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Abstract

This is an open collection consisting of award winning Social Science Fair entries in varying formats and media.

Collector

Thomas Balch Library

Repository

Thomas Balch Library

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

Collection open for research.

Use Restrictions

No physical characteristics affect use of this material.

Acquisition Information

Avery Fellow, Purcellville, VA; Samantha Bluell, Leesburg, VA; Allison Balik, Sterling, VA; James Whitehead, Warrenton, VA; Thomas C. "T.J." Williams Jr., Leesburg, VA; Alex Hunt, Great Falls, VA

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Related Material

None

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Other Finding Aid

None

Technical Requirements

None

Historical Information

The Loudoun County Public Schools' Social Sciences Fair began in 1996 as an outlet for Intermediate and High School students to research social science topics of interest to them. There are several award categories, including *Local History*, *Movers and Shakers*, *Citizenship and Government*, and *Wars and Revolutions*, as well as special commemorative topics that change annually. Additional awards are presented by organizations such as Daughters of the American Revolution, the Loudoun County Historical Society, and

the Waterford Foundation. Since 2008, the Thomas Balch Library and the Thomas Balch Library Advisory Commission have jointly presented an award honoring excellence in local history, chosen from all the categories at large. In addition, the Black History Committee of Friends of the Thomas Balch Library has presented awards for outstanding submissions on a topic related to African-American History.

Scope and Content

This is an open collection consisting of award winning Social Science Fair entries in varying formats and media.

- 2000: award winning "Documenting the Birthplace of the Mother of the Wright Brothers," tabletop presentation and supporting documents, by Avery Fellow of Purcellville's Loudoun Valley High School.
- 2008: award winning entry in the category of Black History: "Impact of Brown [versus Board of Education] on Loudoun," printout of PowerPoint Presentation by Samantha Bluell and Adam Macudzinski of Leesburg's Loudoun County High School. Award by Black History Committee of Friends of the Thomas Balch Library.
- 2009: award winning entry in the category of Local History, "How did the Civil War Affect the Citizens of Loudoun County," paper and tabletop presentation by Allison Balik of Sterling's Park View High School. Award by Thomas Balch Library/ Thomas Balch Library Advisory Commission.
- 2010: award winning entry in the category of Local History: "Can a Small Community Do Great Things," research paper by Maisoon Fillo of Ashburn's Briar Woods High School. Award by Loudoun County Public Schools.
- 2010: award winning entry in the category of Local History: "How Has Development Hurt the Dairy Industry in Loudoun County," tabletop presentation and research paper by Thomas C. "T.J." Williams Jr. of South Riding's Freedom High School. Awards by Loudoun County Public Schools and Thomas Balch Library/ Thomas Balch Library Advisory Commission.
- 2011: award winning entry in the category of E-History: "What Was Segregation Like in Loudoun County, Virginia Between 1920 and 1969?" printout of PowerPoint Presentation and research paper by Alex Hunt of Sterling's Dominion High School. Award by Black History Committee of Friends of the Thomas Balch Library.

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Folder 7: "Impact of Brown [versus Board of Education] on Loudoun" printout of PowerPoint Presentation

Folder 8: "How did the Civil War Affect the Citizens of Loudoun County" research paper

Folder 9: "Can a Small Community Do Great Things" research paper

Folder 10: "How Commercial and Residential Development Ruined Dairy

Farming and Agriculture in Loudoun County" research paper

Folder 11: "What Was Segregation Like in Loudoun County, Virginia Between 1920 and 1969?" printout of PowerPoint Presentation and research paper

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Folder 1: "Documenting the Birthplace of the Mother of the Wright Brothers" tabletop presentation, 2000

Folder 2: "How did the Civil War Affect the Citizens of Loudoun County" tabletop presentation, 2009

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