

SCSTA High School Division Meeting

September 11, 2021 10:15am-11:08am

Executive Council Positions:

- There will need to be a new division Secretary chosen by the division meeting on March 19,2022

High School Festival Info & Deadlines:

- The high school festival will be done using a hybrid model
- Festival entry forms will be due by February 18, 2022
- The pre-liminary round will be done virtually using Flipgrid and will end on February 25,2022
- The finals round will be at Dorman High School on March 19, 2022, from 10-4pm
- If there needs to be a change to this format, that will be announced on February 1,2022
- The students that make the finals round will be announced by March 5, 2022
- It was suggested that we have an early coaches meeting and information session before the competition begins.
- This was determined to be on January 25, 2022 from 6-7pm
- There will be a video created to help teach new coaches on the rules and how the festival works. This will be a resource that will hopefully help answer many people's questions about rules and rubrics.
- **Leah will have Emily send out an email with this information and deadlines**

Festival Revisions & Ideas:

- Other than the differentiation of mask rules from school to school, it was determined that the virtual festival was successful last year.
- There was a discussion about if resumes should be required in the theatre design portfolios. It was discussed that it was good practice for the students, but should not be judged.
- It was proposed that an at-large member do research to find resources for design students to learn how to properly create their design portfolios for the festival. **Corrine Tyo will look for these resources.**
- Students will be asked to wear masks at the finals round when they are not performing. This is a rule requested by SCSTA.
- Judges will be addressed about staying present in the room or virtual meeting when judging the students.
- We are adding group events back to the schedule.
- Adjudication Forms/Rubrics:

- The time needs to be moved to the bottom of the adjudication forms. It was mentioned that that had already been done??
- Leah wanted to address some wording and rules on the rubric addressing slates/introductions. It was decided that the proper rules were in the coaches packet, but not on the rule/rubric forms that most students look at. **Leah is going to take the instructions the coaches packed and move it to the adjudication forms.**

Action Items: (in bold throughout notes)

- Corrine Tyo will look for resources for students who are creating design portfolios
- Leah Wren will have Emily send out an email with this information and deadlines
- A video will need to be created with information on how the festival works for coaches to use as they prepare
- Leah Wren is going to move instructions for slates/introductions and move them to the adjudication forms