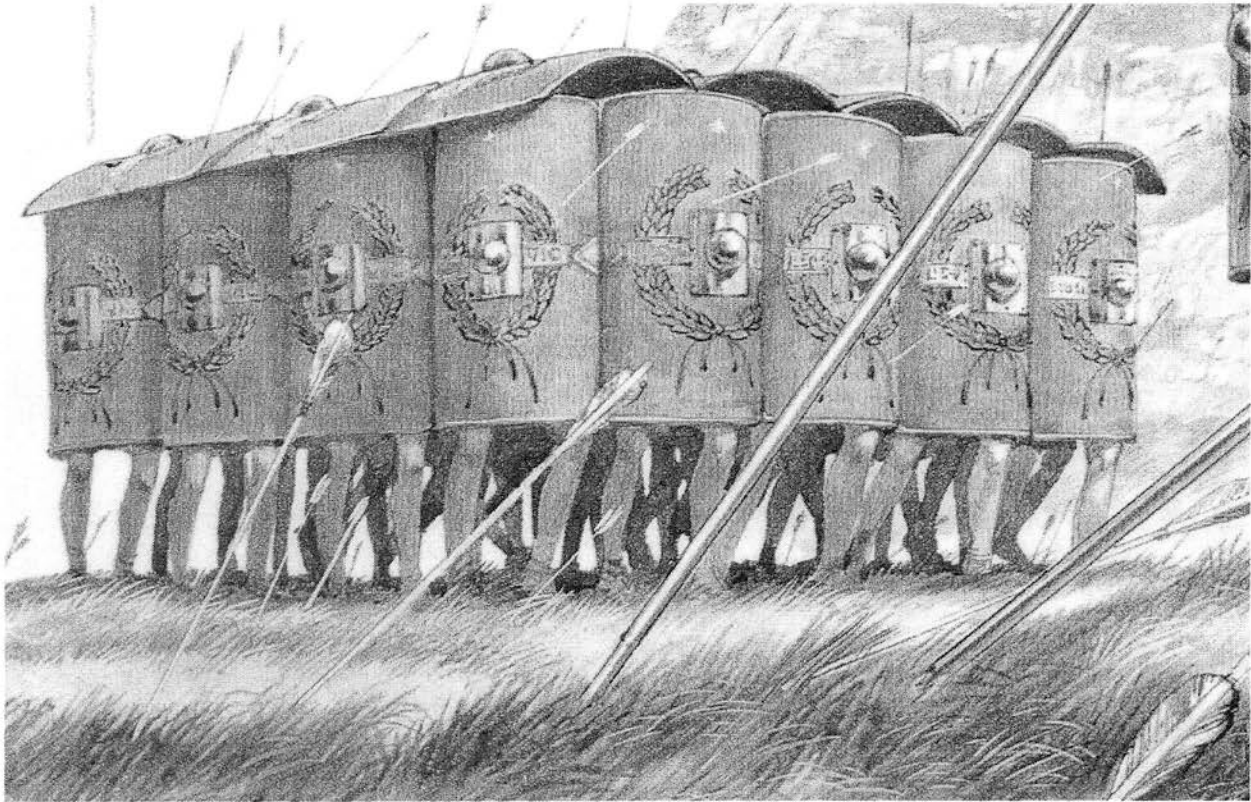


CONVENTION THEME:

UBI CONCORDIA, IBI VICTORIA.

"WHERE THERE IS UNITY, THERE IS VICTORY."



60TH TENNESSEE JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE
CONVENTION

FRIDAY APRIL 15 AND SATURDAY APRIL 16, 2016
HOLIDAY INN AND
FOGELMAN EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE CENTER
MEMPHIS, TN

Chapters Attending the 2016 TJCL Convention:

Divisions:

A (1-8 delegates)

Battleground Academy
Briarcrest Christian High School
Davidson Academy
Dobyns-Bennett High School
Hendersonville High School
Montgomery Bell Academy
Riverdale High School
Tummala Home School
West Creek High School

AA (9-13 delegates)

Arlington High School
Blackman High School
Christian Brothers High School
L & N STEM Academy
Meigs Magnet School
MLK Magnet School
Redeemer Classical Academy
Smyrna High School

AAA (14-21 delegates)

Bearden High School
Clarksville High School
Collierville High School
Hume-Fogg Academic School
Hutchison School
Northeast High School
Rossview High School
Westminster Academy

AAAA (22 + delegates)

Germantown High School
Houston High School
Knoxville Catholic High School
Memphis University School
Northpoint Christian School
St. Mary's Episcopal School
University School of Nashville
White Station High School

2015-2016 TJCL Executive Board

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TJCL salutes the sponsors and chaperones who are forever holding to the purple and gold.*

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Ashley Manning, Ravenwood
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20+

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Jim Long

30+

Virginia Baird, Hutchison
Ed Long, Clarksville
Laura Long, MCHS
Dawn LaFon, WSHS
David Johnson, Rossview

50+

Nancy Howell, MLK

*Based on submitted information

Latin Pledge of Allegiance (*state, omnes, quaeso.*)

**Fidem meam obligo,
vexillo civitatum,
Americae foederatarum ,
et rei publicae pro qua stat,
uni natione Deo ducente,
non dividendae,
cum libertate iustitiaque omnibus.**

JCL CREED:

We, the members of the Junior Classical League, covenant to hand on the torch of classical civilization in the modern world. We believe an acquaintance with the civilizations of Greece and Rome will help us understand and appraise this world of today, which is indebted to ancient civilization in its government and laws, literature, language and arts.

We affirm the JCL experience develops responsibility, fosters brotherhood, promotes enthusiasm, encourages competition, inspires dedication, and enriches our total growth.

JCL Song

Seeking the best, the highest our goal
Working for greatness through glories of old.
Searching the realms of the golden past,
We follow the classics' truths that last
In knowledge, truth, and fellowship, we're growing everyday
The friendly hand of JCL aids in every way.
In Rome's proud steps we're marching on,
with every true colleague,
And for ever we'll hold... to the purple and gold....
of the Junior Classical League.

Facilities Information:

TJCL Office (Lamar) – Information, first aid, name tags, (replacements cost \$1.00 each), extra programs, lost and found, etc. Space in the contest office is quite limited and does not allow for socialization, printing or copy making (try the Holiday Inn Business Center). Questions are welcome, but please allow the assigned staff the space and freedom to do their work.

Hospitality Room (Audubon) – Open to sponsors and chaperones only. Please stop by in the morning to pick up your pre-ordered TJCL t-shirts and to partake in coffee and treats! N.B. This room will be used for other events after 5:00 pm.

Ludi Game Room (329 Fogelman) -- Open from 10:00-11:30 on Friday morning and again from 7:00-9:00 Friday evening. Please do not lose game pieces, and please box up a game after you are finished playing. Also, please help keep these rooms tidy!!

Weather permitting, the **chariot race** will be held in the **greenspace** just west of the Holiday Inn and **Olympika** will be held at the **Ellipse** just east of the library. Please take especial care whenever crossing the street and to do so only at the crosswalk between the hotel and Fogelman. Chariots should be dropped off in the greenspace before 2:00 p.m. Friday. Please be patient and listen for an announcement concerning the weather.

Please remember that **all food** consumed on the grounds of the hotel and Fogelman center must be purchased through the Holiday Inn, e.g., the boxed lunches. If you were having food delivered, you must eat it somewhere else on campus. The weather looks nice for now, so there are lots of picnic-ready areas and also lots of fast-food options on campus.

If you ordered **boxed lunches**, they will be set out separated by schools on tables in the Fogelman lower atrium at 12:00. There will be tables there to eat, or you may spread out in the Fogelman.

The **Saturday morning assembly** will be in Fogelman Theater 136.



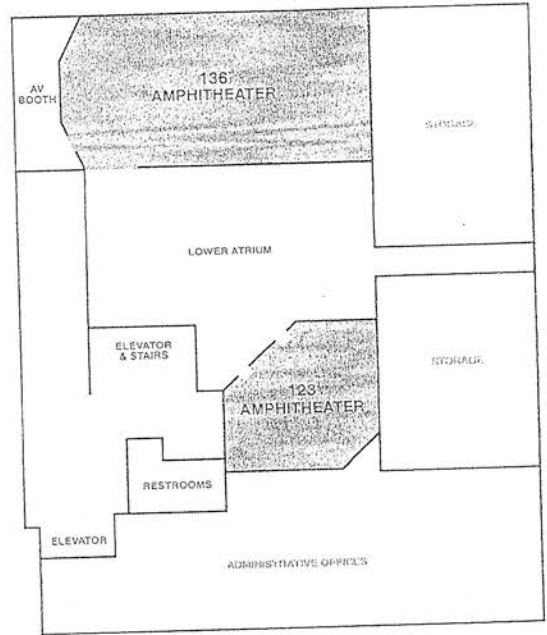
Special Thanks:

To all the sponsors and chaperones who help make this convention possible.
To Phillip Austin of the Holiday Inn and Fogelman Executive Conference Center.
To Ed Long for helping promote NJCL and the National Convention within our state.

Holiday Inn Banquet & Event Space



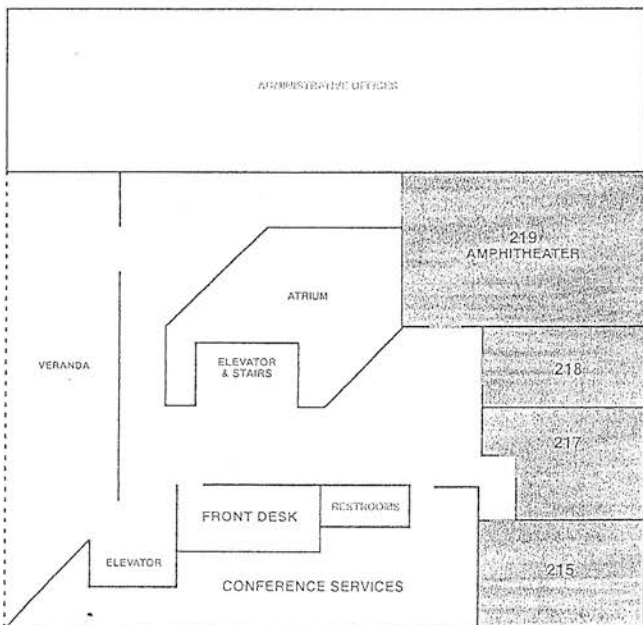
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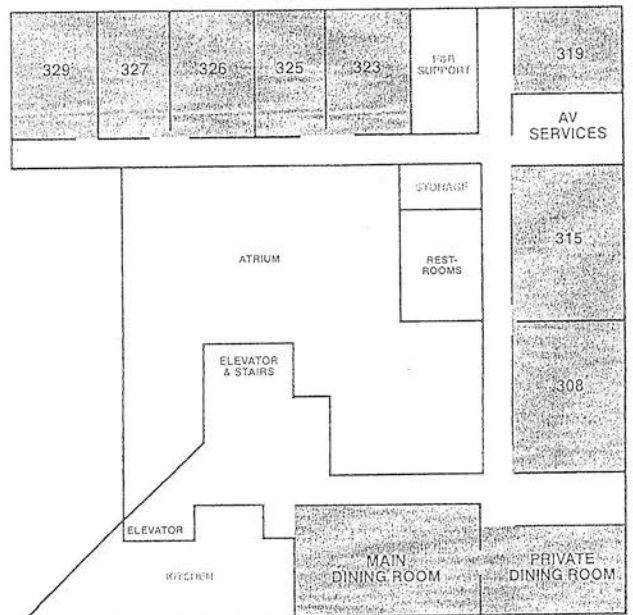
Fogelman Executive Conference Center



2nd Floor



Fogelman Executive Conference Center



3rd Floor

2016 Convention Schedule

Schedule of Events for Friday, April 15, 2016:

7:15 – 8:00 General Registration—Foyer

Sponsors should turn in permission slips and pick up registration packets.

Vocal Performance, Dramatic Latin, and English Oratory contestants should sign up.

7:15 – 8:00 Art Registration—Tennessee

Please have your art registration cards filled out in advance and taped to back of all entries.

8:00 – 9:00 General Assembly I--Ballroom + Shelby

Call to Order / Introductions / Opening Remarks – Elizabeth Flatt, TJCL President

General Announcements – TJCL State Co-Chair

8:15 Spirit Contest Judges Meeting—Foyer

JCL Pledge / Creed / JCL Song – TJCL Student Officers

Guest Speaker—Dr. Chikezie Madu, AP Biology teacher, White Station High School--"It's Alive!!!"

Academic Testing Instructions – Mr. Jim Long, Academics Chair

Nominations Committee Instructions – Joachim Kennedy, TJCL Parliamentarian

NJCL Convention Slide Show and 2016 Convention Promotion—Jessica Schreiber, TJCL Historian

Spirit Contest Instructions –Christina Guilfooy, TJCL 2nd VP

Roll Call- Each chapter should send two or three students to the stage to introduce their chapter to the audience. Presentations have a 30 second max.

Dismissal – Elizabeth Flatt, TJCL President

9:00 – 9:30 Academic Testing Proctors – Meeting—Ballroom + Shelby

All test proctors should attend.

This meeting will begin immediately after the Spirit Procession leaves the room.

9:00 – 9:30 Spirit Procession—Green Space (West of Holiday Inn)

Clear all book bags and personal items from the auditorium before you leave.

9:00 – 9:30 Nominations Committee – Meeting— Overton

All prospective officer candidates must attend, and each school should send at least one delegate.

9:30 – 12:00 Academic Testing—Ballroom + Shelby

All test packets are exactly the same. Therefore, you may enter through any of the four stations.

9:30 – 11:30 Art Judging—Tennessee

Area closed to students. All banners should be displayed in designated hallway. No projects will be accepted after the judging begins.

10:00 – 11:30 **Ludi Game Room—329 Fogelman**

Please pick up after yourself, and please don't lose any game pieces.

10:30 – 11:00 **Olympika Workers – Overton**

11:00 – 11:30 **Certamen Workers – Overton**

11:00 – 11:45 **Mythology Spelling Bee—Theater 123 Fogelman**

Only two delegates per school may compete. No need to sign up in advance.

12:00 – 1:00 **Academic Testing Bonus Time—Ballroom**

Anyone may stay through and continue testing. This is NOT designed to be a second period after lunch, though.

12:00 – 1:30 **Lunch** available if pre-ordered in Fogelman Dining Room or Atrium. Otherwise lunch on your own. No outside food may be consumed on the Fogelman or Holiday Inn grounds except inside guest rooms.

1:00 – 8:00 **Art Viewing—Tennessee**

Please do not touch the projects.

1:15 – 2:00 **Certamen Qualifying Testing—Ballroom**

All prospective Certamen teams MUST participate in order to qualify for play.

1:45 – 2:00 **Costume Contest Judges – Meeting—Shelby**

1:45 – 2:00 **Vocal Performance Judges – Meeting—215 Fogelman**

2:00 – 3:30 **Costume Contest—Ballroom**

Be sure to bring a photograph of yourself in costume and a completed registration form.

2:00 – 3:30 **Vocal Performance** waiting room—**215 Fogelman**

2:00 – 3:30 **Vocal Performance—217 and 218 Fogelman**

Sign-up Sheets Posted / Performance Rooms

2:00 – 3:30 **Impromptu Art—Fogelman Atrium**

Join the TJCL student officers for this fun competition. No artistic talent required!

2:00-4:00 **Chariot Races and Olympika—Green Space (West of Holiday Inn)**

***In the event of rain, no chariot races will be held. Attempts will be made to hold other events inside in Ballroom as space allows.**

All chariot teams and Olympika relay teams should meet at designated outside area.

2:30 – 3:00 **Certamen Group A – Round One – Novice Level**

Team One v. Team Six—308 Fogelman

Team Two v. Team Five—315 Fogelman

Team Three v. Team Four—323 Fogelman

2:30 – 3:00 Certamen Group B – Round One – Novice Level

Team Seven v. Team Twelve—325 Fogelman

Team Eight v. Team Eleven—326 Fogelman

Team Nine v. Team Ten—329 Fogelman

3:15 – 3:45 Certamen Group A – Round One – Intermediate Level

Team One v. Team Six—308 Fogelman

Team Two v. Team Five—315 Fogelman

Team Three v. Team Four—323 Fogelman

3:15 – 3:45 Certamen Group B – Round One – Intermediate Level

Team Seven v. Team Twelve—325 Fogelman

Team Eight v. Team Eleven—326 Fogelman

Team Nine v. Team Ten—329 Fogelman

4:00 – 4:30 Certamen Group A – Round One – Advanced Level

Team One v. Team Six—308 Fogelman

Team Two v. Team Five—315 Fogelman

Team Three v. Team Four—323 Fogelman

4:00 – 4:30 Certamen Group B – Round One – Advanced Level

Team Seven v. Team Twelve—325 Fogelman

Team Eight v. Team Eleven—326 Fogelman

Team Nine v. Team Ten—329 Fogelman

4:30-6:45 Break for Dinner on your own (Same restrictions on outside food apply.)

6:45 – 7:00 **Skits Judges – Meeting— Theater 136 Fogelman**

6:45 – 7:00 **English Oratory Judges – Meeting—215 Fogelman**

6:45 – 7:00 **Dramatic Latin Judges – Meeting— 323 Fogelman**

7:00 – 8:00 **Candidates’ Open Forum—123 Fogelman**

All candidates for office must meet to discuss issues and answer questions from voters. Each chapter is encouraged to send one delegate.

7:00 – 8:00 **Skits—Theater 136 Fogelman**

10 minutes max to set up, perform, and take down.

7:00 – 8:30 **English Oratory—215, 217, and 218 Fogelman**

Contestant Waiting Room—215 Fogelman

Performance Rooms—217 and 218 Fogelman

7:00 – 8:30 **Dramatic Latin—323, 325 and 326 Fogelman**

Contestant Waiting Room—323 Fogelman

Performance Rooms—rooms 325 and 326 Fogelman

7:00-9:00 **Ludi Game Room—329 Fogelman**

7:00 – 7:30 Certamen Finals – Group A – Novice Level—315 Fogelman

Three winning teams from afternoon matches.

7:00 – 7:30 Certamen Finals – Group B – Novice Level—308 Fogelman

Three winning teams from afternoon matches.

7:45 – 8:15 Certamen Finals – Group A – Intermediate Level—315 Fogelman

Three winning teams from afternoon matches.

7:45 – 8:15 Certamen Finals – Group B – Intermediate Level—308 Fogelman

Three winning teams from afternoon matches.

8:00 – 9:00 Turba Trivia—123 Fogelman

Pub-style trivia on a classical theme with pick-up teams. Hosted by TJCL officers.

8:00 – 9:30 Art Project Pickup—Tennessee

We do not have this room tomorrow, so there will be no pickup on Saturday morning! If you do not pick up your project on Friday, it will be thrown away!

8:30 – 9:00 Certamen Finals – Group A – Advanced Level—315

Three winning teams from afternoon matches.

8:30 – 9:00 Certamen Finals – Group B – Advanced Level—rooms 308

Three winning teams from afternoon matches.

9:00 End of Friday's Events: There will be no events in the Holiday Inn on Saturday

10:00 Holiday Inn curfew. All students must be inside rooms for the night.

Schedule of Events for Saturday, April 16 2016:

9:00 – 10:50 General Assembly II Theater 136 Fogelman

Call to Order – Elizabeth Flatt, TJCL President

JCL Pledge / Creed / JCL Song – TJCL Student Officers

Spirit Awards – Christina Guilfooy, TJCL 2nd VP

Membership Awards – Aditya Srivastava, TJCL 1st VP

Community Service Awards – Laura Carrier, TJCL Secretary

Academics Awards – Mr. Jim Long, Academics Chair

Creative Arts Awards – Mr. Sandy Hughes, East TN Sponsor

Graphic Arts Awards – Dr. Abigail Simone, West TN Sponsor

Publicity Awards – Ms. Dawn LaFon, White Station High School

TJCL leadership presentation—Dr. Patrick McFadden and Mrs. Jenny Fields, TJCL State Co-Chairs

Student Officer Election Procedures – Joachim Kennedy, TJCL Parliamentarian

Student Officer Election Speeches – Candidates for student office (2 minutes max per speech)

Voting / Evaluations **(15 minute break)**

Sponsors, when your turn in your evaluation, enter your name for the gift card drawings!

Certamen Awards – Mr. Ed Long, Middle TN Sponsor

Best of Show / Academic Heptathlon Awards – Mr. Jim Long, Academics Chair

Announcement of TJCL Scholarships – Ms. Jenny Fields, State Co-Chair

Announcement of Elmore Scholarship – Ms. Jenny Fields, State Co-Chair

Announcement of Appointed Student Officers – Dr. Patrick McFadden State Co-Chair

Individual Sweepstakes Awards – Dr. Patrick McFadden, State Co-Chair

School Sweepstakes Awards – Dr. Patrick McFadden, State Co-Chair

Presidential Valediction – Elizabeth Flatt, TJCL President

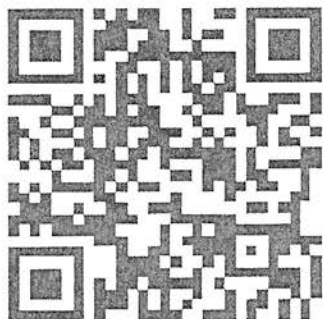
Election Results – Joachim Kennedy, TJCL Parliamentarian

Inauguration of New TJCL Officers

Dismissal – New TJCL President

10:50 AM – 11:00 AM Sponsors - Pick Up Awards Packets

10:50 AM – 11:00 AM Meeting for New TJCL Student Officers



Check out the online version of our convention booklet.

2016 National JCL Convention

Indiana University, Bloomington, IN July 25-July 29, 2016

Cost: If paid and space is available: By April 30, 2016 \$ 495.00; Between May 1 and May 15, 2016 \$ 545.00; Between May 16 and June 1, 2016* \$ 595.00.

The NJCL Convention is open to all JCL students and sponsors. However all JCLers must be accompanied by their own sponsor, unless he or she has made specific arrangements with another sponsor to assume responsibility for his/her student.

TJCL will allocate \$12 per NJCL Tennessee delegate for state t-shirts and spirit supplies. If \$12 per delegate is not enough to cover desired expenditures, the sponsors who attend the NJCL Convention will be responsible for raising additional money in whatever way they see fit (e.g. charging delegates a spirit fee, organizing a fundraiser, coordinating corporate t-shirt sponsors, etc.) The purple and gold t-shirt will not be covered. Delegates are welcome to use the old purple and gold shirts in the TJCL storage unit, though.

It is mandatory for the TJCL President and Second Vice-President to attend the NJCL Convention during the summer following their election. All other officers are strongly encouraged to attend the NJCL convention, as well. TJCL will reimburse only the President and 2nd VP for NJCL convention registration expenses (\$495) after their year in office is successfully completed (i.e. through the following year's TJCL Convention). TJCL will not cover travel expenses. TJCL will cover neither registration costs nor travel expenses for the other TJCL student officers.

2017 TJCL Convention Announcement:

The Tennessee Junior Classical League will hold its 61st convention at Austin Peay State University in Clarksville, Tennessee, on April 7-8, 2017. Mark your calendars now!

A Brief History of TJCL

In 1955, Mrs. Grace Elmore, a Latin teacher at Dobyns-Bennett High School in Kingsport, TN, organized a meeting at Vanderbilt University for Latin teachers across the state. This meeting eventually grew to become the Tennessee Junior Classical League.

TJCL State Conventions:

59. 2015 (April 17-18) -- Gatlinburg Convention Center, Gatlinburg
58. 2014 (April 24-25) -- Embassy Suites Hotel and Convention Center, Murfreesboro
57. 2013 (March 22-23) -- Embassy Suites Hotel and Convention Center, Murfreesboro
56. 2012 (April 13-14) -- Embassy Suites Hotel and Convention Center, Murfreesboro
55. 2011 (April 8-9) -- Marriott Hotel and Convention Center, Franklin
54. 2010 (April 9-10) -- Gatlinburg Convention Center, Gatlinburg
53. 2009 (April 24-25) -- Memphis University School, Memphis
52. 2008 (April 10-12) -- Austin Peay State University, Clarksville
51. 2007 (April 19-21) -- Rhodes College, Memphis
50. 2006 (April 20-22) -- Rossvie High School, Clarksville
49. 2005 (April 21-23) -- Rossvie High School, Clarksville
48. 2004 (April 15-17) -- Smyrna High School, Smyrna
47. 2003 (April 11-12) -- Smyrna High School, Smyrna
46. 2002 (April 19-20) -- Smyrna High School, Smyrna
45. 2001 (March 30-31) -- Rhodes College, Memphis
44. 2000 (April 28-29) -- Dobyns-Bennett High School, Kingsport
43. 1999 (April 23-24) -- Centennial High School, Franklin
42. 1998 (April 24-25) -- Collierville High School, Collierville
41. 1997 (April 11-12) -- Red Bank High School, Chattanooga
40. 1996 (April 19-20) -- Austin Peay State University and Northeast H.S., Clarksville
39. 1995 (April 21-22) -- White Station High School, Memphis
38. 1994 (April 22-23) -- Franklin Road Academy, Nashville
37. 1993 (April 23-24) -- Farragut High School, Knoxville
36. 1992 (May 1-2) -- Briarcrest Christian School / Memphis University School, Memphis
35. 1991 (April 19-20) -- Stratford High School, Nashville
34. 1990 (April 20-21) -- Farragut High School, Knoxville
33. 1989 (April 21-22) -- White Station High School, Memphis
32. 1988 (April 22-23) -- Riverdale High School, Murfreesboro
31. 1987 (May 1-2) -- Maryville College, Maryville
30. 1986 -- Memphis University School / Germantown High School
29. 1985 -- Northeast High School, Clarksville
28. 1984 -- Dobyns-Bennett High School, Kingsport
27. 1983 (April 22-23) -- Memphis University School / Briarcrest Christian School, Memphis
26. 1982 -- Northeast High School, Clarksville
25. 1981 (April 24-25) -- Franklin Road Academy, Nashville
24. 1980 (April 18-19) -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville
23. 1979 (April 27-28) -- Austin Peay State University, Clarksville
22. 1978 (April 21-22) -- Oakland High School / Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro
21. 1977 -- Hillsboro High School, Nashville
20. 1976 -- Bearden High School, Knoxville
19. 1975 (April 25-26) -- Hillsboro High School, Nashville
18. 1974 (April 26-27) -- Memphis State University, Memphis
17. 1973 -- Bearden High School, Knoxville
16. 1972 (April 7-8) -- Hillsboro High School, Nashville
15. 1971 (April 16-17) -- Memphis State University, Memphis
14. 1970 (April 17-18) -- University of Tennessee, Knoxville
13. 1969 (April 11-12) -- Belmont College and Hillsboro High School, Nashville
12. 1968 -- Memphis State University, Memphis
11. 1967 -- Maryville College, Maryville
10. 1966 -- Vanderbilt University and Hillsboro High School, Nashville
9. 1965 -- Memphis State University, Memphis
8. 1964 -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville
7. 1963 -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville
6. 1962 -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville
5. 1961 -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville
4. 1960 -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville
3. 1959 -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville
2. 1958 -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville
1. 1957 (May 4) -- Vanderbilt University, Nashville