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Lamorinda Idol 2013 Finalists Announced

Submitted by Casey Sasner, Ann Baer, and Esther Becker



Last year's performers

Moraga and Lafayette auditioning before a panel of three judges, who se-

amorinda Idol 2013 auditions those of us present knew we were witwere held May 16-18 with close nessing something very special as to 200 young people from Orinda, each of the auditioners was well prepared, put themselves on the line and gave it their all. We have a very tallected the finalists. Commenting on ented group of finalists, but each of the auditions, Lamorinda Idol Chair- the auditioners was special." Thirty-

pete at the finals Sept. 8 at Orinda Theatre. The community will also be treated to several performances throughout the summer in Orinda and Lafayette from finalists and runners up. Further details are available at: www.orindaartscouncil.org.

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man Steve Harwood said, "I think five soloists and 10 groups will com-Lamorinda Idol 2013

K-2 Soloists Finalists

Callie Barber Amelia Chen Claire O'Conner Mia Palichio Audrey Peatross

Runners-Up Tobias Brock-Utne Olivia Ting

3-5 Soloists **Finalists**

Fiona Akazawa Lleyton Allen Elizabeth Becker Jenni Coletta Helana Devine Kiera Glenn Valentina Navarro Nicole Prozan Lauren Staelin Aislinn Welch

Runners-Up Mackenzie Bunzel-Hardie

Bella Capozzi

Finalists and Runners-Up 6-8 Soloists **Finalists**

Niamh Akazawa **Grace Baer Nathan Correll** Melissa Elliot Jenna Englund Kate Marvin Jennifer McFarlane Jocelyn Purcell **Lindsey Wallace** Leah Woodcox

Runners-Up

Amelie Beresford-Wood Avery Hansen

9-12 Soloists **Finalists**

Sophie Belinn Sarah Cain Forest Castillo Lucy Clearwater Jesse Epstein Tosca Maltzman Amrita Newton Paige Powell **Eleanor Roeder** Alexis Zwahlen

Runners-Up

Anna Finnell Paige McGill

K-5 Groups

Finalists

US2: Kiera Glenn and Maggie Heiskell Rising Starz: Leah Douglas, Hannah Hoffman and Nicole Prozan

Soul Sisters: Marlene Monteih and Fiona Young

Stripes and Polka Dots: Jenna Grant and Haley Hunter Three Musketeers: Jensen Rasmussen,

Olivia Uzancan and Lily Wood

Runners-Up GirlS: Grace Barmer and Sophie Lurie Girls With White Dresses: Boustani and Thalia Callie Barber and Janie Hollerbach

6-8 Groups

Finalists Awesome Fearsome 3some: Rachel Go, Jennifer McFarlane and Michaela Sasner Liv & Kate: Liv Lagomarsino and Kate Marvin Odd Duets Malia Akazawa and Niamh Akazawa Triple Threat: Isabel Fine,

Jackie Patton and Dylan Smith Lindsey & Arriana: Arriana Glenn and

Lindsey Wallace **Runners-Up**

Gracie and Sarah: Gracie Sterner and Sarah Westegren Calia & Thalia: Cali **Bradley**

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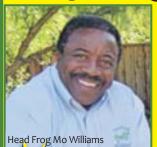
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