



# Glenbard Township High School District 87

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## **Glenbard South math team takes first in state competition**

Congratulations to Glenbard South High School for winning the state mathematics championships.

On April 22 Glenbard South's Math Team won first place in the 3AA division of the Illinois Council of Teachers of Mathematics 26th annual State Mathematics Contest. This is the best Glenbard South has done in state for the past 19 years. Mathematicians consider this contest to be one of the most difficult in the nation.

### **INDIVIDUAL AWARDS:**

Michael Wurtz (sophomore) - 2nd in GEOMETRY  
Luke Zinnen (junior) - 3rd in ALGEBRA 2  
Roger Sobie (senior) - 3rd in PRECALCULUS  
Rafal Ciechowski (senior) - 6th in PRECALCULUS

### **TEAM EVENTS:**

ALGEBRA 1 TEAM (Freshmen): 6th PLACE

Aniket Panjwani, Kalina Kassadjikova, Colin Hoffman, Luke Kurczab, Dan Wang, Alex Nye  
alternates: Ameer Helmi, Allison Dukes, Bryan Killian

GEOMETRY TEAM (Sophomores): 2nd PLACE

Michael Wurtz, Steve Hayman, Durga Thakral, Derek Wong, Vivian Yang, Oana Toma

ALGEBRA 2 TEAM (Juniors): 1st PLACE

Luke Zinnen, Chris Pauliks, Steve Guerin, Shelley Liu, Vickie Vuong, Emily Bragg

PRECALCULUS TEAM (Seniors): 2nd PLACE

Roger Sobie, Rafal Ciechowski, Brad Lyons, Jessica Tuan, Greg Gifford, Anne Glaudell

FRESHMAN/SOPHOMORE 8-PERSON TEAM: 5th PLACE

Vivian Yang, Oana Toma, Michael Wurtz, Durga Thakral, Aniket Panjwani, Colin Hoffman, Kalina Kassadjikova, Amanda Walborn

JUNIOR/SENIOR 8-PERSON TEAM: 2nd PLACE

Ashley Holmstrom, Jessica Tuan, Eric Bulman, Roger Sobie, Steve Guerin, Shelley Liu, Chris Pauliks, Luke Zinnen

CALCULATING TEAM: 2nd PLACE

Brad Lyons, David Lewis, Alex Grabenhofer, Steve Hayman, Alex Nye

FRESHMAN/SOPHOMORE 2-PERSON TEAM: (did not place)

Oana Toma, Vivian Yang

JUNIOR/SENIOR 2-PERSON TEAM: 2nd PLACE - tie

Brad Lyons, Roger Sobie

FRESHMAN/SOPHOMORE RELAY TEAMS: (did not place)

TEAM#1: Amanda Walborn, Aniket Panjwani, Bianca Zlatea, Michael Wurtz,  
alt. Colin Hoffman, Lydia Han

TEAM#2: Dan Wang, Alex Nye, Katie Glaudell, Liana Fedele, alt. Alison  
Anderson, Durga Thakral

JUNIOR/SENIOR RELAY TEAMS:

TEAM#1: (did not place)

Alex Grabenhofer, Chris Pauliks, Anne Glaudell, David Lewis alt. Robert  
LaRue, Amelia Yang

TEAM #2: 3rd PLACE

Jannah Song, Shelley Liu, Steve Guerin, Emily Bragg, Vickie Vuong,  
Luke Zinnen

Eric Bulman, Ashley Holmstrom, Jessica Tuan

ORALS EVENT: 8th PLACE

Ashley Holmstrom assisted by Anne Glaudell

TOTAL SCORE: 747 points

Gail Ellenbaum is the Math Team's head coach. Bob Dobosz and Haresh Harpalani are assistant coaches.

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