

FRENCH DRAMA DIVISION



Adjudicator – Deborah Jean

Deborah Jean is a 1987 graduate from Lakehead University where she received a B.A. in Psychology and a B.Ed in primary and junior education. During this time she also completed her grade 8 piano and grade 7 voice through the Toronto Conservatory of Music. She later went on to study Special Education at the Ontario Institute of Education and French at Lakehead University.

Deborah was born in Thunder Bay but has resided and taught in many areas including Thunder Bay ON, Red Rock, ON, Fort Frances, ON and Fort Nelson, BC. No matter where she has lived she has always taken part in music and drama festivals in a variety of roles, such as accompanying choirs, directing choirs and directing choral speaking groups.

Deborah now resides with her husband in Fort Frances where they raised their four daughters, who also took part in festivals. She recently retired from a 30-year career as an elementary school teacher. She is excited to see all the performances as she believes that participation in festivals helps participants to develop skills but even more importantly it unites people for the purpose of celebration of the arts.



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Monday April 17, 2023, Morning Session, St. Mary School
French Adjudicator: Deborah Jean

**NOTE: CONTESTANTS ARE REQUESTED TO ARRIVE 10 MINUTES
PRIOR TO THE START OF THE SESSION**

9:15 a.m.

CLASS F508-A French Choral Speaking, Grades Five and Six

- C 1. J.W. Walker School Grade 5 Core French (M. Spooner)
Le Dentier de Grand-papa par Sylvie Dufresne
- C 2. J.W. Walker School Grade 5/6 Core French (M. Spooner)
Les Moustaches par Raymond Plante
- C 3. J.W. Walker School Grade 6 Core French (M. Spooner)
Le Nid Sous Les Roses par Annaïk Le Léard
- C 4. St. Mary School Grade 5/6 French Immersion (M. Brady)
L'épouvantail par Edmée Matthey-Dupra

CLASS F308-A French Choral Speaking, Grades Three and Four

- C 1. J.W. Walker School Grade 4 Core French (M. Spooner)
Mon Petit Chat- par Maurice Carême
- C 2. St. Mary School Grade 2/3A French Immersion (J. Gushulak)
Mon Chat par Simone Bussières

CLASS F301 French Solo Poetry, Grades Three and Four

- C 1. Pearce Spooner
Mon Petit Chat- par Maurice Carême

CLASS F308-B French Choral Speaking, Grades Three and Four

- NC 1. Pearce Spooner and Leander Spooner
Neige, Neige Blanc par Angèle Porta

CLASS F108 French Choral Speaking, Grades One and Two

- C 1. St. Mary School Grade 1A French Immersion (A Coyle)
Trois Petits Oiseaux- par Marie Vaucalus
- C 2. St. Mary School Grade 1B French Immersion (A. Coyle)
Un Bon Dessin par Simone Beaulac

CLASS F901 French Solo Poetry, Grades Nine, Ten, Eleven and Twelve

- C 1. Arianna Hyatt
Les Feuilles Mortes par Jacques Prevert

CLASS F501 French Solo Poetry, Grades Five and Six

- C 1. Seth Jewell
Les Doigts de ma Main par Octave Aubert
- C 2. Jackson Bourgeois
Le Bonhomme de Neige par A. Atzenwiler

CLASS F508-B French Choral Speaking, Grades Five and Six

- C 1. Madeline Bottomley, Carmen Faragher and Klara Wilson
Les Moustaches par Raymond Plante
- C 2. Duncan MacKintosh and Blase Dennis
Le Gros Bonhomme par Maurice Carême
- C 3. Isabel DeGagné and Rylie-Alice Derkson
La Course au Bout de la Terre par Louise-Michelle Sauriol
- C 4. Peyton Arpin and Norah Redford
Le Nid Sous Les Roses par Annaïk Le Léard
- C 5. Tayah Cumming and Gianna Gushulak
La Poule Noire par Octave Aubert
- C 6. Bryson DeGagné and Maverick Wal
Le Gros Bonhomme par Maurice Carême
- C 7. Megan Wrolstad and Mia Lecuyer
Trois escargots par Maurice Carême
- C 8. Bilal Toure and Jett Paull
Le Dentier de Grand-papa par Sylvie Dufresne

ENGLISH DRAMA DIVISION



Adjudicator – Lauren Hyatt

Lauren Hyatt is a 2015 University of Alberta graduate where she received a Master's in Drama. She also attended the University of Lethbridge where she received a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Performance. She has completed courses in Drama theory and practice, dialects, voice and speech, stage combat and more.

Lauren has performed all over Alberta. Selected credits at the U of L include "Hamlet" (Gertrude), "Hayfever" (Myra), "Spring Awakening" (Mrs. Gabor), "Hair: The Musical", "The BFG" and "R & J" (Romeo); performances at Theatre Calgary include "A Midsummer Night's Dream" - Shakespeare in the Park (Titania); "The Possible Lives of Dolores Garcia Rodriguez" - Sage/Ignite Festival. Other notable roles that she has played are Mrs. Johnstone in "Blood Brothers" and Mrs. Soames in "Our Town". Most recently, she performed in the Christmas show with Fort Frances Little Theatre.

Lauren was born and spent most of her life in South Africa yet she now calls Devlin home, with her husband, who grew up in the area, and her two children. Lauren is excited to be part a part of this festival, which supports something she truly believes in: fostering and supporting the passions of young people.



ENGLISH DRAMA DIVISION

Tuesday April 18, 2023, Morning Session, FFHS Townshend Theatre
ENGLISH ADJUDICATOR: Lauren Hyatt

**NOTE: CONTESTANTS ARE REQUESTED TO ARRIVE 10 MINUTES
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9:15 a.m.

CLASS D912 English Drama, Serious Monologue, Grades 9 and 10

- C 1. Adam L'Hirondelle
Wasted Talent by Shelby Diner
- C 2. Jameer Corneille
Both Sides Now: Part 2 from "Jojo's Bizarre Adventure: Part 7" by Hirohiko Araki

CLASS D913 English Drama, Humorous Monologue, Grades 9 and 10

- C 1. Yannick Langevin
"How Do You Silence Your Phone?" by Addison Steffer
- C 2. Dalton Green
"By the Mystic Monologues of Munnopur" by Henry Osher

CLASS D1112 English Drama, Serious Monologue, Grades 11 and 12

- C 1. Alex Carter
Ren Speaks to Rev. Shaw from "Footloose" written by Dean Pitchford and Walter Bobbie
- C 2. Carley Rooker
Juliet's plea to Friar Laurence from "Romeo and Juliet" by William Shakespeare
- C 3. Hailey Maki
"The Night Sky" by Hailey Maki
- C 4. Adrianna McCoy
"Goodbye Jamie Fraser" from "Outlander" TV series written by Ronald D. Moore
- C 5. Skylar Medwechuk
Portia's mercy speech from "The Merchant of Venice" by William Shakespeare
- C 6. Griffin Galusha
The Joker introduces anarchy in "The Dark Knight" by Christopher Nolan
- C 7. M.J. McPherson
Introductory monologue to "The Last Days of Judas Iscariot" by Stephen Adly Guirgis
- C 8. Kaitlyn Oliver
A monologue from "Scary Stories" by Gordon Armstrong

CLASS D1113 English Drama, Humorous Monologue, Grades 11 and 12

- C 1. Abbi Bliss-Kelly
A monologue by Alice in "Alice in Wonderland" by Lewis Carroll
- C 2. Sara Bliss
Norman's Monologue from "The 1st Annual Achadamee Awards" by Alan Haehnel
- C 3. Kaylee Johnson-Luoma
Regina George's monologue from "Mean Girls" written by Tina Fey
- C 4. Keira Beckett
Janis Ian's confession from "Mean Girls" written by Tina Fey
- C 5. Neala Reinhardt
Killer Cat by Meredeen Smelser
- C 6. Madi Caul
Cecily's Engagement Speech from "The Importance of Being Earnest" by Oscar Wilde

ENGLISH DRAMA DIVISION

Tuesday April 18, 2023, Afternoon Session, FFHS Townshend Theatre
English Adjudicator: Lauren Hyatt

**NOTE: CONTESTANTS ARE REQUESTED TO ARRIVE 10 MINUTES
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1:00 p.m.

CLASS D809 English Drama, Skit, Grade 8

- C 1. Cornerstone Christian School Gr 6-8 (Ms. Y. Veldhuisen)
Let Me Tell You About My Jesus - Shadow Drama
-music and lyrics by Anne Wilson
-choreography by the Grade 6/7/8 class at Cornerstone Christian School

CLASS D308 English Drama, Choral Speaking, Grade 3

- C 1. St. Mary School Gr 2/3 English (Ms. R. Wood)
Falling Asleep by Ian Serraillier
C 2. Robert Moore School Gr 3 (Ms. A. Norris)
Skeleton House by Laurence Smith
C 3. J.W. Walker School Gr 3 (Ms. M. Spooner)
Harvey Always Wins by Jack Prelutsky

CLASS D808 English Drama, Choral Speaking, Grade 6-8

- C 1. Cornerstone Christian School Gr 8 (Ms. Y. Veldhuisen)
Psalm 97 (NIV)

CLASS D408 English Drama, Choral Speaking, Grade 4

- C 1. J.W. Walker School Gr 4 (Ms. M. Spooner)
Eight Balloons by Unknown

ENGLISH DRAMA DIVISION

Wednesday April 19, 2023, Evening Session, Knox United Church
English Adjudicator: Lauren Hyatt

**NOTE: CONTESTANTS ARE REQUESTED TO ARRIVE 10 MINUTES
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6:30 p.m.

CLASS D409 English Drama, Skit, Grade 4

- C 1. Max Moen and Austin Arpin (Mr. T. Barker)
Cat by Scott Mullen

CLASS D509 English Drama, Skit, Grade 5

- C 1. Sophie Calder and Valentina Hyatt (Mr. T. Barker)
Book by Scott Mullen

CLASS D202 English Drama, Humorous Solo Poetry, Grade 2

- C 1. Anneliese De Gagné
I Bought Our Cat a Jetpack by Kenn Nesbitt

CLASS D502 English Drama, Humorous Solo Poetry, Grade 5

- C 1. Marina Jarvis
My Chauffeur by Bernice and Gordon Korman

CLASS D301 English Drama, Serious Solo Poetry, Grade 3

- C 1. Ruby Foy
The Bear, The Fire, And The Snow by Shel Silverstein

CLASS D302 English Drama, Humorous Solo Poetry, Grade 3

- C 1. Teagan McKinnon
True Story by Shel Silverstein

CLASS PSA 9122 English Drama, Solo Reading, Prose, Grade 7-9

- C 1. Cassandra Armstrong
Excerpt from *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* by J.K. Rowling

CLASS D901 English Drama, Serious Solo Poetry, Grades 9 and 10

- C 1. Avery Veldhuisen
The Poet Tree by Shel Silverstein

English Drama, Wednesday April 19, 2023, Evening Session, Knox United Church (Continued)

CLASS PSA 9047 English Drama, Solo Spoken Poetry Classical, Grades 7-9

C 1. Cassandra Armstrong
High Flight by John Gillespie Magee

CLASS D907 English Drama, Religious Reading, Grades 9 and 10

C 1. Avery Velhuisen
Psalm 46

CLASS PSA 9126 English Drama, Solo Reading, Bible, Own Choice, Grade 7-9

C 1. Cassandra Armstrong
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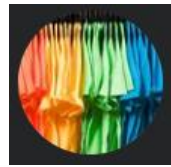
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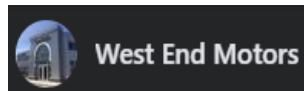
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