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Racine Symphony Young Artist Competition Open to Public

RACINE – (May 6, 2009) – RSO Announces Young Artist Winners

On Sunday, April 26th, the Racine Symphony Orchestra held a Young Artist Competition that was open to the public. Eight high school students from Racine County competed for three monetary awards. The monetary awards of $600, $400, and $300 were provided by the Educator's Credit Union.

The first place award winner was Bria Kaufman, a senior from Walden III High School, who plays the clarinet. She is the daughter of Dennis and Rebecca Kaufman. Second place was awarded to Daniel Ringwalt, a pianist who is in the 9th grade at Prairie School. His parents are Eric and Mary Ringwalt. The third place winner was Erin Martin, a vocalist who is home schooled by her parents, Steve and Rebecca Martin.

The judges for the event were Frances Bedford, Greg Berg, Andrew Massey and Darlene Rivest.

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