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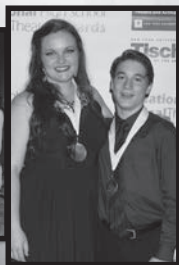
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THE NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL THEATER AWARDS (NHSMTA)/JIMMY™ AWARDS is a celebration of outstanding achievement in vocal, dance and acting performance, developed to elevate the profile of in-school arts education across America, provide college scholarships and create pathways connecting promising young performers to the professional theater industry. Each year, 50,000 teenagers at 1,000 high schools participate in the program. Students who win lead actor and actress awards at their regional high school musical theater awards competitions convene in New York City for five days of private coaching and rehearsals at the New Studio on Broadway, NYU Tisch School of the Arts Department of Drama, in preparation for their Broadway debut at The Jimmy™ Awards. The program was founded in 2009 by Pittsburgh CLO and Nederlander Alliances LLC, under the leadership of James L. Nederlander, and is produced by The Broadway Education Alliance in association with Pittsburgh CLO. The Jimmy™ Award is named for James M. Nederlander, the legendary Broadway theater owner, in honor of his vision and generous support of young artists. For more information please visit [www.nhsmta.com](http://www.nhsmta.com).

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# Celebrating Jimmy Nederlander

James M. Nederlander or "Jimmy," Chairman of The Nederlander Organization, is the visionary theatrical impresario who built one of the largest private live entertainment companies in the world known for producing and presenting world-class entertainment since 1912.

Jimmy started working in the theater at age 7 sweeping floors for his father, David Tobias (D.T.) Nederlander, in Detroit, Michigan. During a career that spans 70 years, Jimmy has amassed a network of premier legitimate theaters including nine on Broadway: the Brooks Atkinson, Gershwin, Lunt-Fontanne, Marquis, Minskoff, Nederlander, Neil Simon, Richard Rodgers, and the world famous Palace; in Chicago: Auditorium and Bank of America Theaters, Broadway Playhouse, Cadillac Palace, and Oriental Theaters; in Los Angeles: Pantages and the Greek; and in London: the Adelphi, Aldwych, and Dominion.

He has produced over one hundred acclaimed Broadway musicals and plays including *Annie*, *Applause*, *La Cage aux Folles*, *Les Liaisons Dangereuses*, *Me and My Girl*, *Nine*, *Noises Off*, *Peter Pan*, *Sweet Charity*, *The Life and Adventures of Nicholas Nickleby*, *The Will Rogers Follies*, *Woman of the Year*, and many more.

"Generous," "loyal" and "trusted" are just a few of the accolades his friends use to describe him. Jimmy is beloved by the industry and is the recipient of many distinguished honors including an Honorary Doctorate of Fine Arts from the University of Connecticut (2014), the United Nations Foundation Champion Award (2012), The Broadway League's Schoenfeld Vision for Arts Education Award (2011), the New York Pop's Man of the Year (2008), and the special Tony Award for Lifetime Achievement (2004). To mark the Nederlanders' centennial in 2012, The New York Landmarks Conservancy proclaimed Jimmy to be a "Living Landmark."

The National High School Musical Theater Awards is called the Jimmy Award in celebration of his career-long dedication to supporting young talent. This year, Jimmy celebrated his 92nd birthday.



To James M. Nederlander,  
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The Broadway League has bestowed the League Educator Apple Award since 2003 to recognize educators, administrators, and school district heads from around the country for their commitment to arts education, and their work in collaboration with Broadway League member venues that present Touring Broadway shows. Through this award and other initiatives, The Broadway League encourages the ongoing development of theatre education programs around the country. These are this year's four recipients:



VINCENT GASSETTO

**Recipient:** VINCENT GASSETTO, Principal  
**School name:** MS 343 Academy of Applied Mathematics and Technology, Bronx, NY  
**Nominator:** Situation Interactive

Principal Vincent Gassetto demonstrates an incredible combination of passion and discipline, and this spirit is contagious among teachers, students, and administrators. His genuine investment in his students' future drives everything he does, and he has made arts exposure and engagement a priority not only in the classroom, but also in the education of his teachers and administrators, emphasizing its importance and impact for students in today's education. We salute his collaboration with *Rodgers + Hammerstein's Cinderella*, *Spiderman: Turn Off the Dark*, *War Horse*, and others.



HOLLY VALENTINE

**Recipient:** HOLLY VALENTINE, Fourth Grade Teacher  
**School name:** Walt Disney School, Gates Chili School District, Rochester, NY

**Nominator:** Rochester Broadway Theatre League, Auditorium Theatre  
Holly Valentine's passion and commitment for her students far surpass any given expectations for a teacher. She is an amazing, beloved teacher that has touched the lives of hundreds of students. It is her passion for the performing arts and her "it's all about the kids" approach to education that propels her to the success level and recognition that she has achieved from her colleagues, administration, parents, but most of all from her former students. She is being honored for her collaboration with *The Phantom of the Opera*, as well as *The Lion King*, *Mary Poppins*, and others.

**Recipient:** MAUREEN BINIENDA, Principal  
**School name:** South High Community School, Worcester, MA

**Nominator:** The Hanover Theatre for the Performing Arts  
Principal Maureen Binienda is being recognized for her collaboration on "Adopt A School: The Memphis Project." This school-wide project integrated the arts into every subject across the curriculum and allowed 1,300 students to see their first Touring Broadway show, *Memphis*. Her involvement in the community is remarkable and her passion for education is unmatched. 80% of her students live below the poverty level and 12% are homeless. Principal Binienda engaged her school in the "Memphis Project," was fully committed to the initiative, and her passion was a major contributor to its success.



MAUREEN BINIENDA



BRIAN SAMMONS

**Recipient:** BRIAN SAMMONS, Third Grade Teacher  
**School name:** Aplington Elementary, Aplington, Iowa  
**Nominator:** Des Moines Performing Arts

For the past seven years, Brian Sammons has facilitated a classroom pen pal program with actress Hayley Podschn. Though his rural Iowa community is 100+ miles away from the nearest touring Broadway venue, his students have developed a meaningful connection to Broadway through their ongoing relationship with Ms. Podschn and participating in class projects inspired by the shows in which she has appeared. The collaboration was recently elevated when students traveled to Des Moines to meet their pen pal in person for the first time and to see her perform as Glinda in the national tour of *Wicked*.



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**AITANA ALAPA**  
Aida,  
Aida  
Utah High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Logan, UT  
Woods Cross High School



**ISSAC ARNETT**  
Shrek, *Shrek the Musical*  
The Nevada High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Las Vegas, NV  
Calvary Chapel Christian  
School



**RUBIN BARKSDALE**  
Curtis Taylor, Jr., *Dreamgirls*  
Georgia High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Shuler Hensley Awards  
Atlanta, GA  
Tri-Cities High School



**BETHANY BECKHAM**  
Witch,  
*Into the Woods*  
Orpheum High School  
Musical Theatre Awards  
Memphis, TN  
Evangelical Christian School



**DAVID T. BERAN**  
Sweeney Todd,  
*Sweeney Todd*  
Nebraska High School  
Theatre Awards  
Omaha, NE  
Greina High School



**ENGLISH BERNHARDT**  
Esther Smith,  
*Meet Me in St. Louis*  
Triangle Rising Star Awards  
Durham, NC  
Ravenscroft School



**RYAN BORGIO**  
Frank Abagnale, Jr.,  
*Catch Me If You Can*  
Pittsburgh CLO  
Gene Kelly Awards  
Pittsburgh, PA  
West Allegheny High School



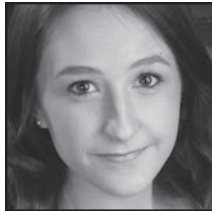
**AUBREE BOUCHÉ**  
Princess Winnifred,  
*Once Upon A Mattress*  
The Ben Vereen Awards  
San Diego, CA/Tucson, AZ  
La Costa Canyon High School



**ARIA BRASWELL**  
Johanna,  
*Sweeney Todd*  
Las Casas Performing Arts  
Scholarship Competition  
San Antonio, TX  
North East School of the Arts



**KEENAN BUCKLEY**  
Julian Marsh,  
42nd Street  
Paper Mill Playhouse  
Rising Star Awards  
Millburn, NJ  
Summit High School



**JILLIAN CAILLOUETTE**  
Sara Crewe,  
*A Little Princess*  
Connecticut High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Norwich, CT  
St. Paul Catholic High School



**JAMIE COLBURN**  
Phantom of the Opera,  
*The Phantom of the Opera*  
Wharton Center  
Ovation Awards  
East Lansing, MI  
Holland High School

## 2014 Jimmy Award Judges

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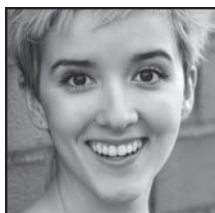
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**ABBY CORRIGAN**  
Princess Fiona,  
*Shrek the Musical*  
The Blumey Awards  
Charlotte, NC  
Northwest School of the Arts



**MAUREEN EDWARDS**  
Nellie Forbursh,  
*South Pacific*  
Stars of Tomorrow  
Rochester, NY  
Notre Dame High School



**ALVIS GREEN, JR.**  
Shrek,  
*Shrek the Musical*  
Stars of Tomorrow  
Rochester, NY  
School of the Arts



**D'ARCY GREEN**  
Jolo,  
*Seussical*  
The M.A.C.Y. Awards  
Mission Viejo, CA  
Tesoro High School



**EMILY HADICK**  
Babe Williams,  
*The Pajama Game*  
Wharton Center  
Ovation Awards  
East Lansing, MI  
Holt High School



**MATTHEW HAUGHT**  
Aldolpho,  
*The Drowsy Chaperone*  
DSM High School  
Musical Theatre Awards  
Dallas, TX  
Waxahachie High School



**NATHANAEL HICKS**  
Frank Butler,  
*Annie Get Your Gun*  
Broadway Star of the Future  
Tampa, FL  
West Orange High School



**MICHAEL HUDAK**  
Jean Valjean,  
*Les Misérables*  
Connecticut High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Norwich, CT  
Immaculate High School



**JAY'LEN JOSEY**  
Effie Melody White, *Dreamgirls*  
Georgia High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Shuler Hensley Awards  
Atlanta, GA  
Tri-Cities High School



**CONNER KINGSLEY**  
Igor,  
*Young Frankenstein*  
The Bobby G. Awards  
Denver, CO  
Lakewood High School



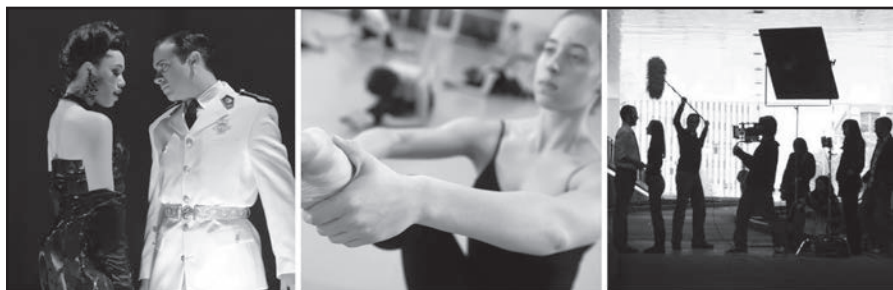
**JEFFREY LAUGHRUN**  
Julian Marsh,  
*42nd Street*  
Iowa High School Musical  
Theater Awards  
Des Moines, IA  
Dowling Catholic High School



**MEKHAJ LEE**  
Shrek,  
*Shrek the Musical*  
The Blumey Awards  
Charlotte, NC  
Northwest School of the Arts

## 2014 CHAPERONES

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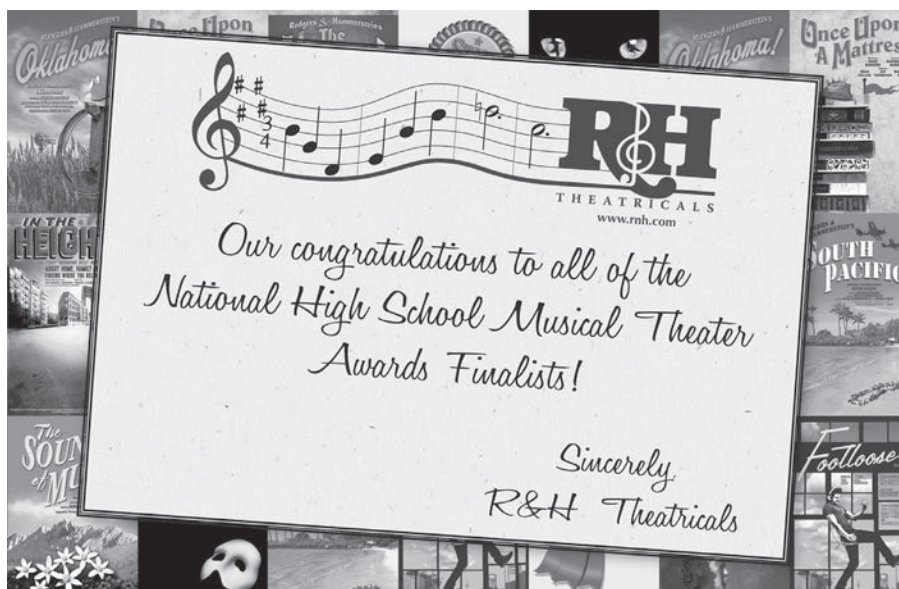
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**EMILY MICHELE LEWIS**  
Hope Cladwell,  
*Urinetown*  
Tommy Tune Awards  
Houston, TX  
Clear Springs High School



**SARAH LIDDY**  
The Drowsy Chaperone,  
*The Drowsy Chaperone*  
Camp Broadway  
Gershwin Awards  
New York, NY  
Pelham Memorial High School



**SAMUEL LONG**  
Lieutenant Frank Cioffi,  
*Curtains*  
Blue Star Awards  
Kansas, MO  
Blue Valley Northwest  
High School



**EMMA MAGBANUA**  
Kim,  
*Miss Saigon*  
Paper Mill Playhouse Rising  
Star Awards  
Millburn, NJ  
Union High School



**MACLEAN MAYERS**  
Edna Turnblad,  
*Hairspray*  
Orpheum High School  
Musical Theatre Awards  
Memphis, TN  
Germantown High School



**BRENDAN McALESTER**  
Don Lockwood,  
*Singin' in the Rain*  
Hershey Theatre Apollo Awards  
Hershey, PA  
PA Cyber Charter School/  
Lower Dauphin High School



**ABBY McLACHLAN**  
Baker's Wife,  
*Into the Woods*  
Greater California High  
School Musical Honors  
San Jose, CA  
Valley Christian High School



**KAYCEE MURTO**  
The Lady of the Lake,  
*Spamalot*  
DSM High School  
Musical Theatre Awards  
Dallas, TX  
J.J. Pearce High School

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**ABIGAIL NOBLE**  
Gertrude McFuzz,  
*Seussical*  
The Bobby G. Awards  
Denver, CO  
Grandview High School



**JONATHAN NORWOOD**  
Jean Valjean,  
*Les Misérables*  
The Ben Vereen Awards  
San Diego, CA/Tucson, AZ  
Classical Academy  
High School



**MARNIE QUICK**  
Tinman, *The Wiz*  
Pittsburgh CLO  
Gene Kelly Awards  
Pittsburgh, PA  
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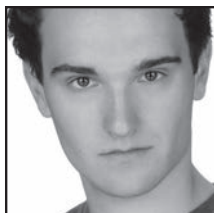
**JONAH RAWITZ**  
Usnavi,  
*In the Heights*  
The Illinois High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Chicago, IL  
Adlai E. Stevenson High School



**TYLER REYNOLDS**  
Baker,  
*Into the Woods*  
Greater California High  
School Musical Honors  
San Jose, CA  
Valley Christian High School



**DEANNA RICHARD**  
Tracy Turnblad,  
*Hairspray*  
Nebraska High School  
Theatre Awards  
Omaha, NE  
Millard West High School



**MATTHEW RICHARDS**  
Percy Blakeney,  
*The Scarlet Pimpernel*  
Utah High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Logan, UT  
Northridge High School



**MADDIE ROBERTS**  
Princess Fiona,  
*Shrek the Musical*  
Blue Star Awards  
Kansas City, MO  
Shawnee Mission East



**RACHAEL ROBERTSON**  
Mrs. Lovett,  
*Sweeney Todd*  
Hershey Theatre  
Apollo Awards  
Hershey, PA  
Camp Hill High School



**ALIYA RYAN**  
Cinderella,  
*Into the Woods*  
Iowa High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
Des Moines, IA  
Indianola High School



**SHANE SATTERFIELD**  
The Cowardly Lion,  
*The Wizard of Oz*  
The M.A.C.Y. Awards  
Mission Viejo, CA  
La Habra High School



**BROOKE SOLAN**  
Janet Van De Graaff,  
*The Drowsy Chaperone*  
The Nevada High School  
Musical Theater Awards  
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Vanessa,  
*In the Heights*  
The Jerry Herman Awards  
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the Visual and Performing Arts



**STACI STOUT**  
Annie Oakley,  
*Annie Get Your Gun*  
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**AARON TAYLOR**  
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**STEVEN RYAN TELSEY**  
Aldolpho,  
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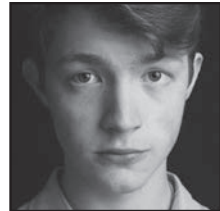
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**Medley Introduction** ..... Ryan McCartan

### Medley 1

Ayla Stackhouse	D'arcy Green	Aubree Bouché	Staci Stout
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Aria Braswell			

### Medley 2

Keenan Buckley	Aaron Taylor	Eli Wills	Maclean Mayers
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### Medley 3

Emily Michele Lewis	Emily Hadick	Brooke Solan	Maddie Roberts
English Bernhardt	Bethany Beckham	Emma Magbanua	Ashlyn Uribe
Maureen Edwards	Aitana Alapa		

### Medley 4

Rubin Barksdale	Jamie Colburn	Joshua Velez	Issac Arnett
Matthew Haught	Shane Satterfield	Mekhai Lee	Alvis Green, Jr.
Steven Ryan Telsey	David T. Beran		

### Medley 5

Marnie Quick	Kaycee Murto	Aliya Ryan	Sarah Liddy
Madison Willis	Jai'Len Josey	Julia Lindsey Whitcomb	
Jillian Caillouette	Abby McLachlan		

### Medley 6

Tyler Alexander	Michael Hudak	Brendan McAlester	Jonathan Turner
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Intermission

## ACT II

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