



NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

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## THANKSGIVING ESSAYS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

DAVID CARLUCCI December 2, 2014



Dear Participant,

Thank you for your wonderful contribution to the Thanksgiving Day Creative Celebration. We received outstanding poems, essays, and artwork that exemplify the creativity of New York State's young people.

The submissions received are remarkable in what they represent – showing gratitude and respect for family, friends, our troops fighting overseas, and many other important subjects

and activities. I am humbled and honored to see such inspiring contributions in response to what is a deceptively difficult question: “What are you thankful for?”

On behalf of the New York State Senate, I would like to offer my wholehearted congratulations to all of the participants in this year’s Thanksgiving Day Creative Celebration.

Sincerely,

Senator David Carlucci

## **A. MacArthur Barr Middle School**

- Angelo Blanda
- James Dingman
- Nina Katz
- Jamie Landsman
- Ella Posner

## **Anne M. Dorner**

- Brianna Solis

## **ASHAR**

- Saritti Jacobson

## **Cornerstone Christian School**

- Michael Baker

## **George W Miller Elementary School**

- Victoria Anschick
- Shane Ethakkan
- Swampna George
- Cara Guarascio
- Nashra Qaiser
- Hira Sajid
- Bryan Santana

## **Highview Elementary**

- Keira Devine

## **New City Elementary**

- Anthony DiFalco
- Alejandro Rivera

## **South Orangetown Middle School**

- Caitlin Donohue
- Juliana Guarracino

## **Tappan Zee Elementary School**

- Sarah Kate Ryan

## **Viola Elementary School**

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## **William O. Schaefer**

- Sarah Kate Ryan
- Jeddy Ryan
- Lorelai Ryan