

PAPER MILL PLAYHOUSE
28TH
RISING STAR
Awards

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2023 RISING STAR RECIPIENTS

as presented at the 28th annual Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Awards on Tuesday June 13th, 2023

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Overall Production of a Musical
Ridge High School
NEWSIES*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performance in a Female-Identified Leading Role
Leah Rose Crossan as "Donna Sheridan"
Clearview Regional High School
MAMMA MIA!*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performance in a Male-Identified Leading Role
Dakota Krouse as "Gomez Addams"
Delaware Valley Regional High School
THE ADDAMS FAMILY*

2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performance in a Female-Identified Supporting Role
Ryan Yuh as "Ursula"
Sayreville War Memorial High School
THE LITTLE MERMAID

2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performance in a Male-Identified Supporting Role
Zach Siegel as "Nigel Bottom"
Summit High School
SOMETHING ROTTEN!

2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performer in a Featured Role
Mac Silverstein as "Brother Jeremiah"
Columbia High School
SOMETHING ROTTEN!

2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performer in a Featured Role
Elijah Dor as George
Morris Knolls High School
THE DROWSY CHAPERONE

2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performer in a Featured Role
Amanda Muldowney as Annie Reilly
Southern Regional High School
42ND STREET

2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performance by a Featured Ensemble Member
Jaidyn Riley as "Mush"
Ridge High School
NEWSIES

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performance by a Featured Ensemble Group
The Troupe
Summit High School
SOMETHING ROTTEN!*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performance by a Chorus
Ridge High School
NEWSIES*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Performance by an Orchestra
Ridge High School
NEWSIES*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Achievement by a Teacher or Outside Director
Clinton Ambs
Delaware Valley Regional High School
THE ADDAMS FAMILY*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Achievement in Choreography and Staging
Rachel Miranda, Jennifer Digiuseppe
Ridge High School
NEWSIES*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Achievement in Music Direction
John Brzozowski
Westfield High School
SUNDAY IN THE PARK WITH GEORGE*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Scenic Achievement
Anthony Freitas
Madison High School
LITTLE WOMEN*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Lighting Achievement
Michael Kimmel, Lisa Weinsrott
Wallkill Valley Regional High School
THE WIZARD OF OZ*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Costuming Achievement
Sabrina Windt
Haddonfield Memorial High School
HEAD OVER HEELS*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Hair and Make-Up Achievement
Carrie Snodgrass
Delaware Valley Regional High School
THE ADDAMS FAMILY*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Educational Impact Award
Cedar Grove High School
The Prom*

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Educational Impact Award
Jonathan Dayton High School
Heathers: School Edition*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Student Achievement Recipients*

Lilly Resnick, Stage Mgr.	<i>Chicago: Teen Edition</i>	Acad. for Perf. Arts at UCVTS
Sofia Merie Maravillas, Stage Mgr.	<i>Fiddler on the Roof</i>	Bergen County Academies
Nia Serrano, Dance Captain	<i>Pippin</i>	Carteret High School
Mazie O'Keefe, Costume Head	<i>Frozen</i>	Eastern Regional High School
Skye Coen, Stage Mgr.	<i>Little Women</i>	Madison High School
Azlyn Haley, Head Carpenter	<i>Newsies</i>	Princeton High School
Sasha Stepanova, Lighting Design	<i>Newsies</i>	Princeton High School
Costume Crew	<i>Something Rotten!</i>	Summit High School
Ryan Karlin, Stage Mgr.	<i>Sunday in the Park...</i>	Westfield High School
Sophie Havens, Music Director	<i>Sunday in the Park...</i>	Westfield High School

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Rising Star "Theatre for Everyone" Inclusion and Access Award
Eastern Regional High School
Frozen*

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Moorestown High School
Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Educator Award
Alan Van Antwerp
The Pingry School*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Educator Award
Julianna Krawiecki
Princeton High School*

*2023 Paper Mill Playhouse Rising Star Award
Outstanding Educator Award
Tim Lynch
Ridge High School*

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