



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF  
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Mississippi Chapter

## Spring 2023 MS Chapter NATS Student Auditions Results

### Finalists – Spirituals Competition

AS 3 – Lower-level Spirituals Competition

Teacher	School	Student
Patton Rice	Mississippi School of the Arts	Fourth place: Ronada Townsend
Patton Rice	Mississippi School of the Arts	Third place: Kendel Moseley
Patton Rice	Mississippi School of the Arts	Second place: Aaliya McCullum
Phyllis Lewis-Hale	Jackson State University	Unanimous first place: Julia Johnson

AS 5 – Advanced-level Spirituals Competition

Teacher	School	Student
Jamie Dahman	Delta State University	Fourth place: Zathomasious Jones
Phyllis Lewis-Hale	Jackson State University	Third place: Kaytie Jeffries
Rodney Vaughan	Jackson State University	Second place: James Fuller
Garrett Torbert	Mississippi State University	First place: Andre Ferguson

### Finalists – Classical Competition

CL 3 – High School Trebles

Teacher	School	Student
Patton Rice	Mississippi School of the Arts	Fourth place: Sadie Gregory
Lynn Holliman	Private Studio	Third place: Hannah Smith
Eva Hart	Private Studio	Second place: Holly Miles
Patton Rice	Mississippi School of the Arts	First place: Celeste Waters

CL 5A – First-year College Trebles

Teacher	School	Student
Jamie Dahman	Delta State University	Fourth place: Finn Sobalvarro
Chrissy Hrivnak	Belhaven University	Third place: Kailyn Brock
Nicholas Perna	Mississippi College	Second place: Maggie Triplett
Susan Ruggiero-Mezzadri	William Carey University	First place: Kayla Braswell

CL 6A – First-year College TBB

Teacher	School	Student
Chrissy Hrivnak	Belhaven University	Second place: John Laws
Nicholas Perna	Mississippi College	Unanimous First place: Zachary Templeton

CL 5B – Second-year College Trebles

Teacher	School	Student
Chrissy Hrivnak	Belhaven University	Second Place: Mahri McClean
Byron Johnson	Alcorn State University	Unanmious First place: Aavriel Smith

CL 6B – Second-year College TBB

Teacher	School	Student
Chrissy Hrivnak	Belhaven University	Second place: Michael Tupper
Roza Tulyaganova	Mississippi State University	Unanimous first place: Justin Howard

CL 13A – Lower-level Non-Traditional Undergraduate Students

Teacher	School	Student
Susan Hurley	Mississippi University for Women	First place: Moira Cairns

CL 13B – Upper-level Non-Traditional Undergraduate Students

Teacher	School	Student
Jamie Dahman	Delta State University	Third Place: UiChan Lee
Phyllis Lewis-Hale	Jackson State University	Second Place: Savion Luscious
Susan Hurley	Mississippi University for Women	First Place: Jerry Brown

CL 7A – Third-year College Trebles

<b>Teacher</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Student</b>
Chrissy Hrivnak	Belhaven University	Second place: Hannah Gosnell
Phyllis Lewis-Hale	Jackson State University	Unanimous First Place: Julia Myers

CL 8A – Third-year College TBB

<b>Teacher</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Student</b>
Bradley Robinson	University of Mississippi	Second place: Kevin Rico
Jamie Dahman	Delta State University	Unanimous First place: Keveon Beavers

CL 7B – Fourth-year College Trebles

<b>Teacher</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Student</b>
Susan Ruggiero-Mezzadri	William Carey University	Second Place: Ta'Mari Lloyd
Roza Tuyaganova	Mississippi State University	First place: Lauren Boozer

CL 8B – Fourth-year College TBB

<b>Teacher</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Student</b>
Susan Hurley	Mississippi University for Women	Third place: Aaron Rishel
Garrett Torbert	Mississippi State University	Second place: Andre Ferguson
Rodney Vaughan	Jackson State University	First place: James Fuller

CL 9A – Lower-level Graduate Students

<b>Teacher</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Student</b>
Jos Milton	University of Mississippi	Second place: Emily Clements
Jamie Dahman	Delta State University	Unanimous First place: Zathomasious Jones

CL 10A – Upper-level Graduate Students

<b>Teacher</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Student</b>
Bradley Robinson	University of Mississippi	First place: Caleb Drew

## Finalists – Music Theater Competition

### MT 3 – High School Treble

Teacher	School	Student
Lynn Holliman	Private Studio	Fourth place: Ariana Caren
Lynn Holliman	Private Studio	Third place: Hannah Smith
Patton Rice	Mississippi School of the Arts	Second place: Abigail Young
Patton Rice	Mississippi School of the Arts	First place: Kaitlyn Busby

### MT 5 – Lower College Treble

Teacher	School	Student
Susan Ruggiero-Mezzadri	William Carey University	Fourth place: Kayla Braswell
Mary Spivak	Hinds County Comm. College	Third place: Abigail Hughes
Katrina Cox	William Carey University	Second place: Jillian Robidas
Jessica Bryan	William Carey University	First place: Mya Bell

### MT 6 – Lower College TBB

Teacher	School	Student
Katrina Cox	William Carey	Third place: Benjamin Riley (tie)
Nicholas Perna	MC	Third place: Oliver Gibbs (tie)
Phyllis Lewis-Hale	JSU	Second Place: Ryan Fields
Nicholas Perna	MC	First place: Zachary Templeton

### MT 7 – Upper College Trebles

Teacher	School	Student
Susan Ruggiero-Mezzadri	William Carey	Third place: Megan Fordham
Susan Hurley	MUW	Second place: Shakia Butler
Phyllis Lewis-Hale	JSU	First place: Kaytie Jeffries

### MT 8 – Upper College TBB

Teacher	School	Student
Susan Ruggiero-Mezzadri	William Carey	First place: Kameron Batty

## **Semi-Finalists: Spirituals Competition**

### **AS 5**

Keveon Beavers, a student of Jamie Dahman (Delta State University)

Jabarrie Evans, a student of Rodney Vaughan (Jackson State University)

## **Semi-Finalists: Classical Competition**

### **CL 5A**

Zee Washington, a student of Jamie Dahman (Delta State University)

## **Semi-Finalists: Music Theater Competition**

### **MT 3**

Avery Smith, a student of Patton Rice (Mississippi School of the Arts)

Celeste Waters, a student of Patton Rice (Mississippi School of the Arts)

### **MT 5**

Emily Huebner, a student of Katrina Cox (William Carey University)

Hannah Diaz, a student of Viola Dacus (Mississippi College)

Zee Washington, a student of Jamie Dahman (Delta State University)

### **MT 6**

Randy Barnes, Jr, a student of Katrina Cox (William Carey University)