Triton Invitational 2026 Updates

Below, we have listed all our coaches' emails and updates. The page will be added on to as soon as any email or announcement is sent out.

2/6/26

Hello Coaches,

I hope you are doing well. There are a few more important updates and reminders as we get closer to the tournament. Thank you, as always, for your help in keeping students and parents informed.

- **Awards Venue Change**

There has been a quick change to our Awards Ceremony venue. The new venue is The Jeannie. To avoid any confusion on the day, please review the assigned **Awards seating chart** in advance.

- **Parent Survey**

We realized that many teams are traveling long distances to compete in this tournament, and we want to help make the most of your visit. Please help us by **distributing a short interest survey to parents** regarding possible campus tour/admissions info session on the day of competition. While this event isn't guaranteed, parent interest will help us work with UCSD's staffing logistics, and we appreciate your assistance in sharing this with your teams. Please also feel free to fill it out for yourselves if interested.

- **Build Events ESUS Scheduling** – Due Today

This is a reminder that Build Events ESUS scheduling is due **today by 4:00 PM PT**.

- **Trial Events ESUS Scheduling**

Trial Events ESUS scheduling will open on Monday, **February 9th at 4:00 PM PT** and close on the 14th at 4:00 PM PT.

- **New Official Website**

We're excited to announce that we now have a new official website! The site includes *all* important information related to the upcoming tournament. We encourage you to check it out and refer to it as your primary source of information along with our emails moving forward.

Thank you for your continued support. Please don’t hesitate to reach out if you have any questions!

Best,
Seven, Owen and Ananya

1/31/26

Hello Coaches,

We hope you are doing well! As we approach invitational day, here are a few important reminders and updates:

Info Doc

The Information Document should include *everything* you need for the tournament – team list, registration status, master schedule, maps, parking, self-scheduling, awards, waiver forms, and on-campus policies. Please be sure to review it carefully.

Please note that there have been *updates* to the Sun God Lawn Tents Location Assignment due to additional teams joining us, so be sure to double check your locations prior to the day of competition to avoid confusion.

ESUS

The build events self-scheduling is still open on ESUS until February 6th at 4 PM PT. If you haven't yet scheduled your build events, please do so before the deadline.

Trial Events

We will be hosting two trial events this year: Write It Do It and Prove It! The rules for WIDI can be found in the Division B rules manual or past year's Division C rules manual. The Prove It rules have been linked above.

The self-scheduling for them will be open on ESUS on **February 9th at 4 PM PT** and close on February 14th at 4 PM PT.

Thank you for your support, and as always, please feel free to let us know if you have any questions!

Best,
Seven, Owen, and Ananya

1/14/26

Hello Coaches,

We hope everyone had a restful winter break and Happy New Year! Please read through the entirety of this email as well as the Information Document - both of which will be helpful.

Information Document:
Please refer here for more details/directions: Triton Invitational 2026 Information Document

Tournament Information
Date: Saturday, February 21st, 2026
Location: University of California, San Diego (UCSD)
Interactive Campus Map: UCSD Maps - University of California San Diego
Address: 9500 Gilman Dr, La Jolla, CA 92093
Division: C
Number of Teams: 34

Registration Confirmation:
Your team will be fully registered after all of the following have been completed:

- Make sure your team is listed on the official team list.
- Make sure you've mailed a check to the following address (check the team list to see if your payment has been received)

  San Diego Regional SO
  9921 Carmel Mountain Rd. #390
  San Diego, CA 92129

Please submit your payment as soon as possible to secure your spot.

Schedule Information:
Tournament Schedule:
The tournament schedule can be found here: TritonSO Invitational 2026 Schedule
Self Schedule:

- If you haven't already, make sure to schedule your teams' self schedule build events on ESUS.
- Sent to head coaches
- Open from January 16th @ 4:00 PM - February 6th @ 4:00 PM - deadline pushed back one week from original

Forms:
Team Roster (for coaches): 2026-TritonSO-Team-Roster.docx

Group and Individual Waivers: Waivers
Photo Release: Model Image Authorization and Release
Due at check-in at Sun God Lawn upon arrival on tournament day.

Parking:
Parking is $2.25 an hour, with a $9 daily maximum. Please park only in designated visitor ("V") parking spots. Cars parked in spots marked "24/7 Reserved", "A", "B", "S", and others may be ticketed or towed. UCSD and Science Olympiad at UCSD are not responsible for tickets, towed vehicles, theft, or damage if parked on streets or in lots.
Available visitor parking structures include: Scholars Parking, Pangea, South Parking, Gilman and Hopkins Parking.
Parking Map: TritonSO Invy 2026 Parking Maps

Home Base:
Location: Sun God Lawn by school assignments

- **Tent Location Assignment**
- Check-in starts at 7:00 AM, and clean-up starts at 5:30 PM

Policies:

- No staking into the grass
  - Make sure you bring tents that don't require stakes
- No glitter or confetti
- No amplified sound until 5 PM
- Collect all trash in trash bags, throw trash bags into dumpsters provided

Headquarters:
Location: Sun God Lawn Officers Table - marked on map

Awards Ceremony (6:00 PM - 8:00 PM)
Awards will take place at Price Center Ballroom East, with assigned seatings.
It has an open room capacity of 600 people. Spots for competing students (15 per team) and school coaches (2 per school) guaranteed only. Wristbands will be checked prior to entrance.

Any inquiries can be sent to our email, uscdscioly@gmail.com. All email updates will be on this document: Triton Invitational 2026 Updates.

We hope to see you soon!

Best regards,
Seven & Owen & Ananya

10/13/25

Dear Coaches,

We hope you're doing well! We're excited to welcome your team(s) to our upcoming invitational. Please see below for a few important reminders regarding deadlines and payment information.

- Refund Deadline: The last day to request a refund from the invitational is Sunday, December 15th at 11:59 PM PT. After this time, we will not be able to process refunds.
- Registration Fee: The registration fee is $230.00 per team, and payment is due by the day of the invitational. Please make checks payable to San Diego Regional SO, and mail them to:
  9921 Carmel Mountain Rd. #390
  San Diego, CA 92129
- Invoices with the W-9 form embedded will be going out shortly.

If you have any questions or need assistance, feel free to reach out. Thank you for your support, and we look forward to seeing you and your students soon!

Best regards,
Seven & Owen & Ananya