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Assemblywoman Pilar Schiavo Announces the 2023 Young Community Leader Awards for Outstanding Students

SANTA CLARITA - Assemblywoman Pilar Schiavo is pleased to announce the recipients of the 2023 Young Community Leader Awards, a program aimed at recognizing and honoring exceptional students within the 40th Assembly District. These awards are designed to acknowledge students who exemplify leadership qualities, demonstrate a passion for community or volunteerism, exhibit resilience and persistence, and display empathy and compassion for their peers and the broader community.

Young Community Award Recipients

Albert Einstein High School

Jazmin De La Cruz
Robin Hernandez

Castaic Middle School

Griffin Whitlatch
Andres Mejia Lopez

Chatsworth Park Urban Planning and Community

Magnet Elementary School

Mina Amiry
Isabella Gomez
Connor Jones

Frost Middle School

Natalie Michels
Ethan Kilimnik
Jackson Kimball

Golden Valley High School

Danielle Cox

John F. Kennedy High School

Selkie Manugian
Alyssa Encina
Athena Rigopoulos
Ashley Richard-Gantka
Mazel Ceniza
Talia Goldin

Mint Canyon Community School

Antonio Breckenridge
Keily Gonzalez De Leon
Santiago Chavez

Mitchell Community School

Jesus Sanchez
Lauren Crawford
Nathan Blodgett

Newhall Elementary School

Natalia Brynjolfsdottir
Maria Valadez
Nathalia Alvarez

Peachland Elementary School

Amelia Mercy
Edward Estrada

Pico Canyon Elementary

Noah Del Torro
Savannah Dameron
Braeden Krevor
Madeline Krevor
Divya Tata
Elijah Kang

Rancho Pico Junior High

Tristyn Nelson
Adhvik Ram
Govind Sudan
Caleb Jones-Moreno

Valley Charter Middle School

Valeria Martinez
Ixchel Robles
Max Mitchell

Vintage Math, Science, Technology Magnet

Elliott Trainor
Alexander Carcano
Jason Blalock

West Creek Academy

Packiya Ramalingham
Jason Tan
Allison Griffiths

Wiley Canyon Elementary

Jaxon Choy

Assemblywoman Schiavo expresses her gratitude for the dedication and hard work of educators, administrators, and principals within the 40th Assembly District. Their tireless efforts in supporting the growth and development of students make these awards possible.

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Assemblywoman Pilar Schiavo was elected to the California State Assembly in November of 2022 to represent the 40th Assembly District, representing the Northwest San Fernando Valley and the Santa Clarita Valley. Upon her election, she was appointed as Assistant Majority Whip by the Speaker of the Assembly. Prior to her election, Assemblywoman Schiavo was a Nurse Advocate and Small Business Owner who worked in the labor movement for more than 20 years. Throughout her career, Assemblywoman Schiavo helped deliver healthcare, including reproductive healthcare, to more than one million people. In the Northwest San Fernando Valley, she co-founded an organization that helped secure housing for Veterans experiencing homelessness, has delivered more than 50,000 meals to people in need, and increased resources to help keep our communities safe. Assemblywoman Schiavo lives in Chatsworth with her daughter Sofia where they love to hike in the Santa Susana Mountains.