



*Ontario Chapter*

## NATS ONTARIO VOCAL SHOWCASE

### WINNER'S CONCERT

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 15, 2025

Welcome - Irene Ilic, President NATS Ontario, MC

Alice Malakhov (Kyra B.A. Millan)      Mandoline      C. Debussy

2<sup>nd</sup> place      Kate Livolsi (Kyra B.A. Millan)

#### **Classical Voice 07 - Ages 17/18**

Tayo Thomas (Marion Samuel-Stevens)      People Help the People      S. Aldred, Birdy

2<sup>nd</sup> place      Aspen Aasman (Erin Milly-Patey)

#### **Commercial Music 07 - Ages 17/18**

Ana Araujo (Kyra B.A. Millan)      I Don't Need a Roof      A. Lippa

2<sup>nd</sup> place      Jasper Lash (Jasper Lash)

#### **Musical Theatre 07 - Ages 17/18**

Kayla Kushnir (Marion Samuel-Stevens)      Spring Into Summer      L. McAlpine  
2<sup>nd</sup> place      Crystal Strachan (Marion Samuel-Stevens)

**Commercial Music 08 – Novice Adult (-30)**

Ella Davis (Marion Samuel-Stevens)      Watch What Happens      M. Legrand

**Musical Theatre 08 – 1<sup>st</sup> year**

Tina Foote (Erin Milley-Patey)

**Musical Theatre 13 – Novice Adult (30+)**

Alyssa Marrone (Irene Ilic)

**Classical Voice 19 – Novice Adult (30+)**

Nora Dawood (Denise Williams)      Pretty Funny      L. Mendez  
2<sup>nd</sup> place      Julia Skutelsky (Irene Ilic)

**Musical Theatre 12 – Novice Adult (-30)**

**Greetings - Great Lakes Region Governor, Lisa Cosens Brillon**

Amitida Sohrabi (Marion Samuel-Stevens)      Cigarettes      A. Sohrabi  
2<sup>nd</sup> place      Gabriela Santos (Marion Samuel-Stevens)

**Commercial Music 10 – Advanced Adult (-30)**

Mackenzie Smith (Kimberley Barber)      Si os partieredes al alba      I. Raminsh  
2<sup>nd</sup> place      Meera Sontam (Marion Samuel-Stevens)

**Classical Voice 12 – 3<sup>rd</sup> year (Soprano/Mezzo)**

Evelyn Esch (Leslie M. Fagan)

Amarilli mia bella

G. Caccini

2<sup>nd</sup> place

Keelyn Thorogood (Leslie M. Fagan)

**Classical Voice 10 – 2<sup>nd</sup> year (Soprano/Mezzo)**

Georgia Rutter (Marion Samuel-Stevens) Wishing You Were Somehow Here Again

A. Lloyd Webber

**Musical Theatre 09 – 2<sup>nd</sup> year**

**NATS Ontario Treasurer, Jennifer Swanson**

Alpha Montemayor (Tammy Whetham)

New York State of Mind

B. Joel

**Commercial Music 09 – Novice Adult (30+)**

Aoibhinn Macken-Luyt (Marion Samuel-Stevens) A Diagnosis R. Bloom, A. Shlesinger

2<sup>nd</sup> place

Mackenzie Smith (Kimberley Barber)

**Musical Theatre 10 – 3<sup>rd</sup> year**

Mary Komech (Allison Arends)

Ne poy, krasavitsa

S. Rachmaninoff

2<sup>nd</sup> place

Kara Prost (Irene Ilic)

**Classical Voice 21 – Advanced Adult (30+)**

Bianca Hopkins (Jennifer Budd)

Stupid With Love

J. Richmond

2<sup>nd</sup> place

Lucy Gill (Kimberly Barber)

**Musical Theatre 11 – 4<sup>th</sup> year**

Amye Buchan (Leslie M. Fagan)      Animal Passion      J. Heggie  
2<sup>nd</sup> place      Lucy Gill (Kimberly Barber)

**Classical Voice 14 – 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> year (Soprano/Mezzo)**

Nicolas Valeriote (Marion Samuel-Stevens)      If I Sing Loud Enough      N. Valeriote  
2<sup>nd</sup> place      Tristan Longman (Marion Samuel-Stevens)

**Commercial Music 29 – Self-Accompanied – Advanced Adult (-30)**

Kara Prost (Irene Ilic)      Green Finch and Linnet Bird      S. Sondheim  
2<sup>nd</sup> place      Kelly Harrigan (Renée Salewski)

**Musical Theatre 15 – Advanced Adult (30+)**

Meghan Mair (Kimberly Barber)      Chi il bel sogno di Doretta      G. Puccini

**Classical Voice 16 – Graduate (Soprano/Mezzo)**

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