

OTR 2026 Speleo-Olympics — Best Caver

Best Caver Award

Most placements across contests — 3 points for 1st, 2 for 2nd, 1 for 3rd in a division.

Place	Caver	Badge #	Grotto	Points	1st	2nd	3rd
1st	Jonathan Welles	199	Northern New Jersey Grotto	7	1	2	0
2nd	Gabriella Welles	928	Northern New Jersey Grotto	6	2	0	0
2nd	John Hawkins	1130	Saint Joseph Valley Grotto	6	2	0	0
2nd	Peter Hertl	1014	Triangle Troglodytes Grotto	6	2	0	0
5	Ollie Manecke	911-G1	WVOC	5	1	1	0
6	Jeremy Roche	199-G2	Northern New Jersey Grotto	5	1	0	2
7	Elijah Yearick	157	Seven Valleys Grotto	4	1	0	1
7	Sean Waggy	569	Monongahela Grotto	4	1	0	1
7	Steven Luke	33	Potomac Speleological Club (PSC)	4	1	0	1
7	Susan Fiscor	259	VPI Cave Club	4	1	0	1

Scored by the OTR registration system. Ages as of Thursday, Sept 3, 2026.