

FEDERAL WAY INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT
Federal Way High School, 30611 16th Avenue South, Federal Way, WA 98003

December, 2010

Dear Coach,

You are cordially invited to attend the Federal Way Invitational Speech and Debate Tournament on January 14-15, 2011. We are offering Cross Examination, Public Forum, Congressional Debate and all of the Washington State Individual Events in open division. In Lincoln Douglas Debate we will have open and junior division. We are a TOC qualifier in open LD Debate at the final level. Please check the schedule, as we are running all IE's in one pattern. The January-February LD topic will be used: R: *In the United States, juveniles charged with violent felonies ought to be treated as adults in the criminal justice system.* A reminder that Congress will be using the second packet of legislation at the tournament. State rules apply in all events. Please refer to the current WSFA Guide, and note the 10 minute time in Duo, DI, HI, and Oratory. You are encouraged to enter your novice speakers in IE's in preparation for upcoming quals and the state tournament. Trophies will be given to the first three places in each event and finalist will also receive awards. The top novice competitor in the IE event will be recognized. Coaches at registration if you would give me a list of your novice competitors that would assure that they would be acknowledged.

Your registration is due Tuesday, January 11th by 6:00 PM. Tournament entries and fees are set at that time. Registration will be online at <http://www.forensictournament.net>. Drops after Tuesday will not be deducted from the entry fees, nor will adds be made. It is vital that any drops are made prior to the day of the tournament if possible. If you have any questions/concerns the best way to contact me is by phone: Cell # 253-988-7649 or at gornel@aol.com,

We are looking forward to seeing you and your team in January. Have a wonderful Holiday Season, relax and enjoy a well deserved break!

As Always,

Lois Gorne

FEDERAL WAY INVITATIONAL 2011 GENERAL INFORMATION

DIVISIONS:

I.E.'S	Open	CONGRESSIONAL DEBATE	Open
LD	Open, Junior	PUBLIC FORUM	Open
DEBATE	Open		CX

CONFLICTS:

All Individual Events conflict, however students may enter two events within the pattern. There is ample time for your students to double enter in IE. Students should check in with their judges so the judges wait for all competitors. Congress conflicts with debate.

LIMITATIONS:

CX/LD DEBATE: Maximum of 6 teams per school, split as you wish.
PUBLIC FORUM: Maximum of 4 teams per school.
I.E: 20 total entries per school. You are limited to a maximum of 6 entries per event. Coaches wishing to register more may enter a second squad, space permitting. The second squad needs to be registered on a separate registration form.
CONGRESS: Maximum of 6 total entries per school.

JUDGES:

Each judge covers 5 IE entries, and 2 debate teams. Adult judges only, you must provide enough judges to cover your entries. Please make a note on the judge form which type of debate they are qualified to judge, and in congress indicate a separate judge and if they are a scorer or parliamentarian. If a school does not bring enough judges, entries will be dropped. ALL judges must check in and complete a judging form.

FEES:

The school registration fee is \$30.00, if a second squad is entered it is an additional \$30.00. \$18.00 per CX Team, \$10.00 per LD entry, \$18.00 per Public Forum Team, \$18.00 for a Duo Team, \$10.00 per I.E. entry and \$8.00 per Congressional Debate entry. Payment of fees are due at registration. Acceptable methods of payment are: 1) School check, 2) School of District PO, 3) Personal check. Make checks payable to *Federal Way High School Debate*. Payment must be made before you team can compete. Your entry can be seen at anytime on <http://www.forensictournament.net>. This will be your confirmation. You will receive a receipt for your fees when you arrive.

SUPERVISION:

The WIAA/WSFA requires that a certified coach/staff member from each school

or school district supervise the competitors at all times. Failure to comply will result in the school forfeiture from the tournament. Coaches please inform you students that they are not to enter the room until the judge is present. Also make your judges and students aware the *“tampering with the school’s technology is strictly prohibited; this includes the use of computers or equipment, disconnecting any plugs or cable, etc. Failure to abide by this standard will result in the student or judge’s removal from the tournament plus any potential charges as a result of the infraction.”*

DIRECTIONS:

Take the 320th exit off of I-5, go west on 320th past the Commons to Pacific Hwy. (99), turn right, continue on Pacific Hwy. to 308th, turn left at the light. The school is on your right, continue to the back parking lot which is a right turn on 14th Ave S. This is the most accessible to the cafeteria entrance, where the students can congregate. Registration for coaches/judge check in is in the library. The coach and judge area is in the little theatre where the ballots will be distributed. Federal Way has a closed tab room.

FOOD:

Concessions will be sold in the cafeteria during the tournament, and if your schedule allows, there are numerous fast food restaurants in the area.

LODGING:

For those of you traveling from a distance and require lodging, the following is a list of some of the area hotel/motels that are close to the tournament site.

Best Western Federal Way Executel
31611 20th South
Federal Way, WA 98003-5426
Phone # 253-941-6000

Comfort Inn-Federal Way
31622 Pacific Hwy South
Federal Way, WA 98003-5408
Phone # 253-529-0101

Courtyard by Marriott
31910 Gateway Ctr Blvd
Federal Way, WA 98003-5638
Phone # 253-529-0200

Super 8 Motels-Federal Way
1688 South 348th
Federal Way, WA 98003-8915
Phone # 253-838-8808

Travelodge of Federal Way
1505 South 328th
Federal Way, WA

Phone # 253-838-7700

FEDERAL WAY INVITATIONAL SCHEDULE

Friday, January 14, 2011

2:30	Registration	FWHS Library	
3:30	Round I	CX/LD Debate Public Forum	Round I Open LD
4:00	Session I	Congressional Debate	
5:30	Round II	CX/LD Debate Public Forum	Round II Open LD
7:00	Session II	Congressional Debate	
7:30	Round III	CX/LD Debate Public Forum	Round III Open LD

Saturday, January 15, 2011

7:00	Registration	IE schools only	Judges check in the Library
7:30	Round I	IE All Events (Extemp draw at 7:30)	
9:00	Round IV	CX/LD Debate Public Forum Super Congress	Round IV Open LD
11:00	Round II	IE All Events (Extemp draw at 11:00)	
12:30	Round V	CX/LD Debate Public Forum Super Congress	Round V Open LD
2:30	Round III	IE All Events (Extemp draw at 2:30)	

4:00	Round V	CX/LD Debate Public Forum	Round VI Open LD
6:00	FINALS	IE All Events	(Extemp draw at 6:00)
7:30	FINALS	CX/LD Debate Public Forum	Round VII Open LD (LD may be adjusted)
8:00	(ASAP)	AWARDS	