'Orazio
 United States Army ROTC Scholarship SFC Christopher Boissonnault
 Ted Barnett Scholarship.....Mr. Ted Barnett
 William A. Pope, Ph.D, Scholarship Dr. William A. Pope
 The T. J. White Scholarship Coach Jim Render
 Upper St. Clair-Bethel Park Breakfast Rotary Club (Breakfast)
 Service Above Self Award.....Mr. Brian Schill
 The Woman's Club of Upper St. Clair.....Mrs. Mary Ann Cunningham
 The Pride of the Panthers Award.....Mr. Gavin Williams
 Bethel-St. Clair Rotary Club (Evening)
 Service Above Self Award.....Mr. James Bolas
 Paul Harris AwardMr. Milt Hamel
 BASH (Black Association of the South Hills) Award...Mrs. Sheila McCollum
 Kurt R. Weiss Scholarship for Wish KidsMs. Remy Bibaud
 Upper St. Clair PTSO Book Scholarships. Mrs. Sally Ondrejko
 Upper St. Clair ESPA/PSEA
 Transportation Scholarship.....Mrs. Donna Lassige
 Mr. Fred Verzellesi
 The U. S. Marine Corps Awards.....Sergeant Charles Monbeck
 Naval ROTC Scholarship Captain James Psychogis
 Virginia Tech Corp of Cadets Scholarship..... Mr. Robert McMarlin
 National School Orchestra Award..... Mr. Don Pickell
 Mary Elena Batz Memorial Scholarship Mrs. Pam Batz
 Amateur Astronomers AssociationMr. John Holtz
 Riverset Star StudentMr. Devin Zugates
 Society of Women EngineersMs. Deborah Stine
 University of Virginia Jefferson Book AwardMr. Jay Lasus
 Yale Book Award.....Mr. Tony Bellino
 Denison University Book AwardMs. Morgan Hogenmiller
 Johns Hopkins Book AwardMr. Mike Speer

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

United States Military Academy at West Point	Zachary Riemer
University of Alabama Presidential Merit Scholarship/National Merit/Engineering Scholars	Joseph Paul
University of Dayton Leadership in Service Scholarship Award Olivia Marquart Scholarship/Positive Athlete Award	Jessica Rach Matt Finn
University of Kentucky National Merit Scholarship/Patterson Scholarship	Hannah Tyger
University of Michigan Bayer Sponsored/National Merit Scholarship	Braedon Wong
University of Maryland Banneker/Key Scholarship	Michael Nastac
University of Pittsburgh Honors College University Scholarship University Scholarship/South Hills Pitt Club-Endowed Scholarship Athletic Scholarship Academic Scholarship	Mariya Sainov Claire Mesko Brandon Ford Jacob Heilman
University of Pittsburgh Swanson School of Engineering Global Engineering Preparedness Scholarship Scholar	Pedro Daniel Quiroga
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University Emerging Leadership Scholarship	Adam Heil
George Washington University Athletic Scholarship Presidential Scholarship	Andrew Wheeler Mohammad Haris Rahman
Washington and Jefferson College Scholars Award Scholars Award	Zachary Platto



COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

Allegheny College Trustee Scholarship Trustee Scholarship	Kathryn Finneran Nicholas Virgi
Drexel University A.J. Drexel Scholarship	Lucas Watts
Case Western Reserve University University Scholarship/National Merit Scholarship	Hunter Lantzman
Cornell University National Merit Scholarship/National ROTC Scholarship	Brandon Wong
Duke University Athletic Scholarship	Samantha Amos
Duquesne University Academic Scholarship Academic Scholarship	Jason Ferrie Tyler Michener
Elon University Honors Fellowship/Presidential Scholarship	Morgan Collins
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Presidential Scholarship/Women of Excellence Scholarship	Emma Galligan
Emerson College Honors Program/Trustee Scholarship	Benjamin Nadler
Grove City College Trustee Scholarship/Leo Stevenson Scholarshi Alumni Merit Scholarship	Leah Day Amanda Mittelman
Mercyhurst University Egan Scholarship/Presidential Scholarship/Athletic Scholarship Egan Academic Scholarship	Leah Kern Emma Field
Montana Tech Advantage Scholarship/Robert Wylie Memorial Scholarship	Melody Dietrich
Robert Morris University Justice Scholarship/Football Scholarship/Athletic Scholarship	Matthew Fennell
Ohio State University National Buckeye Scholar/Provost Scholarship National Buckeye Scholar/Provost Scholarship National Buckeye Scholar/Provost Scholarship National Buckeye Scholar/Provost Scholarship Eminence Scholarship	Caitlin Conwell Bryce Cook Aubrey Carson Justin Brandwein Akshay Prasad
Otterbein University Dean's Scholar Award	Benjamin Tobias
Penn State University Provost Academic Scholarship	Jessica Sourbeer
Point Park University Institution Grant	Kiera Pyles
Southern Utah University Move-Up Scholarship	Brianna Bayles
Temple University Crew Scholarship Dean's Scholarship	Brendan Boettger Maura Brody

PROGRAM OF THE EVENING

Brown University Book Award.....	Ms. Christine Mussomeli
Harvard Prize Book Award	Mr. Dan Beck
Princeton Book Award	
Rensselaer Medal	
RIT Innovation Award	
University of Pennsylvania Book Award	
George Washington University Book Award	
Elinore C. Levine Memorial Award.....	Dr. William Rullo
Dr. Mary Ann Dodson Memorial Award	
Upper St. Clair H.S. Counseling Dept. Humanitarian Awards	
The Upper St. Clair High School Library Media Assistants Award	
Sensei Kapples Japanese Education Scholarship	
Hugh O'Brian Youth (HOBY) Leadership Nomination	
Caplan-Lieber Human Relations Award	
Joseph L Moscov Award	
American Math Competition School Winners.....	Mr. Steve Miller
American Invitational Mathematics Examination (AIME)	
RIT Computing Medal	
The Joanne Szymanski Memorial Award	
Paul Wildenhain Memorial Scholarship	
Math Council Awards	
Joseph F. Argiro Science Award.....	Mrs. Lynn Kistler
Math/Science Award	
PA Junior Academy of Science	
Pittsburgh Regional Science & Engineering Fair	
Westinghouse Science Honors Institute	
Chatham University Rachel Carson Book Award	
Upper St. Clair Education Association Scholarship.....	Mr. Will Gehrlein
Future Problem Solving State Competition.....	Mrs. Pat Palazzolo
PA Governor's School Scholars	
PA Mock Trial State Finalists	
Quill and Scroll	Mr. David Watson
Forensics Awards.....	Mr. David Watson Mr. Ben Edwards
FBLA Awards	Mr. Sean O'Rourke
Outstanding Senior Athletes.....	Mr. Matt Mellinger
Junior Class Officer and Senator Award.....	Mr. Danny Holzer
Senior Class Officer and Senator Award	Mr. Danny Holzer
Student of the Year Awards.....	Mr. Danny Holzer

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

FUTURE PROBLEM SOLVING STATE COMPETITION

Gaurav Bhushan	Steven Wagner	Michael Nastac
	Nyshima Rameswarapu	

PANTHER PRESS

Seniors	Juniors
Mattie Groninger	Lily Druics
Michael Stemmler	Lauren Qunitero

CERTIFICATE FOR GLOBAL FLUENCY

Anthony Abinanti	Jula Herold	Devon Konick
Jacobo Jaime	Alyssa Montgomery	Emily Kennedy
Sarah Kerman		

MATH AND SCIENCE AWARDS

American Mathematics Competition (AMC) Awards	AMC 10—Steven Cheung AMC 12—Christina Park
American Invitational Mathematics Examination (AIME)	Christina Park
Math Council of Western PA Senior High Math League Awards	Jack Jenny Dina Leyzarovich Jonah Glunt Zach Christensen Steven Cheung Zian Chen Christina Park
Joseph F. Argiro Memorial Science Award	Mohammad Haris Rahman
Math-Science Award	Bennett Sneath
PA Junior Academy of Science	Aditi Chattopadhyay Mahima Reddy Tanvika Sriram Connor Byrnes
PA State Computer Fair Competition	
Pittsburgh Regional Science and Engineering Fair	Connor Byrnes Sahil Doshi Vashisth Parekh Vedant Parekh Mahima Reddy Kriti Shah
Westinghouse Science Honors Institute	Cara Amatangelo Shaeleah Buntain

AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Pride of the Panthers Award	Ryan Harkleroad
William A. Pope, Ph.D. Scholarship	Erin Pacalo
PTSO Book Scholarships	Elizabeth Engel Ryan Harkleroad
	Isabel Tracson Mark Vlah
Riverset Credit Star Students Award	Katherine Starr Victoria Tepe
Sensei Kapples Japanese Education Scholarship	Ally Mesinere
SHASDA Distinguished Student Performance Award	Matthew Colton
Society of Women Engineers	Abigail Happ Riley Kelly Abigail Matheny
Polish Falcons of America-Starczynski Scholarship	Brad Puskar
The Joanne Szymanski Memorial Award	Maura Brody
Temple Emanuel of south Hills-Richard A Cohn and Charlotte Cohn Memorial Scholarship	Andrew Berlin Maura Brody
TribLive Outstanding Young Citizen Award	Adam Heil
U.S. Army ROTC Scholarship	Adam Heil
U. S. Navy ROTC Scholarship	Mihir Gite
U.S. Marine Corps Award Distinguished Athlete Award	Ryan Harkleroad Maddy Rocks Katherine Starr Steven Fontanella
Scholastic Excellence Award Semper Fidelis Award for Musical Excellence	
U.S. Department of State National Security Language Initiative	Anthony Abinanti
Upper St. Clair -Bethel Park Rotary (Breakfast) Service Above Self Award	Zach Schuler
Upper St. Clair Education Association Scholarship	Elaina Walnoha
Upper St. Clair ESPA/PSEA Transportation Scholarship	Devon Konick
USCHS Counseling Dept. Humanitarian Award	Chris Abraham Morgan Collins Danny Quiroga Mike Stemmler
	Max Cohen Mary Cugini Sarah Rubino Victoria Tepe Elaina Walnoha
USCHS Library Media Assistants Awards	Jaci Pribish Scott Russell Jordan Rust
Kurt R. Weiss Scholarship for Wish Kids	Michael Yerina
WPIAL Scholar Athlete	Madeline Rocks
Westminster Presbyterian Church West Grant	Kiera Pyles
Paul Wildenhain Memorial Scholarship	Cara Ravasio
The T.J. White Scholarship	Ryan Harkleroad
Robert Wylie Memorial Scholarship	Melody Dietrich
Woman's Club of Upper St. Clair Scholarship	Maura Brody Sarah Kerman

AWARD RECIPIENTS

SOPHOMORE AND JUNIOR AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Bethel-St. Clair Rotary Club (Evening) - Paul Harris Award	Suzanna Goodman
Brown University Book Award	Raahema Durrani
Chatham University Rachel Carson Book Award	Alexis Godwin
Denison University Book Award	Mahima Reddy
Harvard Prize Book Award	Amna Amin
Johns Hopkins Book Award	Macey Kaplan
Keystone Boys State	Alexander Yerina Steven Yerina
The Hugh O'Brian Youth (HOBY) Leadership Program Nominee	Drew Hobart Zoe Rankin
PA Governor's School for the Sciences	Mahima Reddy
Princeton Book Award	Aditi Chattopadhyay
Rensselaer Medal	Yash Lahoti
RIT Computing Medal	Aditi Chattopadhyay Thomas Bednarz Amatheon Bohan Arushi Kewalarami
RIT Innovation Award	
University of Pennsylvania Book Award	Paul Abrams
University of Virginia Jefferson Book Award	Antonio Del Rossa
George Washington University Book Award	Claire Zalla
Yale Book Award	Murphy Miller

SENIOR AWARD RECIPIENTS

Amateur Astronomers Association	Christina Park
BASH (Black Association of the South Hills) Scholarship	Brianna Joyner
Mary Elena Batz Memorial Scholarship	Ben Nadler
The Ted Barnett Scholarship	Sarah Kerman
The Bethel-St. Clair Rotary Club (Evening) - Service Above Self Award	Paige Borst
Caplan-Lieber Human Relations Award Nominee	Emily Brinsky
Carson Scholar	Kevin Chen
ChickFilA Leadership Scholarship	Amanda Mittleman
Crawford and Co. Scholarship	Jessica Rach
Daughters of the American Revolution Award	Morgan Collins
Dr. Mary Ann Dodson Memorial Award	Rachel Yakima
Great American Rivalry Scholarship	Joshua Schlichting
The Elinore C. Levine Memorial Award	Erin Pacalo
Olivia Marquart Scholarship/Positive Athlete Award	Ryan Harkleroad
Joseph L. Moscov Award	Mary Molitoris
The Congressman Murphy Leaders of Tomorrow Award	Rachel Van Ryzin
National School Orchestra Award	Paul McLean
Outstanding Senior Athletes of the Year	Sami Amos Kevin Lui Emma Hasco Andrew Wheeler
Principal's Perfect Attendance Awards for 2011-2015	Leah Day Alex Lindstrom Emily DeIuliis Allison Lippert

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA CANDIDATES

Gaurav Bhushan	Jacob Heilman	Zoe Kuenzli
Hunter Lantzman	Alyssa Montgomery	Yein(Christina) Park
Nymisha Rameswarapu	Zachary Riemer	Mariya Savinov
Vidi Shah	Sowmya Srinivasan	Anne-Sophie van der Poel
Rachel VanRyzin	Aarya Wadke	

NATIONAL MERIT

2016 SENIOR NATIONAL MERIT FINALISTS

Christopher L. Adamo	Zian Chen	Jacob C. Heilman
Emily R. Hobart	Hunter D. Lantzman	Sarina J. Mak
Yein Christina Park	Joseph D. Paul	Akshay Prasad
Mohammad H. Rahman	Hannah T. Tyger	Steven R. Wagner
Ryan P. Whyte		

2016 SENIOR NATIONAL MERIT COMMENDED STUDENTS

Hannah E. Cafaro	Zachary R. Christiansen	Charles D. Hendrix
Abdul K. Khan	Meghan V. Matheny	Liam M. McClelland
John C. Miller	Amanda C. Mittelman	Thomas A. Mologne
Michael L. Nastac	Geet V. Punjabi	Pedro D. Quiroga
Ajinkya Rai	Cara Ravasio	Mariya A. Savinov
Vidhi K. Shah	John Shea	Bennett Sneath
Rachel VanRyzin	Hannah Wilding	Braedon Wong

2016 FBLA STATE COMPETITION

Anthony Abinanti	Amna Amin	Joseph Callahan	Sahil Doshi
Raahema Durrani	Akshar Golikays	Meghan Joon	Macey Kaplan
Arushi Kewalaramani	Yash Lohti	Ajinkya Rai	Jack Shea
Jess Sourbeer	Caleb Troughtmantz	Hannah Wilding	Vicki Wang
Steven Yerina	Alex Yerina		

QUILL AND SCROLL

Inductees:	Senior Awards
Grace Eden	Chris Abraham
Devon Garcia	
Mahima Reddy	
Alexa Rieger	

PENNSYLVANIA MOCK TRIAL REGIONAL CHAMPIONS/STATE FINALISTS

Amna Amin	Tyler Clark	Raahema Durrani
Erin Graham	Macey Kaplan	Wyatt Keating
Arushi Kewalaramani	Yash Lahoti	Katherine Starr
Natalie Urban	Abigail Wagner	Vicki Wang

2016 FORENSICS AWARDS

Justin Brandwein	Saraj Quinto
Chase Miller	Raahema Durrani
	Hashim Durrani

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY SENIOR MEMBERS — CLASS OF 2016

Anthony Abinanti	Charles Hendrix	Saraj Quinto
Chris Abraham	Emily Hobart	Pedro Quiroga
Chris Adamo	Kellie Kaufman	Jessica Rach
Isaac Andres	Connor Keefe	MohammadRahman
Rachel Bash	Sarah Kerman	Ajinkya Rai
Brianna Bayles	Abdul Khan	Nymisha Rameswarapu
Andrew Berlin	Daniel King	Cara Ravasio
Gaurav Bhushan	Devon Konick	Jacob Riberi
Amanda Bradley	Molly Krawczyk	Madeline Rocks
Justin Brandwein	Rohith Krishnan	Grace Rosello
Maura Brody	Hunter Lantzman	Jacob Ross
Eliza Brufsky	Michelle Lao	Scott Russell
Grace Burton	Allison Lippert	Jordan Rust
Hannah Cafaro	Mary Lucas	Mariya Savinov
Aubrey Carson	Robert Mackey	Brendan Scanlan
Michael Chervenick	Charlotte Madson	Vidhi Shah
Kevin Chrissis	John Martin	John Shea
Zachary Christiansen	John Massaro	Hannah Shephard
Maxwell Cohen	Meghan Matheny	Bennett Sneath
Morgan Collins	Lucy McKeever	Jessica Sourbeer
Caitlin Conwell	Sarah McKenzie	Katherine Starr
Bryce Cook	Leigh McLinden	Michael Stemmler
Kristen Cox	Claire Mesko	Alexandra Steve
Mary Cugini	James Miller	Sean Stevenson
Leah Day	John Miller	Isabel Tarcson
Madison Degnan	Amanda Mittelman	Victoria Tepe
Emily Deiuliis	Thomas Mologne	Riley Urbano
Lydia de la Parra	Alyssa Montgomery	Rachel VanRyzin
Anne-Sophie van der Poel	Benjamin Nadler	Ashley Venturini
Elizabeth Engel	Michael Nastac	Mark Vlah
Austin Epler	Yein Park	Steven Wagner
James Ferry	Zachary Pateras	Connor Walsh
Matthew Finn	Joseph Paul	Andrew Wheeler
Emma Galligan	Gino Pezzone	Ryan Whyte
Kara Gisleson	Akshay Prasad	Hannah Wilding
Lauren Hamel	Geet Punjabi	Braedon Wong
Dalton Harrison	Caitlin Pyles	Rachel Yakima
Adam Heil	Kiera Pyles	Michael Yerina
Jacob Heilman	Benjamin Queen	
Alexandra Heinz		

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

STUDENTS OF THE YEAR—2016

Student of the Year: Freshman Class	Rachel Tudi
Student of the Year: Sophomore Class	Savannah Shaw
Student of the Year: Junior Class	Eric Lehman
Student of the Year: Senior Class	Anthony Abinanti

STUDENT OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
Chad Behun	Alex Amos	Juliann Alfera	Anthony Abinanti
Emma Caldart	Jonah Auslander	Amna Amin	Chris Adamo
Brooke Christiansen	Jonathan Barsotti	Tommy Bednarz	Ryan Bentley
James DeIuliis	Kate Bellas	David Behun	Andrew Berlin
Allison Dellicari	John Cappetta	Alex Beynon	Emily Brinsky
Sam Ding	Joanna Chikani	Betsy Boal	Morgan Collins
Hashim Durrani	Sahil Doshi	Shae Buntain	Laura Johnson
Lexi Feldman	Mandy Florkowski	Michael Camburn	Kabir Khan
Miles Friedman	David Frauen	Mackenzie Damon	Molly Krawczyk
Kate Gallagher	Mike Gallagher	Carly DeCock	Zoe Kuenzil
Tanner Gensler	Jonah Glunt	Justin Densmore	Hunter Lantzman
Stephanie Grunwald	Dante Grecco	Mac Dominick	Allison Lippert
Caroline McDonough	Jagedesh Gummadi	Lillian Drucis	Charlotte Madson
Kiera James	Jackie Haus	Grace Eden	Alison Mesinere
Emma Larocco	Mike Hess	Hayley Fajerski	Tom Mologne
Riley Lenthall	Matthew Higgs	Seth Finkelstein	Jessica Murphy
Dina Leyzarovich	Alexis John	Michael Haverlack	Ben Nadler
Jonah Manalo	Wyatt Keating	Abby Happ	Michael Nastac
Ethan Mann	Tom Kyle	Averrey Jencka	Madeline Oppelt
Sean Martin	Stephan Lanese	Macey Kaplan	Giovanni Orsini
Caroline McDonough	Gianna Lavezoli	Megan Kramer	Erin Pacalo
Macey Mesinere	Caroline LeKachman	Eric Lehman	Christina Park
Dylan Mira	Melissa Lloyd	Jisue Lee	Gino Pezzone
Alex Mudry	Julia Miller	Ethan Loeb	Zach Platto
Brendan Neal	Krishna Monpara	Jessica Luberto	Caitlin Pyles
Chris Pantellis	Caroline Nelson	Olivia Mahla	Haris Rahman
Paarth Shankar	Lauren O'Keefe	Sarah Martin	Cara Ravasio
Savannah Smith	Juliah Seymour	Anja Michlik	Jordan Rust
Mia Snyder	Olivia Shaffer	Murphy Miller	Mariya Savinov
Rebecca Speer	Cameron Shaffer	Ole Minuth	Brendan Scanlon
Jason Sweeney	Savannah Shaw	Pramod Narayanan	Bennett Sneath
Yinggi Tao (Wendy)	Jess Sibert	Jack O'Leary	Mike Stemmler
Hannah Thompson	Abby Skeel	Stefano Paolina	Victoria Tepe
Rachel Tudi	Bria Smith	Vashisth Parekh	Hannah Tyger
Isaac Tyger	Mythri Sundar	Shannon Parker	Riley Urbano
Aidan Urbano	Mia Taylor	Jay Pollock	Rachel VanRyzin
Eden Weiner	Leah Raeder	Leah Raeder	Elaina Walnoha
Jessica Weryha	Mary Wilding	Surya Raju	Andrew Wheeler
		Claire Rainone	Hannah Wilding
		Justin Ranali	Courtney Williams
		Alexa Rieger	
		Mark Rutkowski	
		Allie Ryave	
		Nick Toosi	
		Erik Warmbein	
		Phil Warmbein	