



2026 Ohio Christian University Invitational Tournament Results

On Friday and Saturday, March 6-7, 2026, 128 students from AOSDA, Grace, PRIME, RCSD, STA, SWAT, Theophilus, and Zebra came together at Ohio Christian University. Competition was held in multiple events.

TEAM DEBATE:

Varsity Policy Team Debate: (28 teams competed)

- 1st Place team: Chase Grim & Isaiah Mugrage (SWAT)
- 2nd Place team: Jack Pandey & Trenton Vance (AOSDA)
- 3rd Place team: Eloise Bernstein & Ezra Bernstein (Theophilus)
- 4th Place team: Zane Kelly & Titus Geaslen (SWAT)

Varsity Team Debate Speaker Awards: (56 Competitors)

- 1st Place speaker: Matthew Mathias (SWAT)
- 2nd Place speaker: Rebecca Mathias (SWAT)
- 3rd Place speaker: Jack Pandey (AOSDA)
- 4th Place speaker: Luke Jordan (AOSDA)
- 5th Place speaker: Adam Creamer (Theophilus)
- 6th Place speaker: Isaiah Mugrage (SWAT)
- 7th Place speaker: Eloise Bernstein (Theophilus)
- 8th Place speaker: Lorenzo Vitale (SWAT)
- 9th Place speaker: Sophie Holmes (AOSDA)

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS - Varsity: (133 Entries)

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| <i>News Analysis:</i>
(9 Speakers Competed) | 1 st Place: | John Murphy (Prime) |
| <i>Impromptu:</i>
(11 Speakers Competed) | 1 st Place: | Eloise Bernstein (Theophilus) |
| | 2 nd Place: | Lorenzo Vitale (SWAT) |
| <i>Extemporaneous Apologetics A:</i>
(18 Speakers Competed) | 1 st Place: | Caroline Tarr (AOSDA) |
| | 2 nd Place: | Abby Patton (SWAT) |
| | 3 rd Place: | Gianna Smith (Theophilus) |
| <i>Extemporaneous Apologetics B:</i>
(12 Speakers Competed) | 1 st Place: | Meredith Tarr (AOSDA) |
| | 2 nd Place: | Benjamin Creamer (Theophilus) |
| <i>Cultural Criticism:</i>
(22 Speakers Competed) | 1 st Place: | Moriah Alatis (AOSDA) |
| | 2 nd Place: | Sophie Holmes (AOSDA) |
| | 3 rd Place: | Emily Lent (AOSDA) |

Biographical Informative:
(19 Speakers Competed)

1st Place: Ezra Bernstein (Theophilus)
2nd Place: Ava Petty (SWAT)
3rd Place: Benjamin Gugala (STA)

Poetry A:
(16 Speakers Competed)

1st Place: Alysia Castle (AOSDA)
2nd Place: Gianna Smith (Theophilus)
3rd Place: Emily Lent (AOSDA)

Poetry B:
(11 Speakers Competed)

1st Place: YaYa Hall (Prime)
2nd Place: Caroline Tarr (AOSDA)

Humorous Duo:
(15 Teams Competed)

1st Place: Jonathan Petty & Lorenzo Vitale (SWAT)
2nd Place: Eloise Bernstein & Ezra Bernstein (Theophilus)

Sweepstakes:
(25 Speakers Competed)

1st Place: Chase Grim (SWAT)
2nd Place: Jack Pandey (AOSDA)
3rd Place: Luke Jordan (AOSDA)

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS – Junior Varsity & Junior: (41 Entries)

JV Biographical Informative:
(9 Speakers Competed)

1st Place: Samuel Lent (AOSDA)

JV Poetry:
(23 Speakers Competed)

1st Place: Joesph Holmes (AOSDA)
2nd Place: Andrew Vance (AOSDA)
3rd Place: Josiah Castle (AOSDA)
4th Place: Elijah Meier (Zebra)

Junior Prose (9 Speakers Presented)