









# PAPER MILL PLAYHOUSE

## OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN MUSIC DIRECTION

### Final Nominations

Delaware Valley Regional HS.....	URINETOWN.....	Daniel Wells, Thomas Hayden
Fair Lawn HS.....	WORKING.....	Charles Santoro
Howell HS.....	THE DROWSY CHAPERONE.....	Regina McAllen, Anthony Limaldi
Morristown HS.....	THE ADDAMS FAMILY.....	David Gallagher
St. Joseph Regional HS.....	BRIGHT STAR.....	Richard Todd Adams, Edward F. Ginter
Summit HS.....	PIPPIN.....	Daniel King, Steve Rapp
Union HS.....	CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION ..	Laura Muller, Melissa Abbate

### Honorable Mentions

Chatham HS.....	THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME..	Ken Bryon, Brian Conti
Madison HS.....	BRIGHT STAR.....	Dan Malloy, Russ Batsch
Sayreville War Memorial HS.....	WEST SIDE STORY.....	James H. Craft, Dr. Paul Caruso

## OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN CHOREOGRAPHY AND STAGING

### Final Nominations

Franklin HS.....	WEST SIDE STORY.....	Irazema Rivera
High Tech HS.....	EVITA.....	Trista DeFilippis
Morristown HS.....	THE ADDAMS FAMILY.....	Chelsea Gower
Northern Valley Regional HS @ Old Tappan.....	CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION....	Alison Owusu
Nutley HS.....	NEWSIES.....	Cara Conte
Summit HS.....	PIPPIN.....	Kelly Mott-Sacks
Union City HS.....	THE DROWSY CHAPERONE.....	Ariane Ryan

### Honorable Mentions

Academy of the Holy Angels.....	ONCE UPON A MATTRESS.....	Ariane Ryan
Howell HS.....	THE DROWSY CHAPERONE.....	Lisa Arrechi
St. Joseph Regional HS.....	BRIGHT STAR.....	Eric Sciotto
Westfield HS.....	SWEET CHARITY.....	Samantha Hahn-Simpson

## OUTSTANDING SCENIC ACHIEVEMENT

### Final Nominations

Delaware Valley Regional HS.....	URINETOWN.....	Joshua Paul
Gill St. Bernard's School.....	MEET ME IN ST. LOUIS.....	Paul H. Canada
Madison HS.....	BRIGHT STAR.....	Anthony Freitas
Morristown HS.....	THE ADDAMS FAMILY.....	Michael Hession
Mountain Lakes HS.....	INTO THE WOODS.....	Rob Lavagno, Anthony Vazzano
Scotch Plains-Fanwood HS.....	MAMMA MIA!.....	Jeffrey Allen, Rob C. Dietze
Westfield HS.....	SWEET CHARITY.....	Roy Chambers, Jack Frankola

### Honorable Mentions

Chatham HS.....	THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME..	Fourth Wall Scenic
Union HS.....	CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION ..	Brian Toscano
West Morris Central HS.....	BRIGHT STAR.....	Jeff Hogan

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## OUTSTANDING LIGHTING ACHIEVEMENT

### Final Nominations

Delaware Valley Regional HS .....	URINETOWN .....	Clinton Ambs, Skyler Krouse
Fair Lawn HS .....	WORKING .....	Curtis Shields
Harrison HS .....	JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH.....	Colin Shields
Madison HS.....	BRIGHT STAR .....	Jen Fok, Tyler McKinnon
Morristown HS .....	THE ADDAMS FAMILY .....	Michael Hession
Mountain Lakes HS .....	INTO THE WOODS .....	Anthony Vazzano
Summit HS.....	PIPPIN.....	Leo Hidalgo

### Honorable Mentions

Ridge HS.....	DISNEY'S HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL ...	Dallas Harvey
St. Joseph Regional HS .....	BRIGHT STAR .....	Curtis Reik
West Morris Central HS.....	BRIGHT STAR .....	Timothy Meola

## OUTSTANDING COSTUMING ACHIEVEMENT

### Final Nominations

Columbia HS .....	MARY POPPINS .....	Barbara Canace, Carol Rutledge
Gill St. Bernard's School .....	MEET ME IN ST. LOUIS.....	Paul H. Canada
Harrison HS .....	JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH.....	Mary Pat Shields
Hopewell Valley Central HS .....	CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION ...	Jordan Brennan, Annabelle Mason, Quinn Merzena, Anna Nartinm, Keuka Davus
Howell HS.....	THE DROWSY CHAPERONE.....	Jacque Revier
Morristown HS .....	THE ADDAMS FAMILY .....	Katie Adams, Mollie Lyn Berman
Mountain Lakes HS .....	INTO THE WOODS .....	Kandy Delgado

### Honorable Mentions

Chatham HS .....	THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME..	Barbara Fertakos
Eastern Regional HS.....	THE MUSIC MAN .....	Michelle Heyers, Mary Jane Bowne
Summit HS.....	PIPPIN.....	Katherine Winter

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## OUTSTANDING HAIR AND MAKE-UP ACHIEVEMENT

### Final Nominations

Academy for Performing Arts at UCVTS	.....THE ADDAMS FAMILY	..... Steven Collins, Christine Ruhnke
Gill St. Bernard's School	.....MEET ME IN ST. LOUIS	..... Alicia Amoroso, Lee Amoroso, Valerie Collins, Venus Nedd, Ally Stevens
Harrison HS	.....JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH	..... Colin Shields
Hopewell Valley Central HS	.....CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION	... Kelly Cianfano, Jeanne Turpault
Morristown HS	.....THE ADDAMS FAMILY	..... Olivia Bilbault, Arianna D'Andrea
Summit HS	.....PIPPIN	..... MJ Arias, Brianna Johnston
West Milford Township HS	.....THE ADDAMS FAMILY	..... Michael Tlatelpa

### Honorable Mentions

Columbia HS	.....MARY POPPINS	..... TK
Mountain Lakes HS	.....INTO THE WOODS	..... Carrie Kelleher, Sofia Giustozzi, Josephine Hadjiloucas, Greta Donnelly, Brooke Harry
St. Joseph Regional HS	.....BRIGHT STAR	..... Dee Spencer

## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

*(19 finalists, 10 recipients will be announced)*

### Final Nominations

Bridgewater-Raritan Regional HS	.....CINDERELLA	..... Chloe Dittlof, <b>Technical Director</b>
Carteret HS	.....FOOTLOOSE	..... Lheantzy Polycarpe, <b>Dance Captain</b>
Carteret HS	.....FOOTLOOSE	..... Patricia Vitug, <b>Student Assistant Music Director</b>
Madison HS	.....BRIGHT STAR	..... Erin Quinn, <b>Assistant to the Directors</b>
Moorestown HS	.....9 TO 5	..... Erin Cramer, <b>Stage Manager</b>
Morristown HS	.....THE ADDAMS FAMILY	..... Deanna Swanson, <b>Graphic Designer</b>
Morristown HS	.....THE ADDAMS FAMILY	..... Ashe Gobin, <b>Production Stage Manager</b>
Morristown HS	.....THE ADDAMS FAMILY	..... Marissa Aloia, <b>Student Director</b>
Mount Olive HS	.....9 TO 5	..... Megan Bodmer, Leslie Spinosa, <b>Dance Captains</b>
Perth Amboy HS	.....9 TO 5	..... Brandon Rivera, <b>Stage Manager</b>
Ridge HS	.....DISNEY'S HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL	..... McKenna Moore, <b>Stage Manager</b>
Scotch Plains-Fanwood HS	.....MAMMA MIA!	..... Sarah Gorman, <b>Pit Orchestra/Keyboardist</b>
Summit HS	.....PIPPIN	..... <b>Set Crew</b>
Summit HS	.....PIPPIN	..... Austin Ruffino, <b>Sound Crew Head</b>
Summit HS	.....PIPPIN	..... Sophie Li, <b>Stage Manager</b>
Voorhees HS	.....BIG FISH	..... Matthew Nowell, <b>Lighting and Sound Designer</b>
Voorhees HS	.....BIG FISH	..... Francesca Morella, <b>Costumer</b>
Westfield HS	.....SWEET CHARITY	..... Caroline Schafer, McKenzie Waddell, <b>Dance Captains</b>
Whippany Park HS	.....CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION	..... Jordan Conte, <b>Graphic Design</b>

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## THE EDUCATIONAL IMPACT AWARD

### Final Nominations

Atlantic County Institute of Technology .....	INTO THE WOODS
Carteret HS.....	FOOTLOOSE
Cicely L. Tyson School .....	JAMAICA
Immaculate Heart Academy.....	DISNEY'S BEAUTY AND THE BEAST
Lodi HS .....	SWEET CHARITY
Madison HS .....	BRIGHT STAR
Mount Olive HS.....	9 TO 5
North Brunswick HS .....	CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION
Perth Amboy HS .....	9 TO 5
Ridge HS .....	DISNEY'S HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL
St. Joseph HS.....	INTO THE WOODS
St. Joseph Regional HS.....	BRIGHT STAR
Summit HS .....	PIPPIN

## RISING STAR "THEATRE FOR EVERYONE" INCLUSION AND ACCESS AWARD

### Final Nominations

Atlantic County Institute of Technology .....	INTO THE WOODS
Carteret HS.....	FOOTLOOSE
Collier HS .....	COMPANY
Eastern Regional HS.....	THE MUSIC MAN
Gloucester County Institute of Technology .....	SEUSSICAL
Lodi HS .....	SWEET CHARITY
Madison HS .....	BRIGHT STAR
Moorestown HS .....	9 TO 5
Morristown HS.....	THE ADDAMS FAMILY
North Brunswick HS .....	CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION
Ridge HS .....	DISNEY'S HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL
St. Joseph HS.....	INTO THE WOODS

**Tickets to the Rising Star Awards Ceremony on Tuesday, June 4<sup>th</sup> will be made available to final nominees via their school contact on May 8<sup>th</sup>.**

**Please do not call Paper Mill Box Office for tickets.**

**Scholarship applicants and recipients will be notified by email the week of May 13<sup>th</sup>.**

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