# MU ALPHA THETA

# Dana Wade

#### A message from the Executive Director

We have over 700 sponsors and members registered for our upcoming convention in Orlando! We are looking forward to seeing all of them in just a few weeks.

Check out the Math Minutes Video Contest winners! Out of 73 entries, the top 8 videos were voted on during the month of April and those rankings are in this newsletter. Congratulations to all of our finalists! And, thank you to Doral Academy for their work in sorting through all of the submissions and determining the top 8 for us.

Congratulations to all of the 2025 Mu Alpha Theta graduates! We wish you all the best and hope to hear how you are using your math knowledge and skills in the world.

Don't forget that our store closes for the entire month of July.

#### **Rob Snow**

#### A message from the President

Hello all,

We've come to the end of another year already. Students are preparing to take their AP, IB, AICE exams for college credit after working hard to prepare. The National Convention registration has closed and preparations are underway for the event July 6-11. There will be a Zoom meeting on Sunday May 11 at 6pm Eastern for schools who have registered to ask questions as we lead up to July. I hope everyone has a well deserved summer break for another exciting year in 2025-26. I will be going out as President in July and passing the torch to Dr. Radleigh Santos. It has been a pleasure serving all of you and I hope to see you at future National Conventions. Thanks!

### 2025 National Convention (Orlando, FL) Don't forget to pack the essentials!



As you pack for the Convention, don't forget to bring a hat, sunscreen, medications, comfortable walking shoes, refillable water bottles, phone chargers, snacks, etc. These essentials will help ensure you have a comfortable and enjoyable experience. And just in case you need anything else, there will be a CVS nearby where you are staying.

# May Convention Meeting with Rob Snow and Student Delegates

Topic: Orlando Convention Zoom Meeting Date: May 11, 2025 Time: 06:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada) Sponsors: if you are registered for the convention, check your email for the zoom link!

# Scholarship Recipients



#### Cosmo Wu

Dulles High School Sugar Land, Texas High school scholarship winner Pictured with MA**O** Sponsor Marilupe Hren

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#### Callum Wilford

Braden River High School Bradenton, FL High school scholarship winner Pictured with MA**O** Sponsor Stephanie Palacios ge of Base <u>Log x</u> =<u>Ln x</u> Log b = <u>Ln b</u>

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#### Michael Ramos Jr.

Columbus High School Columbus, Georgia High school scholarship winner Pictured with MA**O** Sponsor Storie Atkins

#### **Timothy Kim**

Haynes Academy for Advanced Studies Metairie, Louisiana High school scholarship winner Pictured with MAØ Sponsor Rebecca Brennan and Principal Brent Vollenweider



# Scholarship Recipients

#### Georgia Coons & Fiona McKelvie

Cookeville High School Cookeville, Tennessee High school scholarship winners Pictured with MA**O** Sponsor Misty Waller



#### **Chapter Activities**

#### Stratford High School Goose Creek, SC

"Stratford High School's Chapter of Mu Alpha Theta hosts an annual schoolwide math competition for all students and faculty to participate in. This year, the competition was a digital escape room with questions ranging from Algebra 1 to Precalculus. The escape room required students to answer 4 math questions per room before finding the code to exit the school. The first 3 teams who submitted everything correctly won medals and are featured in the trophy case for a year."

"Stratford Mu Alpha Theta students compete annually in the College of Charleston Math Meet every February. I included pictures of the students who participated as well as a picture of the Physics Brainstorm Team which came in 3rd place." Submitted by MAO Sponsor Anne Hallett.



# 2025 MAO Math Minutes Video Contest **Final Ranking**



**UCNDERIV - U Can Derive This** Archbishop Curley High School Baltimore. MD



**SINETIME - Sine of the Times** Valley High School Valley, AL



UNDRCURV - Under The Curve **HSC Scholars Academy** Conway, SC



<u>AMOGSTAT - Using a t-test in Among Us</u> Valley Christian High School San Jose, CA



HEYTBERN - Hey there Bernoulli



**Trinity High School** St. Matthews, KY



#### <u>MIDPOINT - MIDPOINT</u>

St. Charles High School St. Charles, MO



PALOOZA - Probability Stratford High School Goose Creek, SC



<u> MALTLIVE - Mu Alpha Theta Live</u> Loganville Christian Academy Loganville, GA



School	City	State	Region
Mira Monte High School	Bakersfield	CA	1
Jacksonville High School	Jacksonville	AR	2
Legacy High School	Midland	ТХ	2
VR Eaton High School	Haslet	ТХ	2
Alabama Aerospace and Aviation High School	Bessemer	AL	3
Choctaw County High School	Butler	AL	3
Greenback School	Greenback	TN	3
Hatton High School	Town Creek	AL	3
Kearny High School	Kearny	NJ	3
Olentangy Liberty High School	Powell	ОН	3

New Chapters (04/01/25 - 04/30/25)



School	City	State	Region
STEM Innovation Academy of the Oranges	South Orange	NJ	3
Wicksburg High School	Newton	AL	3
Biglerville High School	Biglerville	РА	4
Greater Miami Hebrew Academy	Miami Beach	FL	4
Haverford Township High School	Havertown	РА	4
McEachern High School	Powder Springs	GA	4
North Allegheny High School	Wexford	РА	4
Tech Freire Charter High School	Philadelphia	РА	4

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# Important Dates

#### May 2025

2025 MA <b>O</b> National Convention (Orlando) registration CLOSES	May 1
MA <b>O</b> Math Minutes video winners announced	May 1
MA <b>O</b> Award winners posted	May 1
Memorial Day - National Office closed	May 26

#### June 2025

MAO Huneke Award applications due	June 15
Juneteeth Holiday - National Office closed	June 19
MA <b>O</b> store closes for the month of July	June 30

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