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AYA ANNOUNCES 2019 SPEECH CONTEST WINNERS

Moscow, Idaho— The Appaloosa Youth Association (AYA) is pleased to announce the winners of the 2019 AYA Speech Contest. This exciting competition is held annually in conjunction with the Youth World Championship Appaloosa Show. Teams participating in the Team Tournament Challenge are required to enter into this competition, but individual youth participants are welcome and highly encouraged to take part. Participants can compete in one of two divisions: prepared and impromptu.

Winners of this year's competition are receiving a cash prize. The AYA is pleased to announce the following winners:

Prepared Speech

13 & Under

- 1st Place- Emily Snippert, Wattsburg, PA
- 2nd Place- Cael Jackson, Canton, KS
- 3rd Place- Anthony Mahloch, Malone, WI

14-18

- 1st Place- Chloe Sullivan, Pottstown, PA
- 2nd Place- Maisen Gores, Alemna WI

Impromptu Speech

13 & Under

- 1st Place- Emily Snippert, Wattsburg, PA
- 2nd Place- Anthony Mahloch, Malone, WI

14-18

- 1st Place- Lydia George, Farmerville, LA

The AYA Speech Contest was created to help encourage youth to develop their public speaking skills as well as to persuade youth to be aware of important topics that affect not only the Appaloosa breed, but the equine and agricultural industry as a whole. For more information on the AYA, this contest or the many other activities the AYA offers to youth visit www.appaloosayouth.com.

The Appaloosa Youth Association (AYA) is the youth affiliate of the Appaloosa Horse Club. Officially approved in 1981, the AYA was the first youth program developed to complement an equine breed association.

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