The 28th Annual Junior Beta Convention
December 1-3, 2019 | Renaissance Sea World, Orlando, FL

Gwen Young | State Chair
Tami Parish | State Sponsor
Laura Watford | State Sponsor Elect

Nathan Watford | President
Laney Keys | Vice President
Connor Infanti | Secretary

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Stephanie Paul
Brian Riviere

Status Sponsor
Barbara Hinson
Judy Cox
Edie Bentley

Shirley Owens
Sherry Taylor
Stephanie Paul

Total Clubs: 394
State Convention Club Attendance: 40
National Convention Club Attendance: 17

Total Members: 7,761
State Convention Attendance: 1,474
National Convention Attendance: 105
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<th><strong>SUNDAY</strong></th>
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<td>6:00 PM – 8:00 PM</td>
<td>Early Registration</td>
<td>Oceans Foyer</td>
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<td>6:00 PM</td>
<td>Living Literature (6:00 - 7:00 SET-UP) (7:00 - 7:45 JUDGING) (VIEWING WILL OCCUR AFTER JUDGING PROCESS IS FULLY COMPLETED)</td>
<td>Oceans 9-12</td>
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<th><strong>MONDAY</strong></th>
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<td>8:00 AM – 10:30 AM</td>
<td>Registration</td>
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<td>Coordinator Meeting</td>
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<td>Songfest Preliminaries (Performing Arts - Group Prelims will follow)</td>
<td>Oceans 1-8</td>
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<td>9:30 AM – 10:30 AM</td>
<td>Quiz Bowl Written Exam</td>
<td>Oceans 9-10</td>
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<td>Check–In: Visual Arts and Club Trading Pin</td>
<td>Coral Ballroom</td>
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<td>Marketing &amp; Communications</td>
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<td>State Officer Meeting</td>
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<td>Book Battle</td>
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<td>Speech</td>
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<td>Creative Writing</td>
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<td>Check-In and Interviews: Two Dimensional Design, Three Dimensional Design, Service Learning Showcase</td>
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<td>Check-In and Interviews: Apparel Design and Portfolio</td>
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<td>Robotics Showcase</td>
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**FIRST GENERAL SESSION**

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<td>3:00 PM</td>
<td>Performing Arts – Solo, Duo, Trio (Preliminaries)</td>
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<td>Engineering</td>
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<td>Quiz Bowl Finals</td>
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<td>4:00 PM – 5:00 PM</td>
<td>Viewing: Visual Arts, Club Trading Pin, Apparel Design, Portfolio, Two Dimensional Design, Three Dimensional Design, Service Learning Showcase (PICK UP AT 5:00 PM)</td>
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**Presiding:** Nathan Watford | President

**Pledge of Allegiance:** Renecia Hogans | Vernon Middle School

National Anthem

**Welcome and Introductions:** Nathan Watford | President

**Council Introductions:**
- Gwen Young | Council Chair
- Mr. Brandon Young | 1st Florida Junior Beta President

**Greetings from State Sponsor:** Tami Parish | State Sponsor

**Florida Teacher of the Year:** Dr. Dakeyan Graham

**Keynote Address:** Laney Keys | Vice President

**Songfest Finals**

**Adjournment:** Nathan Watford | President
**MONDAY**  December 2, 2019

6:00 PM  
**SECOND GENERAL SESSION**  Oceans 1- 8

**Presiding:** Laney Keys | Vice President  
**Keynote Address:** Connor Infanti | Secretary  
Chloe Thompson | National Vice-President  

Performing Arts – Solo, Duo, Trio Finals  
Campaign Rally  
Awards Presentation | Elementary  

**Adjournment:** Laney Keys | Vice President  

9:00 PM – 11:00 PM  
Dance  
Oceans 9 -12  

**TUESDAY**  December 3, 2019

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM  
Sponsor Meeting/Breakfast  
Palani  

10:00 AM  
**THIRD GENERAL SESSION**  Oceans 1- 8

**Presiding:** Connor Infinti | Secretary  
**Keynote Address:** Nathan Watford | President  

Installation of New State Officers  
Charge from the Council: Gwen Young | Council Chair  
Performing Arts – Group Finals  
Awards Presentation | Junior  

**Adjournment:** Newly Elected President  

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**Convention Growth Awards**

- Academy of the Holy Names  
- Bonifay K–8 School  
- Fort McCoy School  
- Graceville Middle School  
- Max Bruner, Jr. Middle School  
- Poplar Springs Middle School  
- Trinity Christian School of Palm Beach Gardens
VOTING PROCEDURE

Pre-registered members will vote using the membership number printed on his/her name badge. Electronic voting may be done on smart phones, iPads, etc. Because ID numbers will be used for a member to vote, a device can be used for more than one member. Report to the registration area for members if they do not have a device available or if a membership number is not printed on their badge.

Steps for Voting

1. Visit www.betachurch.org/vote on the device
2. Enter membership ID number
3. Choose one candidate per office for state office
4. Submit vote
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ELEMENTARY

1. Fort McCoy School
2. Graceville Elementary School

JUNIOR

1. Max Bruner, Jr. Middle School
2. Wolf Lake Middle School
3. Poplar Springs Middle School
4. Milwee Middle School
5. Academy of the Holy Names
6. DeLand Middle School
7. Indian Trails Middle School
8. Vernon Middle School

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JUNIOR – GROUP

1. Trinity Christian School of Palm Beach Gardens
2. Rock Lake Middle School
3. Milwee Middle School
4. Academy of the Holy Names
5. Discovery Middle School
6. Ocoee Middle School
7. High Springs Community School
8. North Bay Haven Middle School
9. Holy Redeemer Catholic School
10. Graceville Middle School
11. Fort McCoy School
12. Liberty Middle School
13. Bonifay K-8 School
14. South Seminole Middle School
15. Wolf Lake Middle School

ELEMENTARY – SOLO, DUO, TRIO

1. Fort McCoy School
2. Trinity Christian School
3. Holy Redeemer Catholic School
4. Trinity Christian School of Palm Beach Gardens

JUNIOR – SOLO, DUO, TRIO

1. Graceville Middle School
2. Palm Pointe Educational Research School
3. Liberty Middle School
4. DeLand Middle School
5. Max Bruner, Jr. Middle School
6. Academy of the Holy Names
7. South Seminole Academy
8. Wolf Lake Middle School
9. Bonifay K-8 School
10. Ocoee Middle School
11. Rock Lake Middle School
12. Marianna Middle School
13. Milwee Middle School
14. Discovery Middle School
15. Vernon Middle School
16. Trinity Christian School of Palm Beach Gardens
17. Breakfast Point Academy
18. Fort McCoy School
19. Freedom Middle School
20. High Springs Community School
21. Holy Redeemer Catholic School
22. Mount Dora Christian Academy
23. North Bay Haven Middle School
24. Indian Trails Middle School
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DRESS CODE FOR DANCE

Students are required to wear jeans (with no holes above the knees) and a school or club shirt.

SMOKING POLICY

No use of any tobacco products, including cigarettes, e-cigarettes (vaping), and “spit tobacco” will be allowed within facilities of the National Beta Club Convention or at any Beta Club function at any time.