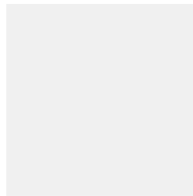


Special Awards
Northeast Sectional Tournament
Room: RS-EarlyLearn (tc-RS) Levels: RS



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148-65382 St. Paul / St. Paul Sea Stars

Renaissance Award

Puffer Fish Costume

The team made a huge splash with their creative use of household and found materials. In particular, the puffer fish costume blew the appraisers away with the simple technology use of an air blower. This allowed the character to blow up and deflate the costume on cue.

For this reason the appraisers felt the team made a big splash with this special effect!

Blast From The Past / Middle Level

Renaissance

(148-26556) Sevastopol / The Magix , Sevastopol

Recipient: Entire team

For: Outstanding design and engineering of props and sets to retell a classic

Greek story

Text: This team's creative retelling of Greek mythology featured a huge self-guided Alpaca puppet that moved around following a line on the ground. Their creative use of recycled materials contributed to the artistry of the Alpaca as well as the intricate design of the backdrop. A hidden trap door came down to reveal a piece of pottery that tied together their retelling of this classic story. We were wowed by this team's prop and set design and its impact on the overall presentation.

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In Motion / Secondary Level

Renaissance

(148-15252) SCHOOL DISTRICT OF DENMARK / THE MISCREANT MIQ'S,
Denmark

Recipient: Entire team

For: Amazing soundtrack and sound effects design.

Text: We were exceptionally impressed with this team with how they embraced the DI philosophy of original creativity vs the use of previously created material.

It began with the team's Sound Engineer, who created his own Foley Studio from scratch. From there, the team composed and created their own music and sound effects. Their venture into self-creativity knew no bounds, using conventional means such as keyboards and other instruments, but also a commode tank.

Yes, You heard that right - a commode. During their creative process, they learned that by placing a microphone inside a commode tank during the flushing process they were able to produce a very realistic sound of splash and bubbles created by someone falling into an ocean.

For their efforts and success in setting out, and succeeding, in producing a completely original soundtrack for their presentation, we salute The Micreant MIQ team from Denmark High School!