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Hawkers win speech meet in Belgrade

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The Bozeman High School Hawkers speech and debate team won first place in the Panther Invitational meet held Dec. 6 and 7 in Belgrade.

Competing against six other large AA high schools, Bozeman's varsity team won with 272 points, while Billings West High was second with 91.5 points and Belgrade, a new AA high school this year, came in third with 70.5 points.

Bozeman's junior varsity team won 210.5 points in its group.

Hawkers team members placed first in nine events, while Belgrade Panthers had wins in two events.

Here are Bozeman results:

n Policy debate: first Nic Kuntz & Daniel Waterman, second Megan Mahoney & Anna Sofianek, third Amelia Hartshorn & Esmie Hurd, fifth Lorelei Michael-Owens & Christian Poole.

n Novice policy debate: first Nia Zilis & Katherine Callow, second Izzy Lewis & Chloe McDonald, third Miles Fastnow & Ethan Gilpin, fourth Liza Huggins & Kate Galindo, fifth Marika Schultz & Ritu Bajwa, sixth Liv Nesseth & Blayne Tong.

n Lincoln Douglas debate: first Kamila Ponce, second Samantha Savage, fourth Emmett Allen, fifth Siena Popiel, eighth Nikoli Cunningham.

- n Novice Lincoln Douglas: second Marly Bayless, third Asa Hadley, fourth Tenley Wade.
- n Public forum debate: first Emily Alegria & Ani Hadley, third Ava Murray & Sellers Shockley, fourth Aiden Farmer & Mason Scurry.
- n Program oral interpretation: fourth Alexandra Flory, fifth Elizabeth Wrzesinski, sixth Samantha Overcash.
- n Extemporaneous speaking: first Joshua Nguyen, second Parker Summerhill, third Brooke Bothner, seventh Cooper Craig.

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- n Impromptu speaking: first Brooke Bothner, second Parker Summerhill, third Joshua Nguyen, fourth Claire Vlases, eighth Cooper Craig.
- n Duo interpretation: second Hugh Burroughs & Tristan Pritham, fourth Sada Schumann & Olivia Bulis, fifth Willow Craighead & Zane Segal.
- n Humorous interpretation: first Hugh Burroughs, second Willow Craighead, forth Tristan Pritham, fifth Erika Johnson, sixth Emily Daniels.
- n Dramatic interpretation: first Logan Sigler, second Olivia Bulis, fourth Zane Segal, seventh Salome Tierney.
- n Memorized public address: second Olivia Smith, third Olivia Determan, fifth Jack Snow, seventh Ciara Thane, eighth Gretchen Fiedler.
- n Original oratory: second Macy Thompson, third Lia Johnson-Hill, third Emily Daniels, sixth Abby Mize, eighth Ruby West.
- n Informative speaking: first Macy Thompson, second Tesia Frisque, third Sada Schumann, fourth Abigail Sheets, fifth Emma Baumgardner, sixth Lia Johnson-Hill.

Here are results for Belgrade, Three Forks:

- n Policy debate: fourth Aden Lehr & Dean Buchholz, sixth YenShae Fan & Gabryele Veltkamp.
- n Lincoln Douglas debate: sixth Ayden Israel, seventh Hannah Wilson.
- n Novice Lincoln Douglas: fifth Autumn Eastwood.
- n Public forum debate: eighth Daela Anderson & Alex Turner.
- n Extemporaneous speaking: eighth Erica Berger.
- n Impromptu speaking: sixth Hannah Ellsworth.
- n Duo interpretation: first Hannah Gray & James Hookano, sixth Nate Haycock & Melanie Hecock.
- n Humorous interpretation: seventh Lizzie Nitz.
- n Dramatic interpretation: third Sean Hecock.
- n Original oratory: first Jordyn McGowen.

n Informative speaking: eighth Molly Collings.				
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