2019 - 2020 Washington State Winners in the MTNA NW Division Composition Competition

Elementary

Winner:

Vansea Barnett, Student of Sharon Van Valin, WA

Junior

Honorable Mention:

Noah Morris, Student of Elizabeth Morris, WA

Senior

Winner:

Nathan Paek, Student of Sharon Van Valin, WA

Young Artist

Winner:

Nicholas Colletto, Student of Martin Kennedy, WA

This year, the Northwest Division judges were:

- Jonathan Chapman Cook
- Joshua Fishbein
- D. J. Sparr

The winning compositions automatically advance to the national competition as national finalists. The results of that competition will be announced by the end of January.

Congratulations to all of the participants in the competition! We hope that the comments you receive from the judges will be helpful to you and your teacher. Your efforts are to be commended, and we hope that you will continue to learn and grow as a composer. Good luck with your musical studies!

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