

Wildcat Classic 2018



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North Little Rock High School is pleased to invite you and your students to the Wildcat Classic and Junior High Invitational 2018 on Friday, November 30 and Saturday, December 1, 2018. The tournament will be located at North Little Rock High School located at 201 West 22nd Street North Little Rock, AR 72114.

All entries should be registered online @ Tabroom.com. Please read the instructions for restrictions and double entries online on the registration page. **Students MAY NOT enter two draw events.**

The North Little Rock Charging Wildcat Classic Tournament is a qualifying tournament for the ACTAA State Tournament of Champions in April. We will offer sweepstakes awards to large schools and small schools in the high school division only. Note that the entry form asks for your AAA designation. We will also have trophies for top 6 finalists in IE's for High School, and certificates for the top 6 finalists in IE's for Junior High competitors.

Please be familiar with the ACTAA rule changes and new events. Some event rules have changed as of this year are located at www.ACTAA.net.

Entry Requirements:

· Tournament entries should be made through Tabroom. **The deadline for entries is Monday November 26th by 4:00 PM. Thanksgiving break is right around this time. Please plan accordingly.** First and last names should be on each entry. All entries must be specified upon registration. **NO OPEN ENTRIES WILL BE ALLOWED** after the deadline.

Fees:

Individual Events are \$10, Group Events are \$20, Team Events are \$20, and Student Congress is \$10. There is also a school entry fee of \$25 per school.

· **Junior High Events:** We will offer one prelim round in all Junior High Individual Events, which will advance to either semifinals or straight to finals, depending on the amount of entries. Pattern A and B are the same as the high school division.

· **Individual Events:** Pattern A (INF, OO, DUO, DI, HI, POI, ISP) will have 2 prelim rounds on Friday evening. Pattern B (Poetry, Prose, Storytelling, EX, and Improvised Duet Acting) will have one prelim round and will then advance to the appropriate elimination round. Look very closely at the updated schedule.

· **Debate Events:** Novice Policy, Varsity Policy, Big Question, Novice LD, Varsity LD, Novice PF and Varsity PF will be offered. **Debate entries will be limited to six (6) entries per category due to space.** One qualified debate judge for every 2 debate entries is expected.

· **Student Congress:** We will be taking bill submissions for our Student Congress competition. **Bills are due by November 14, 2018 by 4:00 PM.** Bills should be submitted to stanleyk@nlrsd.org and must follow NSDA format. We will allow two bills submissions per school. Students may enter student congress as a consolation event and will need to contact Tab by 11:59 pm on Friday night of tournament. Money for those entries is due in cash only

at Saturday morning reregistration. The docket will be posted and additional legislation submitted by participating schools will be sent November 16th.

- **Group Events:** In Reader's Theatre and Words and Music, each school may submit only **one** entry per event. Coaches **MUST** have proof of performance/royalties with them at check-in time.
- Students **MAY NOT** enter into two draw events. **Double-entered students will be responsible for making both events in the time frame provided. Judges will not wait for students after the round has ended. As the tournament advances, students may have to choose between events.**
- There will be no refunds for students who miss their round for **any** reason. No refunds will be provided for individual events dropped after the deadline. **We reserve the right to collapse, condense, or eliminate events if there are not enough entries.**

After the deadline for entries, if you have any drops or adds, email them directly to Rachel Mauchline at rachelmauchline@gmail.com. You will be charged a fee for each drop/add.

Judging Requirements:

One qualified judge must be provided for every ten individual event entries. Additionally, a debate judge must be provided for every two debate entries. You are welcome to provide additional judges! For every additional judge above your required, \$10 will be taken from your invoice!

Because qualified debate judges are difficult to find, it is imperative that your judging slate arrive and are viable options. If it is found that your judges do not arrive, your teams may have to be forfeited. A \$10 judge fee will be charged to pay for hired judges if there are uncovered rounds.

We will provide concessions for students and hospitality for coaches and judges both days of the tournament. Pizza, nachos, and chick-fil-a will be some of the options. Our school will be in session until 3:34 p.m. on the 30th, so **please do not arrive on campus before 3:45 p.m.** Advise students that NLR High School is a non-smoking campus. Tournament will follow ACTAA rules and guidelines. Tournament rules are listed on the ACTAA website.

We hope that you and your students will be able to join us. Again, the deadlines are **November 14th for Student Congress submissions and November 26th for all other tournament entries.**

Please feel free to contact Mike Noland at 501-766-1180 or Kim Stanley 501-912-5611 with any questions.

For additional information please check our Speech and Drama Website at <https://sites.google.com/nlrtd.org/nlr-theatre-arts/home>

Sincerely,

Madison Russell, Maria Posadas & Ty Collins
Student Tournament Directors

North Little Rock High School

Wildcat Classic TENTATIVE Schedule

Debate: Policy, LD, PF & Big Question

Friday, November 30th, 2018

4:15 – 6:15 Round I
 6:20 – 8:00 Round II
 8:00 – 9:30 Round III

Saturday, December 1st, 2018

7:45 – 9:45 Quarters
 10:15 – 11:45 Semis
 12:30 – 2:00 Finals

Congress

Saturday, December 1st, 2018

7:45 – 9:45 Session I
 10:00 – 12:00 Session II
 12:30 – 2:30 Super Session

High School Forensics

Friday, November 30th, 2018

4:30 – 6:00 Pattern A
 Round I
 6:15 – 7:45 Pattern A
 Round II

Saturday, December 1st, 2018

7:30-8:00 Extemp
 Draw
 8:00 – 9:30 Pattern A
 Semis
 8:00 – 9:30 Pattern B
 Prelims
 9:30 - 10:15 Readers
 Theatre
 10:15 – 11:15 Pattern A
 Finals
 10:00 – 10:30 Extemp
 Draw
 10:15 – 11:45 Pattern B
 Semis
 12:00 - 12:45 Words
 and Music
 12:30-1:00 Extemp
 Draw

1:00-2:30 Pattern B
 Finals

Pattern A: INF, HI, DI, OO,
 DUO, POI, ISP

Pattern B: ST, PO, PR,
 IDA, EX

Junior High Forensics

Friday, November 30th, 2018

4:30 – 6:00 Pattern A
 Prelims
 6:30 – 8:00 Pattern A
 Semis

Saturday, December 1st, 2018

7:30-8:00 Extemp
 Draw
 8:00 – 9:30 Pattern A
 Finals
 8:00 – 9:30 Pattern B
 Prelims
 9:30 - 10:15 Readers
 Theatre
 10:00 – 10:30 Extemp
 Draw
 10:15 – 11:45 Pattern B
 Semis
 12:00 - 12:45 Words
 and Music
 12:30-1:00 Extemp
 Draw
 1:00-2:30 Pattern B
 Finals