



2020 Lincoln North Star Debate Tournament Invite

Location: Lincoln North Star High School: 5801 N 33rd St, Lincoln, NE 68504

Saturday January 25, 2020

Lincoln North Star High School cordially invites you and your squad to compete in our annual Debate Invitational on Saturday, January 25th. Our tournament is open for registration! Registration information can be found on Tabroom under the tournament title "North Star Debate Tournament." You must use online registration. This year we will offer the following events. (Open & Novice): Public Forum, Lincoln-Douglas, and Congress. We also offer policy debate, but it is in one collapsed pool.

Dates:

- Entries due by 5pm the Tuesday before the tournament (1/21).
- Meal Deal due by 5pm the Thursday before the tournament (1/23).
- Judges due by 5pm the Friday before the tournament (1/24).

A Few Notes:

- All ballots will be electronic. Make sure your judges and debaters have a linked Tabroom account.
- Internet: Students will be allowed to use the internet for email chains/speech drops as needed during rounds. All road maps will be off time. Management reserves the right to handle situations as they arise and as we see fit to best facilitate student learning. We will be using NSDA rules (including current topics).
- We will offer a tasty hospitality room for coaches and concessions for student use. We will offer a Saturday \$5 meal option for lunch. This year, we will have two meal deal options: Raising Canes and Davinci's. The Canes meal deal will contain 3 strips, a drink, chips, and a canes sauce. The Davinci's Deal will contain a vegetarian pasta and salad. The meal deal is listed on tabroom under the concessions tab. Feel free to pay here as a part of your invoice and collect cash from your students to deposit in your team accounts as reimbursement or bring cash the day of the tournament to the registration table. If you are bringing cash the day of, just shoot me an email so I know. PLEASE consider utilizing this service as it will greatly help our tournament to run smoothly as well as offer your students a more nutritious lunch than candy bars and soda.

- LNS order:
 1. Federal bail
 2. Foreign born citizens
 3. Sanctions on Venezuela
 4. Standardized testing
 5. Non-violent drug offenders
 6. Raise min wage
 7. Anti-SLAPPs
 8. Ban zoos
 9. Ensure Boomers are okay
 10. Universal Basic Income
 11. Drug sites
 12. Supreme Court justices

Tentative Schedule

LD	PF	Congress	Policy
Registration: 7:45-8:00	Registration: 7:45-8:00	Registration: 7:45-8:00	Registration: 7:45-8:00
Round 1: 8:15	Round 1: 8:15	Session 1: 8:15-11:30	Round 1: 8:15
Round 2: 9:15	Round 2: 9:15		Round 2: 10:00
Round 3: 10:30	Round 3: 10:30		Round 3: 12:30
Lunch: 11:30	Lunch: 11:30	Lunch: 11:30	Lunch: 11:30
Round 4: 12:30	Round 4: 12:30	Session 2: 12:30- 4:30	Round 4: 12:30
Round 5: 1:45	Round 5: 1:45		Round 5: 2:30
Awards: 5:15	Awards: 5:15	Awards: 5:15	Awards: 5:15
Quarter Finals: 6:00	Quarter Finals: 6:00		Semi Finals: 6:00
Sems: 7:00	Sems: 7:00		
Finals: 8:00	Finals: 8:00		Finals: 8:00

Awards:

- *Policy* - Six speaker awards in the Varsity division, Three speaker awards in the Novice division. Medals for Quarterfinalists, Trophies for Semifinalists and Finalists.
- *Congress* - A gavel to the presiding officer in each house as well as medals to the top six speakers and a trophy to the champion in each house.
- *Lincoln-Douglas* - Six speaker awards in the Varsity division, Three speaker awards in the Novice division. Medals for Quarterfinalists, Trophies for Semifinalists and Finalists.
- *Public Forum* - Six speaker awards in each division. Medals for Quarterfinalists Trophies for Semifinalists and Finalists.
- *Sweepstakes* - I think the trophies are kinda cool lookin- come find out!

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