## **FGCCFL Tournament Timetable**

Rounds may run early or late. It is participants' responsibility to keep up with start times.

League staff will send text/email blasts via Tabroom, but timely receipt cannot be guaranteed.

Failure to receive a blast is NOT an excuse for missing a round!

7:15-7:45	Tournament Day Registration (coaches only) Schools not confirmed on-site by 7:45 will be dropped from the tournament!
8:00	Student announcements in Cafeteria (or elsewhere as designated on invitation) Judge announcements in Judges' Room
8:20 8:30 8:30-9:00 9:00-11:30	Extemp Draw  Round 1 – All Debate & IE (Extemp first speaker at 8:50)  Congress Preliminary Business in Chambers  Session I – Congress
10:20 10:30	Extemp Draw  Round 2 – All Debate & IE (Extemp first speaker at 10:50)
12:00-1:00	Lunch (closed campus) Round 3 will not be released until the cafeteria is clean!
12:50 1:00 1:00-3:30	Extemp Draw  Round 3 – All Debate & IE (Extemp first speaker at 1:20)  Session II – Congress
2:30 2:40	Extemp Draw  Round 4 – LD, PFD & IE (Extemp first speaker at 3:00)
4:30 <i>or</i> ASAP	Awards in Cafeteria, Auditorium, or as designated

## **Notes**

- Pairings and blasts will be released approximately 10-15 minutes before each round (5 minutes before
  Extemp draw). Judges and contestants who do not receive a blast should check their Tabroom
  dashboards or the publicly available online pairings <a href="https://fgccfl.net/home/pairings/">https://fgccfl.net/home/pairings/</a>>.
- There is a 15 minute forfeit rule in effect for all events. After 15 minutes, any late-arriving entry will not be permitted to compete, and any missing judge will be replaced (with a fine). Late arrivals to Extemp Prep may draw but are required to speak at their scheduled time or forfeit the round.
- Judges are expected to open their electronic ballots upon arriving in the round. This lets the Tab Room know that you have accepted the assignment. Judges who cannot access their ballots should come back to the Tab Room to get paper ballots BEFORE starting the round.
- Judges are expected to submit and confirm their ballots (decision and speaker points in debate; ranks and points in IE; ranks in Congress) within 15 minutes after the end of the round. While judges, especially in Congress, should write the bulk of their comments on the electronic ballot during the round, they may add or edit comments until the end of the tournament.