

# Payson PJ Party

January 24, 2026

We are thrilled to invite you back to Payson High School for the Payson PJ Party Speech and Debate Tournament! This is a live and in person tournament held on Saturday, January 24, 2026.

## Events:

*Individual Events* will include Extemp, Impromptu, Informative, Interps (HI, DI, POI, and Duo), Oratory, and Spar.

*Debate Events* will include Big Questions, Lincoln Douglas, Policy, Public Forum, and Student Congress.

## Schedule:

7:30 a.m.	Registration
7:45 a.m.	Judge Meeting
8:00 a.m.	<b>Extemp Draw</b> / Policy Round 1 / Congress Session 1
8:30 a.m.	Individual Events Round 1
9:30 a.m.	Debate Events Round 1 (LD, PF, BQ)
10:00 a.m.	Policy Round 2
10:30 a.m.	<b>Extemp Draw</b>
11:00 am	Individual Events Round 2
12:00 pm	Debate Events Round 2 (LD, PF, BQ) / Congress Session 2
1:00 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK / <b>Extemp Draw</b>
1:30 p.m.	Individual Events Round 3/ Policy Round 3
2:30 p.m.	Debate Events Round 3 (LD, PF, BQ)
5:00 p.m.	Awards Ceremony

Please note that students who double enter will do so at their own risk. **The exception to this being Policy and Congress – no double entering for students who are competing in Policy Debate / Congress.**

## Fees:

Student Fee \$4.00 per student entry (\$8 per Policy / PF / Duo)

School Fee \$25.00 per team

Please make checks payable to *Payson High School*

## Judge Requirements:

Please get your judges ASAP! Schools will be assessed a \$50 judge fee per judge short. Judge Burdens are as follows: 1 judge per every 5 IEs / 1 judge per every 5 Congress / 1 judge per 2 LD/PF/Policy/BQ entries

## Awards:

Alongside Event Awards (1st - 3rd), we'll also be doing Big School Sweeps and Small School Sweeps! Also 1st - 3rd.

## Concessions:

Our LIA will be hosting a concessions stand! Cash and Card accepted, expect some classic PJ Party staples alongside some winter warm-up specials to help keep everyone nice and toasty. More details to come!