## **Invitation to 2023 Cottonwood Congress**

Saturday, January 7, 2023

In Peron at CCPS- 7801 Jefferson NE ABQ, NM 87109

## **Schedule:**

Saturday, January 7, 2023

8:30AM: Check-in and caucusing

9:00AM-11:00AM: Prelim Round One

12:00PM-2:00PM: Prelim Round Two

2:30PM-5:30PM: Finals (if entries allow)

6:00 PM- Awards (potential to be earlier if there aren't finals)

Judges:

All registered schools need to recruit unaffiliated judges and/or parliamentarians. All judges must be linked in Tabroom and added to the judging pool in Tabroom. Schools are required to supply one judge for every 12 entries. CCPS students will be allowed to compete and place.

Registration:

Deadline: Wednesday, January 4th, at 5:00 pm.

Registration Process: http://ccpscongress.tabroom.com/

There will be novice and varsity/open divisions. No entry limit. Novice is defined as a student never having competed in speech, debate, or congressional debate before the current year.

Note: if either of these divisions has fewer than 15 participants, or if either of these divisions has representation from fewer than three schools, the divisions will collapse into a single division.

Please direct any tabroom website questions to bill.torres@cottonwoodclassical.org

Fees:

\$10.00 entry fee per student.

If a student drops from the tournament, they will be charged \$10.00.

Legislation:

Deadline to submit: Friday, December 30th at 5:00 pm.

Docket will be emailed to schools by Monday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Maximum submission: Two pieces of legislation per school. Frivolous or poorly formatted legislation will be refused.