

2015 / 2016 Northwest Division Winners

MTNA Performance Competitions

University of Montana

Missoula, MT

Place	Name	Instrument	Teacher
Northwest Chamber Music String - 3 entries			
Winner	Missoula Piano Trio (MT)		Steven Hesla
	Adam Sears	Piano	
	Sarah Harmsworth	Violin	
	David Harmsworth	Violoncello	
Alternate	Daana Quartet (WA)		Melia Watras
	Corentin Pokorny	Violin	
	Erin Kelly	Violin	
	Alessandra Barrett	Viola	
	Sonja Myklebust	Violoncello	
Honorable Mention	Alchemy Trio (OR)		Jean-David Coen
	Sean Edging	Clarinet	
	Sherry Liang	Piano	
	Jason Pegis	Violoncello	
Northwest Chamber Music Wind - 2 entries			
Winner	triaD (ID)		Jovanni De Pedro
	Sarah Chae	Flute	
	Arthur Sagami	Alto/Baritone Saxophone	
	Nicholas Zollo	Piano	
Alternate	Horizon Quartet (WA)		Fred Winkler
	Asa Abbott	Alto Saxophone	
	David Decker	Baritone Saxophone	
	Kevin McCowan	Tenor Saxophone	
	Soren Hamm	Soprano Saxophone	
Northwest Elementary Composition - 4 entries			
Winner	Noelle Paek (WA)		Sharon Van Valin
Honorable Mention	Josiah Verbrugge (AK)		Carolyn Nickles
Northwest Junior Composition - 3 entries			
Winner	Gannon Forsberg (WA)		Sharon Van Valin
Honorable Mention	Matthew Kaminski (OR)		Daniel Brugh
Northwest Junior Performance Piano - 6 entries			
Winner	Janet Phang (WA)	Piano	Peter Mack
Alternate	Jenna Tu (OR)	Piano	Renato Fabbro
Northwest Junior Performance String - 3 entries			
Winner	Symphony Koss (OR)	Violin	Kathryn Gray
Alternate	Marley Erickson (WA)	Violin	Simon James
Honorable Mention	Alexis DePaolo (WY)	Violoncello	Beth Vanderborgh

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Northwest Junior Performance Woodwind - 2 entries			
Winner	Minsoo Kwon (WA)	Flute	Bonnie Blanchard
Alternate	Marriah Bingham (OR)	Flute	Sandy Norman
Northwest Senior Composition - 5 entries			
Winner	Lauren Vandervelden (ID)		Philip Wharton
Honorable Mention	Ariel Hsieh (WA)		Sharon Van Valin
Northwest Senior Performance Piano - 6 entries			
Winner	Abriana Church (ID)	Piano	Irene Peery-Fox/David Tacher
Alternate	Nathan Kim (OR)	Piano	Renato Fabbro
Honorable Mention	Leah Deobald (WA)	Piano	Duane Hulbert
Northwest Senior Performance String - 3 entries			
Winner	Satoka Abo (ID)	Violin	Ferenc Cseszko
Alternate	Madelyn Kowalski (WA)	Violoncello	Leslie Marckx
Honorable Mention	Jonathan Huang (OR)	Violoncello	Dorien De Leon
Northwest Senior Performance Voice - 1 entry			
Representative	Ian Schipper (OR)	Voice - Bass	Elizabeth Caswell
Northwest Senior Performance Woodwind - 6 entries			
Winner	Zoe Sheill (WA)	Flute	Bonnie Blanchard
Alternate	Marah Christenson (OR)	Flute	Sandy Norman
Honorable Mention	Madeline Wickard (ID)	Bassoon	Janelle Oberbillig
	Isabelle Libbrecht (AK)	Flute	Laura Koenig
Northwest Senior Piano Duet - 2 entries			
Winner	Janet Phang (WA)	Piano	Peter Mack
	Justin Cai	Piano	
Alternate	Allina Chang (OR)	Piano	Linda Barker
	Kendrick Lewis	Piano	
Northwest Young Artist Composition - 1 entry			
Representative	Alex Worland (WA)		Martin Kennedy
Northwest Young Artist Performance Brass - 1 entry			
Representative	Elizabeth Shill (ID)	Horn	Jon Klein
Northwest Young Artist Performance Piano - 6 entries			
Winner	Cheng Wang (WY)	Piano	Theresa Bogard
Alternate	Michael Zarling (MT)	Piano	Christopher Hahn

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Winner	Josiah Baker (WY)	Violin	John Fadial
Alternate	Sarah Harmsworth (MT)	Violin	Margaret Baldrige
Northwest Young Artist Performance Voice - 1 entry			
Representative	Ashlee Dyer (WY)	Voice - Soprano	Kristen Lenth
Northwest Young Artist Performance Woodwind - 4 entries			
Winner	Soren Hamm (WA)	Saxophone	Fred Winkler
Alternate	Brittany Trotter (WY)	Flute	Nicole Riner
Honorable Mention	Natalie Law (MT)	Bassoon	Jennifer Cavanaugh