WHAT: FEBRUARY SPEECH STATE QUALIFYING TOURNAMENT

WHERE: NSDA Campus for Congress and Synchronous Speech, Asynchronous Duo

WHEN: Saturday, February 5, 2022

ENTRY DEADLINE: Wednesday, January 26, 2022 for entries and congress bills
                Monday, January 31, 2022 for judges
                Wednesday, February 2, 2022 for orations, oratory/informative speaking verification forms and interp verification form

PARTICIPATION: Open to all HSL member schools that have paid their HSL membership dues and submitted their signed membership form.

EVENTS
1. STORYTELLING (ST): No manuscripts may be used. Presentations must be prefaced by an introduction that includes the title and author of the selection. Selections must be from published sources. Students are encouraged to use the floor space. MAXIMUM TIME: 8 minutes.
2. PROGRAM ORAL INTERPRETATION (POI): Manuscripts must be used. Presentations must be prefaced by an introduction that includes the titles and authors of each selection. Selections must be from published sources and be chosen from at least two genres: prose, poetry, drama. MAXIMUM TIME: 10 minutes.
3. HUMOROUS (HI), DRAMATIC (DI) and DUO (DUO) INTERPRETATION: Manuscripts cannot be used. Presentations must be prefaced by an introduction that includes the title and author of the selection. Selections must be from published sources. MAXIMUM TIME: 10 minutes.
4. ORIGINAL ORATORY (OO) and INFORMATIVE SPEAKING (INF): Manuscripts cannot be used; presentations must come exclusively from memory. Manuscripts must be the original work of the student and copies of orations must be submitted to the Tournament Director by the deadline. No more than 150 words of the oration may be direct quotations from any other source. MAXIMUM TIME: 10 minutes.
5. IMPROMPTU SPEAKING (IS): Topics will include quotations, sayings, one-word items, personalities in the news, song titles, etc. Notes are NOT permitted during the delivery of the speech. PREPARATION TIME: 5 minutes. MAXIMUM TIME: 5 minutes.
6. U.S. EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING (USX): Topics will cover U.S. foreign policy and U.S. domestic issues. Notes are NOT permitted during the delivery of the speech. PREPARATION TIME: 30 minutes. MAXIMUM TIME: 7 minutes.
7. INTERNATIONAL EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING (IX): Topics will cover foreign policies and actions of many countries, including the United States. Notes are NOT permitted during the delivery of the speech. PREPARATION TIME: 30 minutes. MAXIMUM TIME: 7 minutes.
8. CONGRESSIONAL DEBATE (CNG): A mock legislative assembly competition where students draft bills and resolutions, which they and their peers later debate and vote to pass into law.

REGISTRATION
Registration must be processed using https://www.tabroom.com. All competitors must have linked TabRoom accounts.

PARTICIPANT RELEASE FORM
Links of Duo Interpretation participants’ videos will be shared with judges and potentially with HSL coaches for team viewing. The League thus requires ALL DUO COMPETITORS to submit a signed “Participant Release” form prior to the tournament. Only one form needs to be signed per school year. The coach should upload each student’s form on TabRoom.

VERIFICATION FORMS
The interpretation verification form, oratory/informative speaking verification form(s), and all orations must be received by the deadline above. Please upload these documents to https://www.tabroom.com. Original sources for each selection in POI, HI, DI, and DUO must be brought to the tournament in case of challenge.

CONGRESS
Please upload your legislation to https://www.tabroom.com. Send questions regarding your Congressional Debate panel to Nicholas Ernst, HSL Congressional Debate Chair. You can e-mail him at <nkernst@gmail.com> or call him at 721-0506 (cell).
REUSE RULE
Competitors who qualify for the State Forensic Championships may NOT use their winning selection or oration again until the District Speech Tournament and/or State Forensic Championships.

LIMITS
Each school may register a maximum of eighteen (18) speech entries and a maximum of eight (8) congressional debate entries. DOUBLE ENTRIES ARE NOT ALLOWED.

FEES
$8.00 per participant. As a reminder, Duo Interpretation entries must be paid according to number of participants, not number of entries.

PAYMENT
Payment is due before participation in the tournament. Make check payable to: HAWA'I SPEECH LEAGUE
Checks should be mailed to the Treasurer: Karen Miyakado
1051 Mokuhano Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96825

JUDGES
Schools must provide one (1) judge for every three (3) speech entries and (1) judge for every four (4) congressional debate entries. Schools that do not provide the required number of judges may have entries withdrawn from the tournament. We are grateful for any additional judges you can provide. Please inform your judges to be at the school for the orientation 30 minutes before each round.

Register judges on https://www.tabroom.com. All judges must have linked Tabroom accounts. Please direct all changes to your judge’s panel and questions regarding judges to Rebecca Afalava, HSL Judges’ Chairperson. You can e-mail her at <rebecca.afalava@gmail.com> or call her at 808-351-5902 (cell).

SCHEDULE
Friday, February 4, 2022
5:00 p.m. Students upload DUO video(s) to YouTube, complete google form with links, share links with coach
8:00 p.m. Coaches deadline to add video links to competitor DUO entries on TabRoom.
Saturday, February 5, 2022
6:30 – 7:30 a.m. Registration / Check-in online
7:30 a.m. Judges Check-in & Instructions
Extempers draw topics and prep in NSDA Campus
8:00 – 9:45 a.m. Round 1 Speech
8:30 – 10:45 a.m. Round 1 Congressional Debate
10:00 – 11:30 a.m. Round 2 Speech
11:15 – 1:30 p.m. Round 2 Congressional Debate
12:00 – 1:30 p.m. Round 3 Speech
3:00 - 4:45pm FINAL ROUND
*This schedule is tentative and may change based on number of entries.

AWARDS
Certificates will be presented to all participants in the final rounds. Medals will be awarded to all competitors who qualify for the State Forensic Championships. An overall award will be presented to the school that earns the largest number of sweepstakes points.

DROPS/NO SHOWS
Please contact Carol Halbur immediately if there are changes to your entries. You can e-mail Carol at <chalbur@punahou.edu> or call her at 943-3651 (office) or 728-3672 (cell). All means will be used to reschedule the drops/no-shows prior to the start of the tournament. However, if rescheduling will result in extensive delays, the first round will commence with the no-shows included.