

Falmouth High School
74 Woodville Road
Falmouth, ME 04105

The **Falmouth High School Debate Team** is pleased to invite you to an all divisions Lincoln Douglas, Public Forum and Congressional Debate tournament on Saturday, October 16, 2010.

Registration: All Registrations are due by 8:00 pm Wednesday, October 13th, through Tabroom.com.

Any questions? Call or email Michelle LaFond at:

Day phone: 575-3202

Cell phone: 239-7952

mlafond@unum.com

Note that drops and changes can be made online up to 8:00 pm on Friday, October 15, 2010. No adds will be accepted on Saturday. Saturday drops will be assessed an additional \$10 nuisance charge, unless they are phoned in before 7:30 am to the following cell number: 239-7952.

Registration fee: \$7.00 per entry; first year schools free

Lunch: Falmouth will provide the opportunity for students to purchase lunch in the cafeteria. They can always bring their own lunch, but they should not leave campus and run the risk of forfeiting a round. Falmouth will provide complimentary lunch for all judges and coaches.

Judges: Please provide one judge for every two debaters. Fractional entries must provide a judge. For example, if you bring five debaters, you must bring three judges. You must bring an unaffiliated judge for every third, fifth and seventh judge required in a division. Remember also that parents cannot judge the division in which their child participates.

There may be limited extra judges available if you are short, but the cost will be \$45 towards the judge and an additional \$15 nuisance fee. Please clear it with the tournament director by Wednesday, October 13th.

Events: The tournament will hold competition in Novice, Junior Varsity and Varsity Lincoln Douglas debate, Novice and Public Forum debate and Congressional Debate Senate and House.

Topics:

Lincoln Douglas 2010 September/October topic: Resolved: States ought not possess nuclear weapons.

Public Forum 2010 October topic: Resolved: NATO presence improves the lives of Afghan citizens.

Awards: Trophies will be awarded to the top entry in each division with medals for second and third place. Sweeps will be awarded to the top three schools covering all three debate divisions – Public Forum, Lincoln Douglas and Congressional Debate.

Ties in records will be broken first by head to head, then strength of competition and finally by speaker points.

Schedule:

Registration	8:00-8:30 BE PROMPT
Judges Meeting	8:45
Students Meeting	8:45
Round I	9:00
Round II	10:00
Round III	11:00
Lunch	12:00
Round IV	1:00
Impromptu/Extemp demo (tentative)	2:30
Awards	3:30

Students will hang out in the Cafeteria. Judges' Lounge will be in the Teachers' Lounge. Tab will be in the Library. Signs will be posted.

Directions to Falmouth High School

From Route 1 Falmouth:

Heading North on Route 1 (McDonald's on Right)
Take left at light after Wal-Mart
At second stop sign take a left onto Falmouth Road
Staying on Falmouth Road, bear right at fork in the road
Take first right (after bridge over 95) onto Woodville Road
Falmouth High School is second school (after Middle School) on the left after second set of tennis courts

From the Maine Turnpike:

Heading North get off at Exit 53 (formerly Exit 10)
Take a left after tollbooth (on to Route 100)
At the first set of lights take right onto Leighton Road
At stop sign take a right onto Falmouth Road
Take first left about mile (passed Falmouth Town Hall) onto Woodville Rd.
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From 295:

Heading North get off at the Bucknam Road exit (Exit 10)
Take a right off the exit
At second set of lights go straight across intersection onto Falmouth Road
Stay on Falmouth Road bearing right at the fork in the road
Take first right (after bridge over 95) onto Woodville Road
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From Allen Ave.-Northgate Area

Continue on Allen Avenue Extension
Go over the river
Bear left onto Falls Road
Take a left at the stop sign onto Falmouth Road
Take first right (after bridge over 95) onto Woodville Road
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