



SPECIAL AWARDS

2021 National History Day - CA

Friends of NHD-CA

Bessie Reed McDonald Award for Women's History

34008 Megan Vahdat

Starved for Change: Hunger Strikers Communicate the Need
for Women's Suffrage in Edwardian England

Orange

Sage Hill School



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California Council for the Promotion of History

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25034 Karthik Subramanian

Race, Ration, and Rebellion - Tied to a Few Meters of Fabric:
The Zoot Suit Riots

Alameda

Thornton Junior High School

32010 Katie Kim

Stamp Out Smog: Prioritizing Air Pollution Control

Orange

Orange County School of the Arts



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California Office of Historic Preservation and California Historical Society

California Historic Places

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33043 Colin Cham

Poems Carved on the Walls of Angel Island: the Lost
Communications of Chinese Immigrant Detainees

San Mateo

The Nueva School



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California Historic Places Honorable Commendation

31126 Andrew McDonald, Sean Nam, Jack Rangel, Liam Avenell, Robi Castaneda

All Hooves No Brakes

Sacramento

Jesuit High School



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California History

10044 Ayesha Atanda

The Chicano Movement: The Time to Protest

Fresno

Red Bank Elementary School



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Special Friends of NHD Performance

Catalina Pacheco Memorial Award

24107 Maleah Okamoto, Emily O'Hara

Anne Sullivan and Helen Keller: Communicating in Silence

Alameda

William Mendenhall Middle School



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Conference of California Historical Societies (CCHS)

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23031 Aubrey Packer

Forms of Communication during the Free Speech Movement

Riverside

Matthew Gage Middle School

33043 Colin Cham

Poems Carved on the Walls of Angel Island: the Lost Communications of Chinese Immigrant Detainees

San Mateo

The Nueva School

22037 Belle Holliday

Communication on the Ridge: Preparedness and Communication--Saving Lives the Day of the Campfire

Butte

Core Butte Charter School

32010 Katie Kim

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California Foundation for History Education

David Lee Award for Academic Tenacity

33024 William Rice

Cointelpro: How the U.S. Government Has Damaged
Communication in History

San Mateo

Menlo-Atherton High School



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Mike and Melissa Lawson

Dr. Larry W. Sheffield Young Historian's Award

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Thornton Junior High School

21017 Callie Jacobosky

Gente Sin Razón: Communication and Understanding and
Their Part in the Loss of a Culture

Sacramento

Folsom Middle School



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Elizabeth Avery Award for Social Justice

25049 Ivana Siu

Nina Simone: Using Music to Communicate the Black Racial Injustices of America

Orange

Sierra Vista Middle School



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Environment in History

21014 Amelia Mueller

Ansel Adams: Preserving Nature Through Photography

Alameda

William Mendenhall Middle School



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Equality in History

10123 Anna Cardenas, Leonna Diaz

The Fight For Our Rights: The Women's Rights Movement

San Bernardino

Cucamonga Elementary School



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European History

21132 Thomas Wilson, Matthew Fan

Emmanuel Ringelblum and The Oyneg Shabes:
Communicating The Jewish History of The Warsaw Ghetto to
the World.

Kern

Fruitvale Junior High



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Herbert Nikirk Visual Art in History

35005 Brenda Gonzalez

The Chicano Art Movement

San Mateo

South San Francisco High School



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Individual in History

32017 Aeriauna Urbina

Anne Frank: How her Diary Communicated Hope in Times of Inhumanity

San Bernardino

Oak Hills High School



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Japanese American Museum

Japanese American History

31015 Lauren Kim

Masking the Truth: What Visual Japanese-American
Internment Camp Propaganda Communicated

Riverside

Eleanor Roosevelt High School



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LGBTQ Historical Society

LGBTQ Rights

31042 Thy Pham

Stonewall: a Look Into Communications and Social Movements

San Mateo

Menlo-Atherton High School



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National Maritime Historical Society

Maritime History - First Place

22032 Davenee McFadden

No Security Through Obscurity: Withheld Communication
Caused the Loss of the Indianapolis

Riverside

Vista Verde Middle School

31021 Xuan-Anh Ly Biggs

Communicating with the Aliens in Our Seas: Understanding
Dolphins

Riverside

Riverside Poly High School



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National Maritime Historical Society

Maritime History - Second Place

23016 Ekamjot Natt

Danger Below the Surface: How Miscommunication Led to the Belief Within the Soviet B-59 Submarine that War had Occurred

Kern

Warren Junior High

35040 Jack Brown

Operation Ivy Bells

Riverside

Crossroads Christian School



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Medicine in History

35034 Alyssa Tang

The 1964 Surgeon General's Report: Communicating the Hazards of Smoking to the Public

Orange

University High School



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**Naval Order of the United States San Francisco
Commandery**

10029 Vishnu Satyanarayana

Navajo Code Talkers: An Ancient Language on a Modern Battlefield

Contra Costa

Bella Vista Elementary School

35040 Jack Brown

Operation Ivy Bells

Riverside

Crossroads Christian School

21037 Vivianna Tang

Ba-Goshi A-Kha Be Ah-Nah: Unbreakable Communication -
Using a Forbidden Language in War

Riverside

El Cerrito Middle School



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Science in History

10110 Jonathan Hong, Seth Lee

Decoding the Enigma: Breaking the Unbreakable

Santa Clara

Bullis Charter School and Heritage Academy



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California Council for Social Studies

Social Justice and Diversity

22016 Tori McBride

"Lost Friends" and "Information Wanted" Ads: Communicating the Heart-Breaking Stories of Family Separation Caused by Slavery

Riverside

El Cerrito Middle School

32014 Sukhpal Singh

The Power of Voice in the Darkness: How Magic Johnson Shed Light on HIV/AIDS

Fresno

Clovis North High School



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Stephenson Family Award for Sports History

21015 Andrew Vanoli

How the 1968 Black Power Salute at the Mexico City Olympics communicated Injustice

Monterey

All Saints Day School



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Technology in History

22039 Ellie Byun

Electroencephalogram: The Start of Understanding the Most Complex Form of Communication

San Diego

Excel Academy Charter School



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Turning Points in History

21015 Andrew Vanoli

How the 1968 Black Power Salute at the Mexico City Olympics communicated Injustice

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Law Office of Steven M. Olson

William E. Geary Award for Military History

33012 Spiro Sun

Communication in History: How One Word of Defiance Turned the Tide of World War II

Orange

University High School