

Dear High School Speech Coaches:

Calloway County High School is proud to invite you to the **Laker Invitational** on Saturday, January 21st at Calloway County MIDDLE School**.** Entry registration will be through our tournament site at [www.tabroom.com](http://www.tabroom.com).

**CATEGORIES OFFERED**

All KHSSL Speech events will be offered (KHSSL rules). Please check the latest KHSSL Handbook at [www.khssl.org](http://www.khssl.org) for event rules and regulations.

You may enter as many students per event as you like; the best three competitors from your team in each event will count toward team sweepstakes. Each entry will be charged $6.00. Duo Interpretation and Duo Improv will be charged $12.00.

The tournament will feature three preliminary rounds with the top 6 competitors advancing to finals.

\*\*\*This tournament is hosted by Calloway County Middle School. Calloway County High School does plan to compete at this event\*\*\*

**AWARDS**

Awards will be given to 1st– 6th places in all events plus sweepstakes.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

* Improv Duo – Round 1 will be funny, Round 2 will be serious. Finals will be funny.
* Broadcasting will use KHSSL rules for Rounds 1 and 2 plus finals.

**FOOD**

A concession stand will be available for lunch and snacks.

**ACCESSIBILITY**

We strive to host an inclusive, accessible tournament that enable all individuals, including individuals with disabilities, to engage fully. To be respectful of those with allergies and environmental sensitivities, we ask that you please refrain from wearing strong fragrances.

To request an accommodation or for inquiries about accessibility, please contact Jennifer Dunnaway at Jennifer.dunnaway@calloway.kyschools.us

**SCHEDULE\***

***Round 1*** *- 8:30am*

***Round 2*** *- 10:00 am*

***Round 3*** *- 11:30 am*

***Finals*** *- 2:00 pm*

\*Awards will occur immediately after the conclusion of the final round in the cafeteria of the school unless specified otherwise.

**JUDGES/FEES**

You must provide one judge for every six entries **or fraction thereof**; 7 entries = 2 judges, etc. Remember, Duo Interp and Improv Duo count as one entry in judges needed and as two entries in fees to pay ($6 per kid = $12 per duo entry). You may hire judges you do not provide for $35 a piece. Your judges should be familiar with the KHSSL rules and ballots. We promise them lots of goodies and coffee. C

**ENTRY DEADLINES/LEGISLATION**

**4:30 PM Central Time, Wednesday January 18th is the tournament deadline.**

Any adds or drops after this time will be subject to a $6 nuisance fee plus the entry fee and will have to occur **via email with Jennifer Dunnaway.**  Substitutions are free of charge until the conclusion of registration on Saturday.

**PHONE CALLS AND EMAILS**

**Email is the most efficient way to reach me.** Jennifer.dunnaway@calloway.kyschools.us. My cell phone number is (270)227-8980 (also my home phone). Email is nearly always the best option! Please contact me if you have any questions about the tournament or about accessibility.

**Please don’t hesitate to let me know if you have any questions! It’s been a long time since I’ve had the opportunity to host. I’m grateful for every minute!**

**Jennifer Dunnaway**