## Hello!

First, I would like to introduce myself. I am Cheri Geraets and I am the new Coach of Oral Interpret at Harrisburg High School. Some of you know I was the Assistant Coach for years, but this past year I moved into the Coaching position after Kit Rodgers left to teach in Maine.

We are excited to have our first tournament on Saturday, Oct. 8, from 8-12! We are completing 3 rounds back-to-back so everyone has a chance to try their pieces, get some feedback on their performances/presentations, and meet old/make new friends for the season! We would love to have as many as possible attend and compete!!

The tournament will be at the Harrisburg High School, 1300 W. Willow St., Harrisburg, SD. We will offer three rounds in the following categories: Story Telling, humorous, dramatic, poetry, and oratory. An open duet category will be offered as well. Time limits for all categories will be ten minutes. Scripts are optional for this event.

Students may double-enter, but they are responsible for getting to rounds on time. There is a registration fee of \$5.00 per entry for all solo entries. Duet entries will be \$10.00 per entry. Each school is required to furnish one judge for every 5 (or fraction of) entries.

Please note your need for hired judges on the registration form. Ribbons will be awarded based on scales: superior plus, superior, excellent plus, & excellent.

Tabroom will be used for registration. Registration will be a pre-registration due in Tabroom by Wednesday and final confirmation by Friday at 5:00 pm. General Meeting will be held at 7:30 with 1st Round beginning promptly at 8:00!

Final Registration: 7-7:30 General Meeting: 7:30 1st Round: 8:00 - 9:15 2nd Round: 9:30 - 10:45 3rd Round: 11 - 12:15 Awards To Follow ASAP

Concession will be sold throughout the event. Our concession stand will be open throughout the meet for snacks.

Thank you! Cheri Geraets OI Coach Harrisburg High School Cheryl.geraets@k12.sd.us