

BC Talks: 3rd Annual Speech Contest

In conjunction with College Read
Wednesday, April 10, 2019
2:30pm to 4:00pm
22/136 Auditorium

WELCOME

Jason Anfinsen, Host

COMMUNICATION ADMINISTRATORS

Jamonica Rolle
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Speech Faculty, Central
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CONTEST JUDGES

Kimberly Kamuca
Voting Judge - North Campus
Victoria Ng,
Voting Judge - Central Campus
Cornelius Brownlee,
Voting Judge - South Campus
Janea Judge-Hemans,
Counting Judge & Timekeeper - North Campus

SPEAKERS

Nadjae Williams
Go Hard or Go Home
Nathan Jaramillo
Tough Choices, Big Changes
Katherine Thompson
Reconnect, Remember, & Reign
Carlos Fernandez
Never Giving Up

Dominique Jackson A Night to Remember Jordan Chatmon There Is No '1' in Team Scarlett Chirino The Camino of Life

MUSICAL PERFORMANCES

Javier Pemberton, Singer All of Me by John Legend Sean Taggart, Singer & Guitarist 1979 by The Smashing Pumpkins

ANNOUNCEMENT OF WINNERS

REFRESHMENTS

ABOUT: BC Talks: Speech Contest will provide a platform to exhibit the spoken expressions of our student body as it relates to topics from 2018-2019 College Read's book, *The Moth Presents All These Wonders*.

The book is a collection of stories about facing the unknown. Readers will encounter: an astronomer gazing at the surface of Pluto for the first time; an Afghan refugee learning how much her father sacrificed to save their family; a hip-hop star coming to terms with being a "one-hit wonder;" a young female spy risking everything as part of Churchill's "secret army" during World War II, and more.

Stories focused on one of the major topics in the book:

- a time you did something you never thought you'd do
- a time your relationship with someone you love changed
- a time that you took a risk or decided NOT to take the risk
- a time you tried to be something you weren't

Refreshments provided by Student Life of Central Campus.