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CTC speech team members earn national honors

Members of the Central Texas College (CTC) Speech Team recently competed in the Phi Rho Pi National Forensics Tournament held recently in St. Charles, IL. Three members were recognized for their performances.

Tiffany Austin, won a silver medal in prose interpretation, which placed her second in the nation among community college participants. Earning a bronze medal and third in the nation status in poetry interpretation was Bryan Rivera.

A third team member, Micah Ables, received the Warren-Dahlin Fellowship Award for Students. The honor is voted on by participating students in the tournament for the person they feel best represents the values and ethics of speech competition.

“I couldn’t be more proud of our team and its accomplishments, said Shannon LaBove, team sponsor and CTC speech instructor. “From the pre-district events all the way through the regional tournament we kept seeing improvement and our presentations were getting stronger. The national awards are truly a testament to the students’ hard work and commitment and it very pleasing to see them rewarded in this manner.”

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