

## SPRING 2012 YOUTH REPORT

The latest report I have received from AISMemSec says there are 249 youth members, up from the 232 we had last fall. Region 18 has the most with 58, followed closely by Region 14 with 47. There are currently 3 active Classroom Iris Projects, two in Region 18 - the City Academy CIP and the American Heritage Girls CIP. The other CIP is in Region 13 at the Crest Learning Center.

We have 8 young people attending the Convention this year, ranging in age from 8 years old to 16 years old. Two of the youth are from Australia!

The winner of the Clarke Cosgrove Memorial Award for Youth Achievement is Claire Harding of Weatherford, Texas in Region 17. First Runner-up is Sarah M. Green of Lincoln, Nebraska in Region 21. Second Runner-up is Megan Pennington of Beaufort, Missouri in Region 18.

Claire is here to accept her award. The others will receive their awards from a regional representative.

I will announce the winners of the Ackerman Essay Contest at the board meeting.