Ida B. Wells High School Guardian Invitational
Saturday, November 20, 2020

Ida B. Wells High School is excited to invite you to our Guardian Invitational Tournament, hosted online by the NSDA Campus this year.

Entries:

- **Novice** and **Open** divisions will be available in all events. In some cases, we may need to collapse Novice and Open, but we will still recognize each division in awards.
- **Congress** will be held on Friday evening
- All IE's will be asynchronous, except Extemp and Impromptu
- **Asynchronous IEs:** Humorous, Dramatic, Duo, Poetry, Prose, Inform, Oratory, ADS, POI, LIELL, and Radio.
- **Pattern A:** Policy Debate, Impromptu, Extemp
- **Pattern B:** Parliamentary Debate, Lincoln-Douglas Debate, Public Forum Debate
- **Limits:** Students may enter as many asynchronous events as they choose, provided the school can cover the entries with adequate judge numbers. Students may NOT double enter in Debate. While our Tournament will allow double entry in Extemp/Impromptu, it should be done at the students own risk. Additional prep time will not be given. Students in Policy may not enter Extemp or Impromptu.
- **Fees:**
  - School fee = $25.00
  - IE fees = $10.00 per entry (Duo is one entry)
Debate fees = $10.00 for each individual debate (Congress, LD)
= $15.00 per team debate (Parli, PF, Policy)

Rules:
→ We will follow all OSAA rules, as published in the 2021-22 Speech & Debate Handbook.
→ Internet use is allowed in all events
→ Covid Precautions: If coaches/families deem it safe, partners may compete from the same room. Both split-screen and same-room Duo will be accepted and judged together.

Deadlines:
● Registration including links for asynchronous IEs is due Monday, November 15th at 8pm. Judge coverage for the Asynchronous IE judge pool is also due Monday, November 15th at 8pm.
● Drops without penalty will be allowed for live IEs and debate until Wednesday, November 17th at 6 pm.
● Judges for live events are due Wednesday, November 17th at 6pm. No entries will be accepted without judge coverage.

Payment: Please pay online using Schoolpay. Alternatively, if paying by check, make your check payable to Ida B. Wells Speech and Debate.

Judging:
There will be three judge categories. Judges may enter themselves in one or more categories.
→ One judge covers five asynchronous IEs (judging Tuesday-Friday asynchronously)
→ One judge covers five entries in Congress (judging Friday evening)
→ One judge covers four live entries (judging both debate and Extemp and Impromptu on Saturday)
Morning judges must be present for the 8:00 am judges orientation.
Topics:

Congress: Schools wishing to submit Congress Legislation, should do so by Tuesday November 9th at 5pm. Each school can submit up to three pieces of legislation by emailing Ben Hunter at bhunter1@pps.net. We may supplement with legislation from the NSDA packet as needed. The legislation will be posted on tabroom.com by 8pm on Tuesday, November 9th.

Policy: Debate Topic Resolved: Increased United States federal regulation of cryptocurrency transactions and/or assets will produce more benefits than harms.

Novice Case Areas for Policy:
We will follow the suggested case areas for novice division:

- Substantially strengthen federal surveillance and standards for lead in drinking water.
- Substantially limit the use of hydraulic fracturing by energy companies in the United States.
- Substantially strengthen federal standards for agriculture-related runoff into lakes and streams.
- Substantially increase the protection of wetlands in the United States.

Lincoln Douglas Debate: Topic: Resolved: A just government ought to recognize an unconditional right of workers to strike. We will not be using the Novice LD Topic.

Public Forum Debate: Topic Resolved: Increased United States federal regulation of cryptocurrency transactions and/or assets will produce more benefits than harms.

Parliamentary Debate topics will be a variety of policy and value topics.
**Tournament Schedule:**

**Asynchronous IEs**
- Preliminary rounds will be posted on Tuesday, November 16th at 8am and are due Thursday, November 18th by 6 pm.
- Final rounds will be posted on Friday, November 19th at 8 am and are due by 8pm that same day.

**Friday - Congress**
- 3:45 - 4:00 Registration
- 4:00 - 4:30 Session to set the Docket and elect P.O.
- 4:30 - 6:00 Session One
- 6:00 - 6:30 Dinner break
- 6:30 - 8:00 Session Two
- 8:15 Awards

**Saturday**

**Pattern A:** Policy Debate, Impromptu, Extemp

**Pattern B:** Parliamentary Debate, Lincoln-Douglas Debate, Public Forum Debate

- 7:00 Judges Check-in
- 7:30 Judge Instruction
- 8:00 Pattern A Rd 1 (Extemp draw at 8, speak at 8:30)
- 9:30 Pattern B Rd 1
- 11:00 Pattern A Rd 2 (Extemp draw at 11, speak at 11:30)
- 12:30 Pattern B Rd 2
- 2:00 Pattern A Rd 3 (Extemp draw at 2, speak at 2:30)
- 3:30 Pattern B Rd 3
- 5:00 Pattern A Semifinals/Finals (Extemp draw at 5, speak at 5:30)
- 6:30 Pattern B Semifinals/Finals