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PHS Speech and Debate Team Competes at Freehold Township High School Tournament

(Fallsington, PA) – The Pennsbury High School Speech and Debate team made an impressive showing at the Freehold Township High School Tournament on Saturday, January 15.

PHS won nine individual awards led by Senior Ellie H., who won 1st place in Lincoln Douglas (Varsity). According to the National Speech and Debate Association, Lincoln-Douglas debate is a competitive speaking activity that involves two debaters arguing for and against a resolution. Lincoln- Douglas focuses on the conflicting values of social and philosophical issues, for example, by examining questions of morality, justice, democracy, etc.

Other winners included:

Ash S., Michael L., Noah G. - Extemporaneous Speaking

Olivia B., Rachel C. - Lincoln Douglas (Novice/JV)

Gabrielle B. - Lincoln Douglas (Varsity)

Jacob N., Vinay B. - Public Forum (Varsity)

Gianna M. - Impromptu

Congratulations to all of the Pennsbury competitors and Coach Chris Berdnik!



Pictured above (L to R): Chris Berdnik, Michael L., Gabrielle B., Ellie H., Jacob N., Vinay B., Ansh S., Gianna M., Olivia B., and Rachel C. Not pictured Noah G.