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## WINNERS ANNOUNCED!

In the lazy heat that lingered this past Tuesday afternoon, May 26th, Knight High School history students gathered in the library to do intellectual battle. They worked tirelessly for several weeks prior to the event to explore various topics of their choosing through the lens of this year's theme of "Rights and Responsibilities in History" and to create a product worthy of being deemed a serious contender. Students entered museum exhibits, video documentaries, and dramatic performances into the running. However, in the end, there could be only one winning project.

The Knight High School History Department in conjunction with the History Through Film Club proudly announce the winners of this year's scholarship competition: **Brian Alvarez and Oskian Concepcion!** Their museum exhibit on

the Montgomery bus boycott blew the judges away. Coming in second place with their video documentary on the Dust Bowl Okies were **Yamil Alonso and Angie Galvez**. Rounding out the top three were **Oscar Mejia and Daniel Lopez** with their original stage performance based on the legal case against the Rosenbergs. It was an incredible afternoon and all students who participated did a wonderful job.

History really does come alive at Knight!



Left to right: Daniel Lopez, Oscar Mejia, Brian Alvarez, Oskian Concepcion, Yamil Alonso, Angie Galvez

## Special Thanks

A very special thank you goes out to our "History Comes Alive at Knight" judges. Ms. Sawyer, Mrs. Parsons, Ms. Hjelm, and Mrs. Bravo-Kramer graciously gave up their time to judge this year's competition entries. They asked thought-provoking questions of each student and carefully reviewed all information presented on the museum

exhibits, video documentaries, and performances. All judges collaborated with each other to ensure that all entries were judged fairly and were ultimately placed appropriately. Once finalists were determined, a lengthy and very heated discussion took place as they struggled to determine the winner and runners-up. Once a

decision was reached, Ms. Hjelm, acting as head judge, praised each project's merits and announced the winners. It was an emotionally charged moment for all.

Thank you again, ladies! This endeavor could not have succeeded without you!