

# Tournament of Kings

February 07, 2026

Papillon La Vista High School

303 E Cary Street

Papillion, NE 68046



The 3rd running of the Tournament of Kings will be held at  
Papillon La Vista High School on February 07, 2026.

We will offer "in person" competition in:  
Policy, Lincoln Douglas, Congressional Debate and Public Forum.

This tournament will follow all NSAA bylaws. This is a high school only tournament. Students must be eligible according to NSAA and may only compete for the school in which they are currently enrolled.

The NSAA bylaws can be viewed at [nsaahome.org](http://nsaahome.org).

**Online balloting** – we will be using online balloting for all events. Please make sure that all of your students and judges are "linked" to accounts in Tabroom.com.

**Online Entry** -- Entries will only be accepted online via Tabroom.com.

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Deadline for entries is February 04, 2026. Changes or drops after that date can be changed on the website or emailed to me at [tiffany.bukacek@plcschools.org](mailto:tiffany.bukacek@plcschools.org).

### Awards

#### → Policy

- ◆ six speaker awards in each division
- ◆ team awards for semifinal and final participants.

#### → Congress

- ◆ a gavel to the presiding officer
- ◆ medals to the top six speakers and a trophy to the champion in each house.

#### → Lincoln-Douglas

- ◆ six speaker awards in each division
- ◆ awards for quarterfinalists and above.

#### → Public Forum

- ◆ six speaker awards in each division along with
- ◆ awards for quarterfinalists and above.

#### → Sweepstakes

- ◆ Small Entry Winner
- ◆ First Place
- ◆ Second Place

### Fees

LD -- \$25

PF --\$30

Policy --\$30

Congressional Debate \$20

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### Judge Coverage

Judges are obligated to one round beyond their team's elimination

- Policy
  - ◆ One judge per two teams.
- Lincoln-Douglas
  - ◆ One judge per two debaters.
- Public Forum
  - ◆ One judge per two teams.
- Congressional Debate
  - ◆ One judge per six debaters

### Events

#### Policy Debate

- We will determine the round structure based on the number of entries.

#### Lincoln-Douglas Debate

- We will be using the January/February topic FOR BOTH DIVISIONS.
- Will follow the 6-3-7-3-4-6-3 format with 4 minutes prep time.
- Varsity and novice divisions will have five prelims (powered after two) breaking to quarters.

#### Public Forum Debate

- We will use the February Topic.
- Varsity and Novice divisions will have five prelims (powered after two) breaking to quarters in novice and breaking all winning records in Varsity.

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### Congress

- We will utilize NSDA style of congress at this tournament.
- The docket can be found here.

### Hospitality

We will be providing traditional hospitality for coaches and judges: breakfast, lunch, snack and beverages. Options are still being determined.

**Concessions** -- There will be concessions available, serving Godfather's pizza for lunch (including a gluten free option).

If there are any other dietary needs to be met (student/coach/judge) please contact me and I will be sure to have an option available.

## Contact Information

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Please contact me with questions or concerns.