

TEAM ILLINOIS – NATIONAL HISTORY DAY NEWS!

Students from Illinois received the following honors at this year's National History Day:

5th Place in the Nation for Junior Individual Website

Ella Saputra from Mead Junior High School
"Radium Girls: Ottawa's Shining Women"

6th Place in the Nation for Senior Division Paper

Audrey Kim from the University of Chicago Lab School
"Coloring Inside the Lines: The American Urban Renewal Program"

7th Place in the Nation for Senior Group Performance

Gabriela Benyas, Rose Kippenbrock, Kylee Korando, from Carbondale High School
"Barbed Wire: A Twisted Legacy"

NPS Latino-American History Award

Nikita Agrawal, Ada Liberzon, Vanessa Lowder, Stella Rhodes, Victoria Velazquez of Whitney Young Academic Center for their Junior Division Group Website, "The Young Lords Organization"

Case Western Reserve University Scholarship

Erin Yuan, Stevenson High School

Outstanding State Entry – Junior Division

Brice Anderson, Chito Emechebe, Isis El-Harris, Madison Leathers, Makayla Taylor of Parker Junior High in Flossmoor for their performance, "The Black Panther Party: Violence or Justice?"

Outstanding State Entry – Senior Division

Matthew Li, Govind Prabhakar, Erin Yuan, Bridget Zhu of Stevenson High School in Lincolnshire for their exhibit, "Reversing the Flow of History: Triumph and Tragedy of the Chicago River"

National Museum of American History NHD-Illinois Representative Exhibit

Soham Gupta, Abhay Paidipalli, Sean Yang of Mead Junior High in Elk Grove Village for “1963 Game of Change”