

CELEBRATING OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL THEATRE

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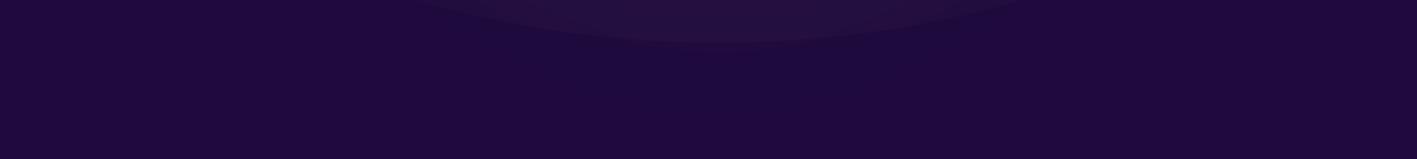
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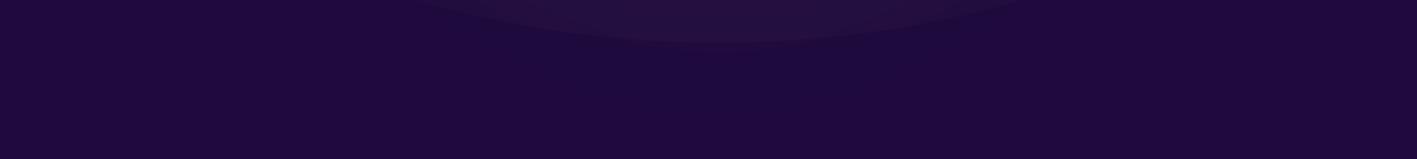


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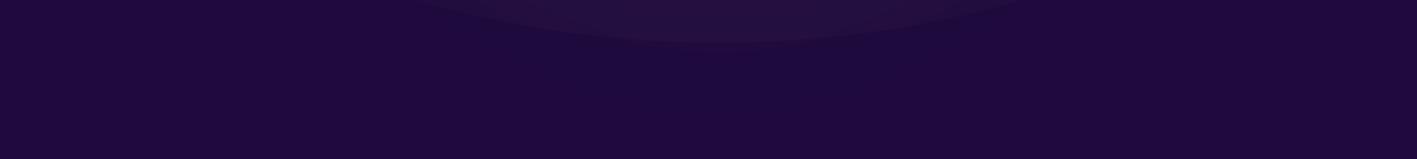
The High School Musical Theatre Awards at Proctors is a celebration of outstanding student achievement in high school musical theatre. The program focuses much-needed attention on the meaningful work being done on and off the stage by dedicated teachers and students within their high school theater programs. By recognizing individual artistry in performance and technical theatre, and honoring theatre educators' commitment to performing arts education, these awards seek to encourage excellence in the performing arts, engage families in the activities of their students, ignite a far-reaching partnership between the Proctors and area schools and contribute to the development of future audiences for live performing arts in the region.

We are constantly amazed and full of pride at the accomplishments of the region's high school drama programs and look forward to celebrating with them for years to come!



PARTICIPANT SCHOOLS & THEIR PRODUCTIONS

Amsterdam High School	Into the Woods
Ballston Spa High School	Mean Girls
Catskill High School	Sister Act
Chatham High School	Mamma Mia
Cohoes High School	The Prom: School Edition
Colonie Central High School	The Addams Family
Columbia High School	Freaky Friday
Fort Ann High School A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum	
Glens Falls High School	5th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee
Gloversville High School	
Mohonasen High School	Bye Bye Birdie
Niskayuna High School	A Chorus Line: Teen Edition
Queensbury High School	Shrek the Musical
Saratoga Springs High School	Mamma Mia
Schenectady High School	Little Shop of Horrors
Schuylerville High School	Once Upon a Mattress
Scotia-Glenville High School	
Shenendehowa High School	The Addams Family
South Glens Falls High School	Tuck Everlasting
Troy High School	
Voorheesville High School Joseph an	nd the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat
Whitehall Jr. Sr. High School	Chicago: Teen Edition



NOMINATIONS

Nominated for BEST MUSICAL (TIER A)

Queensbury High School - Shrek the Musical

Schuylerville High School – Once Upon a Mattress

South Glens Falls High School – Tuck Everlasting

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Nominated for BEST MUSICAL (TIER B)

Colonie High School – The Addams Family

Glens Falls High School – 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee

Saratoga Springs High School – Mamma Mia!

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Nominated for BEST MUSICAL (TIER C)

Amsterdam High School – Into the Woods

Ballston Spa High School – Mean Girls

Voorheesville High School – Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat

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Nominated for BEST STUDENT ORCHESTRA

Amsterdam High School – Into the Woods

Ballston Spa High School – Mean Girls

Niskayuna High School – A Chorus Line: Teen Edition

Shenendehowa High School - The Addmans Family

Nominated for **BEST TECHNICAL EXECUTION**

Ballston Spa High School – Mean Girls

Glens Falls High School – 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee

Schuylerville High School – Once Upon a Mattress

Shenendehowa High School – The Addams Family

South Glens Falls High School – Tuck Everlasting

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Nominated for BEST SET CONSTRUCTION

Amsterdam High School – Into the Woods

Colonie High School – The Addams Family

Glens Falls High School – 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee

Queensbury High School – Shrek the Musical

South Glens Falls High School – Tuck Everlasting

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Nominated for **BEST CHOREOGRAPHY EXECUTION**

Glens Falls High School – 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee

Mohonasen High School – Bye Bye Birdie

Queensbury High School – Shrek the Musical

Saratoga Springs High School – Mamma Mia

South Glens Falls High School – Tuck Everlasting

Nominated for BEST ENSEMBLE

Ballston Spa High School – Mean Girls

Glens Falls High School – 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee

Queensbury High School – Shrek the Musical

Saratoga Springs High School – Mamma Mia!

Troy High School – *The Addams Family*

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Nominated for BEST SUPPORTING ACTOR

Roman Mangino | Role: Kevin G Show: *Mean Girls* School: Ballston Spa High School

Peter Hinckley | Role: Aaron Samuels Show: *Mean Girls* School: Ballston Spa High School

Cian Connolly | Role: Reuben Show: Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat School: Voorheesville High School

> Kaden Witte | Role: Fletcher Blake Show: Freaky Friday Columbia High School

Frederick Durocher | Role: Orin Show: Little Shop of Horrors School: Schenectady High School

Nominated for BEST SUPPORTING ACTRESS

School: Gloversville High School

Taylor Shults | Role: Ursula Merkle Show: *Bye Bye Birdie* School: Mohonasen High School

Delany Sano | Role: Gingy Show: *Shrek the Musical* School: Queensbury High School

Yael Woods | Role: Voice of Audrey II Show: *Little Shop of Horrors* School: Schenectady High School

School: Scotig=Glopvillo High School

School: Scotia-Glenville High School

Nominated for BEST ACTOR

Chris Buettner | Role: Jester Show: Once Upon a Mattress School: Schuylerville High School

Logan Esposito | Role: Joseph Show: *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* School: Voorheesville High School

> Aidan Halsey | Role: Adam Show: Freaky Friday School: Columbia High School

John Malagrida | Role: Gomez Addams Show: *The Addams Family* School: Colonie High School

> Carter Sano | Role: Shrek Show: *Shrek the Musical* School: Queensbury High School

Nominated for BEST ACTRESS

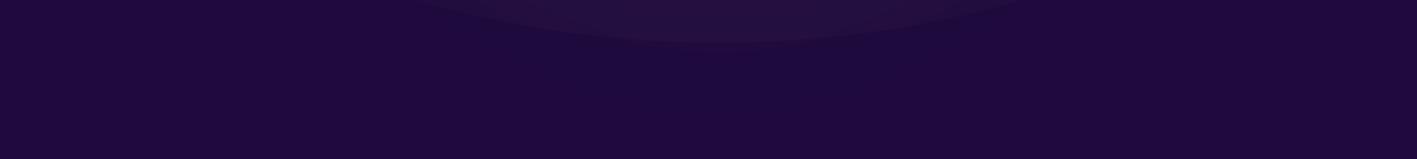
Meeghan Darling | Role: Deloris Van Cartier Show: Sister Act School: Catskill High School

Ashley Manocchi | Role: Marian Paroo Show: *The Music Man* School: Scotia-Glenville High School

Emma O'Kane | Role: Ellie Blake Show: *Freaky Friday* School: Ballston Spa High School

Eva Reece | Role: Winnie Foster Show: *Tuck Everlasting* School: South Glens Falls High School

Julia Varga | Role: Rose Alvarez Show: *Bye Bye Birdie* School: Mohonasen High School



PRODUCTION CEREMONY

ACT I

Opening Number: Another Opening, Another Show/There's No Business Like Show Business (featuring students from all participating high schools)

Welcome from Philip Morris, CEO, Proctors Collaborative

Best Musical - Tier C Nominee Performance: "Ever After" from Amsterdam High School's Into the Woods

> **BEST SET CONSTRUCTION AWARD** presented by Teddy Foster

Best Musical – Tier C Nominee Performance: "I See Stars" from Ballston Spa High School's *Mean Girls*

> **BEST TECHNICAL EXECUTION AWARD** presented by Rose Biggerstaff

Best Musical – Tier C Nominee Performance: "One More Angel Hoe Down" from Voorheesville High School's Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat

BEST MUSICAL – TIER C AWARD presented by Shai Davenport

Best Musical – Tier B Nominee Performance: "When You're an Addams" from Colonie High School's The Addams Family

> **BEST ENSEMBLE AWARD** presented by Jean-Remy Monnay

Best Musical – Tier B Nominee Performance: "Magic Foot" from Glens Falls High School's 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee

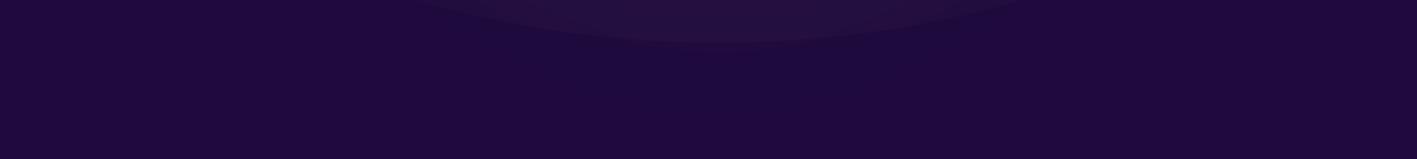
> BEST CHOREOGRAPHY EXECUTION AWARD presented by Freddy Ramirez

BEST STUDENT ORCHESTRA AWARD presented by Etienne Abelin

Best Musical – Tier B Nominee Performance: "Mamma Mia Mashup" from Saratoga High School's Mamma Mia!

> **BEST MUSICAL – TIER B AWARD** presented by Maggie Mancinelli-Cahill

INTERMISSION – 20 MINUTES



PRODUCTION CEREMONY

ACT II

Best Musical – Tier A Nominee Performance: "Freak Flag" from Queensbury High School's *Shrek the Musical*

> BEST SUPPORTING ACTRESS AWARD presented by Bryan Cady

Best Musical – Tier A Nominee Performance: "Song of Love" from Schuylerville High School's *Once Upon a Mattress*

> BEST SUPPORTING ACTOR AWARD presented by Sara Tracey

Best Musical – Tier A Nominee Performance: "Partner in Crime" from South Glens Falls High School's *Tuck Everlasting*

> BEST MUSICAL TIER – A AWARD presented by Philip Morris

Best Actress Medleys:

"Sister Act" performed by **Meeghan Darling** as Delores Van Cartier from *Sister Act* "Will I Ever Tell You?" performed by **Ashley Manocchi** as Marian Paroo from *The Music Man* "No More Fear" performed by **Emma O'Kane as** Ellie Blake from *Freaky Friday* "Everlasting" performed by **Eva Reece** as Winnie Foster from *Tuck Everlasting* "What Did I Ever See in Him?" performed by **Julia Varga** as Rose Alvarez from *Bye Bye Birdie*

Best Actor Medleys:

"Very Soft Shoes" performed by **Chris Buettner** as Jester from *Once Upon a Mattress* "Close Every Door" performed by **Logan Esposito** as Joseph from *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*

"Women and Sandwiches" performed by **Aidan Halsey** as Adam from *Freaky Friday* "Trapped" performed by **John Malagrida** as Gomez Addams from *The Addams Family* "Who I'd Be" performed by **Carter Sano** as Shrek from *Shrek the Musical*

BEST ACTRESS AWARD presented by Heather Hayes

BEST ACTOR AWARD presented by Spencer Boyce

Closing Number: "Brand New Day" from *The Wiz* (featuring students from all participating high schools)



AWARD PRESENTERS

Etienne Abelin | Music Director of Empire State Youth Orchestra Rose Biggerstaff | Assistant Stage Manger at theREP Spencer Boyce | HSMTA 2022 Best Actor Winner Bryan Cady | CEO of Guilderland Music Academy, Scotia Music Academy and Latham Center for the Arts Shai Davenport | Education Programs Manager, Collaborative School of the Arts Teddy Foster | Director, Universal Preservation Hall Heather Hayes | HSMTA 2022 Best Actress Winner Maggie Mancinelli-Cahill | Producing Artistic Director, theREP Jean-Remy Monnay | Artistic Director, Black Theatre Troupe of Upstate New York Sara Tracey | Features Editor, Times Union Philip Morris | CEO, Proctors Collaborative Freddy Ramirez | Director of Dance Programming CSOA and Resident Artist/Choreographer



* These musicians are members of the American Federation of Musicians of the United States and Canada and appear through a special arrangement with the Schenectady-Amsterdam Musical Union



STAFF FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL THEATRE AWARDS

PRODUCTION STAFF

Director	Steven Yuhasz
Music Director/Arrangements	Peter Darling
Choreographer	Freddy Ramirez
Production Stage Manager	Judie Bouchard
Lighting Designer/Electrician	Bruce Coonley
Sound Designer	William Blunck

ORCHESTRA MEMBERS

Keyboard I/Conductor	Peter Darling
Keyboard II	Graham Doig
Bass	Michael Richmond
Guitar	Chad McLoughlin
Drums	Michael Benedict

ADMINISTRATION

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