

# Dubuque Branch NAACP



## DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. TRIBUTE

ESSAY AND MULTI-MEDIA AWARDS 14 JANUARY 2024

Themes: Diversity, No Matter What  
and • Kindness, Fairness & Friendship

**What:** The annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Tribute Honoree Awards. Every year since 1990, Dubuque Branch NAACP has sponsored a tribute to Martin Luther King, Jr. for students in the Dubuque public and parochial schools to enter essays, art work, poems, books, songs, displays and powerpoint presentations for recognition.

**When and Where:** Sunday 19 January 2025

Gather at Jackson Park at 12:15 for a March beginning at 12:30 p.m. The Tribute awards ceremony will begin at 1:00 p.m. at the Multicultural Family Center, 1157 Central Ave. The event will also be livestreamed to <https://www.facebook.com/MulticulturalFamilyCenter/>

**Who:** Area students, parents/guardians, teachers and all members of the community are invited to participate

**Why:** To celebrate student work honoring Dr. King and others who stood up against injustice with nonviolence.

After the event, the work of student honorees and honorable mentions will be displayed in the children's department at Carnegie Stout Public library from Tuesday January 21 to Sunday February 9<sup>th</sup>.

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Honorees & Honorable Mentions 2024-25

Elementary

Kindergarten Honorable Mention: Malaya Davenport (Prescott)

Kindergarten Honorable Mention: Jomona William (Prescott)

**Kindergarten Honoree: Aria Collins** (Audubon)

First Grade Honorable Mention: Felicity Kirkpatrick (Prescott)

**First Grade Honoree: Zy'eere Determan-Burch** (Prescott)

Second Grade Honorable Mention: Ashton Chandler (Prescott)

**Second Grade Honoree: Dezmond Allen** (Prescott)

Third Grade Honorable Mention: Zineah Deah (Prescott)

**Third Grade Honoree: Amarionna Minor** (Prescott)

Fourth Grade Honorable Mention: Adriannah Durrah (Prescott)

**Fourth Grade Honoree: Evelyn Brimeyer** (Prescott)

Fifth Grade Honorable Mention: Eric Clair (Prescott)

**Fifth Grade Honoree: Amelia Fern** (Sageville)

**Fifth Grade Honoree: Daylilah Hinkel** (Prescott)

Middle School Honorable Mentions:

**Sixth Grade:** Luke Brunzman (Roosevelt)      Mya Cory (Roosevelt)

Tre Culpepper (Roosevelt)      Kylee Goss (Roosevelt)

Cora Shedek (Roosevelt)      **Seventh Grade:** Cece Burkart (Washington)

Lucy Higgins & Agatha Herbst (Washington)

Michael Hamilton, Harper Beard & Beckett Dietzel (Washington)

Middle School Honorees:

**Sixth Grade:** Erin Cross (Roosevelt)      Kinsley Horsfield (Roosevelt)

Vivienne Klar (Roosevelt)      Olivia Mills (Roosevelt)

Ameena Sinno (Roosevelt)      **Seventh Grade:** Anthony Heine (Washington)

Sam Kieffer & Izzy Cirks (Washington)

Hailey Schmidt, Johanna McCready & Greenlee Smidt (Washington)

High School Honorable Mentions:

**Ninth Grade:** Adriana Smith (Senior)

**Eleventh Grade:** Desiree Basten (Alta Vista Campus)

**Twelfth Grade:** Dylan Hemmer (Alta Vista Campus)

High School Honorees:

**Eleventh Grade:** Hope Haylock (Alta Vista Campus)

**Twelfth Grade:** Shi'nyah Thornton (Alta Vista Campus)