

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

**PROCLAMATION NO. 06-058**

Proclaiming the Accomplishments of the Multnomah Education Service District's 2006 Academic All-Stars

**The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:**

- a. Each year the Multnomah Education Service District's (MESD) Academic All-Stars program, in collaboration with the County's 19 public high schools, honors outstanding students who have attained the highest levels of academic and community achievement.
- b. The Academic All-Stars program began 23 years ago and has stayed true to its original purpose of recognizing and rewarding academically outstanding high school students who compete in nine categories.
- c. This year, 200 students from all 19 Multnomah County public high schools applied by submitting a summary of their academic achievements, writing a 750-word essay and providing letters of recommendation. Judges from MESD invited 128 students to submit a comprehensive portfolio of their academic work and extracurricular activities. A group of 30 volunteer judges from the local community reviewed 68 portfolios and conducted personal interviews.
- d. This year 68 students, listed on the following pages, representing 13 of Multnomah County's 19 public high schools, have been named as MESD's 2006 Academic All-Stars.
- e. These finalists will be honored and awarded college scholarships at the Academic All-Stars Awards Ceremony on April 24, 2006.

**The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Proclaims:**

1. These 68 distinguished young scholars and citizens represent a model of excellence for us all. The Board of County Commissioners, and all of Multnomah County, applauds their outstanding personal and scholastic achievements.

**All-Around Category:**

Kiva Oken Wilson High School, Katherine Singleton Grant High School, Jessica Yoon Gresham High School, Tara Smithee Centennial High School, Cameron Crockett Sam Barlow High School, Nick Farris Lincoln High School, Hannah Cassard Lincoln High School, Michael Scheinman Grant High School.

**Computers & Technology Category:**

David Masulis Gresham High School, Mathew Polzin Wilson High School, Derek McIntyre Centennial High School, Katherine Fromwiller Sam Barlow High School, Trevor DeLuca Gresham High School, Gavin Hills Sam Barlow High School, Alan Huynh David Douglas High School.

**Foreign Language Category:**

Chelsey Thomas Gresham High School, LaTara Valle David Douglas High School, Edeline Ungureanu David Douglas High School, Alix Franco Gresham High School, Jessica Lichtman Lincoln High School, Rebecca Fisher Grant High School, Daniel Cruse Grant High School, Grace Larson Cleveland High School.

**Language Arts Category:**

Thomas Brant Grant High School, Gordon Kawaley Parkrose High School, Mercedes Mandich Metropolitan Learning Center, Lauren Forbes Parkrose High School, Emily Smith Gresham High School, Maria Purice Centennial High School, Ariel Puls Grant High School, Molly Dischner Wilson High School.

**Mathematics:**

Narain Vijayashanker Reynolds High School, Allen Water Wilson High School, Zak Accuardi Grant High School, Michael Smith Cleveland High School, Ryan Sauders Reynolds High School, Cosmin Budau Parkrose High School, Lauren Ross Parkrose High School, Ryan Saffores Gresham High School.

**Performing Arts Category:**

Kendra Berentsen David Douglas High School, Colin Corbett Wilson High School, Megan Little David Douglas High School, Joseph Harmon Riverdale High School, Sophia Jackson Parkrose High School, Emily Mower Gresham High School, Rachel Northcraft Sam Barlow High School, Samuel Burns Grant High School.

**Science Category:**

Adam Anderson Wilson High School, Nicole West Riverdale High School, Angela Dang David Douglas High School, Sam Whitman Cleveland High School, Marissa Duncan Gresham High School, Emily Slayton Gresham High School, Evan Pulvers Grant High School, Nga Pham David Douglas High School.

**Social Science Category:**

Jonathan Kadish Wilson High School, Joe Piucci Grant High School, Lois Farrow-Parshley Lincoln High School, Grant Alport Lincoln High School, Christine Davis David Douglas High School, Lynsey Harrison Reynolds High School, Rachel Huguet Sam Barlow High School.

**Visual Arts Category:**

Stella Tran David Douglas High School, Kevin Quale Lincoln High School, Phillip Market Centennial High school, Cheng Saechao Parkrose High School, Ben Anderson Grant High School, Jennifer Allen Gresham High School.

PROCLAIMED this 20th day of April 2006.

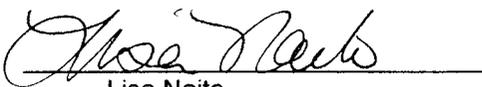
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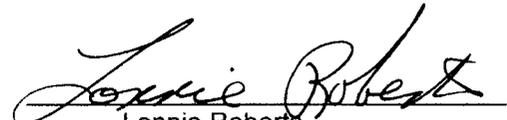
  
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