

## <u>Greater Metro Conference Forensics Tournament</u> <u>Saturday, February 17, 2024</u>

Host School: Menomonee Falls High School

You are invited to attend the GMC Forensics Tournament on Saturday, February 17, 2024. We look forward to seeing every GMC school in attendance!

## **Host School**

Menomonee Falls High School N80W14350 Titan Dr. Menomonee Falls, WI 53051 Host Coaches: Lindsay Kolter and Emily Leonard

**Rules:** WFCA rules will be followed for all speech categories.

**Entries:** Each school is allowed 25 entries; no more than four entries in any one event. This is a single entry tournament.

**Registration:** Complete your registration on tabroom.com (registration will open February 1). Registration will close on **February 12**. To add entries after the February 12 deadline, email Emily Leonard directly at leonemi@sdfmschools.org.

<u>Drop-off/Parking:</u> Buses should drop off in the main parking lot and teams can enter the building at the entrance by the flagpole. Buses should park in the stadium lot across the street from the school. Cars and vans may park in the lot in front of the school.

<u>Awards:</u> Individual Conference medals will be awarded to the top three finishers in each event. The school earning the most sweepstakes points will earn the Conference championship. A second team award will be given to the highest team Quality Point (highest average per entry). Winning teams will receive a plate to place on their school GMC Conference plaque. The school winning the Conference Championship is ineligible for the Quality Point Award.

<u>Judges:</u> Each team must provide 1 qualified judge for every 5 entries and any fraction thereof, preferably judges who do not know your participants. Consider using judges from outside of the conference. Contact those coaches to see if they have any "clean" judges whom you could hire. This is a small tournament, so judge placement is more difficult. Please be certain that your judges are familiar with the WFCA rules. Schools of

judges who miss a round will be fined \$50 per incident. <u>Head coaches may not judge as they will be in the Tab Room throughout the tournament.</u> The annual GMC coaches' meeting will take place during Round 2.

Schools are responsible for paying their own judges; however, each school will be reimbursed \$75 per judge (maximum of \$225) by the Greater Metro Conference. Submit the GMC financial reimbursement form to GMC Commissioner Brian Henson to receive your school's reimbursement.

**Fees:** All registration fees are paid by the Greater Metro Conference.

**Food:** Continental breakfast items as well as lunch will be available for sale to students. Hospitality will be provided for judges and coaches.

## **Schedule**

Check in on tabroom.com; text any drops to 715-225-9805	By 7:15 am
Extemp and Radio Draw in Library	8:00 am
Judges' Meeting in 109	8:00 am
Hospitality in 108 (judges and coaches)	8:00 am
Round 1	8:30 am
Round 2	10:00 am
Round 3	11:30 am
Lunch and Final Round Postings	12:30 pm
Final Rounds	approx 1:00 pm
Awards	approx 2:30 pm

## **Questions?**

**Contact** 

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