## Southern California Junior Forensic League

The Largest League in the World!

#### **The First Annual SCJFL Winter Elementary Tournament**

Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Roosevelt Elementary School – San Gabriel, California

Nova 42 Academy is proud to organize this tournament with Roosevelt Elementary As this is the first tournament we are offering for Elementary students, It will be open to any Southern California based Elementary School without a school fee!

League Fees will be waived for this first tournament – come check out how the SCJFL runs a tournament!

This tournament is open for students 3<sup>rd</sup> grade to 5<sup>th</sup> grade.

We will be offering the following events and will allow single entry in Pattern A

AND single entry in Pattern B

#### PATTERN A EVENTS (Please enter only one Pattern A event)

Impromptu – 3 minutes of preparation and a 5 minute speech – note card allowed (topics will be concrete nouns, abstract nouns, quotations and a special surprise in Finals)

**Storytelling** – 5 minute speech – no notebook allowed (students are allowed to use a chair as a prop in their speech)

**Poetry** – 5 minute speech – small notebook required / no props allowed (topics will be concrete nouns, abstract nouns, quotations and a special surprise in Finals)

**Duo Interpretation** – 6 to 8 minute speech – partners must not look at our touch each other (any published or Internet published piece – no props or costumes)

**Expository** – 5 to 7 minute speech – Visual Aids (boards) are encouraged (time includes easel and board set-up / time starts when contestants name is called)

**Interpretation** – 6 to 8 minute speech – Published piece available in book form or online (can not be transcribed or commissioned – no visual aids or props allowed)

#### PATTERN B EVENTS (Please enter only one Pattern B event)

**SPAR Debate** – Stanford Style – all contestants can ask questions during Cross (2 min Prep, 2 min Pro Case, 2 min Con Case, 3 min open Cross, 2 min Pro Rebuttal, 2 min Con Rebuttal)

**Public Forum Debate** — Modified times (see below) — Sept/Oct topic (4 min Cases, 2 min Cross Fire, 3 min Rebuttals, 2 min Cross, 2 min Summaries, 3 min Grand Cross, 2 min Final Focuses / 3 min Prep)

**Student Congress** – 4 bills – Legislation created by and P.O. assigned by tournament (2 min Author Speech – 3 min Aff or Neg Speeches – 1 min guestioning / bills posted on October 20th)

# **SCJFL WINTER ELEMENTARY**

### **SCHEDULE**

8:00am	Registration-	Outside of Cafeteria
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**8:30am** Round 1 - Pattern B (Debate Events)

**10:00am** Round 2 – Pattern B (Debate Events)

11:30am **LUNCH** 

**12:00 noon** Round 1 Pattern A (Individual Events)

**1:00pm** Round 3 Pattern B (Debate Events – powermatched)

2:30pm Round 2 Pattern A (Individual Events)
3:30pm Round 3 Pattern A (Individual Events)

**4:30pm** FINALS Pattern B (Debate Events)

**5:30pm** FINALS Pattern A (Individual Events)

6:30pm AWARDS CEREMONY