

NEWS RELEASE

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Mariemont High School Latin Team Excel at Convention

Mariemont High School sent a strong student delegation to the 61st Ohio Junior Classical League Convention in Columbus this year.

Two Mariemont teams earned their way to the State finals, marking the first time the school has had a team advance to that level. The Mariemont Freshmen Certamen Team of Evan Doran, Ryden Lewis and Garrett Fields finished in 3rd Place in the State Finals.

The Sophomore Certamen Team of Kyle Matz, Aly Nichting, Kyle Greathouse, Josh Keyes, Mara Coyan and Nick Walter finished in 3rd Place in the State Finals

Thirteen Mariemont students earned top ten finishes in a variety of category competitions.

Among Mariemont's top performers was freshman Evan Doran placing in the top 10 in 9 categories. Fellow freshman Holly Huber reached the top 10 in 8 areas, including two first place finishes. Sophomore Kyle Greathouse received a "Best-in-Show" of all painted art at convention for his Oil Painting of the "Lighthouse of Alexandria". Greathouse was also awarded 1st place in the Oil & Acrylic Contest for that piece and 1st place in the Mixed Media contest for the "Battle of Actium".

Also achieving top ten finishes in varying categories were freshmen Sarah Blatt, Ryden Lewis, Taylor Giordullo, Caty Ljubisavljevic; sophomores Mara Coyan, Jeffrey Guggenheim, Josh Keyes, Kyle Matz, Aly Nichting; and junior Kate Hassey.

The Mariemont Latin Club Banner earned a superior rating, the highest achievable rating.

Overall, the Mariemont Latin Club finished 7th of 30 teams in average number of academic points won per student delegate. Kevin Ferry is the Mariemont High School Latin instructor.



Photo: Representatives from Mariemont High School's 2011 Latin conference delegation display their club banner which received the highest possible rating.