

Competitions & Awards – 2001-2002

Acaciawood School
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National Recognition

American Invitational Mathematics Exam

Ryan Pester Qualified

Creative Communications Poetry Contest

Henna Cheng Published
Andrew Galvan Published
Lorena Guerro Published
Christina Hernandez Published
Joanne Kim Published
Sheri Lin Published
Esther Paik Published
Jenny Wu Published
Anita Yang Published

Future Problem Solving

International Competition

Senior Team 7th Place
Jessica Higashi, Andy Miller,
Ryan Pester, Miriam Scatterday
Alternate Team 2nd Place
Grace Pester

National History Day

Sr. Division Ind. Documentary
Miriam Scatterday 3rd Place
Sr. Division Individual Paper
Evan Chan Finalist
Sr. Division Group Documentary
Elaine Inoue, Phoebe Park, Karis Miyake
Andy & Sheri Lin Finalist

National Merit Finalist

Jonathan Lin

The College Board, National Hispanic Recognition Scholar

Miriam Scatterday

State Recognition

Constitutional Rights Foundation 2001 Free Expression in a Free Society Program

Sr. Division 1st Place:

Walter Liau, Andy Miller, Ryan Pester

Jr. Division 1st Place:

Grace Liau, Grace Pester

California State History Day

Sr. Division Individual Exhibit

Danielle Allison

Sr. Division Group Documentary

Alternate

Ryan Pester, Andrew Miller, Walter Liau, Mark Tara

4/5th Grade Group Poster Alternate

Michael Jones, Yung-En Perng, Steven Saffron

Diversity and Social Justice Award

Joanna Hodges, Shenandoah Yang, Christina Hernandez, Lorena Guerrero

Sally Casanova Award

Evan Chan

Sorensen Family Trust Award

Evan Chan

California Future Problem Solving

1st Place, Middle Team

Melissa Jones, Grace Liau, Aletheia Miyake, Deborah Scatterday

2nd Place Senior Team

Andy Lin, Sheri Lin, Karis Miyake, Shenandoah Yang

1st Place Senior Individual

Walter Liau

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards 2002

Southern California Region

Video, MLK Jr. Gold

Grace Liau, Grace Pester

Video, Nuremberg Silver

Walter Liau, Andy Miller, Ryan Pester

Video, Israel Silver

Sheri Lin, Karis Miyake, Mark Tara, Anita Yang

Video, Nuclear Energy Hon. Mention

Philip Combiths, Andy Lin, Andrew Pham, Andrew Tucker

Writing, Humor Hon. Mention

Daniel Hage

Local Recognition

Adventures in Writing Story Contest

Michael Jones Published Winner

CIF 2nd Team - Basketball

Jesse Cope

Creative Connections Writing Contest

(Hundreds of student entries; 7 winners)

Henna Cheng Published Winner

Esther Paik Published Winner

OCDE 20th Annual Poster and Creative Writing Contest

Poetry Winner

Christina Hernandez 2nd Place

Henna Cheng 3rd Place

Essay Winner

Esther Paik 2nd Place

Orange County Fair Youth Expo 2002

Handbook Art Contest

Claire Lin Grand Prize

Lizeth Artega Winner

Katie Lee Winner

Morgan Massey Winner

Bing O'Dowd Winner

Yung-En Perng Winner

Wall Panel Contest

3rd/4th grade Division Winner

5th/6th grade 1st Place

Fine Arts Contest

Esther Paik Division Winner

Orange County National History Day

Sr. Division Individual Paper

Amy Weber Winner

Jr. Division Group Performance

Deborah Scatterday, Melissa Jones,

Aletheia Miyake Hon. Mention

Orange County Social Science Association: Best use of

Primary Sources

Danielle Allison

23rd Annual Michael L. Roston

Creative Writing Contest

Poetry Winners

Jessica Higashi

Miriam Scatterday

Prose Winners

Aletheia Miyake

Honorable Mention

Evan Chan *Jesse Cope*

Joanna Hodges *Paul Lee*

Joyce Liao *Naomi Lin*

Karis Miyake *Grace Pester*

Deborah Scatterday

(1,500 total entries with 79 winning entries)

3rd Annual Chapman University Holocaust Writing Contest:

Miriam Scatterday HS, 1st Place

Elaine Inoue HS, 2nd Place

Aletheia Miyake JH, 1st Place

47th Annual Orange County Science Fair

Applied Mechanics

Andrea Liu 3rd Place

Chemistry

Jonathan Allison 1st Place

Elizabeth Combiths Hon. Mention

Earth Science

Andrew Pham 2nd Place

Electricity

Philip Combiths 3rd Place

Stephen Barber Hon. Mention

Fluids/Aerodynamics

Karis Miyake 2nd Place

Physiology

Deborah Scatterday 2nd Place

Evan Chan 3rd Place

Special Awards

American Chemical Society

Jon Allison

American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics Orange County Section

Karis Miyake

American Vacuum Society, So Cal Chapter

Elizabeth Combiths

Society of Women Engineers

Andrea Liu