

Dear Moderator,

It is my pleasure to invite you to attend the first online
NYCFL Tournament of the
2020 - 2021
school year.

The contest will be held on
Saturday, September 26, **2020**

ELIGIBILITY:

This tournament is only open to NYCFL member schools
YOU MUST SUBMIT A SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP FORM
Found [HERE](#)

CATEGORIES:

Vars. Extemp
JV Extemp (frosh/soph only)
Original Oratory
Vars. **Prose** Reading
JV **Prose** Reading (frosh/soph only)
Duo Interp of Literature (**Binders are optional. Performance is Live**)
Dramatic Performance

PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL OF YOUR **NOVICES** ARE IDENTIFIED IN
TABROOM

REGISTRATION:

Schools must submit a **PRE TOURNAMENT CHECKLIST** by 9pm On
the Friday before the tournament - [Click Here](#)

Schools must check in with their students and then check in online by
9am on Saturday morning. Unreported Drops will be a \$50 fine. It is
critical at a virtual tournament that we know who is participating.

DEADLINE:

The Pre-Registration Deadline is
Thursday, September 24th
at 5:00PM

Entries not received by this date CANNOT be accepted!!!

PRE-REGISTRATION:

*Registration must be done on **TABROOM.COM** under **NYCFL**
FIRST REGIS*

JUDGING REQUIREMENTS:

ONE qualified judge for every FIVE entries or fraction thereof.

A judge is qualified to judge at this tournament under NYCFL rules
If he or she is a college freshman or older;

AND

is the coach of a program, OR has judged before, OR participated in
forensics as a student.

All registered judges will be judging. Even if they are marked as
'observer' judges. All observer judges will be sent a link to a 7pm
ZOOM meeting on Thursday, March 24.

A copy of the handbook (not in pamphlet form) can be found at:

www.nycfl.org/judgeman.pdf.

FEES:

\$6.00 per speaker from a member school.

(NOTE: Each Duo team counts as TWO speakers for fee calculations).

SWEEPSTAKES:

Best three Extemp and OO, plus best three in Prose and/or Duo and/or DP
(for this contest ONLY DP will be combined with Prose
and DUO).

AWARDS:

Medals will be made available to the top 3 students in each event.
Certificates will be available for the top students in each event.

LUNCH:

Regis will provide a virtual lunch for all judges. But if judges want to eat, they should plan on food at home :).

DROPS/ADDS:

DROPS can and SHOULD be made in TABROOM right up to 9am on Saturday morning.

Remember:

1. Drops after the registration deadline of 5 PM on THURSDAY do not alter your judging quota.
2. Registration fees for drops on the morning of the contest must still be paid.
3. There are NO ADDS after the pre-registration deadline has passed
4. Please make all drops and name changes in TABROOM prior to Saturday morning.
5. Call (914) 649-8246 with drops or to confirm registration by 9am on the morning of the tournament.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

EXTEMP TOPICS:

We will post a topic area list prior to the tournament!

,,, And so our virtual tournaments begin.

For questions on rules or other team issues contact the league President:
Thomas Beck President@nycfl.org

Sincerely,

Charles J. Sloat

NYCFL Tournament Director