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The Heart of Texas Invitational Past Policy Debate Champions

1984: Glenbrook North High School Northbrook, Illinois Sam Han and Sean Berkowitz

1985: Glenbrook North High School Northbrook, Illinois Brian Kramer and Robert Unikel

1986: Stuyvesant High School New York, New York Hana Rosin and David Coleman

1987: Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia David Massey and David Ball

1988: John F. Kennedy High School Richmond, California Colin Kahl and Todd Court

1989: Brophy College Preparatory School Phoenix, Arizona Spencer Insolia and Dan Lewis

1990: Lexington High School Lexington, Massachusetts John Goldblatt and Bryan Santucci

1991: Greenhill School Dallas, Texas Rohit Kumar and Matt Bowker

1992: Lexington High School Lexington, Massachusetts Dan Marx and Josh McCarthy

1993: Greenhill School Dallas, Texas Doug Moore and Andy Szygenda

1994: McCullough High School The Woodlands, Texas Michelle Gajda and Stefan Cencarik

1995: Glenbrook North High School Northbrook, Illinois Adam Hurder and Larry Heffman

1996: Iowa City West High School Iowa City, Iowa Emily Wynes and Will Toomey

1997: Glenbrook North High School Northbrook, Illinois Jordan Hurder and Andrew Silverman

1998: Lexington High School Lexington, Massachusetts Yoni Cohen & Josh Lynn

1999: Glenbrook North High School Northbrook, Illinois Michael Lewis & Dan Shalmon

2000: St. Thomas Academy Mendota Heights, MN Darrin Gamradt and Scott Phillips

2001: Pace Academy Atlanta, Georgia Bob Allen and Brian Smith

2002: Caddo Magnet Shreveport, Louisiana Jason Larey and Jonathan Zweig

2003: Colleyville-Heritage Colleyville, Texas Jonathan Lewis and Jason Murray

2004: the kinkaid school Houston, Texas Nick Miller and David Roosth

2005: Georgetown Day School Washington, D.C. James Brockway and Zack Beauchamp

2006: Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia Stephen Weil and Anshu Sathian

2007: Pace Academy Atlanta, Georgia Jennifer Armstrong and Peyton Lee

2008: Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia Stephen Weil and Anshu Sathian

2009: Glenbrook North Northbrook, IL Flynn Makuch and Alex Pappas

2010: Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia Ellis Allen and Daniel Taylor

2011: Woodward Academy Atlanta, Georgia Jason Sigalos and Rahim Shakoor

2012: Greenhill School Dallas, Texas Benjamin Packer and Andrew Spomer

2013: Stratford Academy Macon. Georgia Dylan Ogle and Hemanth Sanjeev

2014: Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia Saul Forman and Naman Gupta

The Heart of Texas Invitational Past Policy Debate Top Speakers

1984: Elizabeth Jones Hockaday School Dallas, Texas

1985: Chris Landgraff Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia

1986: Dale Britton Memorial High School Houston, Texas

1987: David Massey Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia

1988: Matt Shors Roosevelt High School DesMoines. Iowa

1989: Dan Lewis Brophy College Preparatory School Phoenix, Arizona

1990: Steven Andrews Jefferson Science High School Alexandria Virginia

1991: Marc Stein Tom C. Clark High School San Antonio, Texas

1992: Dan Marx Lexington High School Lexington, Massachusettes

1993: Demetrias Lambrinos Cathedral School El Paso, Texas

1994: George Kouros Niles West High School Skokie, Illinois

1995: Ryan Sparacino Edison High School Alexandria, Virginia

1996: Andy Ryan Caddo Magnet High School Shreveport, Louisiana

1997: Alex Berger Georgetown Day School Washington, D.C.

1998: Ryan Clough Piedmont High School Piedmont, California

1999: Ben Thorpe Pace Academy Atlanta, Georgia

2000: Stacey Nathan Glenbrook North Northbrook, Illinois

2001: Stephen Chaudoin Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia

2002: Mike Gentile Georgetown Day School Washington, D.C.

2003: Jake Ziering Glenbrook North High School Northbrook, IL

2004: Sam Crichton Caddo-Magnet Shreveport, Louisiana

2005: Matt Andrews Greenhill School Dallas, Texas

2006: Stephen Weil Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia

2007: Ryan Beiermeister The Kinkaid School Houston, Texas

2008: Peyton Lee Pace Academy Atlanta, Georgia

2009: Ellis Allen Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia

2010: Anna Dimitrijevic Carrollton School of the Sacred Heart Miami, Florida

2011: Jason Sigalos Woodward Academy, Atlanta, Georgia

2012: Humza Tariq The Kinkaid School Houston, Texas

2013: Hemanth Sanjeev Stratford Academy Macon, Georgia

2014: Naman Gupta Westminster Schools Atlanta, Georgia

The Heart of Texas Invitational Past Lincoln-Douglas Debate Champions

1985: Joey Profaizer and Cherrie Daniels (tie) Plano Senior High School Plano, Texas

1986: Laurie Belin Valley High School West DesMoines, Iowa

1987: Brian Hebert St. Thomas More School, Lafayette Louisiana

1988: Heath Dixon Plano East Senior High School Plano, Texas

1989: Ashley Chaffin Plano East Senior High School Plano, Texas

1990: Jeff Nicodemus Newman Smith High School Carrollton, Texas

1991: John Williams Plano Senior High School Plano, Texas

1992: Jason Baldwin Vestavia Hills High School Birmingham, Alabama

1993: Claire Carman Vestavia Hills High School Birmingham, Alabama

1994: Jonathan Carr St. James School Montgomery, Alabama

1995: Will Hayes Klein High School Houston, Texas

1996: Craig Rice Iowa City West High School Iowa City, Iowa

1997: Alex Gomez Palmetto Senior High School Miami, Florida

1998: Tom Zimpleman Valley High School West Des Moines, Iowa

1999: Tom Pryor Hopkins High School Minnetonka, Minnesota

2000: Tommy Clancy Westwood High School Houston, Texas

2001: Kelsey Olson Apple Valley High School Apple Valley, Minnesota

2002: Sam Duby Greenhill School Dallas, Texas

2003: John McKay Menlo-Atherton Menlo Park, California

2004: Adwait Parker Paul D. Shreiber Port Washington, New York

2005: Ryan Cooper Westlake High School Austin, Texas

2006: Patrick Diehl Lynbrook High School San Jose, California

2007: Chris Theis Apple Valley High School Apple Valley, Minnesota

2008: Chris Theis Apple Valley High School Apple Valley, Minnesota

2009: Larry Liu Indian Springs Pelham, Alabama

2010: Shawn Tuteja: The Altamont School Birmingham, Alabama

2011: Sarah Sachs College Prep School Oakland, California

2012: Travis Chen Palo Alto High School Palo Alto, California

2013: Akhil Gandra Westwood High School Austin, Texas

2014: Akhil Jalan and Arjun Tambe (close out) Peninsula High School Rolling Hills Estates, California

The Heart of Texas Invitational Past Lincoln Douglas Debate Top Speakers

1985: Joey Profaizer Plano Senior High School Plano, Texas 1986: Chad Forsberg Plano Senior High School Plano, Texas 1987: Carolyn Nedder Whalert High School Whalert, Iowa **1988: Aaron Suder** Plano East Senior High School Plano, Texas 1989: Shalini Ramanathan Newman Smith High School Carrollton, Texas 1990: Jason Baldwin Vestavia Hills High School Birmingham, Alabama 1991: Steve Hunter Homewood High School Homewood, Alabama 1992: Rick de los Reyes Klein High School Houston, Texas 1993: Claire Carman Vestavia Hills High School Birmingham, Alabama 1994: Jonathan Carr St. James School Montgomery, Alabama 1995: Will Hayes Klein High School Houston, Texas 1996: Ari Simon Valley High School West DesMoines, Iowa 1997: Marc Wallenstein Greenhill School Dallas, Texas 1998: Emily Pryor Hopkins High School Minnetonka, Minnesota 1999: Noah Grabowitz Hendrick Hudson High School Montrose, New York **2000: Steve Pattyn** Westwood High School Houston, Texas 2001: Bryce Adams R.L. Turner Carrollton, Texas **2002: Alan Zhai** Plano West Senior High School Plano, Texas **2003: Stephanie Bell** Valley High School West Des Moines, Iowa **2004: Adwait Parker** Paul D. Shreiber Port Washington, New York 2005: Prashant Rai Mountain View High School Mountain View, California 2006: Patrick Diehl Lynbrook High School San Jose, California 2007: Daniel Moerner Los Altos High School Los Altos, California **2008: Chris Theis** Apple Valley High School Apple Valley, Minnesota 2009: Josh Roberts Northland Christian Houston, Texas **2010: Hunter Lewis** Memorial High School Houston, Texas 2011: Ryan Fink The Meadows School Las Vegas, Nevada

2012: Sam Mathews Kent Denver School Englewood, Colorado 2013: Pranav Reddy The Harker School San Jose, California

2014: Akhil Jalan Peninsula High School Rolling Hills Estates, California



Prospective College Debaters:

The Dartmouth Forensic Union enjoys a long history of competitive success and academic excellence. The College, and a strong network of alumni, support debate generously. We offer the chance to incoming debaters to immediately travel to national tournaments and debate against the best competition. This year, first year students will travel to Kentucky, Harvard, Wake Forest, the West Coast Swing, Texas, and CEDA Nationals. Those who qualify will attend the NDT.

Dartmouth has qualified for the NDT 61 years and won the NDT six times. The team also has 5 2nd place NDT finishes as well as 15 CEDA and NDT semifinalists. In the past 35 years, Dartmouth qualified 40 teams as First Round Bids to the NDT. The academic and professional accomplishments of DFU alumni include top law schools and graduate programs, executive positions in a variety of industries, high-level government service and policy work, and faculty positions at Northwestern, Harvard, Duke, and Yale, among many others.

I joined the DFU as the Director of Debate this year. As a DFU alumnus from the class of 2003, and assistant coach from 2003-2009, I am deeply committed to the success and sustainability of our program. We aim for a future as successful and exciting as our impressive past. I am eager to answer questions about student and academic life at Dartmouth.

The DFU welcomes debaters of all experience levels. Dartmouth's First Round teams have included students from a diverse set of programs, ranging from historically large high school programs to regional teams. Our debate office is a place for students to learn from each other. Located next to the dining hall, student center, and campus green, the office presents many opportunities for debate, academic, and social encounters.

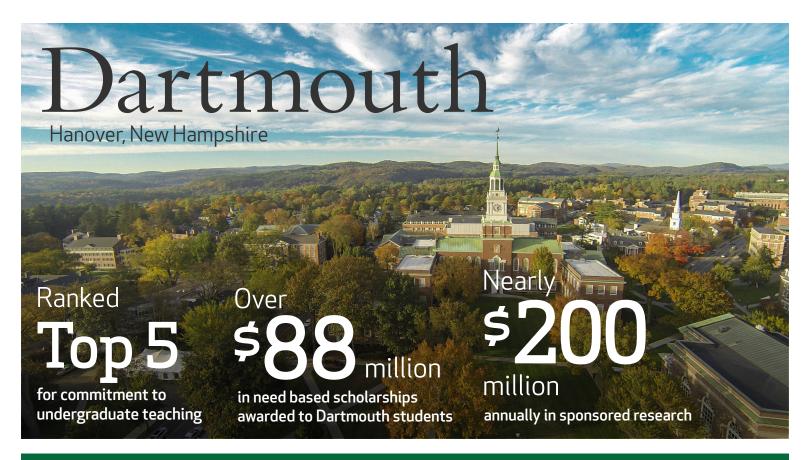
Dartmouth Debate is committed to a team culture that engages the full range of argumentative types of and styles. Our coaching staff aims to improve research, understanding, and performance in all areas. We believe that all arguments deserve careful listening, research, and response. Team meetings and research strategies reflect student input and direction. This year's coaching staff includes individuals who have coached CEDA champions, NDT finalists, and multiple First Round NDT teams

Dartmouth College is recognized as a national leader in commitment to undergraduate education. Nearly all classes at Dartmouth are taught in a seminar fashion by professors dedicated to undergraduate teaching. Though Dartmouth's Ivy League affiliation precludes any debate scholarships, admissions to Dartmouth are need-blind. For families with typical assets earning less than \$100,000 the College fully covers tuition costs.

I wish you the best of luck competing this weekend. Please do not hesitate to contact me regarding questions about the DFU or Dartmouth. My email is john.cameron.turner@dartmouth.edu.

Good luck,

John Turner Director – Dartmouth Forensic Union John.Cameron.Turner@dartmouth.edu



Dartmouth combines the intellectual reach and competitive strength of a leading research university with the accessibility and undergraduate focus of our quintessential collegiate community. We prepare you for more than just grad school or your first job. A Dartmouth education will prime your mind for a lifetime of learning, leadership and creative expression.

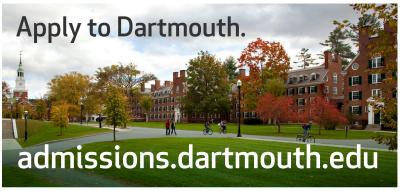








Dartmouth is a powerhouse of top-notch faculty and students, world-class undergraduate and graduate programs and state-of-the-art facilities.





Fast Facts

- Mason Debate has remained in the top two spots in both NDT and CEDA National Ranking Championships over the past three years.
- Mason Debate has received multiple first round at-large bids to the National Debate Tournament.
- The large coaching staff features multiple coaches who received first rounds and participated in elimination rounds at the NDT and coaches with successful professional careers.
- Debaters have the opportunity to teach or work at the George Mason Debate Institute every summer.
- We have one of the most robust novice and junior varsity programs in the nation.
- Scholarships of various amounts are available for students interested in joining Mason Debate.

A Note from GMU Director of Debate, Dr. Warren Decker

If you ask our debaters why they chose Mason you will likely to get several unique answers, but there is one thing they will agree on: Mason Debate has fostered their education more than they ever thought possible. Our debaters stay at Mason debate not only for the educational benefits, but for the tight-knit friendships, connections and the passion to win. At Mason Debate, we win as a team and lose as a team, but we also help build your professional and academic portfolio along the way.

At Mason Debate, we have a faculty of graduate assistants and full time coaches ready to help you develop as a debater and student. Our program offers scholarships at multiple levels and gives you access to an alumni network in D.C. that goes back 35 years. As an institution, we pride ourselves on being one of the best research universities, while also fostering critical liberal art skills. Your education, in combination with your time with Mason Debate, will set you up to lead the way in your future career field.

If you are interested in learning more about George Mason and our debate team, I urge you to speak with any of our debaters, coaches or email me at wdecker@qmu.edu.

George Mason University is Virginia's largest public research university. Located near Washington, D.C., Mason enrolls more than 33,000 students from 130 countries and all 50 states. Mason has grown rapidly over the past half-century and is recognized for its innovation and entrepreneurship, remarkable diversity, and commitment to accessibility.





Focused on Your Future

At Mason, we put our students and their success first. We focus on providing experiential and integrative learning in all programs through research, field work, internships, and service learning. We work to give every student the opportunity for a meaningful global experience. And we apply technology in powerful ways to enrich learning.

Refining Excellence

Some of Mason's greatest strengths are invisible: the energy that propels us forward, the can-do attitude, the lifelong bond that links our students and alumni to their university and each other. Mason is not like every other university. The members of this community-students, alumni, faculty, and staff-- are proud to stand together and proud to stand apart.



Located for Opportunity

At Mason, we prepare our students for success in life and in their careers. We serve our region as an engine of economic vitality and cultural enrichment. We deliver an exceptional return on investment. At Mason, we prepare our students for success in life and in their careers. We serve our region as an engine of economic vitality and cultural enrichment. We deliver an exceptional return on investment.



Dear Prospective Debaters:

The University of Kansas has a long history of success in college debate as a top NDT/CEDA program, and we encourage anyone interested in continuing their debate career in college to consider KU as an option for developing their skills and reaching their full potential as a debater.

On average we travel to 8-10 invitational tournaments a year, including: UMKC, Kentucky, Harvard, Wake Forest, Northwestern, and University of Texas, Dallas to name a few. In addition, all teams are given the opportunity to attend CEDA Nationals in the spring, and those that qualify attend the NDT. If you want to be a part of our team, we guarantee that we will travel you to tournaments.

Kansas has seen a lot of success in recent years: second-place at CEDA (2008, 2015) winning the NDT (2009), Ranked 5th in the Copeland Race (2012), and qualifying at least one team to the NDT for 49 consecutive years. With our growing squad, we expect to see that success continue in the years to come.

The Jayhawks are also a family: we support each other and work hard. I encourage you to "Friend" our Facebook account: Kansas Debate, to see what we have been up to this season, and get a feel for our debaters and coaches. We debate a wide variety of approaches, and no matter your style, you are welcome as a part of our team.

In addition to our success at debate, other distinctions our university can point to include: a top ten college newspaper, highly competitive architecture program, top ranked study abroad program in the country, and a top ten honors program. Prospective students will find 137 different possible degree programs to choose from at the University of Kansas, including: Communication Studies, Business, Journalism, Political Science, and more. KU also offers smaller classes sizes (20 or fewer students) that give students more opportunities to work one-on-one with their professors.

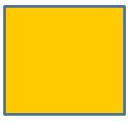
We hope you will consider KU in search for a program that suits your needs for college and debate. If you have any questions at all, please feel free to contact me: sharris@ku.edu.

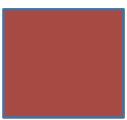
Sincerely,

Dr. Scott Harris Director of Debate University of Kansas

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS: JAYHAWK DEBATE











FAST FACTS

- Qualified teams to the NDT for 49 consecutive years
- Reached the NDT Final Four 15 times
- Won the NDT 5 times
- Since 1996, we have been in the elims at CEDA every year
- In the Final Four at CEDA 7 times since 1996
- Ranked 1st in the Nation in Varsity Debate 2015

Looking for more?

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admissions.ku.edu



"Debating for KU has been one of the most rewarding experiences for me in college, I would recommend everyone consider becoming a Jayhawk!"--- Melanie Campbell, Senior in Political Science, 4 time NDT Qualifier





October 9, 2015

I would like to thank Tim Mahoney for this opportunity and wish good luck to all the 2015 St. Mark's School of Texas Heart of Texas Invitational Speech and Debate Tournament participants.

The University of Michigan consistently ranks among the very best universities in the country and world. According to U.S. News & World Report, Michigan is the seventeenth best University in the world and one of the top five public schools in the United States. Michigan also hosts numerous top ten graduate programs, including their renowned law and business schools. There are approximately 25,000 undergraduate students at Michigan. Students from all 50 states and more than 100 foreign countries contribute to a culturally and ethnically diverse campus community.

The University of Michigan Intercollegiate Debating Team was one of the nation's first intercollegiate forensics teams, founded in 1903. For over a hundred years, the Debate Team has excelled in teaching critical thinking skills and persuasive communication techniques.

The University of Michigan Debate Team first reached the elimination rounds of the National Debate Tournament in 1971. Michigan has reached the semifinals of the NDT six times and finals four times, most recently in 2015. Michigan's had the top speaker at the NDT once and second speaker twice. Michigan has won the Copeland Award once, given to the top first round at-large team in the country. Michigan has received twenty-four first round at-large bids to the NDT and forty-three teams have reached the elimination rounds. This year our top team of Joe Krakoff and Will Morgan just reached the Finals at the University of Kentucky and Semifinals at Georgia State University.

The Michigan Debate Team prides itself in the consistent academic accomplishments of all of its debaters. This success is reflected by their matriculation to the nation's leading law and graduate programs, including Harvard, Yale, Stanford, Chicago, Texas, Georgetown, Columbia, NYU, Berkeley, Emory, Virginia, etc. Michigan Debate has produced numerous lawyers, doctors, professors, entrepreneurs, teachers, etc.

I am running the Sophomore Hoe Down all weekend, but should be available to discuss the University of Michigan or Michigan Debate if you are interested. I also plan to attend our Round Robin and Tournament, The Glenbrooks, Blake, Montgomery Bell Academy, Emory, Pine Crest, the NDCA National Championship, and The Tournament of Champions.

Sincerely.

STUDENT LIFE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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When should I apply to Michigan?

Michigan is already accepting applications. The earlier you apply, the better your chances are. Michigan is using the Common Application again this year. Further information can be found here- http://admissions.umich.edu/apply/

I strongly encourage you to apply via Early Action to Michigan. It's completely non-binding and if you apply by November 1, you are guaranteed a decision by December 24. If you don't apply by November 1, you may not receive a decision until April. If you don't receive a decision by December 24, it's difficult or impossible to seriously be considered for merit-based scholarships and gain admittance to the UM Honors Program. Further information about Early Action can be found here- http://admissions.umich.edu/apply/freshmen-applicants/requirements-deadlines

Does Debate help you with the Admissions process at Michigan?

I often meet and talk with the Senior Associate Director of Admissions. I have a good relationship with the Admissions Office and they are supportive of the goals of the UM Debate Program. Debate won't get you accepted to Michigan if your grades and scores are way outside our normal range. If your grades and scores are within our range and your Admissions decision could go either way, debate could be the thing that puts you over the top. I cannot help you with Admissions if you don't apply by November 1.

Am I eligible for any merit-based or debate scholarships at Michigan?

The Shipman Scholars program provides merit scholarships for talented prospective undergraduate students admitted to the University of Michigan. Prospective students of high academic achievement who have been admitted as first year undergraduates will be nominated for consideration through the Admissions process. Academic achievement will be determined on the basis of a set standard of high school grade point average and SAT/ACT test scores. Exceptional talent in the arts and sciences will also be considered in the nomination process. The award value of the scholarship is approximately \$80,000. 15 Shipman Scholarships will be awarded annually. Prospective nominees must be admitted to UM no later than January 15. Recipients will be notified by March 30. Further information can be found here- http://www.umich.edu/~shipsoc/

The Stamps Scholarship program provides merit scholarships for the brightest and most outstanding undergraduate students admitted to the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and other UM schools and colleges. Prospective students of high academic achievement, who has been admitted as first-year undergraduates, will be nominated for consideration through the admissions process. Academic achievement will be determined on the basis of a set standard of high school point average and SAT/ACT scores. Exceptional talent in the arts and sciences will also be considered in the nomination process. The LSA Stamps Scholarship for non-residents consists of \$20,000 annual award (\$10,000 provided by the Stamps Scholarship Fund and an additional \$10,000 LSA Dean's Scholarship), renewable for four years of undergraduate study. For Michigan residents awarded the LSA Stamps Scholarship, \$12,500 (\$10,000 provided by the Stamps Scholarship Fund and a \$2,500 LSA Dean's Scholarship) will be awarded annually and is renewable for four years of undergraduate study. Further information can be found here- http://www.finaid.umich.edu/media/pdf_scholarships_autogen/StampsInfo.pdf

For the first time ever in 2011, UM Debate alums awarded two four-year renewable merit scholarships to incoming debaters. UM Debate alums have awarded several additional scholarships in the past several years. In 2014 we received an endowed scholarship gift from a debate alum to be awarded to an incoming debater that participated in the National Association for Urban Debate Leagues. Further information about these alumni scholarships can be found here- http://www.giving.umich.edu/opportunities/index.php?page=supporting-students-debate&tr=y&auid=8780503

The 2015-2016 Michigan Debate Team Coaching Staff:

Aaron Kall (Director of Debate), Kurt Fifelski (Assistant Director of Debate), Kevin Hirn (Assistant Coach and Program Manager), Jason Peterson (Assistant Coach), Kyle Deming (Assistant Coach), Josh Clark (Assistant Coach), Scott Phillips (Assistant Coach), Jason Regnier (Assistant Coach), David Heidt (Assistant Coach), Alex Pappas (Assistant Coach), and Maria Keller (Assistant Coach). We have a better than 2:1 student-coach ratio, which is one of the very best in the country.

The 2015-2016 Michigan Debate Team:

There are eighteen members of this year's Michigan Debate Team. By college standards, we are considered a midsize program. Many members of the team are from the state of Michigan, but states such as Georgia, Illinois, Utah, Minnesota, Maryland, California and Washington D.C. are represented as well. The Michigan Debate Team coaches, researches, and runs a balanced combination of policy and critical arguments, as argument flexibility is essential to competitive success and education in college debate.

The 2015-2016 Michigan Debate Team Travel Schedule:

In the first semester, we will attend Georgia State, the University of Kentucky and UK Round Robin, Vanderbilt, Harvard, and Wake Forest. In the second semester, we will attend Cal-Berkeley, University of Miami, Indiana, Texas, Districts, and The National Debate Tournament.



Why Choose North Texas?

A History of Success

Winner of 1948 National Debate Tournament, Runner up at 2004 CEDA National Tournament, Qualified for the NDT 27 of the last 29 years, consistent participators at both National and Regional college debate tournaments, named one of the 50 most successful debate programs in the last 50 years.

Scholarship Opportunities

North Texas Debate is supported by five different Alumni scholarships – The John S. Gossett Scholarship
The William DeMougeot Scholarship
The Curtis Loveless Scholarship
The Louie Stricklin Scholarship
The Olive Johnson Memorial Scholarship

Each scholarship can vary in amount and there is no cap on the amount of scholarship money a single student can receive. The UNT debate team currently has 8 members on scholarship.

Tremendous Institutional Support

North Texas debate enjoys the support of the Department of Communication Studies, the College of Arts and Sciences and Student Support fees from the University of North Texas. This allows extensive travel to college tournaments around the country in which all members (**even first year students**) participate. Institutional support includes full time faculty and staff coaching positions within the University. North Texas employs three full time coaches as well as two graduate students. Current members of the UNT Coaching Staff include

Brian Lain – Director of Debate (Wake Forest, Iowa, Emory) enjoyed incredible success at Wake Forest, assisted at Iowa, coached Emory to an NDT Championship, and coached runners up of the 2004 CEDA National Tournament at the University of North Texas.

Louie Petit – Associate Director of Debate (Missouri State) coached the 2008 and 2009 top speaker at the National Debate Tournament, the 2008 Cross Examination Debate Association National Tournament top speaker, 5 first-round at large teams to the National Debate Tournament, 3 time critic of the year, and 2008 NDT and CEDA semifinalist.

Steve Pointer – Assistant Coach (Gonzaga University) coached the 2012 NDT semifinalist, the 2012 #4 overall first round bid, 2 Kentucky Round Robin teams, 1 Dartmouth round robin team, 6 time critic of the year award winner, and multiple teams to NDT elimination rounds.

For more information:

Dr. Brian Lain – Director of Debate – blain@unt.edu Louie Petit – Assistant Director of Debate – louiepetit@gmail.com Steve Pointer – Assistant Coach – pointer.debate@gmail.com



Reasons to go to UNT

Affordability: UNT has been named one of America's top 100 College Best Buys by U.S. News and World Report for 15 consecutive years. This low-cost college is made even more affordable by scholarship opportunities. Texas residents can take 15 semester credit hours for two semesters for \$6,282 (\$12,360 for nonresidents), plus fees related to instruction. Room and board is \$7.760.

Success: 2014 two teams in top 40 National Debate Tournament, 2013 2 teams in top 30 National Debate Tournament, 2012 Public Sphere Award, 2012 top 20 teams in America, top team in Texas, 2011 National Junior Division Debate Champions, 2010 National Junior Division Runners up, 2009 Top Speaker at National Debate Tournament, 2009 Top five teams, 2011 17th place squad in America, 2004 runners up Cross Examination Debate Association National Tournament. UNT has been ranked in the top 50 programs in debate for the last 58 years.

Academics: More than 36,000 students pick UNT. Forbes included UNT on its 2010 Best College List and *The Princeton Review* named us a "Best in West" university. UNT is one of three universities in Texas on *The Princeton Review's* list of environmentally responsible universities. UNT is rated as one of US News and World Report's top "Up and Coming Universities."

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Texas Tech Forensics

Texas Tech University is home to one of the most successful debate programs in the country. TTU Forensics is one of the oldest programs on campus and has established a legacy of excellence that mirrors the lofty goals and expectations the University has set for itself. The debate program has produced three national championships in the past decade: two NPDA National Championships (2008 and 2010) and an NPTE top-speaker (2010). The program has placed numerous teams in top 5 finishes at nationals and is generally regarded as a year-in, year-out powerhouse.

The debate program is focused on parliamentary debate. The unique aspects of parliamentary debate demonstrate the values of TTU as an institution. In our format, debaters are expected to have a well-rounded skill set that appeals to both argument-centric and audience-centric forms of argumentation. The topic changes every round and covers diverse issues. Success in parli requires students to have a deep understanding of politics, current events, modern philosophy, and other elements endemic to a liberal arts education.

A unique aspect of the program vision at TTU is the utilization of university resources to achieve our competitive goals. We ask students to ground the ideas and arguments they encounter throughout their educational experience in debate rounds. This allows debate to serve as a laboratory for testing real ideas about the world. We hope to produce well-rounded individuals who possess a deep understanding of the world and unwavering commitment to improving it for the better.

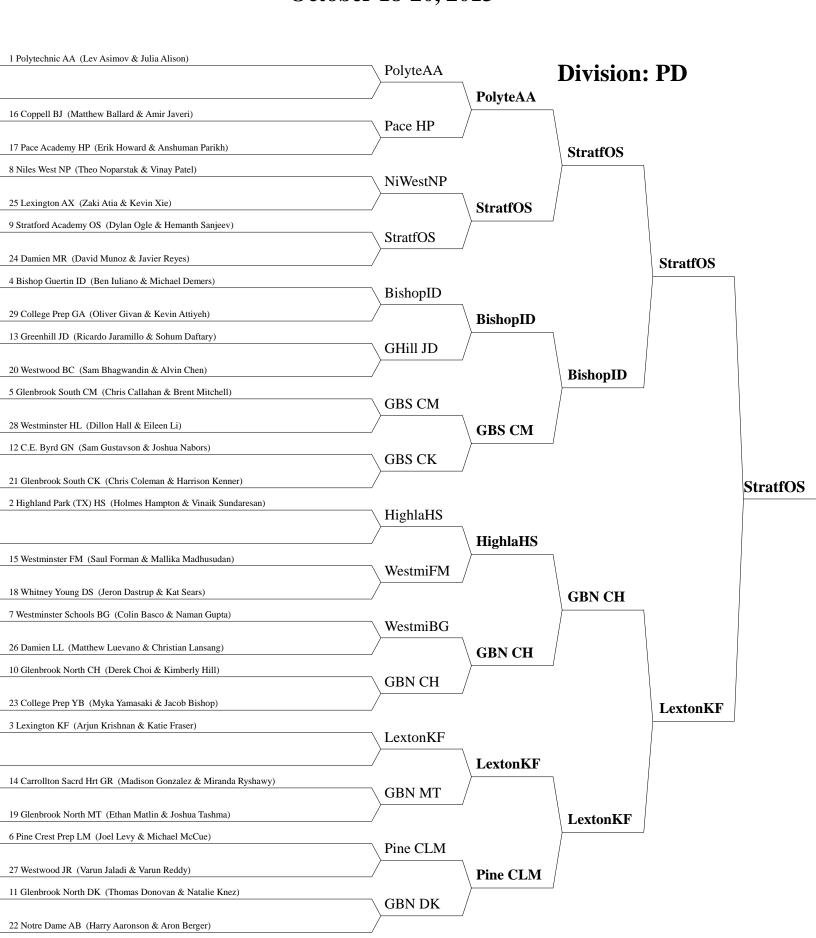
Texas Tech University is located in Lubbock, Texas. With an enrollment of more than 29,000 undergraduates, we are one of the largest institutions in the state of Texas. Our campus brings together all the elements of a fantastic college experience; a top-tier football program, numerous student organizations, substantial investments in innovative technology and resources, and many of the top-ranked professors in their fields. TTU is dedicated to constantly growing in creative and dynamic ways that meet the needs of students in the modern world.

We invite you and your students to learn more about the Texas Tech University debate program. There are many opportunities in our program available to students who wish to pursue excellence.

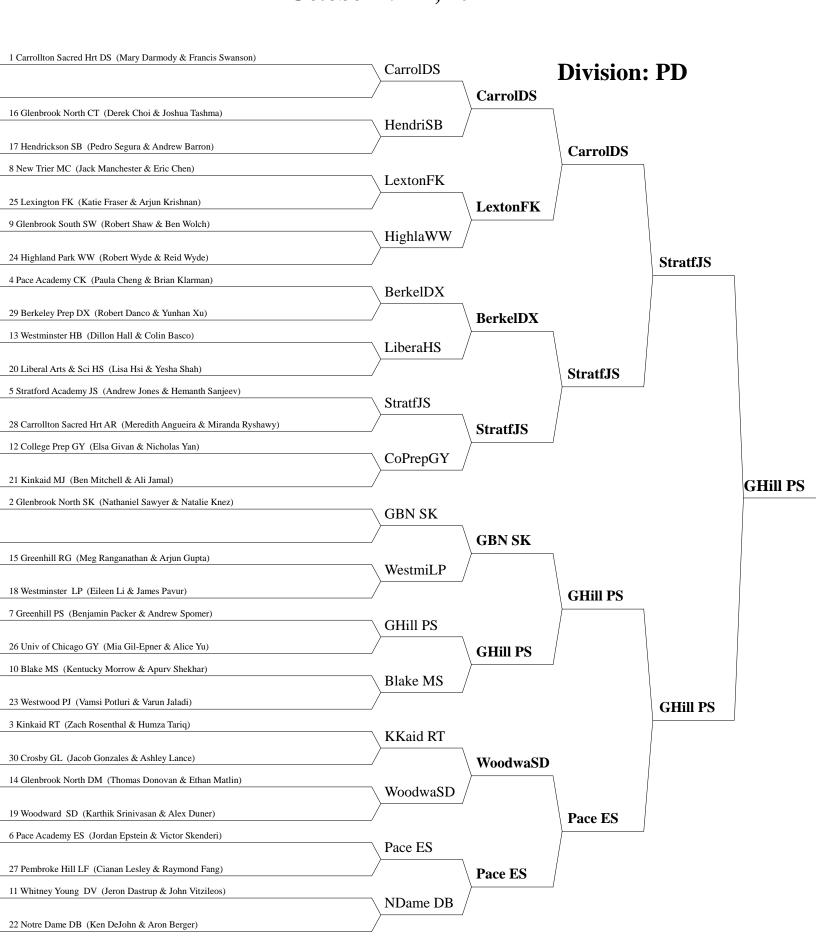
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25. Glenbrook South AK 8. Niles North WO	Niles North WO	Damien LL		Austin SFA	
5. Greenhill DJ	Greenhill DJ			<u>EE</u>	
21. Pace FL 12. Rowland Hall-St. Mark's KL	Rowland Hall-St. Mark's KL	Greenhill DJ	Austin SFA		
13. Westminster Schools KH 20. Glenbrook South DR	Westminster Schools KH	Austin SFA EE	<u>EE</u>		
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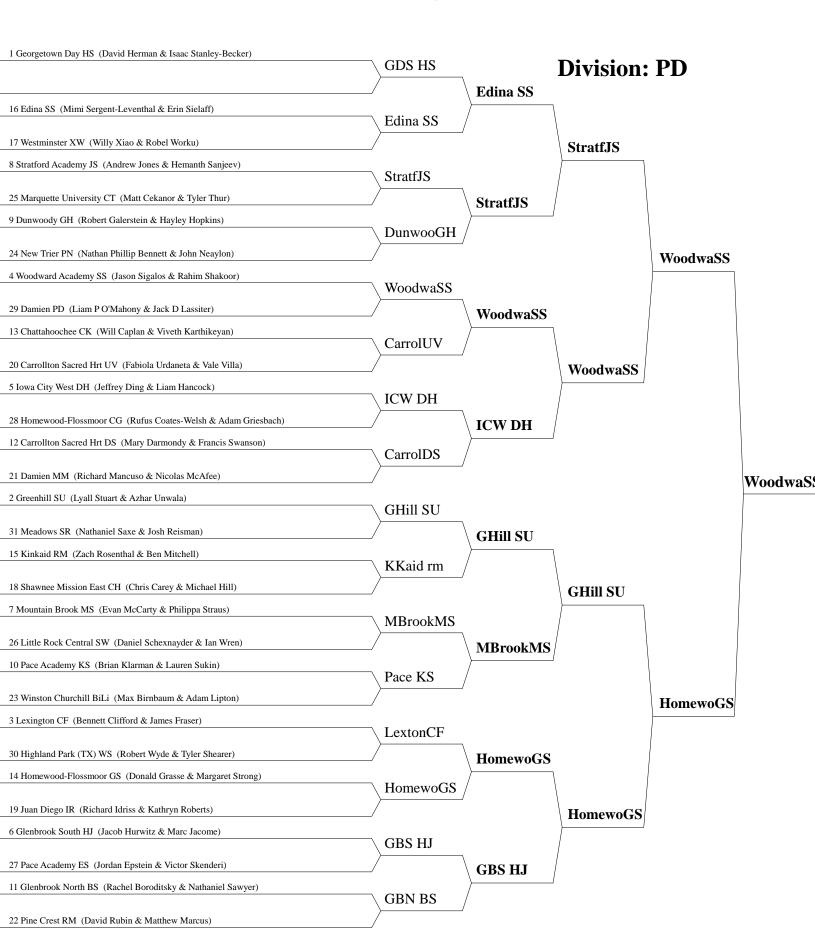
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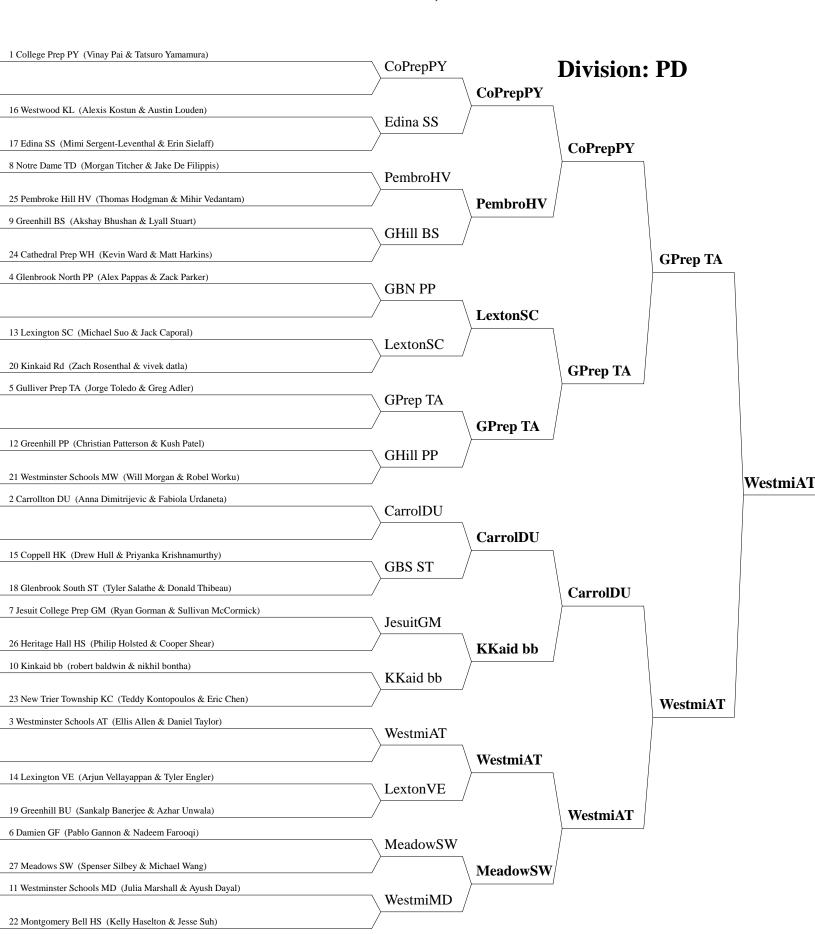
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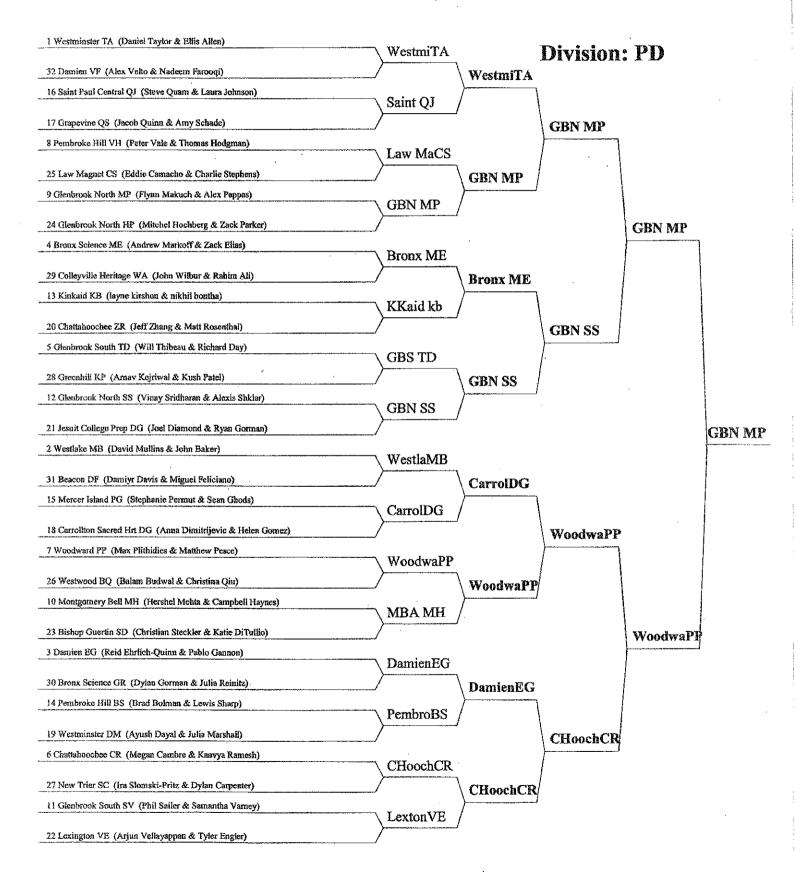


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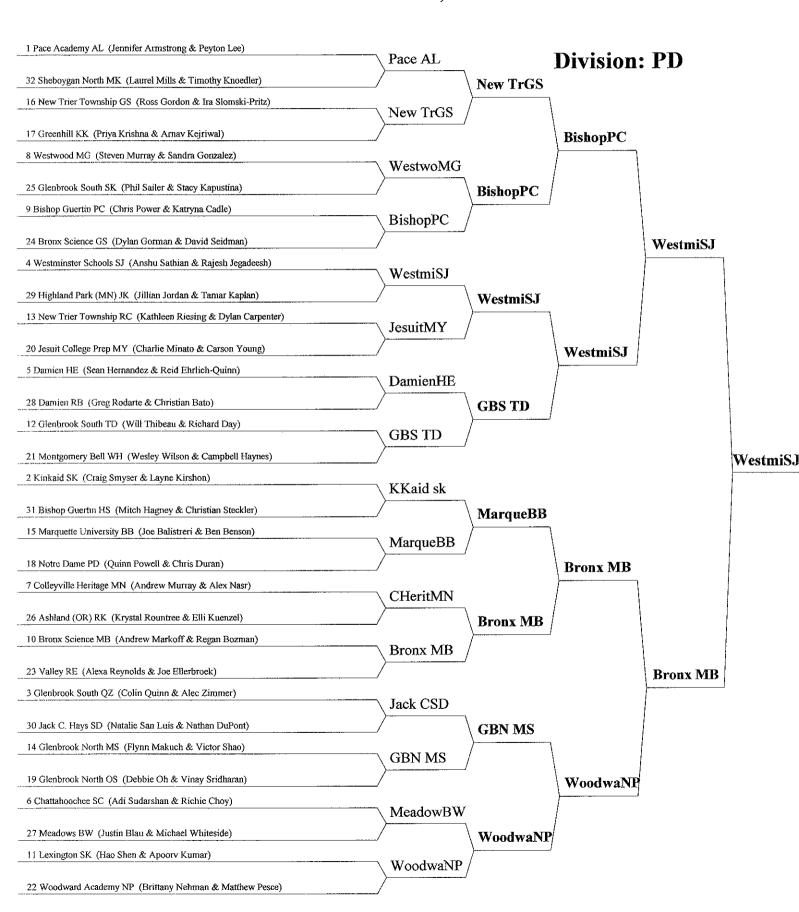


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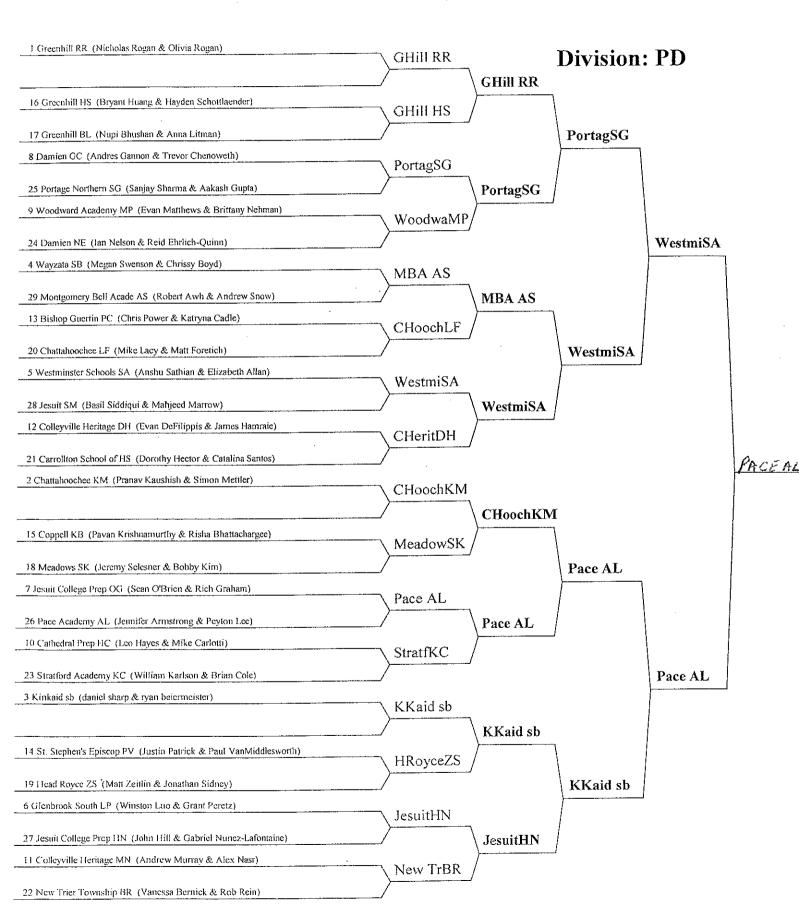
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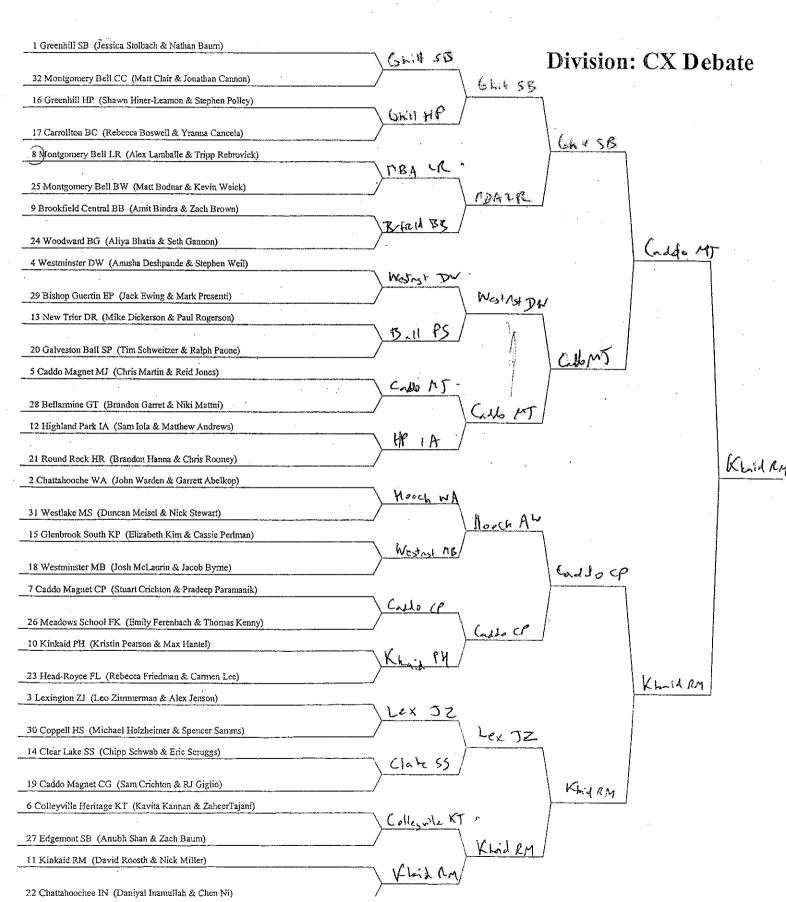
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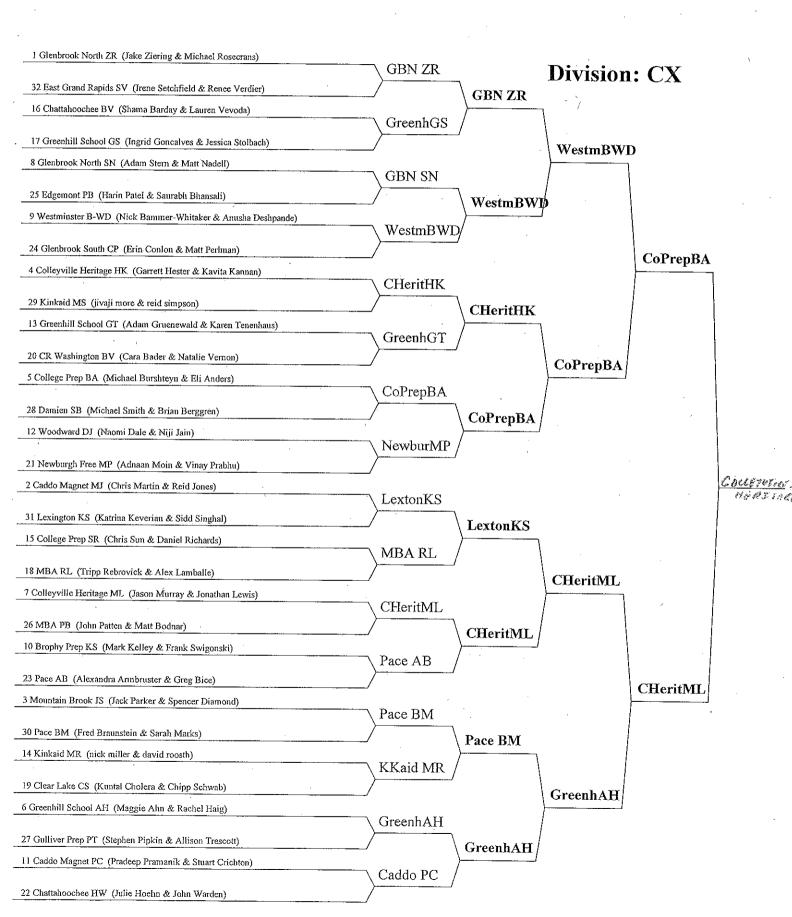
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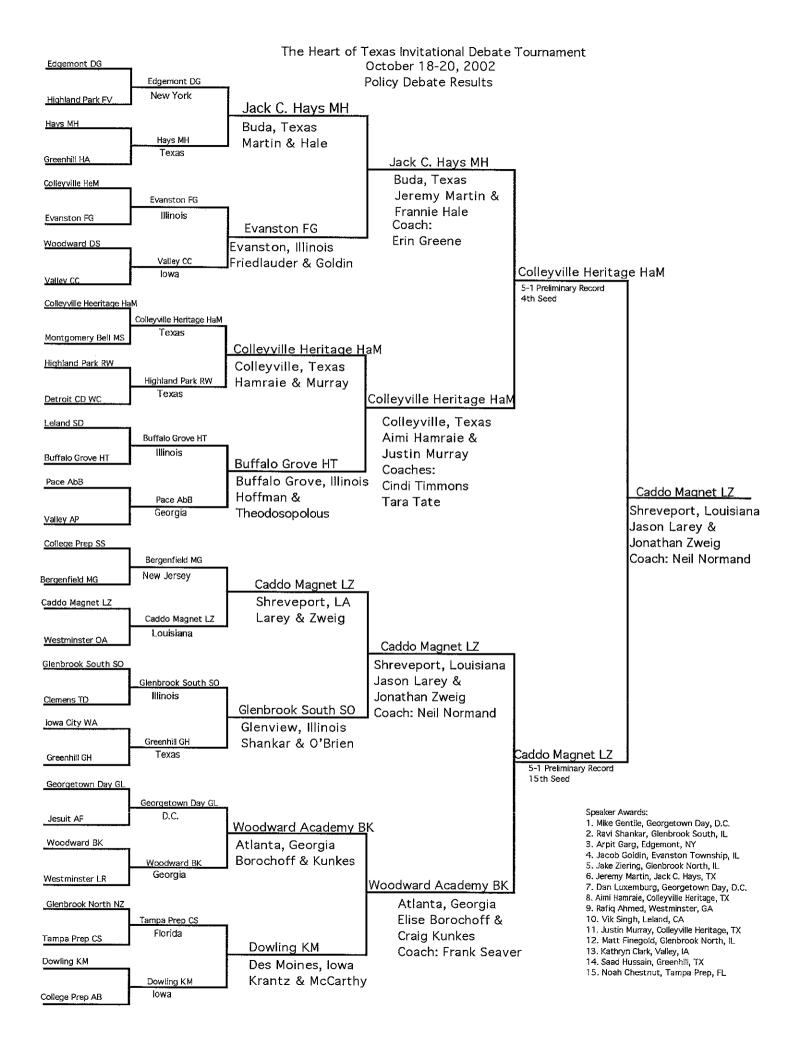
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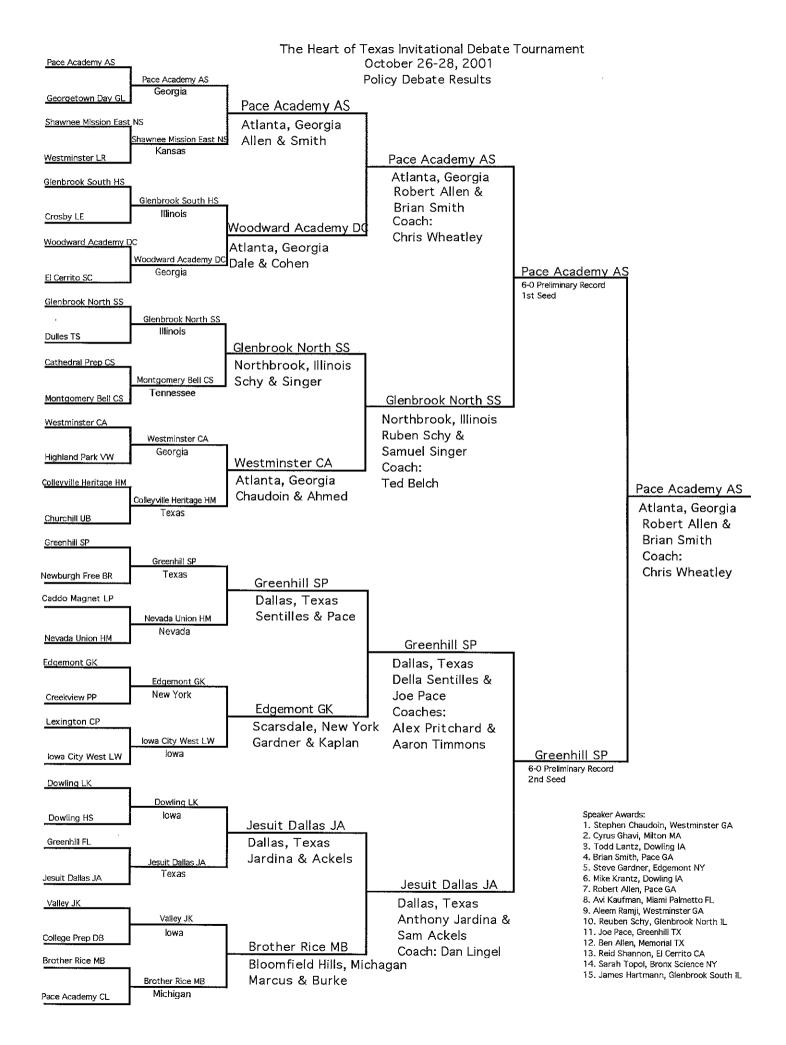


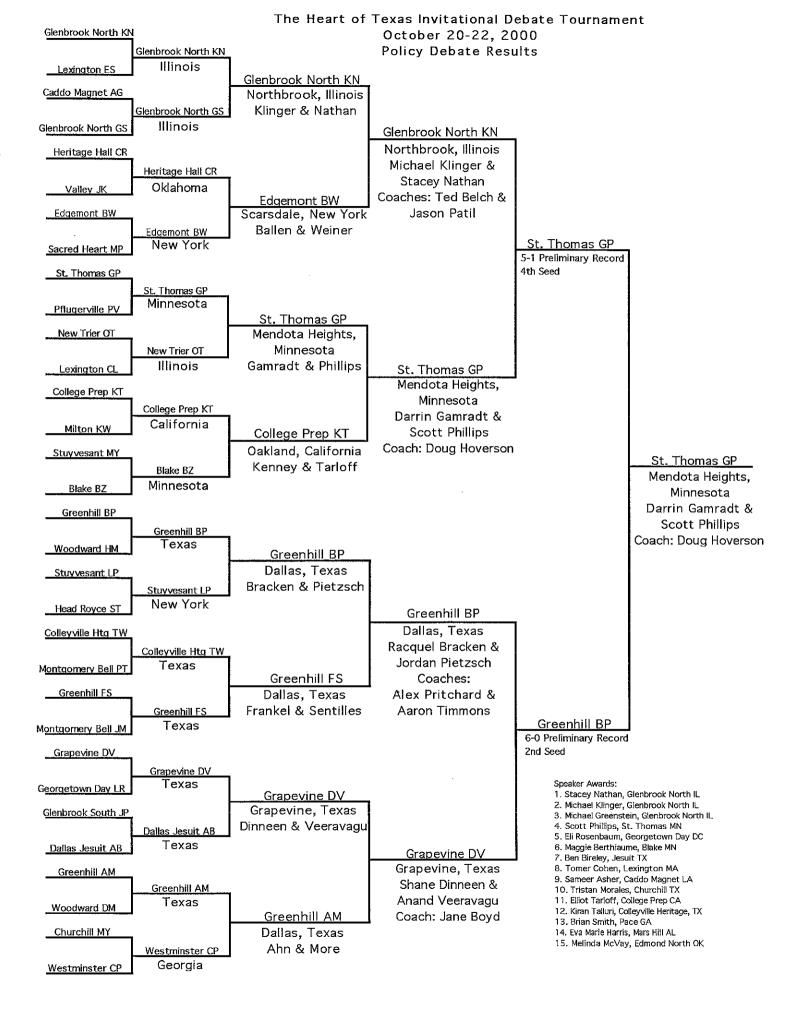
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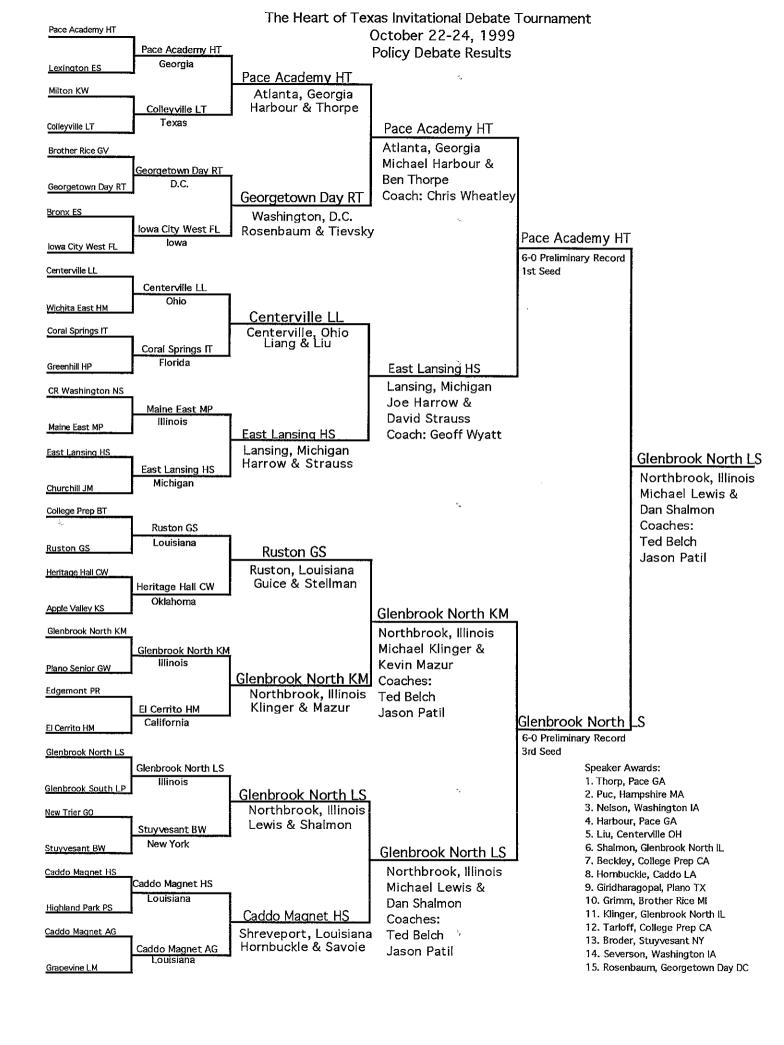
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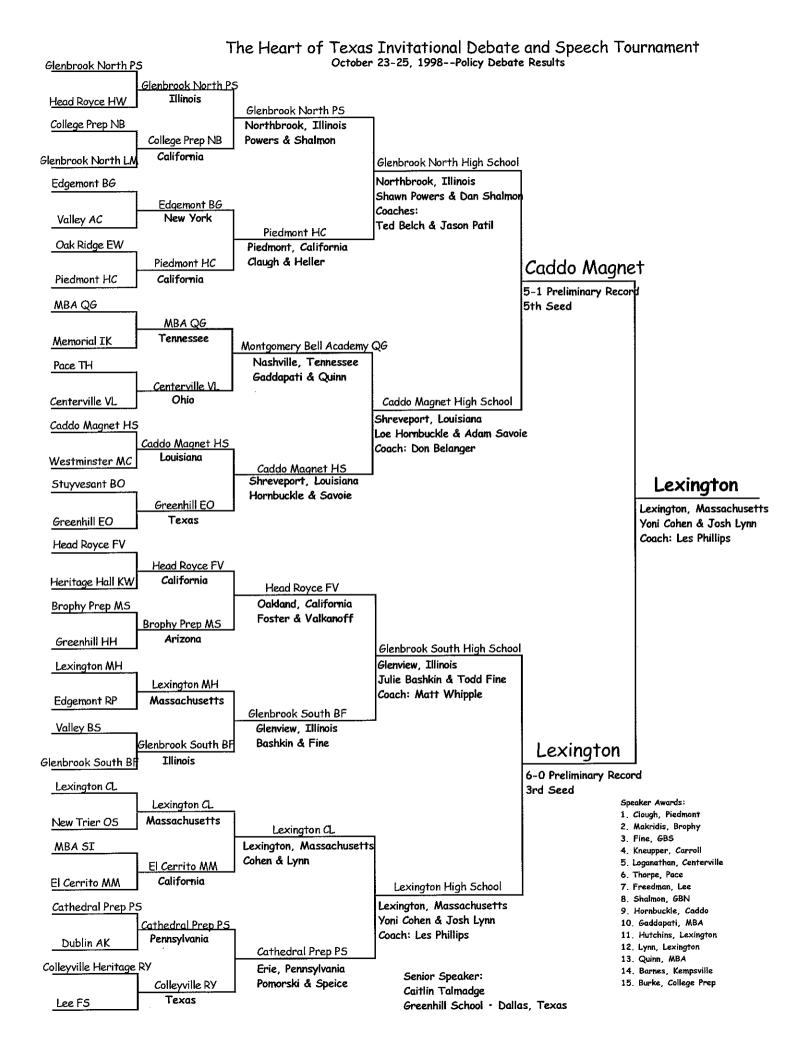






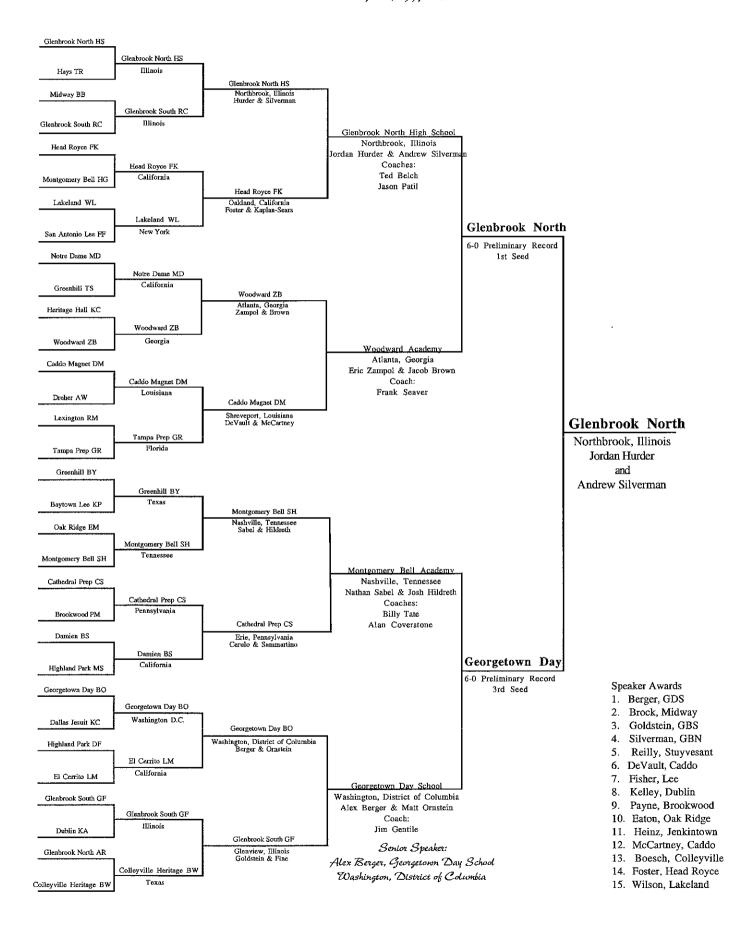




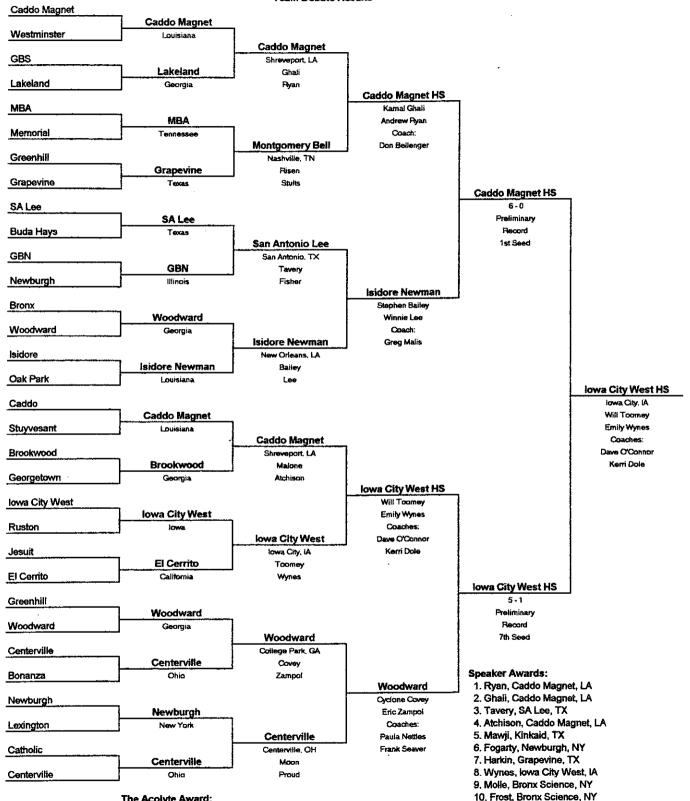


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October 24-26, 1997-- Team Debate Results



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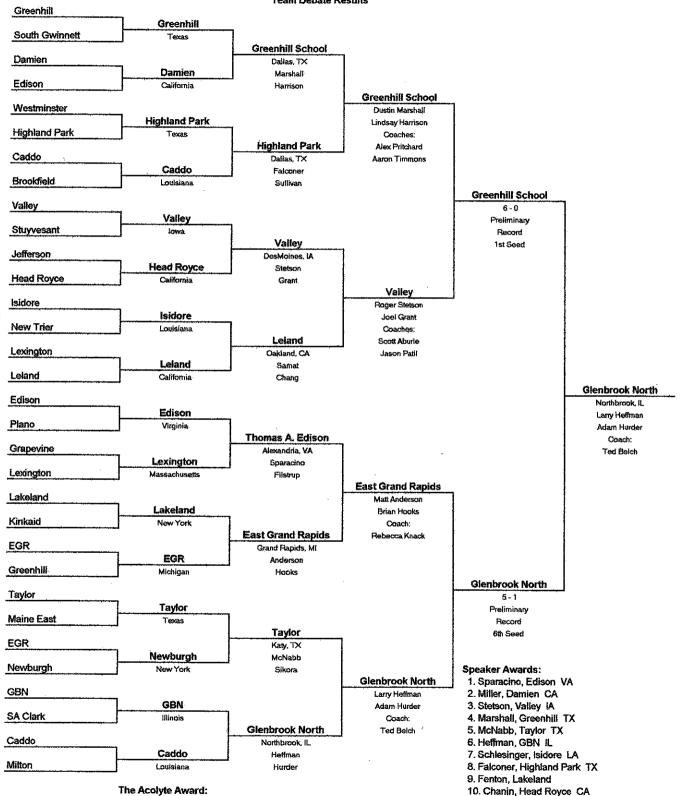


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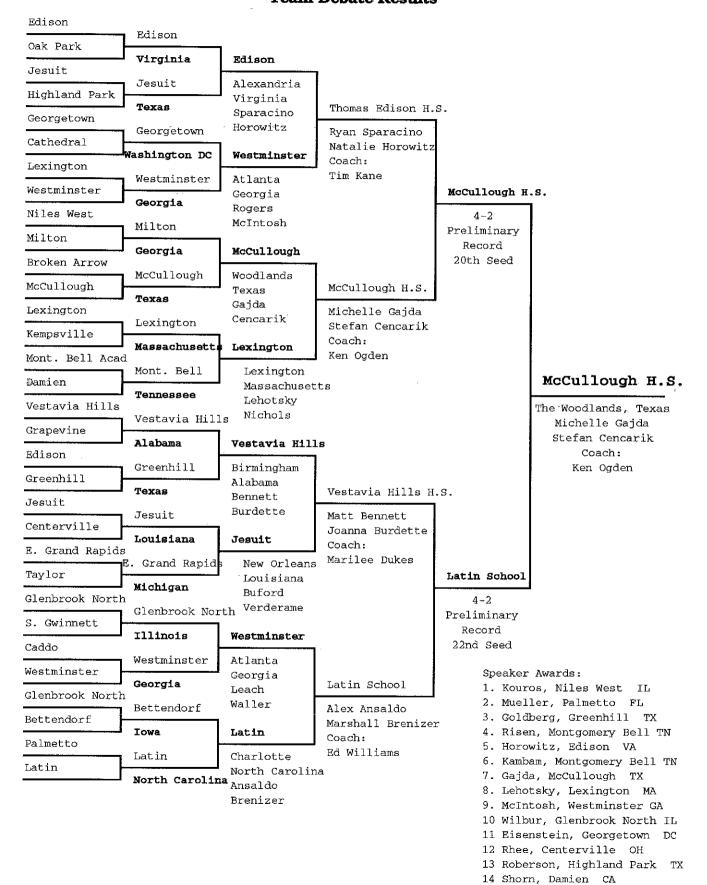
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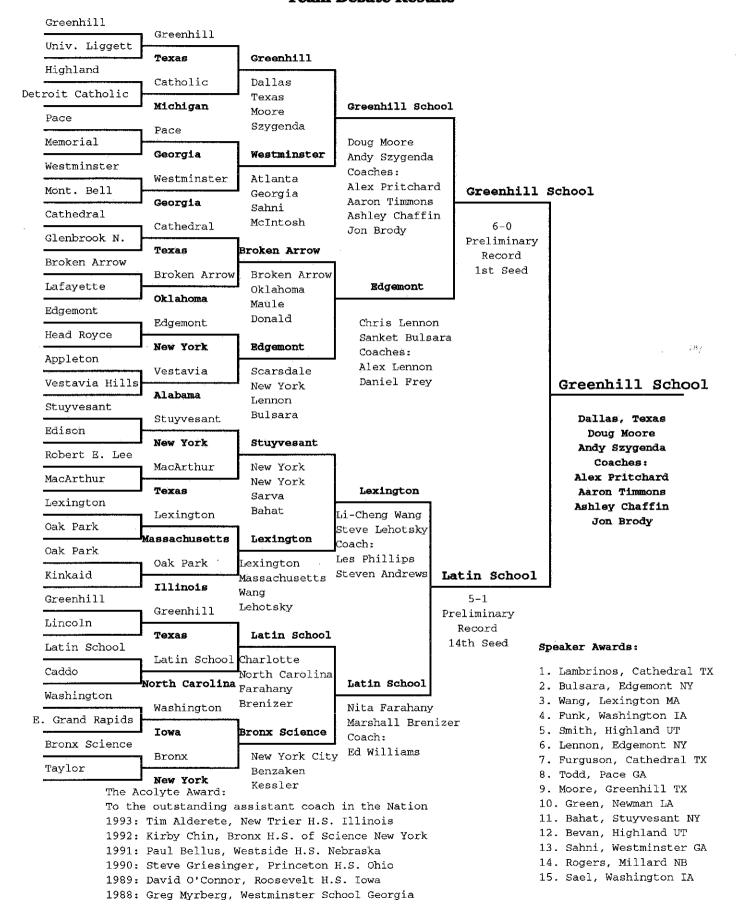
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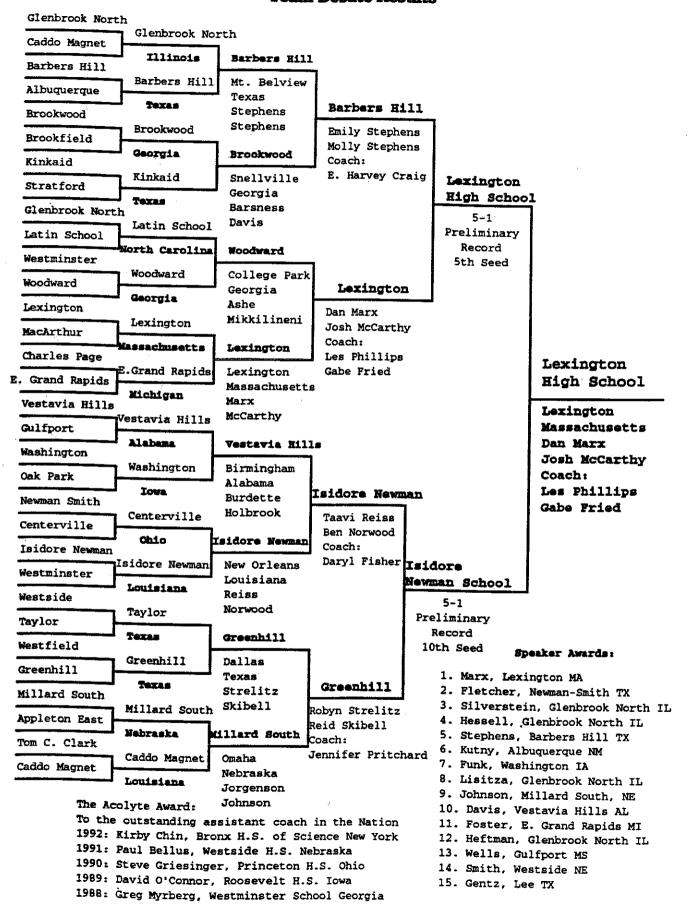


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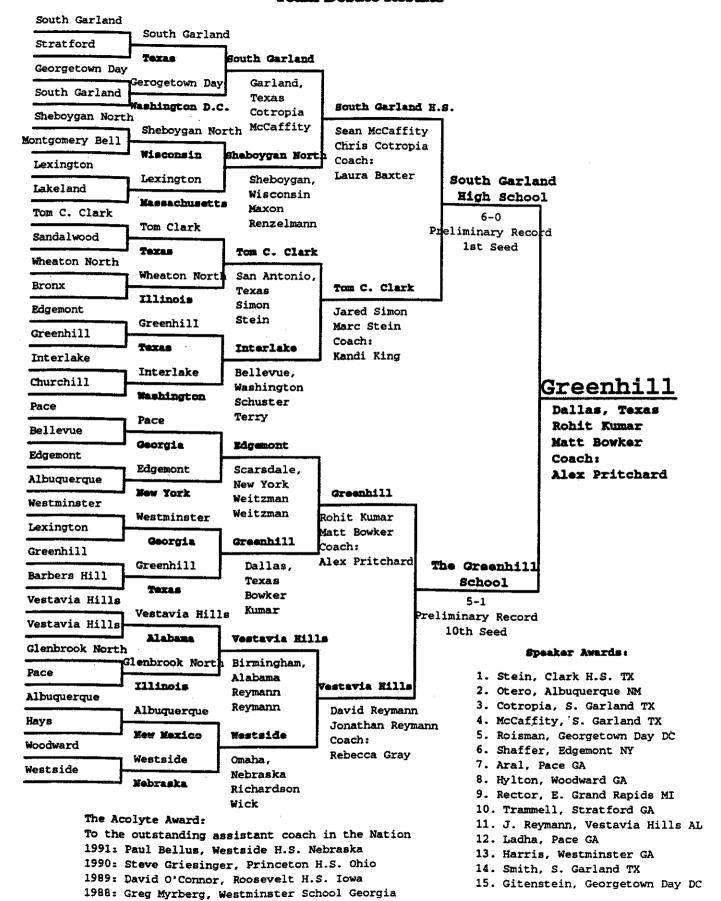
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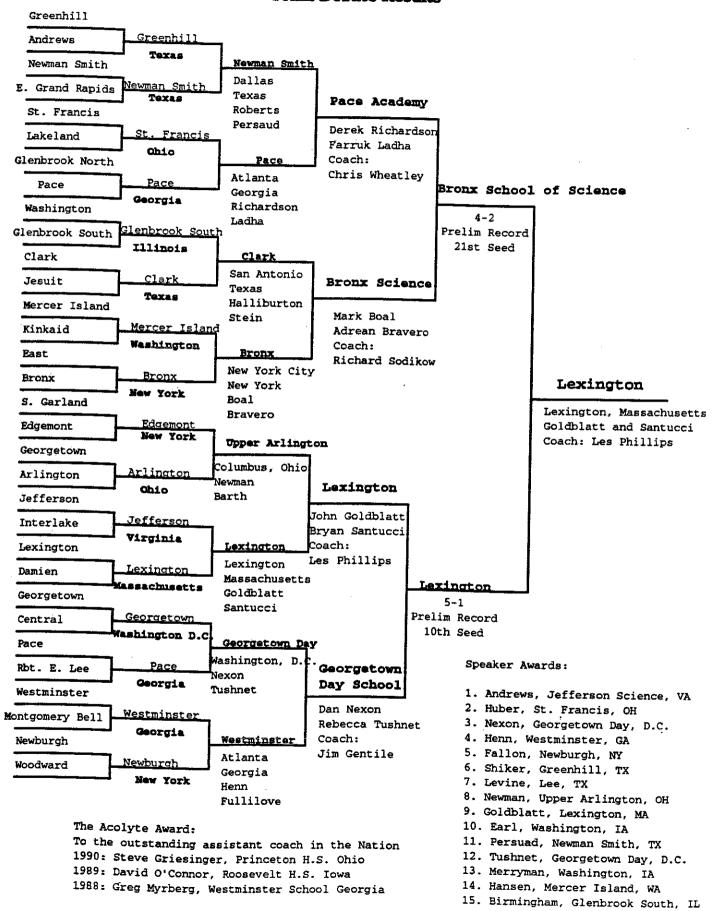
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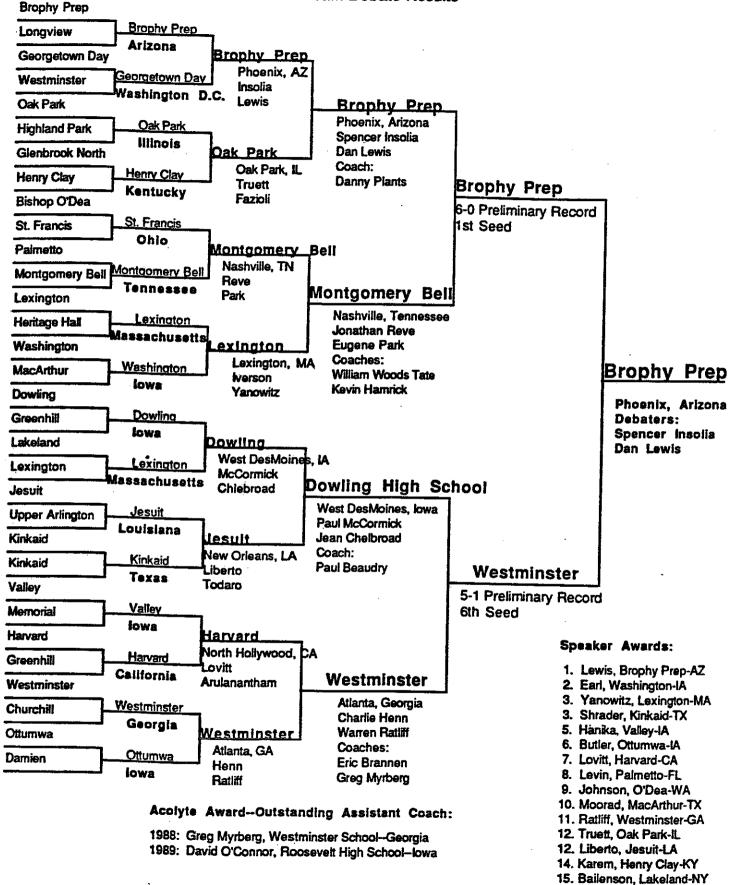


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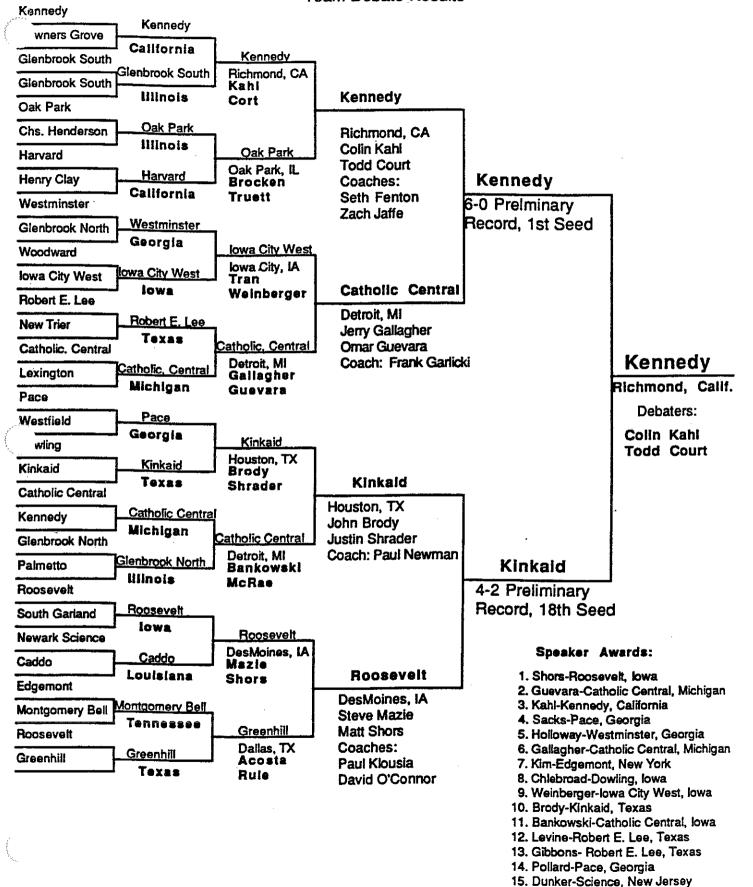
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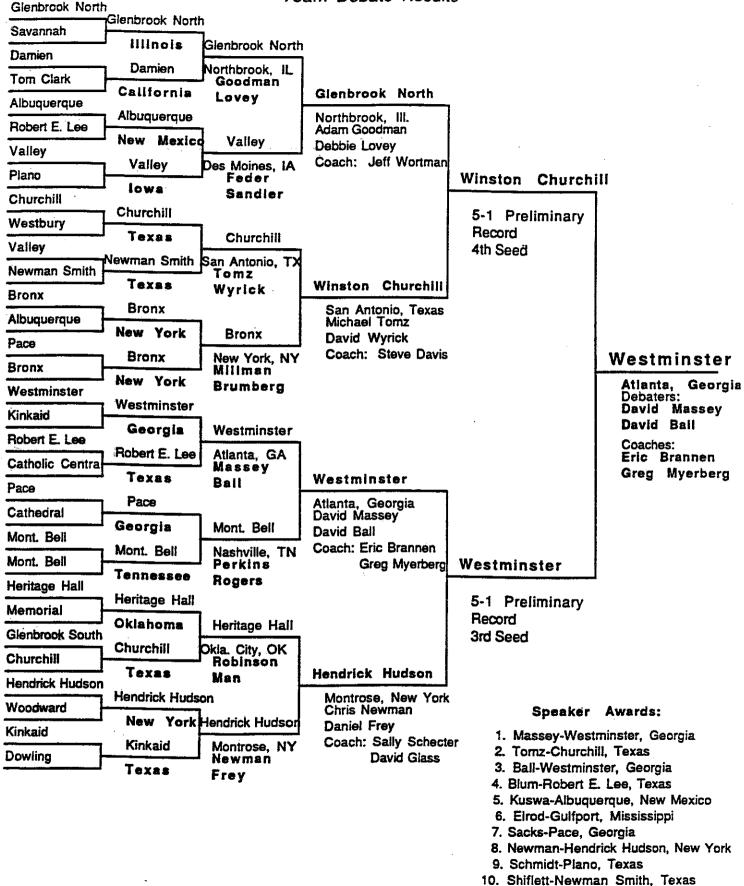
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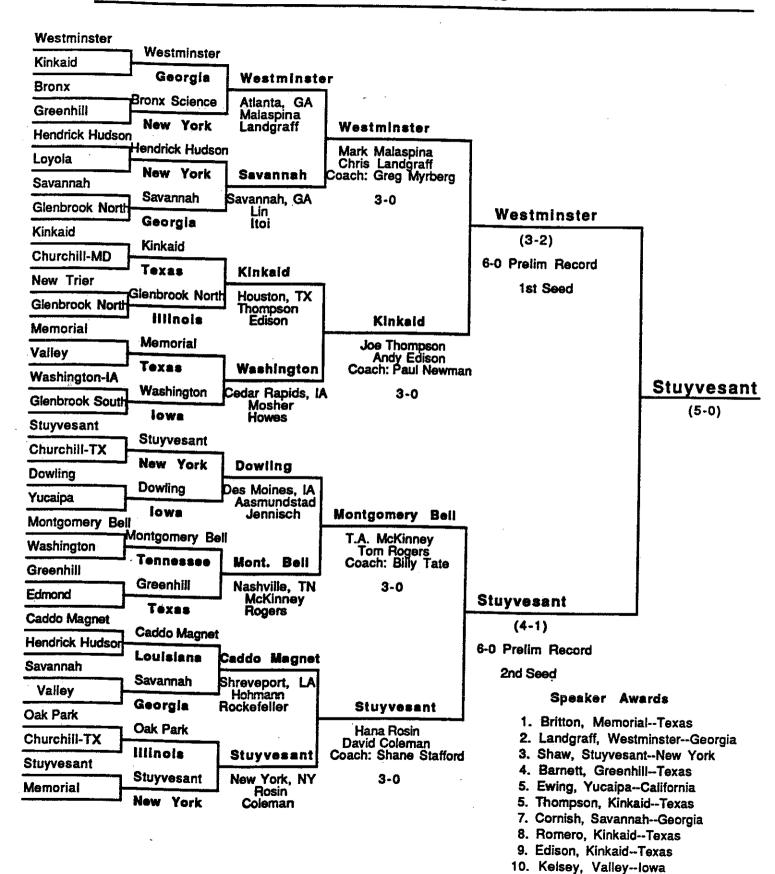
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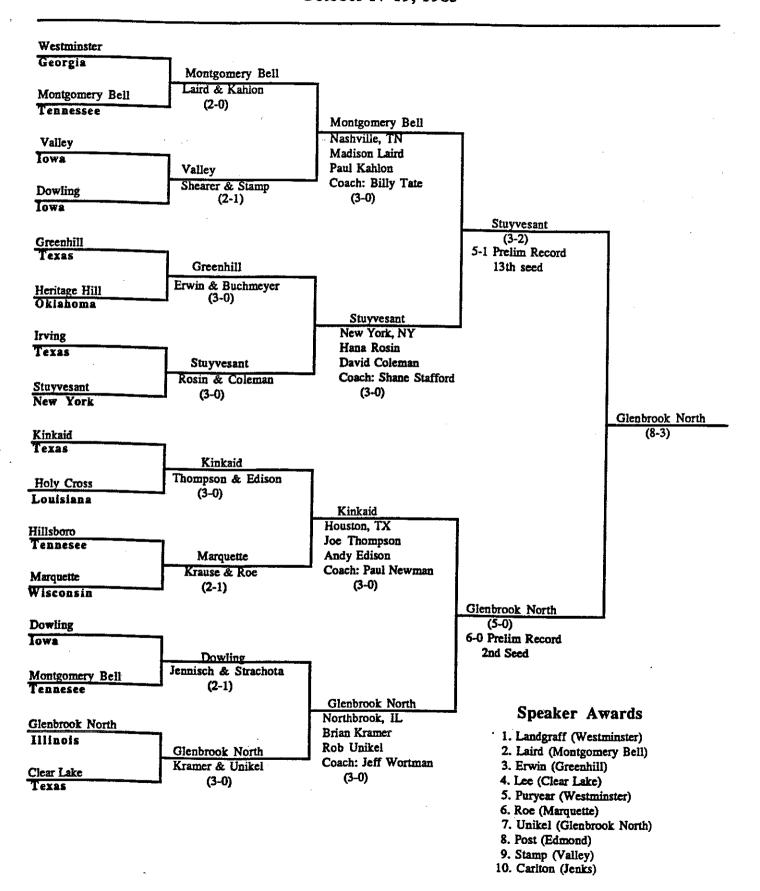
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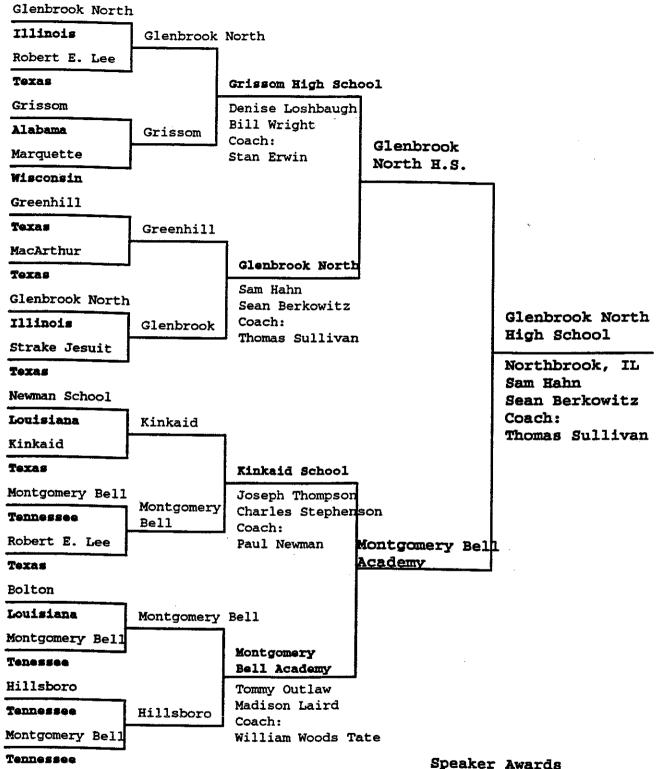
The St. Mark's Invitational Forensics Tournament October 23-25, 1986

Team Debate Results





The St. Mark's Invitational Forensics Tournament October 19-20, 1984 **Team Debate Results**



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- 2. Robert Harris, Hillsboro TN
- 3. Allison Aranson, Greenhill TX
- 4. John Lovey, Glenbrook North IL
- 5. Denise Loshbough, Grissom AL

Tim's Top Ten Restaurants

If you came to visit me, which I guess you are ©, these are the places I'd be likely to take you. All of the recommendations that include a note that the restaurant won a "Best of..." award are a reference to the Dallas Observer yearly poll. The Observer is Dallas's answer to the Village Voice. You will see them around town and I suggest picking one up. It's a weekly newspaper with dining and entertainment guides. You can also visit their website at: http://www.dallasobserver.com/ They are a great resource for what is going on in Dallas. You can go directly to their best of restaurants section here:

http://www.dallasobserver.com/bestof/

Another great source of information both for restaurant reviews or for information on activities in Dallas is: http://www.guidelive.com/

Ok, I cheated and didn't stop at ten but there were some places that I just couldn't leave out. Don't cheat yourself - read through the whole list before picking. Café Izmir at the bottom of the list is an amazing Mediterranean restaurant.

Yahoo directions to each of the places listed below are at the bottom of this document.

\$ under \$10 per person \$\$ \$10-\$20 per person \$\$\$ \$20-\$30 per person \$\$\$\$ \$30-\$50 per person \$\$\$\$ more than \$50 per person

\$\$ Lockhart BBQ http://www.lockhartsmokehouse.com/ 400 West Davis, Dallas, TX 75208 214-944-5521 or 1026 East 15th Street Plano. TX 75074

Brisket is amazing. This place makes X amount of bbq and when it's gone, it's gone.

\$\$ Hard 8 BBQ http://www.hardeightbbq.com/ 688 Freeport Pkwy, Coppell, TX 75019 (972) 471-5462 There is a bigger diversity of food than you find at Lockhart and they might run out of one or two things but will have plenty of awesome food when you go there.

\$\$ Love and War in Texas http://www.loveandwarintexas.com/ 601 E. Plano Pkwy Plano 972-422-6201 For me Love and War is the quintessential Texas restaurant. If I could only take you to one place during your visit then this is where we would go. Their claim to fame is taking you on a taste tour of Texas by offering items from several different regions of Texas: the gulf coast, the hill country, etc. They have live Americana music several nights a week. This place just feels like Texas to me and I love it.

\$\$ Babe's Chicken Dinner House 104 North Oak Roanoke, TX (817) 491-2900, and 1006 W. Main St. Carrollton, TX (972) 245-7773

Babe's in Roanoke. Either way, you will get down home cooking at fair prices.

Another place that represents what good Texas food is all about. The original Babe's is located in an old farmhouse. There isn't a menu. You can either have fried chicken or chicken fried steak. No choice in sides. They just bring them out to you, as much of them as you want. Prepare yourself for a full sized meal: salad, green beans, biscuits, mashed potatoes and gravy. If you get the chicken you get half a chicken and if you get the chicken fried steak it covers a plate. Word on the street is that they have great desserts. I've never made it that far. If you are eliminated early it's worth a trip to the Babe's in Roanoke. If you don't have time for that trip or if you have a big group, some of whom aren't happy with only two choices then go to the Babe's in Carrollton. Same basic deal but more entrée choices and much closer than the

\$\$ Breadwinners http://www.breadwinnerscafe.com/ 3301 McKinney Ave Dallas 214-754-4940

If I could only take you to one place during your visit and it was before 11 am this is where we would go. Everything I've ever had here is awesome but if you prefer dessert to breakfast try the stuffed French toast.

\$\$ Snuffers http://www.snuffers.com/ 8411 Preston Rd. Dallas 214.265.9911

The place I'd take you if you wanted a great burger. They also consistently win the competition for best cheese fries in Dallas. Not a place to take the vegetarians.

\$\$ Café Brazil http://www.cafebrazil.com/ 6420 N Central Expy Dallas 214-691-7791

If you were a vegetarian this is where I would take you. It has the feel of a place that vegetarians would like. I wouldn't know for sure since I don't eat vegetables. So if you are a strict vegetarian you might want to click on the web link and check out the actual menu. This place also tops the "Where to go after 10 pm" list. Diverse menu and open 24 hours. Speed of service will vary depending on how late you go but the food is consistently great. Winner of "Best Late Night Restaurant" in Dallas.

\$\$ Louie's 1839 N Henderson Ave Dallas (214) 826-0505

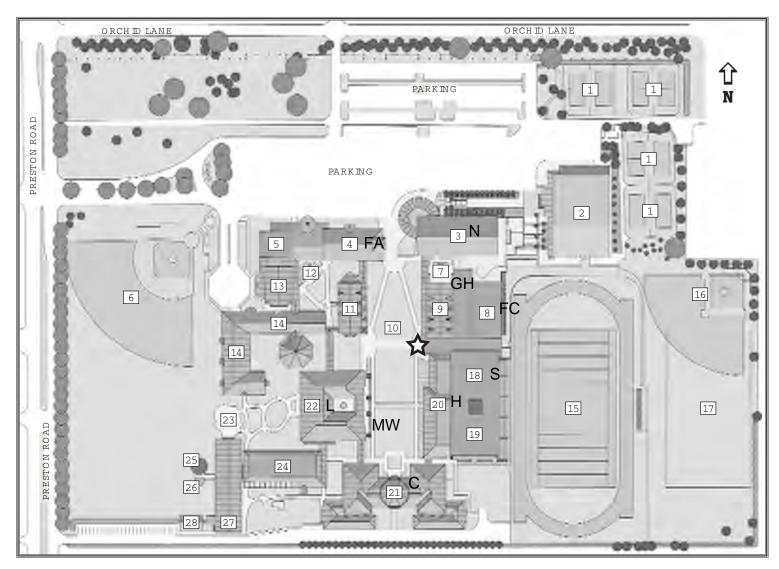
Supposedly everything on the menu in this dive bar is great. I wouldn't know. I go here for the pizza. I have a friend who used to waitress here and she says the steaks are great. Steaks in a bar, sounds dicey to me, but she swears by them. Either way it's by far my favorite pizza, EVER.

\$\$ Desperado's 4818 Greenville Ave Dallas (214) 363-1850

Ok, picking favorites in Dallas among Mexican food and barbeque places is likely to start fights and since gun control hasn't really caught on escalation is a real possibility. Despite this, I feel compelled to recommend Desperado's. There are tons of great Mexican places in Dallas and you can stop at about any of them and feel confident about getting a decent meal. The bad ones don't last long here. Having said that, the Desperado Taco's are really, really good.

\$\$ India Palace 12817 Preston Rd # 105 Dallas (972) 392-0190

\$\$ Café Izmir http://www.izmirgroup.com/cafe.htm 3711 Greenville Ave. 214-826-7788 Fabulous Middle Eastern tapas place. Great food that will make both the meat eaters, and the vegetarians happy.



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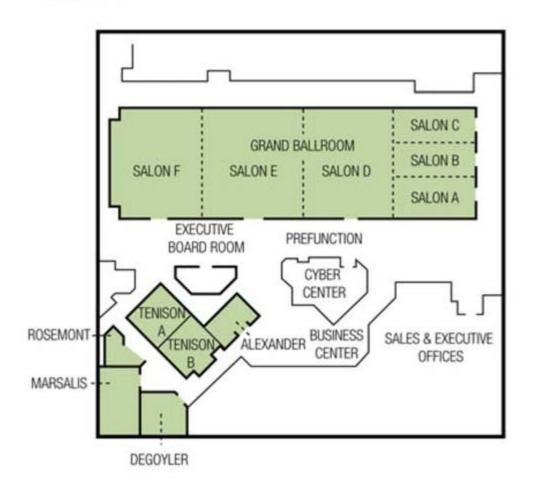
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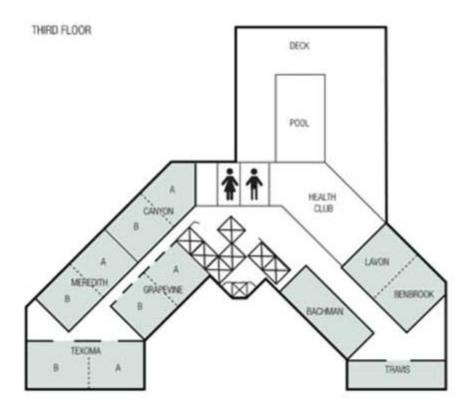
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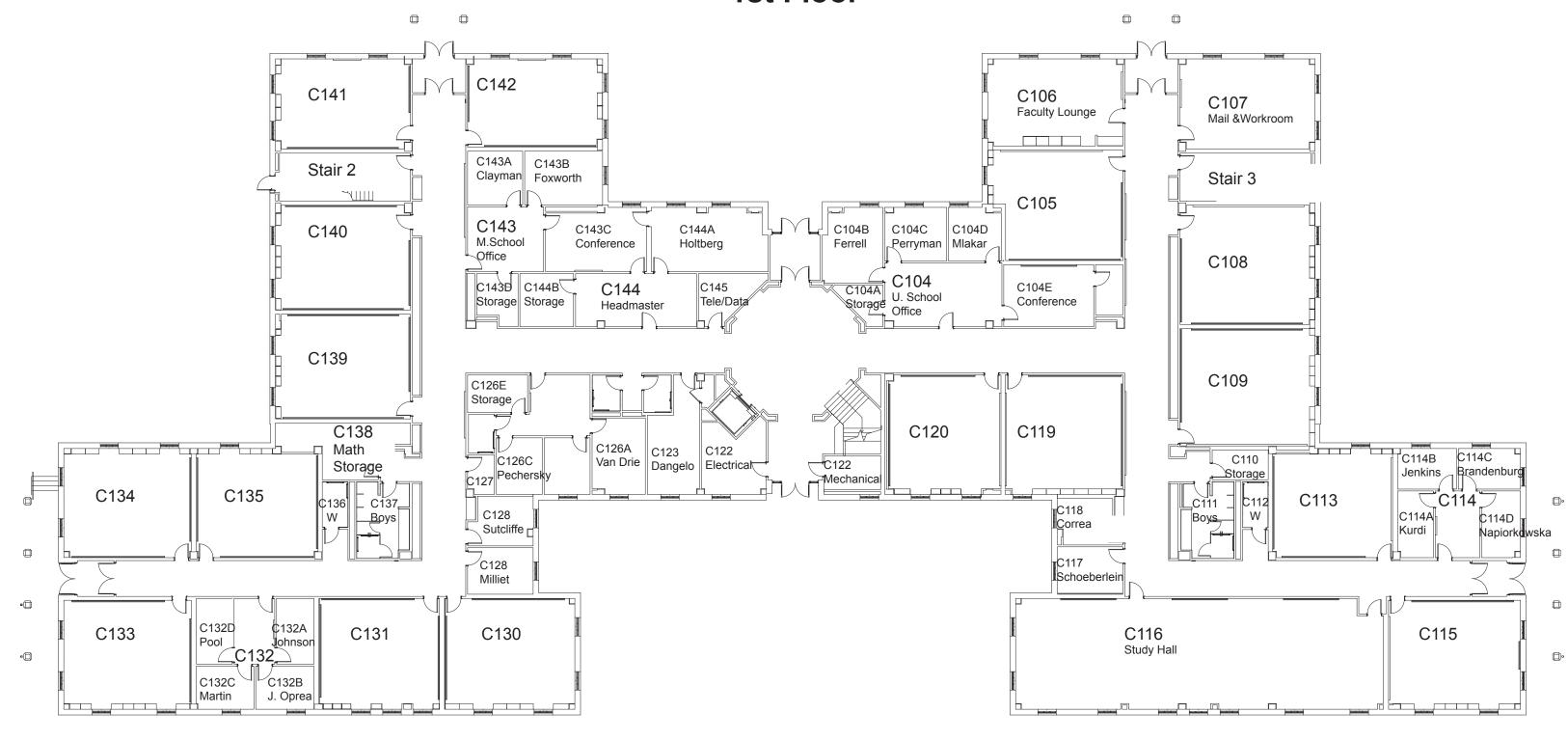
The Westin Dallas Park Central Meeting Space - Floor Plans

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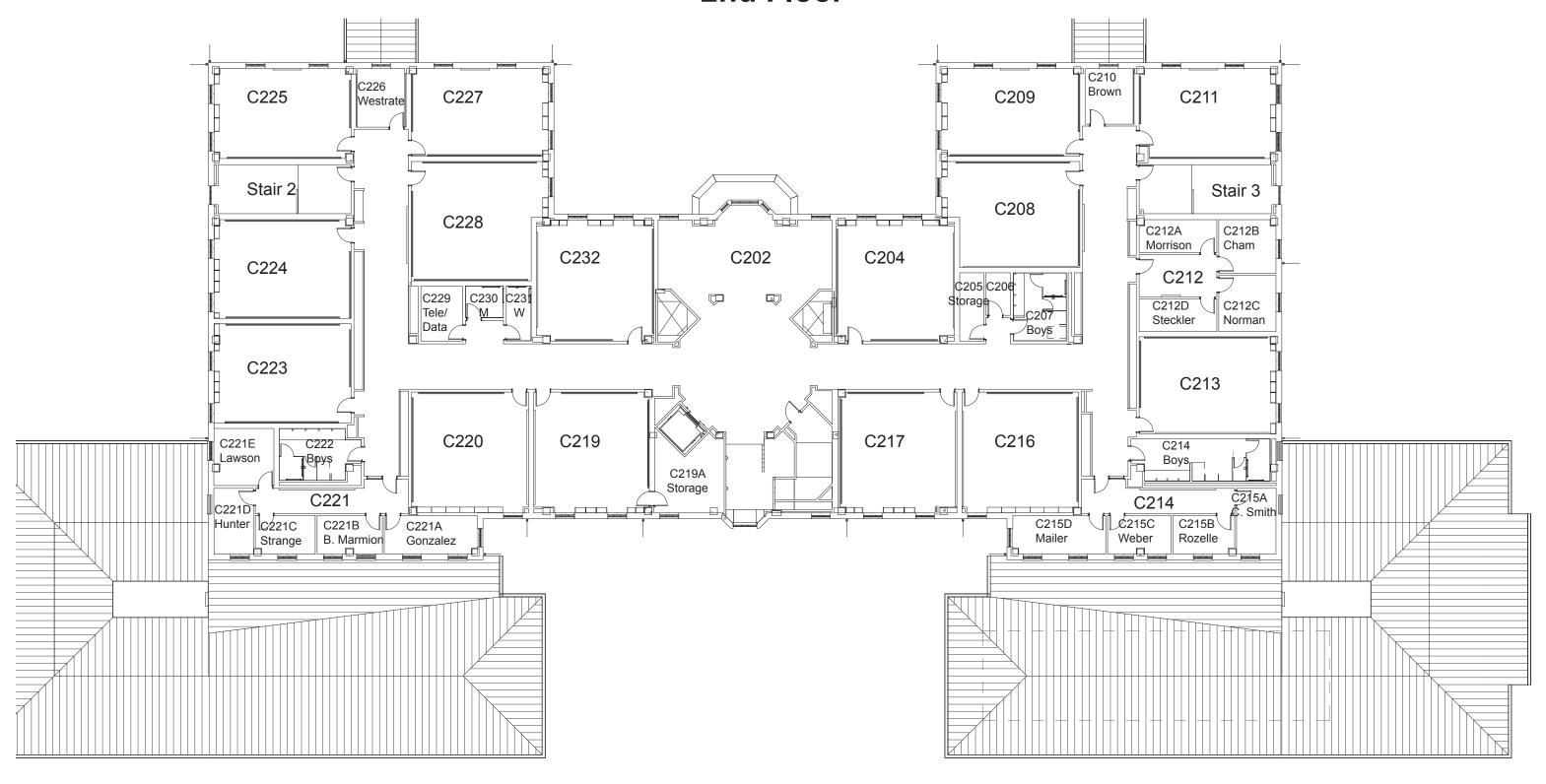




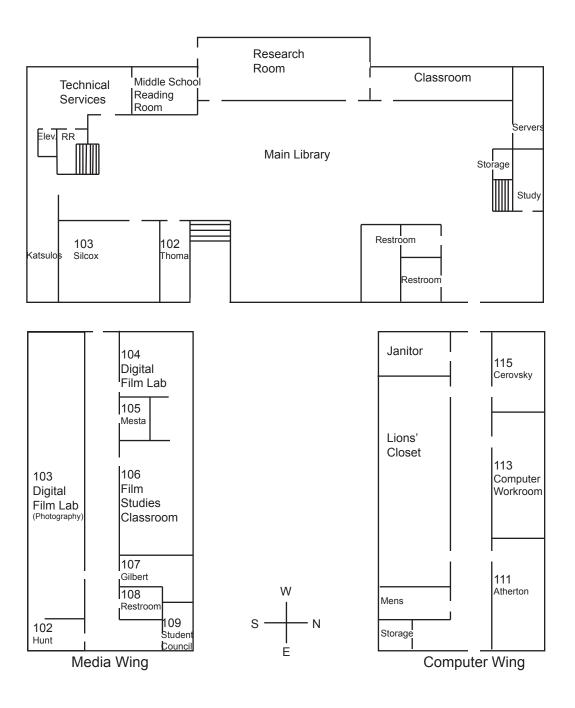
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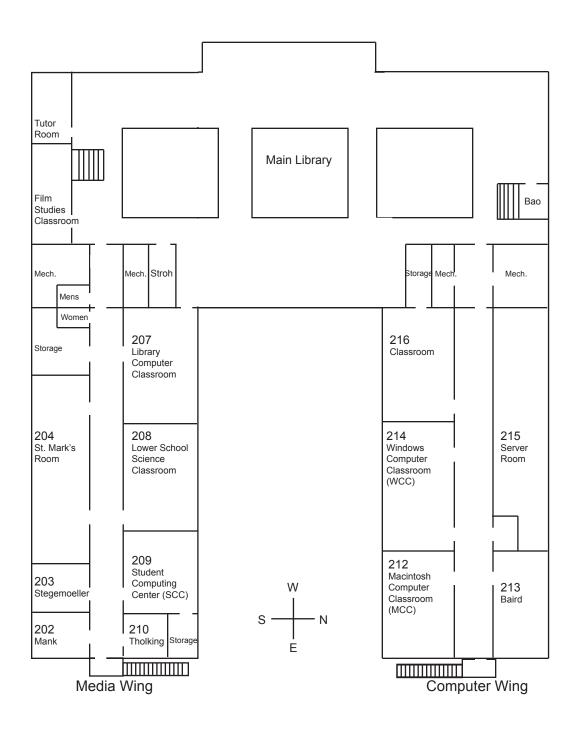
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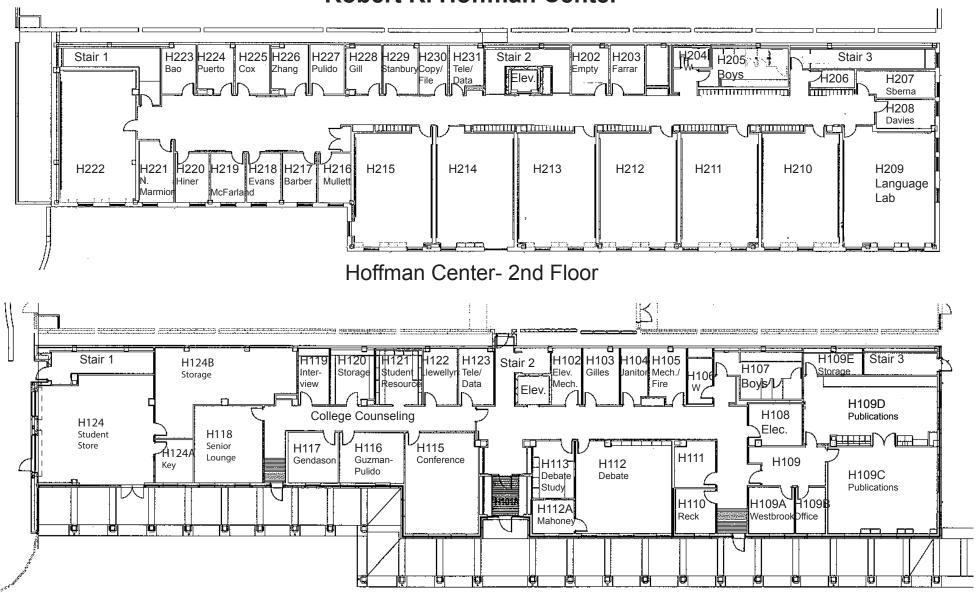
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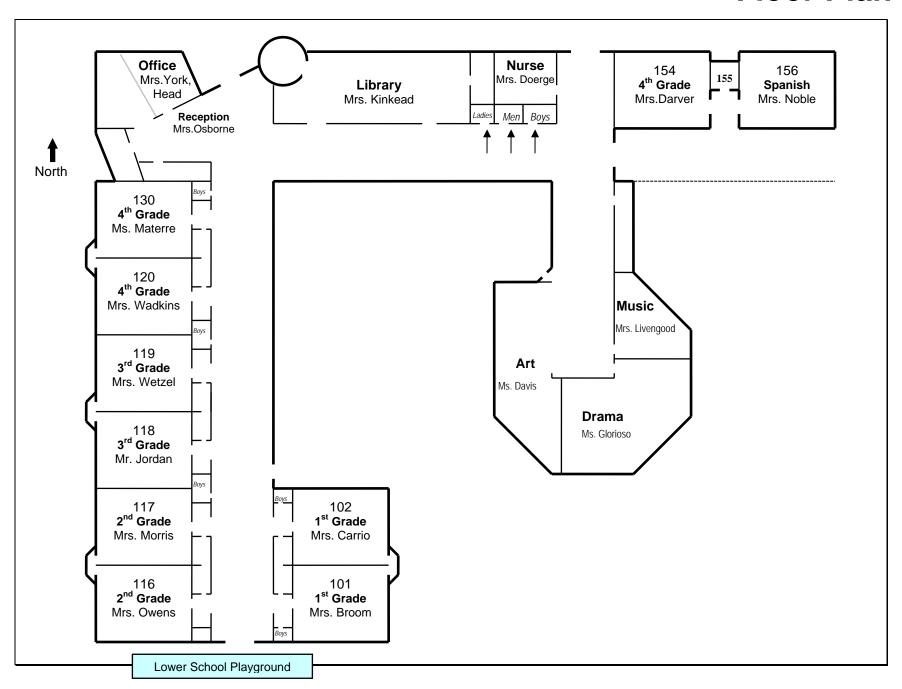


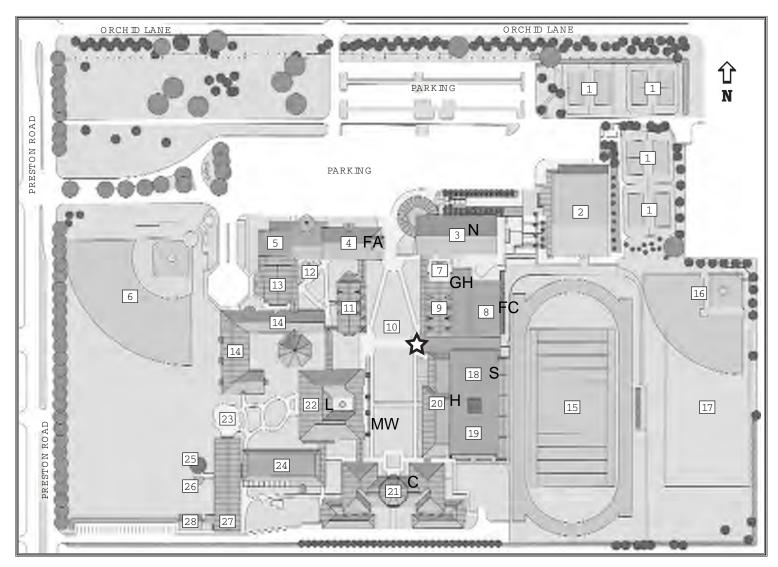
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Lower School 2013-2014

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