

## **National Award Winners and Finalists**

National History Day (NHD) students from around the state were recognized with honors at the annual NHD event in College Park, Md. The event was held June 12-16, 2005 at the University of Maryland campus. More than 2,000 students from around the country competed in the national event with projects related to “Communication in History: The Key to Understanding.”

### **1<sup>st</sup> PLACE**

Kristi Davis & Justine Scarbrough

Junior Group Documentary

Storm Lake Middle School

“Circuit Chautauqua: Culture, Companionship, and Education Under Canvas”

### **1<sup>st</sup> PLACE**

Stephen Frese

Senior Historical Paper

Marshalltown High School

"Divided By a Common Language: The Babel Proclamation and its Impact in Iowa History”

### **1<sup>st</sup> PLACE**

Sarah Frese

Senior Individual Exhibit

Marshalltown High School

“The Iowa Bystander: Fighting for Equality in the Press”

### **4<sup>th</sup> PLACE/ Junior Division Outstanding State Award**

David Parkinson, Rachel Black, Annie Kjar, Allie Lanning, & Rebecca Meerdink

Junior Group Performance

Akron-Westfield Community Schools

“Tinker V. Des Moines: A Key to Understanding Students’ Struggle to Communicate their Rights”

### **5<sup>th</sup> PLACE/ Senior Division Outstanding State Award**

Amy Paul & Katie Pauley

Senior Group Documentary

Valley High School

“Democratic Communication: Helen Thomas, the Press, and the President”

### **5<sup>th</sup> PLACE**

David Morrison

Senior Individual Documentary

North Tama County High School

“Ding Darling: Communicator, Cartoonist, Conservationist”

### **11<sup>th</sup> PLACE**

Melissa Ewing, Andy Perkins, & Breanne Carpenter

Senior Group Exhibit

Wayne Community School

“The Warren Report: Communicating the Truth”

**12<sup>th</sup> PLACE**

Kristyn Griesbach & Katelyn Tharp

Junior Group Documentary

North Scott Junior High

“Jacques-Yves Cousteau: Communicating His Message to the World”

**13<sup>th</sup> PLACE**

Susan Leslie

Junior Individual Exhibit

North Scott Junior High

“Sarah Gillespie Huftalen: Communication Rural Education”

**13<sup>th</sup> PLACE**

Katherine Tindall

Junior Individual Performance

Akron-Westfield Community School

“Sequoyah: Giving the Cherokee People a Key to Understanding Written Communication”

**History of the American Presidency Award**

Kathryn Skilton

Senior Historical Paper

Nashua-Plainfield Community Schools

“Television and the Great Debates: A Key to Understanding Presidential Politics”