

# 2014 Annual Playwriting Festival - Elementary School Winning Plays

## First Place

Class Play, Rapper's Delight General George Meade Elementary, Teacher Lori Odum, Teaching Artist Dwight Wilkins

Class Play, The Hungry Gαmes Wyncote Elementary, Teacher Kristin Krause, Teaching Artist MR Stine

Caitlin Boland-Szura, Denis Cha, Natalie Doebley and Che Moritz, Charlie's Adventures Myers Elementary, Teacher Mimi Rubin, Teaching Artist MR Stine

Mekhi Smallwood, Julia Verrier and Layla Wilson, *The Journey of the Wise Owls* Wyncote Elementary, Teacher Kristin Krause, Teaching Artist MR Stine

Joelle Williams, Excelling in Spelling Glenside Elementary, Teacher Angela Schell, Teaching Artist Janine Merolla

### Second Place

Class Play, Building A More Fair USA-Lady Liberty Leads the Way The Philadelphia School, Teachers Anna Park and Miriam Harlan, Teaching Artist Tasha Milkman

Class Play, Starnapped
Cheltenham Elementary, Teacher Marilyn Golden, Teaching Artist MR Stein

Molly Amons, Maddie Conwell, Vienna Hockabout and Makayla Weems, Getting to Broadway Myers Elementary, Teacher Mimi Rubin, Teaching Artist MR Stine

Olivia Knotek, *Pluto IS a Planet!* Elkins Park School, Teachers Mary Aiken and Roberta Jacoby, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Zoe Matsinger, Santa Retires Glenside Elementary, Teacher Angela Schell, Teaching Artist Janine Merolla

## Third Place

Class Play, *Bloody Revenge* Glenside Elementary, Teacher Angela Schell, Teaching Artist Janine Merolla

Kayla Bass, Chrisannan Pierre, Nathan Amopofo, When Bullying Stops Wyncote Elementary, Teacher Kristin Krause, Teaching Artist MR Stine

## 2014 Annual Playwriting Festival - Middle School Winning Plays

### First Place

Charlie Becht, Script

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Gerre Garrett Pierce and Kate McGrath

Class Play, Pivot

Andrew Jackson Elementary School, Teacher Lauren Pears, Teaching Artist Dwight Wilkins

Ayden Green, Meeting God

Penrose School, Teacher Keisha Hill, Teaching Artists Tasha Milkman and Julie Anne Evans

Toluwatayo Olubajo, Be Free

Drexel Hill Middle School, Teachers Janet Kennedy and Jessica Clement, Teaching Artist Dana Kreitz

Ned Wilson, The Nerd Who Wanted Friends

Bala Cynwyd Middle School, Teacher Rachel Nichols, Teaching Artist Dana Kreitz

Most Yeasmin, Perrie the Fairy

Beverly Hills Middle School, Teacher Tara Malloy, Teaching Artist Malika Oyetimein

Frances Gardner, Madison Meidt and Josie Rosman, Missing in Time J.R. Masterman, Teacher Karen Celli, Teaching Artist Ryan Walter

#### Second Place

Camilla Carr and Joanna Gerber, What I'm Good For Bala Cynwyd Middle School, Teacher Rachel Nichols, Teaching Artist Dana Kreitz

Andrea Coler, Home

The Baldwin School, Teacher Lori Reed

Amy Crouch, My Strange Addiction

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Gerre Garrett Pierce and Kate McGrath

Rylee Curry, The Story

Beverly Hills Middle School, Teacher Tara Malloy, Teaching Artist Malika Oyetimein

Jonah Etsy, A Typical American Play

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Gerre Garrett Pierce and Kate McGrath

Kaleemah Felder, Living with a Bully

Penrose School, Teacher Keisha Hill, Teaching Artists Tasha Milkman and JulieAnne Evans

Mai Ho, Accept

Beverly Hills Middle School, Teacher Tara Malloy, Teaching Artist Malika Oyetimein

Naomi Karnuah and Sabria Young, Unpredictable

St. Francis De Sales, Teacher Mary Griffiths, Teaching Artist Ryan Walter

Abigail Meeker, Such We Be Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Camilla Meeker, *Libellule* Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Molly Narom and Armani Tripp, Young Plays on the Trays St. Francis De Sales, Teacher Mary Griffiths, Teaching Artist Ryan Walter

Olivia Or, Irrepressible

Beverly Hills Middle School, Teacher Tara Malloy, Teaching Artist Malika Oyetimein

Lena Popkin, Forever Hold Your Peace Independence Charter School, Teacher Ericka Morris, Teaching Artist Justin Jain

Hazel Puchalsky, *Stuck in My Heαd*Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Gerre Garrett Pierce and Kate McGrath

Julia R. Rosen, A Very Human Way of Making Life More Bearable Bala Cynwyd Middle School, Teacher Rachel Nichols, Teaching Artist Dana Kreitz

Mike Weir, Don't Follow Your Programming
Drexel Hill Middle School, Teachers Janet Kennedy and Jessica Clement, Teaching Artist Dana
Kreitz

## Third Place

Shamima Chowdhury, *The Sparrow, The Escort, The Stalker* Beverly Hills Middle School, Teacher Toni Ruddy, Teaching Artist Malika Oyetimein

Justin Collins and Jessica Nneji, *The Mystery Prank* St. Francis De Sales, Teacher Mary Griffiths, Teaching Artist Ryan Walter

Empress Graham, *Untitled* St. Francis De Sales, Teacher Mary Griffiths, Teaching Artist Ryan Walter

Cleo Hoey, I'd Rather Be Dreaming

Drexel Hill Middle School, Teachers Janet Kennedy and Jessica Clement, Teaching Artist Dana Kreitz

Kiya Jackson Nealy, Kiyα PYP

Grover Washington Middle School, Teachers Shannon Blair and Amy Gottesman, Teaching Artist Aimé Kelly

Manreet Kaur, Choices

Beverly Hills Middle School, Teacher Tara Malloy, Teaching Artist Malika Oyetimein

Mae Latona and Liana Massey, *The Beatles Were Wrong* Bala Cynwyd Middle School, Teacher Rachel Nichols, Teaching Artist Dana Kreitz

Alexa Lenfest, Borderline The Baldwin School, Teacher Lori Reed Zaidie Mendoza, Redemption

Independence Charter School, Teacher Ericka Morris, Teaching Artist Justin Jain

Brendan Mostek, A Blind Eye

Drexel Hill Middle School, Teachers Janet Kennedy and Jessica Clement, Teaching Artist Dana Kreitz

Mayowa Songonuga, Murder In Elysium

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Gerre Garrett Pierce and Kate McGrath

Kerry Sheehan, Dandelion

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Gerre Garrett Pierce and Kate McGrath

Emoni Stevenson, Mr. Dragon

Mastery Charter Hardy Williams, Teacher Kendra Cherba, Teaching Artist Steve Gravelle

Leslie Thai, Locked Up Mysteries

Drexel Hill Middle School, Teachers Janet Kennedy and Jessica Clement, Teaching Artist Dana Kreitz

Kevin Warren, The Bully

Grover Washington Middle School, Teachers Shannon Blair and Amy Gottesman, Teaching Artist Aimé Kelly

Harrison Wellner, Withdrawal From Reality

Independence Charter School, Teacher Ericka Morris, Teaching Artist Justin Jain

Ivan Widjaja, Slave Revolt!

Independence Charter School, Teacher Ericka Morris, Teaching Artist Justin Jain

## 2014 Annual Playwriting Festival - High School Winning Plays

## First Place

Class Play, The Receiving Schools Project

Benjamin Franklin High School, Teacher Lauren Murphy-Sans, Teaching Artists Jay Gilman, MR Stine and Angie Coleman

Alex DuBeck, The Shadows

Archbishop Ryan, Teacher Maggie Kelly, Teaching Artist Will Dennis

Rachel Nunez, Finding Hope

Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Ellery Schiller, Don't Title Me

J.R. Masterman, Teacher Anita Solis-Cohen, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Mia Weathers-Fowler, Mirrors and Windows

Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Josh Block, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

#### Second Place

Class Play, Two High Schools Both Alike in Dignity

Philadelphia Military Academy, Teacher Donna Bucknor, Teaching Artists Steve Gravelle, Aimé Kelly, and Katie Sink

Amber Banning, Joe Schmoe

Neumann-Goretti, Teacher Jim Gildea, Teaching Artists Aimé Kelly and Julie Anne Evans

Mitchell Berven-Stotz, Double Takes

Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Josh Block, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Stephen Brown, Chapter Four

Neumann-Goretti, Teacher Jim Gildea, Teaching Artists Aimé Kelly and Julie Anne Evans

Michael Davies, Scandal

Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Helen Everbach, Strangely Intimate Acquaintances

Strath Haven High School, Teacher Reagan Lattari

Monica Feldman, Hey Moll

Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Sophia Healy, Stanley

High School for the Creative and Performing Arts, Teacher Pete Syoum

Zack Hersh, Father, Mother, Son

Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Josh Block, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Lindsey Jones, Two Drops of Genesis

Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Josh Block, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Kenzie Morgan, Wine and Violin

Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Cindy Ngo, Kateryna

Central High School, Teacher Christine MacArthur, Teaching Artist Griffin Stanton-Ameisen

Leilani Pritchett. Let it Go

High School for the Creative and Performing Arts, Teacher Pete Syoum

Andrew Purvis, The Pursuit of Evilness

Central High School, Teacher Christine MacArthur, Teaching Artist Griffin Stanton-Ameisen

Rahul Thaiparambil, Wishful Thinking

J.R. Masterman, Teacher David Neale, Teaching Artists Malika Oyetimein and Anthony Martinez-Briggs

Natalie Torpey, Dernier Repas, Something Promising

Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Erica Wachs, Junk, Or An Evening With Dan Stevens

The Baldwin School, Teacher Cynthia Angst

Keely Walsh, Rocket Science
High School for the Creative and Performing Arts, Teacher Pete Syoum

Elijah Wilson and Group, A Little Bit of Change Bodine High School, Teacher Anissa Weinraub, Teaching Artist M.J. Harris

Jeannette Yust, *Problem(s)*Central High School, Teacher Christine MacArthur, Teaching Artist Griffin Stanton-Ameisen

#### Third Place

Class Play, Courage

South Philadelphia High School, Teacher Claude Falcone, Teaching Artists Ehren Remal, Stevie Neale and Anthony Martinez-Briggs

Brianna Benozich, *Thαt's A Wrαp* Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Angelina Concilio, Home Is Where the Heart Aches Central High School, Teacher Christine MacArthur, Teaching Artist Griffin Stanton-Ameisen

Nicholas Gervasi, *The High School Kid* Neumann-Goretti, Teacher Jim Gildea, Teaching Artists Aimé Kelly and Julie Anne Evans

Shaun Grace, The Garden of Bliss Archbishop Ryan, Teacher Maggie Kelly, Teaching Artist Will Dennis

Thomas Henning, Discovery Locomotion
Upper Dublin High School, Teacher Ruth Favin

Shoshanna Israel, *Invincible*Upper Dublin High School, Teacher Ruth Favin

Jessica Janczewski, Caroline

J.R. Masterman, Teacher Alex Avelin, Teaching Artists Malika Oyetimein and Anthony Martinez-Briggs

Cierra Kipyego, *Ride of α Lifetime* Upper Dublin High School, Teacher Ruth Favin

Grace Lukasevics, *Forever* Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Caitlin Muldowney, Since Our Diaper Days J.R. Masterman, Teacher Anita Solis-Cohen, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Gregory Richmond, *Blinded*High School for the Creative and Performing Arts, Teacher Pete Syoum

Hikma Salhe, False Hαppiness Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Josh Block, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath Lauren Tetlow, Bαd Business Archbishop Ryan, Teacher Maggie Kelly, Teaching Artist Will Dennis

Abeni Watts, *Ignoring Screams* Central High School, Teacher Christine MacArthur, Teaching Artist Griffin Stanton-Ameisen

Drew Weiss, *Incidents*The Haverford School, Teacher Matt Cloran

Kathleen Wells, Farewell My Friend Norristown High School, Teacher Damon Bucci, Teaching Artist John Jarboe

Shelby Wiseman, Earth and Time High School for Creative and Performing Arts, Teacher Pete Syoum

Caitlyn Whalin, *The Choice Is Yours* Neumann-Goretti, Teacher Jim Gildea, Teaching Artists Aimé Kelly and Julie Anne Evans

Myrna Yousuf, Love in Bangladesh Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Josh Block, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath