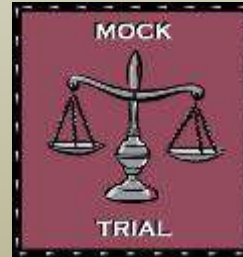
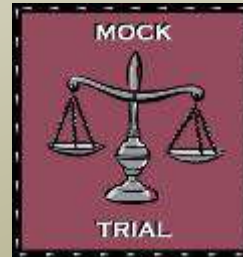


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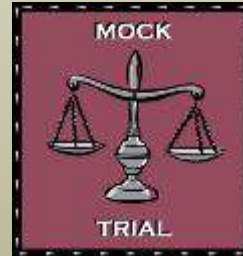
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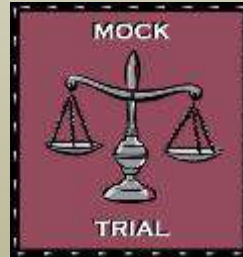


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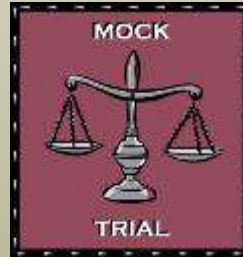




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Superintendent of Schools  
Lynn Mackey



Welcome from the  
Contra Costa County  
Presiding Judge  
Rebecca Hardie



# Coaches' Awards



# Judges' Choice Honorable Mention

| School     | Name     |          |
|------------|----------|----------|
| Alhambra   | Dylan    | Wen      |
| Alhambra   | Melanie  | Jones    |
| Alhambra   | Nivia    | Buttar   |
| California | Cindy    | Zhu      |
| Campolindo | Maia     | West     |
| Campolindo | Samantha | Herzig   |
| Carondelet | Alli     | Lowe     |
| Carondelet | Chloe    | De Smedt |

| School      | Name      |            |
|-------------|-----------|------------|
| Carondelet  | Grace     | Baer       |
| Carondelet  | Nicole    | Abudayeh   |
| De Anza     | Elena     | Martinez   |
| De Anza     | Luz       | Limon      |
| Deer Valley | Dennis    | Gavrilenko |
| Deer Valley | Daniel    | Gober      |
| Dougherty   | Gayathri  | Viswanath  |
| Dougherty   | Katherine | Shi        |
| Dougherty   | Nidhi     | Thati      |



# Judges' Choice Honorable Mention

| School     | Name     |           | School      | Name    |           |
|------------|----------|-----------|-------------|---------|-----------|
| El Cerrito | Bennett  | Yarnell   | Kenn/Rich   | John    | Olivarez  |
| El Cerrito | Luke     | Thilmony  | Kenn/Rich   | Tamara  | Flores    |
| El Cerrito | Reese    | Roberts   | Las Lomas   | Asher   | Berlin    |
| El Cerrito | Riley    | Parks     | Miramonte   | Evy     | LaVelle   |
| El Cerrito | Sabra    | Chee      | Miramonte   | Preston | Nibley    |
| Heritage   | Analise  | Kingsmith | Monte Vista | Danial  | Akhavan   |
| Heritage   | Tomieyah | Patterson | Monte Vista | Yik     | Seun Lung |



# Judges' Choice Award Winners (with 2 votes each)

| School      | Name     |           |
|-------------|----------|-----------|
| Acalanes    | Jamie    | Lattin    |
| Acalanes    | Megan    | Baginski  |
| Alhambra    | Kathar   | Al-Janabi |
| California  | Evelyn   | Lee       |
| Campolindo  | Danielle | Whisnant  |
| De Anza     | Irene    | Kou       |
| De La Salle | Lance    | Distefano |





# Judges' Choice Award Winners (with 2 votes each)

| School      | Name   |                 |
|-------------|--------|-----------------|
| De La Salle | Sean   | Nimr            |
| Deer Valley | Emma   | Crandell        |
| Hercules    | Emma   | Broward         |
| Hercules    | Navi   | Emiliano        |
| Heritage    | Kenzie | Huether         |
| Las Lomas   | Dina   | Mirmotalebisohi |
| Miramonte   | Sarah  | Svahn           |
| Monte Vista | Sydney | Ellis           |



# Outstanding Journalist

| Name       | School          |
|------------|-----------------|
| California | Nicholas Harvey |

You can read the winning article on the Mock Trial results webpage following the awards ceremony.



# Outstanding Artist

| Name       | School          |
|------------|-----------------|
| California | Michelle Nguyen |





# Outstanding Bailiff

| School           | Name                 | Score |
|------------------|----------------------|-------|
| Acalanes         | Jamie Lattin         | 5     |
| Kennedy/Richmond | Tamara Flores        | 5     |
| Campolindo       | Claire Damiano       | 5     |
| Heritage         | Jayden Ervin         | 5     |
| Las Lomas        | Dina Mirmotalebisohi | 5     |
| Heritage         | Jacqueline Fortner   | 5     |



# Outstanding Clerk

| School      | Name                   | Score |
|-------------|------------------------|-------|
| California  | Aarav Manjunath        | 5     |
| Dougherty   | Sarah Han              | 5     |
| Las Lomas   | Mark Deng              | 5     |
| Carondelet  | Alli Lowe              | 5     |
| Heritage    | Kasey Aguinaga         | 4.8   |
| De Anza     | Haya Garcia            | 4.8   |
| Alhambra    | Andrea Maldonado-Rojas | 4.8   |
| Deer Valley | Michael Todd           | 4.8   |



# Outstanding Prosecution Witness Remy Montoya

| School     | Name         | Score |
|------------|--------------|-------|
| California | Brady Horton | 9.6   |
| Alhambra   | Kylee Sciara | 9.6   |
| Campolindo | Tamar Weiss  | 9.5   |



# Outstanding Prosecution Witness Remy Montoya Honorable Mention

| School      | Name                 | Score |
|-------------|----------------------|-------|
| El Cerrito  | Meghan Makthepharack | 9.4   |
| Hercules    | Carolyn Richardson   | 9.1   |
| Deer Valley | Sam Fishel           | 9.1   |



# Outstanding Prosecution Witness Drew Marshak

| School      | Name              | Score |
|-------------|-------------------|-------|
| Alhambra    | Victoria Gilbert  | 9.5   |
| De La Salle | Patrick George    | 9.3   |
| Dougherty   | Prerita Babarjung | 9     |
| El Cerrito  | Benji Dutta       | 9     |
| Deer Valley | Sarina Turnage    | 9     |





# Outstanding Prosecution Witness Max Bird

| School     | Name                | Score |
|------------|---------------------|-------|
| El Cerrito | Meghan Maktheparack | 9.6   |
| California | Cade Llewellyn      | 9.5   |
| Alhambra   | Kyla Menconi        | 9.5   |



# Outstanding Prosecution Witness Max Bird **Honorable Mention**

| School        | Name             | Score |
|---------------|------------------|-------|
| Kenn/Richmond | Yael Guiterrez   | 9     |
| Deer Valley   | Angelo Guiterrez | 9     |
| De La Salle   | Michael Giorgi   | 9     |



# Outstanding Prosecution Witness Kai Chavez

| School      | Name            | Score |
|-------------|-----------------|-------|
| California  | Diana Castaneda | 9.5   |
| Alhambra    | Gracie Penman   | 9.5   |
| De La Salle | Ben Deviney     | 9.5   |
| Carondelet  | Paige Collier   | 9.5   |
| Miramonte   | Vivienne Arndt  | 9.2   |
| El Cerrito  | Jeanilinne Cruz | 9.2   |



# Outstanding Defense Witness Lee Croddy

| School     | Name           | Score |
|------------|----------------|-------|
| Acalanes   | Jou Yoshida    | 9.57  |
| Campolindo | Shannon Crosby | 9.5   |
| Alhambra   | Kaelyn Nguyen  | 9.4   |



# Outstanding Defense Witness

## Lee Croddy

### Honorable Mention

| School      | Name                  | Score |
|-------------|-----------------------|-------|
| Dougherty   | Rani Vakhari          | 9.3   |
| De La Salle | Gabe Tang             | 9.1   |
| Hercules    | Abner Gabriel Lumabas | 9.1   |



# Outstanding Defense Witness

## Zuri O'Neill

| School      | Name          | Score |
|-------------|---------------|-------|
| Monte Vista | Derek Wong    | 10    |
| Acalanes    | Helen O'Neal  | 9.4   |
| Campolindo  | Michael Chu   | 9.3   |
| Miramonte   | Allison Petek | 9.3   |



# Outstanding Defense Witness

## Zuri O'Neill

### Honorable Mention

| School           | Name                     | Score |
|------------------|--------------------------|-------|
| Kennedy/Richmond | Yolanda Flores-Navarette | 9.2   |



# Outstanding Defense Witness Jes Beaart

| School     | Name                | Score |
|------------|---------------------|-------|
| Alhambra   | Golnaz Ahmadiéh     | 9.2   |
| Campolindo | Ellery Stankus      | 9.1   |
| Miramonte  | Michelle Giovinazzo | 9.1   |





# Outstanding Defense Witness Jes Beaart **Honorable Mention**

| School     | Name          | Score |
|------------|---------------|-------|
| De Anza    | Kiran Chuahan | 9     |
| El Cerrito | Lucas Russell | 9     |
| Dougherty  | Varun Nirval  | 9     |



# Outstanding Defense Witness Erin Sullivan

| School           | Name            | Score |
|------------------|-----------------|-------|
| Campolindo       | Callen Bronson  | 9.3   |
| Miramonte        | Daniella Resch  | 9.1   |
| Alhambra         | Yara Hassan     | 9     |
| Acalanes         | Mary Laska      | 9     |
| De La Salle      | Tyler Laymon    | 9     |
| Kennedy/Richmond | Viridiana Ayala | 9     |



# Outstanding Pre-Trial Motion: Prosecution

| School     | Name             | Average Score |
|------------|------------------|---------------|
| Alhambra   | Brianna Hutchens | 29            |
| Acalanes   | Hanniel Dunn     | 27.5          |
| Campolindo | Kate Seater      | 27            |
| Miramonte  | Preston Nibley   | 27            |



# Outstanding Pre-Trial Motion: Defense

| School      | Name           | Score |
|-------------|----------------|-------|
| Miramonte   | Preston Nibley | 28    |
| Acalanes    | Jonas Buchel   | 27.8  |
| Deer Valley | Emma Crandell  | 27.5  |
| Campolindo  | Isabelle Lurie | 27.5  |
| El Cerrito  | Simone Parisi  | 27.5  |



# Outstanding Opening Statement: Prosecution

| Name        | School         | Score |
|-------------|----------------|-------|
| Deer Valley | Caitlin Todd   | 9.6   |
| Monte Vista | Danyal Akhavan | 9.3   |
| El Cerrito  | Reese Roberts  | 9.2   |



# Outstanding Opening Statement: Prosecution **Honorable Mention**

| School     | Name       | Score |
|------------|------------|-------|
| Carondelet | Grace Baer | 9.16  |
| Campolindo | Maia West  | 9.14  |



# Outstanding Opening Statement: Defense

| School     | Name              | Score |
|------------|-------------------|-------|
| Campolindo | Evonne Xu         | 9.5   |
| Miramonte  | Mallika Dandamudi | 9.3   |
| Dougherty  | Nidhi Thati       | 9.3   |



# Outstanding Opening Statement: Defense Honorable Mention

| School      | Name                     | Score |
|-------------|--------------------------|-------|
| Acalanes    | Marisa Guerra Echevierra | 9.2   |
| Monte Vista | Sydney Ellis             | 9     |
| Hercules    | Benjamin Kim             | 9     |





# Outstanding Direct Exam Attorney: Prosecution

| School     | Name          | Score |
|------------|---------------|-------|
| Carondelet | Grace Baer    | 9.8   |
| Alhambra   | Dylan Wen     | 9.67  |
| El Cerrito | Reese Roberts | 9.6   |



# Outstanding Direct Exam Attorney: Prosecution Honorable Mention

| School   | Name          | Score |
|----------|---------------|-------|
| Hercules | Emma Broward  | 9.5   |
| Alhambra | Melanie Jones | 9.5   |



# Outstanding Direct Exam Attorney: Defense

| School    | Name              | Score |
|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| Acalanes  | Megan Baginski    | 9.42  |
| Alhambra  | Makayla Clauson   | 9.4   |
| Miramonte | Mallika Dandamudi | 9.3   |



# Outstanding Direct Exam Attorney: Defense Honorable Mention

| School      | Name              | Score |
|-------------|-------------------|-------|
| Monte Vista | Aileen Akhavan    | 9.1   |
| Campolindo  | Danielle Whisnant | 9.1   |
| Campolindo  | Daniel Thaler     | 9.1   |
| Hercules    | Navi Emiliano     | 9.1   |



# Outstanding Cross Exam Attorney: Prosecution

| Name       | School         | Score |
|------------|----------------|-------|
| Carondelet | Alison Mendoza | 10    |
| Campolindo | Maia West      | 9.7   |
| El Cerrito | Riley Parks    | 9.6   |

# Outstanding Cross Exam Attorney: Prosecution Honorable Mention



| School      | Name            | Score |
|-------------|-----------------|-------|
| Alhambra    | Melanie Jones   | 9.5   |
| Deer Valley | Caitlin Todd    | 9.5   |
| Carondelet  | Nicole Abudayeh | 9.5   |



# Outstanding Cross Exam Attorney: Defense

| School     | Name              | Score |
|------------|-------------------|-------|
| Campolindo | Danielle Whisnant | 9.8   |
| Acalanes   | Megan Baginski    | 9.7   |
| Miramonte  | Evy Lavelle       | 9.6   |



# Outstanding Cross Exam Attorney: Defense Honorable Mention

| School     | Name                     | Score |
|------------|--------------------------|-------|
| Acalanes   | Marisa Guerra Echevierra | 9.57  |
| Campolindo | Daniel Thaler            | 9.5   |
| Hercules   | Navi Emiliano            | 9.5   |





# Closing Argument Prosecution

| School     | Name            | Score |
|------------|-----------------|-------|
| Hercules   | Emma Broward    | 19.6  |
| Acalanes   | Jamie Lattin    | 19.6  |
| Carondelet | Nicole Abudayeh | 19.6  |

# Closing Argument Prosecution Honorable Mention



| School   | Name      | Score |
|----------|-----------|-------|
| De Anza  | Irene Kou | 19    |
| Alhambra | Dylan Wen | 19    |



# Closing Argument Defense

| School     | Name              | Score |
|------------|-------------------|-------|
| Campolindo | Danielle Whisnant | 20    |
| Hercules   | Navi Emiliano     | 19.6  |
| Acalanes   | Megan Baginski    | 19.1  |

# Closing Argument Defense Honorable Mention



| School     | Name         | Score |
|------------|--------------|-------|
| Miramonte  | Evy Lavelle  | 19    |
| El Cerrito | Zayn Murtaza | 19    |

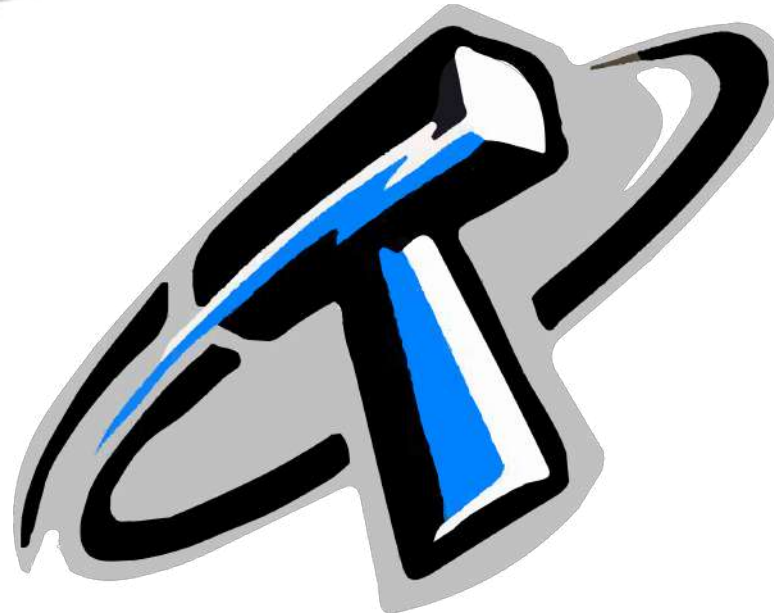


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Miramonte High School

Coach: Luke Ellis



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Acalanes High School  
Coach: Joseph Schottland



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California High School  
Coach: Brian Barr

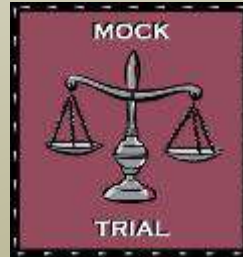


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