

NEBRASKA HIGH SCHOOL THEATER ACADEMY

2017/2018 Nebraska High School Theater Academy Winners

Outstanding High School Musical Theatre Production

- *Shrek the Musical* – Concordia High School
- *High School Musical 2* – Grand Island Northwest High School
- *The Addams Family* – Kearney High School
- *Seussical the Musical* – Lincoln Southeast High School
- *Legally Blonde* – Lincoln Southwest High School
- *Crazy for You* – Omaha Burke High School
- *Big Fish* – Papillion La Vista South High School
- *Anything Goes* – V.J. & Angela Skutt Catholic High School
- *Shrek the Musical* – Wahoo High School
- *Dogfight* – Westside High School

Outstanding Ensemble

- *Shrek the Musical* – Concordia High School
- *High School Musical 2* – Grand Island Northwest High School
- *Peter Pan* – Gretna High School
- *The Addams Family* – Kearney High School
- *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* – Lincoln High School
- *Legally Blonde* – Lincoln Southwest High School
- *Madagascar: A Musical Adventure* – Nebraska Lutheran High School
- *Big Fish* – Papillion La Vista South High School
- *You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown* – Platteview High School
- *Shrek the Musical* – Wahoo High School

Outstanding Performance by an Actor in a Lead Role

- Alexander Campuzano as Scuttle in *Disney's The Little Mermaid* – Bellevue East High School
- Austin Abramo as Lord Farquaad in *Shrek the Musical* – Wahoo High School
- Cal Strawhecker as Billy Crocker in *Anything Goes* – V.J. & Angela Skutt Catholic High School
- Clay Jackson as Alex the Lion in *Madagascar: A Musical Adventure* – Nebraska Lutheran High School
- Drew Sinnard as Fester Addams in *The Addams Family* – Kearney High School
- Elliott Purdy as Quasimodo in *The Hunchback of Notre Dame* – North Platte High School
- Lane Mongeon as Lieutenant Frank Cioffi in *Curtains: School Edition* – Milford High School
- Max Nemec as Shrek in *Shrek the Musical* – Concordia High School
- Nathan Bonsall as Gomez Addams in *The Addams Family* – Kearney High School
- Payton Johnson as Edward Bloom in *Big Fish* – Papillion La Vista South High School

Outstanding Performance by an Actress in a Lead Role

- Ashlynn Haun as Cinderella in *Into the Woods* – Scottsbluff High School
- Aubrey Aldag as Elle Woods in *Legally Blonde* – Lincoln Southwest High School
- Ellie Prendes as Mary Poppins in *Mary Poppins* – Elkhorn South High School
- Grace Clark as Wednesday Addams in *The Addams Family* – Kearney High School
- Jessica Kolbo as Alice Beinecke in *The Addams Family* – Kearney High School
- Josie Vote as Sandra Bloom in *Big Fish* – Papillion La Vista South High School
- Maddy Stark as Rose in *Dogfight* – Westside High School
- Madi McKewon as Lucy in *You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown* – Platteview High School
- Sadie Prenda as Gertrude McFuzz in *Seussical the Musical* – Lincoln Southeast High School
- Sierra Lancaster as Aida in *Aida* – Millard North High School

Outstanding Performance by an Actor in a Supporting Role

- Adam Fulbright as Boland in *Dogfight* – Westside High School
- Al Griffin as TJ in *Sister Act* – Omaha South High Magnet School
- Henry Zander as General Genghus Khan Schmitz in *Seussical the Musical* – Lincoln Southeast High School
- Josh Ramsdell as Christopher Belling in *Curtains: School Edition* – Milford High School
- Liam Brenzel as Amos Calloway in *Big Fish* – Papillion La Vista South High School
- Michael Murray as Lumiere in *Disney's Beauty and the Beast* – Central City High School
- Nate Mitchell as Warner in *Legally Blonde* – Lincoln Southwest High School
- Noah Keck as Benny Southstreet in *Guys and Dolls* – Crete High School
- Ryan Carl as Flotsam in *Disney's The Little Mermaid* – Bellevue East High School
- Surya Buddharaju as Twig in *Bring It On!* – Brownell Talbot School

Outstanding Performance by an Actress in a Supporting Role

- Abby Schneckloth as Taylor Mackenzie in *High School Musical 2* – Grand Island Northwest High School
- Addison Parr as Grandma Addams in *The Addams Family* – Kearney High School
- Alexis Rose as Marcy in *Dogfight* – Westside High School
- Audrey Graves as Bridget in *Bring It On!* – Brownell Talbot School
- Ciara Stueve as Jetsam in *Disney's The Little Mermaid* – Bellevue East High School
- Kendall Braun as Joy (Stepsister) in *Rogers and Hammerstein's Cinderella* – Norfolk High School
- Mia Sherlock as Tess in *Crazy for You* – Omaha Burke High School
- Noa Snyder as Mrs. Potts in *Disney's Beauty and the Beast* – Central City High School
- Raegan Sigerson as Dragon in *Shrek the Musical* – Concordia High School
- Shannon Sullivan as JoJo in *Seussical the Musical* – Lincoln Southeast High School

Backstage Excellence Award

- Norfolk High School

Outstanding Achievement in Makeup Design

- Bailey Cordwin – Daniel J. Gross Catholic High School

Outstanding Achievement in Stage Management

- Cassidi Linsey – Omaha Benson High School

Outstanding Educator Award

- Lesley Gould – Lourdes Central Catholic High School

Jimmy Awards Student Reporter Finalist

- Aaron Mercado – Fremont High School

National Finalists

Actresses

- Aubrey Aldag – Lincoln Southwest High School
- Brannon Evans – Millard West High School
- Claire Margetts – Chadron High School
- Jamie Gould – Brownell Talbot School
- Maddy Nannen – Blair High School
- Maddy Stark – Westside High School
- Sierra Lancaster – Millard North High School

Actors

- Drew Sinnard – Kearney High School
- Grant Mannschreck – Millard West High School
- Jackson Mikkelsen – Lincoln High School
- Lane Mongeon – Milford High School
- Nathan Bonsall – Kearney High School
- Tanner Hodson – Grand Island Northwest High School
- Tyler Harpenau – Gretna High School

2018 National Nominees

- Nathan Bonsall – Kearney High School
- Sierra Lancaster – Millard North High School