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MAGIC ON THE MESA

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Multiple sports and after-school activities fill time slots of students, so it can be easy to overlook the exciting events that Pueblo County High School's Drama Club has going on year-round! Their first play, the humorous production of "Clue," was a success. The show proved to be a great start, and the drama club members had more tricks up their sleeves to entertain the public.

The big project that members in the St. Charles Mesa prepared for this November was "Magic on the Mesa." This event took place on November 29 from 6-8:30 P.M., attracting hundreds of spectators.

Beforehand, there was an art gallery featuring art from the Mesa and Avondale area schools. Even the art department at County joined in, and showcased the talent that the art students have.

After the art gallery show, more than 400 students from the surrounding elementary and middle schools joined with County's band, choir, and art departments in singing, dancing, and performing drama skits.



Melissa Barr, a drama student at County, wrote the skits that were performed. Some of the skits included "Santa Clause," "The Misfit Toys," and a rendition of "How the Grinch Stole Christmas."

The auditorium at Pueblo County was completely filled with parents of the performers and other community members, who were there to be entertained.

"Magic on the Mesa" was an enjoyable event for all who were involved. The art was incredible and the productions never skipped a beat.

Who was the first to sign the Declaration of Independence?

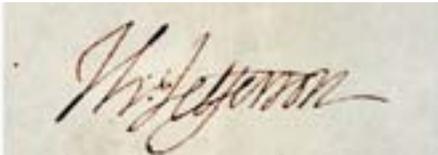
Journalism and yearbook students conducted a poll regarding the topic of who was the first person to sign the Declaration of Independence. Collecting results from the whole school, the following data demonstrate the thoughts of the Pueblo County's students.



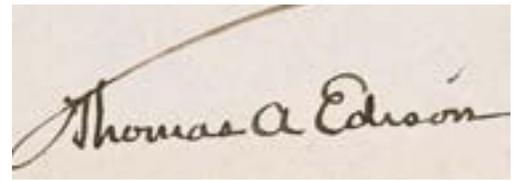
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George Washington:
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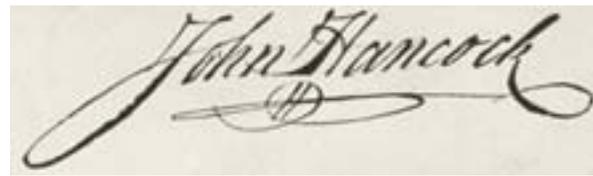
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Thomas Eddison:
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Benjamin Franklin:
1 vote



John Hancock:
7 votes

The first person to actually sign the Declaration of Independence was John Hancock.