





# The Seventh "Chinese Bridge" Chinese Proficiency Competition for High School Students The Fourth CLASS National Preliminary Contest on US West Coast, 2014

第七届"汉语桥"世界中学生中文比赛 CLASS 全美预赛西部赛区(第四届)

## Final Results 决赛结果

### Advanced Group/高级组

Places	姓	名	中文姓名	学校	名次
1 <sup>st</sup> Prize	Carroll	Peter	康彼得	The Branson School	高级组一等奖
2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize	Hong	Hyun-Lim	洪玄林	Monta Vista High School	高级组二等奖
2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize	Khambete	Mihir	孔明新	Cupertino High School	高级组二等奖
3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize	Koury	Hannah	李嘉慧	Aragon High School	高级组三等奖

#### Intermediate Group/中级组

Places	姓	名	中文姓名	学校	名次
451 5			安以可	Monta Vista	中级组一等奖
1 <sup>st</sup> Prize	Ullah	Anika	メハー	High School	
			河原田優里	Monta Vista	中级组二等奖
2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize	Kawaharada	Yuri	門你田愛王	High School	
			<b>ム</b> 上 ロ	The Branson	中级组二等奖
2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize	Singer	Adam	金木足	School	
			1. 4. 因	The Branson	中级组三等奖
3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize	Lamm	Madeleine	林德恩	School	
			十八十五	The Branson	中级组三等奖
3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize	Migimatsu	Kuni	右松孝都	School	
			赵丽	Chadwick	中级组三等奖
3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize	Powell	Olivia	彭丽	School	
			<b> </b>	The Bishop	缺席
Absent	Davis	Stephanie	戴芬妮	School	
			沙乡以	Chadwick	缺席
Absent	Sim	Alison	沈爱玲	School	

#### **Preliminary Report**

#### of the Fourth Chinese Bridge Speech Contest

#### on the US West Coast for High School Students

The Fourth Chinese Bridge Speech Contest on the US West Coast for High School Students was successfully held in CLERC conference building in Santa Clara, CA on March 29, 2014. The contest was organized by the Chinese Language Association of Secondary-Elementary Schools and Chinese Language Education and Research Center. Sponsors of the event were the Education Section of the Consulate General of the PRC in San Francisco and Hanban. Also present at the contest were Counselor Yang Jun and Consul Li Renzhu from the Education Section of the Consulate General of PRC in San Francisco.

Twelve finalists were invited to the contest. The finalists were selected from about 30 applications through a screening process based on the speech CDs submitted earlier. The contestants were grouped into two categories, Intermediate and Advanced. Students who have learned Chinese for less than four years are grouped in the Intermediate group and those with a learning experience of more than four years are grouped in the Advanced group. Anika Ullah from Monta Vista High School won the first prize of the Intermediate group, and Peter Carroll from The Branson School won the first prize in the Advanced group.



Twelve Chinese Zodiac signs numbered from 1 to 12 were prepared for contestants to pick as their speech number before the contest started.



Contestants picked their numbers one by one.



At the opening ceremony, Baocai Jia introduced the judges, Xiaolin Chang, Xiaohua Yu and Jenny Wang.



John Zhang, Secretary General of the Chinese Language Education and Research Center (CLERC) gave opening remarks at the opening ceremony.



Judges, VIPs, contestants and their parents.



CLASS members are working at the registration table.



Contestants and parents are listening to the speech.



Staff are busy at work.



Minutes before the contest, organizers and staff are discussing some details for the procedure.



Contestant at speech.



John Zhang is presenting the third prizes.



Baocai Jia is presenting the second prizes.



Counselor Yang Jun is presenting the first prize plaques.



All winners at the closing ceremony.



At the closing ceremony, Counselor Yang presented gifts to all contestants.