

We cordially invite you to the **Brookfield East Forensics St. Patrick's Day Extravaganza**. We look forward to hosting our 22nd annual tournament on **Saturday, March 17th**.

Registration: We hope you will find it simple to **register on line** – if you are new to Tabroom.com, we appreciate your patience in entering your students in both the system and the tournament. After that – it's easy! Go to: <http://tinyurl.com/BEHS2012>

Entries: We are offering all WFCAs events, and will follow all WFCAs rules. In addition, we are offering the NCFL category of Oratorical Declamation for 9th and 10th graders only. NCFL rules will apply. **NO DOUBLE ENTRIES ALLOWED.**

Judges: You must provide one well-qualified judge for each five entries or fraction thereof. A limited number of hired judges will be available at the cost of \$100 each and must be requested by March 13. ALL judges are required to remain available until the power rounds are underway. Please be sure that your judges understand and use WFCAs rules as their judging criteria.

PLEASE NOTE! Back by popular demand this year, and in an effort to provide valuable feedback to students, judges will be asked to write an abbreviated critique in all final rounds.

Awards: Individual trophies will be awarded to the top three finishers in each event, with medals to all remaining finalists. The top three large teams will receive sweepstakes awards based on the prelim scores of your best 25 entries. The top three small entry teams (entry limit determined on tournament day) will receive small team awards based on quality point.

Deadlines: **Please be sure to submit your entry by Monday, March 12.** After that, your entry fees and judge obligations are firm and cannot be reduced by drops. Please continue to record drops or judge changes online until noon on Thursday, March 15.

Food: Snack and lunch items will be available for sale throughout the day in the cafeteria. Judges will have a hospitality room with refreshments all day. We thank you for supporting our program and keeping the tournament running on time by purchasing lunch at the tournament.

Call In Saturday: Every team must confirm entries by telephone between 6:30 am and 7:15 am on tournament Saturday. Please call either 414-416-3277 or 414-588-9639.

Registration 7:30 – 8:15 am. Draw begins at 8:30 am. Judges should report to the cafeteria and students to the field house on Saturday morning, where meetings for each will begin promptly at 8:30 am.

Congress Note: *Please note that we will **not** be hosting an invitational Congress – but we will be hosting the National Catholic Forensic League (NCFL) national qualifying congress on Friday, March 16. Look for a separate invitation to NCFL member schools.*

If you have any questions or concerns about registration or the tournament, do not hesitate to contact me. See you on the 17th of March!

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