

Winter 23-24 Coaches Association Meeting
3/12 7:00 PM

Zoom Invite

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Agenda

1. Introductions - Curry
2. Treasurer announcement - Gina
 - a. Please pay OHSSL dues.- can be made up to State weekend
 - i. [OHSSL-CA Coaches Dues Invoice](#)
 - b. Email Gina at gspanu8@gmail.com with invoice questions- the invoice will be on the website soon. The cost is \$25 for the year. It pays for the website, catering at Western OR, four year awards, etc. You must pay to vote at the spring meeting at State.
 - c. Curry is working with Gina to try to secure W-9s, but I may have a work around I thought of literally an hour before the meeting.— should have W9 by spring break! Gina and Michael are working on it.
3. Rule Change Proposals - Rule Change Chair– Submit today, please discuss in upcoming weeks-- additions will be added to the [pro-con list](#).
 - a. [Link to Rule Change Proposals](#)
 - b. Impromptu Prep Time - Valerie Schiller— Suggestion is to do six continuous minutes of speaking; clock doesn't stop between the prep and speech.
 - c. Congress Packet - Ameena Amdahl-Mason— Repeal the congress packet rule change from last year.
4. State Committee
 - a. OSAA Executive Director : Peter Weber
 - b. Director: Jane Berry-Eddings
 - c. Co-Director: Robyn Rose
 - d. IE Tab:
 - i. Kayla Crook
 - ii. Rachel Wiczewski
 - e. Debate Tab:
 - i. Ameena Amdahl-Mason
 - ii. KC Perley
 - f. Congress: Caroline Campbell
 - g. Prep Coordinator: Jennifer LeSieur
 - h. Ombudsperson / BIS: Patrick Gonzales
 - i. Recruit judges for that rounds can go smoothly
5. Information on what to expect at the District & State tournaments - State Committee
 - a. [Alt Qual document](#) (only accessible to coaches)— you can use up to two alt quals per school

- b. Make sure titles and topics are accurate and labeled the same in Tabroom— include the theme of the piece, not only the title— this helps with keeping kids with the same topics in the same prelim rounds
- 6. Reminders on strikes - Robyn
 - a. This is for Speech and Debate
 - b. You can strike yourself against individual students or strike judges against schools if there are conflicts
 - c. Strikes can follow you regardless of the tournament
 - d. Peter will send out form for strikes for State soon— you can enter your own in Tabroom at any time
- 7. Retiring / resigning coaches - Kris Igawa
 - a. Let Kris know if you are retiring or leaving the program or if you know of others in either situation
 - b. The sooner the better so that new coaches can be onboarded. Before State is ideal.
- 8. NSDA update - Ameena & Kayla
 - a. North— can vote for Worlds team, qualifier is next week
 - b. South— finished qualifiers last weekend
- 9. Nominations for Coach of the Year, Hall of Fame and 4 year competitors - Michael Curry
 - a. [Link to Educator of the Year nomination](#)
 - b. [Link to Hall of Fame nomination](#)
 - c. [Link to 4-year awards for student](#)- has to be students who qualify and attend State all four years
- 10. Looking forward - Michael Curry
 - a. Officer elections
 - i. [Link to Officer nomination](#)
 - ii. Positions Available— 2 yrs each, you can nominate yourself
 - 1. President
 - 2. First Vice President
 - 3. Secretary
 - b. Ronald Reagan Great Communicator Debate on May 4
 - i. Register on Tabroom
 - ii. Run online on HopIn
 - iii. Resources: www.reaganfoundation.org/GCDS
 - iv. Contact: cadams@reaganfoundation.org for more information
 - c. The McLain-LeSieur scholarship through OSAC is due 4/1. There's a link to it on our new website... Oregonspeechanddebate.org
- 11. See you at State!