

**As of February 20, 2020**

**Riley King** '21 had her photograph "Fairytale," exhibited at Webster University's May Gallery as part of the group show, *Beginnings: The High School Photography Exhibition*.

**Liam Taylor** '22, the winner of Burroughs' Poetry Out Loud competition, represented JBS at the regional competition on February 4.

**Philip Barnes** (Classics) published an article in the February issue of *St. Louis Magazine* about working with local choral groups to commission a musical piece from British composer Judith Bingham in honor of *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* music critic Sarah Bryan Miller, who is battling cancer. He also published a longer version of the story in the February edition of the international journal *Choir and Organ*, and he and Miller appeared on KWMU 90.7 FM's "St. Louis on the Air." Barnes was also interviewed by *Chorus America* about the challenges and benefits of issuing commissions to contemporary composers.

Several Burroughs students were recognized in the annual Scholastic Art & Writing Awards (*note that only seniors are eligible to submit work in the writing portfolio category*):

In visual art, winners included **Kendall Allen** '21 (painting), **Hayley Edwards** '24 (painting), **Claire Harkins** '21 (printmaking), **William Hylan** '20 (drawing & illustration) and **Amy Phillips** '20 (sculpture; mixed media; drawing & illustration).

Students who placed in the writing awards include **Josh Antony** '21 (humor), **Sylvia Barnes** '23 (poetry), **Madeline Buchowski** '23 (poetry; short story), **Sara Cao** '22 (poetry), **Adina Cazacu-De Luca** '20 (personal essay; poetry; critical essay; humor; writing portfolio), **Thomas Champer** '21 (personal essay; short story), **Elizabeth Clarke** '23 (short story), **Grant Dahl** '23 (short story), **Anna Duncan** '21 (poetry), **Dylan Fox** '20 (personal essay; poetry; writing portfolio), **Evan Harris** '22 (poetry), **Rahul Jasti** '21 (critical essay; flash fiction), **Teresa Jiang** '22 (poetry; critical essay), **Ethan Jick** '22 (critical essay), **Ethan Kalishman** '20 (humor; personal essay), **Eva Kappas** '22 (poetry), **Ben Kazdan** '20 (poetry), **Eva Kappas** '22 (poetry), **Lauren Keeley** '21 (short story; flash fiction), **Max Kellaheer** '20 (personal essay), **Kiran Khan** '22 (short story; personal essay; flash fiction), **Leyla Fern King** '21 (poetry; short story), **Rohan Kumaran** '21 (critical essay), **Story Kummer** '25 (poetry), **Yara Levin** '22 (dramatic script), **Megan Li** '21 (poetry), **Keerthana Madireddi** '20 (humor), **Molly Magarian** '25 (novel writing; flash fiction; poetry), **Akash Mallady** '22 (poetry), **Caleb Merritt** '22 (poetry), **Ria Mirchandani** '22 (personal essay; critical essay; poetry), **Milah Padda** '22 (critical essay), **Andrew Padousis** '21 (short story), **Maddy Pass** '23 (flash fiction), **Emi Pope** '21 (short story; poetry; personal essay), **Owen Sklansky** '21 (short story), **Ben Stettin** '20 (personal essay), **Caroline Strahorn** '20 (critical essay), **Michael Tu** '21 (short story), **Patrick Whiteford** '23 (flash fiction), **Lily Yanagimoto** '23 (short story; essay), **Ann Zhang** '20 (writing portfolio; dramatic script; sci-fi/fantasy; poetry; short story; flash fiction), **Carrie Zhang** '20 (writing portfolio; humor; poetry; dramatic script; personal essay; short story; journalism; flash fiction) and **Adam Zhao** '21 (poetry; short story; flash fiction).

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**Maaz Chohan '24**, **Sarah Ding '25**, **Camden Hosler '25**, **Howard Jiang '24** and **Burke Morris '24** participated in the St. Louis Chapter MATHCOUNTS competition, with the designated team of four (Maaz, Cambden, Howard and Burke) winning fourth place, qualifying them for the State competition in Columbia on March 7.

In November, 7th and 8th grade students took the AMC8, a national math test. The high score is 25. **Burke Morris '24** placed first, with a score of 17; **Audrey Gray'25** came in second, with a score of 16; **Camden Hosler '25**, **Anokhi Desai '25** and **Courtney Wu '25** tied for third with scores of 15; and **Kimberly Zhang '24** placed sixth with a score of 14.