Red Rock Classic 2019:

THE RISE OF SKYWALKER EDITION

Grand County High School welcomes all competitors for this fun, two-day tournament to kick off Winter Break! The stars are aligned this year as our theme celebrates Star Wars on the same weekend The Rise of Skywalker premieres. Details for a late night showing on Friday will be emailed closer to the tournament date. Students may enter in both Debate and IEs; Double-entry is allowed in each IE pattern, except for Extemp, Parli, and Character Congress. Please refer to tabroom for more information about our unique event offerings. We look forward to hosting your team!

Debate Events: Lincoln-Douglas, Public Forum, Policy, Congress **IE Pattern A:** Informative, Impromptu, POI, Duo, Storytelling, Parli

IE Pattern B: Oratory, Extemp (Combined), HI, DI, SpAr, Character Congress

Topics:

• LD & PF: November/December Topic

• Policy: 2019-20 NSDA Resolution

• Congress: UDCA Legislation. Students can set docket in session.

• **Extemp:** A Mixture of International & National each round. Some of the new hypothetical situation questions provided by the NFHS may also be included.

- **Impromptu:** 1st round words/names; 2nd round quotations; 3rd round one word, one quotation, one question. Blend of random, current events, and theme-appropriate topics.
- **SpAr:** Topics will include lighthearted, serious, and theme-appropriate resolutions.
- Parli: Each round will have a policy resolution, a value resolution, and a quotation.
- Character Congress: Two pieces of legislation set for each round. Bills for each round will be selected from UDCA or NSDA and will be announced closer to tournament date.

Schedule:

Friday, 12/20

 3:00-5:00 Debate Rd 1
 3:00-5:30 Congress Session 1

 5:00-7:00 Debate Rd 2
 6:00-8:30 Congress Session 2

7:00-9:00 Debate Rd 3

Saturday, 12/21

8:00-9:30 IE Pattern A Rd 1 2:30-4:00 IE Pattern A Rd 3 9:30-11:00 IE Pattern B Rd 1 4:00-5:30 IE Pattern B Rd 3 11:00-12:30 IE Pattern A Rd 2 6:00 Awards Ceremony

1:00-2:30 IE Pattern B Rd 2

Fees & Judging:

- \$15 per school per day and \$4.00 per student per event per day
- 1 judge for every 6 IEs per pattern, and 1 judge for every 4 debates.
- Please instruct judges to have a Tabroom account set up linked to your judge entry beforehand, and to bring a device for online balloting. We will have some computers available for entering feedback after, but everything will go more smoothly and quickly if the majority of judges are using their own devices.



Food: Concessions will sell snacks and dinner on Friday until 8:00 pm; Breakfast, lunch, and snacks on Saturday until 3:00 pm. Meals, snacks, and beverages will be provided to judges and coaches.

Room Use: Please remind your students to respect all school property and to return chairs, desks, etc. back to where they were originally.

Awards: All awards are theme-oriented! Medals awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each event. Awesome, unique trophies await 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place teams in overall sweepstakes.

Location: Grand County High School, 608 S 400 E, Moab UT 84532

Suggested Hotel: Big Horn Lodge, 550 S Main St, Moab UT 84532, (435)259-6171. Let them know it is for Speech & Debate tournament to ensure a \$59/night rate!

Crosswalk Safety: When walking around town (especially crossing Main Street), please encourage the students and adults to walk to a cross walk in order to cross. We had a FATAL accident earlier this year, and our community wants everyone to be safe!

Contact Info: Please feel free to email or call with any questions/confusions. Head Coach, Carrie Strecker. (435)719-4859. streckerc@grandschools.org